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THE MARKETS AT A GLANCE

Decline in the Consumption of Butter—Eggs Are Firm

The following comment on the market situation as regards food stuffs appeared in Canadian Grocer this week:

The outstanding feature in the grocery markets during the week was the decline of 60c per barrel in flour and the easier feeling in the sugar market. Millfeeds on the other hand have advanced and are likely to continue firmer, due to the new regulation of the British Government that the flour purchased for the use of the troops must have a higher percentage of shorts and middlings. It is estimated this provision will add about 10 per cent. to the available flour supplies. But it will decrease the supplies of millfeeds by an equal amount.

BUTTER STEADY.

Both live and dressed hogs have advanced again. Hogs now reaching the maples are of better size and dealers do not have to sacrifice them in order to dispose of them. Butter held steady during the week, with decline in the consumption noted. Eggs are firm with very few strictly new-laids reaching the market. Dressed ducks, geese and turkeys are firmer and have advanced slightly. Honey is also firmer, due to large consumption. Cheese on the other hand is slightly easier, due to the arrival of winter cheese on the market. All dried fruits are holding steady. Teas are firm. Boxed cereals in certain instances have advanced in price. Other advances in these are anticipated. Business has been fairly good during the week, but the trouble with shortage and freight deliveries continues to be a perplexing one.

The canned goods situation is still unsettled, and some wholesalers are quoting prices on canned tomatoes at lower figures than the canner's quotations. There has been a noticeable falling-off in the demand for canned goods, dut no doubt to the high prices asked. Fewor American lines have come in this week than in previous weeks. In dried fruits, the currant situation is the centre of attraction. The latest developments in Greece have upset all calculations of importers and in the present state of the market prices on currants are merely nominal.

NEW THRUST ON WESTERN FRONT

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec. 12.—Latest report from General Haig, indicates new thrust on western front.

Washing Won't Rid Head of Dandruff

The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it gently with the finger tips.

Do this to-night, and by morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop at once, and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft and look and feel a hundred times better.

You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive and never fails to do the work.

Grape-Fruit Sunkist Oranges Extra Fine Lemons Malaga Grapes
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Pineapple California Pears Canadian Apples C.Cod Cranberries
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Twelve Men Reported Missing in the Big Quaker Oats Fire

Three Men Died in the Hospital and the Body of a Fourth Was Taken From the Ruins---Fire is Burning Itself Out in the Fireproof Warehouse---Many of the Girls Fainted and Had To Be Carried Out.

MANY NARROW ESCAPES

A smoking heap of ruins, outlined by a jagged edge of wall, is all that remains of the front part of the main building of the Quaker Oats plant. A trip to the scene of the catastrophe this morning reveals little change from last night. A large part of the fireproof warehouse on the east side of what was once the main plant, is still standing, while to the rear of the main building and close to the scene of many miraculous escapes stands a portion of the brick elavator. Farther to the rear and standing alone amid the debris is a battery of sixteen concrete silos. With the last named exception, the entire plant is a complete wreck. This morning brought little hope of a reduction in the list of missing. Last available figures places the number unaccounted for at about sixteen. It will be late this afternoon before a complete and accurate list can be compiled. Present indications point to a death list of between twelve and sixteen men. Three of these have died in the hospital, one body was recovered from the ruins and the remainder are reported missing.

FIRE STILL SMOULDERING.

The fire is slowly burning itself out. From ten o'clock yesterday a.m. it has been burning fiercely in the fireproof warehouse to the east of the main building. The building was filled with stock of all kinds and judging from present appearances not a vestige will remain. About six-thirty o'clock last evening a portion of this building collapsed, sending a huge shower of sparks over the city. The flames shot several hundred feet into the air and drove nearby spectators and volunteer workers to cover. It was one of the spectacular features of the fire. The falling snow probably saved the city from further damage, as the burning brands fell in every direction.

CAUSE OF THE FIRE.

Various rumors are in circulation as to the cause of the fire but the only one admitted by the officials of the Company is that the explosion was due to an accumulation of dust which as every miller knows is an ever present danger in the milling industry. One of the survivors claims to have been through two previous fires of a similar nature. Five minutes more and he would have passed into the drying room where so many men lost their lives. He had been repairing a machine and was about to return to that part of the building when he was lifted off his feet by the force of the explosion and thrown backwards. He is firmly convinced that the fire was caused by a dust explosion. The dust accumulates in the building and when it reaches a certain chemical condition becomes highly inflamable. The force of the explosion was terrific. It lifted two walls clean out of place and threw some of the debris across the river. This was followed by a huge volume of smoke and a few minutes later, flames shot out from the upper stories of the plant. A half an hour later some of the walls began to fall, which goes to show the terrific force of the explosion as the fire had not sufficient time to burn its way through.

BOILER ROOM SCENE.

The scene in the boiler room following the explosion were indescribable. Several engineers and a number of men were trapped by the falling walls as the engine room and a large portion of the mill was wrecked by the explosion. Close by was the drying room, bag-cleaning room both of which claimed a number of victims. On the sixth storey Dennis O'Brien was seen making his way toward an exit when the floor under his feet gave way and he was swallowed up in an abyss of death and destruction. Only one body as recovered yesterday, that was Edward Howley. He was lying a few feet from the wall of the building and apparently was caught by falling walls. Three others died in the hospital yesterday. They were Walter Holden, J. Fosoro and D. Martino. The last two are Italians. Several Italians are believed to be in the wreckage.

HAD NARROW ESCAPE.

Percy Naish has had three narrow escapes in the last ten years. Ten years ago. He was trapped in the building then known as the oatmeal section of the Quaker Oats plant. He managed to escape and five years later was a survivor of the Turnbull disaster which cost several lives and wrecked a large departmental store. Yesterday's fire found Percy Naish located in the packing room within a few feet of the spot where several men met their death. Again he succeeded in making his escape. Had he been working in the drying room as he was up until a few days ago his chances of recording a third narrow escape would have been very slim. As it was he had barely time to assist a few of the two hundred and fifty girls to get out. Many of the girls fainted and had to be carried out. Mabel Powers who is employed in the office attempted to return and secure the pay-book of the packing department. When she finally made her way out her path was blocked by a couple of girls who had fainted, and a third who was attempting to bring them around. She believes she jumped over the three of them. There were no fatalities among the girls. Most of them lost their street wraps.

Tom Harrison hung suspended from the ledge of a window in the elevator several stories high. His removal, by means of ladders caused a manifest sigh of relief. He was all in when taken down. A gang of men started to work on the ruins this morning.

ALLIES PURCHASING FEWER GOODS IN THE UNITED STATES

Action Follows Decision of Britain and France to Withdraw Treasury Bills

SEE LARGER GOLD IMPORTS

Bankers Say Entente Governments Are Preparing to Send Vast Quantity of Precious Metal Here.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Since the British and French Treasury authorities decided not to offer Treasury bills in this country, out of respect for the opinion of the Federal Reserve Board, a marked decline has occurred in the volume of purchases made here by the Allied Governments. This fact was developed yesterday as the result of inquiries made in quarters where large orders have heretofore been placed by the foreign nations, both for war material and commercial goods.

Signs of this contraction of purchases will not be reflected in export figures o fthe country for some time, perhaps for six months. The orders placed of recent date were for the most part for future delivery, and as the mills and factories have long been choked with business, a great deal of the goods contracted for will be shipped later than would be the case in normal times. Arrangements have been made with local bankers for payment for all the supplies already under contract, and it is expected that the extent of additional orders will be governed chiefly by credit agreements to be made in the future between the authorities of the allied countries and American bankers and by the shipment of gold.

Another big consignment received at the Assay Office for account J. P. Morgan and Co. indicated that the gold movement is gaining impetus. The shipment amounted to $15,800,000 all from Ottawa and it was learned that upward of $20,000,000 more would come in next week. The total of imports this week now amounts to $50,000,000, and since Jan. 1 $575,000,000 gold has been received from all sources.

From information gained in banking quarters it appears as though the allied Governments are making preparations for the exportation of gold to us in vast quantity for many months to come. As official announcement has been made on several occasions that a part of the gold shipments were being applied directly to the purchase of supplies, it is assumed in some quarters that the allied buyers are preparing to use the precious metal on a greater scale than heretofore for this purpose. It is known that Great Britain, in co-operation with her allies, is speeding up the shipment of gold to Ottawa for distribution as the need arises, while a continuation of shipments from Australia and Russia direct to San Francisco is looked for.

While the inflow of gold expanded substantially, there was yesterday a sharp spurt in exports from this city to South America and Spain. A number of the leading banks and trust companies drew upon the Sub-Treasury for gold coin to a total of $9,110,000, the largest aggregate of outgoing metal for any day this year. Bankers took $5,700,000 for transfer to Buenos Aires, and it was assumed that withdrawals amounting to $3,550,000 more were also for Argentina. The gold coin for Spain amounted to $800,000.

Since Nov. 1 approximately $30,000,000 has been shipped to South America, chiefly for the correction of the trade balance which has been heavily in favour of countries of the southern continent for three months. The movement of gold to Spain is also for the purpose of paying for goods, remittances in this form being cheaper than through exchange channels.

A GOOD WINTER HABIT

Many people dread winter because the sudden climatic changes bring colds, grippe, rheumatism, tonsilitis or bronchitis. But thousands of well-informed men and women today avoid much sickness for themselves and their children by taking a few bottles of Scott's Emulsion to make richer blood, fortify the membranes of the throat and chest and create body-warmth to resist sickness. Soldiers at war receive cod liver oil; it will also strengthen you.

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LLOYD GEORGE TOLD THE LABOURMEN THAT VICTORY LAY IN LABOUR'S HANDS

Daily Chronicle Prints Account of Conference—Entire Energies of Nation Must Be Utilized to the Full—State Will Control National Resources.

EVERYBODY IS CHEERY

LONDON, Dec. 12.—A Daily Chronicle account of the conference between Lloyd-George and the labour leaders says that Lloyd-George told his callers that the great task, a vigorous prosecution of war to a victorious conclusion, could only be achieved by utilizing to the utmost the entire energies of the nation.

The whole prospects of success, he went on, depended upon continued an increased output of munitions of war of all kinds, and that was why labour had such tremendous responsibilities thrown upon it at the present crisis.

The inquiries of the Labour representatives Lloyd-George outlined his programme, which, according to the Chronicle, "amounts practically to direct control by the state of the whole resources of the country." It is proposed to control all the industries and means of transport, both by land and by sea, so that the manpower of the nation can be directed into such channels as may be considered best—into the production of munitions of war or into maintaining that part of our export trade which is necessary to keep up the exchanges.

Increase Home Produce.

"It was suggested that every effort should be made to increase home grown food supplies by encouraging cultivation of waste land and improving methods of cultivating land already under tillage. To this end farmers are to be provided with the most modern machinery obtainable, and the direction of agricultural operations will be organized so as to dispense with superfluous labour. Food supplies and prices are to be rigorously controlled.

"An attempt is to be made to improve the position of the dependents of soldiers by revising the scale of pensions and allowances. Promise is given that the work of organizing the return of men to civil occupations after the war shall be pushed forward so that labour can be absorbed with the minimum amount of friction and suffering.

No Discrimination.

"The representatives of labour pressed Lloyd George on two points —conscription of labour, which is a ground of complaint, and conscription of wealth, which is asked for as complement of the former. It is understood that his answer to the first was that his policy would be in the direction of regulating the work of the whole manhood of the country so that no one class could complain that it was unfairly dealt with. As to the latter a scheme for the control of investments and savings on lines of that in existence in the case of certain American securities was foreshadowed. In addition there is likely to be a large extension of the war profits tax. All profits will be calculated on the average, taken in the three years before the war, and all in excess of this amount will go to the state."

Everybody is Cheery.

"Everybody cheery," ran a headline in Lloyd Northcliffe's Evening News, and undoubtedly within the last forty-eight hours there has been an extraordinary change in the public mood to judge from superficial manifestations. Doubts and depression have given place to confidence and good spirits.

Cash Wheat Remains Strong

Winnipeg Prices Closed Lower —The Cattle Markets—Hogs Steady

Lack of export demand, which failed to support bullish foreign advices, caused a weaker tone to develop in the wheat markets yesterday. Chicago closed 3-4c lower than Saturday's close, and Winnipeg 2 1-4c lower. Cash situation, however, remains strong.

Manitoba wheat — No. 1 Northern, $1.98 1-8, track, bay ports; No. 2, $1.95 1-8; No. 3, $1.90 1-8; old crop, 4c above new crop.

Manitoba oats — No. 2 C.W., 84 1-4 cents; No. 3, 81 1-2c; No. 2 extra feed, 81 1-2c.; No. 2 feed, 81c.

American corn. No. 2, nominal; No. 3, new, $1.03. December shipment subject to embargo, track, Toronto.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 62c to 64c; No. 3, white 61c to 63c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1.70 to $1.72; No. 3, $1.68 to $1.70.

Peas—No. 2, nominal; car lots, $2.40.

Barley — Good milling, $1.48 to $1.20; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal, $1.30.

Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal; No. 2 new, $1.40 to $1.42.

Manitoba flour—First patents, in jute, bags, $9 90, second patents, in jute, $9.40; strong bakers, in jute, $9.20, Toronto.

Ontario flour — New winter, $7.30 to $7.50, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered Montreal, shorts, $37; bran, $32; feed flour per bag, $2.80; middlings, $38 to $40.

Hay—Baled, No. 1 track, Toronto; best grade new hay, car lots, $12.50 to $12 50; No 2, $10 to $11.50; straw, $8 to $8.50.

Cattle prices yesterday reached high water mark for choice Christmas cattle. The market was unexpectedly strong, even for a record season of high prices, and some of the highest prices for a regular market, outside of special christmas fancy prices, were registered yesterday. A choice lot of four steers were sold at $11.50. Several straight loads sold up to $10 and $10.50. Good butcher loads were strong around $9. All grades were strong and the demand keen.

Lambs were a shade firmer.

Hogs were steady, with last week.

A unique auction sale of a prize baby beef steer followed the close of the regular cattle market at the Union Stock Yards yesterday.

The donor was Mr J. Goode, manager of the Stock Yards. The proceeds of the sale were for the benefit of the British Red Cross. The steer was led into the central office building, and Mr. George Rowntree acted as auctioneer. The steer was sold in sections, to be delivered after 'dressing.' Bids were lively and varied from $5 for the suet up to $50 for two inches of steak. The sale was proceeding at noon, and it was expected $1,000 would be handed over to the Red Cross.

Receipts at the Union Stock Yards were 120 cars, made up of 3,014 cattle, 174 calves, 761 hogs, 896 sheep and lambs.

Latest quotations:

Heavy steers, choice	$9.25 to $9.50
Choice butcher	8.50 9.00
do good	8.00 8.25
do medium	7.00 7.25
do common	6.25 6.50
Heifers, good to choice	7.00 7.25
do medium	6.25 6.75
Butcher cows, choice	6.25 7.00
do medium	5.75 6.25
Butcher bulls, choice	6.85 7.50
do good	6.50 6.60
do medium	5.00 5.50
Feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs.	6.75 7.00
do bulls	5.25 5.75
Stockers, 700 to 800 lbs.	6.25 6.40
do med., 650 to 750 lbs.	5.50 6.00
do light, 600 to 650 lbs.	5.00 5.75
Canners	4.10 4.40
Cutters	4.50 5.25
Sheep, light	8.50 9.50
do heavy	6.50 8.00
Spring lambs	10.75 12.50
Calves	8.00 12.00
Hogs, fed and watered	11.75
do weighed off cars	12.00
do f.o.b.	10.75 11.00

MINERAL DEPOSIT IN HALIBURTON

A valuable mineral deposit suitable for the manufacture of armour plate and guns is reported from Haliburton. Strange to say the claim is owned by a Parsee Babon Hindu from the banks of the Ganges, India. Mr G. C. MacKenzie, Government representative of the Department of Mines and a brother of the Rev. Mr. MacKenzie, pastor of Knox Presbyterian Church of this city has visited the location. Mr. MacKenzie reports extensive evidences of a deposit of molybdenite which largely enters into the manufacture of hardened steel products. Mr. McAvidy of the Munitions Board has also visited the bone. As yet, only surface workings have been made but in the opinion of experts who have visited the claim the indications warrant more extended operations.

Germans Levy Large War Taxes

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec. 12.—Germans already levying enormous war taxes on captured Rumanian cities.

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New French War Council

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, Dec. 12.—Personnel of the French cabinet to be announced today. War Council will probably be headed by Joffre.

CANADIANS HONOURED FOR BRAVERY

Special to The Examiner:

LONDON, Dec. 12.—Many more Canadians honoured for bravery at the front.

Aviators Wreck Military Works

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 12.—Allied aviators wreck military works at Brussels and Louvain.

Greeks Denounce King Constantine

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec. 12.—Cretan Greeks pass resolution denouncing King Constantine.

MORE CANADIAN PRISONERS ESCAPE

Special to Examiner:

LONDON, Dec. 12—Two more Canadian prisoners escape from Germany.

Belgians Killed In a Riot

Examiner Special:

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 12.—Killing of sixteen Belgians in a riot at Turcoing, Belgium, due to German deportations was reported by the newspaper Ech de Belge to-day.

A German soldier who struck a Belgian with the butt of his gun was attacked by the crowd and German troops in charge of the deportations responded with a fusilade. Many were wounded. Fifty Belgians were arrested.

STAGE TRICKS HANDY IN FIRE

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Acrobats agile in trapese work and climbing adapted their profession to the work of rescuing fellow lodgers when their theatrical boarding house in West 44th street was wrecked by fire Saturday.

A number of the unfortunate guests of the tenants were saved by methods rivalling vaudeville and circus performances. About twenty persons were injured, two of whom, women, were severely burned, may die.

On last Washington's birthday five persons were burned to death in a fire in the same building. It is owned by May Irwin, the actress.

SEE GAINED 18 POUNDS.

Mrs. George Bradshaw, Marlowe, Ont. writes: "I was troubled for many years with weak, watery blood and dreary, sad nervous headaches, dizziness, and shaking spells, and was in fact, a confirmed invalid. Doctors told me my heart and kidneys were diseased and gave me up but by using to boxes of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food I have been cured of many of my

An Important Meeting To Be Held in Berlin

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

Berlin, Dec. 12.—Great throngs about the Reichstag marked German public's interest to-day in what was expected to be the most important meeting of that body since the start of the war.

Expectancy was keyed to highest pitch as to what message the Imperial Chancellor Bethmann Hollweg had to deliver.

It was announced semi-officially that the address would be of great world interest.

Practically every member of the Reichstag was in Berlin to-day for the session. All members on duty at the front were recalled for to-day's address. Bethmann Hollweg's address will refer to military and political topics, but its exact nature has been carefully guarded.

Abolition of Dispensaries

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

REGINA, Dec. 12.—Returns up to the present show overwhelming majority for abolition of system of dispensaries throughout Saskatchewan.

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Railway Time Tables

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY
CORRECTED JUNE 4, 1916

7.00 a.m.—For Lakefield.
8.10 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg and points east, connecting at Port Hope for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 11.45 a.m.
8.20 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
9.30 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
11.40 a.m.—Midday express for Toronto reaching Toronto at 2.15 p.m.
12.30 p.m.—For Lakefield.
11.40 a.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
4.30 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
6.30 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
6.40 p.m.—For Lakefield
6.55 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
9.05 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville Montreal and Boston.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY
CORRECTED JUNE 4, 1916

GOING EAST—
*7.20 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*12.10 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St John, N.B., Boston, and New York.
*1.10 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed Perth, Smith's Falls, and Ottawa.
**1.17 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa Montreal and intermediate points, and all points east of Montreal.

GOING WEST—
*4.30 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo New York, Galt, Woodstock St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*2.44 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
**7.20 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo Rochester and New York intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
**9.15 a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port McNichol and intermediate points
*11.40 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford Buffalo, New York, Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, London Detroit and Chicago.
**5.40 p.m.—North Toronto and West Toronto and intermediate points
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OUR SERIAL STORY

"DESTINY"

By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday)

CHAPTER X.

Mary Burton made her way between tall hedgerows of box where an alley of shade ran to a side terrace, and when she had gained her own room her eyes were aglow with a new and rather radiant sort of smile, that also crept to the corners of her lips and hovered happily. It was a vague smile, but if the man who had enticed it there had seen it, he would have felt reassured. The threat of to-morrow's wreath would not have troubled him.

When Mary Burton, changed into bedroom attire, had dismissed her maid for the night, she still moved about with a restlessness which did not at once yield to the composure needed for the rigid self-analysis upon which she was resolved. She stood before her mirror and looked gravely into the glass.

With the lustrous masses of hair falling braided over her shoulders and the new glow of discovery in her eyes, she might have been a girl just budding into womanhood. She seemed in the last hour to have slipped back into the blossom time of her beauty and though it was a beauty which she had always realized she now felt a new happiness in its possession. Hereto fore her pride had been such as one feels for a means of conquest.

Now it was different. Her breast rose suddenly and fell to the excitement of a subtly powerful emotion. This beauty had a new value. It might be a prize worth surrendering proudly and as a gift to a man of her choosing. If this rainbow of promised love proved real she would wish herself even lovelier—for his pleasure. It was of course too soon to feel sure—and at that thought a sudden gasp of fear rose in her throat. At all events it was not too early to hope that the night had brought her the thing for which she had yearned—brought the commencement. She gave to the face in the mirror a friendly smile. "This afternoon I rather hated you," she announced gravely. "I gazed at you and a soulless little pig stared back but who knows?

Maybe down under your vanity and selfishness you have after all the cobwebbed little germ of a soul. If so we must dig it out and brush it off and put it to work."

Then she turned out the lights and sank down dreamily in the broad window seat. The moon rode high and bathed the hills in its limpid yet elusive wash of silver and blue and dove grays. Far off like a brush stroke from a dream palette ran the horizon's margin of hills and nearer at hand tapering poplars stood up like dark sentinels. The lights and music told of the dance still in progress and strolling figures occasionally crossed the silver patches between the shadows.

In her own mind she was reviewing all the men who with her had sought to throw off the mantle of the Platonic and invest themselves in the more romantic habiliments of courtship. One lesson had been taught her from the first and she had learned it thoroughly—too thoroughly! She was no ordinary girl to give way to pawing throbbing of the pulses. Her future must run side by side with brilliant things and brilliant men.

It takes experience to teach distrust to those frolicsome playmates, Youth and Buoyancy. She had met with that experience and had learned that fortune hunters are by no means mythical or extinct. When to the honey pot of wealth is added the lure of beauty how can one be sure that any proffered love is free from the taint of greed? Her brother was one of America's most brilliant money-getters. He gathered in and disbursed with a lavish magnificence. She had been called the most beautiful woman in Europe and her gem like brilliancy had been set in Life's gold and platinum of environment. When Cupid came to her what bill of health could he produce to prove that he was not a sneak thief in disguise? She had accepted the cynical conclusion that she might never be sure of any man's love and the tenderer little heart-nerves which govern impulse were growing numb. Under a naive freshness and girlish fragrance of personality lay masked batteries of distrust and hardness. The Duke de Metuan fancied himself genuinely in love with her. Of that she was sure, but should the Duke de Metuan learn tomorrow morning that she had overnight become penniless—she broke off and laughed.

And to-night had come the unwarned tumult of feeling against which she possessed no argument. Jefferson Edwardes had looked at her and his eyes were a guarantee of honesty beyond question. She did not even ask to see the Love God's passport. This man was a member of a great family of bankers; a family that had stood for generations among the richest in the country. Ham's magic control of the money tides could not even subconsciously influence his decisions.

It was wonderful to sit there in the window, adrift on a tide of elation and to know that the numbness of her heart was not a permanent paralysis—that she had a soul. It was absurdly delightful, too, to reflect upon the illogical swiftness with which it had all happened.

"To-morrow," she announced to herself, nodding her head very decisively, "I shall be furious with him. I shall refuse to speak to him. I shall let him realize that such lord and dumption brings swift retribution." Then, low and gaily she laughed. "After I have punished him I'll be very nice to him, unless—" her lips tightened as she added—"unless he says he is sorry he did it and apologizes. If he does that I'll never speak to him again."

While Mary was spending so comfortable and pleasant an hour with her reflections and while Jefferson Edwardes was tramping the hills several miles away, a small number of unattached men lingered near the punch bowl and cigars in the huge living room of the lodge.

One of these refugees from the zone of dancing activities was of more than ordinarily striking appearance. When he stood he towered and even when he sat as now, morosely lounging and taciturn, he bulked large and wore a countenance of such strength and determination as suited his giant body. In spite of his great physique he carried no superfluous flesh, but tapered to the waist and, notwithstanding his present detachment and a seriousness that verged on sullenness the face seemed more patterned for nature for the broad grin of good fellowship and clean mirthfulness.

Quite obviously Len Haswell, whose laugh ordinarily rang like a fog-horn over the chorus of conversation, would just now have preferred being elsewhere. When their customary joviality left those gray eyes, the man's immensity took on something of an ogre's power. He tinkled the ice in his high-ball glass—a process to which he had devoted himself with unaccustomed repetition this evening and, instead of mellowing into conviviality under his libations, his eyes narrowed a little and the small frowning [illegible] his brows decreased.

"The Big Fellow's having a growch sh, what? He's getting a bit squiffy, if you ask me," suggested Norvil Thayre to the group centred where the punch bowl was being administered. Norvil Thayre was not having a growch. If he had ever had a growch he had kept his secret well. An American by adoption, he was still aggressively British in speech, dress and assertiveness.

Norvil Thayre's chest was always thrust out as cheerily and as confidently as a cock-robin's, and his step was as elastic as though he had just come, freshly galvanized, from some source of exuberant energy. His clothing escaped the extremes of fashion by the narrowest margin of good taste and his mustache ends bristled up towards the laughing wrinkles about his wide awake eyes like exclamation points of alertness.

And, went on Mr. Thayre amiably, if he hungers for solitude I am the last chap in the world to intrude on his meditations. I jolly well know myself what it means to hang precariously on the fringe of plutocracy with only the beastly whisper of an income and by the Lord Harry I am a bachelor." Several auditors nodded their sympathetic understanding, but a tall youth with viking blond hair and vacant eyes which seemed to proclaim I am looking, but I see not," was less judicious. He lounged over and dropped into a chair at Haswell's side.

"That singularly frightful little ass, Larry Kirk, is going to cheer him up now," smiled Thayre. "Trust him to make himself a nuisance."

"Not dancing much this evening suggested Kirk by way of opening the conversation with the silent one.

"No." The reply was curt.

"I've been wanting to dance with your wife," persisted the other, "but she's as illusive as a wraith."

This time Haswell did not vouchsafe even a mono-syllable in reply, and the tactless Kirk assumed the double burden of the conversation.

"I call it rough treatment when the two truly beautiful women in society come to a dance and proceed, to all intents and purposes, to evaporate. Miss Burton, too, seems to have been converted into thin air. What' the use of struggling to keep up with the new steps?"

Len Haswell rose stiffly from his chair, and, tossing his cigar through the open window, stalked silently from the room.

The blond young man glanced uncomprehendingly after him, and Thayre's laugh broke in a booming peal.

"Rather gratuitous, son, wasn't it?" he suggested.

"What do you mean?" Larry Kirk put his question blankly.

"Nothing; except that you know, Len or ought to. He's the present day, Othello, sulking because he can't get a dance with his wife. It's barely conceivable that he's not aching to have it rubbed in."

"Can't get a dance?" repeated the empty—eyed youth perplexedly. "Why?"

Thayre snorted. "What chance has he—or any one else when Ham Burton's gifted pomeranian sequesters her in some shaded nook and whispers musical nonsense into her coral ear?"

"You mean Pa Burton? Gifted pomeranian fits him nicely . . . but why should any man be jealous of him?"

"A man may be jealous of any creature that all women pet. Paul Burton can play to them until their golden souls come soaring out to be playmates with his golden soul. You and I, having no wives, may be able to laugh at such things—but Len Haswell has a devilish pretty one—and a devilish foolish one."

To young Mr. Kirk the situation seemed simple.

"Why does not Len just take this pleasing minstrel by the scruff of his neck and say to him, 'Nice little doggy, run away'?"

"For two reasons. First, behind the pleasing minstrels and the Emperor—damn his magnificently audacious soul! Secondly when you chase a man who has access to the treasure of the Incas . . . you take a fairish chance of chasing the lady along with him."

"I'm sorry I made Len sore." The blond man spoke contritely. Then his voice snapped into animosity. "He's worth a dozen Paul Burtons, the vapid little piano player."

"Right-o!" Thayre stood with his feet well apart and his baldish head thrown back. "Even that profound gift for reading human nature which it pleased a Divine Providence to be stow upon me, could hardly have hit more jolly well on the peg." He paused, then added, "But be that as it may—in the habit which has become all prevalent among us money-changers in the temple, of damning the soul of Hamilton Burton—when he is absent—I think we overlook a few patent truths. We hate the man and all his breed simply because he outclasses us at our own game."

"You mean he outplunders us," contradicted Kirk.

"It comes to much the same thing, young son, though High Finance is a prettier name for the pastime. He gathers in millions to our thousands, not only because he is a naughty and wicked man, but because of his greater calibre and range. Brother Paul shines by some of this reflected glory—as it has become the fashion to damn Brother Paul, too."

It began to dawn on the fair-haired young man that he was being chaffed. His reply came sulkily.

"To my mind, Paul Burton is nothing but a hanger on."

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By M. QUAD

Among the applicants answering the advertisement of Klein & Klippert for a stenographer was Miss Rose Wilhams of a suburban village. Both partners were old bachelors, and when the advertisement was inserted Klein said to Klippert:

"There will probably be a hundred girls come tomorrow, and as I know more about human nature than you do I will see them and pick out the one we want."

"But as I know more about stenography than you do it should be left to me," was the reply of the partner.

They wrangled over the matter for ten minutes and then agreed that both should receive and question the applicants. When Miss Rose entered the office each partner said to himself that she would do, no matter whether she knew anything about stenography or not. Each tried to impress upon her mind the fact that he was fatherly and kind hearted and wished to run an orphan asylum. Klein wanted to offer her $20 a week, and Klippert wanted to offer $3 more, but they finally settled on $15 to start with. When the terms had been settled and the applicant had departed, to reappear on the morrow, Klein hitched about on his chair for a couple of minutes and then said:

"As my room is rather the largest and lightest, I am willing to make a place for the young lady. Did you notice the lines of sorrow around her young mouth? I shall speak very gently to her."

"There is a fine, light space in my room for the young lady," replied Klippert, "and I will take her in there. There is a sad look about her eyes, as if she had some great grief, and I shall not expect her to do much work."

They disputed for half an hour over the point, and next day Miss Rose was given the hall between the office rooms of the partners.

At half past 1 o'clock Klein called the stenographer into his room and dictated a letter and then said:

"Miss Williams, your work has proved so satisfactory that your salary is raised to $18 per week."

She expressed her thanks and backed out, but scarcely had five minutes passed when Klippert called her in to ask if she was satisfied with her salary and to add before she could reply:

"You take hold of the work so well that I shall make your salary $20 a week."

Klein had been in the habit of leaving the store every afternoon at half past 4. On this occasion he hung about until 5. Klippert and the employees left at half past 5. Klippert sauntered after the new stenographer to see what car she took. He had just ascertained when he encountered his partner. They eyed each other suspiciously for a minute and then lied. Each had a ready excuse on his tongue. Next morning at the store the senior partner called the junior partner into his room and gravely said:

"Mr. Klippert, I should be grieved to know that you were following Miss Williams to the car, but the more I think of it the more suspicious your conduct appears."

"But what were you doing there?" was promptly asked.

"Business unconnected with the store called me to the spot."

"Same here."

Each one had been wondering how he could circumvent the other and invite the pretty stenographer out to lunch. The thing was finally settled by the senior partner, who said:

"I would suggest that neither of us ask the young lady to lunch. She might misconstrue our action."

"Just what I was about to suggest. We will go out together, as heretofore."

But things rankled in the mind of the senior partner. As a matter of fact, he had gone to the car half an hour ahead of the girl to make sure that she took the right one for home. The junior partner had come upon him and wronged him in thought. He did the only thing he could think of to get even. He called Miss Rose in and raised her salary to $22 a week.

The junior partner was not at all satisfied with the situation. He had followed the stenographer to the car to see that the bookkeeper, who was known to be a masher, didn't do the same. There he had met his partner and had been looked at distrustfully. In wronging him the partner wronged Miss Rose, and he called her in and dictated a fictitious letter and added:

"I am pleased to say that our work was never so well done before, and I wish to inform you that your salary has been advanced to $25 per week."

Miss Williams came to her place on a Wednesday. On Saturday afternoon there was a half holiday. On Saturday afternoon also Mr. Klein met Mr. Klippert in the village where the stenographer lived. Each wanted to ask the other what he was doing there, but he didn't ask. Klein finally took Klippert by the arm and walked him to the car, and when both were seated and headed for the city he said:

"Klippert, it's hard times in business."

"You bet!"

"We don't need a stenographer."

"Not in the least."

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The Parson's Soft Job.

"There is a prevalent idea among the criminal classes that the clergy have nothing whatever to do."

The authority for this statement is the Archdeacon of London, who has three large prisons in his archdeaconry. An old woman once said to a jail chaplain: "I wish you could find a job for my old man. He is not up to much and cannot do anything, but he wants a soft job like yours?"—London Globe.

Willing to Take a Tip.

"Look here," said the sophomore's father, "how do you expect to do any studying if you're going to be out tearing around every night until 11 to 12 o'clock?"

"Darned if I know, dad. I wish you'll put your mind to work on the matter and let me hear from you if you succeed in working anything out."—Chicago Record-Herald.

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There was never a problem in economics that was not solved sooner or later, and rubbers and overshoes seem to be the answer to the augmented price of shoes this winter. 24

FARM HANDS SCARCE.

And They Will Be Scarcer in England When War Is Over.

The Journal of Agriculture (Eng.) in a discussion on the English agricultural labor problem says it is estimated that 320,000 men have left the land in the United Kingdom since the beginning of the war, and to this figure will have to be added the number leaving between now and the end of the war; the number who will not go back to the land is estimated at twenty-five per cent. of the enlistments, or at least 80,000.

From examination of the means to be adopted, to meet this serious shortage the committee which has inquired into the matter are forced to the conclusion that unless the agricultural production and population are to be further reduced, a considerable number of ex-service men who were not employed in farm work on the outbreak of the war will have to be brought into English agriculture.

Referring to the possibility of the ex-service man settling in the Dominions, or in foreign countries, the committee think a great deal might be done, not only to bring home to him the comparative advantages of life in a more settled country, but to improve the conditions that have hitherto prevailed.

As a means of improving conditions it is suggested that small allotments of land be made near towns so that artisans engaged in industrial employment in those towns may provide at least a portion of their food supply in their spare time. It is further suggested, with a view of giving an added stimulus to general farming, that duties be placed on agricultural produce imported, which will be sufficient "to give the protection that is necessary to the farmer."

It is evidently the intention of those behind what is proposed to keep at home the prospective farm laborers it was hoped might be attracted to this country. It also appears probable, in addition to this, Canadian farmers may find, after the war, that the United Kingdom will no longer offer a free market for their produce.

Canadians Get V. C.

The Victoria Cross has been awarded to Lieut. Thomas Orde Lawler Wilkinson, North Lancashire Rifles, killed July 25, aged twenty-two. He was the second son of C. H. Wilkinson of Comox, B.C., and was a surveyor in Victoria when he enlisted originally, early in the war, in the Canadian Gordons.

Lieut. Wilkinson was decorated "for most conspicuous bravery. During an attack when a party of another unit were retiring without their machine gun, Lieut. Wilkinson rushed forward, and with two of his men, got the gun into action and held up the enemy till they were relieved. Later, when the advance was checked, during a bombing attack he forced his way forward and found four or five men of different units stopped by a solid block of earth, over which the enemy was throwing bombs. With great pluck and promptness, he mounted a machine gun on top of the parapet and dispersed the enemy bombers. Subsequently he made two most gallant attempts to bring in wounded men, but in his second attempt was shot through the heart, just before reaching his man. Throughout the day he set a magnificent example of courage and self-sacrifice."

The Victoria Cross also is awarded to the Rev. William Robert Addison, chaplain, who early lived in a Canadian lumber camp. He carried a wounded man and assisted several others to cover. By his splendid example of utter disregard of danger he encouraged the stretcher-bearers to go forward under a heavy fire.

A Queer Joke.

A resident of Vevey, Switzerland, died some years ago and left a will, in which he bequeathed the whole of his property, of which he was supposed to have a large amount, to the "local hospital of the town." There being two local medical charities—the town hospital and the Hospice de Samaritan—a suit at law was entered by the former in order to decide its right to the legacy. After a considerable expense had been incurred the dispute was abruptly brought to a close by the discovery that the deceased had indulged in a most unseasonable jest and, in fact, did not possess a penny to bequeath.

An Original Oath of Allegiance.

In the old days when the Spanish province of Aragon was a proud and independent monarchy the people used when choosing their king the following singular form of election:

"We, the freeborn inhabitants of the ancient kingdom of Aragon, who are equal to you, Don Philip, and something more, elect you to be our king on condition that you preserve to us our rights and privileges. If in this you should fail we own you for our king no longer."

THE BEAUTY OF TIPPERARY

Lady Pole-Carew Has the Handsomest Husband in the Army.

That the distinction of being society's most beautiful woman belongs to Lady Pole Carew, whose husband has retired from politics, is the opinion of many people. Furthermore, General Sir Reginald Pole Carew has been declared the handsomest man in the service. And "Polly Carey," as he is so often referred to, is certainly as popular as he is handsome, while he has a splendid record of service behind him.

He is one of Robert's men, accompanying "Bobs" on his march to Kandahar. It was during the Boer War, however, that Sir Reginald earned greatest distinction, particularly at the crossing of the Modder, where he led a party of the Guards through the water in the face of a withering fire.

He is rather fond, by the way, of telling the following story illustrating the energy of the British soldier. A German attaché in the South African War was amazed at the spectacle of the British soldiers, after a fight, staggering into camp, but rushing instantly after a football which was thrown on the veldt. Said the attaché to Sir Reginald:

"Well, you are the most extraordinary people in the whole civilized world. I have been with your men all day. I know what they have done. I know they have had nothing to eat or drink, and I know of no other troops in the world that would not have been lying down asleep. If we could do this we could conquer the world."

Lady Pole Carew is the eldest daughter of that famous yachtsman and sportsman, the Marquess of Ormonde, and shares her father's love and enthusiasm for the sea. She is also a great lover of foreign travel, and some time ago made a tour of the world, visiting many out-of-the-way places. It is fifteen years ago since she married Sir Reginald. Caring little for society life, she divides her time between Antony House, her Cornish home, the gardens of which she has made famous, and her beautiful estate in Tipperary.

Greenwich Time Ball.

It is said that the time ball of the Greenwich observatory has never been wrong except one day in 1878 when it was a half second late.

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Grass is the natural food of the horse. On no other food will it keep so healthy, become so strong or live so long.

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British Wireless.

From a long-range station on the west coast of England wireless messages are sent out by the Government every day. Sometimes three or four messages are circulated in twenty-four hours. They are sent westward — the control of direction being possible under one of the latest inventions in connection with wireless telegraphy—so that they reach practically all parts of North and South America.

The German Government paid special attention to this business of influencing neutral opinion from the moment that hostilities began. The British Government service is now coping effectively with the German publicity campaign.

The headquarters of the "English Wireless" are at Marconi House, London, and the message is sent out every evening from the long-distance station at Poldhu, Cornwall.

It consists of a summary of the official communiques and of reports received from agencies. There is an arrangement by which the Government adds whatever news it may consider desirable to circulate.

The message is of about 700 words, and is retransmitted from Teneriffe, Las Palmas, Dakar (French Africa), and other places, so that it may reach the far corners of the world.

Notice From the Cook.

"Don't take any notice of the cook, dear."

"But, John, I have to take it when she gives it to me."—Baltimore American.

A Sad Awakening.

In one of Theodore Hook's stories the bridegroom, departing with his bride for their honeymoon, is disturbed by a continual tapping on the floor of the postchaise. It begins to bother him exceedingly. "What the deuce is that noise?" at last he mutters. "It is nothing, darling," answers the bride sweetly. "It is only my wooden leg." Only that and nothing more. She had got accustomed to it from long use, but the information put him out exceedingly and caused a coolness which was permanent.

A Rich Englishman.

Sir Arthur Markham, late M. P. for the Mansfield division of Notts, was one of the richest men in the British House of Commons. He was one of the biggest colliery proprietors in England, and his estimated income was between £100,000 and £150,000 a year. He had two great houses—one at Shorncliffe, where he frequently entertained Mr. Lloyd George, and the other Newstead Abbey, the old home of Lord Byron, which was formerly a monastery.

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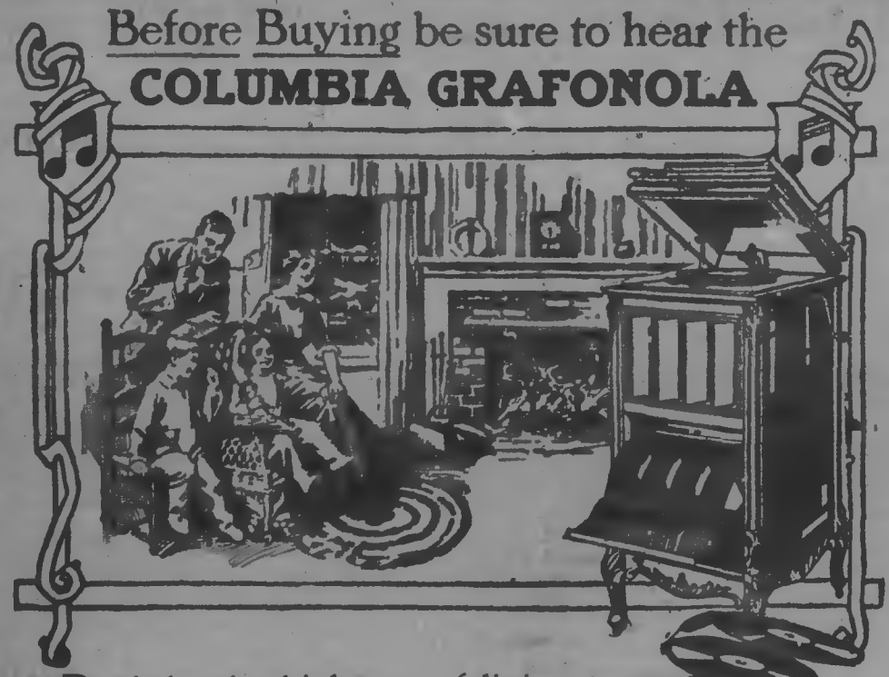

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6 teaspoonfuls of salt.
2 tablespoonfuls of sugar, brown preferred.
2 tablespoonfuls of lard.
2 yeast cakes, Fleishman's.
6 quarts of flour, sifted.
Mix.

Pour water into a large pan, add salt, sugar and lard, mix until dissolved. Break yeast cakes into small pieces and add luke warm water, about a quarter of a cup of water. Stir until dissolved and add the other liquid. Sift the flour into the liquid and beat lard. The flour should be added gradually. When too stiff to beat place upon a well floured board and knead until light.

Place in a greased pan, which is large enough and allow for the mixture rising to double its bulk. Cool the pan and keep where it will be in an even warm temperature. When sufficiently risen place again on bake board and shape into loaves. These must be cooled and allowed to rise, until the pans are well filled. A small quantity being placed in the pans at first. Bake in a moderate oven about one half hour. Never allow the bread to stand in the pans after baking, as it will become soggy. Stand each loaf on a clean towel, until thoroughly cool. One half whole wheat and one half wheat flour may be used.

Housewives of Peterborough who would lessen the price and make more healthy bread would do well to avail themselves of this opportunity by using a carefully studied and tried receipt, given by Mrs. Scadding, a propos of the recent campaign against the high cost of living.

A Single Application Banishes Every Hair

(The Modern Beauty.)

Here is how any woman can easily and quickly remove objectionable, hairy growths without possible injury to the skin: Make a paste with some powdered delatone and water, apply to hairy surface and after 2 or 3 minutes rub off, wash the skin and the hairs are gone. This is a painless, inexpensive method and, excepting where the growth is unusually thick, a single application is enough. You should, however, be careful to get genuine delatone.

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The blouse itself is cut on very full lines, with the upper edge gathered to a shoulder yoke. It is a pretty and practical model for which one material may be employed with very satisfactory result. Novelty plaid or striped silk, crepe and a variety of other fabrics will prove excellent for developing. For fashion and economy you should use the pattern.

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Our Canadian Boundary Line.

The country which can boast not a scientific frontier merely, but a natural one, has a huge advantage in time of war. The sea takes the first place in the category of natural boundaries; a big mountain range comes second and a big river third.

An object lesson in the value of all three is presented by India. Why is India the jewel of Asia? Because it is contained in a casket the base of which is the ocean, the lid of which is the biggest range in the world and the key of which is the river Indus.

It is the most remarkable fact in the history of mankind that betwixt the vast dominion of Canada and her neighbor, the mighty United States of America, the dividing line is merely imaginary.

There is not a fort or redoubt or gun or military station along all that 4,000 miles of frontier. That is the true peace spirit. That is an object lesson to the world—two great nations dwelling side by side under separate flags and different laws and yet not in fear and dread of each other.—London Answers.

First Carrier Pigeons.

The Turks appear to have been the first nation to organize carrier pigeon service on any extensive scale. William Lithgow, who resided in the Levant from 1609 to 1620, tells us that the pigeon post of the caliphs conveyed messages from Aleppo to Bagdad, a thirty days' journey, in forty-eight hours. The whole kingdom was equipped with a pigeon post, and news sent by half a dozen birds or more—so that some might escape the hawks—was quickly transmitted from one end of it to the other. Philological evidence, backed by the opinion of the earliest writers on pigeons, goes to show that the carrier pigeon comes of Turkish stock. The old Turkish name for this bird is "bagadin," the French "bugadais" and the Dutch "bagadat," while the English used to call it "bunwmet," evidently a corruption of Mahomet.—London Chronicle.

Rock Cannon of Malta.

It is a curious fact that when the island of Malta was in possession of the Templars those doughty knights defended their forts by means of cannon cut into the solid rock. Each of these strange engines of war was capable of containing an entire barrel of gunpowder and, it is said, could throw 10,000 pounds of projectiles. Inasmuch, however, as these natural cannon could not be aimed, fifty were cut out of the rock guarding the various channels of approach, and the vessels of that time were therefore unable to come within their own range before being annihilated by the big weapons of defense. Although the fame of these cannon was spread far and wide, they were not duplicated elsewhere and to this day they remain the only rock cannon of which there exists any record.

Largest and Smallest Books.

In the great library of the British museum is to be seen the largest book in the world. This is an atlas of beautifully engraved ancient Dutch maps, bound in leather and fastened with clasps of solid silver. It is nearly seven feet high, weighs 800 pounds and was presented to King Charles II. before leaving Holland in the year 1660.

Side by side with it is the smallest book in the world—a microscopic gem of bookmaking, scarcely larger than a man's thumb nail. This contains the New Testament, inscribed by a German artist of Nuremberg in the early part of the seventeenth century. There are 208 pages, and the lettering is so perfect that it can be read without difficulty. The book measures three-quarters of an inch by two-fifths.—London Opinion.

The Prolix Witness.

A little over twenty years ago a judge in New Zealand was obliged to issue an order to the effect that "in future singing would not be taken as evidence" in his court. It was the constant habit of the Maoris when pleading a cause to sing long and quite poetic sagas. As these generally began with legends of their remote ancestors, sometimes many hours, even days, would be spent before the point, possibly trivial, was reached. There is something Gilbertian in this idea, but any old New Zealander could vouch for the facts.

Beautiful Beetles.

The exquisitely beautiful gold beetles of Central America belong to the genus plusiotis, and one might easily imagine a specimen to be the work of some clever artificer in metal. The head and wing cases are brilliantly polished, with a luster as of gold itself. To sight and touch they have all the seeming of metal, and it is hard to realise that the creature is a mere insect.

Too Big a Dose.

"He was always too proud."
"He has swallowed his pride."
"What has happened to him?"
"He's busted."
"He might have known if he ever swallowed his pride it would bust him."—Houston Post.

A Bitter Pill.

Milly—And how does your brother take married life? Tilly—He takes it according to directions. His mother-in-law lives with him.—Illustrated Bits.

Line of Perpetual Frost.

The line of perpetual frost at the equator is at an altitude of 15,000 feet; in the northern states of this country at an altitude of about 4,000 feet.

Laziness begins in cobwebs and ends in iron chains.—Spanish Proverb.

Gwendolyn—"I don't believe Cholly's ever done anything to be ashamed of." Gladys—"How can he? He's never done anything at all!"—Judge.

Making People Better.

There are more people in cities than anywhere else.

When you want to accomplish a certain result you go where there is the greatest opportunity.

To make government better you must make people better.

To make people better you must work where there are the greatest number of them.

Remove the cities, and the country will take care of itself.

In advertising campaigns one district is tried out first. If it succeeds, then the whole country is taken. This saves much money. It reduces the risk.

In this country we are trying to reform too many cities at once. Let us take one at a time.

Begin anywhere.

If New York is too large, take Fifth avenue. Let all the efficiency reformers in the country concentrate on Fifth avenue. Let's learn on Fifth avenue.

If we can reform Fifth avenue we can reform the world.—Thomas L. Masson in Lippincott's.

Making an Apology.

Never be in too great hurry to apologize.

And don't apologize unless you are absolutely certain that you have given offense. More feelings have been hurt by unnecessary apologies than by careless words or actions.

In any case you need not copy the example of people who say, "I'm sorry I was so absentminded when you were talking to me," or, "I'm afraid I didn't seem very pleased to see you the last time you called."

A very wise old lady once said: "My dear, never apologize. The chances are that the people to whom you speak will not know they have been offended till you begin to explain it to them. But once they have grasped it they will never forget it again.

"So leave well alone and show your regret by being extra nice next time to make up for past shortcomings."—Pittsburgh Press.

Mixed Orders.

The very last telegraphic dispatch wired from Germany before hostilities began in the Franco-Prussian war was from Count Benedetti, the French ambassador, and was sent to the French foreign office. After stating that war could not be avoided the dispatch wound up with the following extraordinary statement: "Do not put so much seasoning in your next consignment of sausages." The astonishment that this message caused to the recipients at such a time can well be conceived, but it afterward turned out that the imminence of war and a perfect flood of telegrams had befogged the German telegraphists. As a matter of fact, they had mixed a purely commercial telegram from a Teutonic pork butcher named Benedict with the historic message from Count Benedetti.—London Standard.

Ready For the Wash.

Mrs. Commuter, basely deserted by her maid at the eleventh hour, mobilized a Swedish reserve in desperation for the dinner party. All the English the new domestic understood was the sign manual, but an hour's drill put her in some shape for service. The dinner went well until dessert. The Swede forgot the finger bowls, which should have been upon the plates. Mrs. Commuter employed the sign manual under cover of the table illustrating the washing and drying of hands. The Swede nodded, went on and returned.

Mrs. Commuter turned to find the new domestic at her elbow. Serenely she held a dishpan of hot water, a cake of yellow washing soap and the kitchen roller towel.—New York Post.

Easy.

"Some folks," said the busy woman, "take life easy, as easy as the new hired girl wanted to take her new place.

"'Everything goes by clockwork here,' the mistress said to this girl—'by clockwork, mind you. You get up at 6, you dine at 12, and you go to bed at 10.'

"'Well, if that's all,' said the girl, with a smile, 'I think I will be able to manage it.'"

Breathing.

To learn to breathe properly inflate the lungs and walk for five paces, keeping the mouth shut and breathing through the nose, increasing the five paces to ten and then to fifteen or more. Follow this up by taking several long breaths after getting up in the morning and again before retiring.

Dryden and His Wife.

Dryden married Lady Elizabeth Howard, a shrew of marked ability. She complained that he showed her no attention and wished herself a book that she might enjoy more of his society. "Wish yourself an almanac, my dear. Then I could change you every year."

A Negotiable Draft.

"Well," replied the physician when his patient wife asked him for money, "I hope to cash a draft soon and then"—

"Cash a draft? What draft?"

"The one I saw Mr. Oldtown sitting in this morning."

Discouraged.

"Are you working for the uplift?"

"Well, I'd like to. But everybody I try to uplift tells me to mind my own business."—Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

The Reason.

"Why is it that dressmakers so often get away with smuggling?"

"I suppose it is the survival of the fittest."—Baltimore American.

"So that pretty canvasser sold you a book, eh?" "No, she sold me a couple of smiles and threw the book in."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

If Stomach Hurts Drink Hot Water

A Physician's Advice.

"If dyspepsia, sufferers from gas, wind or flatulence, stomach acidity or sourness, gastric catarrh, heartburn, etc., would take a teaspoonful of pure bisurated magnesia in half a glass of hot water immediately after eating, they would soon forget they were ever afflicted with stomach trouble, and doctors would have to look elsewhere for patients." In explanation of these words a well known New York physician stated that most forms of stomach trouble are due to stomach acidity and fermentation of the food contents of the stomach combined with an insufficient blood supply to the stomach. Hot water increases the blood supply and bisurated magnesia instantly neutralizes the excessive stomach acid and stops food fermentation, the combination of the two, therefore, being marvelously successful and decidedly preferable to the use of artificial digestents, stimulants or medicines for indigestion.

To Popularize Sheep Raising.

A scheme for popularizing sheep breeding in counties of the Province of Ontario is being promoted by the Agricultural Department. The plan is to take five counties, the names of which have not been selected yet, and applications will be received from each of these counties from farmers' sons and others who have taken one of the short courses under district representatives. In each county a competition will be held in sheep judging, and the boy who makes the best record and whose father is not now raising sheep, and who conforms to the conditions, will be given a flock of six ewes. He has to agree to keep records of the cost and other things. The ewes become the property of the lads for two years. At the end of two years, from the time that they took them over they turn back to the Live Stock Branch two shearling ewes, at the end of the third year two more, and at the end of the fourth year other two. By this period the boys will have given back six shearling ewes. In addition to this the Live Stock Branch is supplying pure-bred rams, and it is estimated that at the end of a year these young farmers should get six lambs. It is probable that in time the scheme may be extended to more than five counties.

Guelph's Loss by War.

The extent to which recruiting has been carried on in Guelph is well reflected in the returns from the Assessment Department, which were handed out recently. Assessor Hastings places the population of the city at 16,022, a decrease from the previous year of 713. A large number of soldiers' wives and families have returned to the old country until after the war. The total assessment is $11,419,930, an increase of more than $200,000. The city loses the business tax from the hotels of the city, which was included in the estimates at the first of the year. This amounts to $1,800. Only one ward in the city shows an increase in population.

The Lost Art.

The four-year-old had just been reproved at the table. He continued to talk cheerfully; though unanswered, to father. After some minutes of soliloquy he turned to mother and remarked:

"Your husband doesn't talk very much this noon, does he, mother?"

Making a Show.

"A man has to draw it fine these days."

"What do you mean?"

"Staying ten minutes after office hours each day will probably make a good impression, but staying fifteen is liable to excite suspicion that you are monkeying with your books.

In Political Circles.

"How about my letter proposing matrimony?"

"It has been advanced to a second reading," said the congressman's daughter, "and will come to a vote before very long."

A SICKLY WIFE IS NO FIT MATE FOR ANY MAN

GIRLS AND WOMEN SHOULD LOOK WELL TO THEIR HEALTH AND STRENGTH.

Never before was physical health and vigor so highly esteemed and so eagerly sought for as to-day.

No man finds happiness in a sickly wife and the woman who wishes to enjoy the pleasures of life should spare no effort to maintain perfect health.

Is your daughter growing up strong and ruddy? Has she strength to drink in greedily all the pleasures that youth so zealously seeks—or is she compelled to use street cars instead of enjoying the delightful exercise of walking—does she after the ball arise refreshed and vigorous or is she exhausted, indifferent and perhaps, irritable

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One can scarcely pick up a paper but he will find recorded instances of sudden deaths through heart failure, or of prominent men and women unable to prosecute their ordinary business or profession on account of a breaking down of the nervous system.

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CARLYLE AND HIS WIFE.

The Lady Was Jealous of His Social and Literary Success.

It is certain that the Carlyles were an ill-assorted couple. She considered from the beginning that to marry him was an act of condescension on her part. The daughter of a country doctor of Haddington had descended from the skies, like Diana to Endymion, to marry the son of a stonemason. But he loved her and was happy in his love.

Not so she. Jealous of him as she was—furiously jealous—not as a lover, for there she knew she was safe. But she could not bear to think that if she were famous it was as his wife, whereas she, knowing herself to be brilliant, would fain have had him to be known as the husband of that wonderful Mrs. Carlyle. It was his success, social and literary, that she resented. It irked her to be in the second place, and she could not forgive it.

There was something else of which the lady was jealous, and that was the agony of concentration which her husband's work meant for him. At moments here "saeva indignatio" against "that Carlyle," as she would contemptuously call him, passed all bounds.

One day my aunt went to call upon her and found her in one of her tantrums.

"What was the matter?" she asked.

"Oh, my dear, it's just that Carlyle! Would you believe it, I have had a headache for three days and he's only just found it out. 'I'm afraid you're not quite well, my dear,' he said, and all the time he has been working, working! I just threw a teacup at his head."—Lord Cadogan's Recollections.

No Place Like Home.

A henpecked looking floorwalker in one of our large department stores was standing in the aisle with a pained and faraway look in his eyes. Suddenly a woman hustled up back of him and demanded, "Where are the children's dresses, sir?"

"In the bottom bureau drawer, Maria," said the floorwalker, hastily turning around. And then he fled.—Lippincott's Magazine.

Many Kinds of Hard Work.

"I want you to understand," said young Spender, "that I got my money by hard work."

"Why, I thought it was left to you by your rich uncle."

"So it was, but I had hard work to get it away from the lawyers."

The Main Trouble.

"Ah was thinkin'," said Rastus Johnson, "what a nice, peaceful lukе world dis here universe would be if it wasn't for de movements of de human underjaw."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Altruism.

Teacher—Johnny, you have been writing your own excuses. Johnny—I know, mum; it takes all pa's time to think of his own.—New York Sun.

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PETERBOROUGH TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1916

Teutons Make Peace Proposals to the Allies

NOTES ARE HANDED TO NEUTRALS TO BE TRANSMITTED

THE TEUTONIC POWERS MAKE PEACE PROPOSALS TO ALLIED GOVERNMENTS

Notes Handed to Diplomatic Representatives of the Neutral Nations Which Are Representing Germany in the Belligerent Countries---Identical Notes Transmitted by the Government at Vienna, Constantinople, and Sofia---Central Powers Propose That Peace Negotiations Be Entered Into Immediately.

TERMS ARE NOT YET MADE PUBLIC

BERLIN, via Sayville Wireless, December 12.—Proposals by the Central Powers that peace negotiations be entered into were made in notes handed to representatives of the neutral countries which are representing Germany in belligerent nations to-day.

Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg called the diplomatic representatives of the United States, Spain and Switzerland, to his office, one after the other, and handed this note to them. The full text of the note will be read in the Reichstag to-day. The Chancellor asked the neutral nations which represent Germany and her Allied powers at the capitals of the nations with which she is at war, to bring these proposals to the attention of Germany's enemies.

The propositions which Germany advances in these negotiations, are, according to Germany's belief, appropriate for the establishment of lasting peace.

The governments of Vienna, Constantinople and Sofia transmitted identical notes.

The text was also communicated to the Vatican, at Rome, and to all other neutral powers.

By handing the note to representatives of the United States, Spain and Switzerland, Germany really transmitted directly to her enemy nations. Under existing conditions this is the only possible course of diplomatic interchange between the Central Powers and the Entente Allies.

WASHINGTON, December 12.—The United States will direct the peace proposals to Entente nations where she represents Germany's interests.

The Administration viewpoint to date has been a disinclination to engage in any peace manoeuvre, until one side or the other had given an indication that it wanted peace.

If Germany's terms are such as to promise success, there seems no reason to believe that this Government will not present the proposals, but likewise lend its moral influence for the settlement of the great conflict, officials here said.

PARIS, December 12.—France's reconstruction cabinet, designed to carry on the war with redoubled vigor, has been completed by Premier Briand.

He will present himself at the Chamber of Deputies to-morrow to make a formal statement.

BERLIN, December 12.—Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg's announcement that Germany was proposing peace was couched in the following words when he made the announcement in the Reichstag to-day:

"Conscious of their responsibility before God, before their own nation and before humanity," he had proposed this morning to the hostile powers a plan for peace.

NEW YORK, December 12.—That the peace proposal from Germany created no great flurry in Morgan circles was regarded with considerable significance.

It was taken to indicate that the American financial representatives of the Allied Powers did not regard favourable action on the Berlin proposal as likely.

Admittedly, the greatest deterring force from the British standpoint, is Lloyd George. The idea was general that the British would not consent to the cessation of hostilities at this time, with their political house just put in order and their organization for major efforts still untried.

It is recognized that as yet but half the military strength of the British has been tested under fire.

The fact that at the moment of Germany's proposal, France was also in the midst of a complete re-organization called to give her new strength, is also counted on to discount probabilities of Bethmann-Hollweg's proposals finding favour in France.

Germany Wants Peace and Wants It Badly

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, December 12. — The Star to-day commenting on Germany's peace move, says: It is not likely that Von Bethmann-Hollweg really believes the Allies can be induced to make peace under present military conditions. He probably knows that the Allied army in Macedonia must be swept out of the Balkans with the aid of Greece and another summer of desperate effort to force the German lines in the west be frustrated, before the Allies, if ever, will become reconciled to a draw, but Germany dreads the coming ordeal. She feels she cannot wait until the slow-moving Allies come to a decision without urging on her part. The people of Germany and Austria-Hungary have developed a passion for peace. Discontent and seeds of revolt are on all sides. The food situation is serious, and many months must pass before new harvests are available to them in most neutral and some Allied quarters. The victories in Roumania are devoid of the military significance attached to them in most neutral and some Allied quarters. The troops and guns and shells that should have been held in reserve for the 1917 campaign have been severely drawn on to offset the ill effects of Roumanian intervention, which are real, if not apparent.

On all fronts this fall sacrifices have been made for the sole purpose of impressing the Allies with an undue sense of German power. Germany wants peace and wants it badly, and she has made a supreme effort to frame up a situation which would give her some excuse for offering an ante bellum status quo for "the welfare of humanity."

German Soldiers Notified of Proposals

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BERLIN, December 12.—Kaiser William notified his troops in the field to-day that he had made peace proposals to the enemy. "Soldiers," his message said, "in agreement with the sovereigns of my Allies and with the consciousness of victory, I have made an offer of peace to the enemy."

"Whether it would be accepted is still uncertain. Until that moment arrives you will fight on."

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PTE. GEO. WILKINS

147 Lake Street, who is now officially reported killed in action. He was previously reported missing.

SYMPATHY OF THE CITY IS VOICED BY MAYOR J. J. DUFFUS

Thanks All Citizens Who Helped in Rescuing the Wounded and Taking Them to the Hospital—Pumps Destroyed

LINDSAY IS THANKED

To the Editor of The Examiner

Dear Sir,—Permit me, on behalf of the citizens of Peterborough, to use your columns to express the deepest sympathy with those who suffered through the loss of relatives and friends in the deplorable fire at the Quaker Oats Mills, yesterday, and also with those who were injured in the catastrophe. While their loss and suffering are the keenest, the whole community mourns and suffers with them.

I would also express to the Quaker Oats Company our great regret on account of the loss and interruption to business they have met with, and I would at the same time wish to make this expression personal to Mr. W. H. Denham, the Superintendent, who has been for years a highly esteemed citizen of Peterborough.

To those citizens, ex-firemen, former members of the volunteer fire brigade and citizens generally, who so cheerfully and earnestly assisted the fire department; to those especially who by the use of their motor cars and in other ways assisted in rescuing of the injured and in taking them to the hospitals, and to those who helped to save property from the burning and menaced buildings, I wish to express the deep-felt thanks of the Council and community.

The disastrous explosion having not only destroyed the pumps of the Quaker Oat Company, but having also lowered the pressure on the water works system by breaking and opening the eight-inch connections with the sprinkler system in the mills, made the assistance given all the more appreciated.

The help which our neighbour Lindsay, sent to us was also highly appreciated and will be directly acknowledged.

Yours very truly,

Jos J. Duffus,
Mayor

CAPT. BURNHAM IS RETURNING

A cablegram received from Capt. J. H. Burnham of the 93rd Battalion, to-day, states that he has been ordered to return to Canada to assist in the recruiting campaign.

DIED.

KLEEMANN.—December 9th, 1916. Entered into rest at the home of her daughter, Mrs Paul Loescher, 135 Hunter street east, Louise Kleemann, widow of the late Otto Kleemann, of Schenectady, New York. Interment will take place on Wednesday at Schenectady.

Victims of The Big Fire

Short Sketches of the Unfortunate Men Who Lost Their Lives in Yesterday's Terrible Catastrophe in Quaker Oats Plant

THE CITY HARD HIT

THOMAS PARSONS.

Thomas Parsons who is numbered among the missing in yesterday's terrible fire lived on Chamberlain street and was employed as a labourer around the boiler house, engaged in wheeling coke. It is feared that he was caught in the boiler house by the explosion. Mr. Parsons had been a resident of Peterborough for five years and leaves a wife and five children.

ALBERT ERNEST STAUNTON

Among the missing is Albert Ernest Staunton, a well-known citizen, and son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Staunton of this city. The deceased who is thirty-seven years of age came to Peterborough with his parents thirty years ago. In religion he was an Anglican, being a life-long member of St. John's since the death of his parents eight years ago. He has resided with his sister, Mrs. S. F. M. Touchburn, 20 Benson Avenue. He leaves to mourn his loss three brothers and four sisters, namely: Capt. W. R. Staunton, Port Arthur; Wilfrid J. Staunton, Tuscon, Arizona, Corp Harvey Jr Staunton, Moore's Hospital, Shorncliffe, Mrs. T. W. Wood Orillia, Mrs. S. F. M. Touchburn, 20 Benson Avenue, Mrs. J. P. Archer, Campbellford, Miss Maud Staunton, Toronto.

W. G. VOSBOURG

W. G. Vosbourg was last seen alive shortly after nine o'clock yesterday morning. He worked in the shipping department. His home is at 352 Simcoe street. The missing man has been here about three months and leaves a wife. He was about thirty years of age.

WALTER THOMAS HOLDEN

Walter Thomas Holden died in Nicholls Hospital Monday afternoon from the severe burns he had received in the feed packing department of the Quaker Oats plant. He was thirty-three years old, resided at 324 Euclid Avenue and leaves a wife and two children, one seven years and the other fourteen months old. Holden was born in Sussex County, England, and had been employed with the Quaker Oats company four years and five months. Recently he had been engaged in the feed packing department sewing up bags of feed. It was this department that first blew out with the explosion and in which the loss of life was heaviest. His body was most severely burned and it is now regarded that Holden was the man who issued from the north end of the building wrapped in flame and remained on the ground stark naked except for the protection of the coats of several employees. It was thought at the time that he was Edward Bedding, an evidence that he was scorched practically beyond recognition. His working "mate" William O'Donnell identified the body as that of Walter Holden.

A pathetic feature of Holden's death is the fact that his parents Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Holden arrived in Canada from the old country only three weeks ago. They are spending the winter with another son, Mr. Ernest Holden, 600 Bethune street. Private Fred Holden of the 247th Battalion is a brother of the deceased.

Rev. R. G. Peever was with Walter Holden in his last minutes at the hospital.

A DOUBLE TRAGEDY.

Mrs. D. O'Brien, 552 Harvey street, is probably worse hit by yesterday's tragedy than any individual in the city. Not only is her husband, Dennis O'Brien, missing, but her father, Wm. Hogan, who lived with her, has not been seen since the fire. Dennis O'Brien was forty years of age, and

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BE JUST TO YOURSELF

If you suffer with eye or head trouble, have it attended to before it becomes worse. Dr. Lasey is a qualified eye specialist and can save you feeling and see better. 440 George

EXPECTED DEATH ROLL WILL TOTAL AT LEAST ESTIMATE SIXTEEN PERSONS

PTE. GEO. WILKINS OF PETERBORO' IS KILLED IN ACTION

Enlisted in the 39th Battalion and Was First Reported Missing—Now Said to Have Been Killed on Sept. 15th

TO-DAY'S MILITARY NEWS

Previously reported missing, Pte G. J. Wilkins, Canadian Infantry, is now officially reported killed in action, on September 15th. His wife, who resides at 147 Lake street, has received an official notice from Ottawa to this effect. Pte. Wilkins enlisted at Peterborough with the 39th Battalion, and after going overseas, was transferred to another Canadian Battalion at the front.

Pte. James Thomson, who was officially reported missing yesterday, enlisted in Belleville, with the 80th Battalion and was transferred to another Canadian Battalion at the front. His wife, who resides at 285 Bethune street, received official notice that he is reported missing since November 18th.

Sergt. R. M. Beach of the 57th Band, went to Cobourg recently to assist in a minstrel show, held by the Cobourg Heavy Battery draft and has received the following appreciative letter from the Officer Commanding:

Dear Mr. Beach,—I am sorry I did not see you this morning as I wanted to thank you for your kindness in coming at such short notice to help the men out with their minstrel show. I have heard a number of people say how nicely that man played the drums. Personally, being present at the rehearsal and feeling the support of your drums at the concert, I don't see how we could have managed without you.

I can assure you that a kindness shown to the men in khaki, such as you have done, is worth dollars to those of us who are engaged in recruiting work and it can be truly said that you are doing your bit.

Yours very truly,
J. McKennon, Major,
O. C. Cobourg Heavy Battery.

Capt. Vivian Cooper, Queensland, Australia, a nephew of Mrs. R. B. Rogers, East City, and whose family resided in the city at the old Strickland homestead for some time, was the first Queenslander to receive the D.S.O. Capt. Cooper has also received the order of St. Michael and St. George.

Bazaar Continues Remainder of Week

Immaculate Conception Church Bazaar is Conducted in the T.A.S. Rooms, Simcoe Street

In view of the disaster yesterday, the bazaar under the auspices of the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Lake City, which opened yesterday in the T.A.S. rooms, Simcoe street, to continue during the rest of the week, was carried on in many ways. Last night the rooms were closed early and the orchestra was not employed.

The bazaar will however during remainder of the week, nightly be opened as announced. The several booths will be open and all the activities of the bazaar will be in operation.

The ladies of the parish have incurred large expense and taken much trouble in an undertaking to raise funds for the building of the church, and it is trusted that the public of Peterborough will extend a liberal patronage to the bazaar for any articles they may require.

BULLETIN FOR QUAKER OATS CO. MEN.

Quaker Oats Co. men are requested to report for duty this evening at the north end of plant at 6 o'clock.

Four Victims Have Died in the Hospitals---One Body Has Been Recovered and Eleven Men Are Still Missing---Loss of Life Greater Than Was First Feared---Many Narrow Escapes Recorded.

HORROR GROWS AS REALIZATION COMES

THE KNOWN DEAD.

EDWARD HOWLEY—Body recovered yesterday afternoon. Married.
VINCENT FORNALO—48 Jackson Avenue, died yesterday, St. Joseph's Hospital. Married.
DOMONIC Martino—284 Smith Street, died 5:30 yesterday, St. Joseph's Hospital. Married.
WALTER HOLDEN — 344 Euclid Avenue, died yesterday afternoon, Nicholls Hospital. Married.
PHILIP CARBONI—Victoria Avenue, died this afternoon, Nicholls Hospital.
THOMAS PARSON—Body recovered late this afternoon.

MISSING (Undoubtedly Dead)

WM. MESLEY—247 Wescott Street.
JAS. W. GORDON—253 Stewart Street.
JAS. FOSTER—Union Street.
ERNEST STAUNTON—20 Benson Avenue.
DENNIS O'BRIEN—552 Harvey Street.
WILLIAM HOGAN—552 Harvey Street.
ALEX. McGEE—Galway Township.
W. G. VOSBOURG—352 Simcoe Street.
WILBER KEMP—Sherbrooke Street.
JOHN CONWAY.
DAN. NICHOLLS.

THE INJURED

R. HEALY—338 Euclid Avenue has fractured skull.
J. W. WALSH—547 Rogers Street, broken leg and jaw.
J. HOULIHAN—501 Sherbrooke Street, delirious last evening.
J. W. TETREAU—605 Bethune Street, badly burned about face and limbs.
P. NICOLA—Badly burned about face and arms.
MICHAEL CACAVELLA—506 Elm Street, badly burned.
FRED. CACAVELLA—506 Elm Street, severely burned.
EDW. REDDING—467 Concession street, arms and head severely burned.
W. GARVEY—17 Cricket Place, seriously burned.
MAURO GIARDINI—586 Parnell Street, not serious.
JAS. MURPHY—108 Dufferin Street, was taken home, after being treated at hospital.
PATRICK O'CONNELL—457 Parnell Street, badly burned; injuries not fatal. Married.
MICHAEL LONG—Hands and face severely burned.
L. ROBBINS—Slight burns.
MISS EVA BOOTH—176 Sherbrooke Street.
JOHN WEIR—Burns on forehead.
J. C. KEMP—Badly burned.
R. CHOWEN—Burned.

The horror of yesterday's terrible fire in the Quaker Oats plant grows as realization comes of just what happened. It is feared that at least sixteen lives have been snuffed out. One body has been recovered, four of the badly burned and scalded victims have died in the hospitals, and at least eleven, according to the best information The Examiner could secure, are still missing and have undoubtedly lost their lives in the holocaust that left the finest cereal plant in the Dominion of Canada a mass of ruins. It is possible that one or two on the list may have turned up; it is equally possible that others who are not listed have been killed. So vast was the calamity and so great the confusion, that even yet it is not possible to give accurate details of all that did happen. Only one body, that of Edward Howley, has so far been recovered, but efforts are being made to try to uncover the remains of some of the others who lost their lives yesterday.

As to the company's plans for rebuilding it is impossible to speak authentically to-day. The arrival of President Robt. Stuart of Chicago, and other prominent officials of the Quaker's Oats Company will mean that the matter of rebuilding and other important plans will be taken up immediately.

The scene of the fire to-day is a ghastly demonstration of the power of the flames when they are unleashed. Of the mammoth brick buildings that a few short hours ago were the pride of the citizens generally, only a section of a wall here and there is standing. The fire-proofed warehouse recently built has fallen in at the centre, but the north and south ends are still remaining. Nothing but a smouldering mass of grain and oats remains of the old elevators. A portion of the cleaning house is still standing, as is the tower that stood at the south end of the flour mill and the tall chimney at the north. Further north the cement elevators remain intact, practically all that is left of the big plant.

LATER PART OF FIRE.

The story of the later part of yesterdays terrible fire is the story of the fight made by the huge new concrete warehouse with its cement floors and thick walls to stand up under the terrific strain. It is also the story of the desperate battle of the fire brigade to prevent the buildings on the crest of the hill west of the Quaker Oats plant from being set on fire, on which case the results might have been infinitely more dreadful than resulted. The terror formed by a strong north-east wind, the warehouse was no more than a flaming torch, fed by the breeze at the very threshold of the buildings on Hunter, Sherbrooke and Brock streets. Had any of these been caught the result might have been a conflagration that would have swept the St. John's church hill and gone on to the heart of Peterborough's business section.

WHOLE CITY THREATENED

The fire brigade realized early in the day that nothing could be done to save the Quaker Oats plant; they also realized the danger that threatened to engulf half of the city. The buildings on the hill were the key to the situation—they had to be saved at all costs, and saved they were, although only the men who for long hours held the hose realize how hard the struggle was. From 11 o'clock in the morning until nearly midnight last night the battle was kept up. Tons of water were poured on the roofs of the surrounding buildings and only when the houses were swathed in ice wrappings and the violence of the fire had died down, were the firemen able to get a breathing spell. Mr. M. Ellwood, the chaplain of the brigade, manoeuvred a horse for many hours and was finally rescued at 11 o'clock last night.

TERRIBLE SHEET OF FLAME.

How the nearby houses escaped, especially between five and six o'clock last evening was a mystery. The big warehouse with its huge sheets of flame leaping skyward and huge pillars of heat materials according to the 6th cement floor, was in a glare from basement to cement roof. All through the afternoon the interior of the warehouse was an inferno the walls and floors held until shortly after 5:30 o'clock when a large portion of the central part of the building collapsed. The result was a solid sheet of flame hundreds of feet in height that shot over the crest of the hill and seemed about to wrap itself around the buildings. So terrific was the heat, and so awe-inspiring the appearance of the mass of flames that the hundreds of spectators on Brock street fled for their lives. Only a fireman in charge of a line of hose and a soldier of the 247th Battalion, held their ground. A similar scene was enacted on Hunter street, where the flame seemed to shoot across the road. The outbreak illuminated the city and the surround-

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THE GREAT DISASTER.

The first thought that comes to the mind in recalling the great disaster of yesterday is mourning for the dead sympathy with the bereaved and sorrow-stricken and sympathy for the injured in their sufferings. We hardly yet realize the extent of the destruction of life. At this writing four are known to be dead, and the roll of missing, whose fate is beyond reasonable doubt, numbers eleven, a total of seventeen who have probably passed beyond. Besides, of the eighteen, who are confined in the hospitals, more or less seriously injured, some may succumb to their injuries and be added to the sad long list of the dead. We stand humbled before the disaster, the greatest of its kind that has befallen Peterborough in its history.

And the material destruction and interruption of industrial activity have never been surpassed in Peterborough. A splendidly-built group of structures, solid and permanent in appearance, constituting the largest and best equipped milling establishment in Canada, representing a money value of between three quarters of a million and a million dollars is a smouldering mass of ruins, not to mention the large quantities of manufactured products and stored grains. The disaster came as a bolt from the blue and with inconceivable rapidity of sweep of destruction. Anyone passing the Quaker Oats buildings at 10-30 yesterday morning and noting their solid and substantial appearance would have thought it impossible that within the course of two or three hours the whole should be destroyed by fire. This thought would have been engrossed if the observer had known as was the fact, that every precaution in solidity of structure or internal provisions of safety existed to make the buildings fire proof. The company deserves every credit for having taken every possible precaution to make the buildings safe in every respect, capable of standing any test. The disaster itself shows that human foresight is blind and human contrivance comes to naught in the face of an outburst of operation of inconceivable and unforeseeable forces that put into violent working elements of rapid destruction that paralyze all human attempts to cope with them.

In all ways, loss of life, destruction of property and products, the calamity is the greatest that has ever come to the city or district. The effect upon the city goes beyond these. For the moment, at least, Peterborough has lost outright one of its most important industrial establishments, employing between four and five hundred persons, large transportation operations, altogether constituting one of our greatest of our manufacturing establishments.

Pending the arrival of officials, nothing definite can be learned of the intentions of the Company in regard to rebuilding and resuming operations. But if one can judge from our experience of the enterprise of the Company, the importance of its building site in this city, and of its power development plant, it may be assumed that resumption of operations within a not distant period is not an unreasonable expectation.

A SPLENDID APPEAL.

Mr N. W. Rowell, in the course of a notable speech at Guelph made this splendid appeal:

"We must not lose sight of the fact that during these days, and the days that lie before us, there is being waged on that immense battle line, more than two thousand miles in extent, by almost forty million men engaged, the question of the whole character of civilization, under which we shall live throughout all the days that are before us. We live in the most momentous of all times. There never was a time when human life seemed of so little value, and yet, there never was a time when human life was of such tremendous value. We may live under fraternal conditions, die and be buried and forgotten, and our lives may count for little, but there is no man who has a life to-day, but could throw that life into the balance for freedom, for justice and for liberty, and help make this old world better by the sacrifice he makes. That is our privilege, and I believe Canadians will be equal to it."

These considerations should settle upon us, in a sense, a burden of tremendous responsibility. We must solemnly consider our relations to the crisis and let demands it makes upon us, impress us with the idea, the conviction that no consideration of minor importance; no demand of personal interest and advantage and profit; no political or partisan objects; no friendships; no social or religious affiliations, should separate us from the stern line of duty to do our utmost. The outlook is not at the moment any too cheering, but the very fact should stiffen our determination and make it unshakable to concentrate every effort, physical and material and moral, to pursue the fight with unfaltering courage and unshaken will to a triumphant end.

THE NEW CABINET.

Three men, with the occasional assistance of a fourth, are henceforth to conduct Great Britains share of the war. The three are David Lloyd George, a man whose courage has ever been equal to the extraordinary strength of his convictions, and one who is an apostle of the "Do it now" school, Lord Milner, perhaps the greatest Imperialist in the Empire, and a man of iron will, intimate knowledge of many lands (including Germany), and extraordinary administrative gifts and lastly, Arthur Henderson, a man of broad outlook, who is all-powerful with the Labour element in the United Kingdom. The occasional assistant is Mr. Bonar Law, whose duty as leader in the House of Commons will be, apparently, to supply the connecting link between Parliament and War Council, and keep misunderstandings from arising between the two. This War Cabinet is one that gives promise of lightning-like decisions, extraordinary aggressiveness, and bull-dog tenacity of grip. It looks to be the right kind of semi-autocracy in the circumstances. As to the new Ministry as a whole, it can be said at once that it forms the most businesslike Government that Great Britain has ever seen. For the most part Ministers have been chosen to do things rather than to represent political interests. The most spectacular appointment is that of Sir Edward Carson as First Lord of the Admiralty. Whatever may be said of Sir Edward's course in the past, it must be admitted that he is a man of boundless courage and audacity, and a fighter to the backbone. These are qualities needed in a head of the Admiralty. Taken as a whole, the Government is a remarkable experiment in the pooling of national talent and ability. Let us hope that it works out as well as it promises.—Montreal Herald.

CO-OPERATION.

The London Free Press says co-operation, not coalition, is what is needed. And what is to be the basis of co-operation, may be asked? It is expected that the Liberals shall be patriots, while the Conservatives conduct war business on purely partisan lines? Co-operation at least calls consultation and for the suspension, until after the war, of the shibboleth that "To the victors belong the spoils."

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HERE ARE TWO SIGNIFICANTLY CONTRASTING VIEWS OF BRITAIN'S MOTIVE FOR ENTERING THE WAR

The Globe desires to present to its readers two views of Britain's relation to the great war. The first is that of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the honoured leader of the Liberal party, whose political opponents with persistent malignity declare that he is an enemy of the Empire, and if returned to power would not carry on Canada's part in the war with vigour. Speaking at Quebec, Sir Wilfrid said:

"It is not for Britain that Britain is at war to-day. Was it Britain which was invaded in 1914? Was it on Britain that Germany declared war on August 3, 1914? No, it was Britain which on the next day declared war on Germany, because of the invasion of Belgium, and her atrocious attack through Belgium on the heart of France because she stood true to her ally. Our children are to-day shedding their blood on the fields not of Britain, but of France, the land of our very own ancestors. Many have been wounded, many have died, but it was not for Britain that they fought. They gave their lives freely and loyally that France, as part of the county of nations, might live and continue her role at the head of civilization. And it is not that ideal that I am here to ask young Canadians, and especially young French-Canadians, to take their part in a war which is one for civilization."

Sir Wilfrid's view is that which every man who loves and honours the British homeland holds. "It is not for Britain that Britain is at war to-day." Her part in the colossal struggle is not that of a nation seeking to aggrandize herself at the expense of her rivals. She could have stood aside in comparative safety had she been willing to break her word, to treat as a scrap of paper the treaty guaranteeing Belgium against invasion. But she chose the better part and joined herself with France in a struggle to prevent the world from sitting in shackles under the shadow of German militarism. That is the Laurier view of the war. It is because he believes it to be a crusade for human freedom, that Sir Wilfrid asks the young men of Quebec to take part in it for the love they bear to God, to truth, and to justice.

The other view of Britain's part in the war is presented by The Montreal Gazette, the mouthpiece of the English-speaking Conservatives of Quebec Province, and one of the most influential Conservative journals in the Dominion. In an editorial on Wednesday last discussing the fall of the Asquith Ministry, The Gazette spoke of the British statesman, who a few weeks ago lost his eldest son in action on the French front, as "a "cold-blooded manipulator of parties," whose first and only thought seemed to be to keep himself in power. Continuing, the Gazette presented this amazing view of Britain as having stumbled into war.

"The spectacle presented by the Asquith Government in the first days of August, 1914, was unlike anything that could have been imagined. On August 3 Sir Edward Grey, who also has fallen short of what was expected, came into the House of Commons and announced that Parliament was free to decide what the British attitude in the conflict then beginning would be. Great Britain," he said, had not committed herself to anything but diplomatic support; but the Government had warned the French and German Ambassadors that if war were forced on France public opinion in the British Isles would rally to France. The Government abdicated its leadership when leadership by men who knew or should have known what conditions were was most needed. Never in England's history was there another such spectacle. When France chose war the noise of the yelling London Press was taken for the voice of public opinion and as if there were no hand on the helm the Empire drifted into war. All know the subsequent story."

How can Bourassa be blamed for his anti-British tirades when in the leading Conservative journal of the Province of Quebec the charge is made that Britain is at war not because it was a sacred duty to come to the aid of the nations threatened with Prussian military domination, but because "the noise of the yelling London Press was taken for the voice of public opinion"? No Nationalist attack on Britain's motives could be more damaging to the cause for which Canadians by the thousand are laying down their lives than the declaration that Britain is at war by accident having drifted into it not because she felt the cause to be just for which she was called upon to take up the sword, but because the Government abdicated its leadership.

Is it to be wondered at that recruiting is slow in Quebec, and that even the passionate pleading of Sir Wilfrid and Sir Lomer Gouin stirs but a relatively small number of the men of service age? Such articles as that of The Gazette, and articles written in Toronto with the object of rousing a mad fear and hatred of Liberalism and its leaders on both sides of the Atlantic, do great harm to the Dominion and to the Allied nations, because they lead the enemy to believe that having blundered into the war we would be glad of any reasonable excuse to make an ignominious and dangerous peace.

The Courier view of the war is the view of the Canadian people. They believe with him that whether the world of the future shall be one of glory or of shadow rests on the decision of the young men to whom the call goes forth to fight for human freedom and for a civilization based upon justice, honour and truth.—The Globe.

THE RETURN OF THE PRODIGAL

I rode into Pincher Creek on an August afternoon,
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And the name on their lips was "Britain"—and the word that they spoke was "war."

War!—Do you think I waited to talk about wrong or right,
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And the cash I had at my disposal was a ten-spot—more or less;
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I rode the bumpers at night-time; I beat the ties in the day:
Stealing a ride and bumming a ride all of the blooming way.
And—I left the First Contingent drilling at Valcartier!

I didn't cross in a liner (I hadn't any passage by me!)
I spotted a Liverpool cargo tramp smelly and greasy and grimy.
And they wanted hands for the voyage, and the old man guessed he would try me.

She kicked like a ballet-dancer, or a range-bred broncho mare:
She rolled till her engines rattled; she wallowed—but what did I care?
It was "Go it, my bucking beauty, if only you take me there."

Then came an autumn morning, gray-blue, windy and clear.
And the fields—the little white houses—green and peaceful and dear.
And the heart inside of me saying, "Take me, mother, I'm here!"

"Here, for I thought you'd want me! I've brought you all that I own
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Green Bay, Wis., Monday.

Thomas A. Edison, Inc., of Orange N. J., has bought the plant, stock, etc. of the Wisconsin Seating Co., of New London, Wis., one of the largest wood-working concerns in this part of the country, and will make it the phonograph cabinet factory of the Edison phonograph division.

The name of the concern is to be changed to the Wisconsin Cabinet & Panel Co., to make phonograph cabinets exclusively.

The reorganization will include recapitalization of the company at $400,000, with Thomas A. Edison as president.

It is expected that the factory will be greatly enlarged and improved under the new ownership.

Officials of the Edison company at Orange expressed surprise when informed of The Phonograph's dispatch detailing the purchase of the Wisconsin cabinet factory and to several of those interviewed the announcement came wholly as news.

It was stated that the company had for some time contemplated securing its own cabinet works and had entered into the Wisconsin deal in order to provide facilities necessary for the production of the New Edison phonograph upon a scale hitherto unequalled in the history of the concern. A week ago the introduction of the new lines of period-style phonographs sells at $600 to $6,000 was staged at the Ritz-Carlton in New York and that the company had covered the country in its search for facilities for cabinet manufacture, was evidenced in the fact that a number of the large instruments on display had been cased in Minneapolis. The Edison company is continuing its direct-demonstration campaign by means of recitals and tone tests at which prominent artists under contract to the company appear. It was stated yesterday that eight concert tours of Edison vocalists and instrumentalists, all of them with phonographic accompaniment, are now under way, playing to audiences of from 12,000 to 14,000 people daily in many cities of the United States and Southern Canada. Within the past year the instrument is estimated to have been played for 2,000,000 people.

"MYSTERIOUS MESSENGERS"

Address by Rev. Mr. Doner at the Bethany Tabernacle on Sunday

The interest in the series of Chart talks by Pastor Doner in Bethany Tabernacle on Sunday evenings, is increasing, as shown by the large congregation gathered at last Sunday night's service.

Miss Jones, the Deaconess of the Tabernacle, sang a beautiful solo entitled "A Personal Saviour."

The Pastor, in opening his address, gave a synopsis of the preceding Sunday evening talk, so that new hearers could intelligently follow the subject, showing as per the chart, The seven Cosmic Ages, the seven Time Dispensations and the seven character lines. In the second address, he wished to bring before the people, the Three Prophetic Lines, on God's plan in dividing the nations. The first point in history began with the Adamic or Gentile. Before that was the pre Adamic period covered by the opening words of Genesis, "In the beginning," which could easily cover a great period of time.

In the beginning of the Adamic or Gentile period the unity of the race was absolute, but as time passed on, the sin and darkness of man's heart so alienated him from God that He chose a man named Abraham to come out and be separate from the world. From him sprang the Hebrew nation.

Farther on in the world's history God introduced another change. His chosen people, Israel, had fallen short in their office as His special messenger to a sin-cursed world, and now He brings in His third messenger "The Church," introduced and established by His own son, Christ Jesus. Some men to-day speak of the Church as God's Israel, but such is not the truth, and has no Scriptural foundation. The Hebrew nation is God's Israel down through the ages.

So we have the three messengers—the Gentile, beginning with Adam. Israel, beginning with Abraham, and the Church beginning with Christ. He taught that the Church had been called out from among the Gentiles. See Acts 15:14, to reveal the truth. So when men say that Israel and the Church of to-day are one, they mis-apply the Scriptures to the certain confusion of their hearers. The Church is predominately a Gentile body. Not only as The Light Holder for this dispensation, but specifically as the Light Bearer to both Jew and Gentile.

The Jew, as an individual, has access through Christ to the Church, but let a Jew become a Christian and he is at once considered dead by his fellow Jews. The teaching of the creational Fatherhood of God and the creational Brotherhood of Man is repugnant to many. It sounds very fine, but ask the average man if he believes he is of one blood with the African, the Chinese or the Jew, and listen to his answer, and yet it is true as we see in Acts 17:26. We are not only brothers descended from Adam, but the natural man is at enmity with God.

Human History.

Hatred, murder and war have been manifest from the beginning of human history and have continued down through the ages. How little the world realizes we are surrounded by demon spirits who are continuously working to undermine God's plan for man's good. Satan hates God and is ever busy trying to lead God's creatures astray—but, thanks be to God, there are also good or guardian spirits who are watching over us. Universal brotherhood is one of Satan's lies. There is nothing in the Word to support such teaching, because, though descended from Adam, humanly speaking, yet in the spirit we are not brothers. The only Fatherhood and Brotherhood worth while is that procured by adoption through Christ. See Psa. 22:27, 28.

God has not forgotten the world. The nations are rejectors of God, but He has not rejected us. All nations have had the light and are in captivity to Satan. What we need and what the world needs to-day is a great revival or awakening in the hearts of God's people everywhere.

To-day the Jew, as we know him, is looked upon with disrespect, but let us remember that God called them out from the Gentiles and, therefore, they are His chosen people for whom many of the promises were given. One of these is found in Acts 15:17, "After this I will return, and will build again the tabernacle of David, etc."

There is a time coming when the last member of His church will be called of God, and then the Prince of the House of David will come again in His glory. Some say that means death. Did you ever hear of death coming like that? What comfort is there in saying the coming of the Lord means death. Death is an enemy and the last enemy to be destroyed. Christ's coming again is the coming of the King, and in that day if you are not His you will have to go through the sufferings of the Great Tribulation, a time of fearful trial.

To-day Israel is the tail of all the nations, the time is coming soon when they will be head. To-day they are in the service of the nation involuntarily warring against each other. But the time is coming when they will come back to their own land. The Allies to-day see they cannot slice Palestine among them, so they are planning that the Jews will have it as their own. God is working among Kings and governments to work out His plans.

Jesus said "salvation is of the Jews," John 4.22. Do we think of this as we see the despised Jews in our midst—but of this nation came Christ our Lord. Trust them as you would be treated. Be kind to the Jew because they are brothers of our Christ.

Every one who reads knows that the world is facing a great crisis. To-day the nations are being tested, out of it will come the nations as predicted in God's Word. Read Dan. 7th chap. Corners, continues and unions are facing us everywhere. We are [illegible] the ideas of anti-Christ. Are we ready for the coming of the Lord? Beware 'ere it be too late. We are at the very close of the Church Dispensation, but before we pass into the next, the Lord will come.

The service was closed with an earnest appeal to the unsaved to accept Christ and not reject Him.

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Inquest Into The Death of Walter Holden, Fire Victim, Was Opened This Morning

Coroner Dr. Greer opened an inquest at Line and Eaton's undertaking rooms on the body of Walter Thos. Holden, who died at Nicholls Hospital yesterday afternoon from burns received in the Quaker Oats fire. The jury was empanelled as follows: Thos. Barrie, foreman, Harry Meredith, Herb. Routley, L. G. Dobbin, M. J. Meagher, John White, Wm. Menzies, Thos. Irwin, Reg. Turner, J. W. McDermid, Joseph Stewart and R. J. Kidd.

After viewing the body, the inquest was adjourned until Tuesday evening, December 12th in the Council chamber.

In addressing the jurors Coroner Greer said that yesterday's fire had been one of the most disastrous in the city's history. Hence he thought it wise that a thorough investigation should be made. The inquest would be adjourned until the necessary evidence was obtained. It might be that there would be no injury in the evidence, and again it might be of the most serious import.

Voice of The People

Correspondence under this heading, containing or involving attacks on individuals or violent or extreme statements, must to secure insertion, be signed with writer's real name, the owner of which thus assumes the responsibility.

Dear Mr. Editor—Just a few lines in your great paper as regards our fair city and the returned heroes that have returned from the front. Some have been men and tried to go and got rejected and others have returned scarred and maimed and nothing doing for the most of them to do. Now if the City Council could form a Board of Works to run a shell factory and run it for the benefit of these returned soldiers, and show that they are not forgotten and let some of those fellows that have got their names down on the waiting list in some of our local factories. Let them have a try at a suit of khaki and see how it fits, and if the doctors say that they don't suit you, you will be discharged with military honours. Think of the serious situation of the war. We should have our share of the big contracts, as Mr Travelle has his orders for all war contracts to be given in Canada. So let's wake up and get what belongs to us. If we help to win the fight, let's get the contracts, too, to keep the home fires burning for the boys when they come home.

Thanking you for your space, I remain,

Yours,
Liverpool.

FOR BAD BREATH.

A bad breath is certainly repulsive and very properly one feels troubled about it. If it proceeds from decayed teeth, consult a dentist at once if from a disordered stomach it is a case for the doctor.

Two drams of chlorate of potash mixed with six ounces of water and two ounces of listerine, will make a purifying wash to rinse the mouth every few hours, and helps lots.

Had to be Cold There.—The following is told by a young bride-elect who was ordering her trousseau in England before going out to New Zealand to be married. The dressmaker suggested only very warm clothes, and when the young lady demurred at this asserting that the climate of New Zealand is a very mild one, she was immediately informed: "I assure you, madam, you are mistaken, for that, of course, is where the frozen meat comes from."

Sorry For Him.—A correspondent in "Ultima Thule" tells a story of Principal Sir George Adam Smith's Glasgow days. One day he travelled in a car with a workman who was in the communicative and slightly bombastic stage of inebriation. "Look at thur," he said, holding up his hands. "These is the horny haunds of honest toil. You hirna goat haunds like thur". "No," said the professor, "but a man may do honest work with his head as well as his hands." "Ay, ye'll be a meenister, A'm thinkin'. Has ye a kirk?" "I used to have, but not now." The man's voice dropped to a confidential whisper, "Man, A'm sorry for ye. Wis it the drink?"

Punishment.—Bones is a schoolmaster where precept and practice of the blessings of punctuality are, as a rule, faultless. Should a lad be five minutes late in the morning he is "kept in" ten minutes. Recently Mr. Bones himself was thirty minutes late. Jones, one of his pupils, was not slow to remind him of his offence. "Yes, boys," said Bones, when he had listened to the smart boy, "Jones is quite right, and, as I punish you, it is only fair that you should punish me. So you shall all stay and keep me in for an hour after school this afternoon."

SCHOOL REPORTS

Following is the report of S. S. No. 5, Douro, for the month of November:

Form V.—Florence McMurray 84, Claire McMurray 76.

Sr. IV.—Margaret McManus 83; Cressa Crowe 70, Geo. McKeiver 65, Jos. McKeiver absent.

Jr. IV.—Jos. McManus 80, Gerald Crowe 79, Rita McMurray 79.

Sr. III.—Bertha McMurray 91, Jack Parcells 86.

Jr. III.—Bernard McManus 74, Annie McMurray 72, Mary McMurray 66, Leonard McMurray 59, Justie McKeiver 38, Pius McMurray and Jno. McMurray absent.

Sr. II.—Olive McMurray 96, Cecelia McManus 85, Ella McKeiver 67, Maxw McKeiver 30.

Jr. II.—Mary Parcells 56, Lena Miller 43.

Sr. I.—Eva McMurray 100, Mary McManus 89.

Sr. Pr.—Christina McKeiver 83, Willie McMurray 58, Verna Miller 42.

Jr. Pr.—Margaret McManus 79.

Good conduct — Florence McMurray, Claire McMurray, Margaret McManus, Cressa Crowe, Gerald Crowe, Rita McMurray, Bertha McMurray, Jack Parcells, Olive McMurray, Cecelia McManus, Ella McKeiver, Mary McManus, Eva McMurray. — A. Holland, teacher.

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Would Not Hear Him.—An Edinburgh gentleman died the other day, and a small boy—opened eyed and silent—watched while the coffin was placed in the hearse. "Have you said your prayers, Willie?" said his mother after tucking him into bed that night. "I'm not going to say any prayers to-night," replied Willie with the air of one who had fully made up his mind. "But you must." "No not to-night," Willie persisted. "Why not?" asked the mother in astonishment. "It's no use," said Willie. "They will be so busy in heaven to-night unpacking Mr. Jones that they will have no time to listen to the prayers of little boys."

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$5.00 Marquisette and Voile Curtains, Wednesday Bargain pair $2.98

Extra fine quality Marquisette and Voile Curtains, 2½ yards long, in White Ivory and Ecru. Some are plain; others trimmed with insertion; others with lace, and others with lace and insertion. Regular up to $5.00 pair. Wednesday Bargain, pair 2.98

50c Drapery Fringes 19c

Silk Cord, Galloons and Edgings, in a variety of different colourings, in lengths suitable for Cushions, Table Runners, etc. Reg. 25c to 50c yard. Wednesday Bargain, yard 19c

Comforters $4.98

Wool Filled Comforters, covered with pretty designs and colourings, in good quality Silkoline. Size 72 by 78 ins. Wednesday Bargain, each 4.98

Scrims, Voiles & Muslins, reg. up to 35c yd. Wed. Bargain 18c yd.

White Muslin, with fluted frill. Scrims and Voiles, in Ivory and Ecru. Reg. up to 35c yard. Wednesday Bargain, yard . 18c

33⅓ Per cent off Every Piece of Fancy China in The Toyman's Shop Wednesday

Every Piece is is marked in plain figures On Wednesday they will all be 1-3 Less

If you are thinking of Furniture as a Christmas Gift, select one of the artistic pieces we are showing on 2nd Floor

Wool Sweater Coats

Made of heavy quality of Wool. In plain and fancy stitch. With roll and shawl collars. In colours of Khaki, Cardinal and Grey. Wednesday Bargain 5.00

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Made of fine quality of White Voile, from several of the latest models. Daintily trimmed with hemstitching and lace. In White only. Wednesday Bargain 2.98

Flannelette

An extra heavy quality of Flannelette. In colours of Pink, Grey, Brown and Blue. ..... Wednesday Bargain, yard 15c

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A good quality of Honeycomb finest Towels, with a fine red border. Size 14 x 23 inches. Wednesday Bargain, 8c Each. ..... 2 for 15c

Fancy Huck Towelling

A heavy quality of Pure Linen Huck Towelling, with floral design. 23½ inches wide. ..... Wednesday Bargain, yard 39c

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A fine quality of Pure White Cotton. 36 inches wide. .... Wednesday Bargain, yard 11c

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Extra heavy quality of Cotton Eiderdown. Suitable for Winter Kimonas. Reversible. 40 inches wide. In Rose only. .... Wednesday Bargain, yard 60c

Flannel

An extra heavy quality of Pure Wool Flannel. Suitable for Middies, Blouses and Shirts. In Grey only. ..... Wednesday Bargain 65c

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54-Inch All-Wool Coatings of Curl Cloth and Tweeds. In a fine assortment of colourings, as Black, Navy Blue, Dark Grey, and Khaki. Suitable for an unlined winter coat. ..... Wednesday Bargain 1.50

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Black Duchess Satin

36-Inch Black Duchess Satin. Suitable for Coats, Waists, Dresses and Skirts. All fine silk. Nothing more useful or suitable for a Xmas gift. In Black only. ..... Wednesday Bargain, yard 1.79

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Made of Double Net. Daintily trimmed with fine lace and insertion and coloured rose buds. In White only. Wednesday Bargain 29c

Tan Mohair Curtains Wednesday pair $12.00

All-Wool Mohair Arch or Window Curtains, in pretty shade of Tan only. Reg. $18.00 pair. Wednesday Bargain, pair 12.00

Black Moirette Petticoats

Made of good quality of English Moirette, with pleated flounce. In sizes of 36, 38, 40, 42. In black only. Wednesday Bargain 1.25

Children's Wool Set

Consisting of Cap and Scarf. Made from brushed wool. In combination colours of Rose and White and Copenhagen and White. ..... Wednesday Bargain 1.75

Tea Aprons

Made of good quality of Persian Lawn. Daintily trimmed with fine lace, embroidery and ribbon. Wednesday Bargain 25c

Flannelette Petticoats

Made of good heavy quality of Flannelette. Finished around the bottom with deep frill of 36-Inch White Habutai Silk. An extra heavy self. Finished at the edge with buttonhole stitch. Wednesday Bargain 50c

Fancy Handkerchiefs

Large size Fancy Coloured Handkerchiefs. Suitable for making fancy bags, caps, or aprons. In colours of sky, pink and mauve. Wednesday Bargain, 2 for 25c

Handkerchief Folders

Neat Folder, containing Notepaper and Envelopes, with three Khaki Handkerchiefs. Splendid gifts for Xmas. Wednesday Bargain, each 50c

Ribbons

Pure Silk Taffeta Ribbons, in all the staple shades. Suitable for children's' hair bows and sashes. 5 inches wide. ..... Wednesday Bargain, yard 25c

Boy's Hose

Boys' Heavy Worsted Hose, in 2 1 rib. Very warm and good wearing quality. Sizes up to 10. ..... Wednesday Bargain, pair 50c

Women's Underwear

Odd lines in Women's Underwear, consisting of Vests, low neck with short sleeves. Vests and Drawers in outside sizes and Drawers in small ladies size. .... Wednesday Bargain 39c

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Children's Coats, made of good quality of Tweeds, Blanket Cloth and Cheviot. Trimmed with collars of self, velvet and straight and belted backs. Sizes up to 12 years. Wednesday Bargain ... 3.98

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HIGH COST OF LIVING LAID TO FARM METHODS

Federal Statistics Show Food Yield Has Not Kept Pace With Nation's Growth

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9—Efforts to reduce the cost of living through increased production and better distribution of the country's foods are detailed in the annual report of Secretary Houston of the Department of Agriculture, made public today.

Records of the department show that except for meat and dairy products the per capita production of the leading food commodities in the United States has remained about the same, despite the rapid growth of population. Statistics presented cover a period of sixteen years. The population has increased in that time 33 per cent. There is ground for optimism, the report says, as to the ability of the nation not only to supply itself with food but increasingly to meet the needs of the world.

One of the principal aims of the department has been to increase meat production. The report shows a steady growth since 1913 in the output of beef and an advance in the number of swine every year since 1909. More extensive sheep raising is recommended as a source of food. It is pointed out that only one farm in seven in the United States now supports sheep. Fifty million sheep, it is said, could be added to the country's flocks.

"Sharp fluctuations of yield and price from season to season tend to stimulate speculative and superficial farming and to discourage the systematic crop rotation and thorough cultural practice which are essential to an enduring and economically sound agriculture," says the report. "It is obvious that, in large measure, stabilization of production must be brought about through the use of better adapted or improved crop varieties, more systematic and rational crop rotations, and improved agricultural practice generally, including, in many sections, larger attention to live stock production.

"As the principles of crop improvement are better understood and more generally applied, larger yields per acre should result. In addition, a great deal can be accomplished through increase of soil fertility and better cultural methods. Enough has been done in this direction by the State experiment stations and the department and also by good farmers to justify the expectation that considerably increased acre yields gradually will be brought about in a large part of the area adapted to the staple food crops."

FINDS $7,000 IN WAR'S PATH.

Frenchman Unearths Buried Treasure in the Ruins of Fricourt.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—The Daily Chronicle prints the following episode as told by its correspondent at the front:

"A few days ago a French civilian and his wife came to Fricourt, which is now far back from the fighting lines. Of the village there remain only a few rubbish heaps among the litter of complete destruction, but the Frenchman pointed to a plot of earth in all this turmoil and said:

"'There was my house. I am sure of it.'

"The party started scrapping up the earth. Suddenly there was a cry of astonishment.

"'God be thanked! It is here! I have found it!' cried the Frenchman. He and his wife had found 35,000 francs, all the treasure of their life, six inches deep under the soil that had been flung up by mine craters, burrowed by high explosives, dug by German soldiers, tramped over by British soldiers, and tortured by every destructive act of war."

According to a Vienna physician insomnia can be cured if the person will grasp the head of his bed and pull backward until fatigue develops.

Choral Recital in St. John's, Thursday at 8. The choir will sing from "Messiah," "95th Psalm," "Daughter of Jairus," assisted by Miss De la Lowe, Toronto, Colorature Soprano. Silver Collection. 4d-136

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COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES OF COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE HELD LAST EVENING

Prizes Presented to Successful Scholars—Winning Athletes Also Received Their Awards—Annual Gathering Last Evening a Successful Event.

Last night in spite of the fascinations offered by the fire at the Quaker Oats a large number of the friends and relations of the pupils of P. C. I. Gathered in the Assembly Hall for the commencement exercises. The evening opened with a musical selection by the Collegiate Orchestra, which was much enjoyed. Mr. Eastwood in a brief speech spoke first of the awful disaster of the day. He also payed a tribute to those who had received their education at the P. C. I. and were now on active service and those who had already fallen. Mr Eastwood thanked the staff for their splendid work which was reflected in the efficiency shown by the pupils and was evident in the results of the exams. He impressed the fact that Peterborough must endeavour to keep up the standard of the present staff as it and never known a better one and give them whole hearted support.

A piano solo by Miss Isabel Baird was very much appreciated and was followed by the presentation by Mr. Jamieson of the Athletic Prizes. Mr. Jamieson in a brief and humourous speech spoke of the influence of the athletic work had in the lives of the pupils of how the training there helps build them up in mind and body to [illegible]

A vocal solo by Miss Emma Worth was one of the features of the evening and greatly enjoyed. His Worship Mayor Dufus then presented the High School Entrance Prize, making the following address:

"We are gathered here for a distinctly social function but in view of the colossal loss of life and property sustained by the city during the day, I should like to take this first opportunity to express my appreciation of the help offered by the citizens and that of the fire department; also to express my regrets for the loss of life and the loss to the city of such a magnificent factory; my appreciation of the manager, Mr. Denham who is a well tried citizen and one much admired.

In spite of all the disaster and gloom which hangs over us, I find it a pleasant duty to present to Miss Elliott this watch donation by Capt. Burnham who has always taken an active interest in Educational matters and who by this noteworthy act of presenting this valuable and beautiful prize he has created a spirit of competition which stimulates educational zeal, for my position I have had an opportunity visiting the different schools and I cannot speak too highly of the efficiency shown by the teachers. A picture by an artist, a great piece of sculpture lives after their creator, but a great monument is left by a teacher who imparts knowledge to the pupils.

Our school board has done wonders in building up an educational system and it is gratifying to the city that such men should volunteer their services for the purpose of advancing education. Public opinion is critical at times of the amount of money spent on building new schools. The [illegible] ture debt is high but we must remember the more progressive, the city—the more school accommodation is needed, not one child must be left uneducated for want of school accommodation. We face a different educational problem to that of our forefathers. Anyone may now become a professor scientist or have any other profession with the opportunities offered by the colleges and schools. It is our duty to use an education alone will help. Opportunity does not knock on the door of the uneducated or sluggards, but waits on the industrious and sober-minded. I could quote to you many an example of what education might have done. My own education was got under hardship, in a little country school by the road. I had not the opportunity the boys have today and we must strive to realise and appreciate the self sacrificing and untiring efforts of our school system.

Mr. Otto Gliddon's clarinet solo met with storms of applause and he was encored again and again.

The presentation of the Nicholls scholarships was made by Mr. Eastwood in the absence of Mr. Roland Denne who Mr. Eastwood explained was detained by business in connection with the fire.

The valedictory address read by Miss Phyllis Cumberland, winner of the Honour Matriculation was exceedingly interesting and showed much thought and care in preparation.

The evening was closed by another delightful selection by the P. C. I. orchestra and singing of God Save the King.

Following is the programme list of prize winners, etc:

The programme was as follows:

Musical Selection—The Collegiate Institute Orchestra.

Chairman's Address—Vincent Eastwood, Esq.

Chairman Finance Committee, Board of Education.

Piano Solo—Miss Isabel Baird.

Presentation of High School Entrance Prize—His Worship Mayor Dufus.

Vocal Selection—Miss Emma Worth

Presentation of Athletic Prizes—Mr. C. E. Jamieson, B.A.

Clarinet Solo—Otto Gliddon.

Presentation of Nicholls Scholarships—Mr. Eastwood.

Valedictory Address—Miss Phyllis Cumberland.

Musical Selection—The Collegiate Institute Orchestra.

PRIZE WINNERS.

Nicholls Scholarships.

Honour Matriculation, $20.00—Miss Phyllis Cumberland.

Faculty Entrance, Part II., $20.00—Miss Virginia Coughlin.

Faculty Entrance, Part I., $20.00—Miss Florence Rodman.

Junior Matriculation, $15.00—Miss Gretchen Gladman.

Middle School Normal Entrance, $15.00—Miss Ethel Steele.

Junior School Normal Entrance, $10.00—Miss Isabel Baird.

High School Entrance Prize, Gold Watch—Miss Jean Elliott.

Donated by Capt. J. H. Burnham, M.P.

PRIZE WINNERS.

Athletic Prizes.

Staff Cup—Harold Copp, Senior Champion.

Senior Championship Medal—Harold Copp.

The H. S. Macdonald Cup—Anthony Murray.

Junior Championship Medal—Anthony Murray.

WINNERS OF FIRST PLACE IN ONE OR MORE EVENTS.

Margaret Turner, Annie Dryden, Helen Bulmer, Madeline Pulkinghorn, Leonore Lyle, Beasie Hardwick, and Eva Waugh.

Charles Elliott, Thomas Stinson, Victor Curtis, Robert Pogue, Hal Crane, Hugh Austin, Jack Green, and Allan Doughty.

DEPARTMENTAL EXAMINATION RECORD 1916.

FACULTY ENTRANCE, PART I.

Florence Rodman, (Honours), Gladys Collinson, Hilliard Williamson.

FACULTY ENTRANCE, PART II.

Jean Armstrong, Virginia Coughlin, Hazel Crowe, Marion Moore, Roderick Pakenham, Marjorie Smith, Helen Thompson, Elsie Sherin. (starred in one subject).

MIDDLE SCHOOL NORMAL ENTRANCE.

Katharine Adee, Olive Armstrong, Jack Brandon, Carrie Crookshanks, Viola Fusee, Marion Grady, Elva Jackson, Vernon Lyle, Thelma Paxman, Doris Pilling, Ethel Steele, Daisy Stocker, Emmons Crawford, (starred in one subject.)

LOWER SCHOOL NORMAL ENTRANCE.

Isabel Baird, (Honours), Violet Buckham, Margaret Connal, Clara Debbin, Kathleen Dunbar, Mary Eastwood, Quennie Johnston, Irene Mahoney, Audrey Miller, Ethel Morrison, Elizabeth Mowat, May Nelson, Wilhelmine Perrin, Grace Purvis, Ethel Rowe, Florence Staunton, Myra Ward, Hazel Austin (starred in one subject), Helen Moore, (starred in one subject), Helen Neill, (starred in one subject), Bernard Park (starred in one subject).

PASS JUNIOR MATRICULATION.

Complete Matriculation Standing

Olive Armstrong, Katharine Adee, Marion Grady, Gretchen Gladman, Marjorie Gladman, Marion Harstone, Doris Pilling, Harry Smith, Ethel Steele, Louis Suckoff, Joe Feinberg, Herbert Webb.

PARTIAL MATRICULATION.

Group I

Marion Mills.

Group II.

Jack Brandon, Leslie Carver, Emmons Crawford, Frank Jobbitt, Vernon Lyle, Munsitta Nelson, Gregory O'Connell, Thelma Paxman.

HONOUR MATRICULATION

(1 denotes First-Class Honours; 2, Second-Class Honours; and 3, Third-Class Honours.)

Hugh Carmichael: French 2, German 2, Latin 3, pass standing in English.

Phyllis Cumberland: French 1, German 1, Latin 2.

Lillian Grady: French2, English 3, Chemistry 3, Latin 3.

Geraldine Hooper: French 1, German 2, English 3.

Dewart Lewis: French 1, Latin 2, Chemistry 2.

Lorne McIntyre: English 3.

Meta Meredith: French 1, German 3, Latin 3, pass standing in English.

Gladys Moran: French 1, German 1, Latin 3, English 3.

Annette Peever: French 2, English 3.

Margaret Stevenson: French 2, German 2, pass standing in English.

First-Class Honours	7
Second-Class Honours	10
Third-Class Honours	11
Total Honours	28

COMMERCIAL DIPLOMAS.

Gladys Cooley, Lula Elcombe, Alma Fontaine, Prudence Long, Ernestine McManus, Myrtle Mealey, Hazel Morrow, Pearl Rehill, Myrtle Sargent, Eva Tremain, Violet Tucker, Gordon Lamb, Angus McLeod, Clifford Might, Ralph Turner.

HONOUR ROLL.

"Pugnantes pro patria occubuerunt"

Ex-students who have paid the supreme sacrifice.

Arthur Ackerman, Merton Adams, Laidlaw Anderson, Stewart Anderson, George Bennett, Herbert Carpenter, Trevor Cuffe, Howard Curtis, Charles Dean, Harry Edminson, James English, Walker Fair, Cecil Feeney, Stanley Fife, Willian Gibson, Stuart Laing, Harold Matthews, Angus MacIntosh, George Minorgan, William Morris, Stanley Pringle, George Read, Crawford Rush, Harold Smith, Clarence Smith, Max Smith, Sidney Smythe.

Mass For The Dead In The Great Disaster

The very Reverend Dean McColl celebrated this morning, in the Church of the Immaculate Conception a mass for the dead and injured in yesterday's disaster. This parish will feel the loss to a greater degree and extent than any other part of the city as a very large proportion employed in the destroyed works were residents of Ashburnham.

The motor of the automobile which carries it operates a new machine which bores four holes into the ground at once for posts or other purposes, tells a bare-faced lie.

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Prices reduced for the month. Smart creations for Afternoon, Evening and Travelling Wear. Motoring Hats for comfort and style.

Flowers, Wings and all Trimmings Reduced

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579 Bargain Annex Event

Saturday, Dec. 13, 1916

Boys' and Girls' 25c Cloth Bound Books. 4 Day Annex Sale Leader 18c

The boys' and girls' most popular authors, including, Henty, Alger, Meade, Southworth, etc. Special selected range of titles, regular 25c cloth bound edition. A most suitable gift for the young people. 4-Day Christmas Annex Leader..... 18c

Bargain Annex

4 Day Leader. 75c Full Bleached Table Linen 59c

The quality of this linen will be a revelation to you—it is equalled nowhere else in the city. Full bleach and selection of three patterns; 62 inches wide. Regular 75c line. Shipment arrived late, hence the low price for the 4-Day Annex Event. Leader price, yard 59c

BIG FOUR DAY ANNEX EVENT

Wednesday - Thursday - Friday - Saturday

A great Four Day Annex opportunity to make your Christmas purchases at decided price savings. In most cases the lines offered are brand new seasonable holiday goods, purchased in tremendous quantities, especially for the Christmas Annex Events. Many lines not advertised are of really wonderful value, they will be displayed on tables, counters and racks. Shop in the Annex each of the four days. Special one day leaders are extra special

A most Appreciated Gift. Ladies' Hand Bags 69c

Ladies' black leather bag, with strap handles and nickel frames, moire lining and fitted with mirror and small change purse. A dollar would be good regular value for this new Christmas Annex Gift Special. 4-Day Annex 69c

Navy, Brown and Green Corduroy Velvet 49c yd.

The quality is that which usually sells for 75c yard; colours are navy, brown and green. This offering is really exceptional when present prices are considered. Annex price, yard 49c

Ladies' and Misses Overall Tea Aprons 44c each

Complete overall aprons with belted waists, edge of pockets bound with tape; all sizes, ladies 36 to 42, misses 14 to 16; colours are mostly greys and blue greys. Annex 44c

59c & 75c Embroidered Brown Cushions 39c

This line will enable you to make a gift at a small cost. Excellent quality brown linen crash, with handsome silk worked embroidery designs; complete with back, self or fringed frills. Regular 59c and 75c. Annex.. 39c

Two Big Leaders to be Sold Friday Only

One Hundred Dozen Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs. Friday Annex Leader, 6 for 25c

A truly Christmas lot of dainty corner embroidered handkerchiefs, in white and colours. Also hemstitched lawn handkerchiefs at a remarkably low Christmas Annex Leader price. Friday only ..... 6 for 25c

300 Boxes, 19c and 25c Christmas Stationery. Friday Annex Leader, 2 for 25c

Three lines in this great Friday Leader—including our special Christmas Stationery "Holly Linen." Special value boxes each containing 24 sheets paper and 24 envelopes. Regular prices 19c and 25c. Friday Annex Leader ..... 2 for 25c

Annex Leader. Men's and Big Boys' Coat Sweaters 99c

Every person has need of a sweater coat, and every person should have one when they can be had at such a nominal price. Heavy rib with shawl storm collar and two pockets; size 34 to 42. Big Wednesday Annex Leader price..... 99c

4 Day Leader. Dress Goods Mill Ends, $1.25 end

Dress goods mill ends that will save considerable money for you. Run in lengths from 1½ to 4 yards; a great variety of materials, and can be used for a great number of purposes—many tweeds and light weight dress materials. Regular up to $2.50. Annex Leader 4-Day Sale, ends 1.25

Thursday and Saturday Big Annex Leader 15c 27 in. White Flannelette 10½c

One thousand yards white flannelette to be sold away less than the cost of making. Thursday and Saturday only, a great Leader for the Big Four-Day Annex Event. Good 15c value—27 inches wide. Thursday and Saturday, yard 10½c

No 'phone orders and not more than 10 yards to a customer.

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A most fortunate shirt purchase reported by the Annex buyer. Percale, negligee shirts, made coat style and with deep laundered cuffs, smart stripe patterns. Sizes 14 to 16½. Regularly 85c. A most useful gift for the men. 4-Day Annex Leader ..... 59c, 3 for 1.65

Remarkable Flannelette Blanket Values $1.48, $1.29 and $1.13

We present three sizes and all are to be sold at a price that is less than to-day's cost of production. Contracted for a year ago. Two lines in both white and grey—$1.13 and $1.48. White only in the $1.29.

Size 70 x 80 inches. Regular $1.75, for $1.48
Size 64 x 80 inches. Regular $1.60, for $1.29
Size 60 x 76 inches. Regular $1.35, for $1.13

Four Day Annex Leader. Men's Dollar Value First Quality Rubbers "Shefford Brand" 79c pair

Fully guaranteed—will not leak at the soles or tear at the seams—all sizes, 6 to 10. A brand new line. Annex Leader price will be, pair 7c

50c Habutai Wash Silks 39c yard

A silk that can be used for a multitude of purposes and will wash splendidly; can be had in black, cream and white. Regular price is 50c yard. 4-Day Annex price, yard 39c

75c Teddy Bear Blankets 49c

An excellent gift for the little tots. They are in pink with Teddy Bear and Bunny Designs. They are useful for cradles, baby carriages, etc. Regular 75c. Annex price 49c

New Silk Poplin Ties, 2 for 25c

Just half regular prices for this new lot of men's 25c ties. Silk poplins—four-in-hands—flowing ends—splendid selection of colours. Annex, ... 2 for 25c

Men's and Ladies' $1.00 & $1.25 Silk Mufflers 39c

Only about a third of regular prices for this ten-dozen lot of new silk scarfs and mufflers, made shaped neck and in most cases have contrasting linings. Black and colours, all regular $1.00 and $1.25. Annex 39c

New Shipment of Ladies' $1.25 White Fl'ette Gowns 98c

Made of splendid quality white flannelette and have silk embroidery and tucked yokes. A good warm garment and are worth regularly $1.25. All sizes. 4-Day Annex Sale 98c

Japanese Hinoki Basket Wear, reg. 15c and 20c pieces 10c

One case lot only, Japanese Hinoki wear. Shown in an extensive selection of different shapes; baskets, trays, flower holders, etc. Regular values 15c and 20c. 4-Day Annex, each 10c

6 pieces only, $1.25 Messaline and Silk Crepe de Chenes 79c yard

These silks are a full yard wide and are suitable for dress purposes, messaline in colours of brown and grey, and crepe de chene in cerise shade. Both are regular $1.25 stock value. Annex, yard 79c

The CRESSMAN Company Limited

TEMPERANCE ACT IS WORKING WELL

Provincial Police Report Improved Conditions in the North

TORONTO, Dec. 9.—"I am pleased to report, from my personal observation as to the working out of the Ontario Temperance Act, the results in the Cobalt, Porcupine and Sudbury districts are more than gratifying. The decrease in drunkenness is remarked, and persons who have not worked for a long period on account of their drinking habits are now steadily employed".

So says Joseph Rogers, Chief of Police in the Province of Ontario, in his report to the Attorney-General for the fiscal year ending Oct. 31 1916.

Under the Liquor License laws and Ontario Temperance Act there were 338 prosecutions, compared with 246 the previous year.

DECREASE IN SEIZURES.

There has been a considerable decrease in the seizure of liquor, as the following list shows.

Whiskey, 4,628 bottles, decrease 1913; 100 1-2 gallons, decrease 61 1-2; Beer, 5 barrels, decrease 256; 642 bottles, decrease 18,894; Gin 1,689 bottles, increase 1,296; bulk gin, 5 1-2 gallons. High wines, 133 3-4 gallons. Increase 41 3-4; Wine, 27 bottles, decrease 1,362.

HANDLED 1,198 CASES.

During the year 1,198 cases were handled by the Ontario Provincial Police, being a decrease of 220 compared with the previous year. Convictions totalled 809 against 890 in 1915. Fines were imposed in 536 cases, an increase of 19. There were 151 sentenced to be imprisoned compared with 191 last year. Three persons were sentenced to be hanged. No fewer than 119 were allowed to go on suspended sentence. Two hundred and eight persons were discharged and 51 cases are still awaiting disposal by the courts.

The Provincial Police only turned over 117 persons to the Immigration authorities for deportation compared with 306 in 1915.

ARRESTED FIFTY DESERTERS.

Fifty arrests were made of men who had deserted from the Canadian Army.

The fines imposed totalled $31,672.13, a decrease of $12,177.87 on the previous year. The fees collected and turned in by members of the force amounted to $2,274.28, a decrease of $956.62. The amount repayable by the counties in respect to investigations were $1,28128, an increase of $124.18.

GAME PROTECTION

Under the Game and Fisheries Act 98 persons were prosecuted and 78 convicted. A large falling off in the game prosecutions was from the order issued not to further prosecute cases against the Hudson Bay Company.

Chief Rogers says the force is twelve constables short. Three left during the year to go on active service.

GERMAN CRUISER ROVING ATLANTIC

Captain Reports That His Vessel Was Held Up By a Warship.

London, Dec. 11.—A German warship has succeeded in running the British cordon in the North Sea, according to the report of a ship captain, who says his vessel was held up and examined in the Atlantic. The vessel is not a converted merchantman, the captain said on his arrival here, but is a regular light cruiser. The report from the log of this captain has become widely known in local shipping circles, and has caused widespread agitation for the convoying of merchantmen.

The British Admiralty announced Friday night a report had been received that a disguised armed German vessel of mercantile type was sighted in the North Atlantic on December 4.

OLIVE MISSION BAND GAVE AN ENTERTAINMENT

The Olive Mission Band of Trinity Church gave a very interesting entertainment on Friday evening, December 8th. The Pastor, Rev. J. P. Wilson, presided. The meeting was opened by all repeating the Lord's Prayer in unison, which was followed by a few pleasing remarks by our Pastor. The programme was as follows:

Opening song, "We're a Little Mission Band."
Recitation, Jean Padgett.
Violin solo, Alice Brown.
Recitation, Lillian Avery.
Duet, Margaret and Lenore Wolstenholm.
Recitation, Margaret Fry.
Lullaby song, Three little girls.
Recitation, Josephine McClelland.
Recitation, Audrey Grimerson.
Mite Box Convention, Seven girls.

This was followed by the Band members marching past the platform and dropping their mite boxes into a basket as they passed.

Recitation, May Northey.
Violin solo, Fred Morrison.
Recitation, Olive Avery.
Daisy Drill, ten girls.
Report by Mrs. Lane.
Closing song by all Band members.

There were two tables, one of fancy articles and another of candy.

The entertainment realized, including mite boxes, $24.00.

Fire Destroyed Valuable Yacht

Blaze of Incendiary Origin Reported From Lindsay

LINDSAY, Dec. 12 — Early this morning fire destroyed a valuable yacht belonging to Mr. Robert Spratt, which was moored near the Wellington street bridge. The boat was one of the best on local waters. The fire was said to be of incendiary origin. About a year ago a fire occurred at the same spot and several boats were destroyed.

Officers Elected By The W.O.W.

Owing to the disastrous fire at the Quaker Oats plant yesterday, the attendance was much affected, but those present went through the usual business and the following officers were elected for the coming year, 1917:

P.C.C.—Sov. Robt. H. Car.
C. C.—Sov. Ernest A. Ivey.
Adv. Lt.—Sov. Maitland Wells.
Clerk—Sov. Fred Sutcliffe.
Banker—Sov. Richard H. Waram.
Managers—Sov. John Penrose, Sov. Jos. W. Worth, Sov. Wm. Dunnitt.
Escor—Sov. Ed. Lebar.
Watchman—Sov. Robt. G. Symonds.
Sentry—Sergt. Charles H. Crees.
Executive members—Sov. G. N. Gordon.
Camp physician—Dr. J. A. Morgan.

Impressive Sermon By Rev. R. G. Peever

"A Three-fold Testimony to a Great Truth" was the subject of an unusual sermon by the Rev. R. G. Peever in the George street Methodist church Sunday night. During the course of his sermon the pastor remarked that one of the great charges against the church, to-day was that it did not emphasize sufficiently from the pulpit the sense of sin. Perhaps it was as a slight concession to such a criticism that he chose for the text of his sermon, "The heart is deceitful above all things and desperately wicked, who can know it?"

In opening Mr. Peever quoted the text, and remarked that that was the awful charge of the Almighty against the human spirit. That was the dark picture the Scriptures betray, that was the black cloud that was hanging upon the horizon of the race. What was still worse was the fact we cannot refute it. Go where we will we meet the moral depravity of the heart.

In the beginning the first human beings were driven from the garden of Eden because of sin. Of the first two brothers on earth one became the murderer of the other, and the human race fell to such an extent that we are told God repented that he had ever made man. This was at the time of the great flood, and the Almighty sent the flood to blot out every family on earth but one. After the flood the head and father of the only family whom God had preserved, became a drunkard.

History's Testimony.

The heart is deceitful, above all things and desperately wicked; who can know it?" Canon Farrar's comment on this verse was, "Alas, alas! Too true.' The pages of history stand sealed with blood and the pathway of man is still the pathway of a man hall serpent. If an illustration was needed it could be drawn from the present, as we have the awful conflict marked by the devastation, iniquity and crime of those who stand against us in the struggles. Germany had trampled all the great principles of life under foot.

And what about man's own experience? I look unto my own heart and find that in spite of my good parentage, in spite of the influences of civilization and culture, the fact still is that within my own heart, if I allow it to run riot, unspeakable meanness and evil and wickedness. We can all truthfully say, "If I allow my own heart to run riot I would be an alien to God and to good." Such is the record of history and the testimony of our own spirit. God has chiselled it upon the heart of man.

The Other Side.

But is there not a brighter side to the man's possibilities? Thank God there are uprisings of the human spirit. That black cloud can be cancelled and that sin can be washed away. There is hope for man's deliverance. For while we must believe in moral depravity, we believe that there is that inside the heart of man that co-operates with the Almighty to raise man to a life of righteousness.

"Where depravity abounds," declared the pastor, "righteousness much more abounds." Jesus can become in our lives a power greater than all depravity, and He will bring emancipation and victory. Here the speaker referred to the life of Peter as illustrative of the truth. How Peter, a young man, had studied well and sworn faithfulness to the greatest Teacher in human history. How he had at a critical time, betrayed Christ and denied all knowledge of him. Then under Christ's kindly influence, Peter repented his faithlessness and followed in the footsteps of Jesus until he became a martyr in the cause of Christianity. And though the history of the race is still that of a race partly serpent, yet the speaker believed that Christ will reign, and that he is a Saviour and redeemer of men, and has redeemed us from the course of a broken law.

Atheists and infidels questioned and attempted to refute the saving power of Jesus. But much of Christianity as they might seem to explain away, none could ever explain away the conversion of man—the wonderful change from evil to good; the emancipation from evil habits; the curbing of passions. Christ was indeed the Saviour and no skepticism or atheism could ever account in any other way, for the turning of the depraved soul of man, heavenward.

OFFICERS ELECTED

At the regular meeting of the Men's Bible Class of Knox Church, on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 10th, the following officers were elected for the year 1917:

Teacher—Rev. Jas. A. MacKenzie.
President—Mr. John Anderson.
Vice-President—Mr. Geo. Bartley.
Secretary—Mr. Jas. Chalmers.
Treasurer—Mr. W. W. Yale.
Organist—Mr. Ed. Humpage.

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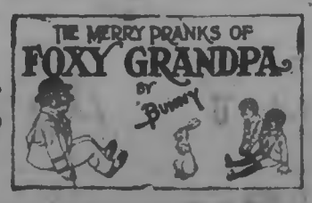
Will Arrive in Toyland Wednesday Afternoon, and Between 4.30 and 5.30 p.m. Will Sell 100 Special Prize Packages at 25c.



Hour Sale 9.30 to 10.30 In Basement

100 Brown Rockingham Tea Pots, 5 cup sizes, English importation. While they last ... .14c

Hour Sale Wednesday Morning 10.30 to 11.30 a.m.

Pure Linen Centre Pieces, scallop edge, button holed embroidery
Size 18 x 18 .... 21c
Size 12 x 12 ....12c

Hour Sale 3.30 to 4.30 In Basement

Special table of 48 to 60c Granite Ware consisting of Roasters, 10 quart Pails, 14 qt. Dish Pans, D-Boilers and 3 qt. Jugs. Hour Sale Wednesday 37c

EXTRA VALUES IN THE READY-TO-WEAR SECTION

$17.50 & $15.00 CLOTH COATS, $9.95

One rack of Winter Coats, made of best Tweeds, Meltons and Curl Cloths. In Blue, Green, and Brown Mixtures. Our regular $17.50 & $15.00 lines. ..... Wednesday to Clear 9.95

ALL-OVER APRONS, 50c

All-over Aprons, 50 to 54 inches long, made of best Washing Prints, in dark or light stripes. These are worth 75c to-day. Wednesday 50c

SILK PLUSH COATS, $20.00 to $50.00

Beautiful New Coats, made of Salts Best Plush, with Fur or Beaver trimmings. All sizes .... $20.00 to 5.00

NEW SILK CREPE DE CHENE WAISTS, $3.75, $4.95, $5.95

New arrivals in Christmas Waists, made of fine Crepe de Chene, with large sailor collar and jabot. Sizes 36 to 42. ..... Wednesday, ... $3.75, $4.95, & 5.95

SPECIALS FROM THE MAIN FLOOR

VALENCINE LACE, 2 Yards 5c

Valencine Lace and Insertion to match. Up to 1 inch wide. Number of patterns to choose from. Regular 10c yard. ..... Wednesday Special, ... 2 Yards 5c

LADIES' & CENT.'S UMBRELLAS, 89c

Good Gloria tops. Splendid range of handles. Guaranteed rainproof. Usual price $1.25. Wednesday Special 89c

STATIONERY, 14c Box

High-Class Stationery. 24 Sheets Writing Paper and Envelopes in fancy box. Regular 25c. ..... Wednesday Special 14c

BLACK SILK, 77c Yard

Regular $1.00 Silk. 36 inches wide. Pailette. Beautiful rich black in soft finish. Make that will give excellent service. Guaranteed against cutting. Our best. Wednesday, yard. 77c

NATURAL WOOL UNDERWEAR, 79c

Ladies' Natural Wool Underwear, in all sizes. High neck, buttoned front and long sleeves. Drawers either style. $1.25 value. Wednesday Special 79c

A PARTIAL LIST OF SPECIALS FROM OUR NOTION COUNTER

Mending Wool	3 Cards	10c
Pins	4 Pkgs.	5c
Queen Hair Nets	4 for	10c
Hair Pins	4 for	5c
Strings of Beads	String	9c
Elastic, White, ¾-inch wide	3 Yards	8c
Embroidery Floss	8 Skeins	5c
Montrose Linen Envelopes, 2 doz. to package	2 Pkgs.	5c
Rolls of Tape	2 for	11c

CORSET COVERING, 29c Yard

Corset Coverings of fine Lawn Muslin. Standard width. Excellent. Five patterns. Worth to-day 50c. ..... Wednesday Special, yard 29c

11-4 FLANNELETTE BLANKETS, $1.79 Pair

Flannelette Blankets. Size 54 x 72 inches. In colours of white or grey. With pink or blue borders. ..... Wednesday Special, pair 1.79

LADIES' HOSIERY, 2 Pair 79c

This is an item that should be of special interest to every woman. Black Cashmere Hosiery. One of the best standard makes. In size 9, 9½, and 10. Regular 50c. ..... Wednesday Special, ... 2 Pair 79c

PILLOW SHAMS AND 5 O'CLOCK TEA COVERS, 36c

Embroidered and hemstitched edge. Some with lace insertion. Several different designs. Size 30 x 30 inches. ..... Wednesday Special 36c

GUEST TOWELLING, 33c

Fancy Guest Towelling. Flower and plain designs. 16 inches wide. Suitable for the best makes of towels. Worth 50c yard. Wednesday Special, yard 33c

PARTIAL LIST OF SPECIALS FROM OUR DRUG DEPARTMENT

Imitation Ivory Shoe Horn	17c
Imitation Ivory Button Hook	17c
Imitation Ivory File	17c
Djer-kiss Talcum Powder	20c
Pears Unscented Soap (Limit 6 Cakes)	9c
Hard Scrub Brushes	2c
Hair Brush and Comb	33c
1 Can Colgates Talcum Powder and 1 Face Chamois	29c
16 Oz. Jars Vaseline	19c

BASEMENT SPECIALS FOR WEDNESDAY

The Specials offered for Wednesday comprise some of the most beautiful articles in our large assortment of Xmas Gifts.

HAND PAINTED NIPPON CAKE SETS, $1.97

Consisting of 1 Large and 6 Small Plates, in three different patterns of the most beautiful etching of gold, with flowered decorations. Worth to-day $3.00. Wednesday Special, set 1.97

CHILDREN'S BREAKFAST SETS, 3 Pieces 23c

Children's China Breakfast Sets, consisting of Plate, Bowl and Cream Pitcher. Decorated with nursery pictures and suitable nursery rhymes. Worth double. Wednesday Special, set 23c

CHINA COCOA POTS, 59c

Beautiful Finest China Cocoa Pots, nearly all with hand-painted decorations; others in plain glazed finishes, with band borders. Regular up to $3.00. Wednesday Special 59c

CUT GLASS VASES, 25c Pair

Light Cut Glass Vases. Several different patterns to choose from. Regular 25c each. Wednesday Special, pair 25c

FANCY JARDINIERE, 27c

A special purchase of 5 dozen Fancy Decorated Jardinieres, in different patterns and designs. Worth up to 65c. ..... Wednesday Special 27c

CHINA BERRY SETS, 83c

China Berry Sets, consisting of large Bowl and six Nappies, in white and gold decoration. Pretty tinted effects, in large rose and all-over Chantilly pattern, in an unusually odd effect. Regular $1.50. Wednesday Special, set 83c

BRUSHES, 14c

Big assortment of Scrub, Boot and Stove Brushes. Regular up to 29c. Wednesday 14c

A TABLE OF SMALL WARE SPECIALS, CONSISTING OF

Laundry Soap	9 Cakes	25c
Clothes Pins	6 Dozen	10c
Hardwood Butter Moulds	Each	12c
Table Tumblers	Dozen	34c
25, 40, & 60-Watt Lamps	Each	22c
Clover Leaf Cups and Saucers	2 for	23c
Granite Pie Plates	3 for	25c
Toilet Paper	4 Rolls	25c
Baby Toy Brooms		13c

SAUCE AND CEREAL DISHES, 29c Dozen

50 Dozen of Sauce and Cereal Dishes of English semi-porcelain, decorated with sheaf of wheat in centre and finished with double bands of gold around edge. Regular 69c. ..... Wednesday to Clear, dozen 29c

TEA POTS, $1.00

A most beautiful and useful Xmas Gift is a Tea Pot. For Wednesday a limited number only of Fancy Brown Betty Tea Pots, decorated in gold and silver designs. Six different patterns to choose from. Worth up to $2.00. Wednesday Special 1.00

STERNO STOVES, 69c

Sterno Stoves, nickle-plated, consisting of Stand, Heater and Sauce Pan. Safe. No waste. Non-explosive. Suitable for heating milk, heating water for shaving, or other heating purposes. ... Wednesday Special 69c

SPECIALS FROM OUR TOYLAND

DOLLS' GO-CARTS, $1.98

Dolls' Go-Carts, with iron frame and leatherette covering; steel axles and rubber-tired wheels. ..... Wednesday, only 1.98

EXPRESS WAGGONS, 89c

A well-made and substantial Express Waggon, with iron boxes, stencilled. "Special." Wednesday, only 89c

DOLLS, 48c

A big assortment of Dressed Dolls, in Milkmaid, Little Boy Blue, Khaki Boy and other suits. Unbreakable heads and stuffed bodies. Wednesday, only .. 48c

WILSON'S BIBLE STORIES, 13c—2 for 25c

Suitable for gift books or Sunday School classes. Ten different titles. Wednesday, only 13c, or ..... 2 for 25c

AMERICAN FLIER TRAIN, 89c

Train on Track, with cast iron engine and two cars; five-foot circular track. Wednesday, only 89c

CARTS, WHEELBARROWS and WAGGONS, 11c

Well constructed. Made of best pine, painted red; three kinds. Regular 15c. Wednesday, only 11c

SPECIALS FROM CARPET DEPARTMENT

CRETONNES & CHINTZ, 23c Yard

These are taken from our regular stock, many of which are the best in soft, washable grades. Some rolls contain only a few yards. Dark, medium and white grounds are in the lot. Suitable for box covering, curtains, cushions, light upholstering and Xmas fancy work. Wednesday, yard 23c

CUSHIONS COMPLETE, 98c

Consisting of Cushion Form, 13 x 18, filled with best sanitary silk floss and covered with good quality white cotton. The Silk Tapestry top with lining can be had in green, red, old gold and tan colors. Complete, worth $1.54. Wednesday Special 98c

$4.50 FANCY ART TICKING MATTRESS, $3.69

In all sizes, made of strong art ticking, well filled closely and well tufted, with wool felt padding ..... Wednesday Special 3.69

STRETCHER BED WITH MATTRESS COMPLETE, $3.47

Strongly made with hardwood frame, folding legs and head rest, and woven wire top. Mattress is of wool felt filling, and is soft and comfortable. Wednesday Special 3.47

WILTON RUGS

A Xmas suggestion for the housewife. Buy yourself a Wilton Rug for Xmas. It is decorative and useful. ... Rugs to choose from. Prices range from ..... $33.50 to 60.00

NEW FISH NET CURTAINING, 19c Yard

All classes of Curtain Nets have advanced, and the more medium lines particularly, that it is impossible to replace such qualities as we now offer. The lot includes White, Ivory and Ecru, in double width makes, in most neat small fish net designs, with edges in small scallop. Special Wednesday offer ... 19c

Expected Death Toll To Total Sixteen

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ing country for miles. For a moment it seemed as if the whole city were on fire. People far to the north and west state that it would have been possible to see a pin on the ground, so intense was the glare. This was the climax of the warehouse fire, although the contents of the building continued to burn all night and on the bottom storeys are still burning this morning.

GIRLS WERE ORDERLY.

Mr. Fred Gandy pays a tribute to the composure of the girls in the packing department and, especially to the forelady, Miss McManus. Immediately following the explosion, which shook the plant there was a brief, flitting moment of absolute silence. The machinery had stopped, the lights were out, and the faces of the employees reflected for an instant a blank, gaping expression of wonderment. This unnatural calm and indecision quickly gave way to action. The girls left their department in good order. They hurried, but there was no confusion. Many of them returned to the cloak rooms for their clothes and a few even punched the time clock responding to the system of departure to which they had become habituated. It may be supposed that there was a certain feeling of alarm among these employees, but their conduct was highly commendable, according to Mr. Gandy.

BURNED OVER LEFT EYE.

Mr. John Weir, who resides at the corner of Sophia and Rogers streets, was slightly burned over the right eye. He was out late in the afternoon his head wrapped in bandages.

TWELVE G.T.R. CARS GONE.

Mr. Walter Yale, G.T.R. station agent, reported that twelve G.T.R. freight cars were saved yesterday and estimated that twelve were lost

THE WATER SUPPLY.

The break in the eight inch water main, which practically encircled the building, was explained this morning by Mr. Ross Dobbin, Superintendent of the Waterworks Department. It appears that the main, which ran under the boiler room, was broken by the explosion and the water leaked out of both ends. In order to shut this off it was necessary to penetrate the fire zone. This was impossible in the case of one of the valves which was located in the alley between two of the burning buildings. The water was finally turned off on Quaker street and the pressure immediately jumped from seventy to one hundred and five pounds.

MESSAGES OF REGRET.

A. Purvis, General Superintendent of the Canadian Pacific Railway, wired Mayor Duffus, expressing regret at the loss, and asking if there was anything the Company could do to assist. A similar message was received from the Mayor of Lindsay.

ARRIVED EARLY.

Fire Chief Howard arrived on the scene of the disaster within five minutes following the explosion. Rumour had it that he did not arrive for an hour after the fire broke out. As a matter of fact the Chief was only a couple of blocks away when the explosion took place. The Chief and the fire trucks arrived about the same time.

The Quaker Oats Company commenced building operations in 1901. The by-law relative to the agreement between the City and the Company was passed in December, 1900.

TELEGRAMS RECEIVED.

The following telegrams have been received by Mayor Duffus:

Toronto, Dec. 11, '16.

His Worship the Mayor, Peterboro.

Much regret to learn of accident and personal injury at Quaker Oats Mills. Is there anything we can do to assist?

A. Purvis,
Gen. Supt. C.P.R.

Lindsay, Dec. 11, '16.

Mayor Duffus, Peterborough.

You have the sincere sympathy of the people of Lindsay in your great loss.

R. Kylie, Mayor.

A DUST EXPLOSION.

Although the usual rumours are in circulation the generally accepted theory of the cause of the explosion and fire is what workmen in similar mills usually call a "dust explosion," and the scene of the disaster is thought to have been around the drying tanks and not in the boiler room, as first stated. A spark is sometimes caused by some foreign substance, such as a nail getting into the grinders. This is supposed to have occurred yesterday, causing the dust particles in the air to explode with a violence surpassing that of dynamite or any similar explosive. A portion of the north wall was blown out and fell on top of the boiler house, completely burying that structure and trapping its occupants, while part of the eastern wall was also blown out, exposing the huge drying tanks which afterwards fell. The loss of life all occurred among the employees who were at work in the drying rooms, around the grinders, on the third storey, or in the packing-room and bag cleaning rooms, underneath.

Mr. Jas. Pakenham, Douro Street, a mechanic, who has been with the Quaker Oats Co. for a long period, being employed in other factories before coming to Peterborough, was one of the first to enter that portion of the building after the explosion. His work calls him to all parts of the mill, and he had been employed in setting up a machine in the packing department. He was on his way to the drying room when the explosion came and the force knocked him off his feet. Having experienced similar explosions in other buildings of the same kind, Mr. Packenham immediately realized what had happened, and hurried to give what assistance he could. He found Jos. Tetro just inside the door of the packing-room, and brought him out and then made his way to the third floor, where he found Foreman W. Walsh, whom he helped down stairs. Mr. Packenham was unable to reach any more of the unfortunate victims.

MISS BOOTH INJURED.

The only girl employee of the Company to be injured was Miss Eva Booth, 176 Sherbrooke street, who received a bad shaking up and bruising. Miss Booth was employed in the packing department and was near a window when the explosion came. She made her way down a fire escape and jumped on top of a freight car. Unfortunately she tripped on her skirts and fell to the ground. She was not badly hurt. Miss Booth has asked the Examiner to thank the unknown soldier who loaned her his great coat.

CLOTHES BURNED OFF.

The clothes were burned from Mr. John Kemp's body from his knees upward. The wave of flame had caught him and when he staggered into an adjoining department fellow employees could not recognize him. Burned as he was he complained of the cold and asked for something to cover himself.

TOM HARRISON'S ESCAPE.

Tom Harrison is reported to have been the man who made the spectacular escape out of a window of the elevator, facing Hunter street, and a man named Northey hung for nearly twelve minutes from a window high up on the east side.

A FAMILY SHOP.

"Like a big family, that's what it was," said one of the employees this morning, as he bewailed the destruction of the Quaker Oats building. "The bosses were fine," he continued, "and we were all so familiar with the rooms that it seemed like a home. And the Company was all the time putting in new machinery to speed up the work. New grinders, worth about $10,000, were put in only a short time ago."

A machinist remarked that it would clearly be a long time before there would be work for him. Hence he was preparing to look elsewhere until the plant was built again.

A workman employed in tearing down some of the walls of the burned building, this morning, had a narrow escape from serious injury when a pile of masonry at the south of the offices, was pulled down. The bricks fell further than was anticipated, and the workman was hit, sustaining a number of injuries.

VICTIMS OF THE BIG FIRE

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leaves a wife and five children. He was operating a grinder at the plant. His father-in-law, Mr. Hogan, had only recently come to the city to reside. He owned a farm in Selwyn Township.

JAMES FOSTER.

James Foster was a stoker in the boiler room. He has not been heard of since the fire. His home is at 634 Union street, and he leaves a wife and eleven children, four of whom are at the front. The victim was sixty-four years of age. He also has four sons-in-law at the front.

WM. MESLEY.

Wm. Mesley, 274 Wescott street, who was employed in the boiler room, and is missing, was married, and his wife resides at that address. His son, Jamie Mesley, is a returned soldier who went overseas with the 2nd Canadian battalion.

JAMES W. GORDON.

Jas. W. Gordon, numbered among the missing, was also a married man. He was employed in the drying room and was a step brother of Mr. Frank Farren, overseer on the Trent Canal. Mr. Gordon was very well known in this city, where he had resided for many years.

ALEX. McGEE.

Alex McGee, who has not been seen since the fire, had only been in the city a short time, coming here from Kinmount.

VINCENT FORNALO.

Vincent Fornalo, a young Italian, who was employed around the boiler room, and who died immediately upon reaching St. Joseph's Hospital, lived at 48 Jackson avenue and was married.

DOMINIC MARTINO.

Dominic Martino, another Italian, who died in St. Joseph's Hospital last evening, was boarding at 264 Smith street. His wife lives in Italy. He had no relatives in this city.

PHILIP CARBONI.

The third Italian victim of the fire was Philip Carboni, who died in Nicholls Hospital this afternoon. He lived on Victoria avenue and was very badly burned.

ED. HOWLEY.

Edward Howley, whose body was found yesterday afternoon, was employed in the boiler room. He was married and had been in the city about six months, coming from Indian River.

JOHN CONWAY.

John Conway, who was employed in the drying room, and who is missing, comes from Kinmount, where his wife and family reside.

County Councillors Viewed Court House In a Body To-day

Warden Darling, Reeve Max Brown, Reeve Crough, Reeve Matheson, Reeve McIntosh and other County Councillors were in the city to-day, and held an informal meeting in regard to the extensive destruction of the Court House, the material loss of which is placed at $25,000. It is understood that the question of rebuilding is being discussed and that the work will be shortly put underway

Our Big Sale of Wholesale Prices Still Goes On

10 lb. new small raisins, per lb	11½c
10 lb. large new raisins, per lb	11½c
10 lb. new rolled oats for	49c
10 lb. 40c tea, black or green, lb	39c
10 lb. best Japan rice, lb	6c
10 bars soap (5c kinds), bar	4½c
5 lb peanut butter, special for, lb	19c
5 lb. Smith creamery butter, lb	45c
5 lb choice prunes, lb	9½c
5 lb. 40c tea, black or green, lb	33c
5 lb 15c new mince meat, lb.	13½c
5 bars Wheen's cream of soap, bar	4c
6 15 oz. seeded raisins	44c
6 12 oz. seeded raisins	34c
6 10c articles (you pick them), each	8c
1 lb 40c mixed peel, lb.	29c
1 lb 75c shelled nuts, lb.	54c
2½ lb 60c cans peanut butter	53c
12 lb granulated sugar (with order)	$1.00
5 lb. lots 35c Green or Mixed Tea, lb.	34c
Chase and Sanborn's 40c Coffee, lb	33c
Fine Shredded Cocoanut 40c lb. for	33c
Choice New Dates, just to hand	15c
5c, 10c and 15c Toys (see them).	
Christmas Mixed Candies, choice lb.	17½c
Christmas Mixed with Chocolates, lb.	25c
Christmas Sweet Oranges 30c doz for	25c
Christmas Sweet Oranges 40c doz for	35c
Christmas Sweet Oranges 60c doz. for	54c
No. 1 Best Bread Flour, bag	$4.99
5 Boxes Krink Corn Flakes at box	5c
60c Bottles Co Extra Vanilla or Lemon each	45c
10c Cans Mustard Sauce Savory, each	8c
15c Jars Jams and Jellys, each	10c
15c Tumblers Castor oil and Machine oil each	8c

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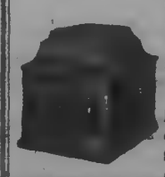

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Grape Fruit — Bananas
Apricots
Celery — Lima Beans
Head Lettuce — Onions
Olives & Prunes, — Honey in Comb
Cauliflower — Cabbage
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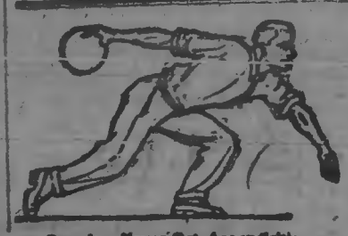

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Boxed Gifts for Men

Boxed Garters	25c & 50c
" Arm Bands	25c & 50c
" Bands and Garters	50c & 75c
" Braces	25c, 50c & 75c
" Sets Braces, Bands, etc...	50c to $1.50
" Sets with Belts	$1.25 & $1.50
" Scarfs	75c, $1.00, up to $2.50
" Handkerchiefs	25c, 50c & 75c
" Collar Bags	$1.00, $1.25 & $1.50
" Handkerchief Bags	$1.00 & $1.25
" Shirts	$1.00 to $5.00
" Gloves	$1.00 to $3.50
" Jewellery Sets	25c to $1.00

Sweater Coats

Sweater Coats	$2.00 to $6.00
Sweaters	$2.50
Boys' Sweaters	$1.25 & $2.00
Boys' Jerseys	$1.00, $1.25 & $1.50

Christmas Neckwear

It matters not how many Christmas gifts a man may receive, he will be expecting a handsome tie, and we have them — dandies — and prices reasonable.

Silk Neckwear, Boxed	25c
" " "	35c, 3 for $1.00
" " "	50c
" " "	75c
" " "	$1.00

Underwear

Men's Combinations	$1.00 to $5.00
Boys' Combinations	$1.00 to $2.00
Men's Shirts & Drawers	50c to $2.50
Boys' Shirts & Drawers	50c to $1.00

Boys' Suit Specials

All-Wool Serge Suits. Ages 3 to 8 years. Worth $5.50, for $4.35

Boys' Tweed Suits. Ages 8 to 16. Norfolk style. Worth $5.50, for $3.95

Men's Clothing

Young Men's Stylish Models, in short, close-fitting styles. Worth up to $16.50, for $12.90

Young Men's Up-to-Date Models. Jellicoes, Canadians. Worth up to $20.00, for.. $15.90

Men's Suits. Some broken sizes, in our regular stock. Sovereign brand make. Worth up to $20.00. Special for .....

$15.00

Dressing Gowns and House Coats make an ideal Xmas gift. We have so many styles we can't describe them here.

House Coats	$5.00, $6.50 & $7.50
Gowns	$4.50, $5.50 & $6.50

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WEDDING BELLS

SHIER—WILTSHAW.

An interesting wedding took place on Saturday last when Pte. Harry B Shier of the 247th Battalion was united in marriage to Miss Louise Wiltshaw, daughter of Pte. George Wiltshaw, overseas with the 93rd Battalion. The young couple were attended by Pte. Roy Rae of the 247th Battalion and Miss M. Wiltshaw, a sister of the bride. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. P. Wilson, at the residence of the bride's mother, 640 Union street.

HANBIDGE—DAWSON.

On Wednesday, December 6th, 1916 a very pleasing event took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Dawson of South Monaghan, when their only daughter Hazel E. was united in marriage to Mr. George B. Hanbidge of Otonabee.

At the hour appointed (High Noon) the bridal party, unattended, entered the drawing room to the strains of a popular wedding march played by Miss Myrtle Sargent, the bride leaning on the arm of her father. They took their respective positions under an arch of Evergreens, which was banked and decked with flags and Christmas chimes.

The bride having been presented for marriage by her father, the ceremony was performed by Rev. W. T. Wickett of Fraserville, in the epresence of about thirty of the most immediate friends of the bride and groom.

While congratulations were being extended Mrs. H. Taylor, a sister of the groom sang a popular song entitled "Orange Blossoms".

The bride looked charming attired in silk carneuse, trimmed with georgetta crepe and wore a conventional veil, which was caught up with sweet heart roses, while in her hand she carried a Bible, bound in plush from which hung streamers of satin ribbon and sweet-heart roses.

Shortly after the ceremony was performed breakfast was announced, and the happy company were ushered into the spacious dining room, which was artistically decorated in pink and white, with cut flowers for the table.

Under the able management of Mr. Hooper & Son of Peterborough, assisted by four young ladies, immediate friends of the bride and groom, the catering was all that could be desired and after all had partaken of the bounties of a well prepared and sumptuous wedding repast, the company engaged in rather an unique experience in not only proposing the toast to the bride of the day, to which the groom made suitable reply, but all endorsed the congratulations tendered by Rev. Mr. Wickett, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hanbidge, parents of the groom, who celebrated the Forty-fifth anniversary of their wedding that day.

In due time the young couple made preparations for a trip, the bride's travelling suit was a navy blue serge, trimmed with Persian Lamb, with large Black hat, and Persian Lamb furs to match.

The presents gave evidence of the popularity and esteem in which the bride was held by her many friends as they were both numerous and costly.

On their return Mr. and Mrs. Hanbidge will reside in Otonabee.

The Examiner wishes them long life and prosperity.

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

NEW YORK, Dec. 12. —The stock market broke on news of Germany's peace move to-day. U. S. Steel sold at 120.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12. — May wheat dropped 5 cents on news of Germany's peace move.

The stock market opened slightly lower than last night's close, but between that and 1.30 o'clock was subject to quite a shaking out. The following is the opening and standing at 1.30 p.m.

NEW YORK STOCKS—

Airbreak 166, 169; Atchison 104, 105 7-8; B. & O. 86 1-2, 86 1-2; C.P.R. 166, 166 1-2; Erie 35 1-2 35 1-4; N. Y. Central 105 1-4, 105 3-4; Reading 108, 107; U.P. 144, 145 7-8; Pen. Steel 85 1-2, 85 7-8, U. S. Steel 123, 119 7-8; Anaconda 93 1-4, 91; Beth. Steel 608, 599; Amn. Loco., 69 1-2, 67; Inter. Nickel 46 1-2, 45 3-8.

King Constantine Reported Mobilizing

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 12. — King Constantine of Greece has ordered a general mobilization, according to Swiss advices received here.

14 New Curlers

Fourteen new members were enrolled with the Curling Club at last night's meeting. They were ranked, but other business was postponed on account of the fire.

BOWLING

A large crowd attended the match between the Wholesale Grocers and Retail Grocers last night on Water street alleys. The Wholesale Grocers won out in the three games by a total of 203 pins. Outram, for the Wholesale Grocers, had a 500 count. Heard was high for the Retail Grocers with 469. Ross pulled off the best game of the evening.

Score:

Retail Grocers—

	1	2	3	Total
Nicholls	112	92	106	310
Gillespie	146	149	123	418
Routley	129	157	156	442
McDonald	94	102	100	296
Heard	158	185	126	469
	639	685	611	1935

Wholesale Grocers—

	1	2	3	Total
Ross	134	136	150	419
Boyd	112	122	118	352
Fitzgerald	176	129	157	462
Noftall	150	123	82	355
Outram	152	210	188	550
	724	719	695	2138

De Laval and the Left Overs meet to-night in a League game:

"The Zeppelin burst into flames and fell rapidly toward the earth," reads a British official statement. What terrible destruction it might have wrought if it had fallen in the opposite direction!—Buffalo Express.

JENNE'S
THE CHRISTMAS GIFT STORE

Our Haberdashery Department offers hundreds of helpful suggestions for Christmas Gifts.

Everything we offer is very new and of the latest designs and patterns as we have only been open two months.

A Few Helpful Suggestions :

FANCY SILK TIES
Received 200 dozen on Friday —50c up. Boxed separate.

DRESSING GOWNS
We are showing two specials this week at $6.50 & $7.50

GLOVES
Men's Double Scotch Wool, 75c up
Boys' Scotch Wool 40c up
Men's Mocha, Wool Lined, $1.50 up

MEN'S SOCKS
Men's Socks. Heavy Silk and Fancy Cashmere .... 50c up

MEN'S MUFFLER'S
Knitted Silk Scarfs, $1.50 to $4.00
Fancy Silk, Square or Oblong $1.25 to $2.50
Men's Umbrellas .. $1.25 up
Men's Walking Sticks, $1.00 up
Men's Shirts ..... $1.00 up

Men! Dress Up Before Christmas

Our line of Suits and Overcoats feature the latest styles and cloths. Remember that our clothes are all new.

SHOP EARLY AND OFTEN at

Frank L. Jenne's Semi-ready Shop
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The Bazaar Is Still in Progress

The bazaar held in St. Alphonsus' Lyceum in aid of the building fund of the Church of the Immaculate Conception, is one of the greatest successes of the season. One of the chief attractions is the dinner and tea room, which is tastefully decorated with flags and Egyptian tapestries, the latter loaned by Mrs. Lehay, who received them lately from her son, who is on active service in Egypt. Much praise is due Mrs. J. Grant and the ladies who assisted her in the charming decorations. The ladies at the door are Mrs. Corkery Mrs. S. Laplante, Mrs. Merrell and Mrs. M. McFadden. Mrs. J. J. Dorris is convener of the lunch room. Those assisting are Mrs. Perry, Mrs. Lehane, Mrs. McCrae, Mrs. Fred Shannon, Mrs. Zimerman, Mrs. Leahy Miss Lillian Hurley, Miss Nell McCauley and Miss Maisie Kelly. Business men who had lunch at the Lyceum expressed the opinion that a better served and cooked lunch could not be served.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

Examination in first-aid by Dr. Cameron Monday evening the 18th at 8 o'clock.

180 are now enrolled in the Saturday afternoon gymnasium class. The attendance for November being 327. Through the generosity of Miss Cressman the little girls were given a delightful surprise party on Saturday afternoon.

The total attendance at classes and clubs during the month of November was very gratifying being 1793.

Enquiry Into The Death of Mrs. Otto Kleemann

An inquest to enquire into the death of Mrs. Otto Kleemann was commenced today at 2 o'clock. The following jurymen were sworn in: Messrs. R. C. Braund, F. Brownscombe, W. F. Nelson, C. Wood, R. J. G. Sutherland, W. R. Morris, C. Rishor, E. N. McWilliams, G. Evans, C. E. Hubbs and J. R. Bell.

Coroner Dr. Greer adjourned the hearing until December 21st.

The woman died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Paul Loescher, 135 Hunter street east.

Paul Loescher, Junior, was called, and identified the body as that of his grandmother.

Coroner Dr. Greer ordered a post-mortem examination to be made of the remains.

It is stated that a doctor was not called until after death took place, and that the relatives were somewhat reluctant to answer questions concerning the death.

Is Discharged From Hospital

Mr. Geo. Howson has received a cablegram from the War Office stating that his son, Lieut. Arthur Howson, R.A.M.C., has been discharged from hospital in Salonika.

Quaker Oats Co. Officials Have Arrived in City

Their offices obliterated in yesterday's fire, the Quaker Oats Company's staff opened this morning in the south half of the Barrie building on the ground floor. Several front rooms, immediately overhead and in front, are being occupied by the superintendent, Mr. W. H. Denham. At 9.30 o'clock this morning a crowd of workmen reported to Mr. James McCarrell, and others straggled along even late into the afternoon.

About ten o'clock Mr. Thos. Grant, a foreman of the plant, was instructed to take charge of numerous squads of the men and to begin a removal of the debris in search of the remains of the missing. Mr. Denham's garage at the rear of the mill, has been elevated to the dignity of a yard office, which will from the centre of the operations in the ruins of the boiler house and the drying and grinding departments.

The workmen have been equipped with complete rubber suits, including boots hats and coats. Streams of water were poured on the smouldering mass of bricks machinery and other fragments of the structure.

COMPANY'S HEADS GATHERING.

This afternoon the main office of the Quaker Oats Company was represented in Peterborough by Mr. Robert Stuart president of the company, Mr. O. B. Holloway, insurance expert and Mr. O. C. Kirn. There is a pervading feeling of confidence that the company will begin reconstruction in the near future upon the completion of the adjustment of insurance. There was no definite information from the office to-day, and it was intimated that it might be some time before this would be available. Several department heads have every hope that rebuilding will commence soon, but they had no definite information for the reason that the officials have not yet arrived at the stage of the resurrection of the plant.

THE OFFICE FORCE.

Desks, telephones, and all the usual office equipment has been installed this afternoon and in spite of yesterday's terrible experience and the disturbance created by the removal of books and papers to safe keeping, there was every indication of renewed although unnormal, activity.

Council Chamber A Court Room

Judge Huycke opened the December sittings of the County Court this afternoon amid strange and unfamiliar surroundings, the County Council chambers. After referring to the recent local disaster he addressed the Grand Jury upon their duties and afterwards instructed them to hear the several criminal cases before them. Mrs. Dorsee of Campbellford is bringing action against Frank Montgomery for damages to her motor car in a collision during the summer. She claims $300 and Mr. Montgomery has a counter claim of $100.

Elliots Store

We Have Opened Up This Week A Stock Of New Kid Gloves From England, These Are Real Kid, Soft, Pliable, And Fine

These gloves came to us on an order given some time ago, so we are able to sell them at about the old prices.

These are the very best guaranteed kid gloves, a glance will show you that, when you look at them and feel them.

We are going to adopt a new system this season in glove selling. These gloves are now selling at $1.75 per pair (and soon we will not be able to get them at this price.) Customers taking these gloves without the guarantee can buy them for just..... $1 25

Best Kid Gloves, black, white or shades, guaranteed .. $1 75

Same best quality, without guarantee..... $1 25

We have a big stock of them just now, but it would be wise not to wait too long, as it is almost impossible to replenish the stock.

Make This A Book Christmas

JUDGING by the early demand for Books a lot of people are going to use this popular article largely for gifts this season, and Trebilcocks have stocked up an unusually complete selection covering every phase of literature and at all prices.

The Season's Best Books

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Georgina	Anna Johnson
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The First Hundred Thousand	Ian Hay
The Red Watch	Col. Currie
Lady Connie	Humphrey Ward
The Girl Phillips	R. W. Chambers
The Governess	Julia Lippman
Told in a French Garden	Aldrich
The Hilltop on the Marne	Aldrich
When a Man's a Man	Bell Wright
Torchy, Private Secretary	Sewell Ford
Polyanna	Porter
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Anne of the Island	Montgomery
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There are many new interesting books published this season by different publishers and we will be pleased to order any special orders.

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Peloubets Notes for 1917 ..... 1.25

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A New Canadian Book

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Men's Initial Handkefchiefs — All pure linen, put up 3 in fancy box, for **75c**

Ladies' Initial Handkerchiefs — Pure linen, put up 3 in fancy box, for **50c**

Ladies' Hand Embroidered Handkerchiefs, put up in book style, one in each, at **25c**

Robert Fair & Co., Limited

Wednesday Bargains

We have planned for a Big One Day Sale To-morrow

That's sure to be a winner. Everyone now feels the pinch of high prices. Take the fullest advantage of these offerings and provide for months to come.

MANY OF THESE BARGAINS WOULD MAKE EXCELLENT XMAS GIFTS

Ready-to-Wear Bargains That Would Make Suitable Christmas Gifts

Ladies' and Misses Winter Coats

14 coats and in almost as many different styles, made from very choice cloths. To make a quick clearance of these coats that sold up to $15.00, we price them at the low figure of **7.50**

Children's $5.50 Coats at $3.98

We offer a dozen smart winter coats in all sizes, made of extra good winter cloths, every coat worth $5.50 and more, if you consider the price of the cloths to-day. Your choice for **3.98**

2.25 Heavy Sweater Coats $1.75

A Wednesday bargain and suitable as a Christmas Gift. All wanted shades. Particularly good value at $2.25. Sale price. **1.75**

$1.75 Wrapperette House Dresses $1.48

A new style house dress, designs are blue and white and black and white stripe and small checks. Regular price $1.75. Sale price **1.48**

$2.50 White Wash Silk Blouses $1.98

Excellent make of silk, new large collar trimmed with buttons, with or without cascade effect. Hemstitched front, turn back cuffs. Suitable as a Christmas Gift. Regular price $2.50. Sale price **1.98**

White Flannelette Underskirts

Made from good quality material, fancy stitched hem. Regular price 85c. One day Sale price, each **69c**

Heavy Rib Knit Underskirts

Warm comfortable skirt in grey, black and cardinal. Regular price $1.25. Sale price **1.00**

Children's Flannelette Nightgowns

All white, extra good quality, self ruffle, for children 8 to 12 years. Regular price $1.00. Sale price **69c**

The displays of Christmas Goods Will Be At Their Best To-morrow

ALL WOOL WHITE BLANKETS—Are very hard to procure to-day. We place on sale a 6-lb. Blanket, size 62 x 82. **Guaranteed all Canadian wool.** Borders fast colours. Just 3 pairs left at the old price of, per pair **8.00**

12/4 WHITE OR GREY FLANNELETTE BLANKETS—Practically the last big bargain of the large size blankets on account of the sharp advance in prices. The price of the blankets will be $3.25. Sale price to-morrow, per pair **1.69**

UNBLEACHED TABLE LINEN—Guaranteed all pure linen and worth $1.00. Sale price, per yard **75c**

PURE WHITE DAMASK TABLING — The Gold Medal Brand. Three designs, great value. Worth $1.00. Sale price, per yard..... **75c**

ALL-LINEN FANCY TOWELLING—In plain or fancy centre, with wide border. Width 22 inches. 75c value on sale at, per yard..... **59c**

HEMSTITCHED TOWELS—Plain or with 4-inch white damask border. Note the large size, 20 x 40 inches. Worth 35c. Sale price, each **25c**

FINE H.S. HUCK TOWELS—With 6-inch damask border, hemstitched. Size 24 x 44 inches. (A Christmas suggestion). All pure fine linen. Regular value 85c. Sale price, each **65c**

LADIES' WHITE OR GREY WOOL DRAWERS — Open style only. All sizes. No vests to match this line, and out they must go. Regular $1.00 value. To clear to-morrow at ..... 2 pair for **1.25**

These Items on Sale Only From 9.30 to 11.30

PURE WHITE FLANNELETTE—27 inches wide. What we sold at 8 yards for one dollar last Wednesday. We will sell to-morrow at..... 10 yards for **1.00**

17-INCH ROLLER TOWELLING—White with wide linen shade stripe. Regular price 16c. Sale price, ... 4 yards for **50c**

WHITE WOOL BLANKETS — Two or three different lines that have got slightly soiled showing them at the counter, (6 pairs only). Sizes 60 x 82 and 64 x 84 inches. Regular prices $5.75, $6.00, $6.50. All go at one price, per pair **5.50**

PURE WHITE CEYLON FLANNELETTE — 32 and 36 inches wide. Take advantage of this big value as flanelettes are scarce in the wholesale trade to-day. Both lines are worth 20c. **Two-hour special price,**..... 7 yards for **1.10**

LADIES' BLACK CASHMERE HOSE — An excellent hose that sells at 35c. Two-hour sale price, ... 4 pairs for **1.00**

HANDKERCHIEF SPECIAL—For to-morrow. Hemstitched and coloured edges, with dainty embroidered corners, at, each 10c, 12½c, **15c**

HERE IS A SNAP IN GLOVES — Black Cashmere Fleece-Lined Gloves at 50c, and Grey and White Knitted Gloves at 40c. All at one price, per pair **25c**

$2.25 COMFORTERS AT $1.69 EACH—Extra large size, 72 x 72 inches, well filled. Just 10 of them, and the last to sell at a reduction, as the price has advanced. Regular value $2.25. Sale price, each **1.69**

CHILDREN'S FLEECE-LINED SLEEPERS — A suitable Christmas Gift. A good quality. Extra well fleeced. Two prices 65c and **75c**

HEAVY RIB BLACK HOSE—The genuine heavy rib worsted hose that we always sell for women, boys and girls. Sizes 9, 9½, 10. Now worth 75c. Sale price, per pair.. **69c**

SCARLET WORSTED RIB HOSE—Scarce goods, but here you will find plenty of all sizes, 6 to 10, at about 15c a pair less than regular. Price range, per pair ..50c to **85c**

NATURAL WOOL DRAWERS—Open style only. Sizes 2, 3 and 4, no vest to match the reason for reduction. Regular $1.25. Sale price, per pair **1.00**

LADIES' MERINO CASHMERE HOSE — Taken as a special bargain for to-morrow. All sizes. Worth 65c and 75c, for .....2 pair for **1.00**

Curtain Voiles, Chintz, Window Shades, Portiere Curtains, Oilcloths

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CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. H. Zealand, 800 Maitland avenue, wishes to express his thanks to many friends and acquaintances for their kindness and sympathy in connection with his recent bereavement in the sudden death of his sister, Mrs. Rosanna Firth.

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MOTHER'S CLUB.

The regular meeting of the Mothers' Club of the Y.M.C.A. will be held to-morrow, Wednesday afternoon, in the Y.M.C.A. building at 3 o'clock. A report of the Women's Meeting at Kingston will be given. Will every member please be present.

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create an atmosphere of memories that cannot be forgotten by new conditions. Even horses are now provided with "rest homes," Toronto being the latest city to establish an equine hospital. Miss Underwood thought so much of her faithful friend, an Underwood No. 5, that she gave it a "rest cure" at Nelson's, where it was thoroughly renovated and now is as good as new. Nelson's Typewriter Co., Opposite Oriental.

AUCTION SALE

Of house and lot containing one acre of land, brick cottage in fine shape, good stabling, etc., on Concession street, south, the property of Mr Wm. Johnston; also his stock and implements will be sold by auction on Wednesday, December 20th, at 1:30 p.m. The property will be sold on terms to suit purchaser, monthly payments if desired. See Auctioneer, W. J. Hancock, 494 George St. 3d-9-12-16

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TO-DAY'S WAR NEWS

(Continued from Page 5.)

LONDON, December 12.—The new Government leader in the House of Commons, Andrew Bonar Law, to-day moved an adjournment of that body until Thursday. At that time he said Premier Lloyd George would move a vote of credit.

WASHINGTON, December 12.—Premier Lloyd George will discuss Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg's peace proposals when the former addresses the House of Commons, according to the British Embassy officials here to-day.

These officials said they believe the Premier might outline England's ideas on peace proposals.

Pending his coming speech the Embassy referred to Lloyd George's recent statement to the United Press for England's ideas on peace.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Germany's peace proposals according to the German Embassy official, will include the suggestion that the territorial status of the nations engaged be returned "practically" to what it was before the war started.

It was learned here on the highest authority that the proposals were based on the restoration of all territorial status as it existed before the war, except to create independent kingdoms of Poland and Lithuania.

Although he has no appointment, it is expected Ambassador Von Bernstorff will see President Wilson and thoroughly discuss with him the whole matter.

In diplomatic circles it was said Germany's action must have been partly determined by the success of the Roumanian campaign and by the Cabinet crisis in England and France. The peace conference, if it comes, will probably be held either at Berne, Switzerland, or at The Hague, it was predicted.

Bulgarian Posts Captured By Allies

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, Dec. 12 — All operations north of Monastir have been hindered by snow fall, but the allied forces nevertheless took five small Bulgarian posts on the right bank of the Vardar, to-day's official statement reported.

LONDON Dec. 12 — Premier Lloyd George was feeling better to-day after the chill which forced him to bed yesterday. His physicians, however, ordered that he remain indoors for another day or two.

PARIS, Dec. 12.—(French Official Communique)—A German attack in the wood of Deabgres, north of Lassigny, was stopped yesterday evening, to-day's official statement asserted.

The usual cannonading and fire accounts operations were reported elsewhere along the front.

OTTAWA, Dec. 12.—Hearst film service as well as the Hearst newspapers publication have been barred from Canada. These include international film company and Hearst Selwig news service which have been strong in many moving picture theatres throughout Canada in the past.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—Text of Chancellor Von Bethmann Hollweg's speech in the Reichstag as reported by official German press bureau does not intimate on what basis Germany will consider peace. He emphasized the importance to Germany of recent Rumanian victories and spoke appreciatively of the genius and work of von Hindenburg.

He instanced Germany's hold on the western front as showing that she could never be beaten from that quarter. The speech evidently left a basis of negotiations to be arranged and announced later.

DESERTED SENTENCED IN HUB.

BOSTON, Dec. 11.—Charged with desertion from the British army and with non-support of his blind wife and three-year-old child, George C. Latham, 23, of Nova Scotia, was sentenced to six months in the House of Correction.

FIGHTING LIQUOR IN HUB.

BOSTON, Dec. 11.—The greatest fight Boston has ever seen against the granting of licenses to liquor dealers got under way here last week. Forty thousand letters were mailed to voters. One hundred thousand are prepared for distribution at the polls.

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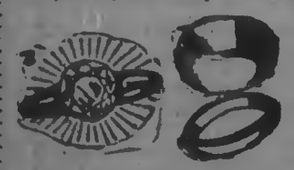

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GIRLS WANTED—For Primer Department. Apply Canadian General Electric Co. 5d.135

Social and Personal

Mr. Harry Grubbe returned yesterday to Toronto.

Rev. A. W. and Mrs. MacKenzie, and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Tate, motored in from Lakefield last night to see the fire at the Quaker Oats.

Miss Dorothy Hilliard, Lakefield, who has been the guest of friends in the city, returned home to-day.

Mr. Joseph Wearing, has been suddenly called to Orillia, near which his father resides, by the serious illness of the latter. The summons comes to Mr. Wearing at a busy time, as his presence as librarian of the Peterborough Law Association, is urgently needed, not to speak of his being counsel in a case in the county court now sitting.

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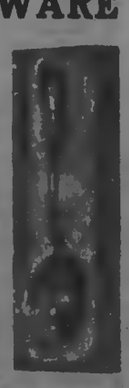

FOR THE BABY GIRL we suggest the gift of a Tea Spoon, and continue each Christmas to give the child one or more pieces of same pattern.

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ST. JOHN'S CHOIR.

St. John's choir will meet at 8 p.m. to-night for the final rehearsal of the music for the choral recital on Thursday next. Choristers are asked to be in their places so as to commence promptly on time.

COOK BOOK.

The revised and enlarged edition of The Summer Fair Cook Book for sale at Bellegheim's, and Alexander and Miller's, at reduced prices, 25c. These make a useful Christmas gift. 4d-12-13-19-22

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In the past month we have received many articles of gift presentation that cannot be duplicated elsewhere such as

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PROBABILITIES.

Strong north-east winds, with local snow falls and flurries, becoming much colder to-day and on Wednesday.

NOTICE.

The local grocers met on Wednesday in the Oriental parlour, the last meeting of the year and officers will be elected. Every grocer in the city should be at this meeting. 2d-137

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. P. Hefferman and family take this means of expressing their thanks to their many friends for the sympathy extended them in their sad bereavement. Also for the beautiful floral offerings, and to the friends who were so kind to their mother in her illness.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. Houghton, Orpington Road, wishes to thank her friends and neighbours, the Soldiers' Wives' and Mother's Club and the firm of Gordon and Widdifield for their kindness and help in connection with the death at the front of her husband, Pte. Geo. Houghton, killed in action.

Mrs. Houghton has received news that her son, Scout Joe Houghton, of the 21st Battalion, badly wounded some time ago, is doing nicely at the Canadian Casualty Assembly centre at Shorehan.

M.P.'S WHO'RE COMING HOME

Back to Canada to Help in Recruiting Campaigns.

OTTAWA, Dec. 11.—The Canadian members of Parliament and officers who were mentioned as being likely to return from England and France to Canada to engage in a recruiting campaign, are: W. H. Sharpe, J. H. Burnham, Stuart Vernon, T. C. Treadwell, E. N. Lewis, A. C. Pratt, G. N. Fowler, J. B. Taylor. Some of them at least are said to be physically unfit for active service.

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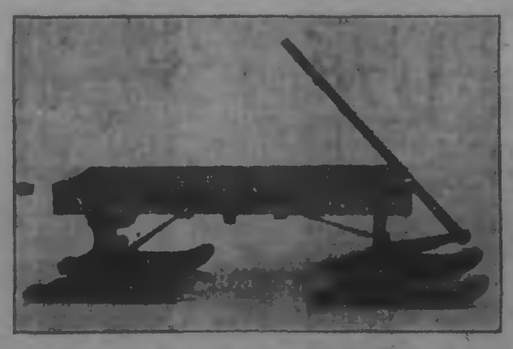

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Flyer Suicide For Comrade

LONDON, Dec. 12.—Out on the Libyan desert, where the British camel corps is operating, a little mound of stones marks the point where Second Lieut. Stewart Gordon Ridley vainly sacrified his life to save that of an air mechanic named J. A. Garside.

Ridley, an aviator operating with the Imperial camel corps, with Garside and another pilot, went out on a scouting trip last June and after flying for half an hour Ridley's machine broke down. After making camp for the night the other pilot decided to return to the base for assistance and return the next day to pick up Ridley and Garside. Upon his return the men had disappeared and it was only after four days' search that their bodies were found.

Diary Tells of Tragedy.

A diary kept by Garside shows how the two men ran short of water and how Ridley, hoping that Garside might survive on the few drops of water remaining, shot himself. The diary reads:

"Friday—Mr. Gardiner left for Meharig, and said he would come back and pick one of us up. After he went we tried to get the machine going, and succeeded in flying about twenty-five minutes. We tinkered with the engine and succeeded in flying about five miles Saturday.

"Sunday"We are so weak we can't get the engine started. Water running short, only half a bottle. Mr. Ridley suggested walking up the hills and we eventually got there; very done up. Walked back; about a teaspoonful of water left. At 10.30 to-night Mr. Ridley shot himself while my back was turned. No more water; don't now how to go on; got one Very light; can't last much longer.

"Monday—Thought of water in compass, got half a bottle; seems to be some kind of spirit. Can last another day. Fired Lewis gun, about four rounds; shall fire my Very light to-night; last hope unless help comes. Could last days if had water."

No Doubt of Sacrifice.

In making a report of the tragedy, the captain of the Imperial camel corps attached Garside's diary, and wrote beneath:

"There is no doubt in my mind that Ridley shot himself in the hope of saving Garside."

SCHOOL SLATES MAY RETURN

BALTIMORE, Dec. 11.—The old-fashioned slate may find its way into the schools of the country again, because of the high price and scarcity of paper. The supply of "practice pads" of paper here will last only until January 1.

TWO MORE FIRE VICTIMS ADDED TO LIST OF DEAD

One Man Passed Away in Nicholls Hospital and the Body of Another Was Recovered From the Ruins

Two more names have been added to the "known" death list of fire victims. This brings the list of known dead up to seven, with at least eleven missing. Patrick O'Connell, who resides at 467 Parnell street, died in Nicholls Hospital at three o'clock this morning, while late yesterday afternoon the remains of Thomas Parsons were recovered from the ruins. It is hardly likely that the death list can be below eighteen, as present figures show seven dead and eleven missing. There are a number of severly injured men in the two local hospitals, some of whom may not recover.

The work of clearing away the ruins and searching for the dead began yesterday. As six o'clock last evening all available male employees of the Quaker Oats were put to work in two gangs, one at the north end of the plant and the other at the north-east corner. The men worked all through the night, aided by electric lights, which were strung over parts of the ruins where the fire burned its way out. It is the intention of the Company to continue the work until every body is recovered.

WILL EXCLUDE ALL ASIATICS

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—The Senate votes to exclude all Asiatics.

ARRESTED ON A MURDER CHARGE

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Dec. 13.—Bertram Spain, aged 16, arrested here charged with the murder of a farmer and his wife at Stonewall, Manitoba.

Canadians Tell of Poor Treatment

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec. 13.—Seven Canadian soldiers from German prison camps tell of poor treatment.

CANADIANS GIVEN MILITARY MEDAL

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec. 13.—Large number of Canadians given the Military Medal.

RESIGNS AS PROTEST.

VICTORIA, Dec. 11.—A. W. McCurdy, member of the Legislature for Esquimault, has tendered his resignation to Premier Brewster, during the recount now proceeding in his constituency as a protest against the manner of taking the soldiers' vote in England.

Healthful Food for the Children

The same healthful qualities that exist in ripe grapes, a natural, wholesome food, are conveyed to cakes, biscuits, muffins and pastry made with Royal Baking Powder.

Hence, Royal insures food that is always safe, and is the baking powder which should be used in the preparation of flour foods for the children. Many of the cheaper baking powders are made from materials derived from mineral sources which have no food value.

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How Lloyd George's Ministers Are Fitted For Their Various Posts

Who's Who in the New British Cabinet—The Leader Started Life as an Inconspicuous Welsh Solicitor—Bonar Law Was An Iron Merchant

A LOGICAL LEADER

David Lloyd George was denounced in Tory circles just before the war began as the man who was "dragging the country to the dogs."

Starting life as an inconspicuous Welsh solicitor, he escaped notice until 1890, when, at the age of 27, he entered Parliament as Member from Carnavon, Wales. Five years later he was appointed a member of the Campbell-Bannermann Cabinet, holding the portfolio of President of the Board of Trade. When Asquith became Premier in April, 1908, Mr. Lloyd George took over the portfolio of Chancellor of the Exchequer, where he soon became the best hated enemy of the Tories and a popular idol of the people at large. In this capacity, during the period of August, 1914, to June, 1915, he had Parliament pledge the unprecedented sum of $4,510,000,000 for carrying on the war.

Since then he has grown in popular esteem and power until he was looked upon as the logical leader for the kingdom in the present crisis. In response to this sentiment, the King sent for him on Dec. 7 and offered him the post of Premier, which he accepted.

Andrew Bonar Law, who has been a member of Parliament for sixteen years, was an iron merchant, and formerly a member of the firms of William Kidstons & Sons and William Jacks & Co., both of Glasgow. He was born in Canada, and is the first colonial to head the Unionist Party.

Mr. Law was appointed Secretary of State for the Colonies in the Coalition Cabinet formed last year after being leader of the Opposition in the House of Parliament since 1911.

Lord Curzon, who is 57 years old, has had long experience in foreign affairs, his most important post being Viceroy of India, where he served during 1899-1905. Prior to this he had been Under-Secretary of State for India, and later for Foreign Affairs. He has been Lord of the Privy Seal of England since 1915. Since the beginning of the war he has been active in the recruiting campaign.

Arthur Henderson, leader of the Labour Party in the House of Commons, resigned from the Asquith Cabinet, in which he held the post of President of the Board of Education, on August of this year. On Nov. 8 he was appointed Minister of Pensions, a newly-created post made necessary by the war. He started life as a moulder in the works of Robert Stephenson & Co. Mr. Henderson has been a member of Parliament since 1903, and during 1908-10 was Chairman of the Parliamentary Labour Party.

Lord Milner, who was among those mentioned as successor to Lord Kitchener as Secretary for War, has long been identified with Egypt and South Africa. He has had a distinguished record as a colonial administrator, and he has been one of the leading advocates of conscription.

Arthur James Balfour, who was Foreign Secretary from 1878 to 1880, was appointed First Lord of the Admiralty on May 26, 1915, after serving in Parliament for forty years. He became Unionist leader of the House of Commons in 1891, and during 1902-05, was Prime Minister.

Lord Derby, who was appointed to take charge of recruiting on Oct. 9, 1915, at the request of the late Lord Kitchener, later became War Secretary. He served also as a Lord of the Treasury.

Sir Edward Carson, who served as Attorney General in the former coalition cabinet, has long been identified with Ulster as the North of Ireland leader. Sir Edward resigned from the Cabinet on Oct. 19, 1915, because he found himself at variance with the rest of the Cabinet on the Balkan policy.

On Nov. 27 it was announced from London that he was active in attempting to overthrow the Asquith Cabinet, which he planned to replace with a so-called National Cabinet, in which he was to be Secretary of War and Lloyd George Premier.

The new Lord High Chancellor, **Sir Robert Ramsayne Finlay**, has

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Peace Terms Not Likely To Be Accepted

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec. 13.—Overnight consideration of Germany's peace terms indicates their rejection

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Official opinion here is that Germany can offer no peace terms that the Allies will accept at present.

LONDON, Dec. 13.—Evening papers says unless the Central Powers are ready to surrender Constantinople and the Straits to Russia, restore Alsace and Lorraine to France, evacuate occupied territory and make due reparation, to-day's proposals are not likely to materially affect the war.

HAVRE, Dec. 13.—Germany has made an offer to Belgium for a separate peace.

SO SUCCEED GEN. JOFFRE

Examiner Special:

PARIS, Dec. 12.—General Nivelle appointed to command the French armies of the north and northeast in Joffre's place. It is officially announced that Admiral Du Fornet, commanding the Allied fleet in Greek waters has been replaced by Admiral Gauchier.

The German Rush Has Been Halted

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, Dec. 13.—German rush in Roumania halted. Russians and Roumanians now on the offensive. Enemy attacks in the Buzeu Valley were unsuccessful.

FOUR KILLED IN ZEPPELIN RAID

Special to Examiner

LONDON, Dec. 13.—One man and three women killed and thirty-seven injured in the last Zeppelin raid, November 27th it is officially announced

PULLMAN CAR FOR WOUNDED

MONCTON, N.B., Dec. 11.—At the request of the Military Hospitals Commission several Pullman cars are being converted into hospital cars, to be used in transporting returned wounded soldiers from the port of landing in Canada to interior points.

A Slump In Wheat Prices

Germany's Proposed Peace Terms Cause a Decline in the Market —Cattle Prices

There was a heavy slump in wheat prices yesterday immediately on receipt of the news that Germany proposed peace. On the decline the shorts promptly jumped in to buy, and this movement steadied the market, for a time, but later weakened, and closing 10c lower than Monday. Cash prices followed suit, and are off 5c on Ontario and 10c. on Manitobas.

Manitoba wheat, No. 2 Northern, $1.58 1-4 rack, bay ports; No. 3, $1.55 1-4; No. 3, $1.79 1-4; No. 4, $1.66; old crop, 4c above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W. 61 1-2c.; No. 3, 56 3-4c.; No. 2 extra feed, 59 3-4c; No. 2 feed, 58 3-4c.

Manitoba corn—No. 2 nominal, No. 3, new, $1.03. December shipment subject to embargo, track, Toronto.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 60c. to 62c., No. 3 white 59c. to 61c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter per car lot, $1.63 to $1.65; No. 3, $1.61 to $1.63.

Peas — No. 2, nominal, car lots, $2.40.

Barley — Good milling, $1.18 to $1.20; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal $1.26.

Rye— No. 1 commercial, nominal; No. 2, new, $1.36 to $1.38.

Manitoba flour, First patents, in jute bags, $9.80, second patents, in jute, $9.40; strong bakers, in jute, $9.20, Toronto.

Ontario flour —New winter, $7 to $7.10, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment.

Car lots delivered, Montreal shorts, $37; bran, $33; feed flour, per bag, $2.80; middlings, $38 to $40.

Hay—Baled, No. 1, track, Toronto best grade new hay, car lots, $10.50 to $12.50; No. 2, $10 to $11.50; straw, $9 to $9.50.

Cattle Markets.

Receipts at the Union Stock Yards yesterday were 61 cars, made up of 834 cattle, 130 calves, 974 hogs, 677 sheep and lambs.

Trade was not quite so brisk as on Monday's market. For Christmas beef quality cattle prices are firm and range anywhere from $9 to $11.50. Good to choice butcher loads are steady to firm at $8.60 to $9. For the medium qualities there was not quite so keen a demand, though prices held just about steady. Good cows, canners, and cutters are all very firm and in good demand.

Sheep are very firm and higher. Lambs firm.

Hogs steady with last week's closing quotations.

Latest quotations:

Heavy steers, choice	$9.25 to $9.50
Choice butcher	8.50 9.00
do good	8.00 8.35
do medium	7.60 7.25
do common	6.25 6.50
Heifers, good to choice	7.00 7.25
do medium	6.25 6.75
Butcher cows, choice	6.25 7.00
do medium	5.75 6.25
Butcher bulls, choice	6.85 7.50
do good	6.50 6.60
do medium	5.00 5.50
Feeders 900 to 1,000 lbs.	6.50 7.00
do bulls	5.25 5.75
Stockers, 700 to 800 lbs.	6.25 6.40
do med., 600 to 750 lbs.	5.80 6.00
do light 600 to 650 lbs	5.00 5.75
Canners	4.50 4.40
Cutters	4.50 5.25
Sheep, light	8.50 9.50
do heavy	7.50 8.00
Spring lambs	10.75 12.50
Calves	8.00 12.00
Hogs, fed and watered	11.75
do weighed off cars	12.00
do f.o.b.	10.75 11.00

Messina Has Arrived Safely At St. John's

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

ST. JOHN Dec. 13.—Furness Liner Messina six days over due, arrived safe to-day

LONDON, Dec. 13.—Berlin's claim of sinking two Allied transports in the Mediterranean, November 28th is wholly incorrect says an official press bureau to-day.

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Actor Hewlett Enters Service For His Country

LONDON, Dec. 12.—William Hewlett, the likewise gifted young brother of the distinguished author of "The Forest Lovers," is the latest of many British writers to don khaki. Some time ago Hewlitt, who until then had combined the professions of novelist and actor, decided to devote himself entirely to authorship.

On the stage he had been known as "O. Henty" and he had done useful work in sock and buskin, but, once his resolution was taken, he proceeded to bid the theatrical world, farewell, and for the sake of peace and quiet to write and settled down in the little town of Redruth, in Cornwall.

HOPES TO FINISH NOVEL.

Already known to renown on both sides of the Atlantic as the author of "The Child at the Window," "Introducing William Allison," and two or three other novels dealing with bohemian existence in this metropolis, Hewlett, as soon as he was settled, began work on a new romance.

Meanwhile, however, as a patriotic Briton, he had "attested" (i. e., volunteered under the Derby scheme for service when required) and has just "joined up", as the phrase goes. He hopes, however, he says, to be able to complete his new novel during the course of his military training. Besides his books, Hewlett has written both the libretti and the score of several quite successful musical comedies.

PRICHARD WINS MEDAL

Another soldier-author, who has been in France almost since the beginning of things, is steadily adding to his martial honours. This is Temporary Capt. Hesketh Vernon Hesketh Prichard, who, before the war, was equally renowned as a novelist, traveler, big game hunter and 'fast bowler' of the cricket field.

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*12.19 p.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N.B., Boston, and New York.
*3.10 p.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed Perth, Smith's Falls, and Ottawa.
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*2.34 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
*7.20 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York. Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
*9.15—a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port McNichol and intermediate points.
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OUR SERIAL STORY

"DESTINY"

By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday)

Kirk had exhausted his line of argument and fell silent but Jack Staples stepped into the breach. Staples himself was no mean type of financier, holding as he did a commission as one of Malone's chief lieutenant's. He was a striking man with a lower jaw, which thrust itself aggressively forward and a single white lock over his forehead, though except for that the blackness of his hair bore no touch of gray even at the temples.

"I hate the lot of them!" he announced vehemently. "I hate this upstart Cyclops and his conscienceless power. I hate the pampered brother—but Thayre is right. Great God in heaven, gentlemen, it is a family of geniuses. Stop and reflect. Fifteen years ago they were bare-footed, ragged, half-starved, the whole brood. Now consider them. Hamilton is magnificent, ruthless, but almost omnipotent. He is one of the world's few blazing and dazzling figures. As for Paul, in spite of his weakness, he is inspirational. His genius is no less intrinsic. I am not emotional, but I have heard them all play and that boy can carry me out of myself as no other artist can, professional or amateur, to whom I have ever listened. He is a gifted troubadour. His fingers control the magic of harmony as his brother's control the magic of money. For my part I'd rather be Paul than Hamilton. Hamilton will be hated to death—by men, but Paul will be loved to death—by women."

"Well," suggested another member of the group drily, "when one New York family can move as stolid an old cynic as Staples to eulogy, it must be some family."

"I tell you," protested Staples hotly, "I hate them," but we gain nothing by belittling our enemies. It sets a man's imagination afire to see a strain of remarkable blood proclaiming itself in so diverse a fashion through the members of one household; a household that has come from the pinch of want. Take the girl Loraine her beauty out of the question because beauty is not genius. But her mind is as trenchant as her brother's. She could reign on any throne in Europe and stand out as conspicuous in brilliant contrast to that colorless royalty as a torch flaming among candles. I will wager that her courage is as unflinching as his and her gifts as varied and remarkable. Why, even old Tom, the father, is for all his seeming of pompous emptiness, the craftiest and cagiest old chap in the National Union Club. He plays rotten bridge but he still has a brain in his old head."

"I suppose as far as that goes," commented Mr. Kirk, fortified by the entry of a new disputant into the argument, "that even Nero had his attractive angles of personality."

Thayre laughed and lighted a cigarette. Then as he inhaled deeply he nodded and replied.

"I hold no brief for Nero, but I dare say that he was a bit misunderstood."

"Since you have undertaken the modern Nero's defense, suppose you catalogue his good points—aside from a conceded brilliancy in finance," suggested another member of the group.

The Englishman nodded, and began his summary.

"An unswerving loyalty to his friends—until they are guilty of *lese majeste*; a personal integrity which no man questions; a wit which makes him in his lighter moments a rare companion; a generosity as broad as his fighting ruthlessness is deep; and finally, a lion-like courage. To me, my lads, those assets seem worth a moment's consideration."

The gardens and grounds of Haverley Lodge were that night such a terrain as best suits the ambuscading warfare of the small god with the bow and darts.

Loraine Haswell was thinking something of the sort as she strolled with Paul Burton away from the dancers leaving their destination to chance. Kirk had hardly exaggerated when he bracketed the name of this slender and graceful wife of the gigantic broker with that of Mary Burton as the two most beautiful women in society.

They were opposite types, for while Mary was a glowing incarnation of color, rich as a golden morning in blossom time, Lorraine, with heavy masses of softly spun jet coiled above her brow, looking out from eyes that were pools of liquid darkness, might have been the queen of night. But her mouth was a carmine blossom. This evening she wore a gown almost barbaric in its richness of color and pattern, and when she walked ahead of Paul Burton where the path narrowed, it seemed to him that some slim and lithe Cleopatra was preceding him. The waltz music came across the short distance and Loraine Haswell went with a step that captured the rhythm of the measure. When they had come to a corner of the garden where a fountain tinkled in shadow and only a lacey strand or two of moonlight fell on the grass, she halted with out outstretched arms resting lightly on the tall basin and let her fingers dip into the clear water while she turned to smile on him.

"Do you know, Mrs. Haswell, Paul spoke low and with a whimsical thrill in his voice, "you are the loveliest creature in captivity to-night? Your loveliness is to a man's imagination what Wilde said white hyacinths are to the soul—worth going without any bread for."

She laughed, but into her mirth there crept or was injected as the case may be, a note of wistfulness.

"In captivity," she repeated, slowly. "I am always in captivity."

With most men Paul was diffident and prone to silence but something in his effete nature gave him confidence with women. He had been flattered into a sort of assurance that they found him irresistible. They thought him clairvoyantly sympathetic—and he was by the very over-refinement of his music and dream-fed temperament.

"The other evening when I left you, I went home and closed my eyes, and sat alone—thinking of you," he told her. "To me all that is fine beyond words I try to translate into music. Where words—even poetry—fail, notes begin. So at the piano I try to express something like a portrayal of you—to myself."

She seated herself on a stone bench while he stood looking at her. Her head was for a moment bent and something in the droop of her shoulders intimated unhappiness.

"Does my improvising music about you offend?" He put the question very gently. "You know that I go to the piano as another man might go to his prayers."

She looked up and shook her head. Then she said softly. "Offend me? No, it makes me very proud. I was just thinking of something else that troubled me."

"Of the word you used just now—captivity?"

He seated himself at her side and his hand fell to the edge of the stone bench—where his own fingers lightly rested. The cool satiny touch of the hand his own encountered, which she made no effort to withdraw affected him as though a clear and silvery note had sounded near him.

Paul was one of those whose senses were exquisitely attuned.

"Mrs. Haswell—Loraine," he said, and his voice was seductively tender "you are unhappy."

Slowly she nodded her dark head, and her voice was a whisper. "Yes—Paul, I'm afraid I am just that."

It was the first time they had called each other by their first names. It was the first time that the gradually ripening intimacy between them had had a more propitious setting, that a table at Sherry's. Paul Burton had awaited this moment patiently, knowing that it must sometime come. Now he bent toward her until her hair brushed his face.

"It is your right to find life a thing of joy," he whispered. "Your soul is a flower. It should have the fulness and the radiance of sunshine."

"Our rights," she said slowly, "are not always the things we get."

"But just why are you unhappy?" he insisted.

"I guess you summed it up in that one word, Paul—captivity."

Paul Burton, the easily swayed, the facilely led, rose and paced up and down, and after a few moments he halted before her.

"Doesn't he—your jailer—appreciate you, Loraine?"

She shrugged her lovely shoulders and looked up at him, smiling through lashes that glistened a little.

"As much I suppose, as a man can appreciate a woman whom he fails to understand. It's not his fault."

"Of course he—cares for you?"

Loraine Haswell shot him a quick inquiring glance. "Yes," she smiled, "he cares enough to persecute me with little jealousies. He cares enough to want me to make love to him when—" she halted and put both hands over her face; through her slight figure ran a faint shudder—"when I can't."

The man pressed his tapering fingers to his temples. He must seem agitated and his emotions lay so ready to call that seeming so was almost being so. Yet in the back of his mind was the thought: "She will be in my arms in five minutes."

Suddenly she rose from her seat. "I oughtn't to say such things to you," she declared in a voice freighted with self-accusation. "Please forget it, Paul. But it is a thing that you can understand. You know the emptiness of a life that deals only with material things."

He leaned forward with one knee on the bench and one hand on the fountain basin. She was beautiful and his heart responded to her beauty's challenge.

"To me you can say anything. In me you will always find one who has no interest above your interests."

He stooped and took her hands, but she shook her head in gentle negation and as he obeyed the unuttered mandates, she rewarded him with a smile date and let his own arms fall at his that thrilled him like an embrace.

"Len is fine, and big, and everybody likes him," went on the wife as though bent on being fair at all cost. "Sometimes I think that is the trouble. It's like being married to a standing army. In times of peace one does not need a standing army, and in times of war it is me that he makes war on."

Loraine rose and started toward the house. Paul followed her, appraising her beauty with eyes into which a new interest had come. In a moment she turned and halted so suddenly that the man found her face close to his as she spoke. "I don't know what the matter is with me to-night. I feel faint and giddy—and full of undefined longings. I shan't sleep—unless—unless" she looked questioningly up at him—"unless you will play for me, Paul. Will you?"

Then she put out both hands and swayed unsteadily. Paul caught her in his arms and pressed her to him. The fragrance of her breath and the velvet coolness of the cheek he found himself kissing were details that brought an exquisite responsiveness to his senses. He did not know if she had fainted or was still conscious, for she rested there in his embrace limp and unresisting and wordless.

"What is the matter, dearest?" he whispered, when the first flush of exultation had passed. "What is the matter?"

Slowly the dark fringe of lashes flickered up and the jet eyes gazed languorously into his own. The blossom lips parted over the flashing whiteness of a smile. Still she did not move except to close both her hands tightly on the arms that circled her.

"Paul," she told him, "I ought to be unconscious or—or break away, but I'm just—just forgetting my captivity."

Her eyes held his, drawing them hypnotically nearer and he lowered his face till his lips met hers and received from them the answer to his kiss.

Then Loraine Haswell drew away, and straightened up. She was a very lovely picture of contrite confusion as she put up both gleaming arms and rearranged the dark hair he had rumpled. All the way to the house she was silent.

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A Legend of Anti-science Days

By ESTHER VANDEVEER

The difference between an old fashioned music box and one worked phonographically is that the former is mechanical, while the latter is a reproduction of the feeling of the musician. The Swiss people have for many years ranked first in the building of musical mechanical contrivances and have brought them as near perfection as they can be made.

Several hundred years ago David Kloekke, a Genevese maker of music boxes, became ambitious to produce a music box that would give one song so perfectly that the feeling thrown into it by the singer would be reproduced. He certainly had a great advantage in executing his work. He was deeply in love with a girl who sang exquisitely. Indeed, it was her rendition of a ballad that suggested it.

"Why can I not make a box that will give that expression?" he asked himself. "I can produce harmony with my metal tongues, but not feeling." Then he resolved that he would make the attempt.

When he told Hilda, the girl he loved, that he wished her to sing for him that he might reproduce her song in a music box she saw the impossibility of accomplishing such a feat; but, preferring to humor him and supposing that she would be only required to sing to him a few times to convince him that he could not accomplish what he had undertaken, she assented. A simple love song was selected, and when Kloekke had his material and tools ready to reproduce the notes she began to sing, first giving the entire song that he might become imbued with the melody.

As soon as she had finished he asked her to sing the first few notes again. This she did, and he asked her to sing them again and again, while he endeavored to imitate them on his metal prongs. Hilda very soon not only grew tired of this, but, being tired, her singing lost all its charm. This irritated her and her lover, the result being a violent quarrel. Hilda ran away and left him to relieve her feelings in tears.

While Kloekke was sitting at his work table brooding over his failure and his break with the girl he loved the door opened and a woman entered.

"I have heard," she said, "what has taken place in your effort to reproduce human feeling in song. It requires a great deal of patience on the part of one who sings for you. Let me try, and possibly you may be able to reproduce my song."

The man assented, and the woman began to sing. She, too, sang her entire song before he began to work. From the first note he seemed thrilled with something he had never felt before. The song was weird. Kloekke seemed to hear spirit voices calling, now soft and low, now rising in a wail. When the woman had finished the song she repeated the first few notes. Kloekke succeeded easily in repeating every one, giving it exactly as it was sung. She sang a few more notes, and those he reproduced with equal success.

Kloekke was delighted. Running into the room where Hilda was, he called to her that he had succeeded in his effort. He expected that she would rejoice with him at his success. Instead, she looked at him angrily and told him that since he had found another who could do what she could not do he might take the other for a sweetheart. He was very much astonished at this, for he had always found Hilda's disposition of the sweetest. However, after much coaxing he persuaded her to go with him into the room where he had worked.

The woman who had sung for him had gone. After looking about for her and not finding her Kloekke wound up the music box and set it moving. The first note had a peculiar effect on Hilda and, through her, on her lover. She gave him a look of hate that remained on her face as long as the song lasted. This naturally produced a madness in him which spurred him on to strike her. He had raised his clinched fist to do so when the song ceased.

Kloekke lowered his arm and heaved a deep drawn sigh. Hilda wept. He attempted to encircle her with his arms, but she thrust him away.

A hammer lay on his work table, and, taking it up, he struck the music box a blow that sent its parts flying over the room. Then, turning to Hilda again, she put out her arms to him, and they met in an embrace.

"Who was she?" asked the girl in trembling voice.

"I don't know," was the reply.

"A malignant spirit. Where is the crucifix you keep on the shelf?"

Kloekke looked at the empty shelf, then about the room. The crucifix was under the work table. Her feet had been upon it.

Such is a legend of a time when science had not yet driven away the hobgoblins. Who would have then thought that expression as well as harmony would eventually be produced on the phonograph? Till its invention music boxes were made, becoming more and more perfect every year. But no one could play into them or sing into them and have the feeling, the expression, the humorous sympathy of the musician, reproduced. It remained for the phonograph to do this. And who can doubt that if a phonograph giving an "Ave Maria" sung by a present day prima donna could have been sprung upon a people of the middle ages they would have considered it a miracle?

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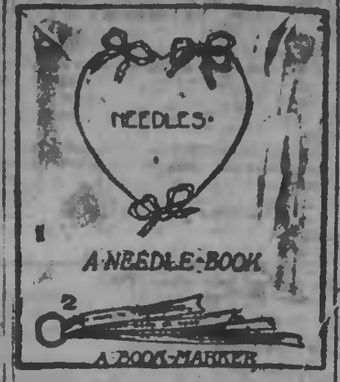
The pretty heart-shaped needle-book shown in Fig. 1 has a pair of covers made of two pieces of cardboard, measuring three and one-half inches each way, and four leaves of the same shape and size cut out of white or pretty colored flannel. Place the flannel hearts between the covers, and pierce two holes through both covers and leaves each side of the center of the top. Then pull a piece of narrow ribbon through the holes and tie a small bow. Fasten pieces of ribbon to the lower points of the heart, both front and back, by which to tie the little case shut when not in use. Mark



"Needles" upon the front cover with ink or water colors.

Fig. 2 shows a book-marker made of one and one-fourth yards of No. 7, white satin or grosgrain ribbon. Cut the ribbon into two pieces, one piece measuring 13 inches and the other 24 inches, and pull them half way through a little brass ring such as is used in crochet work, fastening them in place with a few stitches. To complete the marker, letter the following upon the ribbons with black ink or water colors, placing one line of the stanza on each ribbon end:

"Not mine to tell
If the book is good;
But I keep my place
As a marker should."

The triangular-shaped book-marker shown in Fig. 3 is cut from a piece

of white writing paper seven inches square. Fold the square in half, diagonally, and cut along the folded line. Then take one-half and fold it in half

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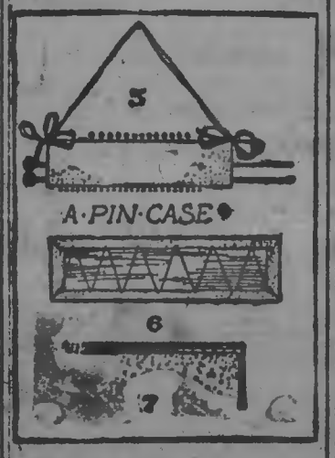
LINE. The dotted line in Fig. 4 indicates where to fold. Punch holes through the folded piece near one open end (these holes are indicated on the unfolded piece), and with narrow ribbon lace the edges together, and tie the ribbon ends in a bow. Cut a picture from a magazine and paste it upon the front. This little marker slips over the corner of the page you want to mark.

The pin case shown in Fig. 5 requires two pieces of cardboard each



six inches long and one and one-half inches wide. Cover each piece with pretty silk, turning over the edges of the silk and basting on the wrong side, as shown in Fig. 6. Then lay the pieces together, and sew the edges over and over as indicated in Fig. 7. Fasten a ribbon to the ends of one long side by which to hang up the case (Fig. 5).

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COAL GOING UP.

SASKATOON, Dec. 11. — Coal that cost $7.80 a ton last winter will cost $8.80 a ton this winter. A telegram has been received here from the mines at Drumheller telling of another raise at the rate of fifty cents a ton. This is the second rise this winter.

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Santa's Christmas

By MARY D. ARNOTT

Lindenette struggled vainly with the tears that squeezed at last through tired eyelids. It was not often that the brave little homemaker gave way to grief, but in the present moment she seemed unable to control her emotion.

In the next room childish voices prattled joyously. Lindenette had not found the heart to tell them that Christmas would have to come and go without the much heralded visit from Santa Claus. Since the loss of both parents Lindenette had managed to keep a roof over the heads of her small brother and sister and had provided food for their slight frames. What did it matter if her cheeks had lost their roses and her lips their cheery bloom? The smile lingered. That was all that mattered.

She brushed her tears aside and arose to answer an unexpected summons from the knocker. She looked her surprise at the great man who stood on her tiny porch.

"I have come in search of one Linden Lane," the stranger said with a smile to which the girl responded.

"The name is unusual," admitted Lindenette, "and my own is even more impossible—being Lindenette Lane. May I ask you in from the cold?" She opened the door and Marvin Goodwin entered the pitifully barren room into which she led him. His eyes followed the girl rather than the contents of the room.

Two small, pale faces peered at him from the kitchen door, and Goodwin smiled at them.

"Do I look like Santa Claus?" he asked them by way of breaking the ice.

"No, you don't," returned the boy, bluntly. "Besides, Linda says it may be too cold for Santa Claus to come out this year." There was a wail from the little sister, and the boy strove vainly to conceal his disappointment at this announcement.

Linda gave them each a hug and told them to run along. When they had gone she turned to Goodwin with inquiry in her eyes.

"My errand is a pleasant one," he said quickly, for his own voice was none too controlled. "It will add to your happiness, I know." He drew a newspaper from his pocket, and after consulting it, asked: "Your father, Linden Lane? Did he live in Stillwater, Minn., 22 years ago?"

"Yes," replied Linda, with a flush of excitement leading roses to her cheeks. "I was born there."

"Then, to come directly to the point," Goodwin told her, "we find two deposits of $25 each in two of our banks there. One Linden J. Lane opened the account 22 years ago."

Linda laughed softly. "My father used always to fear bank failures, and put small amounts in many banks." She turned sparkling eyes upon Goodwin. "We thought we had collected all his savings," she said.

"These two nests were undiscovered," the man laughed, "and the bank have been laying golden eggs. You

"Three hundred dollars! Oh!" she impulsively held out her two toil-worn little hands. "It is a fortune! The children! They can hang their Santa Claus!"

Goodwin found himself feeling happier than he remembered having felt before. Was it the knowledge that he had been the Good Fairy in this small family, or was it something more subtle, more wonderful that had crept into his mind?

He laughed a little nervously. "I am going to ask for immediate payment for the joy I have found for you," he said and when Linda's questioning eyes met his he said, impetuously: "Let me come to-morrow—and help make Christmas glad for the children. May I come?"

Linda glanced at him with a new shyness. "Yes," she said, simply. "If you like I will go with you to help get that Christmas tree."

Next morning Linda and the children were up early.

The crackling of the fire as it roared up the stovepipe created a spirit of cheerfulness that greeted Marvin Goodwin when he presented himself at an early hour.

"Oh!" shouted Bobby, "here's our own Santa Claus!" His eyes grew glued to the armful of packages Goodwin deposited on the table.

"Bobby!" cried Linda.

"Haven't you ever heard Santa Claus before?" queried Peggy.

"Never! This is my very first experience. I hope I will acquit myself with proper dignity."

And Linda's eyes, over the heads of the children, looked down deep into Goodwin's big soul, and unconsciously she let the man read what her heart was saying.

"Next Christmas," he was saying, in his mind, "Linda will have permanent roses in her cheeks, and her eyes will be mine, and that will be all the happiness one Santa Claus could have."

Lindenette smiled.

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HOW LLOYD GEORGE'S MINISTERS ARE FITTED FOR THEIR VARIOUS POSTS

(Continued from Page 1.)

twice before held positions in the Government, having been Solicitor General and Attorney General. Sir George Cave is a well-known lawyer.

Baron Rhondda, before his elevation to the peerage in December, 1915, was David A. Thomas, head of the Cambrian coal combination, and was known as "the British Coal King." He was sent over here to represent the Munitions Department of the British Government in the United States and Canada. On his return to England he was created a Baron.

Sir Albert Stanley is General Manager of the underground railway system of London. He was educated in American technical schools, and for a number of years was the Manager of the street railways in Detroit and of the Public Service railways in New Jersey.

John Hodge is Secretary of the Steel Smelting Amalgamated Association.

Dr. Christopher Addison has held the post of Parliamentary Secretary of Munitions.

Baron Devonport, the new food controller, is Chairman of Port Authority of London, and has also held the post of Parliamentary Secretary to the Board of Trade. He was formerly head of a large firm of tea importers.

In the person of **Sir Joseph Paton Maclay** the post of Shipping Controller is in experienced hands, Sir Joseph being a shipowner.

The Cabinet in **Rowland Edmund Prothero** has a practical man as President of the Board of Agriculture, he having studied and written extensively on farming. He has been a member of the Royal Commission on Home Production of Food since 1915.

Herbert A. L. Fisher, President of the Board of Education, is a well known educator. He has been Vice Chancellor of Sheffield University since 1912, and is a fellow in several British colleges.

Sir Alfred M. Mond, First Commissioner of Works, is managing director of several large firms, notably the Mond Power and Heating Gas Company and the Power Gas Corporation, Limited.

Albert Illingworth is a partner in the firm of Daniel Illingworth and Sons, spinners. He also is a Liberal member of Parliament from Lancashire.

George N. Barnes is from the Black Friars division of Glasgow. He has devoted much time to the promotion of old age pensions and better allowances to soldiers and sailors. He is on the Government's Committee for Soldiers' and Sailors' Pensions and Allowances.

Lord Advocate **James A. Clyde** is a lawyer. He has been Dean of the Faculty of Advocates since 1915. He is a Liberal Unionist, representing Edinburgh West in Parliament.

Thomas R. Morison retains the post of Solicitor General for Scotland, which he has held since 1913.

Henry E. Duke has been Chairman of the Royal Commission on Defence of the Realm Losses since 1915. He succeedd Augustine Birrell as Chief Secretary for Ireland and is now reappointed. He is Unionist member of Parliament for Exeter.

Sir Ignatius J. O'Brien is retained as Lord Chancellor of Ireland, a post he has held since 1913. He is a well-known Irish lawyer.

REFUSED TO TAKE CHANCES KISSING THE COURT BIBLE

Bugs and bacilli and other germladen things are held in the greatest of respect by City Bacteriologist Race of Ottawa, even though their habitation be the cover of the Bible which reposes day after day on the railing of the witness stand at the Court House.

Wednesday afternoon Mr Race objected to kissing the cover of the Good Book on the ground that it was not sanitary. Mr. Race used to carry a Bible around with him for this purpose, but had lately been informed that it was necessary to kiss the Bible in being sworn, and so he did not bring he private Bible with him.

Evidence was produced Wednesday afternoon to show that several persons had been more or less injured by the opening of tins of "Sultana" chloride of lime and it also came to light that during the hot spell in August last tinned goods had a merry time bursting and bouncing around the shelves of a local grocery store.

Say Sight Injured.

The action before the court was the continuation of the Robertson vs. Crabtree Limited case, in which Mrs. J. B. Robertson is suing for injuries received to her sight and person through the explosion of a tin of Sultana chloride lime which she was opening with a screwdriver.

Several well-known business and professional men gave evidence, among them being Dr. A. E. Mahood, Joseph Race, Lieut.-Col. Courtney, partner of the late Major A. A. Beare; Alexander Phillips, T. W. Collins, R. E. Powell, Mr. B. G. Crabtree and Mr. Ross.

The woman who cannot becomingly wear a really short skirt should choose a long one that clears the ground; anything between has a dowdy effect.

Killing the Calves—All sorts of excuses are offered for the high price of beef, the most plausible being the alleged demand for veal—"the killing of calves which should be allowed to grow into regular beef." You cannot have beef if you eat it as "veal," but you can have **Shredded Wheat Biscuit** which contains more real nutriment than beef and costs much less. Shredded wheat biscuit is the whole wheat steam-cooked, shredded and baked. Make it your "meat" for ten days and see how much better you feel. Wholesome and strengthening for any meal with milk or cream or in combination with fruits.

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Time's Changes.

Why is it that laws which worked very well fifty or sixty years ago are being discarded? Why is it that laws which a quarter century ago would have been laughed down are getting upon the books of every state in the Union? Why is it that there are new ideas in teaching, new ideas about the liberty of the individual, new ideas about a man's relationship with his neighbor? Why is it, in short, that there is a vast discontent with old institutions and old ways? It is because the world has outgrown the government, the ideas, the habits of thought that fitted easily and serenely enough into the lives of our great-grandparents, but which are creaking in their joints now. Life today is a very different thing from life fifty or sixty years ago.—Toledo Blade.

A Map That Failed.

The French National library in the Rue de Richelieu, Paris, is full of wonders for the lovers of history. One of its treasures is a map of North and South America as French possessions. The map is dated 1564, and here is the explanation of it: Catherine de Medicis, the queen of Henry II. and mother of Francois II., Charles I. and Henri III., dreamed once of the conquest of the two Americas. She even named viceroys, one for North America and the other for South America. They were on their way to the new world when the queen's audacious plan fell through because of events at home. The queen, however, had a map made showing her projected possessions under the French flag.—New York Sun.

Car of the Czar.

The private car of the czar of Russia is said to be practically dynamite proof, and owing to its weight it could not be run on most of the European lines. The car is elegantly furnished and also contains a chapel, where prayers are offered for his safety. The czar travels with only one chef, who is well along in years and who served his father and for awhile the grandfather of the present German emperor.

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INSIDE STORY OF THE CRISIS

LONDON, Dec. 8.—Sir W. Robertson Nicoll, who has frequently expressed in the columns of the British Weekly what was generally accepted as Lloyd George's views, gives in this week's issue if that paper the following history of the crisis:

"Lloyd George was not anxious to accept the office of the War Secretaryship. Although at once confronted by difficulties, he was able to effect something, but under the present system under which everything has to be referred to the Cabinet, he was continually thwarted. Remonstrances and memoranda were ignored. The war went from bad to worse. Every day brought its story of humiliation, of indecision, and of disaster.

"Lloyd George became convinced that we were not winning the war, and that with present methods we never should win it. Everything was stagnant and the Government was apparently unable to do anything. Even when verbal concessions were made to the popular demand, they were not carried into effect. The country in the emergency was willing to follow any direction, and it had none.

"At last, one Friday, Lloyd George wrote to the Prime Minister, demanding that the direction of the war should be taken from the Cabinet and committed to a council of two or three with Sir William Robertson and Sir John Jellicoe. The Prime Minister was to have a vote, and also the right to be present when he wished to be.

"Asquith replied at once, and a very friendly conference was held between two statesmen, after which it seemed likely that matters might be arranged. Then on Saturday the Prime Minister went to see the King, and afterward proceeded to Walmer, thinking the matter might rest till Monday. But he was informed by a telegram that the business would brook no delay, and he came back on Sunday.

"There was another interview, also of a friendly character, in which the Prime Minister agreed that methods for the conduct of the war required reformation, and agreed, with certain modifications, to Lloyd George's proposal. On Sunday night at 11.45 he issued a statement to the nation, containing the announcemennt that the Government was to be reconstructed.

"On Monday symptoms of a change in the Prime Minister were visible and on Tuesday a letter was received from him in which he rejected the proposals which he had agreed to by letter and by word of mouth. To this course, no doubt, certain members of the Cabinet urged him.

"On this Lloyd George's resignation immediately followed. No alternative was left to him."

DECLINES CHRISTMAS GIFT.

New Rochelle, N.Y., December 7.—The Rev. Dr. Tillman B. Johnson, pastor of the Salem Baptist Church, of New Rochelle, has posted the following notice in the church:

"No present, please. For two reasons the pastor cannot accept a Christmas present from Salem this year. The condition of our treasury forbids it, and the call for help to smitten Europe forbids it."

Dr. Johnston is one of the most popular pastors that New Rochelle has known. He said to-day that the real reason he would not accept a Christmas present was that the church needs the money more than he does.

FIND SYRUP ADULTERATED.

Ottawa.—The Department of Inland Revenue has made an analysis of two hundred and nine samples of maple syrup. Of these one hundred and sixty-two were found to be genuine. Forty-one were found to be adulterated with cane sugar. The The great proportion of the samples purchased in localities where maple syrup is recognized as an established farm industry as in New Brunswick and Quebec, are found to be genuine. An injury is being done the maple syrup industry by imitations.

A suit of deep blue velvet is effectively trimmed with mole skin.

The high-crowned sailor hat is well trimmed with a bit of moire ribbon tied around the top of the crown and nished in a butterfly bow in the back.

EXAMINER PATTERN SERVICE

LADIES' DRESSING SACQUE.

By Anabel Worthington.

In this illustration is shown a garment that is indispensable in the wardrobe of every woman. It is needed when one awakens, for the rest period after work when dull care needs driving away and to slip on when dressing for a call more or less formal.

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PETERBOROUGH WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1916

GRANT SIX

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Germany's Terms Will Not Be Accepted

Dead and Missing in Monday's Fire Total Seventeen

NO PEACE ON THE TERMS OFFERED IS THE BRITISH OPINION

Newspaper Comment and Expressions Generally Are That Britain Does Not Want Peace on Basis Offered By Germany---Nation Looks to Lloyd George to Frame the Answer in the House Next Tuesday.

FOE ATTACKS IN EAST REPULSED

Special to The Examiner:

LONDON, December 13.—The British people have already answered Germany's offer of peace—"No, not on such a basis as proposed."

That answer was perfectly apparent to-day. It was reflected not only in the newspaper comment, but in expressions from people on the streets.

The nation looks to Lloyd George, next Tuesday, to frame this answer.

Philip Snowden, the Empire's leading pacifist, is the only prominent man dissenting. He considers that the Allies will incur awful responsibility if they decline.

There was considerable opinion that the note was merely a "clever Teutonic trick' for the purpose of starting discussion among the Allies, and possibly thus to create dissention.

ENEMY ATTACKS IN CARPATHIANS REPULSED

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, December 13.—The repulse with great enemy losses, of Teutonic attacks in the wooded Carpathians, was announced to-day. Eastward of Chibena a strong enemy attack was repulsed, and southwest and southwestward of Valeputna fighting continues, the enemy stubbornly resisting.

"South of Trotiesh," the statement said, "we gained a line of enemy trenches along the heights south of Agusulia. Enemy counter attacks made to regain this position were repulsed with great losses and a number of prisoners were taken."

Peace Proposals Are Regarded as a Trick

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, December 13.—Britain is looking forward to next Tuesday, when Premier Lloyd George will address the House of Commons, for Britain's answer to Germany's peace proposals.

Until that time, British men and women are considering but one thing, to continue the war until a decisive victory is established.

If the comment of London newspapers is any criterion England does not propose to regard the German peace proposals in any other light than "another German trick."

CANADIAN TORPEDO BOAT GRILSE HAS GONE DOWN

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, December 13.—The Department of Canadian Naval Service has announced that it is feared that H. M. Canadian torpedo boat "Grilse," Lieut. W. Wingate, has been lost off Cape Race with all hands. She was a thirty-knot oil-burning vessel, formerly Palatial Yacht Winchester, owned by Peter Rouss of New York. She was purchased by J. K. L. Ross, Canadian millionaire, and presented to the Government in May, 1915.

The "Grilse" carried a crew of four officers and forty men, many of them Canadians. She left Halifax Monday afternoon for Bermuda. Tuesday she wirelessed that owing to bad weather she was returning to Shelburne, N.S. Tuesday night at 7:30 p.m. she called "S.O.S.", and a few minutes later "now sinking." There has been no word since.. Several vessels are now out searching.

Ontario officers and men included Sub-Lieut. Fry of Toronto, and Wireless Operator Clement of Hamilton.

German Casualties Nearly Four Millions

Examiner Special:

LONDON, December 13.—Germany's November casualties, exclusive of naval and colonial, were 166,176, making the total since the war began of nearly four million killed, wounded and missing.

LLOYD GEORGE WILL ANSWER ON TUESDAY

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

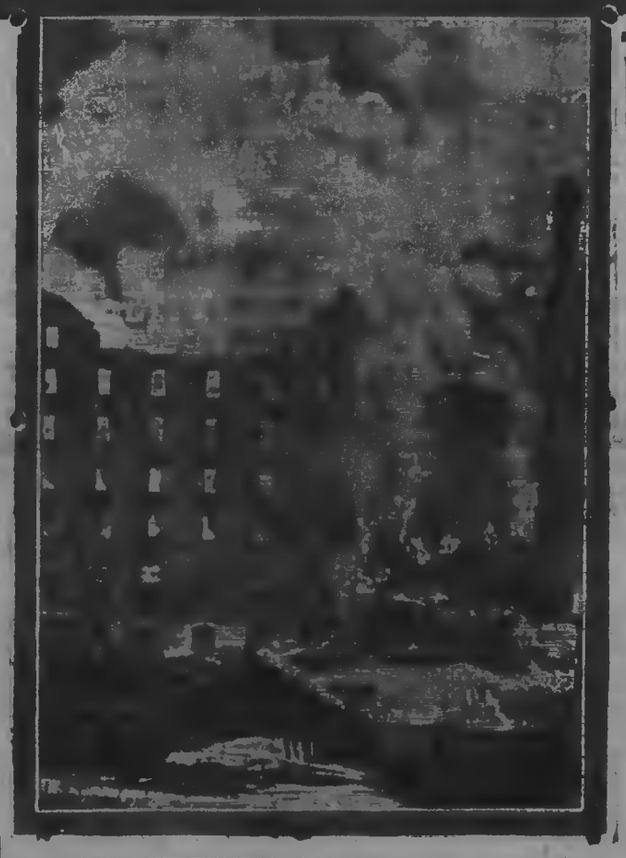
LONDON, December 13.—Premier David Lloyd George is preparing to answer the peace proposals made by Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg, when he addresses the House of Commons Tuesday in connection with a general statement on the Government's policy.

Frequent Drafts To Go Overseas

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, December 13.—Militia authorities state that the number of overseas troops to be held in Canada this winter will not exceed fifty thousand men. It is expected that there will be practically continuous movement of drafts overseas throughout the winter months, and recruiting, it is believed will steadily improve.

MONDAY'S BIG FIRE PHOTOGRAPHED AT ITS HEIGHT



The top photograph taken from a point across the river gives an excellent idea of the condition of Monday's fire as seen at mid-day. At the left of the picture can be seen the ruins of the mills. At the right the huge wooden elevator which was afterwards completely destroyed is shown in the grip of the flames. A portion of the cement elevators which escaped the fire is noticeable at the extreme right.

The bottom picture is a remarkable one. It shows the scene of the explosion which occurred in the portion of the plant immediately south of the tall chimney. The huge drying tanks which were at the top of the seven-storey building have been caught by the camera just as they collapsed. The picture shows the oat meal and flour mill with the fire sweeping through them.

The bodies of Edward Howley and Thomas Parsons were found in the debris shown southeast of the tall chimney.

AN EXPRESSION OF APPRECIATION

December 13, 1916.

In behalf of the Management, I wish to express our great appreciation of the faithful service of our employees, and also to thank the citizens, in general, of Peterborough, for the unselfish help so generously offered and given us on the occasion of our disastrous fire, Monday.

W. H. DENHAM.
Superintendent.

THE PROVINCIAL FIRE MARSHALL IS IN THE CITY

Mr. E. P. Heaton Together With Several Government Officials are Holding a Conference This Afternoon. Investigation Will Follow Coroner's Inquest

WILL BE THOROUGH

Mr. E. P. Heaton of Toronto, Fire Marshall for the Province of Ontario, is in the city to-day in connection with the recent destruction of the plant of the Quaker Oats Company. Other government officials in the city are Mr. D. M. Medcalf of Toronto, Chief Inspector of Steam Boilers for the Government, and two assistant inspectors, namely, Mr. Drummond, and Mr. Main. Mr. Tutt of the Factory Inspection Department of the Government, is also in the city. All of these officials, together with Fire Chief Howard, were in conference this afternoon, in the private office of the Fire Chief.

To an Examiner representative Mr. Heaton said that the investigation which would undoubtedly follow the preliminary survey that is now being made by the Government officials, will be thorough. It will be up to the municipality to provide a place for the holding of the investigation. It will likely be held in the City Council Chamber, as this is about the only available place since the Court House was gutted by fire.

"We have no desire to harass the Company officials who are suffering from the severe strain that has been placed upon them," said Mr. Heaton. We will endeavour to formulate our arrangements to suit all concerned.

A conference will be held this afternoon and within the next few days we will be in a position to state the time and place of the investigation."

Mr. Heaton visited the scene of the catastrophe this morning. "I just had a bird's-eye view of the situation," he said to the Examiner.

A CORRECTION IN TURNBULL'S STORE NEWS

In yesterday's issue an item in Turnbull's store news was made to read — "Silk plush coats $80.00 to $8.00." This should have been "$80.00 to $80.00." At the last named prices the goods are excellent value, and should attract prospective purchasers.

BE JUST TO YOURSELF.

If you suffer with eye or head trouble, have it attended to before it becomes worse. Dr. Lacey is a qualified eye specialist and can cure you. See him and see better. 413 George.

MONDAY'S TRAGEDY HAD ITS EFFECT ON RECRUITING EFFORTS

Officers of 247th Battalion However Are Getting Back in Swing Again in the Campaign For Recruits--Two Were Taken on Yesterday---253rd Battalion Recruiting Here ---To-day's Military News.

Although the terrible disaster at the Quaker Oats Company Monday cast its gloom over recruiting activities as well as other departments of the city's life, Lt.-Col. Ackerman and his officers and men are buckling to the task again. Men must be supplied for the firing line, and so the work must go on. Two recruits were taken on yesterday, and prospects are bright for a number of others.

THE QUEEN'S KILTIES

One of the latest units to be authorized for overseas service is the 253rd Queen's University Highland Battalion under Lieut. Col. P.G.C. Campbell, Professor of Romance language in the University.

In view of the special class of men to which it appeals, permission has been granted to recruit from coast to coast.

To the men of Canada it comes with a double appeal to the University graduate to the High School graduate and their friends who is joining this battalion will be assured of that congeniality of taste and point of view, which will make the training and living together so much more pleasant, it is on this principle that so many battalions have been successfully recruited and trained in the Old Country. To such and to many others there is also the appeal of the uniform, the kilts are a real soldier's uniform

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REPRESENTATIVE OF COMPENSATION BOARD IN THE CITY TO-DAY

Statement of Compensations Granted by the Board to Families and Employees Affected by Monday's Fire

FOR FAMILY RELIEF

Mr. N. B. Wormworth of Toronto, solicitor for the Workmen's Compensation Board of Ontario, is at the Empress Hotel to-day for the purpose of explaining the operations of the Compensation Act as it will apply to families and employees affected by Monday's holocaust.

In the case of the death of a married man, his widow receives $20 a month until her death, provided she does not re-marry; each child under sixteen years is allowed $5 a month until its sixteenth year.

The compensation to any such family shall not exceed $40 a month.

Employees permanently injured, the loss of sight, for instance, receive fifty-five per cent. of their previous wages up to $2,000. Those who earned more than $2,000 are supposed to have savings and other means. On that basis the employee who had earned $60 a month would be compensated to the extent of about $400 a year until his death.

Death of Unmarried Man.

In the case of the death of an unmarried man with dependent mother or other member of his family, the compensation will depend upon the particular circumstances at home. It may be paid in a lump sum or as a pension, and shall not exceed $30 a month.

The employee injured beyond ten per cent. of his earning power will receive a monthly pension, the amount depending upon his disability.

There is also compensation for those who receive minor disabilities and for those who are temporarily disabled. In the latter case, the man who is laid up for a number of weeks or thereabouts receives fifty-five per cent. of his wages for the term he is incapacitated for work.

BIG FEATURE FOR THE BAZAAR

"Ajax" will Give a Strong Man Demonstration To-day

There will be an attraction of unusual interest at the bazaar of the Church of the Immaculate Conception in St. Alphonsus Lyceum to-night, when Mr. W. L. Lane, a vaudeville strong man who has recently taken up his residence in Peterborough, will perform some of his wonderful feats that have amazed audiences all over the continent. "Ajax," as Mr. Lane is known on the stage, came to Peterborough last week and has decided to remain here. He lifts over 1,200 pounds, juggles heavy dumb bells around as if they were toy balloons, lifts five heavy men on his dumb bells and performs other amazing feats. One of these will be to lift Mr. Pat. McGraw, who weighs 225 pounds, over his head with one hand. Ajax's performance runs from 25 to 30 minutes and will commence at 8.30 o'clock. An admission charge of 10c will be made.

DIED IN HOSPITAL

Mr. Patrick O'Connell, Parnell St., the Last Addition to the Death List From Monday's Fire in Quaker Oats Plant.

TEN STILL MISSING

THE KNOWN DEAD.

EDWARD HOWLEY, 134 Sutherland Place. Body found Monday.

VINCENT FORNALO, 48 Jackson Avenue. Died Monday. St. Joseph's Hospital.

DOMINIC MARTINO, 284 Smith St. Died Monday St. Joseph's Hospital.

WALTER HOLDEN, 344 Euclid Avenue. Died Monday Nicholls Hospital.

PHILIP CARBONI, Victoria Avenue. Died yesterday Nicholls Hospital.

THOS PARSONS, Chamberlen St. Found yesterday.

PATRICK O'CONNEL, 457 Parnell St. Died this morning Nicholls Hospital.

MISSING.

WM. MESLEY, 247 Wescott St.

JAS. W. GORDON, 253 Stewart St.

JAS. FOSTER, Union St.

ERNEST STAUNTON, 20 Benson Avenue.

DENNIS O'BRIEN, 522 Harvey St.

WM. HOGAN, 522 Harvey t.

ALEX. McGEE.

W. G. VOSBOURG, 352 Simcoe St.

JOHN CONWAY.

WILLIAM MILES, Rogers St., East City.

The casualty list following Monday's explosion and fire shows several changes from that published yesterday and the total of dead and missing now stands at seventeen. Since yesterday the name of Wilbert Kemp, Sherbrooke street, has been taken from the list. Mr. Kemp instead of securing employment at the Quaker Oats as was thought at his boarding house, secured a position with a lumber company and did not notify Mr. Fredenburg with whom he boarded, of the fact, with the result that when he did not turn up on Monday night he was put down as one of the victims.

On the other hand the missing list yesterday failed to contain the name of Wm. Miles, Rogers St., East City. The absence of a Wm. Miles was known to the papers yesterday, but they were not aware that there were two men of the same name employed in the plant. Inquiry revealed the fact that Wm. Miles, Murray street, was all right, but his namesake, residing on Rogers street, is undoubtedly a victim of the fire. He came to the city from Dummer township in August and was employed in the bag cleaning department. His wife resides on Rogers street. One daughter in the west and one son in Dummer, are also left.

The list of dead was augmented today by the death early this morning at Nicholls Hospital of Patrick O'Connell, 457 Parnell street, who was taken out of the building badly burned on Monday.

Mr. O'Connell, who was 47 years of age leaves a wife and four children, Walter and Vincent of New York; Alice and Rita, at home. Mrs. O'Connell's mother resides in Lakefield. Mr. O'Connell was a member of the Catholic Order of Foresters. The funeral will take place on Friday morning, at 9 a.m., with the service at the Sacred Heart Church, before proceeding to St. Peter's cemetery.

So far to-day no more bodies have

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ANY SHAKE-UP HERE?

Britain has met the popular demand for a more systematic and vigorous prosecution of the war, by a thorough reorganization of the war cabinet. France has taken similar action with a similar object in view, and it is natural to inquire whether the cabinet of Canada is to continue, without some little of the shaking up that seems to be necessary elsewhere.

Is our own government keeping the machinery up to the necessary speed? It doesn't seem so. Recruiting is not what one would like to see it. It is true that Sir Robert Borden, the head of the government, has taken the field. He has made two or three excellent speeches as speeches go. The sentiments are good. He exposes the arguments in justification of Canada's participation in the war. We all agree with him, but he has not given us a hint of any new policy; of nothing like what Lloyd George has laid down as the new departure in more energetic preparation for, and prosecution of, the war. We all agree with Premier Borden's speech, but we should like to have a chance to agree or disagree with some proposal of more energetic measures for putting Canada where she should be in regard to more effective contribution to war work. It is to be noticed that the sum and substance of Sir Robert Borden's speeches, as far as the new "campaign" is concerned, is the announcement, which we had previously through the press, that early next year cards would be distributed, containing a set of twenty-four questions which every man is supposed to answer. The information thus gained is to be tabulated and what then? The gist of the new "campaign" is that the government is going to take a census, but what is the government going to do to help recruiting; to help Canada's adequate participation in the war? The Premier academically justifies this participation in terms that all agree with. But are measures being effectively and energetically taken—in the Lloyd George spirit — to make our theoretical participation practically effective? Is it to be accepted that while it was necessary to shake up the British cabinet, there is no need for any cabinet shake up in Canada? If the cabinet is all right in composition it does seem that something should be done to stimulate the members to a little more energetic action in helping Canada do her share in the war. The soldiers we have sent are doing their share splendidly. The question is, are we doing our best in the matter of meeting the most urgent want — more soldiers? Something needs shaking up—is it the government or the people? Can we expect the people to take the reins into their own hands? Can we expect popular action; stronger response to recruiting, unless the government shows the way?

THRIFT AND WASTE.

Thrift and waste are in their essence and meaning, as opposite as the poles. Thrift builds; waste destroys. The wasting flames that licked up the Quebec Oats buildings and their contents were not more destruction in concentrated energy than the distributed forms of waste that devastate Canada from end to end. Waste is not only destruction of matter—it can consist in waste of energy, waste of labour, waste of time and seasons, waste of seed time.

We think, without in fact thinking it all, that the high price of food products is a puzzle; but it is in large part explainable on other grounds than middlemen, combines and cold storage hoggery of food products. Scarcity adds to prices, and we have a scarcity that is palpably due to lack of thrift, to waste and sheer shiftlessness.

It can be proven that in the matter of Ontario's milk production and cheese and butter output, they could be doubled without increasing the number of cows in the province—by improving their productive capacity. Mr. S. E. Todd, director of farming at the public institutions, under the Provincial Secretary's department, has records to show that the production of the Holstein herds under his charge amounted to from 8,000 to 10,000 pounds of milk per cow, per year. Contrast this with the average production per cow throughout the province, which is 3,200 pounds a year. This shows that throughout the province, there are hundreds of farms where three scrub cows have to be kept to do the work that one good, well-bred, well-fed cow would do, cows that are "eating their heads" off many times a year. A scrub cow as a rule, is a voracious eater, considering what she returns. Keeping cows that require three to do the work of one good cow is waste—waste of feed, waste of care, waste of stable room. Mr. Todd teaches his results by a constantly applied system of weeding out and raising only the heifer calves from the best milkers. At the Hamilton Asylum for the insane, twenty-two cows have been pawed through as culls—sent to the butcher's block—to make up a herd of 75 cows, with an average production of 9,825 pounds of milk per cow per year. There is one pure-bred Holstein that yields 10,000 pounds of milk a year.

It is thrift to keep such cows, as it is waste to keep the other kind, and this kind of waste is one of the things that makes milk and butter and cheese scarce and dear. Ontario's acreage can support twice as many cows as we have, and if they were trained—bred—to produce twice as much milk we should have a four-fold improvement in dairy production.

TEUTON PEACE FEELERS.

The reported proposals of the Teutonic powers for peace are, in the first place, gratifying; not that they will be listened to by the allied civilized nations, but because they show that Germany, or her allies, or dupes, is tired of the war. The brutal campaign that set out with its braggart watchword of world domination, now abjectly, under the circumstances, sues for peace. She recognizes that she is virtually beaten, and no doubt counts upon her temporary success in Roumania to procure better terms, if peace is now considered. There is nothing in the conditions which the meagre despatches suggest to show that Germany wants a peace on terms to which the civilized allies will agree. The territorial status quo ante is proposed by Germany, it is understood, and no mention is made of the wide measure of restitution and indemnity that must accompany any satisfactory peace.

The Teuton proposals came at a bad time for the Huns and their confederates. In England there has been a cabinet shake-up with the idea of employing the resources, the manpower, and other powers of the nation to an unprecedented degree of directness and intensity, in order to wage the war more vigorously. In France there has been a reconstruction of the cabinet with the same object in view; and Italy is also sharpening her sword for more vigorous use in the coming year.

There is no reason to believe that there has been any change of sentiment or ideals in waging the war since Premier Asquith, in the name of Britain and of Britain's allies in this war nailed their colours to the mast and voiced their common determination, their ultimatum of peace possibility in these noble words:

> We shall never sheathe the sword until Belgium recovers in full measure all, and more than all, that she has sacrificed, until France is adequately secured against the menace of aggression, until the rights of the smaller nationalities of Europe are placed upon an unassailable foundation, and until the military domination of Prussia is wholly and finally destroyed.

If Mr. Asquith's successor, Lloyd George, lives up to this declaration—if he does not he will not measure up the heart desires of the people of the British nation and her imperial dominions—then all Teuton proposals of peace that cannot be squared with the spirit of Asquith's declaration will be "scraps of paper" in right good reality.

Asquith's ultimatum, which has never been recalled, broad and inclusive as it is, falls far short in details of exaction of the price to which Germany must be subjected to pioneer the temper of the mass of the people of the British Empire. There must be paid immense indemnities—every dollar Germany has cruelly wrung from writhing Belgium, and now is wringing from Roumania, must, or should be repaid, not only to the uttermost farthing, but with exemplary usury. Germany should be forced to account for and replace, ship for ship, all and more than the ships she has sunk in her career of piracy and sea murder.

It seems warrantable to infer, that the spectre of the price she is to pay when the day of reckoning shall come, leads to the tentative—for they can be little else—proposals for a peace, ture and, consequently, an abortive peace. The Entente Allies and the world, in the interests of civilization, and the lasting peace of the world, cannot afford to compound the infamous felony of Germany and her fellow bandits.

The blasphemous hypocrisy of the German Chancellor's exordium of his peace proposals—"conscious before God of our responsibility, before her own nation and before humanity"—God save the mark—shows that Germany, anxious as she is to end a losing game, has not yet the humbled spirit, that must mark her temper as a suppliant for peace.

BERLIN DRIES VEGETABLES.

Plant Started in July Soon to be Doubled in Capacity.

BERLIN Dec. 12.— Berlin's establishment for drying vegetables which went into operation in July is already drying some forty tons of vegetables daily and an enlargment of the plant now building will almost double its capacity. It is operated in connection with one of the great gas plants of the city where it obtains an abundance of cheap fuel using altogether the waste from the gas retorts and coal fires.

The drying house serves as a safety valve for the Berlin market. It often happens here, as at all other great centres of population, that more vegetables come upon the wholesale market at certain times than the retail trade can absorb. Whenever this appears to be the case the superfluous are loaded with vegetables are switched off and carried to the drying establishment. It is chiefly for this reason that the latter will, as is now believed, be kept up permanently — as a regulator of the vegetable trade even after the war.

The vegetables dried are chiefly cabbages, but also spinach, carrots, turnips, kale, potatoes, and some others are inclined. When a correspondent of The Associated Press visited the drying house he found some seventy women trimming cabbage heads washing, cutting, drying and barging them. Special machinery does much of the work. The washing, for example is done in hallow tanks through the bottom of which air is forced in many jets and under great pressure. This causes a violent boiling movement which thoroughly cleanses the vegetables within a few seconds.

Before the cabbages are thrown into the slicing machines a girl holds each head under another machine that neatly bores out the stem. The slicest cabbage is then patboiled for about one minute and then goes to the drying kilns. These are large iron furnaces about eight feet high, they hold about ten frames of vegetables at once. The frames about twelve by eight feet, have a bottom of wire netting upon which the cabbage mass is thinly spread. The drying process takes two hours. The dried product is then put into bags and piled away in the storeroom.

At present the dried vegetables are used only for feeding the inmates of the various charitable institutions. It is expected, however, that much of the product will be sold in the markets toward the end of the winter, when the general supply of vegetables grows scarcer.

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WOMAN SUFFRAGE AGITATION SHOULD YIELD TO WAR NEEDS

To the Editor: In his letter, recently published in the daily press, Prof. Wrong pleads earnestly for national unity at the present critical stage in the Empire's history. He says: "A negative resolve to avoid strife is not enough; but an aggressive unity among our people is necessary." He goes on to show in a powerful and convincing fashion the absolute necessity for such unity. I do not feel called on to make any comment on the methods suggested by Prof. Wrong to achieve complete harmony at Ottawa, but I am moved to address you on a matter affecting unity among women—I refer to the movement now on foot to carry on a campaign throughout the Province of Ontario on behalf of woman suffrage.

The desirability, nay, the necessity, of united action on the part of the two political parties at this time is sufficiently obvious, and only slightly less so is the desirability of persistent effort on the part of all the women of Canada in all matters relating to the war—Red Cross work, the welfare of returned soldiers, encouragement of recruiting, etc.

It is quite clear that the proposed campaign, if carried on, will not only divert the energies and attention of large numbers of women from war work such as I have mentioned, but it will also stir up strife, and thus have a prejudicial effect on Canada's efforts to aid in bringing the war to a successful conclusion at the earliest possible moment. In England a definite truce was agreed on between suffragists and those opposed, and, as far as I know, with the exception of one outbreak on the part of some irresponsible "militants," it has been conscientiously observed. No such arrangement was suggested in Canada, as it was thought that feelings of loyalty would dictate the complete cessation of steps to further this debatable political subject.

Further, it does not appear to me to be treating fairly and squarely the men who are so grandly fighting our battle in Europe, in their absence, to try to press to a conclusion a matter involving a sweeping change in the government of their country. Let it come up for decision after the war when we shall all have time to give it that judicial consideration its importance deserves; and when those have returned who, after all, at this particular time, may be said to represent the Province in a truer sense than even the elected representatives in Queen's Park, be they Liberal or Conservative. By a decision so arrived at all would, as in duty bound, abide. I do not, however, wish to emphasize this latter point at the expense of my former contention, which, to my mind, ranks far over all other considerations, namely, the necessity for a united Canadian womanhood in this time of stress.

I earnestly appeal to the Suffrage Associations, through you, sir, to reconsider their determination to raise this question now, so that they may direct all their efforts into patriotic channels from now to the end of the war—in other words, and to borrow Prof. Wrong's fine phrase—"I appeal for an aggressive unity among women."

SARAH TRUMBULL WARREN.

MAGISTRATE DUMBLE HEARD MEAT CASE

Dismissed Charge that Arose out of Confiscated Beef

Magistrate Dumble this morning dismissed a charge against three East City men of offering for sale "diseased meat which was unfit for sale."

Mr. Richard J. Edwards said he was a butcher in Ashburnham. This particular carcass had been left at his store by Mr. Henry Faux and Mr. Wm. Quinn at six o'clock. They asked if they might leave it there over night on account of the lateness of the hour. This was a custom among butchers. Mr. Edwards neither owned the meat nor had offered it for sale.

Letters from government inspectors at Ottawa did not condemn the meat, samples of which had been forwarded to them. They said the animal should have been seen alive to afford a proper inspection.

Dr. Ames, M.O.H., stated that on one quarter of the carcass a "benign" tumour had been located. This was interpreted as a tumour that was confined practically to itself. Magistrate Dumble translated "benign tumour" to an every day swelling.

Dr. Ames said the meat would be safe if thoroughly cooked. Personally he wouldn't eat it.

Dr. Johnston, veterinary surgeon, said he regarded the carcass in a medium condition as to fat. It was frozen when he saw it. The lungs and intestines were not with it. There was a yellow deposit at the bottom of the kidney. A definite decision as to whether the animal was fit or unfit for human food could be made only after examining the whole carcass and also examining the animal before its death. Where here was a tumour in the body the size of this one, I would say the carcass was unfit for human food. A tumour is regarded as the result of a disease. From what I saw I would say this animal was unfit for human food."

To Mr. Kerr, Dr. Johnston admitted that to be certain of the condition of the carcass the animal should have been examined while living.

The carcass has been held in cold storage and it is understood that if it is offered for sale Sanitary Inspector Cooper will seize confiscate it.

Magistrate Dumble remarked that many persons demand their meat a little "high."

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SEALED TENDERS will be received by the undersigned executors until Wednesday the twentieth day of December, 1916, at the hour of Twelve o'clock noon for the purchase of part of the South East Quarter and part of the West half of Lot Number Ten in the First Concession of the Township of Smith, owned by the late Sarah Fitzgerald, deceased, said to contain about twenty acres more or less. This is a desirable fruit and market garden property situated about two miles West of Jackson Park. There is said to be situated thereon a good orchard, brick house, barn and other out buildings. Immediate possession can be given to the purchaser.

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"Why yes; but what on earth are you driving at, anyway?"

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REGULAR MEETINGS OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCILS

Belmont, Methuen and Havelock Councils Hold Final Meeting of the Year—Nominations Will Be Held One Week From Friday —Drug Store Entered in Havelock

HAVELOCK, Dec. 13.—The regular November meeting of the Belmont and Methuen Council was held at the Armitage House when all the members were present. A number of matters were discussed and a list of accounts ordered to be paid. Council adjourned until Dec. 15th, the last meeting of the year, or at the call of the Reeve.

Havelock Council.

Havelock Council held their regular monthly meeting on Monday. Present: Reeve Mathison, Councillors Jones, Howe and Roche.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Moved by Coun. Jones, seconded by Coun. Howe, that the following accounts be paid: S. Leeson, work on streets, $5.60; E. Youmans, work on streets, $22.40.

Moved by Coun. Jones, seconded by Coun. Roche, that the Elec. Light Co be requested to put a 50 candle power light at corner of Concession and Alexander street.

By-law No. 287 to hold an election 1st reading, Coun. Jones and Howe; 2nd reading, Coun. Howe and Roche, Reeve Mathison in the chair.

Polling sub-division No. 1—C. H. Brewster, D.R.O.; H. Wurz, poll clerk. No. 2—Thos. Wood, D.R.O.; Wes. Stillman, poll clerk.

3rd reading — Coun. Roche and Jones.

Moved by Coun. Jones, seconded by Coun. Howe, that Rev. Skene be appointed to examine collectors' rolls of 1913, 1914, 1915.—Carried.

Council adjourned until Dec. 22nd.

Mr. Jas. Fowler of Peterborough, was in town Friday attending a meeting of the Masonic Lodge here.

Moved to Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. M. McNichol and family left on Saturday for Toronto, where they will reside in future. Mr. and Mrs. McNichol have been residing in Havelock for over twenty years, moving here from their farm just north of the village, and will be greatly missed by a circle of friends.

Successful Concert,

The concert, "Famous Women," given in the Town Hall Friday evening, Dec. 8th, by local talent, under the leadership of Mesdames Vance and Williams, was a huge success and greeted by a packed house.

The proceeds amounted to something over $100, which will be given to the fund of the Women's Relief committee which indeed will be very much appreciated.

During the evening Lieut. L. J. Beckett of the 247th Battalion, addressed the audience in regard to boys and men in Havelock enlisting and do their best to fill up the ranks of the 247th Battalion.

Miss Adams, who very ably performed the duties of pianist, was presented with a most beautiful bouquet, the presentation being made by Mrs Vance.

Women's Auxiliary.

The Women's Auxiliary of St. John's church met last week on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. H. W. Roche at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon.

The Girls' Guild met on Thursday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock at the home of Miss Henshall.

Nominations.

Nominations for municipal councils will be held on Friday, Dec. 22nd, on account of the last Monday in the month being Christmas day. Elections will take place New Year's Day.

Drug Store Entered.

Mr. A. C. Denike's drug store was entered recently and the cash register relieved of its contents, some $23.00.

A Funeral.

The funeral of the late Laurie Smith, who met tragic death at Peterborough some days ago by being asphyxiated was held here, from the family residence, services being conducted by Rev. Jas. Skene. Deceased was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Ballus Smith, and a twin brother.

Floral tributes were sent by the following. A beautiful floral wreath from the guests at the Empress hotel, where deceased was employed as bell boy; a sheaf from Mr. and Mrs. Graham, and a spray from the bell boys. The school children of town also sent a sheaf of flowers.

The bereaved parents and family have the heartfelt sympathy of all in their sad bereavement.

Public School Report.

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Jr. I.—C. Burnett, B. Watson, G. Pogue, T. Watson, V. Horke, F. Adams, A. Seabrooke, R. Buchanan, L. Wing, D. Wright, C. Kelly, A. Watson, J. Sanders, I. Conkell, M. Davidson, Absent, R. Wright, G. Baxter and W. Denike.

A. L. Thompson, Teacher.

Personals.

Mr. Hely R. Chase of Victoria, has returned home from Rolland, Alberta, where he has been engaged in helping o harvest.

Capt. Dyer spent a few days in St. Catharines last week on business. Lieut. L. J. Beckett of the 247th Battalion, was in town relieving Capt. Dyer.

Mrs. Kennedy of Toronto has returned home after two weeks' visit with her sister Mrs. Alick Rose.

Mr. M. Lynch is improving from his recent illness. He was in a very critical condition for a time and very little hopes were held for his recovery.

Miss Ethel Hogg has returned home from Campbellford, where she visited Miss Morton.

Miss Ethel Stocks of Toronto, is the guest of Mrs. H. F. G. Dyer.

Miss Olive Rose has returned from visiting friends in Toronto.

Mrs. Albert Armstrong of Hastings, spent last week in town, the guest of Mrs. Chas. Armstrong.

Mr. Solomon Squire of Washington, U.S.A., spent a few days in town last week, the guest of his nephew, Mr. F. J. Squire.

Misses Lillian and Faye McCleary, of Norwood, were in town on Monday last.

Miss Anderson spent last week with friends in Campbellford.

Mrs. L. Clarke spent a couple of days in Marmora last week, the guest of her sister, Miss E. McWilliams.

Mrs. Matthew Foley is spending a couple of weeks in Toronto, with her daughter, Miss Laura Foley.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Burnet and Miss Alice Bennington spent last week in Toronto and Buffalo.

Mrs. McNichol has returned home to Toronto after spending the past two weeks in town with her son, Mr. H. E. McNichol.

Mrs. MacGregor and children of Detroit, are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Foley.

Miss Agnes Lynch has returned home to Toronto after spending a few days in town with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Lynch.

Mrs. Wm. Burrege is seriously ill at the home of her son, Mr. Wellington Burrege.

Capt. and Mrs. Dyer and family have moved to town from Toronto, and are residing on King street.

Mrs. J. A. Symmith of Preneveau, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Pearse, [illegible].

Miss Zella Paget, of the Public school staff, has resigned her position to take effect at Christmas.

Mr. Albert Smith of Manitoba, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Baltus Smith, having been called home to the funeral of his brother, the late Laurie Smith.

Mrs. Mac. Foley and children are visiting her mother, Mrs. George Lynch at Hastings.

Miss Mary Crowe spent Saturday in Peterborough.

Mr. Jas. Thompson of Monteith, spent the week end at his home here.

Lieut. Quinn of Peterborough, spent the week end in town.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ghent spent the week end in Madoc.

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Grazed By A Train, He Loses Faculties

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The experience of standing in front of an express train approaching at fifty-five miles an hour, and being jerked from between the rails an instant before the locomotive swept by, apparently has robbed a well-groomed, unidentified man now at Stumpf Memorial Hospital, Kearny, N.J., his speech and all desire for food, since early on Saturday the man, although not injured, has met all questions with a stare, and although tempting dishes have been put before him, he has apparently had no desire to eat.

Physicians at the hospital and the Kearny police said last night that they were sure that the man was not shamming, but that the shock of his experience had paralyzed the muscles of his throat, and had suspended his desire for food. He seemed equally unable to write, and when paper and pencil were put before him he continued to stare. The case has aroused unusual interest, because the man is apparently a person of intelligence and respectability. He wore clothes of good quality, but with all identifying tags cut out, a silk shirt, and an expensive overcoat, when taken to the hospital.

He was saved from death on Saturday evening by Patrick Collins, gate tender for the Lackawana Railroad at the Kearny crossing of the Newark [illegible] main automobile highway between New York City and Northern New Jersey towns. Collins had lowered the gates as the Buffalo Express, coming from Hoboken, was approaching, and his attention was drawn to the man by shrill blasts of the locomotive whistle. Glancing down the rails he saw the man standing in the full glare of the locomotive headlight, rigidly awaiting what seemed to be certain death.

Collins yelled at the man and made a dash for him. Grabbing him by the arm, he exerted all his strength, and succeeded in throwing him to one side just in time to escape the locomotive's pilot. The roaring engine passed so close, and the rescue was accomplished by so narrow a margin, that it was several minutes before Collins could collect himself sufficiently to question the man who stood stupidly near by.

He looked at Collins dumbly when asked why he had tried to commit suicide, and the gate tender, unable to gain any information, notified the police of Kearny. Several men took turns asking him questions without avail, and he was finally turned over to the hospital authorities. Dr. Walter Block tried in many ways to rouse some spark of interest, but without success.

The man is apparently about forty years old, has black hair and moustache, weighs 170 pounds, and is five feet nine inches tall. A small chain, wound in brown tape, was found suspended from his neck when they prepared him for bed at the hospital. The silk shirt he wore, an expensive one, had been purchased from A. I. Namm and Sons, in Brooklyn. Beyond that, nothing that might lead to identification was found either by the police or the hospital authorities.

Romance Walks In London Fog

LONDON, Dec. 12.—The eccentricities of a London fog in war time were amply demonstrated when one of the old fashioned "pea soup particular" brand descended upon the metropolis and blotted out everybody and everything.

An amusing incident occurred at one of the theatres when the audience pouring out from the brightly lighted auditorium found itself plunged into an atmosphere that resembled nothing so much as a heavy black Manket.

Cabs were impossible to procure, motor omnibuses had ceased their journeys, and the streets were crawded with men and women in evening cloth es who seemed to have lost their sense of direction.

HIS NAME NOT GERALD.

One girl I know became separated from her escort and her party but did not know it. So when she found a khaki covered shoulder in close proximity to her own she seized hold of its accompanying arm and cried pathetically:

"O, Gerald! However shall we get home? And have you lost mother and the girls?"

The young man, whose name did not happen to be Gerald and who did not know anything about "mother and the girls," was not unnaturally, embarrassed.

"I'm awfully sorry," he said, "but I think you have made a mistake. I still be delighted to take you home, however, if you tell me where you live."

Whereupon the damsel and her cavalier plunged into the fog together and arrived at her home in Cavendish square, just about the time her parents were arranging to send out search parties.

JUST LIKE A NOVEL!

The strange young man was made welcome, and if romance has any sort of justification for existence in these times "something ought to come of it," for he turned out to be well born, a lieutenant in a guard's regiment and possessed a comfortable financial position.

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Women's Combinations

Women's Fine Wool Combinations, in two styles of neck and sleeves. Ankle length drawers. .... Garment **3.00**

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Women's Natural Wool Underwear. Garment **1.50**

Women's Black Tights

Women's Black Wool Tights. Elastic or band tops. Per garment, ... $1.00, $1.50, **2.00**

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CONVICT UTOPIA PASSES WITH THE NEW PRISON REGIME

Moyer Appointment is a Step Toward Penal Reorganization in State—Mutual Welfare League Doomed

GOVERNOR SEEKS TO MAKE SYSTEM SELF-SUPPORTING BY EMPLOYMENT OF PRISONERS.

ALBANY, N.Y.,—The day of Utopian experiments in the prisons of New York State has passed.

The appointment of William H. Moyer, formerly warden of the Atlanta Federal Prison, as warden of Sing Sing is a definite step in that direction. The Mutual Welfare League is doomed. Governor Whitman never had confidence in it. He was interested to learn what Thomas Mott Osborne could do with it ,and it is the belief of the Governor that it was a failure.

Sing Sing henceforth will be conducted as are most of the other prisons of the country. There will be rigid discipline. There will be adequate rewards for good behaviour. But convicts—so long, at least as the present administration exerts any influence—will not again make Welsh rarebit in their cells or serenade one another with banjos and guitars as they did during the halcyon days of the Mutual Welfare League.

Mr. Moyer is a practical prison man. Although he has a record for extremely stern discipline while in Atlanta, there will be no undue severity in Sing Sing. James M. Carter, prison superintendent, is in full accord with the Governor. He believes civilians should be the prison monitors, but that every convict should be treated humanely.

SEEK SELF-SUSTAINING SYSTEM

The appointment of Mr. Moyer, it may be stated on the best of authority, is a move toward placing the prison system of the State on a solid basis. It will be made self-sustaining if it is possible to have it so. The methods in use in the famous prison in Stillwater, Minn., will be followed in so far as it is practical to so do. Stillwater is the model prison of the country, if not of the world. It is more like a health resort than a penal institution. Nevertheless, the convicts, while surrounded by every comfort and receiving the best of sustaining foods, are subjected to the most rigid discipline. There are few escapes from the Minnesota prison.

It is the purpose of Governor Whitman, through Mr. Carter, to give the prison system of the State a thorough overhauling. Mr. Moyer is counted on as one of the most important factors in the reorganization.

It is intended to expand the manufacturing in the prisons, so that practically all the furniture and furnishings used by State departments will be turned out by the convicts. It is intended also to employ convicts in the construction of State roads. If that idea is carried out stone crushing stations will be operated through the winter months entirely by convict labour.

MANY PROTESTS RECEIVED.

From many parts of the State have come protests against any radical change in the Mutual Welfare management of Sing Sing. Regardless of these communications the Mutual Welfare will be wiped out. The names may remain, but the self-constituted courts inside the prison and the practically unrestricted liberty of convicts will be done away with.

A change will soon be made in the wardenship of Auburn prison. While there has been no criticism of the work of Charles F. Rattigan, the present warden, the administration officials believe that politics has been more or less injected into prison affairs. No change is likely in Clinton prison. John B. Trombley's management there has been thoroughly investigated and reports show, it is said that the conditions in that institution are as nearly ideal as could be expected or found in any prison in the country.

Peterboro' Health Association Needs Funds For Its Work

Let the "Reception" of the Supervision Committee in Empress Hotel Dec. 29th Mean the "Reception" of a Substantial Addition to the Association Funds

It is probably an old story to tell you, that, owing to the numerous calls made upon the public of Peterborough, the Health Association has experienced very great difficulty in securing sufficient funds to carry on their work during the year 1916. While we realized that services were necessary for our people at home, at the same time we tried to interfere as little as possible with the various collections for our troops at the front. We find now, on approaching the end of our year, that we shall have an overdraft at the bank of some $200. The ladies' of the nurses' Supervision Committee very kindly offered to raise this amount before December 31st. To do this they are giving a reception in the Empress Hotel on the afternoon and evening of December 29th, and to all those who are friends and well wishers of the Health Association we appeal for support at this time, and we feel sure in making this request, we will not do it in vain.

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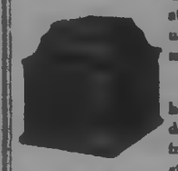

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FATHER LACOMBE DEAD.

Noted Missionary Worker in the West for Roman Catholic Church.

CALGARY, Alta., Dec. 13.— Father Lacombe died at Midnapore, near here.

Father Lacombe was born at St. Sulpice, Quebec, in 1827. He became a member of the Order of Oblats and was one of the first missionaries to go to the northwest, where he became very active in the early 80's, establishing a colony for half-breeds and Indians, erecting a home for orphans, etc. He was a force for law and order in the rebellion of 1885 and was for many years active in Roman Catholic affairs.

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FRIENDLY ADVICE TO BENEFICIARIES OF PATRIOTIC FUND

The following from the Patriotic Fund Journal is a copy of a letter the Galt branch of the Fund recently issued to its beneficiaries: —

"We have endeavored during the past twenty-four months to administer the benefits of this Fund to the best of our knowledge and ability, with due regard to the merits and necessities of each particular case. While errors or mistakes may have occurred, it is always a pleasure to have them pointed out and rectified.

Some of the errors are probably the outcome of an imperfect system, but many are caused by the applicants to the Fund themselves. We believe that while we strive to help those entitled to our aid, they also can do much towards helping us, and more particularly can they assist us to preserve and guard the resources of the Fund.

It is only with the knowledge that the money so given is being honourably used, that the donors will be satisfied to replenish the Fund when it is required, and we, therefore ask each and every one of you to notify us promptly of any improper receipt or improper use of the money that may come under your notice, so that no injustice can be pointed to and no reflection made in connection with the administration or use of the Fund. We wish you to feel that in this Fund you have a friend ,to whom you may come at any time for information or advice in all matters pertaining to your welfare. In all emergencies appeal to this office and not to other agencies, and always your confidence will be respected.

We expect of you that you establish and encourage a high standard of living in your neighborhood. To do this, all care should be directed to PAYMENT OF JUST DEBTS, careful spending, proper housing, regular attendance at church, the children's school attendance and a CAREFUL CHOICE OF FRIENDS and company. "The Fund will not tolerate the non-payment of bills for food and rent, and wishes to discourage the purchase of unnecessary furnishings, books and musical instruments, the payment for which may extend over a longer period than your allowance from the Fund." The Fund is for those in NEED. ALLOWANCES may at any time BE CHANGED TO SUIT THE NEEDS of the recipients, and extravagance will tend to lessen rather than increase the allowances of those who practice it.

Let us again remind you of the advisability of STARTING A SAVINGS BANK ACCOUNT and putting aside something regularly in order to accumulate a fund in case of trouble, sickness, or to make you independent when the soldier returns and is looking for work.

Any of the banks will take deposits of $1.00 or more at a time. Will you do this to-day, or will you put it off.

It is with very great pleasure we are able to tell you that of all the beneficiaries now on the Fund at this branch very few have debts of any kind and nearly all are saving against the time of re-union of their families.

We desire to extend to you the Season's Greetings with the hope that the next New Year will see the end of the World War, which is now being waged, the Safe Return of your soldier and a happy re-union for all of you."

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Blue pearl currants, fancy, pound	25c.
Mixed peel, choice, pound	25c.
Extracts, 3 bottles	25c.
Cooking figs, 2 pound	25c.
Prunes, large and meaty, 2 pound	25c.
Salmon (Salter Bay' can	27c.
White's beans, hand-picked, 2 pound	25c.
Home-made mince meat, pound	20c.
Ginger snaps and brittle cookies, pound	15c.
Reindeer coffee and cocoa, per can	25c.
Corn flakes, 3 for	25c.
Robin Hood oats, tube size	25c.

Have you tried Wonderful Soap? To introduce this new soap, we will sell on Saturday, 8 bars for ..... 25c.

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Choral Recital in St. John's, Thursday at 8. The choir will sing from "Messiah," "95th Psalm," "Daughter of Jairus," assisted by Miss De la Lowe, Toronto, Colorature Soprano. Silver Collection. 4d-136

VERY LITTLE OIL CAPTURED BY FOE

ROUMANIANS' DESTRUCTION OF THEIR WELLS WAS ALMOST COMPLETE.

London, Dec. 13.—The Times' correspondent at Roumanian headquarters, writing under the date of December 3rd, confirms the earlier though less precise reports that the Roumanians have taken measures to prevent the Central powers from utilising the oil wells in the captured territory. The correspondent writes:

"During the last week all well, refineries, oil tanks and other installations in the Prahova Valley have been destroyed in a way which renders the production of oil in this rich petroliferous region impossible. Great depots of benzine were destroyed. At Moreni, the most important oil field in Roumania from the point of view of production, the destruction was very complete in character in view of the necessity of preventing the working of the heavy oil deposits which are so necessary to the Germans, seeing that the Galcian wells yield only light oil."

Polite Policemen Lay Down the Law To Mrs. Roosevelt

VIOLATING TRAFFIC RULES SHE SUMMONS A HEADQUARTERS DETAIL WHEN SHE IS "ORDERED AROUND."

New York, December 13. — Mrs. Kermit Roosevelt and a traffic policeman at Madison avenue and Forty-fifth street, engaged in an argument over traffic regulations and politeness when Mrs. Roosevelt learned that the policeman had taken her light roadster and had run it from where she left it on to the sidewalk.

The argument ended after Mrs. Roosevelt had telephoned police headquarters from the lobby of the Ritz-Carlton Hotel and demanded justice in no uncertain tones. A captain of police, a sergeant and finally the firm but polite traffic policeman helped to get the roadster off the curb and Mrs. Roosevelt drove triumphantly away.

Mrs. Roosevelt left the automobile which she drives herself, in Madison avenue, between Forty-fifth and Forty sixth streets, while she visited her mother, Mrs. Joseph Willard, at the Ritz-Carlton. It grew dark, a time for lights on automobiles, and other technical things that, according to the policeman, Mrs. Roosevelt failed to observe. So he had the light roadster run out of the way of the heavy evening traffic on to the sidewalk, and then waited for the owner.

When Mrs. Roosevelt appeared the policeman threatened her with a summons and the spectators say she grew indignant. Anyhow the next development came when she marched with her mother into the lobby of the Ritz, and from the desk telephoned for Arthur Woods, the Commissioner of Police He was out. The polite secretary who answered inquired if she had been insulted. Mrs. Roosevelt said no; she hadn't been just insulted, but the policeman had tried to "order her around."

A police captain and a sergeant finally appeared from headquarters, and heard the policeman's tale, which was just regarding the observance of regulations regarding unattended automobiles, according to the spectators. After Mrs. Roosevelt had driven away the policeman sighed wearily and went back to his post in the centre of the street intersection.

JAILED FOR 18 MONTHS REDUCED, DISMISSED

TORONTO, Dec. 13.—Court martial sentence was passed on Sergeant Major F. H. Elliott yesterday in the presence of a full parade of the officers, N.C.O.'s and men of the staff of the Base Hospital, Gerard street east, to which unit the prisoner belonged.

The sentence imposed by the officers composing the court martial and confirmed by Major-General W. A. Logie, reduced Elliott to the ranks, imposed eighteen months' imprisonment with hard labour, and dismissed him from his Majesty's service.

The charge upon which he was found guilty were, it will be recalled, that while in charge of Government stores he fraudulently diverted them to his own use — the particular instance cited being the supplying of Government food for his wedding supper on March 16, and also that he caused duly enlisted soldiers to erect for him a private garage at the residence of his mother-in-law, 90 Garden avenue.

The promulgation of the sentence yesterday was thoroughly impressive The staff were drawn up to form three sides of a square at the open end of which the prisoner and his guards stood. When his reduction to the ranks was announced, the adjutant quickly tore off the crown and stripes, the insignia of his rank, from his sleeve and let them fall in the snow.

Y. M. C. A. NEWS

One of the most interesting Sunday meetings held this season was the service of December 12th when the young men were favoured with the novelty of a lady speaker Mrs. Douglas General Secretary of the Young Women's Christian Association addressed forty young men on the subject, "Shaping a Life" and the attentive hearing given her showed that her words came as an inspiration to all present. The Y.W.C.A. and the Y.M.C.A. have the most cordial relations with each other, as their objects and ideals are very similar and the appearance of the Y.W. General Secretary at a Y.M. meeting has done much to deepen the existing friendly feelings on the part of these organisations.

With other George Street folk, Y. M.C.A. officials were much concerned during the big fire at the Quaker Oats plant, for the sparks and fire brands were falling all around the Y.M.C.A. building. A few of the largest burning pieces were picked up from the front steps of the building and laid aside as souvenirs.

The Quaker Oats Company has contributed liberally to the support of the Y.M.C.A. work in Peterborough and among the soldiers at the front so the blow that this company has sustained will be felt by this Association among the other institutions of the city. The Y.M.C.A. would express sympathy for the families of the employees who were lost and to those who are doubtless thrown out of employment by this great disaster.

Three suppers are being served this week to members of leaders corps and boys' Bible classes, and next Tuesday evening junior and intermediate leaders fill commemorate the holiday season with a turkey dinner. The sedate members of the Board of Directors who hold their monthly meeting on this same evening will also pick turkey bones, while considering the final problems of the year.

The Association greatly appreciates the response on the part of its subscribers for the payment of outstanding pledges. Mr. T. W. Robinson reports that it is a pleasure to receive these payments as such a fine appreciation of the Y.M.C.A. work is held by its supporters and the public in general.

Successful Sale Of Fancy Work

A very successful sale of fancy work was held Tuesday afternoon and evening by the Women's Bible Class of St. John's Church in the Sunday School room. The school was most tastefully decorated and the A. M. Greene Music Co. kindly loaned a New Edison and records. Miss Gertie Le Bar, Charlotte street, won the centre-piece. Those in charge were:

Tea Room—Mrs. Bacon, Mrs. Barton, Misses Linworth and Rootes.

Fancy Work Booth—Miss S. Wallace.

Apron Booth—Miss M. Wallace.

Miscellaneous Booth — Mrs. Dayman.

Parcel Post Booth—Mrs. Woodsteammage Table—Mrs. Stevens.

NEXT OF KIN LEAGUE.

WIARTON, Dec. —There was a splendid attendance at a meeting called to organize a branch of the Next-of-Kin League.

Photographs taken this week finished for New Year's

Proofs of the fire may be had at the Studio

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DONATIONS TO THE PROTESTANT HOME

Appended is a list of recent donations to the Peterborough Protestant Home:

Mrs. T. Barrie, basket of fruit and men's clothing.

Miss Jenkins, men's underclothing.

Mrs. Cressman, ten yards of linen towelling.

Mr. D. Walker, men's clothing.

Belmont Club, blankets.

Mr. Robert Fair, blankets.

Mrs. H. G. Walker, blankets.

Mrs. Young, Rubidge street, women's clothing.

Mrs. Hazlett, ten dollars.

Married Women's Wages in Brazil

Married women are freed from some of their legal disabilities by the new civil code which is to go into effect in Brazil on the first day of 1917. A married man is prohibited from giving bond or otherwise alienating, without the express consent of his wife, property which they hold in common or which is necessary for the subsistence o fthe family.

A man may not stop his wife's credit at shops where she purchases articles necessary in the actual comfort of her household; nor may he prohibit either her or the vendor from dealing upon a credit basis in articles, which are the necessities of family life. Further, any woman exercising remunerative profession or working in a salaried position may dispose freely of what she earns without her husband's having a right to the moneys she thus receives.

MRS. CLAYTON'S LETTER

To Run-Down, Nervous Women.

Louisville, Ky.—"I was a nervous wreck, and in a weak, run-down condition when a friend asked me to try Vinol. I did so, and as a result I have gained in health and strength. I think Vinol is the best medicine in the world for a nervous, weak, run-down system and for elderly people." —Mrs. W. C. Clayton, Louisville, Ky.

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WILL NOT DESERT OPPRESSED BELGIANS

NATIONAL RELIEF COMMITTEE HAS FULL APPROVAL FOR CONTINUING APPEALS.

Montreal, Dec. 13.—Official word has been received at the Belgian headquarters here that the National Committee for Relief in Belgium has full approval from the allies for continuing appeals. In a recently issued declaration the allies state that they do not intend to change their policy or to desert the oppressed population of Belgium at this critical stage of the war. The National Committee, as heretofore, will transfer the Relief Fund for Belgium only with the authorization of the British Government.

BRITISH ARMS PLANTS TO QUADRUPLE OUTPUT

Coudert Predicts hey Will be at Maximum Capacity Next Spring—Big Guns a Problem.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Frederick R. Coudert told the members of the National Security League at their meeting at the Hotel Astor that by next spring the British munition factories would be producing four times as much as at present. This was one of the things he had learned during a visit to the British and French fronts in September and October.

"You do not realise what time it takes to produce munitions in adequate quantity," he said. "I happen to know the experience of some of our manufacturers who thought they would have reached maximum in ten months, when it really took twenty-four. It takes a year to make the big guns.

"France was saved at the Marne by the seventy-fives, but the seventy-five is now a defensive weapon only. For offense the larger guns are essential, but the general result of the controversy which has been raging for some time over the general merits of very large and medium size guns has seemed to be the conclusion that guns of medium calibre are better for most purposes, and that the great guns are valuable only in exceptional circumstances.

LITERARY SOCIETY OF NORMAL SCHOOL

The Normal School Literary Society held its regular meeting on Monday afternoon.

The programme which was a specially prepared Christmas one, was made up of the following:

Opening Chorus—O Canada.

Piano Duet—Miss Lake and Miss Virtue.

Address—"Hints for Speech Making"—by Mr. Peever.

Piano Solo—Miss Arkell.

Address—Mr. White.

Chorus (Christmas)—by nine Normalites.

Address—Christmas in Scandinavia—Mr. Cleary.

Address—Christmas in Ireland—Miss Maloney.

Reading — Christmas Selection—Miss Lawrence.

Address—Christmas at Sea—Mr. O'Keefe.

Reading—Christmas Carol—Miss Connor.

National Anthem.

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27 in. wide Flannelette 10½c

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Jardiniere Stands—$1.50, $3.00, $4.50, $6.50, $2.25 and $3.00.

Ready-to-Wear

Blouses ..... 98c to $12.00
Dressing Sacques ..... $1.29 to $3.95
Sweater Coats ..... $2.98 to $7.50
Kimonas ..... $1.39 to $15.00

Children's Section

Dresses from ..... $1.75 to $9.50
Snug Little Sweaters $1.75
Children's Bearcloth Coats (2 and 3 years) $3.95

Miscellaneous

Manicure Sets $1.95
Papertries ..... 15c to $1.55
Satin, Shirred Coat Hangers $1.50
Satin Slipper Bags ..... $2.00 and $2.25
Fancy Silk Work Bags ..... 85c to $1.75

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EVIDENCE IN AUTOMOBILE DAMAGE ACTION CONTRADICTORY IN DETAILS

Suit Developed Out of Collision on George Street Last Summer—Grand Jury Returns True Bills in Criminal Cases.

As a result of the disastrous fire at the plant of the Quaker Oats Company spreading to the Court House and gutting the court room, the sittings of the County Court and General Sessions of the Peace are in progress in the City Council Chamber. The Chamber was converted overnight into quarters that serve reasonably well for court purposes, and while some little inconvenience is suffered on account of there being no jury or witness room, yet the progress that has been made since the opening of the court yesterday at one o'clock has been substantially as satisfactory as though the hearing was taking place in the regular court room.

His Honour Judge Huycke is presiding, and in his address to the Grand Jury yesterday afternoon, he referred with his usual eloquence to the fire which consumed the stock of the Quaker Oats Company here and destroyed their plant. He touched feelingly on that phase of the fire which is preeminently the saddest of it—the snuffing out of the lives of over a dozen of the employees of the concern, and expressed his sympathy to the families to whom the blow has been the greatest, those who have lost their bread-winners in the disaster.

He referred, too, to the kindness of the city in so promptly coming to the rescue of the court with their offer of the use of the Council Chamber for court purposes; and expressed the thanks of all who were benefitted by the offer, which had been accepted. In his charge to the Grand Jury he asked them to consider the present war situation and urged them to reason among themselves and determine if anything could be done by them, or any who would be influenced by their report, to assist in the successful prosecution of the conflict.

The following is the personnel of the Grand Jury empanelled: John C. Darling, Smith Township (foreman), W. H. Comstock, Asphodel, W. H. Drain, Asphodel, Albert Darling Douro, George Duncan, Peterborough, Frank Eano, Peterborough, J. W. Ketchen, Belmont, Wm. Mathison, Havelock, Wm. Montgomery, Norwood, George Elliot, Peterborough, and W. Brown, Asphodel.

True bills were returned against Hugh Conner, charged with theft, and against Dolly Taylor and Andrew McGee, of Asphodel, for concealment of the birth of a child.

Automobile Case.

The case of Doxsee vs. Montgomery, occupied the attention of the court from the opening yesterday afternoon, through a night session last night, up till about half past two this afternoon when the jury retired to reach a verdict.

In this action Mrs. Agnes Doxsee, of Campbellford, the widow of Lieut. Doxsee, who was killed in action in April, 1915, is suing Mr. Frank Montgomery, hotelkeeper of this city, for the sum of $312.39 for damage done to her Dodge motor car in a collision with the defendant's car on the night of August 2nd 1916. The accident occurred at the corner of George and McDonnel streets the plaintiff claiming that she was proceeding from Aylmer to George on McDonnel street, and while crossing George street, that Montgomery, coming in the opposite direction, made a short turn to go south on George street, and struck her car on the right side of the radiator. The collision broke her radiator, fender and right lamp beyond repair. Her repair bill amounted to $112.39. She also claimed $200.00 damage to her car as a result of the general depreciation in value of the car owing to the shock of the collision.

Montgomery in defence, claimed that Mrs. Doxsee was driving on the wrong side of McDonnel street, that her bright lights dazzled his eyes so that he could not see to make the turn on to George street. The result was that he started to make the turn, but stopped, and the plaintiff's car came rushing into him. His repair bill amounted to $46.00 and he claimed $50.00 for general damage to the car by way of shock. Mr. D. O'Connell acted for the plaintiff and Mr. G. N. Gordon for the defendant.

Mrs. Doxsee was the first witness. She lives in Campbellford, but was visiting in Peterborough this summer, and on the night of the accident was taking the Misses McIdrum, friends of hers who reside on Water street, for a ride. The car she was driving was a Dodge, which she bought from the Campbellford agent in June, 1915, for $1163.00, including the price of some extras. On the second of August, a little after nine o'clock in the evening, she was driving from Aylmer (street) to Water street on the right hand side of the street. She was taking the Misses Lendrum home, and went as far as the corner of George street, when Montgomery's car, taking a short turn diagonally across the street, struck her car. She looked at her speedometer a minute before and she was travelling a little under ten miles an hour. Before she approached George street she slowed up and signalled. The accident happened on the south-east corner of the streets, and she was on her right side. After the accident Montgomery got out of his car and swore at the party of women in her car. She was driving with her lights dimmed. They had been dimmed all the evening and she had not changed them at any time during the drive.

Cross-examined by Mr Gordon, she said she knew that cars turning south had the right of way over cars going east and west. Her speedometer she thought, was perfectly accurate. Mrs. Weatherstone sister of Mrs. Doxsee, and the Misses Lendrum, all three of whom were with her in the car at the time of the accident, corroborated her evidence. Mrs. Weatherstone said that Mrs. Doxsee turned on the "dimmers" to lessen the light from her headlights, just before she came to the corner.

Other Witnesses.

Mrs. Hunter a neighbour of the Misses Lendrum, was at the corner and saw the accident. She said Montgomery's car was coming very fast and Mrs. Doxsee's very slow, and that Mrs. Doxsee's horn sounded as her car approached the street intersection.

Melville Doane and Kerwood Taylor, two boys who were on bicycles about half a block up George street, said they saw the accident. They testified that Mrs. Doxsee's car was going slow at the time of the accident, but that Mr Montgomery's car was going still slower.

Practically all the witnesses agreed that after the accident Mrs. Doxsee's car was slightly to the south-east of the centre of the street corner, facing in a south-easterly direction, and that Mr. Montgomery's car was facing south-west.

Mr. Montgomery.

Mr. Montgomery was the first to give evidence for the defence. He swore that Mrs. Doxsee came up to George street on the wrong side of McDonnel street, and then swung to the south side of the street while crossing George street. Her strong lights dazzled his eyes so that he was unable to proceed, so that he swung south, cutting across the corner to avoid a collision. He just got as far as the middle of the street, and had just stopped his car when the other car hit him. Jack Savage, who drives Mr. Jas. Kendry's car, and Fred Rapps, chauffeur for Mr. R. R. Hall gave evidence as to the position of the cars after the accident. Both agreed that the cars were very near the middle of the street, and that the front of Mrs. Doxsee's car was a few feet east of the street car track, while the south side of her car was a few feet south of the manhole.

Stanley Kingdon, cooper, who resides on Barnardo avenue, saw the accident. He was driving south on George street just in front of the Methodist church. Mrs. Doxsee's car came along the north (the wrong side) of McDonnel street and then swung south, while Mr. Montgomery's car came west along the north side of the street and then swung south. The cars clashed just about the middle of the road.

Bert Duffus was driving in his Ford on George street in front of the Library when the accident happened. He said Mrs. Doxsee was on the wrong side of McDonnel street. Mr. M. Pappas also gave evidence as to the accident and the position of the cars afterwards.

In addressing the jury Mr. O'Connel and Mr. Gordon emphasized the salient features of the evidence for their respective clients and left the matter in the jury's hands.

HOWLEY FUNERAL TO-MORROW

The funeral of Edward Howley will be held on Thursday morning at eight o'clock from his late residence, 181 Sutherland Place, Ashburnham, to the Church of the Immaculate Conception, and thence will proceed to the Norwood cemetery via the lower road.

JURY SAW WOUNDED IN HOSPITAL VISIT

In their visit to St. Joseph's Hospital this afternoon the Grand Jurors saw eight of the wounded from Monday's fire. One or two of them are at present almost beyond recognition with facial and head burns. Swathed in bandages only the eyes and mouths of some of the men appear.

JAMES W. NORTHEY JUMPED FROM WINDOW HARRISON HELD ON

It was a matter of mistaken identity that led to the statement in yesterday's issue that it was James W Northey Stewart street who hung from a window sill, of the high up window on the east side of the burning building for twelve minutes. It was Thomas Harrison, who clung to the window. Mr. Northey had a mere serious experience. Finding that he was shut off by flames from two fire escapes, he jumped the length of three stories to the ground roof of a building below and was seriously injured, and is still seriously ill at his home, Stewart street.

Mr. Harrison clung to a large hook in a window sill on the east side for more than twelve minutes. "I couldn't unfasten my hands" he said, "when a fireman climbed up a ladder to me. I made up my mind that I would hang to the window until the wall tumbled. I was very sore about the arms and waist all day Tuesday."

COST OF TEA RAPIDLY INCREASING.

The recent advance of five cents a pound by no means represents the increased cost of the fine teas used in "SALADA." The markets have advanced from six to ten cents a pound and the freight rates jumped two and one half cents a pound in the past two months. Whatever prices these untrollable conditions may warrant, however, you may rely on the quality of "SALADA" remaining exactly the same as ever.

It is never proper for a girl to sit on a young man's knee without securing his permission.

After a young man has been married about six weeks he begins to notice how much his wife resembles her mother.

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For a Man's Gift

Buy something the men appreciate, and buy him one of our strictly up-to-date hats or caps

He is sure to be pleased by your selection.

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266 GEORGE STREET . . . . . NEAR SIMCOE ST.

BELGIUM'S LAMENT.

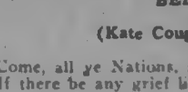
(Kate Coughlan, in New York Times.)

Come, all ye Nations, and see
If there be any grief like unto my grief!
For the abomination of desolation hath come upon me;
My enemy hath encompassed me about;
My temples he hath laid low.
And my habitations made desolate.
Where, indeed, are my daughters and my sons?
Scattered to the winds of the wide heaven!
And WHY? In that I have kept the word
I spake before the Lord God.
Lo, as a sparrow, solitary on the housetop,
Do I look forth on a land of desolation,
And, like Rachel of old, weep for them that are not.
But the Lord is Just, He will deliver me from the oppressor,
Who hath known not compassion on the afflicted!
Yea, though I be broken on the potter's wheel,
Yet will I say, as Israel of old,
The Lord is Just and Merciful.
He will hear the cry of the poor and them that are in bondage,
And again will I lift my head among the Nations.
But, O ye my children that are not,
Yet must I weep for you, now and forever.
Come, ye Nations, and see
If there be any grief like unto my grief!

JOHN KEMP LEFT FOR LUMBER CAMP

Friends Had Believed Him Lost in the Fire

It was definitely learned to-day that Wilbert Kemp, included in yesterday's missing list of Quaker Oats Co. employees, was not engaged with the Company, but had instead left on Monday morning to work in a lumbering camp. On leaving his boarding house Monday morning he stated that he was going to the Quaker Oats factory to get a job. Hence, when he did not return, the conclusion was formed that he had secured work and was lost in the fire. Friends reported to-day that they had traced him to a lumber camp. He is a relative of Mr. John Kemp, who is seriously injured.



The members of Otonabee Lodge I. O. O. F No. 13, are requested to meet in their lodge room, Cor. George and Hunter Streets, to-night at 8 p. m., to make arrangements for the funeral of the late Rev. Samuel Fee, a member of Newdale Lodge, Manitoba. W. F. Skitch, N. G.

TWO WAYS

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Many Things Prevent War's Early Closing

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

NEW YORK, December 13.—The bulk of editorial opinion of American newspapers to-day seems to be that peace may have been brought nearer by Germany's proposals, but that many things stand in the way of the early ending of the war.

The Philadelphia Ledger says: "Germany apparently is playing not so much for peace as for the conciliation of neutral opinion."

Central Powers Are Counting on Neutrals

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, December 13.—The Central Powers are counting upon neutrals of the world to play an important part in influencing the Entente Allies to talk peace terms, it was declared at the Germany Embassy to-day. Whatever peace terms are suggested now might perhaps be interpreted as "what Germany would like to get, not what she expects to get," it was said.

Actual peace terms are less important now than necessity of getting a conference, German officials said to-day. Any terms which may be suggested now would simply be "talking terms," it was emphasized. The real peace terms, officials pointed out could only be evolved after a long discussion between parties interested.

J. G. Wing Disappears

Six Automobile Parties Hunt for him all Night and Day in Vain.

KITCHENER, Dec. 13.—J. G. Wing, a well-known and successful real estate agent of this city, mysteriously disappeared Monday night, and has not been seen or heard of since. He left his home at 7.30 o'clock stating that he would return at 9 o'clock. Not receiving any message from him, the family became anxious and asked the police to call at the office. Mr. Wing could not be found, and during the night six automobiles made search of the city and vicinity, which was continued yesterday without success. It is supposed that he lost his memory and he wandered away to some place as yet unknown. He has not been in the best of health during the last few days. The search is still in progress.

Fire Damage Is About $300

The fire which on Monday broke out in the basement of Alexander and Millar, the well-known George street electrical supply concern, caused damage to the extent of about three hundred dollars. The fire was caused by a hot cinder that found its way into the basement which contained a considerable quantity of goods.

JURY AWARDS MRS. DOXSEE $212.35

The jury returned a verdict in the Doxsee-Montgomery case at 3:45 this afternoon awarding Mrs. Doxsee $212.35. Montgomery's counter claim was dismissed.

Veteran Publisher Is Dead

Special to The Examiner:

ORILLIA, Ont., Dec. 13.—George Hughes Hale, aged 70, the publisher of the Orillia Packet for many years, died this morning.

BODY WILL BE BROUGHT HERE

Word has been received that the body of Mr. John Alexander, formerly of Peterborough, who died in Lethbridge on Sunday following an attack of pneumonia, will arrive in Peterborough on Friday next. The funeral will take place on Saturday from the residence of his brother, Mr. P. Alexander, 277 Reid street, to Little Lake cemetery. A definite announcement will be made later.

It is expected that Mr. Alexander's son, Mr. W. P. J. Alexander, will accompany the remains here.

Dining Room Is Very Busy

One of the Most Interesting Places in Connection With the Bazaar

One of the most interesting places at the present time is the dining hall and grill room at St. Alphonsus Lyceum, which is being run in connection with the bazaar of the Immaculate Conception. Mrs. P. J. Dorris Sophia street, convener is being ably assisted by Mrs. W. J. Leahy and Mrs. Perry as supervisors of the dining hall and Mrs Christopher and Mrs. D. McGrath are untiring in their efforts in the grill room.

The ladies assisted in the different tables in the dining room to-day. Mrs. John Corkery, Jr., Mrs. Fred Shannon, Mrs. Claude Brady, Mrs. J. H. Primeau Jr., Mrs. A. J. Quinlan, Mrs. J. J. Dorris, Mrs. A. H. Lehane and the Misses Hurley, McCauley, Young, Archambault, Lonegan, Gordon, Peroe, Tangney, Leahy, and Hickey.

The dining room was very busy to-day, dinner being served from 11.30 until 2 o'clock. All were promptly attended in spite of the large crowd and the following ladies, Mrs. John Corkery, Sr., Mrs. W. Merrill Mrs. M. M. McFaden, and Miss N. T. Laplante who are in charge of the treasury are quite pleased with the results.

LEFT $201,000 TO THE CHURCH

Special to The Examiner.

TORONTO, Dec. 13.—"For the use of God alone," Miss Mary H Orr, a Christian Scientist, of Bobcaygeon, Ontario, formerly of Chicago, Ill., who died in June last has left $201,000, according to her will, filed to-day. The will in detail disposes largely of her estate to the Christian Science institutions.

REGULAR MEETING.

The regular monthly meeting of the W M P. of George street church met in the church parlour on Tuesday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. Mrs. Stevens occupied the chair in Mrs. Kendry's absence. A very interesting programme was given. Miss Hinchliffe of Knox church sang a beautiful solo. Christmas responsive reading was led by Mrs. Frederick. It was decided to meet at 3 o'clock during winter months.

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Men's Pure Wool Sweater Coats
Fancy knit, heavy weight, in fawn, trimmed with brown, and grey with maroon. Worth $4. Sale
$2.59

MEN'S SILK TIES
Done up in Christmas boxes. Worth 50c.
25c

MEN'S SILK TIES
New Patterns. Worth 25c. Sale Price
19c

MEN'S WOOLLEN MUFFLERS
19c

Greatest Shirt Bargain

Here is a Bargain in a Man's White Shirt that has never been equalled before, and can never be repeated. We cleared a manufacturers supplus at a very low price and we are selling this splendid $1.25 stiff front White Shirt, in our Ten Days' Sale, for only.....
39c

Men's White Handk'rchiefs
with polka dotted border, a large pocket handkerchief. Sale Price.
6 for 25c

Men's 'Duplex' Suspenders
Every pair guaranteed or money refunded.
25c

Ladies' White Embroidered Handk'rchiefs
Suitable for Xmas giving, worth 10c and 15c, for **5c**

Men's White Linen Handkerchiefs
Worth 20c. Sale Price.
2 for 25c

Men's Fine Ribbed Woolen Socks Worth 50c.
35c

Girls' Leather Handbags
Worth $1.00. Sale Price
49c

Men's Fine Black Woollen Socks
25c

Ladies' Fancy Tea Aprons
Worth 25c and 35c.
15c

Ladies' Silk Fleece Stockings
25c

Ladies' Silk & Wool Umbrellas
with silver and gold mounted handles. Sale Price.
$1.25

WHITE THIBET FUR SET
Stole and Muff suitable for a girl from ages 10 to 15.
$6.98

BABYS' FUR SETS
Made of choice White Imitation Bear Sale Price.
98c

Ladies' Fancy Leather Hand Bags Worth $1.00.
49c

WHITE ERMINE FUR SETS—Very fashionable, trimmed with small black pointed tails:—
Medium size—Worth $20.00. Sale for $9.95
Large size — Worth $30.00. Sale for $15.95

IMITATION PERSIAN LAMB FUR SETS—Large muff and stole. Sale 3.98

LADIES' PLUSH COATS — The very latest style in coats, with belts, high collars and buttons to match. Made of select plush. Worth $27.00. Sale 15.98

LADIES' TWEED AND CHINCHILLA COATS — A few only, heavy materials. Worth $10.00 to $12.00. Sale 5.98

LADIES SKIRTS—Made of select navy blue and black serges. A few other lines among them. Worth up to $4.50. Sale 2.95

LADIES' CREPE KIMONAS—Sale 79c
We have a lot of tastefully trimmed hats, the trimming being all expensive materials; plumes and other mounts, sold up to now at $5.00 and $6.00. Sale 1.69

MEN'S HEAVY CAPS—Latest make, made of select coat cloths, with ear laps. Worth $1.25. Sale 75c

MEN'S ALL-WOOL UNDERWEAR—Worth $1.25. Sale 75c

MEN'S SANITARY FLEECE-LINED UNDERWEAR—Sale 49c

BOYS' CHINCHILLA OVERCOATS—In grey and blue —latest make with belts. Ages 4 to 8. Worth up to $7.00. Sale 3.98

CHILDREN'S PURE-WOOL FOUR-PIECE SUITS—Including pants, sweater, toque and mitts to match. Worth $3.50. Sale 1.98

INFANTS' CASHMERE STOCKINGS — "Little Pet," pure wool.
Size 4. Worth 35c.. Sale 15c
Sizes 5½ to 7. Worth 35c. Sale.... 29c

JAPANESE BATH TOWELS—In white. Worth 25c. Sale 19c

GIRLS' WINTER COATS—With the new pretty grey and red flannelette checks. Ages 6 to 10. A Wonderful Bargain. Worth $7.00. Sale 3.49

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ONE DOOR SOUTH FROM GRAND HOTEL

COURT HOUSE WAS REGARDED AS INVULNERABLE TO FIRE FROM SOURCE OUTSIDE THE BUILDING

When a section of the wall in the ruins of the County Court House settled this morning it snapped the steam pipes in the neighbourhood of what was formerly Mr. Ed Elliott's office, emitting steam through the pile of debris. Yesterday workmen had hurriedly boarded up the exposed sections of the main corridor on the ground floor to prevent the freezing of the steam pipes and late in the afternoon the heat was turned on. It radiated through the jail, which entirely escaped the fire, through Sheriff Hall's offices, which were untouched except by water, and through the residences of Mr. Ray and Mr. Nesbitt, on the south side. It was felt that the precautions were sufficient to safeguard the operation of the heating system, but the sinking of a wall was a contingency that had not been anticipated. Hence, it is likely that all the north half of the Court House will have to be shut off from heat.

Extent of Damage.

A grim irony of the Court House blaze was the fact that the roof was covered with sheated galvanized iron and yet it was in the roof that the fire gained a footing. The tiny brand from the Quaker Oats buildings lodged in a wooden crevice in the eaves at the north east corner of the centre section of the old pile and ate its way under the tin roofing. This was the only join in the fire proof armour of the building. Its walls were of thick stone and the roof was sheeted. The only vulnerable point was in the wooden eaves and apparently the first cinder to lodge there doomed the building.

The flames swept under the roof, and across the wide court room, and it was to this section the destruction was confined. Both wings to north and south of this section escaped damage, except from smoke and water. The court house floor fell obliquely through toward the main door, but the long corridor is free of debris. The rear of the court room came through fairly intact, but it was only at the rear. The flames apparently swept across and downward, but the thick walls on the north and south sides of the room saved the adjoining sections. The lawyers' room, the County Council room, the grand jury room and the offices underneath, except the County Clerk's, and on the north side, the Judge's chamber and law library, are practically untouched, except for the deluge of water that pours through them. Most of the dry volumes in the law library are frozen together in their stacks, and many of them are beyond salvage.

Temporary Office.

County Clerk Elliott is occupying a temporary office in Mr. Ray's residence. The vault is regarded as untouched. As yet there is nothing definite about the probable reconstruction of the Court House or when the work will be commenced. It is felt, however, that the court room and offices will be remodelled. None of the judges, visiting and resident, had a good word for the old court room, its general style of architecture and its limited ventilation.

Carrying Flask of Liquor Unlawful in Ontario

FIRST TEST CONVICTION IS UPHELD BY CHIEF JUSTICE FALCONBRIDGE.

Carrying a flask of liquor is now determined to be unlawful, in the first test case. The judgment of a Hamilton Magistrate, in which William Williams of that city was fined $200.00 for carrying a flask, was upheld by Chief Justice Falconbridge, who says his brother Judges agree with his view. "Section 41 of the Ontario temperance act," his Lordship states, "is as wide as language can well be, and by section 85 the burden of proving the right to have, keep or sell or give liquor shall be the person accused of improperly having, etc., such liquor. This was a question for the Magistrate. He was convicted, and it cannot be said that there was no evidence upon which he could convict."

Williams had been on a trip to Niagara Falls, N.Y., and on returning to Hamilton brought with him a flask. He treated a friend to such an extent that the latter came within the clutches of the police, who also looked with suspicion upon Williams. An examination was deemed advisable whereupon the partially emptied flask was discovered.

Treed By Wolves; Almost Zero Weather

TIMBER CRUISERS CHASED BY FEROCIOUS PACK ON HAWK BAY

Port Arthur, Ont., Dec. 13 — Pursued by a pack of fifty ferocious timber wolves, Messrs. J. Greer, a timber contractor, and J. Merrifield of Port Arthur, who were timber cruising on one of Mr. Greer's limits in the Dog Lake district, were compelled to spend last Thursady night in a tree in almost zero weather.

They were crossing the ice on Hawk Bay, about fifty miles from Port Arthur, about dusk, when the wolves appeared over the brow of the hill and gave chase to them, compelling them to seek safety in a tree near the edge of lake. After remaining beneath the tree for ten hours the wolves moved away at dawn, and allowed the men who were numbed and stiffened as a result of exposure, to proceed to the camp. They arrived in the city this morning and stated that the wolves appeared to be fiercer this year than they have ever been before, as this is very early in the season for an incident of this nature. Old-timers opine that there must be a scarcity of the game upon which these animals prey, and that the wolves will be a source of much danger during the winter.

For All Complexion Ills

If the skin be colorless, sallow, muddy, over-red, blotchy, chapped or freckled, nothing will so surely overcome the condition as ordinary mercolized wax. It literally takes off a bad complexion—absorbs the dead and near-dead particles of surface skin, gently, gradually, causing no inconvenience at all. A new complexion is then in evidence, clear, spotless, daily, satisfy soft and beautiful. One ounce of this wax, procurable at any druggist, will rejuvenate even the worst complexion. Is to used like cold cream.

WESTWOOD CHEESE FACTORY REPORT

215,484 Pounds of Cheese Manufactured During the Season—Patrons Who Sent the Largest Amount of Milk

The following is a statement of the business done at Westwood Cheese Factory for the season of 1916:

Amount of milk delivered at factory 2,473,980 lbs., or a little over 824 1-2 standards, amount of cheese manufactured 215,484 lbs.; amount of whey butter manufactured 6,666 lbs.; average price per lb. of cheese $18.52 cents average lbs. of milk per lb. of cheese 11.48.

TOTAL RECEIPTS

Rec'vd from sales of cheese	$39,925.38
Rec'vd from sales whey butter	1,686.10
Rec'vd from sales whey....	412.30
Rec'vd from bank interest ..	197.41
Total	$42,161.19

PAYMENTS.

Paid for making cheese	$4,848.37
Paid for making whey butter	799.92
Paid other expenses	246.61
Paid to patrons	36 ..6.29
Total	$42,161.19

Value for standard to patrons after paying all expenses $43.93. The four patrons sending the largest amount of milk were: Fred Warner 72,082 lbs., J. J. Breckenridge 67,078 lbs.; Wm. M. Faux 66,952 lbs., R. J. Cameron 55,804 lbs.

J. J. Breckenridge, Secretary.

A WEAK CHESTED BOY.

"My daughter suffered from inflamed eyelids and eczema on her head," writes Mr. H. W. Lear, Port Plantord, Nfld. "The child was in a bad state and suffered greatly. The doctor failed to help her and on recommendation of a friend I used Dr Chase's Ointment, which made a complete cure. With a grateful heart I write you this letter."

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Must be good plump Fowl and dry picked, delivered at my office—

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CANADA, MY CANADA

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From rising sun to setting sun,
From Northern snows to south,
Thy loyal sons have gathered O,
A host of gallant youth,
Canada, my Canada!
On Flemish plains, on Turkish shores,
On Egypt's burning sands,
They've poured their blood like water O,
In far and foreign lands,
Canada, my Canada!
O let the royal challenge ring,
O let the world be shown,
The ranks have poured their mettle O,
Where'er brave men are known,
Canada, my Canada!
In honour's cause were they sent forth
Nor honour will they yield;
On land and sea, 'fore field and foe
They bear a spotless shield.
Canada, my Canada!
O when at last the fight is won,
Thy heroes gathered home,
The red lips of thy lasses O,
Reward them as they come,
Canada, my Canada!
And for thy sons returning not,
Whom death shall keep away
From all thy love and longing O,
Then bend the knee and pray,
Canada, my Canada!
Their laurels be a crown to thee
In all thine after years:
High honours for the living O,
And for the dead, thy tears,
Canada, my Canada!

Dedicated to Charles Willin Casement, (Calgary), Signalling Section, 187th Battalion, C.E.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Casement of Nadock Ontario, as an expression of the personal regard of the author, on the eve of Mr. Casement's departure for the front from the Signal Training Depot at Ottawa.

—Allan Brackenreed, Medford, Oregon, U.S.A. (Irish-Canadian, born in Jarvis, Ontario.)

PROOF POSITIVE

From the Passing Show.

Jock (doing his best to give the village worthies an idea of the "tanks" at work)—"Man alive, they are simply terrific! Just like great rael things! They stop at naething! Wud ye believe me, I saw one o' 'em simply cantering past a public-hoose!"

Retires After Long Service With the C.P.R.

MONTREAL, Que., Dec. 13.—Mr. W. R. Baker, Secretary to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company and assistant to the President, has at his own request been relieved from his duties and placed on the retired list. Interviewed yesterday Lord Shaughnessy, President of the C.P.R. said: "Mr. Baker's association with the Company dated from its inception in 1881. In 1893 he resigned to become general manager of the Manitoba and Northwestern Railway and in 1900, when that railway was acquired by this company Mr. Baker returned to the service as executive agent at Winnipeg. His assistance in straightening out the affairs of the acquired property was material value and his other duties many of them of a most important and confidential character were performed with a singular zeal and intelligence. After these thirty-five years of association, Mr. Baker retires with the confidence, good will and best wishes of the Directors and his brother officers. Mr. Baker's personal relations with Mr. Baker were of a most intimate and agreeable character and I hope sincerely that he will for a long period enjoy the rest and recreation to which he is entitled after more than half a century in business life". Mr. E. Alexander, formerly assistant secretary to the company succeeds Mr. Baker.

A lovely evening gown is of chiffon embroidered with gold and green beads over a green velvet underdress.

BALM.

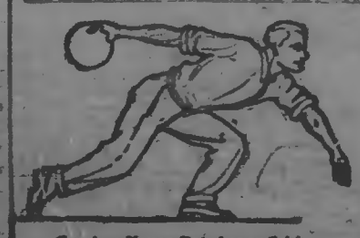
I, when I fought in battles as a boy—
Not without gallantry and blood and pain—
Came home to you, my mother, showed my wound—
Soon 'twould be well again!
You bound the kerchief on the poor sore place:
'Spite of the twinges how my pride would swell;
You guessed my cause was just and held me brave,
And—kissed the poor place well.

I, that have fought in sterner battles now,
I have come home, O England, I thy son:
Ease thy sick pain with laughter—as of old
Let questionings be done!
You will not ask me how and when and where,
And every detail of my woes to tell;
Only your silent solace and your cheer
Shall "kiss the poor place well."

—D. M. Taylor, in Westminster Gazette.

BARLEY FOR BREAKFAST

Winnipeg, December 13—Nick Taitinger, of Claresholm, Alta., known as the world's champion barley grower, is receiving orders from Ontario for cereal purposes. Taitinger's barley crop this year averaged over 75 bushels to the acre. He also raised 18 bushels of wheat, averaging 42 bushels to the acre.



Boxers Never Get Appendicitis

You Never See
A BOWLER
With a Grouch
Try an Hour at the Alleys and Surprise Your Wife

THE WATER ST. ALLEYS
J. J. SOLOMON, Prop

INTERMEDIATE AND JUNIOR SCHEDULES WERE ARRANGED YESTERDAY

Mr. J. P. Bond, convener of this district for both intermediate and Junior groups, called his meeting yesterday in the Hotel St. Lawrence, Port Hope, when the schedule for both series was drawn up. Lieut. Hayes represented the 247th Battalion Intermediates, while the Peterborough Juniors were unrepresented. The schedules arranged were as follows:

Intermediate Schedule.

Lindsay at Peterborough, Jan 2nd.
Picton at Cobourg, Jan. 2nd.
Peterborough at Picton, Jan. 5th.
Cobourg at Lindsay, Jan. 8th.
Lindsay at Cobourg, Jan. 9th.
Peterborough at Lindsay, Jan. 12th.
Cobourg at Picton, Jan. 12th.
Cobourg at Peterborough, Jan 16th
Picton at Lindsay, Jan. 19th.
Lindsay at Picton, Jan. 23rd.
Peterborough at Cobourg, Jan. 23rd
Picton at Peterborough, Jan. 26th.

Junior Schedule.

Oshawa at Bowmanville, Jan. 5th.
Bowmanville at Peterborough, Jan. 9th.
Peterborough at Oshawa, Jan. 12th.
Bowmanville at Oshawa, Jan. 16th.
Oshawa at Peterborough, Jan. 19th.
Peterborough at Bowmanville, Jan. 26th.

BOWLING

In the City Bowling League, last night the Left Overs won two out of the three games. The whole three games were keenly contested, Byers, for the De Laval was high count of 485, Solomon was high for the Left Overs, with a 543 count.

De Laval.			
Hill	118	130	136—393
Robinson	127	104	107—338
Byers	163	172	150—485
Wilson	103	147	129—379
Carter	135	132	130—397
Total	646	684	652 1982
Left Overs.			
Thomason	147	165	160—470
Routley	118	109	141 368
Rutter	77		77
Hughes		138	133 251
Ross	116	102	115 333
Solomon	202	195	156 543
Total			2082

Tuesday night the Business Men and C. G. E. meet for the first time and a good game is expected as the C.G.E. bowlers are showing up in great form and expect to put it over the Business Men.

VIOLET ARRAY FOR GIANTS.

Same Gay Uniform Worn When Last Pennant Was Won Adopted for 1917.

The Giants next season will blossom out in violet uniforms, the same kind that they wore in 1913 when they last won the pennant. The Giants have not won since they adopted the uniforms which are cross-stripped and resemble the garb worn in institutions of involuntary confinement.

The new home uniforms which were decided on yesterday, will be white with violet pin stripes, violet and white stockings, and white caps with violent trimmings. Perhaps, the most gorgeous touch of colour in the make-up of Manager McGraw's club will be the new sweater jackets, which will be royal purple. The road uniforms will be blue and gray with violet stockings.

Besides deciding on their haberdashery for next season, the New York Club yesterday also snared a new pitcher. They signed Sterling Stryker, an ambitious young man who made quite a name for himself last year striking out batsmen at Atlantic Highlands. He was discovered by Andy Coakley.

To clean white statuary coat with starch, let dry and then remove the starch mixture. The dirt will come with it.

When a food is rising in price with unreasonable rapidity it is foolish for the housewife to lay in a large supply, fearing that it will remain at a higher price. Wait and the price will surely come down in a few weeks.

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

NEW YORK STOCKS—

Airbreak 155 1-2, 157; Atchison 103 3-4, 104 3-8; B. & O., 83 3-4, 85; C.P.R. 164 1-2, 165 1-8; N. Y. Central 104 5-8, 105 7-8; Erie 35 1-2, 36 1-8; Reading 105 1-8, 106 7-8; Union Pacific 143 1-4, 145 1-8; Res. Steel 69 5-8, 71 3-4; U. S. Steel 118, 119 1-8; Beth Steel 695, 695; Anaconda 97, 98; Nickel 44 1-2, 44 5-8; Ama. Loco., 85, 87 1-2.

CANADIAN STOCKS—

Steamships 41 1-4 41 7-8; Cement 67 1-4, 69 1-2; Can. Elec., 119; Dom. Steel 74 1-4, 76 1-2; Smeltors 36 1-2, 36 7-8; Steel of Canada 83, 84 1-2.

SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNTY COUNCIL

A special session of the County Council was opened in Mr. E. A. Peck's office at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The purpose of the meeting is to consider what action is to be taken in regard to the Court House and it is probable that the whole problem will be left to another bequest for the new Council.

PROGRAMME BY ST. JOHN'S CHOIR

The following is the programme which will be given in St. John's Church, to-morrow, Thursday evening by the choir, assisted by the following soloists: Miss Dora de la Lowe, Toronto; Miss A. L. Amys, Miss Ruby Quartermaine, and Mr. Cyril H. Devey, organ. Mr. R. J. Devey will be the conductor for the evening.

(1) Organ Prelude — Overture. Keler Bela. Mr. Cyril H. Devey.
(2) Solo—(a) O Come Let Us Worship. Mr. H. W. Morphet.
Chorus—(b) O Come Let Us Worship. The Choir.
Chorus—(c) Come Let Us Sing. The Choir.
Chorus—(d) For the Lord Is a Mighty God. The Choir.
—From Mendelssohn's 95th Psalm.
(3) Solo—Lead Thou Me On, Elijs. Miss Ruby Quartermaine.
(4) Male Quartette—Softly Now the Light of Day. Weber. Messrs. Marshall, Hutchinson, C. Devey and Flowers.
(5) Solo—Hear Ye, Israel, from Elijah. Mis Dora de la Lowe.
(6) Semi Chorus—The Wailing from Stainer's Daughter of Jairus. The Choir.
(7) Solo—Abide With Me, Liddell. Mrs. A. L. Amys.
(8) Chorus—And the Glory, Messiah. The Choir.
(9) Solo—(a) Come Unto Him, (b) Rejoice Greatly, Handel's Messiah. Miss Dora de la Lowe.
(10) Chorus — Be Everlasting Praise, from Daughter of Jairus. The Choir.

ASK GEORGE TO WAIT WEEK.

Suggestion That He Defer Statement Until Asquith is Able To Attend.

LONDON, Dec. 13. — When the House of Commons assembled Mr. Bonar Law immediately moved adjournment until Thursday, when Premier Lord George will move the vote of credit. Reginald McKenna suggested that the Premier make his statement next Tuesday when Mr. Asquith could be present. Mr. Bonar Law promised to consult the Premier.

TO-DAY'S MILITARY NEWS CONTINUED

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and the traditions of the various Highland Regiments both in Canada and in the Old Country has been such as to form a glorious inspiration for the men who join the 253rd Highlanders. The kilts will be issued to recruits immediately on enlistment, they look attractive, but they look cold for a Canadian winter. In real fact, however, they are warmer than the more usual tronser and a special knitted knee-cap may be worn if desired.

Kipling says somewhere, "The Irish are great fighters, but give me a Highland Regiment under Presbyterian officers." In the case of this particular battalion, however, there is no such limitation on the creed of the officers for all that is asked of them is that they shall be first-class men and of good British stock: many are graduates of the university while many again have no connection with Queen's, but are men "under the tongue of good report" Queen's men too, are coming in hoping for promotion to non-commissioned rank and this is a most hopeful point about this battalion. Every old soldier will tell you that the backbone of a regiment is the N.C.O's it is they who set the tone and keep up ideals of work and discipline for all the men; with therefore a high moral and intellectual level among the N.C.O.'s of this battalion, our parents who send forth of their best for the Empire need have no fears as to the building up of the character of their sons who enlist in this University unit.

LIEUT. BROKENSHIRE HERE

Lieut. M. C. Brokenshire, who holds an overseas appointment in this unit came to Peterborough last evening and is staying at the Empress Hotel. Already several local young men of splendid type have talked the prospects over with him. He leaves on the late train this evening for Lindsay and will return to Peterborough on Monday.

Those desirous of seeing him can do so at the hotel. It is a good opportunity to hear about this University Kilties unit, which is the only organisations of its kind in Canada to-day.

At any time, all information can be obtained by addressing a letter to the Adjutant, 253rd (Queen's University) Highland Battalion, 187 Princess Street, Kingston, Ont.

Stanley, who went overseas with the 93rd Battalion, and is now in France with an Eastern Ontario battalion, states that he and three other former non-coms. of the 93rd have received their three stripes back since going to France. The others mentioned are Bergin, Lewington Musgrave and Wagstaff. They had to reduce to the ranks before leaving England, but their ability has apparently been quickly recognized on their arrival in France. Sergt. Stanley writes: "We left the base last Saturday and were travelling until Tuesday. We stopped at two rest camps for a couple of hours, but of course I can't tell you where."

Driver Douglas Coone, a Peterborough boy with the 26th Battery, has the following to say of Y.M.C.A. work at the front:

I don't know what we would do if it was not for the Y.M.C.A. They certainly are a life-saver when you come in at night, likely wet and muddy; you can slip over to the 'Y' and get a cup of hot cocoa and a little package of biscuits; you can also buy all kinds of canned goods and everything a general store keeps.

TO-DAY'S ORDERS.

Peterborough, Ont., Dec. 13, '16.

Daily orders by Lieutenant-Colonel Ackerman, commanding 247th Battalion, C. E. F.

Orders for Wednesday, Dec. 13th, 1916.

Parade.—All officers, N. C. O.'s and men, except those specially employed, will parade in the drill hall at 9 a.m. and at 2 p.m.

Duties.—Orderly officer for Wednesday, Dec. 13, 1916, Lt. A. H. Cameron

Orderly Officer for Thursday, Lieut. Shaw.

Next for duty—Lieut. Quinn.

Advance Pay.—It is published for the information of all concerned that the advance pay for the month of December will not be paid until the 20th of the month and the amount of the advance will be $5.00.

Strength.—No. 1043061, Pte Chas. Edward Emmorey was taken on the strength as of December 13th, and is posted in A Company.

Acting Sergt. Deline, detailed for recruiting duty at Coe Hill, on this date.

Lt. R. O. Johnston replaces Lt. Bedet detailed for recruiting duty, Havelock, as Recruiting Rooms on this date.

R. Brooks,
Lieut. and Acting Adjt. 247th Bn. C. E. F.

DYNAMITED CORNER QUAKER OATS OFFICE

At 11.40 to-day a charge of dynamite tumbled over the ragged remnant of the south east corner of the Quaker Oats Office. It crumpled up fell in a heap and splashed across Hunter street. City Engineer Parsons regarded it as a menace to the bridge.

DIED IN HOSPITAL

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been recovered, although a force of men has been engaged in the search. About 4 o'clock yesterday the body of Mr. Thomas Parsons, Chamberlen street, was found in the debris, outside of the boiler room. The unfortunate man had evidently been wheeling a barrow full of coke, and was along the outside wall when it collapsed on top of him, burying him deep in the ruins. Electric lights were strung up last night and for a part of the night the men were hard at work, renewing their efforts to-day. It is expected that some of the bodies in the boiler room may be found quickly, but the others will be very hard to get, so huge is the pile of ruins.

Intense Heat.

This afternoon a squad of firemen were engaged in pouring water on the ruins with a view of cooling the debris off. The heat in the basement of the plant was so intense as to cause the wreckage to be enveloped in a cloud of steam. A line of hose was also employed at the north end of the warehouse building. The two end sections of this building are still standing. The building is six stories high and of fire-proof construction. The centre part fell in the day of the fire and the remainder of the building will have to be taken down. This will be a job for a professional wrecker, and a few sticks of dynamite. The building is badly warped and is regarded as a menace to workmen and others employed on the scene of the disaster.

The Canadian Leonard Construction Company have commenced the erection of an office building on the south side of the road. This Company had just completed the construction of two stories that were added to the fire-proof warehouse. The building, which originally was four stories high became a six-storey structure this summer.

WAR'S EFFECT IN EAST END.

Welfare Workers Find Condition of London's Poor Improved.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—Welfare workers in the great East End report that families in that district have suffered much less than might have been expected from the high cost of food.

The "sixpenny meal," which formerly included threepence worth of meat, a penny's worth of green vegetables, a penny's worth of bread, is, however, a thing of the past. Fish and eggs are now unattainable luxuries. But the housekeepers buy more beans and cereals than they formerly did, and, as always, they buy great quantities of bread.

Most of these families would feel the pinch severely were it not for the fact that the women are all at work. And welfare workers insist that the work which the East End women are doing has in many cases been a great boon to them physically as well as financially. One fragile woman, for instance, is lifting heavy sacks in a flour mill; others are screening coal and handling eight tons to every five tons formerly handled by the men they have replaced. In addition, these women are doing their housework and caring for their children at hours when a man would be done for the day. The reasons given for their fitness are significant. As one report phrases it, "they are now earning enough to feed themselves properly, and they are freed for the first time from the weekly worry of providing food for Friday and Saturday from an empty purse."

COOK BOOK.

The revised and enlarged edition of The Summer Fair Cook Book for sale at Bellegheim's, and Alexander and Miller's, at reduced prices, 25c. These make a useful Christmas gift.

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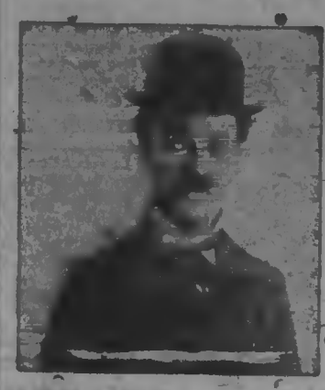
10c COMPLETE CHANGE TODAY 10c
DON'T MISS THIS.

Royal Theatre



World's greatest comedian in a celebrated comedy that had to be booked two weeks ago. 2 reels.

Charlie Chaplin
"The Fireman"

Another Episode in million dollar spectacular drama—

The Yellow Menace

Grand 2-reel feature drama
"My Country 'Tis of Thee"

Comedies—"Tomboy Bessie" "Wifey's Visit" "Stung" "An Elephant's Dinner and others.

Two full shows, afternoon and evening. Prices 10c, which covers war tax.

ATTEND THE EMPIRE

PARAMOUNT

See Louis Huff in
Destiny's Toy

PARAMOUNT

STRAND THEATRE
Don't miss seeing this splendid "Gold Rooster" Feature
"THE MENACE OF THE MUTE"
A very interesting detective drama, full of life and action.
ALSO
SHADOWS OF WAR final episode of Exploits of Elaine
Ladies, shopping down town will find "THE STRAND" a nice cosy place in which to spend a very entertaining hour or so.
AFTERNOON MATINEE 10c and 5c

TIZ-IT THEATRE

Ella Hall and Robert Leonard in — The Winning of Miss Construe
101 Bison Feature Mary Walcamp in — IRON RIVALS
Nestor Comedy — The Lion's Breath
Imp Feature Wm. Garwood in — The Go-Between
Lottie Pickford in the Second Episode of — The Diamond From The Sky
Friday and Saturday "LIBERTY"

SUGGESTIONS For All The Men Folks

Dressing Gowns and House Coats make an ideal Christmas Gift. We have so many Styles we can't describe them here.

House Coats.....$5.00, $6.50 and $7.50
Gowns.....$4.50, $5.50 and $6.50

It matters not how many Christmas Gifts a man may receive, he will be expecting a handsome Tie—and we have them—dandies—and prices reasonable.

CHRISTMAS SILK NECKWEAR, BOXED
25c 35c, 3 for $1.00 50c 75c $1.00

BOXED GIFTS FOR MEN

Boxed Garters.....25c and 50c
Boxed Arm Bands.....25c and 50c
Boxed Bands and Garters.....50c and 75c
Boxed Braces.....25c, 50c and 75c
Boxed Sets Braces, Bands, etc.....50c to $1.50
Boxed Sets with Belts.....$1.25 and $1.50
Boxed Scarfs.....75c, $1.00 up to $2.50
Boxed Handkerchiefs.....25c, 50c and 75c
Boxed Collar Bags.....$1.00, $1.25 and $1.50
Boxed Handkerchief Bags.....$1.00 and $1.25
Boxed Shirts.....$1.00 to $5.00
Boxed Gloves.....$1.00 to $3.50
Boxed Jewellery Sets.....25c to $1.00

MEN'S OVERCOATS

Young Men's Stylish Models, in short, close-fitting styles. Worth up to $16.50, for.... $12.90

Young Men's Up-to-Date Models. Jeliicoes, Canadians. Worth up to $20.00, for.... $15.90

Men's Suits. Some broken sizes, in our regular stock. Sovereign brand make. Worth up to $20.00. Special for... $15.00

OAK HALL

UNDERWEAR

Men's Combinations $1.00 to $5.00
Boys' Combinations $1.00 to $2.00
Men's Shirts and Drawers 50c to $2.50
Boys' Shirts and Drawers 50c to $1.00
Sweater Coats.....$2.00 to $6.00
Sweaters.....$2.50
Boys' Sweaters.....$1.25 and $2.00
Boys' Jerseys.....$1.00, $1.25 and $1.50

BOY'S SUIT SPECIALS

All-Wool Serge Suits. Ages 3 to 8 years. Worth $5.50, for.... $4.35
Boys' Tweed Suits. Ages 7 to 16. Norfolk Style. Worth $5.50, for.... $3.95

For Milady's Christmas

The 1917 Ford Coupelet
$695.00
f.o.b. Ford, Ont.

Give her a car this year, and make it a new Ford Coupelet. She can quickly learn to drive it, it's so simple and easy to control. It has the style she likes and closed car comfort with open car convenience when needed.

The Coupelet serves winter and summer alike, but you must order quickly for holiday delivery.

DUFFUS GARAGE
Jos. J. Duffus, Prop.
193 SIMCOE STREET PHONE 255

City and General

Broken auto cylinders, machinery and stoves welded. By the new Oxe Acetelyne Process. Anything in iron, steel or aluminum made as good as new, not patched up. Millard's Bicycle Shop, Hunter street, near Aylmer.

PROBABILITIES.

Fresh winds mostly north and north-west. Local snow flurries. Decidedly cold to-day and on Thursday.

DENTAL.

Dr McKenty, Dentist, 370 George Street, on the ground floor, first door north of Peterborough Hardware Company. Nitrous oxide and oxygen administered for painless operations. 28d-128

WINDOW CLEANING.

Shutters removed, storm windows put up, and windows washed. M. W. Peters, 130 Aylmer St. 'Phone 1146. 28d-109

POULTRY MEETING.

The regular monthly meeting of the Peterborough Poultry Association will be held in the Labour Hall to-night at 8 o'clock. A. Brault, Sec.

DRY SHORT WOOD FOR SALE.

The Peterborough Lumber Co. have recommenced sawing their dry four-foot hemlock wood. Prompt delivery. 'Phone 345. 28d-130

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The regular monthly meeting of the Peterborough Poultry Association will be held in the Labour Hall to-night at 8 o'clock.

E. B. CLEGG & CO.

Furniture purchased now as gifts, will be held until Christmas week if desired. Dining room furniture on sale this week. Some handsome styles to choose from. A collection of colonial art craft and modern style buffets. See our show window. A fine example of the William and Mary style.

CHAMBERLAIN METAL WEATHER STRIP.

Now is the time to have your windows and doors properly installed with the right strip. Chamberlain Metal Weather Strip People, 753 Aylmer street, or 'phone 1292 28d-112

CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. W. C. Simmons and brothers wish to thank the friends who kindly sent flowers and sympathy in their bereavement in the death of their father; also the Soldiers' Wives' and Mothers' Club, for flowers.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. A. Miller and family take this means of expressing their thanks to their many friends for the sympathy extended them in their sad bereavement. Also for the beautiful floral offerings and to the nurses of the Nicholls Hospital and to the friends who were so kind to their mother on her last illness.

KNOX CHURCH NOTICE.

There will be no prayer meeting at Knox Church to-night. Preparatory service will be held on Friday night.

AT ST. PAUL'S.

Rev. J. A. Wilson of St. Andrew's Church, Hamilton, occupied the pulpit at both services at St. Paul's Church on Sunday last. Mr. Wilson was formerly assistant Pastor of St. Paul's. Both sermons were much appreciated.

PIANO TUNING.

'Phone 565, The Greene Music Co., Charlotte Street, when your piano requires tuning or regulating. All work guaranteed. dtf

TRIPLEX WEATHER STRIP.

Now is the time to install **Triplex Bronze Ribbon Weather Strip,** the only Triple contact strip in the market. Saves its cost the first year. Put on and guaranteed by Chas. H. Huffman & Sons, Contractors and Builders, 297 Boswell Avenue. 'Phone 1235. 18d-117

NOTICE.

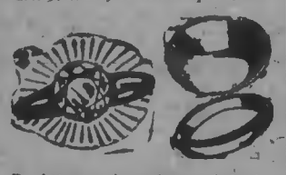
The local grocers meet on Wednesday in the Oriental parlour, the last meeting of the year and officers will be elected. Every grocer in the city should be at this meeting. 21-137

OLD FAITHFUL FRIENDS

create an atmosphere of memories that cannot be forgotten by new conditions. Even horses are now provided with "rest homes," Toronto being the latest city to establish an equine hospital. Miss Underwood thought so much of her faithful friend, an Underwood No. 5, that she gave it a "rest cure" at Nelson's, where it was thoroughly renovated and now is as good as new. Nelson's Typewriter Co., Opposite Oriental.

PRECIOUS STONES

Diamonds, Pearls, Emeralds, Rubbies —Loose Stones of rare quality and variety; at very reasonable prices:—



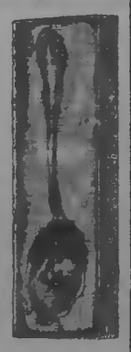
By choosing a loose stone and having it set to suit your fancy you obtain a distinct piece of gift jewelry.

Warne Bros
DIAMOND HALL
Next to Warne Drug Co.

FINE STERLING SILVERWARE

We can unhesitatingly recommend to the Christmas Shopper our exquisite display of Fine Silver ware for quality and style.

Large and Small Tea Spoons
Dessert Spoons and Forks
Soup Spoons
Salad Forks
Orange Spoons
Table Spoons



FOR THE BABY GIRL we suggest the gift of a Tea Spoon, and continue each Christmas to give the child one or more pieces of same pattern

Warne Bros
DIAMOND HALL
Next to Warne Drug Co.

TEA SIFTINGS.

We have just received an excellent quality of Japan tea siftings, which we can sell at 25c a pound, or 10 pounds for $1.90. Porter S. White, grocer. 18-56

A GOOD PURCHASE.

We purchased a complete line of pipes before the advance in prices, real amber, extra good briar. We have also a very large stock for Christmas of cigars and tobaccos. We always give extra good value. Call and see us.—Yeates Bros. 339 George street.

REPEAT PERFORMANCE.

Mrs. (Dr.) Harvey would like to meet all those taking part in "The Adventures of a Country School Teacher," at 4.15 o'clock this afternoon. This play is included in an entertainment that is being repeated Friday evening by the Junior Epworth League of George street Methodist church.

CLAIMS IT WAS ACCIDENT

Special to The Examiner:

TORONTO, Dec 13.—John Patrick Spain, aged sixteen; arrested here last night, has admitted to his lawyer that he killed Farmer Vincent and his wife, for whom he worked at Stonewall, Sask., but says that the accidental discharge of his gun was responsible in both cases. He had about $1,000 cash and some of Vincent's jewelry on him when arrested here.

EXCLUSIVE GIFTS

In the past month we have received many articles of gift presentation that cannot be duplicated elsewhere such as

Sterling Silver Jewel Boxes
Sterling Silver Engraved Purses
Travelling Jewel Boxes
Toilet Sets in Leather Cases
French Ivory Toilet Sets

FINE ENGRAVING DONE FREE

Warne Bros
DIAMOND HALL
Next to Warne Drug Co.

WEDDING BELLS

TREMAINE—IRWIN

A quiet wedding took place at the Trinity Methodist Church parsonage, on Tuesday, Dec. 12th, when W. J. Tremaine of Peterborough was married to Mary Jane, daughter of Robert Irwin of Millbrook. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. P. Wilson. The bride and groom were unattended.

DUGGAN—WHETUNG.

At the George Street Methodist parsonage, last evening, the marriage was solemnized of Robert Duggan of Selwyn, Smith Township, to Daisy, daughter of Mr. Dan. Whetung, St. Chemong Indian Village. The young couple were attended by Mr. Allan Taylor and Miss Angeline Tobey. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. G. Peever. Mr. and Mrs. Duggan left on a wedding trip to Toronto and western points.

CHARLTON—FORREST.

The wedding took place at St. Paul's Manse yesterday of Miss Agnes Forrest of Peterborough, daughter of Mr. A. Forrest, of Scotland, to Arthur Charlton of Peterborough. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. Pogue. The young couple were attended by Mr. E. Jackson and Miss N. Jarvis. Mr. and Mrs. Charlton will spend their honeymoon in Rochester. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful presents. A wedding repast was served at the home of Mrs. G. Ahearne, 846 Cambridge street.

OBITUARY

JOSEPHINE CALDERONE.

Josephine Marian, the infant daughter of Mani and Rosina Calderone died last night at Mr. Calderone's residence, 617 George street, after a short illness. Many beautiful floral offerings were received from friends of Mr. and Mrs. Caderone. The funeral will take place this afternoon.

REV. SAM. M. FEE.

At the late residence, the Manse, in New Liskeard, Ont., the Rev. Samuel M. L. Fee passed to his reward on Tuesday, 12th inst., at 6 a.m.

The late Mr. Fee had just completed a pastorate of almost fifteen years at Newdale, Man., and had completed 21 years in the work of the ministry. He arrived at New Liskeard about the 1st of December, to take charge of the Presbyterian Church there, to which he had been recently called, and was to have been inducted on the 6th inst. He was taken with heart failure on the preceding Monday and passed away yesterday, as above stated.

His was a life of strenuous activity and painstaking care in every detail, always considering duty a privilege. He wore out in the work he loved, which doubtless contributed to his early demise at the age of 64. He believed it was not necessary for him to live, but it was necessary for him to be up and about his Master's work.

He leaves to mourn his loss, his wife, Miss Effie Best, formerly of this city, his sister, Mrs. (Dr.) Longmore of Campbellford, his three brothers, the Rev. Jno. Fee of Portland, Oregon; Rev. Wm. Fee of Treherne, Man., and Dr. Donald Fee, who enlisted for service and is now in England.

The remains were brought here today to Mrs. V. Best's residence, 200 Brock street, where the funeral services will take place to-morrow at 2 p.m.

FUNERAL OF WALTER HOLDEN

The funeral of the late Walter Holden, one of the Quaker Oats fire victims, was held this afternoon, at 2.30 from the Mark Street Methodist church.

MILITARY NEWS

Women workers on farms are not confined to England. In Apsley, where a large percentage of the men eligible for military service have enlisted, there are many who have taken up farm work. One woman, whose brother enlisted, leaving her an aged father, has taken up the entire burden of a 100 acre farm and has carried it on successfully for over a year.

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Social and Personal

One of the events of the season in Montreal will be the marriage of Miss Williams-Taylor, which takes place on Thursday in Montreal. Many guests will be present from New York, Ottawa, and other places. The Hon. Robert and Mrs. Rogers will bring a party on a private car from Ottawa. Colonel and Lady Violet Henderson, and several other members of their Excellencies suite will attend. The bride and bridegroom leave immediately after the ceremony.

Mrs. L. Bacque arrived in England December 4, and the wedding of her daughter, Miss Emma Marie Bacque, to Lieut. Alston Radcliffe, took place at Crowborough the next day. Lieut. Radcliffe was a resident of Peterborough for some time and made many friends here.

Miss Stella Grier is living at the Studio Club in New York, and studying with Mr. F. Du Monde. Mr. E. Wyly Grier leaves shortly for Rochester, and from there goes on to New York. Miss Grier is widely known amongst the Peterborough people who summer at Stony Lake.

Rev. Mr. Robinson, pastor of the Presbyterian church, Lakefield, spent yesterday in Peterborough.

Mrs. D. J. Lundy is the guest of friends in Toronto for a few days.

Mrs. Gordon Grahame and Miss Phyllis Cumberland will be the hostesses of the tea at the Empire on Saturday. The girl friends who are members of the Peter Robinson Chapter I.O.D.E. will have charge.

Mrs. B. Marling and Mrs. G. B. Hilliard, Lakefield motored into the city this afternoon.

Mr. James H. Johnson of Havelock was in the city this morning on business.

Dr. and Mrs. George of Toronto, are guests at the Oriental Hotel.

Miss Dorothy MacDonald, who has been a guest in the city for several weeks, left this afternoon for her home in Winnipeg.

Miss M. Kerr, who has been the guest of her brother, Mr. F. D. Kerr, leaves this evening for her home in Cobourg.

Mrs. Tucker, wife of Pte. Tucker, of the 99rd aBttalion, leaves to-morrow morning, accompanied by her three daughters, for England.

Mr. R. J. Devey is spending the day in Toronto.

The many friends of Mr. Robt. Neil, who with his wife and daughter, Miss Jean, left recently for Rochester, Minn., will be glad to know that his condition is somewhat improved.

Renew your subscription.

PREMIER HURST IS ILL AGAIN

Special to The Examiner.

TORONTO, Dec. 13.—A recurrence of serious heart trouble caused Premier Hearst to remain away from his office at the Ontario Parliament buildings, this week. It is not known when the Premier will be able to resume his duties.

BIRTH.

ALLEN—At St. Joseph's hospital, on Monday, December 11th, 1916, the wife of Mr. A. Allen of Douro, of a daughter.

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Dresses Half-Price

These consist of several kinds of dresses in silk and cloths, and some combination of silk and cloth. The styles are every one this season's, some of which are from New York. This space is too small for detail description, so below we have just quoted reductions:—

$25.00 Dresses $16.50. $20.00 Dresses $14.50
$18.50 Dresses ..... $12.50 and $13.50
$15.00 Dresses $9.95. $13.50 Dresses $8.50

$5 Separate Wool Skirts $2.95

40 only, Separate Wool Skirts, in Serges navy and black, Cheviots navy and black, and other good materials. There are about 15 styles in the lot, and range in size from 22/36 to 28/40. The regular range in prices was from $4.50 to $5.50, and are cheap even at those prices, but at the clearing price they are better than wholesale values 2.95

WHITEWEAR CHEAP

Our white wear stock is limited but of good quality. Consists of Corset Covers from 25c each to $1.50 each; Gowns from 75c to $2.50 each; Combinations at all prices; drawers from 25c upwards, and several kinds of Underskirts. This line is to be cleared entirely out, but to go into detail as to the reductions would be out of the question, but they are all greatly reduced and have been moved from the second floor to the ground floor for quick selling.

$23.00 SUITS $10.95

In sizes from 16 years to size 42. Mostly in navy and black, in several good cloths including sergé. Made in this season's styles. Some are belted, some not; others braid and fancy trimmed. Some of the coats are satin lined. Skirts are all wide and flaring. Worth from $18.50 to $23.00. Sale price $10.95
All our other suits which regularly sold as high as $45.00, to be cleared at likewise prices. Do not be without a suit.

$22.50 Pile Coats $10.95

There are not many of these, about 15 in all and they are all black material Pile Curl, and are all lined to the bottom with a guaranteed lining. There are only two styles, one extra long, the other about 45 inches with two stripes of black plush around bottom, cuffs and collar. This coat is warm and will give excellent service. Worth regular $22.50. Quick Sale price 10.95

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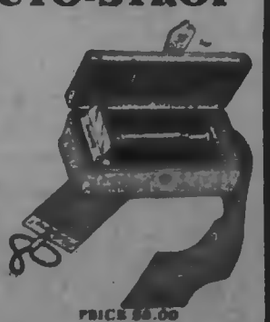

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THE NEXT MOVE

PETROGRAD, Dec. 14.—The swift procession of political events which has been making a new chapter in Russian history has come to a temporary halt, awaiting the final decision of the government. The present situation is as follows.

A majority of both Parliamentary chambers, for the first time in their existence, presents a united front against the government and a series of extraordinarily sensational accusations against the present Cabinet and disclosures of government inefficiency and corrupt influences have been crystalized into the more dignified shape of a demand for a ministry which can be supported by the legislative bodies and the public opinion of the nation.

Both chambers are firm in their insistence upon not merely a changed personnel in the ministry, but the final elimination of those "dark forces" which formed the topic of so many impassioned utterances in the Duma and the Imperial Council.

It is impossible to go closely into details, but the present upheaval can be understood in outline as a tremendously patriotic protest against the efforts of the German party and all other influences which have attempted to interfere with the successful prosecution of the war.

The last word has apparently been said in both chambers. Half of the Extreme Right faction in the Duma has seceded from the party since the scandal caused by the insult offered President Rozianko by the Reactionist deputy, Maroff, and the Imperial Council, reflecting for the first time in its history the popular voice, has, by an overwhelming majority, allied itself with the Duma. The next move will undoubtedly be made by the Government. In the meantime, pleas new to Russia for a "responsible ministry" are heard everywhere, and the newspapers print long articles anticipating the new regime, which is regarded as inevitable. A rumour is current to the effect that the change in the Cabinet will not be announced before the solemn assembling of both Houses in the winter palace.

Chancellor's Speech Will Be Scrutinized For Hidden Meanings

Premier Briand of France Sounds a Note of Warning—Allies Will Not Make the Peace That Germany Craves.

THE FIRST SHOCK

Special to The Examiner:

LONDON, Dec. 14.—The caution "watch out, take care," sounded by Premier Briand, in his address to the French Chamber of Deputies, "will also be Britain's guidance in continuing the German peace proposals."

After the first shock of the news of Germany's peace plan, and the first and instantaneous decision to reject it, there came to-day, with the strengthening of this determination not to make the peace that Germany craves. It is the belief that England and her Allies ought closely to examine the circumstances of the Teutonic move.

Britain and her Allies, therefore, intend to reject the peace proposals, but before that rejection they intend to scrutinize every word in the note, and the Chancellor's speech for hidden meanings, and to weigh all circumstances of its delivery carefully.

PEACE TERMS WERE NOT DISCUSSED IN THE REICHSTAG

Some of the Members Sought a Debate on the Peace Proposal—German Papers are Not Confident—Do not Believe Allies are Likely to Accept Peace Offer.

NO MEDIATION ASKED

BERLIN, Dec. 14.—If Germany's bid for peace is rejected by the entente powers, it is certain the Central Empires will not take the initiative again to end the war. The hopes of the German people for peace are whole-hearted, but if the present proposal is scorned, the rejection of the plan for discussion of terms would serve to cement the Empire even more fully in its determination and to dispel talk and speculation which has been current.

SILLY THREATENINGS.

Berlin newspapers were not sanguine that the peace proffer will be accepted, although applauding the Chancellor's steps. The comment of editor Theodore Wolff, of the Tageblatt, is typical.

"If the opposing Governments should decline the peace overtures or disdain them as a sign of weakness and suffering, the people will once more ask themselves whether they are not being driven senselessly and without urgent need to new sacrifices, and renewed massacres. The German people, if their opponents' answer is negative, will see clearly it is their duty to bear the heavy burden, or heavier burdens, as long as there is no possibility of agreeing upon an acceptable and sensible peace."

Die Post warns the entente "if German's hand is refused, her fist will be felt with increased force." The editorial also suggests that Germany's own peace offers indicate there is no necessity of neutral nations' offers for peace.

WON'T DISCUSS TERMS.

The speech of the Chancellor before the Reichstag was not marked by a single expression of dissent, while the significant passages were greeted with hearty bravos and cheers. It was noticeable, however, that Count Friedrich Von Westarp, the Conservative leader, and others of his following, sat silent and unmoved even when the galleries and newspaper men joined demonstratively in the applause.

When the Chancellor had concluded his speech, an attempt was made to force an immediate debate by the annexation bloc under Major Ernest Bassermann, leader of the National Liberals, and Count Westarp, supported by the Extreme Specialists. This move was firmly resisted by the leaders of the moderate parties who agreed with the Chancellor that a general discussion of possible peace conditions, before the attitude of the enemy powers was made known, would only injure the cause of peace and place Germany at a diplomatic disadvantage. Their attitude was that if the central powers exposed all their cards before peace negotiations began, they would be placed at a disadvantage.

The indefinite adjournment of the Reichstag by its own decision leaves the Government a free hand to conduct further negotiations, and is regarded as tantamount to a vote of confidence.

NO MEDIATION ASKED

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—A News Agency despatch from Berlin says:

Germany has not asked neutral powers to start peace negotiations. The American Embassy's understanding is that she has merely asked neutral powers to inform the nations of the entente that the central powers are willing to discuss peace—putting up to the allies the acquiescence or refusal of the tender.

Allies Will Demand The Following Peace Terms

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec. 14. — British Allies will demand the following terms for peace: The restoration of North France, Belgium, Poland, Serbia, and Roumania, with full indemnity to all. Restoration of Alsace, Lorraine, to France, and the ceding of the Constantinople Straits to Russia. Full indemnity to all the Allies for destroyed shipping and heavy punishment for all responsible for atrocities.

Provide For a Million Men By March 31st

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec. 14.—A War Office supplementary estimate to-day provides for an additional million men of all ranks in the army for the year ending March 31, 1917, making a total of five million for that twelve-months' period.

Change in the Ottawa "Free Press"

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, Dec. 14.—After January 1st the Ottawa Free Press" (Liberal) will be issued as a morning paper. One report says it will be morning edition of the Journal, which is Conservative.

Vote of Confidence For the Government

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, Dec. 14.—By a vote of 314 to 166 the Government is voted full confidence. Premier Briand derides the peace proposals.

Sank American Steamer Ianas

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—Germany captured and sank the American steamer Ianao because she was considered a prize and carrying contraband.

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LOCAL WEEKLY MARKET REPORT

Butter prices have received a setback during the past week. Montreal quotes choicest creamery at 43c wholesale with seconds 41c. It looks like the end of the butter tether. Compare these figures and those locally quoted with New York's as follows: "The finest creamery butter is 2c still lower this week, at 37c to 38. Below that, the price is from 33c up to 36 1-2c per pound. Dairy butter is 36c to 37c per pound; and storage stuff from 30c to 34c per pound."

Consumers generally feel indisposed to exceed 40c a pound for butter.

CREAM AT TORONTO.

The cream market is about holding its own, in line with the butter market. There is no apparent change in view from last month's values, when the Toronto Creamery paid 47c per pound net for butter fat. While there is a low ebb in the amount of cream shipped and some shippers who have been sending cream for four or five years are now sending less than ever before in all that time, still some new shipers are turning up since the cheese factories have closed. Sweet cream is unchanged at 50c per pound of fat, delivered at Toronto, according to the Toronto Creamery Co.

"Toronto cream men seem bound to have it at any price," says an Eastern creamery man, referring to cream.

TORONTO'S MILK.

The Sun says: "While there has been an agitation for $2.35 per 100 pounds for milk delivered to the dairies at Toronto, there is much opposition to the rise on the part of the smaller dairies, who protest that they will not be able to pay it. One of the large dairies is said to have expressed an inclination to pay an advance for the purpose of securing new customers, but the rumour is not confirmed.

"The present expense of milk, and the agitation on the other hand, for economy in its use, has led to a decrease in its use. The householders have been economising as far as possible, in order that the famine be not oppressive. In this they are fostered by the dairymen who would much rather be able to supply all their customers than to have to refuse them, as has so often occurred, even in the case of the big concerns."

EGGS UNCHANGED.

The price of fresh eggs remains unchanged at from 45c to 50c. The farmers' market was practically bare of supplies last Saturday.

Live hogs are quoted at $11.40 locally this week. The grain markets have been steady of late.

LAKEFIELD PERSONALS

LAKEFIELD, Dec. 13—Mrs. W. H. Morison and Master Willie, have left for Otterville, where they will spend six weeks, visiting friends.

Miss Winnifred Mackenzie, who has been spending the past two months in Montreal and Brantford, has returned to her home in the Village.

The anniversary services of the Lakefield Presbyterian Church were held on Sunday, Dec. 10. Both services were conducted by Rev. T. H. Mitchell, B.A. of St. Andrew's Church, Peterborough, whose excellent addresses were enjoyed by the large congregation present.

Miss Edna Darling of Peterborough spent Sunday in the village.

Mr. R. C. Edwards of Peterborough spent Sunday in the Village.

Miss Mina Edwards of Peterborough spent Sunday in the village.

Mrs. C. S. Carter spent Sunday in Peterborough.

Mr Theo. Crawford spent Monday in Peterborough.

Rev. Snell of Hastings conducted the morning service of the Lakefield Methodist Church on Sunday, Dec. 10th.

Miss K. Atwood spent Monday in Peterborough.

Mr. C. B. Ball spent Monday in Peterborough.

Mrs. B. Maling spent Monday in Peterborough.

Mr. F. M. Dale Fesse and Lieut. Shaw of Peterborough spent the week-end in the Village, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hilliard.

Mr. Wm. Grahame spent Monday in Peterborough.

Rev. C. W. Barrett spent Sunday in Hastings, where he conducted the anniversary services.

WM. MACKINTOSH DEAD

SCHOOL INSPECTOR IN HASTINGS MORE THAN 40 YEARS—ONCE PRESIDENT O.E.A.

BELLEVILLE, Dec. 13.—William Mackintosh, former Inspector of Public Schools for North Hastings, and later of Centre Hastings, died at his home in Madoc, aged seventy-two years. He was smitten with a cerebral hemorrhage and death resulted in a few minutes. He became Inspector in 1873, and resigned in June 1915. Before that he was Principal of the Public School at Campbellford. He was a Presbyterian, a Liberal, and an ardent temperance worker. During the campaign of the Committee of One Hundred he was Chairman for the county of Hastings.

As an educationalist he will be long remembered. He was at one time President of the Ontario Educational Association. His success in detached sections of Northern Hastings, where schools were few and some were very poor, was remarkable. At the close of his inspectoral career the teachers of Centre Hastings and many old friends raised to pay him the tribute of a complimentary banquet. Members of his family are well-known educationalists.

ONE MORE BODY RECOVERED

Death List Now Stands at Eight With Nine Missing

This morning the body of James Foster was recovered from the ruins of the Quaker Oats Company's plant. This brings the known death list up to eight and leaves the missing list at nine, making a total of seventeen with a number of severely injured men in the two local hospitals. The work of removing the debris in order to facilitate the search for bodies continued throughout the night. More extensive operations are contemplated to-day and to-morrow, when several parts of the building now standing will be levelled by the use of dynamite.

Fifty Miners Killed By An Explosion

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PITTSBURG, Dec. 14.—Fifty miners were killed in the explosion in a coal mine at Stone City.

MAKING IT PLAIN.

A common mistake which some people continue to make is to accept from a druggist an "extract" of cod liver thinking they will get the benefits of an emulsion of cod liver oil.

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Wheat Markets Very Erratic

Yesterday's Market Was Purely Speculative—The Cattle Market

Markets were very erratic yesterday acting in a most excited manner, the May option in particular jumping from high to low, then back again, and finally closing almost steady with yesterday's close. It was purely a speculative market, with peace proposals and short covering as the chief factors.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern, 1.67 3-4, track, bay ports; No. 2, $1.84 3-4; No. 3 $1.79 1-4; No. 4, $1.76 1-4; old crop 4c above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W. 62 1-4; No. 3, 59 1-2c; No. 2 extra feed 59 1-2; No. 2 feed 59 1-2c.

American corn—No. 2, nominal; No. 3, new $1.02 1-2, December shipment subject to embargo, track, Toronto.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 60c to 62c; No. 3 white, 59 to 61c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1.63 to $1.65; No. 3 $1.61 to $1.63.

Peas—No. 2, nominal, car lots $2.20.

Barley—Good milling, $1.18 to $1.20; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal $1.25.

Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal; No. 2, new $1.30 to $1.39.

Manitoba flour—First patents, in jute bags $9.90; second patents in jute $9.40; strong bakers, in jute $9.20, Toronto.

Ontario flour—New winter, $7 to $7.10, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered Montreal; shorts $37; bran $33; feed flour per bag, $2.80; middlings $38 to $40.

Hay—Baled, No. 1, track, Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots, $12.50 to $13.50; No. 2 $10 to $11.50, straw $9 to $9.50.

CATTLE MARKETS

Receipts at the Toronto Union Stock Yards yesterday were 109 cars, made up of 1,371 cattle, 140 calves, 3,421 hogs, 868 sheep and lambs.

There was a moderately heavy run for the midweek market, with a fair proportion of good loads of butcher steers and heifers. The extra choice Christmas beef cattle are now becoming scarce, with only an odd steer or heifer here and there which sells anywhere from $10 to $11. Choice butcher lands are steady to firm from $9.50 to $9.50, and fair to good loads steady around $7.75 to $8.25. Common to medium are not taken quite so readily, but hold about steady from $6.75 to $7.50. Canners and cutters steady to firm.

Sheep and lambs steady.

Hogs steady.

Fair demand for good stockers and feeders, but prices are a little high for anything with fat on.

Latest quotations:

Heavy steers, choice	$9 25 to	$9 50
Choice butcher	8 50	9 00
do good	8 00	8 25
do medium	7 00	7 25
do common	6 25	6 50
Heifers, good to choice	7 00	7 25
do medium	6 25	6 75
Butcher cows, choice	6 85	7 50
do medium	5 75	6 25
Butcher bulls, choice	6 85	7 50
do good	6 50	6 80
do medium	5 00	5 50
Feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs.	6 50	7 00
do bulls	5 25	5 75
Stockers 700 to 800 lbs.	6 25	6 40
do med. 650 to 750 lbs.	5 50	6 00
do light 600 to 650 lbs.	5 00	5 75
Canners	4 10	4 40
Cutters	4 50	5 25
Sheep, light	8 50	9 50
do heavy	6 50	8 00
Spring lambs	10 75	12 75
Calves	8 00	12 50
Hogs, fed and watered	11 75	
do weighed off cars	12 00	
do f.o.b.	10 75	11 00

Wilson Will Keep Off The Grass

Special to The Examiner.

WASHINGTON Dec. 14.—Should Premier Lloyd George, next Tuesday, express to parliament and the world a willingness to at least discuss Germany's peace proposals President Wilson will offer his services in the situation, his closest advisers said to-day.

On the contrary if Lloyd George continues his policy of fighting to a "knockout," the President probably will keep aloof or limit his expression to a hope that the present opening may develop into a serious consideration of peace soon.

Allies Are On The Offensive

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, Dec. 14.—New Allied front line the Teutons on the east front. Russians and Roumanians are already taking a serious offensive.

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There Are Too Many Chaplains

Special to The Examiner:

OTTAWA, Dec. 14.—Twenty chaplains in No. 3 military district are invited to enlist as combatants, there being too many chaplains.

Summerside Reported Destroyed By Fire

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

ST. JOHN, N.B. Dec. 14.—Summerside, Prince Edward Island, reported destroyed by fire.

BIG SLUMP ON STOCK EXCHANGE

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TOKIO, Dec. 14.—Peace proposals caused such a violent slump on the Stock Exchange yesterday that the market closed temporary.

KEENE NEWS

KEENE, Dec 13.—Messrs Guilbert Howson and Howard Humphrey were in Peterborough Monday evening.

Rev J. H Arnup B.A., Assistant Secretary of Missions for the Methodist church will occupy the pulpit of the Keene circuit next Sunday.

Misses Ada and Minnie Brown were in Peterborough on Thursday last shopping.

Mr. James Dickson Jr., who has spent the past week with friends at Peterborough returned home on Saturday.

Mrs. John Macfarlane was called to Watertown last Friday on the account of the serious illness of her sister Mrs. Vanluven.

Mr Robert Brown was in Peterborough on Tuesday.

Mr. Percy Skinner who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Skinner has returned to his home at Niagara Falls.

Miss Bessie Reid of Peterborough spent a few days the past week with the Misses McCrea.

Mrs. Torrence Sharpe and little Miss Dorothea who have been guests at Brayfaford have returned to their home at Ottawa.

Mr James McNeil Jr., was in Peterborough last Thursday.

Mr Harold Roadle of Peterborough paid a flying visit to the village last Thursday.

Mrs. John Moore returned home on Saturday from Peterborough where she spent a few days with friends.

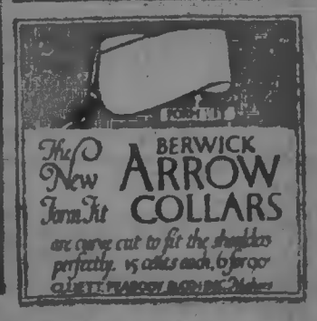
Mr. Wilson Robertson was in Peterborough on Monday.

Mrs William Daunton was shopping at Peterborough last Wednesday.

Mr. Harry Mather with a party of friends motored to Peterborough on Monday night.

Mr John Howson has returned to his home at Peterborough after a few days with Keene friends last week.

Mr Wesley Montgomery and family have moved to Peterborough for the winter.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Railway Time Tables

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY
CORRECTED JUNE 5, 1916

7.00 a.m.—For Lakefield.
8.10 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg and points east, connecting at Port Hope for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 11.35 a.m.
8.35 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
8.00 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
11.40 a.m.—Midday express for Toronto, reaching Toronto at 3.15 p.m.
12.20 p.m.—For Lakefield.
11.40 a.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
1.30 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
4.35 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
5.05 p.m.—For Lakefield
5.35 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
6.35 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville Montreal and Boston.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY
CORRECTED JUNE 5, 1916

GOING EAST—
*7.20 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*12.15 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N.B., Boston, and New York.
*1.10 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, and Ottawa.
**1.22 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and intermediate points, and all points east of Montreal.

GOING WEST—
*6.30 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Galt, Woodstock, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*8.54 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
**7.30 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York, intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
**3.15 a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port McNicoll and intermediate points.
**2.02 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Buffalo, New York, Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, London, Detroit and Chicago.
**5.45 p.m.—North Toronto and West Toronto and intermediate points.
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CHAPTER XII.

An hour later Mrs. Haswell sat before the cheval glass of her dressing table. Her dark hair, loosened now from its coils, cascaded abundantly over her white shoulders. She was thinking, and the charmingly chiseled lips and brow here in the privacy of her own room wore a rather calculating and somewhat satisfied smile. No note of contrition or self accusation marred their serenity. A knock on the door interrupted her reverie and with a smothered exclamation of annoyance she glanced at the clock and rose.

"May I come in a moment?" Her husband's voice was a shade thicker than usual and his face still wore the somber expression which seemed so out of place there.

"It's almost two o'clock, Len." There was an uninviting coolness in the quality of Loraine's tone—almost a protest. "Won't to-morrow do?" She stood still, holding the door only a few inches ajar.

"I won't keep you up long," he assured her.

"I am very tired."

Len Haswell laid his hand on the knob and opened the door in spite of her unwelcome. "If you please," he said quietly. He came in and lighted a cigarette, then he inquired with an unaccustomed irony, "What tired you Loraine? You did not seem to be dancing much."

His wife shrugged her shoulders. Beyond that she failed to reply.

The big man came over and took both her hands in his own with a half-savage affection. "Loraine," he said pleadingly, "I wanted to dance with you to-night. I searched high and low, but I could not find you. For my part, I have spent a very dreary evening."

"You know, Len," she casually reminded him, "you and I can't dance together. I'm a fair dancer and you are a very good one, but together we can not manage it. There were plenty of other girls, weren't there?"

The man's face for an instant appeared to work spasmodically, and in pain, then it grew dark. "For me Loraine, there is never any other girl. You know that. Why do you avoid me as if I were a pestilence? Why can't you sometimes be the girl you used to be? Presumably you married me because you wanted to. You had better offers, richer lovers. Have I changed so much in five years—and if not, what in God's name has changed you?"

She withdrew her hands from his, and sat again in the chair before the mirror. "Len," she said with a touch of petulance in her voice, "you get into grouches and spur your imagination to all sorts of absurdities. I'm very sleepy. Why can't you reserve your fault-finding until to-morrow?"

Len Haswell answered quietly, but obdurately. "For two reasons. In the first place, I shan't be able to sleep unless you answer me. In the second place I shall probably see as much of you to-morrow as I have to-day—which is nothing." His tone hardened. "You are too tired to give me a few minutes, but you found it both possible and agreeable to give Paul Burton the entire evening."

"Oh," she laughed easily and with well simulated amusement, "I should fancy from the contemptuous things I have heard you men say about Paul, you would regard him as quite harmless."

"Paul!" repeated the man accusingly. "When did you begin calling him by his first name? Does he call you Loraine, too?"

"Why not? We are friends." She looked up at her husband's face with an air of injured innocence and he paced a turn or two across the floor before he halted before her.

"I wish that you would see less of him. I don't want to talk business to you often. It bores you, but you know that we are always strained to hold the pace that richer members of our set cut out. We have to pay very high for a privilege which has no value to me except that you like it."

Loraine Haswell sighed—and masked a yawn behind a small uplifted hand. "I wonder," she mused as though to herself, yet quite loud enough to be heard, "why some men find it so hard to make money and to others it seems so easy."

Len Haswell flushed brick red to his cheek bones. He bit his lip and forced himself to remain silent for a moment, then he spoke gently. "I'm sorry I am not as brilliant a financier as some others. Nature does not endow us all alike. A good many people would regard me as fairly successful, I dare say. For myself a small house on the Sound would be good enough, if you were there—"

"Thank you," she answered with deliberate cruelty, "I don't think I'd care for that."

The man's scowl became ominously black. The hands at his side twitched and the temper which few credited him because of his perpetual control, flared out.

"No, by the Almighty, you would rather perish to be where the goods of life are pleasure and extravagance and selfish indulgence! Where the loyal love of a husband means less than the flatteries of a tame cat—"

"Forgive me," he implored, "I didn't mean that. But I am distraught and financial affairs are very precarious, Loraine. We may stand on the brink of a disastrous panic. It lies in Hamilton Burton's power to make me or break me—absolutely. Don't you see what that means?"

His wife shook her head. "I'm afraid that I don't understand the intricacies of finance." Her tone added that neither was she extravagantly interested in them.

"It means this," Haswell spoke gravely. "You have been seen with Paul Burton more perhaps than is advisable. Paul Burton is Hamilton Burton's brother—he is the one man with whom I can't afford to quarrel."

"I haven't suggested you quarreling with him."

"Then please don't drive me to it."

"Again I say that you are letting your imagination make you the victim of absurdities. Or just what are you accusing me?"

He came over and took her hand. "I am not accusing you of anything. I am willing to let my honour rest in your hands, but I am warning you against innocent mistakes."

He sought to put his arm about her but she slipped from his grasp, and after a moment he said, "Good night" with a sort of sullen resignation, and went out, closing the door noiselessly after him.

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Jefferson Edwardes had tramped far—when Mary Burton had gone to her own rooms, he had plunged into the thickets slopes of the hills, and had walked for hours. Since his long exile in the White Mountains he had always held to the idea that a man can think more clearly close to the rocks and under the open skies. Just now he wanted an untinged clarity to attend to his thoughts.

Although the occurrences of the evening had possessed an Arabian Night's quality of unreality, he felt no misgivings for the late he had announced and pledged. It was not as though he had looked back on a record of broken promises. He had no troubling memories to sweep from his conscience before his heart should be clear for a new entry. He had come away from the mountains with something hermit-like in his nature, and much of the idealistic. It had been a pleasanter thing to him to keep unsullied the more important dreams of life than to endanger them with the transitory pleasures of the philander. The Mary Burton he had known in the dilapidated farm house had of course been nothing more than a picturesque little waif of the country-side. Yet she had been a memory that remained distinct through years in New York and Russia, a memory which his imagination had quickened into life. Of Hamilton Burton's spectacular successes his world of banking and finance had given him cognizance but only such interest as one accedes to matters of impersonal news.

So a curiosity had arisen in his mind to see this young woman to whom he had once played the fairy prince and since he was a whimsical man that curiosity had woven and twisted itself into a dream. A dream long entertained may become something more than a dream. Perhaps it may be a menace. About their meeting to-night had been so much of the fortuitous that he might regard the whole affair as one operated from the knees of the gods and disclaim responsibility.

The house windows had darkened one by one by the time his tramp ended again at Haverly Lodge. The moon was near the western timber fringe of the mountains but Mary Burton still wide-eyed and wakeful had slipped out of her room to the balcony by her window.

The stone coping where she sat was partly black with shadow and partly platinum gray with the last of the moonlight. Her hair, falling in two heavy braids, caught the glistening light and her lips were parted in a smile. "It is strange," she told herself, "that once before he came along—and waked into a new self. His second coming is stranger still. It would almost seem that there is no chance about it. It would almost seem that it had been definitely planned." Then she laughed low to herself. "And if that's true I have no responsibility in the matter at all! Nothing I do about it is my fault—and I need not be very angry about his kissing me before he was introduced to me."

Then she saw a figure leave the shadow of the hedges and cross the moonlit lawn with confident stride. Mary Burton leaned a little forward, resting on her hands, and her lips remained parted.

"He seems just about as shameless about the whole affair as I am," she reflected, and when he was directly below she accosted him in a careful voice: "Halt! Restless Stranger. Does a disturbed conscience send you out to wander in the night mists?"

Jefferson Edwardes obeyed the command and raised his eyes to the commanding voice. "Perhaps," he announced in a guarded tone, "it is a fashion, dread of the wrath to come—though my conscience is clear. But you!"—in his half whisper she caught an eager note of hope—"why aren't you asleep?" She shook her head, and in the moon bath her face flashed into a luminous smile. "I am working up that wrath," she assured him. "I am preparing to be terribly angry with you to-morrow."

"And until to-morrow?"

"Until to-morrow I am very happy. Good-night."

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A many sided man was J. J. Malone, with a nature as brilliant and as capable of flashing varying lights from its facets as a diamond—and when need be as hard as a diamond. Had he lived in feudal times other barons would have said, "Where Malone sits there is the head of the table," and the monarch himself would have taken thought before provoking his wrath. In these days of alleged intolerance for tyrants he dispensed with the fanfare of trumpets and the tossing of flambeaux. The door of his office in a gray stuff-like building down-town bore the simple inscription "American Transportation Co., President's Office."

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In this exact report of a conversation is summed up a great deal of German psychology. For the Salvation Army a number of Germans have a good deal of respect, because it seems to be organized on some military basis. The Church of England they regard as degenerate as the Non-conformist. Both, they think, are mere refuges for money-making ecclesiastics.

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He Lost a Rib and Got a Wife

By OSCAR COX

It was shortly after the great united drive began on the part of the French and the English against the Germans. They were bringing the English wounded to the rear, where the surgeons were attending to them in the recently constructed hospitals. A young officer was carried into one of these hospitals, where equipment for operating had been prepared in advance of the drive, and laid on the operating table. The only assistant who could be spared for that particular operation was a Red Cross nurse. The patient was in too critical a condition to notice his surroundings.

A fragment of a shell had struck the man in the breast and broken several ribs, so crushing one of them that the surgeon felt it necessary to remove it. When the operation was concluded and the patient returned to consciousness he feebly asked the doctor what he had done. He was told of the removal of his rib. He lay quiet while the doctor attended to another patient, and when he returned to observe the condition of the first the man, who meanwhile had been removed to a camp cot, said to him:

"You say, doctor, that you have taken a rib from my side."

"Yes."

"And this woman," pointing to the nurse "is the result."

Supposing that the patient was delirious, the surgeon, not willing to irritate him, assented.

"Well, then, I suppose I'm Adam and the woman is Eve. Were Adam and Eve married?"

"I don't know about that."

"Well, in these days couples are married. Bring a chaplain."

The surgeon looked from the patient to the nurse. She was regarding the wounded man with great anxiety.

"Come; hurry up," pursued the patient. "I may not pull through this and I want Eve to inherit my property. If I don't have a legal heir there'll be no end of a fight among a lot of vultures."

Again the surgeon looked at the nurse. She was very much affected. She gave the doctor no clew as to her willingness to be thus suddenly married and made heir presumptive to a fortune.

"You're not going to die," said the surgeon to the patient, "at least not of this wound. You may get another that will carry you off."

"Never mind that. You do what I tell you to do. Get a chaplain."

"Are you agreed?" asked the latter of the nurse.

Still he received no reply. But, assuming that with a woman silence gives consent, he called a hospital steward and sent him for a chaplain, who came from one dying man to another whom he thought to be dying. Kneeling beside the cot, he was about to offer a prayer when the patient interrupted him.

"Get up. I don't want to be prayed into heaven; I want to be married."

"Oh!" The chaplain looked at the surgeon for an explanation. The surgeon looked at the nurse, thereby referring the matter to her. The patient put out a hand, took hers and drew her toward his cot.

"Proceed," said the invalid.

Since the nurse offered no objection the chaplain proceeded with the marriage service. He had barely finished when he was called upon to attend a man in the agony of death and was about to hurry away when the groom called him.

"Hold on," he said. "The bride wants a certificate."

The chaplain, whose duties involved taking down farewell messages, was provided with writing materials, which he took out and, using the operating table for a desk, wrote out a certificate of marriage, leaving a blank space for the names. Then he turned to the newly married couple to supply the information.

"Captain Ralph D. Chamberlin," said the groom, "and Lady Gladys Penn Gaskell."

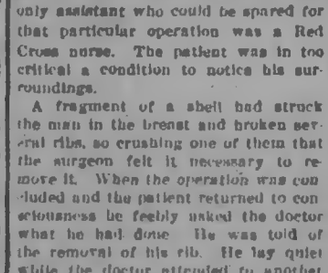
Both the surgeon and the chaplain looked from the groom to the bride, surprised.

"Witness this union," said the groom, "and don't you forget it. We two are not strangers by any means. We wanted to be married long ago, but Lady Gladys' parents had other plans for her. Fate has been a good friend to us in putting me into the war and making her a nurse. But fate might have done the trick without playing this Adam and Eve game. It doesn't hurt Eve, but it's mighty hard on Adam. Do you really think, doctor, that I can get on without her in my breast?"

"No," replied the surgeon, "you can't get on without her, but you won't die without your rib."

Despite the seriousness of the situation and the distressing scenes near them, a smile appeared on the faces of the little group, except the bride, who sank on her knees beside her newly made husband and folded him in her arms.

By this marriage the bride came into possession of a fine estate which otherwise would have been picked to pieces by a hundred heirs. She nursed her husband to health, but he returned to the front, was struck again and was killed. The case is referred to by those who know about it not as a wedding but a deathbed will. Captain Chamberlin could hardly have made a will at the time but the marriage certificate was much harder to contest than the other document.



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DOUAUMONT REGAINED

Verdun Triumph of French Had Joyous Incidents

A French military eye witness relates episodes of the capture of Douaumont. One regiment alone took 1,845 prisoners in the day, besides 45 officers. This caused an officer in another regiment to say jokingly to the lieutenant-colonel, "Well, Richard, leave us some." "Rather help me to count mine," was the reply.

In the "Lady's Ravine" the Germans had dug an entire subterranean village holding two battalions. The Zouaves, falling from the sky with the shells, surprised this hornets' nest. It was about one o'clock, the hour of repose in Germany, when the unexpected guests came to disturb the Germans' digestion.

During the whole affair the Germans cried, "Pardon, Mercy," rather than "Kamerad." It was no longer the Germans of old, who invoked the comradeship of arms. Their attitude is one of humility. They were seen to go on their knees and cry "Long live France." They give up all they have on them. In the evening the Zouaves went along the trench with boxes of cigars, smoking calmly amid the bombardment, and offered cigars to the officers, saying, "A Boche cigar, captain?"

NO EVENING DRESS

French Theatres In War Times—Closed One Day Per Week

The French Under-Secretary of State for Public Instruction and Fine Arts, in agreement with the directors of the four subsidized theatres in Paris, decided that until the end of the war the public would not be admitted, whatever the nature of the performance, except in ordinary day dress. In compliance with the request of M. Malvy, Minister of the Interior, the directors of the theatres, concerts, and kinemas close their places of amusement for one day each week. The theatres close on Fridays, concert halls on Wednesdays, and kinemas on Tuesdays. The four subsidized theatres in Paris are the Opéra, Opéra Comique, Comédie Francaise, and Odéon.

Billiard Player's Sacrifice

A well known Irish professional billiard player, Joseph Brady, told a Dublin court-martial that he had sacrificed $3,500 a year in order to join the army. He had served, he said, with the Dublin Fusiliers in Gallipoli, and had been invalided home. Brady, who is a sergeant of the Dublin Fusiliers, was charged with having allowed a soldier to escape from his custody, but he was acquitted and given in court an excellent character as a "non-com."

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GREATEST OF SIEGES

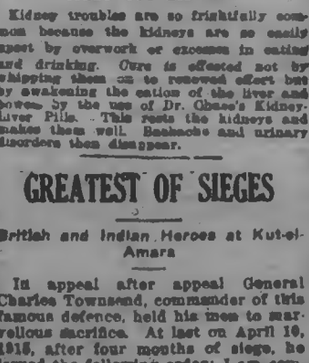
British and Indian Heroes at Kut-el-Amara

In appeal after appeal General Charles Townsend, commander of this famous defence, held his men to marvellous sacrifice. At last on April 10, 1916, after four months of siege, he issued the following order: I am compelled to appeal to you all to make a determined effort to eke out our scanty means, so that I can hold out for certain till our comrades arrive, and I know I shall not appeal to you in vain. I have therefore to reduce the rations to five ounces of meal for all ranks, British and Indian. In my communique to you on the 26th of January I told you that our duty stood out plain and simple; it was to stand here and hold up the Turkish advance on the Tigris, owning heart and soul together.

Well, you have nobly answered the trust and appeal I put to you. The whole British Empire, let me tell you, is ringing now with the defence of Kut-el-Amara. You will be proud to say one day, "I was one of the garrison at Kut." And as for Plevna and Ladysmith, we have outclassed them all. So whatever happens now we have all done our duty, as I said in my report of the defence of this place, which has now been telegraphed to headquarters. I ask you all, comrades of all ranks, British and Indians, to help me now in this food question as I ask you above.—(Signed) Charles Townshend, Major-General, Kut-el-Amara, 10th April, 1916.

The fortnight which followed was one of indescribable misery and then came the inevitable surrender.

Focus of Naval War



Here is shown the principal theatre of the incessant naval war, where decisive naval engagements naturally occur and the Scots are massed. Control of the Straits of Dover is now, as in Napoleon's time, the supreme factor in the world war.

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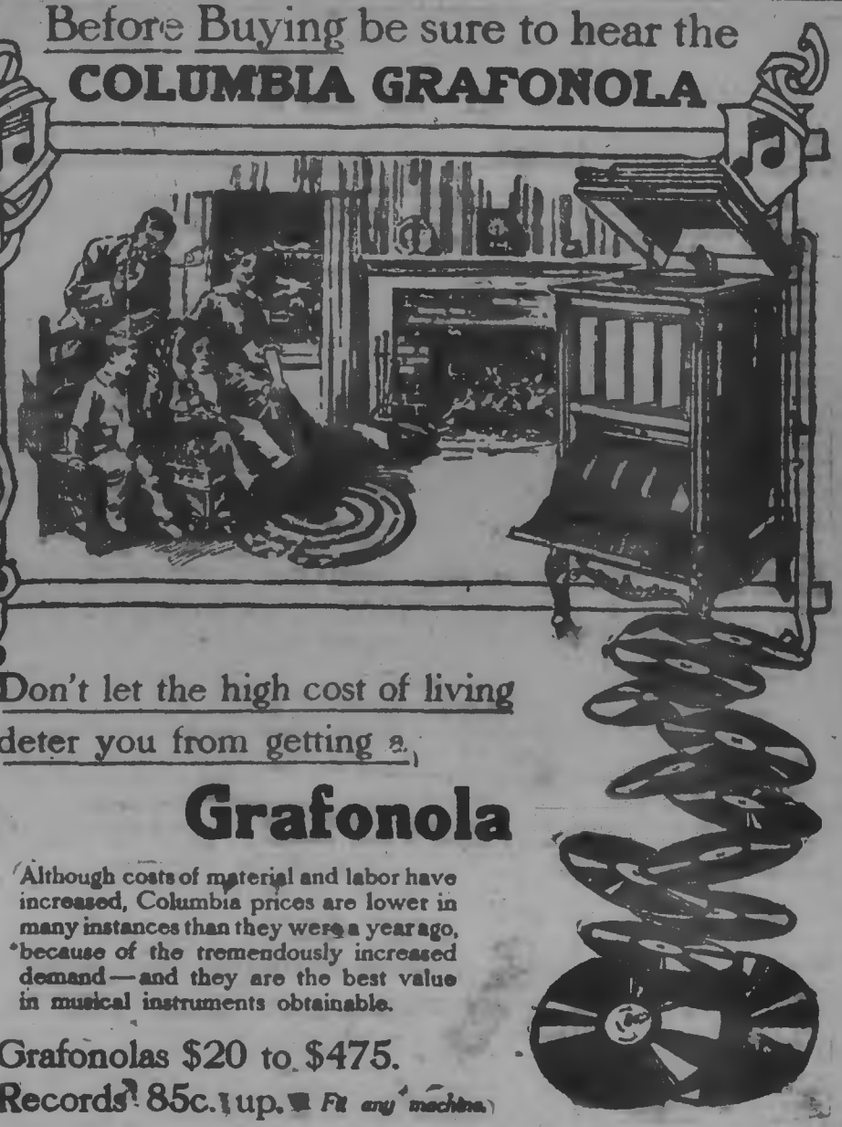

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LAKEFIELD PERSONALS

Mrs. G. R. Browning and Miss Margaret Browning of Peterborough were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Sawyer for a few days last week.

Mrs. Meharry of Norwood spent a few days last week in the village visiting the Misses Ray on Regent street.

Rev. Mr. Fenton of Colborne, preached in St. John Baptist Church on Sunday morning.

Mrs. G. Wainwright, who was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Tate, at 'Bondenis' for a few days last week, returned on Thursday to her home in Ottawa.

Miss Elsie Ogilvie, who has been spending the past ten days at her home in the village, returned to Toronto to resume her training at Grace Hospital.

Miss Hazel Maude of Peterborough spent the week-end at her home in the village.

Lieut. Shaw of the 247th Battalion Peterborough, was in the village on Sunday.

Miss C. Clementi of Peterborough, was the guest of Mrs. Marling at the rectory for the week-end.

Mrs. D. H. Morison and Master William left on Tuesday last to visit Mrs. Morison's parents, at Otterville, Ont.

Miss Traill is the guest of Mrs. Danbury for a few days this week.

Signaller David White, formerly of Lakefield, who enlisted in the First Canadian Division Signallers, at Calgary and went overseas with the 1st Pioneer Battalion from Winnipeg, has been awarded the Military Medal for bravery, at the front. Signaller White is one of four brothers serving at the front, two of whom have been wounded and one is reported missing.

Private J. R. Hill has also been awarded decoration for bravery. Lakefield may well feel proud of her sons.

Mrs. W. R. Nesbitt of Toronto spent the week-end in the village.

Miss Winifred Mackenzie was in Toronto on Tuesday.

Mrs. Gordon Northey has returned home after spending the past few weeks visiting friends in Toronto.

Mr. F. M. DelaForce of Peterborough was visiting friends in the village on Sunday.

The tea and entertainment held in the town hall on Friday evening, under the auspices of the Soldiers' Comfort Club was an unbounded success both financially and socially, and great credit is due the ladies of the Club for their efficient management of the affair. The proceeds amounted to $115.00.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Tate were in Peterborough on Monday.

Prof. O. Smith of Toronto was the guest of Rev. and Mrs. A. W. Mackenzie at 'The Grove' for a few days last week.

Mr. R. C. Strickland, of Burleigh, spent the week end in the village.

Mr. W. M. Graham was in Peterborough on Monday.

Mr. John Botterill was in Peterborough on Monday.

Miss Dorothy Hilliard is spending a few days in Peterborough, where she is the guest of Miss C. Clementi.

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Three Times Old Captain Ball, Aged Twenty, Win the D.S.O.— Describes His Methods

Commenting on an investiture by King George, an English paper said: A very interesting case was that of Captain Albert Ball, of the Sherwood Foresters and Royal Flying Corps, who received the D.S.O with two bars and the Military Cross. A man cannot win the same decoration twice over, and the bestowal of D.S.O. with two bars means in effect that Captain Ball has won the D.S.O. three times over during the present campaign, as well as the Military Cross. Captain Albert Ball is a native of Nottingham, and joined the Sherwood Foresters as a private at the outbreak of war. After earning his commission he transferred to the Royal Flying Corps and went to the western front. He is only twenty years of age, but has long been recognised as one of the most expert and daring airmen in the service. He holds the record of having brought down 30 German aeroplanes, 4 of them in one day.

Attacked Seven at Once

He won his D.S.O. for attacking single-handed 7 enemy machines, 1 of which he shot down at 15 yards range, the others taking to flight. Immediately afterwards he attacked 5 more hostile machines and shot 1 down. He attacked another, brought it down, and returned to the aerodrome for more ammunition and drove 3 more machines off. For equally daring feats he was awarded bars to his D.S.O.

Captain Ball in a visit to Nottingham, where his father is mayor, spoke of some of his methods. "As a rule," he said, "my favorite dodge when I get to close quarters is to pretend that I am going to attack from above. The Hun gets ready to fire at me and then I suddenly dive under his machine and empty a drum into his petrol tank and down he goes.

Flies Very Low

"Sometimes I fly very, very low to make sure that the machine is destroyed and fire another drum at it. The other day on the Somme I came as low as 200 feet after I had brought down one machine in flames and fired at it again. Altogether, I have been brought down six times myself, generally with my engine smashed up. Always I have been lucky enough to land in my own lines."

United Heart and Soul

L'Homme Enchaine, a Paris newspaper, says: "Nothing surprises the phlegm of the Englishman. With cordial simplicity he offers a smiling welcome to his comrades in the good fight. They have a common scorn of the detested Boche, an imperturbable confidence in their cause, the same disdain of death, the same indomitable valor, a striking unity in the exaltation of heart and soul."

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LIFE AND CHARACTER OF SIR DAVID BEATTY

Pen Picture of the Forceful, Winsome Fighter of Ships and Leader of Men

When Beatty first became head of the Grand Fleet, an English paper contained the following: At Jutland Sir David Beatty first met the German battle-cruisers steaming northward, his way the superior force, and the enemy turned and fled, with Beatty in pursuit. When the enemy's battle fleet came in sight Admiral Beatty, although out-numbered, followed Nelson's rule to attack "the enemy in sight." He courageously stuck to the foe, and kept up an unequal battle against disadvantages of mist and light, which made the enemy ships from time to time invisible until the British Battle Fleet arrived under Sir John Jellicoe, when, but for the mist and approach of night, which covered their flight, they would have been annihilated.

Idol of His Men

One great secret of Sir David Beatty's success in every command he has held is his wonderful courage and dash. He is the idol of his men, who literally worship him. A correspondent reports that not long ago he was talking with a stoker of the flagship Lion, who waxed enthusiastic over "our Admiral," and swore that every man on board would die for him at the word.

This admirable picture has been painted of Sir David by one who knows him well: "The extraordinarily forceful and clear-cut features, the compact, well-knit frame, the quick, almost bird-like movements, and yet with it all the curious effect of a restrained, contained, and most ponderable energy produce an effect at once distinguished and formidable. In general society he never talks shop or about himself, but chatters the ordinary tune of our trivial world. If the gods give him a chance before his command is up and he has had time to shake up his terrible leash of battle-cruisers, he will fight until either he or his enemy is finished."

A Religious Man

Admiral Beatty is of an intensely religious nature, and he carries his religion with him into his daily life. A short time ago he publicly declared that Great Britain would not achieve final and complete victory in this war until the British people turned to God and as a people consecrated themselves to a new life. His words created a great sensation, and inaugurated a revival movement in the British Isles.

Admiral Beatty is as popular socially as he is in the service, and his marriage with a daughter of the late Marshal Field, of Chicago, has made it possible for him (in time of peace) to exercise a generous hospitality, both in Scotland and in the hunting shires. Since the war began, Lady Beatty has been actively interested in organising British working girls for home defence. Admiral and Lady Beatty have two sons.

ALIEN TRADERS ACTIVE

Insidious Attempts to Capture Trade in London

The calling up of the last groups of married men in England synchronized with an energetic "offensive" of business snatching by "neutrals" in London. Mr. May, of Messrs. May and Rowden, estate agents, Maddox St. W., said that London was inundated with aliens of every sort trying to secure businesses and trades that were carried on by our men who have gone to the front.

"Between twenty and thirty aliens call here every day with inquiries for business premises. They are ready to pay any rent. Their favorite descriptions of their nationalities are 'Swiss' or 'Dutch.' Many of them are anxious to open women's clothing businesses in the West End. One 'Swiss' stated confidently that he could immediately capture good customers when he obtained premises. Many of the applicants give East End addresses."

"THE DEVIL'S COACH"

German View of Tanks and Effect Upon Defenders

Hearken to the wail of the General Anzeiger newspaper of Dusseldorf, Germany: Two mysterious monsters were crawling towards them over the craters. Stunned as if an earthquake hade burst around them, they all rubbed their eyes, which were fascinated by the fabulous creatures. Their imaginations were still excited by the effects of the bombardment. It was no wonder, then, that imagination got the better of these sorely tried men, who knew well enough that the enemy would use every means to destroy our steel wall of fragile human bodies. These men no longer know what fear is. But here was some devilry which the brain of man had invented, with powerful mechanical forces, a mystery which rooted one to the ground because the intelligence could not grasp it, a fate before which one felt helpless. One stared and stared as if one had lost the power of one's limbs. The monsters approached slowly, hobbling, rolling and rocking, but they approached. Nothing impeded them; a supernatural force seemed to impel them on. Some one in the trenches said: "The devil is coming," and the word was passed along the line like wildfire. Suddenly tongues of flame leaped out of the armored sides of the iron caterpillar. Shells whistled over our heads, and the sound of machine guns filled the air. The mysterious creature had yielded its secret, and the men came back to their senses; their vigor and tenacity returned when the English infantry rolled up in waves behind the "devil's coaches."

FIGHTING LONDONERS

Canon Woodward's Tribute to Their Joyous, Splendid Spirit

"I hardly know how to find words to do justice to the high and splendid spirit of the London men at the front." So said Canon C. S. Woodward, precentor of Southwark Cathedral. Canon Woodward, who has been awarded the Military Cross, was formerly curate at Bermondsey Old Parish Church. Canon Woodward saw some hot fighting on the Vimy Ridge, and later in the Somme advance, where he was wounded.

Said Canon Woodward: "I was struck off the thigh by a piece of shrapnel. At the time I was engaged among the wounded, endeavoring to identify some of our officers. I am now feeling fit again, and am going back to the front.

"And I should like," he concluded, "to pay a tribute to the endurance, the cheerfulness, and the courage of our men. I speak of the men from London, because it was they only with whom I had to do. In spite of the wretched weather and of having to carry on in conditions of much discomfort, they were all as keen and as jolly as one could expect to see them in the happiest surroundings."

MISUSED WHITE FLAG

Germans Began Their Tricks Very Early in War

The following from Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's account of the war will indicate why very early the British had to lose faith in German fairness: From the story of the Battle of the Aisne—On seeing the white flag Captain Savage, of B Company, Northamptons, got out of the trench, and with Lieutenant Dimmer, of the Rifles, advanced to the Germans. He threw down his sword and revolver to show that he was unarmed. He found a difficulty in getting a direct answer from the Germans, so he saluted their officers, who returned his salute, and turned back to walk to his own trench. Dimmer, looking back, saw the Germans level their rifles, so he threw himself down, crying out, "For God's sake, get down!" Captain Savage stood erect, and was riddled with bullets. Many of the Northamptons, including Lieutenant Gordon, were shot down by the same volley. The Germans then attempted an advance, which was stopped by the machine guns of the 1st Queen's. Such deplorable actions must always destroy the amenities of civilized warfare.

AUSTEN CHAMBERLAIN

This famous son of a famous father had already wide parliamentary experience when the war broke out. He has filled many important posts since.

Scotch Trench Humor

From British Headquarters on the Somme the London correspondent of the "New York Tribune" relates the following story: "Some Scotsmen in the front line on a cold afternoon hunted around for wood to build a fire. An officer saw the smoke and asked the Scotties, 'Aren't you asking for trouble?' They thought not. A few minutes later the Germans began to 'strafe' the trench, and finally one shell exploded just in front of the parapet. Sandy turned round and said, 'Jock, throw on a bit wood; they nae ha' got oor range yet.'"

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NATION OF SPIES: PRUSSIAN CHARACTER

Foreigners Underestimate This Essential Characteristic—Happily, Huns Cannot Estimate Other Races

A citizen of the United States writes from England: Prussian men and women hardly know the meaning of the word "private," and as they have Prussianized to a great or less degree all the other States of the Empire they have inured the German to publicity from childhood upwards. Here, in a land of individualists like Great Britain, the partners in any business prefer to go their own way and are not over-curious in regard to the methods of their competitors. Here, as with us in the United States, a man's business, fortune, and family affairs, though they may be discussed are not, at any rate in the great centres of population, systematically pried into by their neighbors.

No Privacy

All this is reversed in Germany, where an entirely different moral code prevails. The Fensterspiegel (projecting window mirror), from which the German hausfrau watches the movements of her neighbors in the street, is very typical of the spy aspect of the German character. Typical, too, is the annual tax return presented at every apartment house or block of flats. This return is a voluminous document, which is placed in charge of the porter—or janitor, as we call him. It goes the round of the whole of the flats, and each succeeding signer has the privilege of reading the previous entries and finding out exactly what amount his neighbor pays upon.

Too Egoist

With these elements in their character it is natural that the Germans should be past-masters in the art of espionage. It does not follow that they are equally successful in the deductions formed from their investigations in foreign matters; but they are so egoist and so literal, so fond of making reports, so fond of seeing things only from their own point of view, that while they may be successful in obtaining possession, by spying, purchase, or theft, of the plans, say, of a new battleship, they are not able to form an accurate estimate of the character and intentions of the people among whom they may be spying.

LUXURIES DURING WAR

English Papers Exposed Riot of Waste in Hotels

Waste in Britain was vigorously attacked by newspapers. A visit made to ten of the leading resorts in the West End of London by a Weekly Dispatch representative was an amazing revelation of luxurious living, of a vast expenditure of wealth on rich and costly dishes, careless and unheeding of the drain on the country's resources. Only a few hours after a two-days' debate in the House of Commons, in which the most urgent measures to husband the nation's food supply were proposed and accepted without demur, thousands of men and women were rushing to the food palaces and sitting down to "meals" of superabundance and infinite variety.

By eight o'clock in two famous hotels—the Carlton and the Piccadilly—there was scarcely a vacant table. The interiors were gorgeous pictures of gaiety and high living. Women in superb evening toilettes, glittering with precious stones, were arriving with officers in uniform and men in evening dress. Of course, they all drove up in taxicabs or private motor cars—as if petrol and the time and labor of the chauffeurs were the last things that matter in war time.

Practically all the tables had been booked beforehand. In the Carlton, where only half the men were in khaki, there were champagne bottles on almost every table, and the succession of courses of fish, meat, and fowl, and costly sweets seemed to [illegible] should be possible in the third year of the great war.

Quaint Custom

In accordance with a belief in the West of England, the boots last worn before the man of the house enlisted are hung over his bed, in order to ensure that he will return in safety to wear them again.

With certain exceptions, no officer may receive more than one foreign decoration; no man in the ranks may receive more than one.

About 12,000 soldiers have been returned to the mines, the Home Secretary stated.

Santa Claus Castle for the Dinner Table

THIS little model of Santa Claus' castle, built upon the summit of a mountain, makes an attractive centerpiece for the Christmas dinner table.

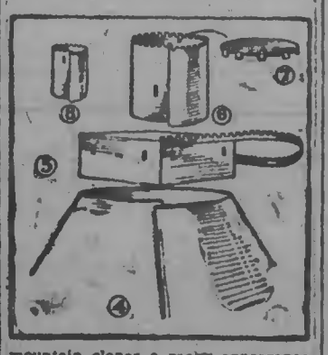
The first thing to build is the mountain, and for this you will need a large enough piece of cardboard to make a base about sixteen inches in diameter and a top nine or ten inches

in diameter (Fig. 4). Cardboard from a suit box will do.

The lower portion of the castle is a square cardboard box (Fig. 5). Invert this box, and around its bottom glue a strip of cardboard having notches cut in the edge, as shown, for an embattled parapet wall. The lower tower stands upon the box base. It is made of a piece of cardboard notched along the upper edge, and bent into a cylinder with the edges lapped and glued together (Fig. 6). Make a roof out of a circular piece of cardboard with projecting tabs for turning down and gluing to the sides of the tower (Fig. 7). Make a second smaller tower and fasten it upon the lower tower (Figs. 1 and 8).

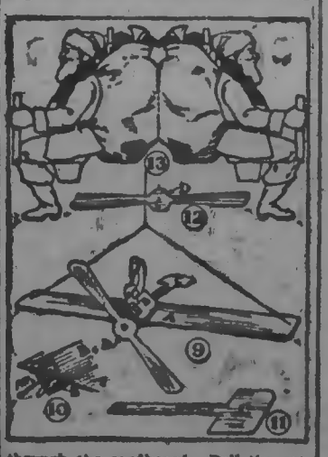
To complete the castle, paint a number of long narrow windows upon the walls, and fasten a slim stick flagpole upon the upper tower.

The mountain side must be covered with snow, and the best way to obtain the snow effect is by gluing cotton to the cardboard. Put the cotton on in varying thicknesses, to give the



mountain slopes a rocky appearance. And from the base form a trail up one side to the castle, by dampening and pressing down the cotton (Fig. 1).

There must be trees, and excellent ones may be made by cutting long, slender wooden cones, similar to that shown in Fig. 2, driving a nail into the base of each, and then whittling the surface with a sharp knife so as to make the shavings stand out in the form of boughs (Fig. 3). The way to prepare the boughs is to start at the apex of the cone, and whittle in the same manner that you sharpen a pencil, but very carefully so as not to split off any of the shavings. Stain the trees a dark green. Then stand them erect upon the mountain sides, sticking the nails in their ends down



through the cardboard. Pull the cotton up around their bases.

Santa Claus should be shown in his aeroplane about to alight at his castle (Fig. 1). His aeroplane may be suspended by a thread.

The aeroplane (Fig. 9) consists of a strip of cardboard 7 inches long and 1 inch wide (A), with a V-shaped piece glued to both sides of its center (B, Figs. 9 and 10), a tail plane (C, Figs. 9 and 11) glued to plane A, and a propeller (D, Figs. 9 and 12), pivoted by a pin run through its center into the edge of plane A (Fig. 10). Cut out the double picture of Santa Claus in Fig. 13, fold along the dotted line, and paste together the two halves with the exception of the feet which must be separate to straddle the framework of the aeroplane. Color Santa Claus' clothes and toy pack with water-colors or crayons.

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The afternoon frock of velvet, if made with a chemisette, can be very easily adapted for formal evening wear.

Had Violent Coughing Fits

Looked Like Consumptive

Mrs. Mary Whelen, North Forks, N.S., writes: "Having taken five bottles of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, during the past few weeks, to relieve a chronic cough and general throat trouble, allow me to express my unbounded satisfaction and thanks as to its sterling qualities. A short time ago I became subject to violent coughing fits at night and directly after rising in the morning. I began losing weight, and all my friends cheerfully informed me that I was going into consumption.

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BOASTED FORTS FALL

Villages Surpassing Port Arthur Untenable by Germans

Estimating the importance of the capture of St. Pierre and Beaumont-Hamel, an English writer says: The attack extended from the Grandcourt-Poziores road to a point considerably north of Beaumont-Hamel. It was a victory for Sir Douglas Haig and a blow to Hindenburg, who had declared only a few weeks previously that "the Somme could take care of itself." It was won in spite of every obstacle that the mind could imagine or the engineer invent—in spite of mud, which in that region is of the consistency of bird-lime (even though it is not as deep as on the Somme), in spite of bad weather, and in spite of fortifications of colossal strength. It was gained, too, against positions on which our attacks broke in vain earlier, and against the enemy's picked troops. For the Germans had been bringing up their finest fighting material, and had re-organized their artillery and air service, so that they fancied themselves perfectly secure.

St. Pierre and Beaumont-Hamel were fortresses stronger in every possible respect than Port Arthur, Plevna, Sebastopol, or Badajos. The construction of immense works there began on the eve of the Battle of the Marne, and had been continued ever since. The fortifications were the more formidable because they made little show above ground. They were almost invulnerable to direct gun fire, but they could be attacked by the giant howitzers which the allies had learned from the enemy to employ. Each fortress was furnished with dugouts of great depth—secure from everything except a hit which choked the entrances—communicating by underground tunnels, which were of such size and carried to such a depth that they resembled the excavations of a London "tube."

FELL IN A FAINT.

Mrs. Edwin Martin, Ayer's Cliff, Que., writes: "Before using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food I was in a terrible condition. Dizzy spells would come over me and I would fall on the floor. I could not sweep without fainting. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food has so built up my system that I can wash and do my housework. Your medicine cured me when doctors had failed."

SCHOOL REPORTS

Following is the report of Ennismore Con. School:

Form III., Algebra—M. Costello 84, J. Leahy 81, G. Kennedy 69, A. Crough 56, K. Killen 51, L. Crough 38, M. Croguh 37, P. J. Scollard absent.

Form II., Arithmetic—M. Young, 89, J. Macauliffe 73, G. Harrington 66, M. Maloney 63, G. Kennedy 60, W. Costello 49, B. Scollard 46, F. Brick 43, K. Crough 41, B. Young 20, H. Killen 20, M. Murphy 14, V. Hickson 1.

Form I., Botany—E. Murphy 47, W. Crough 36, L. Twomey 36, J. Gifford 31, G. Scollard 31, N. Gannon 29.

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By Anabel Worthington.

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The girlie who already has her idea of style will be sure to like this version of the wide collar. Besides there is novelty in the way the front lacing meets it, and the button decoration is lovely. It is fashionable to have a belt at a lowered waistline on such frocks and quite becoming, too, as most little girls, as the illustration shows; the fulness of the skirt section is brought into folds that give a pleated effect at the sides, and to advantage. The long sleeves is cuffed to match the collar and belt.

Linen, cotton poplin, gingham and the like are suitable for a tub dress, for school wear, checked or plaided material trimmed with plain serge, gabardine and similar fabrics are to be considered. The dress could be completed in one evening.

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PETERBOROUGH THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1916

Liquor Manufacture To Be Restricted

The Bodies of Two More Fire Victims Recovered

"ADEQUATE REPARATION FOR PAST ADEQUATE SECURITY FOR FUTURE"

Bonar Law Makes Partial Answer to German Peace Proposals by Quoting Statement Made Some Time Ago By Former Premier Asquith---Reduction of Liquor Manufacture in Britain Foreshadowed.

A VOTE OE CREDIT FOR TWO BILLIONS

LONDON, December 14.—Andrew Bonar Law to-day made partial answer to the German peace proposals by quoting the statement made by former Premier Asquith when the last vote of credit was asked for the House of Commons. "There must be adequate reparation for the past and adequate security for the future," he said, quoting Asquith.

Bonar Law prefaced this statement with the declaration that peace proposals had not as yet been received. He could not discuss them and would prefer that the Commons likewise refrain from discussion.

The restriction and practical extinction of the liquor manufacture in the British Isles was foreshadowed to-day in the Commons when Bonar Law announced that a new food minister would be empowered to prohibit the use of grain and sugar in the manufacture of beverages.

A vote of credit for two billion dollars was moved in the Commons to-day by Andrew Bonar Law.

The Government leader said the expenditures exceeded the year's estimate because of an increase in th output of muntions and additional loans accorded to England's Allies and England's Dominions. Loans to the Dominions, he said, have averaged approximately $1,948,000 a day.

Bonar Law said the average daily war expenditure had now reached approximately $27,807,700.

The new Government intends to create Ministers of food and labour. He said the Government had "taken such action as considered necessary" in the case of Captain Blaikie, of the Caledonian. Blaikie was taken prisoner by a German submarine and is supposed to be facing possible execution for ramming a submarine.

British votes of credit since the outbreak of the war have now reached a total approximately of nineteen billion dollars.

Peace Proposals Are Sent to the Allies

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, December 14.—Within a few hours after the receipt of the official text of the Teuton peace proposals, Secretary Lansing, at the President's order, to-day despatched it to London, Paris, Petrograd, Rome and to the provisional capitals of Roumania, Serbia and Belgium. It was sent without any suggestion or comment by the President.

Lloyd George Is Attending To Business

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, December 14.—Premier Lloyd George's illness still kept him indoors to-day, but he was attending to business as usual. His physicians said he was progressing favourably, but he was not expected to venture out of his house for a couple of days.

Bankers Invited To Discuss Finance

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, December 14. — Sir Thomas White, Minister of Finance, has invited the Canadian Bankers' Association to come to Ottawa tomorrow to discuss the matter of Dominion and Imperial finance in Canada during the coming year. The Dominion Government will require to make further public loans, and the Imperial Munitions Board will require such further funds as can be made available in Canada for the purchase of shells, explosives and other ammunitions here.

Allies Should State Their Basic Terms

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, December 14.—Sentiment increased to-day in favour of including in England's rejection of the German peace note, a clear and explicit definition of the Allies' basic terms.

The Pall Mall Gazette's comment was typical to-day of this view. It said: "We do not see why the Allies should not turn the incident to their own profit by fresh and vigorous proclamation of the fundamentals of our own cause.

"The essence of the Allies' answer must necessarily be that peace without justice is immoral and that, peace without safety, is a mere delusion."

Heavy Artillery Fighting in West

BERLIN, December 14.—The German statement to-day says of the western front:

In some parts of the Somme front there were temporarily heavy artillery engagements.

Near Le Four De Paris, in the Argonne, French patrols made advances after a violent preparatory fire was repulsed.

On the right bank of the Meuse, Verdun front, the activity of the artillery increased.

Another British Steamer Is Sunk by a Sub.

AMSTERDAM, December 14.—German submarines sank a British steamer bound from New York to England with a cargo of six thousand tons of war material, off the French coast, according to telegrams from Berlin.

The despatch also stated that between Nov. 28 and Dec. 8, German submarines succeeded in sinking vessels laden with 17,000 tons of coal bound from England to France.

Peace Proposals are a Great Encouragement

SPECIAL WIRE TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, December 14.—"The man who asks for peace is generally the man who has had enough,' declared General Maurice, director of military operations to-day. "These peace proposals should be a great encouragement to us. Independent British and French estimates show that the Germans have lost over seven hundred thousand men since July 1st, including ninety-five thousand who were captured. In addition they lost 135 heavy guns, 180 field pieces, and 1,314 machine guns."

LONDON, December 14.—The sinking of three British steamers, Harlington, Harley and Saint Ursula is announced by Lloyds to-day. The crews are believed saved.

THE APPEAL IS DISMISSED

LONDON, Dec. 14.—The House of Lords to-day dismissed the famous appeal of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. R. Slingsby, of British Columbia, who sought the estate of the late Rev. Charles Slingsby for "Teddy" Slingsby, their supposed son. This finally declares the lad a "substituted" son, and he loses forty-five thousand dollars yearly income.

CIVIL ACTION ARISING OUT OF A LAND DEAL

Interesting Case Was Opened Last evening in the County Court—Mr. B. Heard of This City is the Defendant

"GOLD AND DROSS"

The case of Barrett vs. Heard was opened at eight o'clock last night before His Honour Judge Huycke, at the sittings of the County Court. In this section the plaintiff, George Barrett of Ottawa is claiming from Bert Heard of this city the sum of $499.00 due him on an agreement in which Heard agreed to purchase two lots in Tuxedo Park, Saskatoon.

Heard who was to pay $700, paid over $200 on these lots but ceased payment. The defence claims that the lots were grossly misrepresented to Mr. Heard when he bought them, and claim not only the right to refuse to make further payments, but are asking the return of the money paid by him on the property.

Mr. D. O'Connell is acting for the plaintiff and Mr. G. N. Gordon for the defence.

A FRIENDLY TILT.

The outstanding incident of the trial of this case last evening was a friendly clash between Mr. Norman Harris, for seven years financial editor of the Saturday Night, Toronto and Mr. O'Connell. After the Plaintiff in the witness box had proved the agreement, Mr. Gordon called Mr. Harris to prove that the lots were not as represented to Heard. After the examination by Mr. Gordon, Mr. O'Connell opened the cross-examination by asking:

"How long were you financial Editor of the Saturday Night Mr. Harris?"

"Seven years" was the reply.

"During that time you had your hands full?"

"Yes."

"In many ways?"

"That sounds like an insinuation" laughed the witness.

"Well?"

"When I was Editor of the Saturday Night we did not deal in insinuations. We spoke right out."

"Well?"

"If you have anything to ask, ask it right out."

"When you were Editor of the Saturday Night you had your hands full?"

"Quite" was the answer.

"Why did you leave the Saturday Night?"

"Wrong again, laughed Harris", I resigned "for my own good."

"Suited both you and the paper?"

"I don't think so. I don't think the paper has been as good since."

"You think they would rather have

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Recital on the New Edison

There will be a Recital given on the New Edison in the Recital Hall of the J. M. Greene Music Co., Ltd., Charlotte street, to-morrow (Friday) evening at 8.15. Programme will appear in Friday's issue. You are invited.

BE JUST TO YOURSELF.

If you suffer with eye or head trouble, have it attended to before it becomes worse. Dr. Lacey is a qualified eye specialist and can cure you. See him and see better. 420 George.

PEACE PROPOSALS DUE TO TROUBLES OF TEUTONS

(By Lord Northcliffe.)

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LONDON, Dec. 14.—Germany's peace proposals are due to the fact which interned neutral correspondents in Berlin have not been allowed to indicate, that during the last few weeks grave internal dissensions have arisen, owing to food shortage and the reign of terror.

Moreover, relations have been greatly strained between various German and Austrian states and also with Turkey.

The Prussian Government has also learned that the British Empire will, during 1917, put forth an effort equal at least to that of Germany in 1914, and from the point of view of guns and shells, three times that of Germany at any period of the war.

The proposals have been received here with contempt.

We are gratified that American sense of humour and justice have seen through this bluff.

France, Italy and little Belgium are firm as Plymouth Rock.

TWO MEMBERS OF THE 93rd BATTALION HAVE PASSED AWAY

Pte. A. W. Tamblin, 56 Victoria Avenue, Died From Wounds in Casualty Clearing Station in France While Illness Ended the Life of Pte. W. E. Pear in England---News of the 247th Battalion---To-day's Orders and General Military News.

Pte. Albert Wellington Tamblin of the 5th Canadian Mounted Rifles, and formerly of the 93rd Battalion, has died of wounds received in France, Pte. Tamblin was on Sunday officially reported admitted to No. 30 casualty clearing station on December 8th, dangerously wounded. Now his relatives have received word from Ottawa that he passed away on the same day. The nature of his wounds were unstated. Pte. Tamblin, who was a widower, and who was born in Peterborough, enlisted with the 93rd, about a year ago, and went over seas as a member of B Company. Two brothers are also overseas, Pte. Nelson Tamblin with the 146th Battalion, and Bandsman F. Tamblin of the 93rd Band. Pte. Norman Clarke and Pte. J. Gray of the 93rd Battalion, were brothers-in-law of the dead soldier.

PTE. W. E. PEAR DEAD.

The death in England of another member of the 93rd Battalion, Pte. W. E. Pear was officially announced from Ottawa yesterday. Pte. Pear was reported dangerously ill several months ago, and no further news was received of him until yesterday's paragraph in the casualty list gave notice of his death. He was among the first to join the 93rd Battalion and was a member of No. 1 Platoon A Company .Pte. Pear had no relatives in Peterborough although he had lived here for some time. He was born in England and his next of kin resides there. His death is the sixth so far recorded since the 93rd went overseas, four members of the 93rd losing their lives in France and two dying in England.

So far the casualties recorded among the members of the 93rd total 37 divided as follows.

Killed or died of wounds	4
Died in England	2
Wounded	31

Lt.-Col. Ackerman of the 247th Battalion left this afternoon for Kingston.

TO-DAY'S ORDERS.

Daily orders by Lieut.-Col. Ackerman Commanding 247th Battalion. C.E.F.

Orders for Thursday, December 13th 1916.

(1) PARADE.—

All officers, N.C.O's and men, except those specially employed, will parade in the drill hall at 9 a.m. and 2 p.m.

(2) DUTIES.—

Orderly Officer for Thursday—Lieut. C. G. Shaw.

Orderly Officer for Friday—Lieut. T. Quinn.

Next for Duty—Lieut. T. S. Dunsford.

(3) TRANSFER.—

No. 1063080—Pte. W. S. Thompson, is posted temporarily to A Co., from this date.

(4) ORDERS.—

In future all daily orders will be read daily at the 9 a.m. parade.

(5) ENTRANCE TO ARMOURIES

It is published for the information of all concerned that the small door on the south side of the Armouries will always be found open. When big doors are closed, N.C.O's and men will not be permitted to enter by office door.

(6) RETURNED FORM THE I.S. of I.—

No. 1063008—Pte. A. B. Crank; No. 1063005—Pte. R. F. McMahon; No. 1063009—Pte. G. E. Heath, and No. 1063016—Pte. T. G. Weese, have returned from the I.S. of I., Kingston and have reported here for duty.

R. B. Brooks, Lieut. and Acting Adj., 247th Battalion ,C.E.F.

OTTAWA, Dec. 13.—Over twenty chaplains in the third military division have been notified by the Militia Department that their services are no longer required. The chaplains are given one month's leave in order that they may procure work in other channels, or enlist as combatants.

A short time ago the Militia Department announced that there were enough chaplains in England to attend to the wants of the soldiers, and chaplains in units in Canada were not needed. The department is now considering what chaplains will be retained and who will be let go in the different divisions.

Practically every unit, especially every infantry unit, has a chaplain who is on the strength holding the rank of captain. Some of the clergymen have qualified for the rank of lieutenant and others have the honorary rank of captain.

London, Dec. 13.—The Canadian Press is authoritatively informed that the breaking up of units of Canadian forces in England by sending drafts as reinforcements to battalions already in France is a military necessity and under existing circumstances at the front cannot well be avoided. Casualties of men have been great and divisions at the front must be kept supplied with men and junior officers.

Naturally commanding officers keenly feel disappointment in not being permitted to proceed to the front with their units intact, but for reasons above stated senior officers cannot be absorbed here. It is, however, only fair to these officers to point out that the breaking up of the respective units is in no sense a reflection on their ability or qualifications or desire to serve in the trenches. It is well known that Canadian battalions were recruited, organized and trained by officers of high standing and long military experience and recognized military ability, but owing to the exigencies of the situation they have been called upon to furnish reinforcements and could not proceed themselves.

Everyone is conscious of disappointment suffered by these officers and likewise realizes the good and effective work done by them in recruiting, organizing and training battalions. With that in mind it is

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TWO MORE BODIES FOUND IN THE RUINS

James Foster, Union Street and Wm. Mesley, Wescott St., Are Added to the List of Known Dead in Monday's Fire.

FOUND IN BOILER ROOM

Known Dead.

Edward Howley
Dominic Martino
Philip Carboni.
Thos Parsons.
Walter Holden.
Patrick O'Connell
Vincent Fornalo
James Foster
Wm. Mesley

Bodies Not Recovered

Wm. Miles.
James W. Gordon.
Ernest Staunton
Dennis O'Brien
Wm. Hogan.
Alex. McGee.
W. G. Vosbourg.
John Conway.

The bodies of two more victims of Monday's explosion and fire at the Quaker Oats Company were recovered from the ruins today, adding the names of James Foster, Union street, and Wm. Mesley, 247 Wescott street, to the list of known dead, and bringing the total to nine, with eight men still missing.

The body of James Foster was found by the searchers this morning under a pile of debris in the wrecked boiler room. The unfortunate man had evidently been at work at the coke owens, as his body was found in front of one of them, badly crushed but not burned.

Early this afternoon the searchers uncovered the body of Wm. Mesley, 247 Wescott street, who was one of the firemen in the boiler room. He had been at work at the boiler when the explosion came as he was found in front of one with the door of the fire box opened. From the position of the two bodies it is clear that the men were caught without the chance of escape. They were pinned in their tracks by the huge masses of debris that came hurtling down through the roof of the boiler house.

A workman who had been in the boiler house and who just reached the door when the explosion came, and escaped unhurt because he was under the stone archway of a door informed the Examiner that he had passed Mesley just an instant before. The latter had been firing up and had closed the fire box door to allow the workman to pass with his barrow. He had evidently just time to get the door open again when the terrible explosion occurred.

Hospital Cases.

Five of the fire victims are located in Nicholls Hospital and ten in St. Joseph's Hospital. In the first named institution, J. C. Kemp is the most seriously injured of the five. He is not yet out of danger. Nearly all of the cases in St. Joseph's Hospital are of a serious nature and several of the patients are delirious.

The following are in St. Joseph's Hospital:

R. Healey, 328 Euclid Avenue. Has fractured skull and condition is serious.

J. W. Walsh, 547 Rogers street, broken leg and jaw. Is not out of danger.

J. Houlihan, 501 Sherbrooke street, very badly burned. Condition serious.

J. W. Tetreau, 500 Bethune street, badly burned. Not out of danger.

P. Miniello, badly burned. Somewhat better, but not out of danger.

Michael Caravella, 508 Elm street, hands and arms severely burned. A little better.

Edward Bedding, 857 Concession street, severely burned. Very ill.

W. Garrett, 17 Cricket Place, badly burned. Not out of danger.

Nicholas Gardini, 852 Parnell street. Burns. A little better.

James Murphy, 109 Dufferin street, has been removed to his home.

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CHEQUES WILL BE READY EARLY

In order to facilitate preparation for Christmas week, the cheques called for at the Patriotic Fund office will be ready a week ahead of the regular date. Call on Friday or Saturday of this week and cheques can be had.

TOO ATTENTIVE TO HIS BROTHER'S WIFE CAUSE OF TROUBLE

Tom McClellan Received No Sympathy in Police Court this Morning—Beat His Wife Last Night

NEWLYWEDS MUST GO

Thomas McClennan, teamster, residing on Bethune street, was fined $10.00 in the police court this morning, and in default of payment will spend twenty days on the hill for assaulting his wife last night. The bruises his fingers left on his wife's neck were still noticeable this morning. Domestic differences with the husband the aggressor, were ascribed as the cause of the trouble of which this morning's case was the effect. About a week ago McClennan's brother took unto himself a wife and the newly-weds took up residence at Tom's house. Before and after her marriage she said Thomas was attentive to his brother's wife. The straight talk Chief Thompson handed out and the wife's statement that she had seen her husband coming from the other woman's room, indicated a moral muddle that was apparently the root of the disagreement. Magistrate Dumble ordered the brother and his wife to find new lodgings at once, especially the wife, and the police were instructed to see that this order was carried out.

McClennan's purse, containing $2.80, was handed over to his wife for present needs.

FORWARD YOUR PARCELS EARLY

The local agents of the Dominion and Canadian Express Companies wish to draw the attention of the public to the fact that owing to the difficulties now experienced by the Transportation Companies, on account of a shortage in help in handling express matter, they would suggest that parties making their usual exchange of Christmas greetings by exchange packages would do well to forward them earlier this year in order to insure safe delivery by Christmas.

Investigation Next Week

Mr. E. P. Heaton, Provincial Fire Marshall, is Still in the City.

Mr. E. P. Heaton of Toronto Fire Marshall for the Province of Ontario is still in the city, making preliminary preparations for the investigation into the destruction of the plant of the Quaker Oats Company. It is altogether probable that the investigation will open in this city some time next week, following the coroner's inquest.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

SPECIAL WIRE TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO.—Live stock receipts fair, trade steady. Heavy steers $7.60 to $8.80; hogs fed and watered $11.75 to $11.95. Others unchanged.

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INDISPENDABLE WATERWORKS.

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OLEOMARGARINE.

The Customs Act forbids the importation of oleomargarine or similar substitutes for butter, and of course, involves prevention of its manufacture in this country. But why prohibit imitation butter as a clean, wholesome factor in reducing the high cost of living prices in respect of one commodity, and tolerate imitation statesmanship as a substitute for statesmanship—doing something ... dealing with the problem of high ... living in Canada. The Government's ... Ottawa-council is so ineffective; so complicated of processes, so inviting of inspection; so bristling with red ... entanglements; so beset with ... hiding places for the law's delays, ... it is condemned by all competent authorities capable of forming ... opinions as to the effect of the causes ... the high cost of living; that it is ... shunned as inspiness and inaction ... personified.

We don't know, because the government won't turn on the official searchlight, what interests are between the consumer and a reasonable price for many important items ... his daily bread. But there is ... doubt that every interest is anxious to maintain the high level of ... prevailing in respect of the commodity in which they are ... interested. One can, then, understand ... the Dairymen's Association of Eastern Ontario, as reported ... the press, has petitioned the Dominion Government not to permit ... manufacture or sale of margarine ... Canada, which cannot be in... ...

We can easily comprehend the ... of the dairymen. The manufacture of a butter substitute in Canada ... would probably bring down the price ... somewhat and reduce the profits on an ... article whose high price is a puzzle ... to many persons and a punishment ... to a great many others, thus conferring a boon upon many who have ... now to choke down their bread unbuttered.

It cannot be that the health of the people is the concern of the government or the Dairymen's Association. Oleomargarine is hardly a substitute for genuine butter, for it can be made so good that it cannot be distinguished, by taste, from good butter. It is a pure food product that keeps well, and its highest recommendation is its low price. In Great Britain margarine sells for sixpence or twelve cents—per pound. It appears that it could be produced in Canada from clean, pure fats, to sell at a good profit for from 15 to 20 cents per pound. At this price people ... whom 40 cents or 45 cents per pound is prohibitory, could afford to eat something more tasty than dry bread. If the Government isn't going to do, ay better than its order-in-council to settle the question of the high cost of living it might help in one thing, at least, by removing its prohibition of the manufacture of margarine as a clean, wholesome, and reasonably priced substitute for, and virtual equivalent to, butter, unreasonably priced. The interests of the many should more strongly appeal to the conscience and action of the Government than the extortionate interests of the few.

SANITATION AND HEALTH.

It would be waste of words to speak of the universally recognized importance of health—individual and communal—if there were not need to impress what is too much forgotten or ignored. Sanitation — and health, cause and effect— furnishes its own justification of claim to consideration. Sanitary measures perfected and applied have had an important effect in this war, helping to maintain the health of soldiers in training or on service, keeping them fit and when wounded or ill more speedily restoring them to the ranks. Organized sanitation in communities plays a great role in the reduction of communicable diseases, of child mortality, and industrial diseases, in protecting and promoting the purity of food supply, especially milk, a medium, if not watched, of communicating disease. Statistics show the value of sanitation in the preventing of disease and death. In the typical case of Toronto, it is recorded that in the five years, 1910-15, the typhoid mortality rate had been reduced from 41.8 to 1.9, virtually 60 per cent. reduction; the diphtheria rate from 41.9 to 13.7, and scarlet fever from 23.8 to 3.

While sanitation in the general way is a concern of Boards of Health, its benefits can be largely added to by subsidiary and cooperative action. The most important subsidiary agency in Peterborough is represented by the Public Health Association, whose nursing activities—supplying nurses, especially to those who otherwise would have to suffer and die, perhaps with only the inefficient and unskilled nursing available in the home. If it is true that the physician is largely only an educated nurse, the importance of the nursing and incidental instruction in sanitation provided by the nurses of the Health Association cannot be over-estimated. Apart from the humanity involved in relieving suffering and promoting comfort, the saving of life and the promotion of good or better health conditions, the virtual saving of the city's manhood and womanhood make its work of material—monetary—value.

The Health Association is in need of funds to continue its great work and, in this connection, the reception at the Empress Hotel on Dec. 20th, should be remembered. It is in the interests of the general welfare of the city in its most vital concern; it is in the interests of humanity, that the claims of the Association to help should be considered. Every contribution—that it may continue to help—is a contribution to the funds of the Association as an investment—taking stock in an enterprise that yields large dividends—if not in material ways, in the larger way, of improved quality of citizenship, the more robust health of the community and reputation for a broad spirit of help to humanity, and for Christian charity—not in doles, but in the spirit of love and service for our fellow man.

SHOP EARLY

"Excelsior" Excelled in Point of Seasonable Appeal

The city shops were opening last ... as down the street a woman passed ... who wore a badge of good design inscribed with this inspiring line: "Shop Early." Her brow was bright, her eyes below were radiant with a restless glow, as like a Christmas carol rang the music of her merry tongue, "Shop Early." In many homes she had a chance to stop and talk; a circumstance not overlooked by women, still she kept right on and shouted shrill, "Shop Early." "Try not the shops," an old chap said as warningly he shook his head. "It's just as well to wait awhile." She answered briefly with a smile, "Shop Early." "Come in," a dear friend begged, "and try a slab of Christmas pumpkin pie." She put temptation on the side, and like a heroine replied, "Shop Early." "Beware the cars in crowded streets; beware the rush one always meets." She heard the call, but on she went as back her bravery reply she sent, "Shop Early." A ... in a shop was found among ... a hundred packed around, and when they'd shoved her plumb outside with nothing bought she bravely cried, "Shop Early." There in the morning, cold and gray, she made a firm resolve to stay, and when the shades of night appeared she still was there and faintly leered, "Shop Early." Next morning through her panes she saw, a throng obedient to the law of thoughtfulness, off to shops, heedless of obstacles or stops—in answer to the cry that gets appeal from motives high—"Shop Early."

Some Good Reasons Why The Teuton Plea For Peace Does Not Appeal To The Neutrals

"The government of the United States has learned with the greatest concern and regret of the policy of the German government to deport from Belgium a portion of the civilian population for the purpose of forcing them to labour in Germany, and is constrained to protest in a friendly spirit but most solemnly against this action, which is in contravention of all precedent and of those humane principles of international practice which have long been accepted and followed by civilized nations in their treatment of noncombatants in conquered territory."

Such is the wording of part of the United States note of protest last week to the German government regarding the German slave-driving in Belgium. Going back to April 18 last, the following is found to be the wording of the United States note of protest to the German government regarding the German submarine actions:

"The use of submarines for the destruction of an enemy's commerce is, of necessity, because of the very character of the vessels employed and the very methods of attack which their employment of course involves, utterly incompatible with the principles of humanity, the long established and incontrovertible rights of neutrals, and the sacred immunities of noncombatants."

Prior to the foregoing, the German government had promised the United States government "to take every possible precaution both to respect the rights of neutrals and to safeguard the lives of non-combatants." "But," proceeded the United States note:

"The commanders of the German government's undersea vessels have carried on practices of such ruthless destruction which have made it more and more evident as the months have gone by that the German government has found it impracticable to put any such restraints upon them as it had hoped and promised to put. Again and again the German government has given its solemn assurances to the government of the United States that at least passenger ships would not be thus dealt with, and yet it has repeatedly permitted its undersea commanders to disregard these assurances with entire impunity."

So we find the chief neutral nation of the world, which started out by complimenting the German government on its high character, coming to call the German government a liar defying the principles of humanity.

And we find today the Holland Section of the League of Neutral States characterizing the German action in Belgium as "hellish," and proclaiming:

"This tyranny is not to be borne in patience and the neutral nations can no longer stand idly by while in western Europe the most primitive laws of humanity, observed even by uncivilized races, are trampled under foot."

One would imagine that such indictments would have some effect upon even the skulls of Germans, other than Prussians. And surely it must have? At all events, there are signs of discomfort in some German-American quarters. The New Yorker Volkszeitung, a newspaper published in German, breaks loose with a wail over the German action in Belgium. After suggesting that things had been veering towards peace, the Volkszeitung says:

"Germany bursts upon the scene with this fresh oppression of the Belgians. Granted that perhaps she may have some paragraph of the laws of war on her side, granted that possibly the narrow bureaucratic brain yields to the illusion of being able to train the Belgians to diligence, and thus doing some good to the oppressed and enslaved people—does that in the least alter the fact that the entire impartial world is bound to be filled with the heartiest sympathy for Belgium, and with the sincerest loathing for the conquerors?"

There was no chance of peace. The Volkszeitung need not worry about that. There will be no peace for the Huns until their power is smashed. But for the nations which are fighting them, some gratification must exist in the proof that it is not merely Germany's foes who see her ghastliness.

Labour Difficulties at Henry Hope and Sons

Labour difficulties are affecting the munitions plant of the Henry Hope & Sons. In explanation of the difficulty, Mr V. Richardson, superintendent of the plant, states that the threatened strike arises out of an attempt on the part of the company to make a re-adjustment of prices in keeping with present production and cost of manufacture. Mr. Richardson states that the proposed schedule, which the men refuse to accept, practically establishes a minimum wage of four dollars a day with a few exceptions. The men demand the old prices, which Mr. Richardson says is unreasonable owing to the increase in the cost of manufacture. "The men," said Mr. Richardson, "evidently labour under the impression that there is a huge profit in the manufacture of war munitions. That is a mistaken idea. The demand practically amounts to a hold-up. We have looked carefully over our records and have convinced the representatives of the men that our prices are reasonable, yet the men refuse to accept them. We are even willing to publish the payroll. The wages some of the men get here would surprise you."

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LOST—SUIT OF GREY CLOTHES, OVERcoat, pair boots and set drawing instruments at Quaker Oats fire. Goods were handed to a soldier at fire, who handed them over to some one to hold and they have not been heard of since. Will the party kindly notify Examiner Office as to whereabouts. 2d-139-342

LOST—LEATHER WALLET CONTAINING letters, papers, etc., with owner's name and address. Reward at Examiner Office. 3d-138-314

LOST—THIS MORNING BETWEEN CHARlotte street and Turnbull's, a purse containing sum of money. Finder please leave at this office or 347 Charlotte and receive reward. 3d-137-286

LOST—HALTER WITH HOPE AND GRAIN bag, on Friday evening December 8th. Finder please leave at the White Rose Garage, Jobs Post Office, Bridgenorth, or James Mahoney's Shoe Emporium. No reward. 3d-137-306

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Norwood Correspondence

Norwood, Dec. 13.—Miss May Fennell has gone to Toronto.

Mr. T. Lumsden was in Keene last week taking stock for Messrs. Anderson and Skinner.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church held their regular monthly meeting last Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Cyrus Johnson.

Mrs. Hugh Scott, the retiring president of the Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church who has gone to Kitchener to reside was presented with the following letter of appreciation:

Dear Mrs. Scott:—We the officers and members of the Ladies' Aid Society desire to express our very hearty appreciation of the services you have so willingly and cheerfully rendered amongst us for the cause of Christ.

You have been connected with our church almost all your life time and we feel that we are not only losing one of our greatest workers, but also a true friend. We deeply regret your departure.

We pray that God's blessing in its richest measure will be with you in your new sphere, and that you will be spared many years to work for Him.

On behalf of the Ladies' Aid Society.

Mrs. C. Johnson (Vice President.)

The officers for the W.M.S. were elected for the ensuing year as follows;

Honorary President—Mrs. Welland.

President—Mrs. Peer.

1st Vice President—Mrs. Cuthbertson.

2nd Vice President—Mrs. Welland.

Treasurer—Mrs. Frost.

Cor. Secretary—Mrs. Robb.

Rec. Secretary—Mrs. Rork.

Committee—Miss Edith Burgess, Mrs. Robson.

Mission Band Pres.—Mrs. Weir. Miss E. Burgess.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. A. B. Greenbanks was in Peterborough on Monday.

Mrs. E. P. Cuffe is in Toronto this week.

We are sorry to hear of the illness of our post master, Mr. Jas Calder.

Rev. Dr. Workman of Toronto preached two very impressive sermons in the Methodist church on Sunday, December 10th.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

The officers for 1917 elected at the regular meeting of L.O.L. No. 277 Belmont on Monday evening are:

Bro. W. J. Scott—W. M.
Bro. R. Thompson—D. M.
Bro. E. Wildman—Chap.
Bro. A. McGee—Rec. Sec.
Bro. L. Gordon—Fin. Sec.
Bro. R. Leeper—Treas.
Bro. R. Gordon—D. of C.
Bro. S. Buck—Sr. Lect.
Bro. W. Stevenson—Jr. Lect.
Bro. W. Wilson—1st Com.
Bro S. Scott—2nd Com.
Bro. N. Garneau—3rd Com.
Bro. M. Greenley—4th Com
Bro. H. Wildman—5th Com.

The Lodge granted $10 to the Red Cross Fund. The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church will hold their regular monthly meeting on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. B. W. Squire.

Miss Wade of Newcastle is a guest of Mrs. Irwin at the parsonage.

A recital on the New Edison was given on Monday evening in the Town Hall under the auspices of the local chapter of the Daughters of the Empire. A silver collection was taken at the door and the entire proceeds which amounted to over $21 went to the I. O. D. E.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

The regular meeting of the Norwood Board of Education was held on Monday evening with the following members present: Messrs. E. P. Cuffe (chairman), Wm. Cuthbertson, D. MacNaughton, T. Burkell, J. O'Keefe, E. C. Squire, H. Webster, J. Doherty.

The minutes of the last regular meeting and of the special meetings were read and adopted.

Moved by Mr. Burkell, seconded by Mr. Cuthbertson that the Supply Committee be authorized to pay for the car of smokeless coal ordered from Peterborough at $7.00 per ton.—Carried.

The chairman of the Supply Committee produced an agreement for wood from Mr. Calvin Lee at $4.90 per cord.

Moved by Mr. Cuthbertson, seconded by Mr. Burkell that the committee be authorized to purchase 13 cords of wood at $4.90 to be delivered before March next.—Carried.

Mr. Cuffe reported that Miss Edmunds had been engaged at $800 as teacher on High School staff and produced an agreement signed by Miss Edmunds and the secretary.

The report of Public School Inspector Lee was read and ordered to be filed:

The following accounts were read:
K. G. Thomson, H. S. $5.61
K. G. Thomson, P. S. 9.10
Ira Cumming, P. S. 8.30

Moved by Mr. MacNaughton, seconded by Mr. O'Keefe that the bill for advertising and telephoning be paid and that the other items be referred to their respective committees for verification.—Carried.

Mr. Fred Anderson of Peterborough was in town last week for a short time.

Mrs. G. Hamblin of Havelock, visited her mother, Mrs. W. Andrews, last week.

NORWOOD LODGE MEETING.

At the regular monthly meeting of Norwood Lodge, A.F. and A.M., No. 223; the officers elected for the coming year are as follows:

Bro. B. G. Lawlor—W. Master.
Bro. K. G. Thomson—I. P. Master.
Bro. W. C. Pickens—Sr. Warden.
Bro. W. J. Trenouth—Jr. Warden.
V. W. Bro. J. B. Pearce—Treas.
Bro C. L. Puffer—Secretary.
Bro. J. S. Markle—Tyler.
Bros. Geo. Duffield and J. G. Keefer—Auditors.

Mrs. W. A. F. Campbell of Port Hope was a guest for a few days last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pearce.

The local chapter of the Daughters of the Empire will hold a ten-cent tea and a jam and fruit shower for the convalescent soldiers in our Ontario hospitals.

Miss Armanel Peters of Peterborough was a guest over Sunday, of her friend, Miss Rose Squire.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Searight were in Peterborough on Monday.

WAS A MEMBER OF DUMMER COUNCIL

Wm. Miles one of the Fire Victims Well-known in Dummer

WARSAW, Dec. 12.—The oyster supper and concert held under the auspices of the Baptist Church on Thursday last was a great success. The ladies of the congregation are to be congratulated on the splendid supper set forth. The following programme which began about eight o'clock was especially entertaining:

Solo—Mrs. George Taylor. "Canada."
Address—Rev. Mr. Clare.
Duet—Mrs. Taylor and Mr. Rufus Payne.
Solo—Miss Bessie Lonsdale.
Address—"The Work of the Canadian Army Service Corps"—Capt. Warren.
Quartette—Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Wason, Mr. Clare, Mr. Miller.
Solo—Mr. Roberts.
Address—Rev. Mr. Brown.
Trio—Mrs. Roberts, Mr. Clare, Mr. Roberts.

From the latest report it appears that Mr. William Miles is among those lost in the Quaker Oats Co., disastrous fire. Mr. Miles was a member of the Dummer Township Council for years, and had many friends in this community.

Captain Warren of the C.A.S.C. was in the village recruiting to-day.

Mr. Hilliard Payne returned home on Monday from Peterborough where he has been with the Quaker Oats Co.

His Lordship, the Bishop of Toronto visited St. Marks Church on Sunday. As it was "Bible Sunday" in the Anglican churches throughout the Dominion. His Lordship spoke eloquently on that subject.

In these days of uncertainty the spirit of speculation is forced on the man who keeps about, especially in a business sense. For instance it was this with a certain amount of forethought, that prompted us to lay in a stock of curtains when they could be had at a reasonable price, with the result that we can now offer them re-cleaned at the low price of 20 cents per pound. This will be of interest to housekeepers as will also the knowledge that the first shipment of new California raisins, seedless, seeded and seeds in, has arrived. We are also offering new stock dates, figs, prunes, peels, nuts, oranges and lemons.

In order to keep in line with the spirit of the times we have selected our Christmas Gift stock with the thought of thriftiness which pervades the country. This stock, therefore, will be found to consist of goods of lower price than during pre-war years yet capable of conveying between donor and recipient, fully as much sentiment and good-will as though the cost were double or treble as much. For instance, we have the finest stock of the daintiest handkerchiefs that Switzerland has yet produced, ranging in price from 5c. to 30c. each, china from Japan in the inexpensive hand-painted Nippon ware, Parisian ivory sets, hundreds of practical gifts such as sweater coats, mufflers, caps, gloves, mittens, silverware, table linens, waist lengths, sad irons, meat choppers, mustless mops, etc.

We also have in stock one only Gurney-Oxford 'Senior' Steel Range, the last of a most successful season in that line. This would make a handsome gift and will be sold at $38.50, being 20 p.c. less than it could be bought for to-day.

In case you contemplate brightening up a room or two at once, we mention that the new spring wall papers have arrived and are ready for inspection.

Should you desire a Columbia Grafanola, a Victrola, or a Heintzman piano or any special gift, we will get it for you.

A. F. CHOATE.

WITH THE MIRTH MAKERS.

Teacher—"Now Johnnie, you may tell me the meaning of 'epercise'."

Johnnie—"Exercise is work a fellow likes to do because it isn't work."

Visitor—"Why, Willie, what are you crying about?"

Willie—"Cause I d-digged a h-hole in the back y-yard and m-mama won't let me b-bring it in the house."

Small Edna—"Oh, look at the cows!"

Small Nellie—"Why, they're not cows; they are only calves."

Small Edna—"But what's the difference?"

Small Nellie—"Cows give beef and calves give veal cutlets."

Omemee Items Of Interest

OMEMEE, Dec. 14.—Miss Isabel Cottingham of Peterborough spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Cottingham.

Mr. R. J. Adams was a business visitor to Port Hope during the past week.

Miss Blanche Elliott of Toronto is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Elliot.

Mr. Thomas Ingram was in Peterborough on business during the past week.

Inspector Broderick of Lindsay was in town last week on official business.

Mr. Wm. Glass has gone to Bridgenorth to spend the winter, after a pleasant visit with friends in this vicinity.

Mr. Eli Dancey was in Lindsay on business during the past week.

Miss Leona Wilkinson of Lindsay, was the guest of Mrs. L. A. Mahood over the week-end.

Miss Carrie Stinson was a visitor to Peterborough on Saturday last.

Mr. Henry Laidley was in Lindsay on business last week.

Mrs. M. Stinson has gone to spend the winter with her son, Mr. Walter Stinson of Detroit.

Mr. G. Griffin was a visitor to Lindsay on Saturday.

Mr. J. McCaffrey of Toronto was the guest of his father, Mr. Charles McCaffery over the week-end.

Mrs. A. C. Nugent has returned to her home in Lindsay after a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nugent.

Miss Mayo Watson has returned to her home in Peterborough after a pleasant visit with her cousin, Mrs. Stanley Sluggett.

Mr. D. H. Cornell visited Peterborough friends over the week-end.

Mr. James Bryson of Lindsay was in town on business, during the past week.

The many friends of Dr. J. N. Thompson will regret to hear he is on the sick list, suffering from blood-poisoning. His son, Mr. Robert Thompson of Toronto and daughter, Miss Annie of Toronto and Mrs. W. Watson of Coboconk spent the week end under the parental roof.

Mr. Harvey Brooks was in Lindsay on business Saturday.

Military Shower.

The home of Mrs. Earnest MacPherson was a veritable bower of beauty when a military shower was given in honour of Mrs. Jack Coulter (nee Miss Elva Thompson). The house was gay with flags everywhere. The shower was given in a unique manner, each lady drawing a favour attached to a string from behind a sliding door, Mrs. Coulter being the last, and drew into the room a cart laden with gifts and decorated with dozens of small Union Jacks. With the assistance of girl friends the gifts were untied, the cards read and presents duly admired, after which Mrs. Coulter in a neat speech thanked her friends.

The guests numbered about thirty. Mrs. Arthur Rutherford presided at the tea table, which was centred with an Irish lace tea cover and cut glass vase with large white 'mums. Miss Morden and the Misses Parsons served lunch. The gifts were numerous, varied and costly, showing the high esteem in which the bride is held.

Mr. Fred Taggart of Port Perry, was in town on business the beginning of the week.

Mr. W. Shepard of Peterborough, made a business trip to town this week.

HASTINGS PERSONALS

HASTINGS, Dec. 14.—The bazaar held on Friday and Saturday under the auspices of St. George's church, was quite a success, being well patronized by the citizens in general.

On Sunday morning Rev. D. A. Thompson conducted sacramental services in the Presbyterian church. Preparatory services were held on Friday.

The annual missionary services were held in the Methodist church on Sunday, 10th, addressed by Rev. C. W. Barrett, of Lakefield, who presented the claims of the Missionary Society in a very able manner. Collections and subscriptions were taken up in aid of the work. Rev. Isaac Snell went to Lakefield on Saturday to take the services there in Rev. Mr. Barrett's absence.

Collectors for the Bible Society having been busy and report a liberal response to their appeals.

Quite a number attended the public auction sale at the farm of Mr. J. Godfrey on Tuesday and report a large attendance.

Mrs. Arthur Fleming gave a missionary tea on Thursday afternoon, thereby adding to the funds of the Women's Missionary Society.

New Telephone.

Workmen are engaged on the new rural telephone lines in this district.

Rev. D. A. Thompson has received a cablegram from England stating that his son, Capt. Walter Thomson, had been moved to Essenden Road.

Mrs. T. Dearmouth has returned from an extended visit with friends out of town.

Mr. Covert of Warkworth, has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Vallean.

Mrs. Burt Crowley is confined to her bed suffering with congestion of the lung.

The railway wreck on Thursday caused considerable delay to traffic.

Mr. Winter Runnels has secured a position in Toronto and left on Saturday to take charge. Winter was very popular with the young people, and will be much missed in the circle in which he moved. The Methodist Sunday school regret to lose him, as he has ably filled the position of secretary for a number of years.

All join in wishing him success in his new home.

Mrs. J. Horn of Campbellford, was in town last week.

A missionary quilting was held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. Jones.

Mr. Kerr left on Monday for his home, having spent the past week in this district.

Miss Evelyn Beavis of Westwood, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Jas. Stevenson.

Mrs. Isaac Snell spent the week end with friends in Peterborough.

The standing of pupils in the senior department of the Public school for November, is as follows:

IV Class—Bruce Richardson, Stanley Stevenson, Christie Hatherly, Reta Dodd, Will Whitred, Fred Scriver, Cecil Whitred.

Sen. III.—Mary Spooner, Joyce Richardson, Roland Jones, Arthur Dodd, Winnie Eager, Margaret Huycke, Frank Scott, Ormond Cruikshanks, Viola Stewart, (Lila Dodd and Willie Taylor, even). Mabel Stewart, Bryant Scriver, Walter Whitred, Kathleen Simpson, Annie Langley.

Jr. II.—Clifford Baker, Arthur Parker, John McMillen Clifford Hess, Leslie Kennedy Keith Kennedy, Percy Carter.

Mr. Sid Fisher of Campbellford, called during the week.

Mr. Harry Keenan has secured a position in Kitchener and has gone to take charge.

Mr. John Johnson is recovering rapidly from the recent operation, whereby a cancer was removed from his lip by Drs. Huycke and Sweeney.

Mr. Harry Chapman of Port Hope, was home for Sunday.

Mr. Vic German and Mr. E. Tate, have had new Heintzman pianos placed in their homes.

December parcels were made up on Monday, 11th, at the I.O.D.E. rooms.

QUEER NEWSPAPER NAMES.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 14.—There is a man here whose chief joy is in a collection of newspaper titles.

Of course there are plenty of "Couriers," "Journals" and "Heralds" scattered over the country, and there are "Headlights," "Flashlights," "Bees," "Eagles," "Owls," "Mirrors" and "Newsletters," but when it comes to "Derricks," "Meddlers," "Telescopes," "Flags" and "Sunbeams," the class is more limited.

In Hot Springs there is published "The Arkansas Thomas Cat," and other titles just as unusual are, "The Sledge Hammer," "The Irrepressible," "The Silent Worker" and "Gall."

Frequently it is possible to tell from the title of a newspaper the state in which it is published. For instance "The Chieftain" is in Oklahoma, "The Rustler" and "The Lariat" are in Texas, "Big Hole Breezes" in Montana, and "The Round-up" in Wyoming.

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Pomegranates	Cranberries
Figs and Dates	Prunes, etc.

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Shelled Walnuts	Brazils
Shelled Almonds	Pecans
Peanuts	Filberts

TABLE DAINTIES

Preserved Fruits	Catsup
Roquefort Cheese	Allan's Cider
Old Cheese	Extra Olives
Clover Honey	Marmalade
Canned Goods	Sweet Pickles

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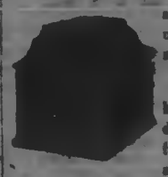

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But when you see these new arrivals you will want to give several. As dainty and pretty as the snow flakes. Each Waist nicely packed in a pretty Holiday Box. There are Waists of Silk, Crepe de Chene, Chiffon and Voile. Some are handsomely hand embroidered; others are of Crepe de Chene in beautiful combinations. Colours that are as harmoniously blended as the Rainbow. All are attractively priced.

Lace Waists

Made of All-over Cream Filet Lace. Lined with chiffon. Trimmed on the front with tabs of Georgette crepe and coloured hand-made buttons. Fancy cuffs and collar 12.00

Crepe Waists

Georgette Crepe Waists. Lined with fine net. Large collar, embroidered with contrasting colour of silk. Front trimmed with gol lace and buttons 10.00

Duchess Silk Waists

Charmeuse Duchess Silk Waists. Made with Georgette Crepe sleeves and collar. Piped and stitched with white. Silk under collar and flare cuffs 8.00

Fancy Crepe de Chene

Made of fine quality of Crepe de Chene. In plain colours, stitched with contrasting colours. The very latest designs. In colours of Maize with Green, White with Rose, and Maize and Amythest 6.00

Crepe-de-Chene Waists

Women's Waists, made of fine quality of Crepe de Chene. Made with tucked, frilled, or handkerchief fronts. In colours of White, Black and Flesh .. 7.50

Silk Waists

Made of extra heavy quality of Wash Silk. Made with large collars and Jabot or frilled front, neatly hemstitched. In colours of Copenhagen, White, Flesh and Apricot 4.00

White Waists

Made of fine White Voile. From several of the latest models. With large collars and Jabot fronts. Trimmed with fine lace 2.98

Voile Waists

Women's Waists, made of fine White Voile. Daintily trimmed with embroidered collars and Jabof fronts. Also with fine lace and insertion 3.50

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THRILLING STORY OF CHARGE OF THE 38th CANADIAN BATTALION

Lieut. Hill Describes the Dash Over Parapet at the Ancre and Also Tells of an Exciting Time in Bringing in Dead Officer.

UNDER HEAVY SHELLING

A thrilling description of the charge made by the 38th Canadian Battalion, Ottawa, which resulted in a big gain for the British in the fighting on the Ancre River, as given by a well-known Peterborough officer, Lieut. Harold F. Hill, son of Mr. Wm. H. Hill of the Sun Life Assurance Company. Enclosed in the letter was a shoulder strap taken from one of the German prisoners and which was shown to the Examiner staff by Mr. Hill, yesterday. It is of grey material, embossed with red, a crown being part of the design.

Speaking of the charge Lieut. Hill says:

"The 38th went over the parapet on the 18th inst., and made a most successful attack, gaining about one thousand yards in all and about 350 prisoners. At 6.15 the start was made, and a few seconds later the artillery commenced. Their barrage was absolutely perfect, being more or less of a wall of iron. Needless to say the Boche could not face it, and hurriedly retired to his dugout, where they were bombarded out or came out and surrendered when the first wave reached them. Then their artillery started in, increasing the already terrific noise many times. The barrage was then lifted and the advance made to the next line. Here a more strenuous resistance was shown, but the objective was surely taken, and when the counter-attack was delivered some hours later it was easily beaten off with heavy losses. Our casualties were very heavy and the battalion certainly doesn't resemble its old-time self in the least. Two officers and myself now represent C Company, and one of the other companies is worse off, having only one, and he is a lieutenant.

'As you might imagine, the strain was something tremendous, but, as one man said in a letter to-night "It is a privilege to be in a battalion like the 38th after this and I'm proud to possess it.'

"The G. O. C., after extending numerous congratulations, said: "The 38th have always done just exactly what we thought they would do—never left a dirty billet, never objected to even the most strenuous work, and when they were called upon to go over they did so gloriously.'

"Now we are trying to re-establish ourselves as a battalion, and as soon as we receive a few drafts things had blown him up, for as you might least.

N.C.O.'s are as scarce as can be, and after all a battalion must depend to a huge extent on them. After the attack I had two left out of them; only one was killed, but some of the rest were badly injured.

Rescue of the Wounded.

"Four of the officers could not be taken out, and were left where they had fallen when the battalion was relieved, so the colonel asked (not ordered) me if I would mind taking charge of a party and do my best at it. Naturally, I readily consented, for they were all great friends and one was the O. C. of the company. So off we started. It was not a pleasant task by any means, for the Boche was shelling heavily, but I succeeded in locating three of the bodies and had them taken to the first field dressing station. I spent a lot of time searching for the other, but finally came to the conclusion that a shell ha blown him up, for, as you might imagine, the whole place was simply one shell hole running into the other and more being added every minute. I decided to get out of the danger zone as soon as possible, so with ten men to a body off we went. I had been congratulating myself on being so lucky in getting this far without a casualty and in fact thought we were all together safe, but it was not to be. We had covered about 300 yards and were getting on famously when it seemed to me as if every German battery on the front opened fire on us—apparently so, anyway—for the shells certainly changed the landscape around us and four landed in our midst. For some reason or other I escaped an injury, although I did hit the earth with considerable force, and the first words I could thunk of were "All right, beat it"; and luckily so, for shells still came over at a very unpleasant rate. About a second after there wasn't a person left nearby except another officer, and myself, and we were probably too stupefied to move. There were eleven casualties in all, six of which were very bad, but I got them out fairly rapidly under the circumstances, the men returning to assist as soon as they saw us there. I never saw so much grit in all my life. One little Scotsman named McCrae (a bad egg in Bermuda but a perfect wonder over here) had his leg broken below the knee and simply hanging about six inches above it, but though I ripped his clothes from the hip to the boots and fixed up his wounds as well as possible, he never uttered a sound and the others just as bad acted likewise. I never felt so bad about anything in all my life.

"Enclosed is one of the shoulder straps off one of the prisoners. I have a few more I will forward from time to time. I also secured a Mauser revolver with a few clips of ammunition, so in future some time I hope to have the pleasure of using it myself.

"Will close here. Hope this will give you some idea of what an attack means and is like. But I'm afraid I don't regard it in quite the manner required to write a really decent account.

"Your affectionate son,

"Harold."

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ATTEMPT TO KEEP PRICE UP CHARGED

IMPERIAL OIL CO., HOWEVER, DENIES FIXING FIGURE AT WHICH ARTICLE MUST BE SOLD.

A few days ago the Minister of Labour was informed that the Brantford agent of the Imperial Oil Company had refused to sell coal oil to dealers in that town unless they agreed to keep the price up to the figure named by the company. He immediately wrote the agent for a statement of the case.

Yesterday he received a reply from the head office of the Imperial Oil Company in Toronto stating that they had no record of refusing to sell coal oil to any parties unless they kept up the price fixed by the company, but that they had written all their agents "advising them not to refuse to sell to any dealers."

The company also stated to the minister that it was not correct that they had a fixed price, and any dealer was at liberty to sell at any price he thought fit.

APPOINT COMMITTEE RE COUNTY INSURANCE

The County Council yesterday afternoon appointed Warden Darling and Reeve McKee of Smith County, representatives to join with Mr. W. H. Moore, acting for the city, in deciding upon a capable representative to select a capable financial man to act for the municipalities in the insurance adjustment of the Court House loss. The building carried $35,000 insurance

Short Course At Bridgenorth To-day

A two-days' short course in cattle, sheep, horses and beef is being held at Bridgenorth today and to-morrow for the benefit of the young agriculturists of that section. Those who are lecturing and conducting the course are Mr. J. P. Sackville of the Ontario Agricultural College, Dr. Baker of Hamilton, and Mr F. C. McKae, district representative at Norwood.

BRITAIN IS SENDING 10,000 CARS TO FRANCE

PARIS, Dec. 13.—The British government, it is understood here, has engaged to send immediately to France ten thousand freight cars, taken from British railroad companies. Ten thousand additional cars are to be sent over during the first months in 1917, with a certain number of locomotives. This is to be done, it is understood, because Great Britain's military operations in France have been requiring the use of 20,000 French freight cars.

A FREAKISH ANIMAL.

Boy—Mother sent me to show you the big bone you sent with the piece of beef this morning.

Butcher—Tell your mother the next time I have my cattle without bones I'll make her a present of a joint.

Boy—Yes, and the next time you find a bit of beef with a mutton bone in it, she'd like to buy the whole carcass as a curiosity!

Choral Recital in St. John's, Thursday at 8. The choir will sing from "Messiah," "96th Psalm," "Daughter of Jairus," assisted by Miss De la Lowe, Toronto, Colorature Soprano. Silver Collection. td-136

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BAZAAR A GREAT SUCCESS

Gala and festive is the scene at the rooms in St. Alphonsus Lyceum, where the bazaar in aid of the Building Fund of the Church of the Immaculate Conception is being held. Twelve tasteful booths, decorated regardless of trouble and expense, present a most fascinating scene and are in charge of the following:

Cigar booth—Miss Margaret McGrath, Mrs. A. Gainey, Mrs. L. B. Tracey and Miss Irene Hickey.

Candy and Ice Cream—Mrs. Abraham, Mrs. Rollie Hunter, Mrs. H. Quinlan, Mrs. Giroux, Misses Aileen Sullivan, Genevive Sullivan, Stella Morrow, K. O'Brien, Marcelle McNulty and Beatrice LaLande.

Fish Pond — Miss Annie Simons, Mrs. Lane, Miss J. O'Heron and Miss Ada Maher.

Handkerchiefs and Boudoir Caps—Mrs. David Conroy, Mrs. T. Cleary, Miss Josephine Conroy, Miss Madeline Rutherford, Miss Kathleen Conroy and Mrs. J. McCabe.

Doll Booth—Mrs. Jas. Malone, Mrs. Primeau.

Clothing — Mrs. J. B. White, Mrs. Tom McGrath, Mrs. T. Turcotte, Mrs. D. Maloney, Mrs. Cronin, Miss N. Devlin, Miss Crowley.

Fancy Work — Mesdames J. C. Sullivan, J. Coughlin, Popham, Girard, Legender, J. F. Crowley and Miss May Sullivan.

Fancy bags—Mrs. J. Dunn, Mrs. Frank Kane.

Sodality Booth, containing cards, stationery etc.—Misses M. Coughlin, E. Derocher, M. Wolfe, Madge Kelly, L. Hummell, and D. O'Heron.

Religious Booth—Miss M. Kylie, and A. Tobin.

Lottery—Mesdames B. Allan, J. Devlin and O'Rourke.

The prize table is in charge of Mrs G. Clancy.

Every booth has its particular fascination, but the fish pond is perhaps the busiest place between 4 o'clock and night, as scores of little school children come back again and again. In the 'boudoir booth' are some exquisite cape, the work of the Sisters in the different orders.

Another attractive feature is the table 'jockey racing,' in charge of Miss M. O'Connell and Miss M. Lynch.

The dinner and supper room continues to be a great success, and the receipts and comments most gratifying to Mrs. J. J. Doris, the convener, and the ladies assisting.

Fixtures at the Bazaar.

The electric fixtures in connection with the Bazaar of the Church of The Immaculate Conception, were all installed and donated by Grant and Thorpe, electricians, and have produced fine results.

The decorating of the Grill Room of the Bazaar was in charge of Mrs. Alex. Grant, assisted by Mrs. W. S. Merrell and Mr. A. J. Grant.

St. Alban's Mission Concert For Building Fund A Success

St. Alban's Mission Building Fund went off to a good start last night, when a most delightful concert was given to a large and appreciative audience in the Orange Hall, Brown-town. Mr. Spence, in a few brief remarks, explained the object of the concert, which was organized by Mrs. Poole, a valued member of St. Albans'.

The attendance at the Mission had grown to such an extent since its inauguration two years ago that the present building was quite inadequate for the needs and it is hoped that sufficient funds may shortly be raised to put up a more suitable building.

This was the only church in that locality, and was meeting a great want, as evidenced by the attendance. He most sincerely thanked the audience for attending the concert, and also the artistes who had come so far to entertain them, and assured them they were assisting in a worthy cause.

The enthusiasm evinced by them in responding so willingly when requested was most encouraging to him and deeply appreciated. The numbers on the programme were of a high order, and were all well received, Mr. Liddell's Scotch songs being particularly enjoyed.

The following is the programme:

Piano solo—Mrs. Poole.
Drill—St. Albans' Boy Scouts.
Vocal duet—Mrs. Scholley and Mr. Ridyard.
Recitation—Mr. J. John.
Comic song—Mr. M. E. Ketcheson.
Violincello solo—Mr. R. Farthing.
Vocal duet—The Misses Hartshorn.
Song—Mr. Albert Lee.
Song—Mrs. Jones.
Song—Mr. Liddell.
Recitation—Mr. J. John.
Song—Miss Hartshorn.
Song—Mrs. Scholley.
'Cello solo—Mr. R. Farthing.
Song—Mrs. Jones.
Comic song—Mr. M. E. Ketcheson.
Vocal duet—Mrs. Scholley and Mr. Ridyard.
Song—Mr. Liddell.
Song—Mr. Ridyard.
Recitation—Mr. Spence.
God Save the King.

Jury Dismissed Charge of Theft Against H. Conners

After being out about fifteen minutes yesterday afternoon the jury in the case of the King vs. Hugh Conners, returned a verdict of not guilty. The defendant was charged with the theft of a quantity of lead pipe from Mr. George MacDonald's house on London street. The evidence disclosed the fact that while the house was being rebuilt, Mr. Conners had removed a quantity of pipe and subsequently sold it to Florence & Rollie, junk dealers.

Defendant's explanation was that he considered the pipe as debris or waste and that there was nothing wrongful in taking it away. It appeared, in evidence that he was still employed by Mr. MacDonald, and was giving good satisfaction. Character evidence was furnished by other citizens, including Mr W. H. Moore, Crown Attorney Hanton conducted the prosecution and Mr. F. D. Kerr the defence.

Music, Xmas and Victrolas

Go Hand-in-Hand

Picture the glee the little tots, and their joyous rompings on Christmas morn, when they find a Victrola in the home. Could you purchase anything that would furnish them with greater amusement? The delight will not be confined to the children—music has its charm for grown-ups, and particularly those who dance. The Victrola will furnish you with dance selections from such bands as Sousa's, Pryor's & Conway's; Orchestras, McKee's, Victor Herbert and London New Symphony.

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Little Is Left of This French Town

Thiepval, Taken by the British, Typifies "Abomination of Desolation"

SO SAYS SOLDIER WHO LIVED THERE

BRITISH SHELLS CHURNED GROUND, ALMOST OBLITERATING THE GERMAN TRENCHES.

(By an ex-Inhabitant in the London Mirror.)

Before Thiepval was taken I watched it from an observation post, and saw our great shells constantly falling into it, hurling up columns of earth and smoke, and I wondered what the place in reality must be like.

To me then it looked simply a great brown hill, with a few stunted trees and a tiny red mound at the top, and all around its slope one narrow belt of green.

A few days later Thiepval was taken—I am proud to say, by our division—and the newspapers were full of the clan of our troops, the stability of the tanks, the strength of the fortress.

I lived just long enough in Thiepval to take a less romantic view of affairs. When first I walked in Thiepval it remained [illegible] to lay the interpretation of that mysterious phrase, "the abomination of desolation." The ground as far as the eye could see was broken, every yard of it, by shell-holes—of all sizes up to the vast 15in. shell-craters which looked more like the effects of deadly land mines; hardly a sign of a trench was left; everywhere I stumbled across the bodies of Englishmen and Germans lying in every attitude of triumph, agony and resignation (one was lying with an open Bible in his hand); the red mound that had once been the Chateau was no more than a mound with here or three hearded, tired men sheltering behind it; the famous cellars all choked and buried now.

GERMAN DUG-OUTS.

In the midst of all this chaos I stumbled across remains of houses—or saw pieces of an iron bedstead lying on the side of an old trench. Meaningless German signposts pointed to trenches that exist no more; I found strange siege engines nestling in hidden corners and shelters—minenwerfer of all shapes and sizes, including one great wooden cannon reminiscent of the days of Crecy and Agincourt. In places where I least expected them I found German dug-outs—one full of stores, and great cases that had never been opened, and silent as the grave. I shouted down them. "Is anyone there?" and for answer came sometimes silence, sometimes the smell of death sometimes an English voice, "We're wounded of the——Regiment; come in and join us, pal!"

We have all heard of those wonderful dug-outs, and the stories are not exaggerated.

I have lived in one that had before been a hospital—within 300 yards of what had been the German front line. It would hold almost a company; had electric light fittings with a dynamo and oil engine; oxygen apparatus; stacks of splints and dressings and drugs; acetylene lamps. All the beds were stretchers if need be. We found there a book neatly bound and very well "got up" which contained views of the various places occupied during this war by the German army. Amongst them were views of Thiepval Chateau—and one was bound to admit that we have made a good deal more mess of the place in retaking it than the did in taking it!

FINDING THE WAY.

The most hopeful thing about Thiepval is the map of it, which I have known to occasion a little mild humor.

It is amusing, for example, to be given instruction by someone who has no conception of the real state of affairs, that all you have to do is to walk up [illegible] main street till you reach the church and then turn to the left; in time I identified the main street, but to the best of my knowledge I never saw one stone of the church. Small wonder that we were for ever helping wanderers on their way, more especially at night, when it was very dark and when rain had made the ground underfoot a morass of mud; and there was always the hazard of a large shiny green pond for the unwary!

The only useful and sure landmarks in Thiepval now are the red Chateau and unusually large piles of dead. In time, I suppose, the Chateau will finally collapse and the dead will all be buried (I had some buried myself as well as time permitted), and when all these landmarks are gone—well, I for one, shan't recognise my old home at all.

CANNED GOODS ARE UNDER WEIGHT NOW

Government Will Take Action to See That Proper Weight is Stated.

It is understood that the government will introduce at the next session of parliament legislation to deal effectively with the situation created by packers reducing the contents of cans, packages, parcels and wrappers. This has had a vital effect upon the cost of living. What purport, for instance to be one pound packages of oats, biscuits and other food products are found to be several ounces short, and what is sold as a three pound can of tomatoes, peas or corn, is found to be as much as half a pound short in gross weight, besides containing more water than was formerly the case.

The proposed legislation will follow the American law, which compels those putting up articles of food to state on the outside of the cans, or other receptacles, what the net weight of the contents is.

All the members of Duke of Manchester L. O. L. No. 50 are requested to attend the annual meeting for election and installation of officers, Thurs., Dec. 14th.

AN EARNEST APPEAL

Every Young Man Should Read This

Dear Sir,—May I be permitted to use your valuable paper as a medium to convey a personal message to the eligible men, and particularly the young men, of Peterborough and surrounding localities?

In the following paragraphs, I speak as a young man to others of my class and hope I may be able to imbue them with the same spirit that actuates myself; to reveal to them the path of duty; to impress upon them the seriousness or gravity of the situation on all fronts; and arouse their chivalry and sense of honour— and they have both—to such a degree that they will feel they cannot longer resist that persuasive appeal of conscience that prompts them to enlist.

In the light of developments in the European theatre of war, in the past week, we must admit our enemies have made important gains. If they can hold, in the east, what they now have, till spring, it is beyond the power of the greatest military critic to forsee, what will result from the resumption of their campaign at that time. They have over-run Roumania; conquered Serbia; ravaged and pillaged Belgium; devastated a large portion of France, and are to-day in possession of much of the most fertile and richest mineral territory in the realms of our allies. They are daily transporting into Germany hundreds, possibly thousands, of helpless, hapless Belgians as slaves, not to labour in the commercial and industrial vocations of peace times, but to toil in munition plants, turning out missiles and death-dealing projectiles to slay their own kith and kin, who are fighting like heroes to defend them and their national liberties from the pulverizing grinding of the Prussian heel of tyranny.

The heroic sons of Belgium and France, assisted by the intrepid sons of Britain and her allies, have arrested this German monster in his wild, rapacious career. They hold him fast in a vise-like grip, as he wriggles and squirms to extricate himself, but they can't continue so to do, indefinitely. That squelching grasp must relax through sheer depletion of the ranks of casualties, inflicted, unless you and I speedily discern our duty and rally to their support. Neutral nations are protesting against such appalling outrages. Young men of Peterborough, do you by silence and inaction condone such diabolical treatment of our non-combatant allies? Can you and I as men, men with true British blood coursing through our veins, assume an air and attitude of placid indifference, follow our usual money-making vocations, and agree to permit these outrages to go on unchallenged? No! Certainly not! We as men, and allies, must protest, and protest with such vigour that "Billy the Bully" will think an earthquake has struck his throne and it's tottering to an ignominious fall. The best way to manifest our contempt for German kultur and impress it upon the Kaiser, with telling effect, is to don the khaki and play the man at a man's job. Don't leave it for the married men who have wives, and possibly little tots to care for. We are free, no home cares. Let the married men, the ineligible men, the returned soldier, or the women remain at home to manufacture munitions. Let them make the balls and we'll go overseas and fire them. Munition work is a woman's job in Germany; why not here?

It shouldn't be necessary for the young single man to be "button-holed" to enlist. Those now recruiting find it a disagreeable and unpleasant duty, and at the end of a whole day's faithful work, possibly only two or three recruits have been attested. Boys, these men have not donned khaki to go out and accost you on the street but to take the field. They can't train nor take the field till the ranks are filled, and they won't be filled till you perceive your duty and get into khaki. Your hesitation and indecision hold up the whole machinery of war. No drill, consequence, no assistance to the boys at the front, nor defence of the people at home, while all the time, the German army, one of conscripts is kept up to strength and your own hearths endangered.

Can any human words of entreaty arouse you from your lethargy? Boys, if this war is lost the fault is not that of the man in khaki. It's yours! You can't deny the fact. The destiny of Britain and her allies is in YOUR hands. Our freedom, purchased by the life blood of our forefathers is now maintained by that of your fathers, brothers or relatives, on every front. Our fate, your fate, now hang in the balance. You and you alone are the deciding factor. With awe and suspense we await your decision. Will you be true to your country, your own conscience, and your own brothers and friends now on the firing line, spring into khaki and by immediate action turn the balance in our favour, or will you by careless indifference, simply do nothing, fling your blood-bought heritage to the winds, and wreck the whole Empire? Young men, an awful responsibility is yours. You have reached the dividing of the ways. Two courses are open before you. Which will you choose? You can either enlist and help us— your old chums and associates — and your brothers in Europe, to preserve the grand old British Empire intact, or you can remain in multi, have a good time, earn big money and thus "do your bit" for Germany as effectively as if you were in the German ranks. If you're not for us, boys, you're against us. If against us you should be interned. Where are you? Are you in your proper place? Recruits should not be numbered by twos and threes each day but by as many score. You may be doing well, financially, but do not fail to recognize the fact, that possibly you owe your present success to the sacrifice some other fellow made who is now at the front, or on his way, while you hold down his job. If our heritage is worth fighting for let us hasten to relieve the boys at the front and take them out of the trenches for a rest at least. Many hands make light work and quick work so don't in freedom's name and for humanity's sake clog the wheels of recruiting and military training any longer by your tardiness in "signing up" with some corps, but preferably the 247th Battalion.

Boys, do you know if you would only rally to the colours, as young men of snap and vigorous manhood should, we could throw such numbers into the field and bring such pressure to bear on the German lines, that they'd soon collapse, and this war be ended in a few months. The trouble is we're trying to do it by a too piece-meal a method. We can't use more men than we've got, and at present we can't get men unless they volunteer. If they won't volunteer conscription is inevitable, for men and still more men we must have. Young men of Peterborough do you relish the idea of being conscripts? In a nation with voluntary service, a service that appeals to man's reason, dignity, sense of honour and duty the conscript is the subject of reproach. He is despised and hated by his volunteer comrades at the front and reviled by the people at home. He is ostracized and even after the war, when he returns to civil life the stigma, conscript, will remain with him as long as he lives. His own conscience will be his worst and most ruthless accuser, and smite him daily for not having heeded its pleading to volunteer to do his duty, when he could have done so with credit to himself, rather than hesitate, be forced, and lose all claim to the honour of defending his country. The conscript can claim no credit for being in the battle, though he assumes as much risk and endures as much hardship, as his volunteer comrade by his side, so come along boys, every young man of good strong physique, who loves honour, justice and British law and liberty, join the 247th Battalion and let us go NOW and forever crush this German menace out of existence. It can be done. It must and shall be done, and we're the boys that are going to do it. Young man, we want, we need and we solicit YOUR help. Is it ours? Let your name on the service roll be your answer.

CANUCK.

Peterborough, Dec. 14, 1916.

What Is The Fleet For? Prussians Ask

LONDON, Dec. 13.—"If we really have a fleet what on earth is it doing?" This question, according to a neutral correspondent, is being asked on an average twice a day by every German in the fatherland. After many months of "energetic waiting and gallant watching" in the Kiel Canal the Admiralty has made an attempt to answer this question by permitting a few discreetly chosen journalists to pay a visit to the barnacle fleet, of which the Berlin Tageblatt gives the following account:

"We were first conducted to a famous battle ship, whose name I may not mention, but when I saw it the word 'Skager Rack' immediately flashed in my mind. I asked the sailors, 'Were you there?' and they nodded with brilliant eyes, and were about to tell me their impressions when a submarine appeared and gave our conversation another turn.

"Soon afterward we left for the North Sea for shooting practice, but I was informed by an officer that they were only allowed to shoot with small calibre guns because every shot from the heavy artillery costs an enormous amount of money.

"You see these targets in the distance?' said one of the seamen. 'Well we were about as far as that from the English fleet on Jutland day.' The preparations for the shooting seemed to take an interminable time, but at last all was ready.

"Only two shots. I was informed were to be fired, and to my great disappointment one of these missed the target.

"Our gallant men, as is their rightful due, fare sumptuously on board. For luncheon we ate sauerekraut with bacon—such bacon as one never hears of on land except in books of fairy tales. Our tea was on an equally luxurious scale, and after justice had been done to it we were treated to some night shooting practice, with the aid of the strange mechanism of the searchlights.

"Each ship fired one single shot, and then the searchlights died down and all was darkness, and I joined the commander in a dinner fit for princes."

Dyspeptics Should Avoid Drugs And Medicines

Try a Little Magnesia Instead.

Some people instinctively shut their eyes to danger, and it may be that instinct, or custom or habit, causes dyspeptics to take drugs, patent foods and medicines, artificial digestants, etc.

But closing your eyes does not banish the danger, and it is certain that neither drugs nor medicines possess the power to destroy the harmful excessive acid in the stomach, which is the underlying cause of most forms of indigestion and dyspepsia. They may give temporary relief, but ever increasing quantities must be taken, and all the time the acid remains in the stomach as dangerous as ever.

Physicians know this and that is why their advice so often to sufferers from digestive and stomach trouble is "Just get about an ounce of pure bisurated magnesia from your druggist and take a teaspoonful in a little water immediately after every meal. This will instantly neutralize all the harmful acid in the stomach and stop all food fermentation, thus enabling you to enjoy hearty meals without experiencing the least pain or unpleasantness afterward.

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MAYOR DUFFUS THANKS MAYOR OF LINDSAY

His Worship Mayor R. Kylie, of Lindsay, has received the following letter from Mayor Jos. J. Duffus, of Peterborough:

Dear Mr. Mayor,—The help which you so kindly sent to Peterborough yesterday at the time of the disastrous fire in the Quaker Oats Mills, and the sympathy which you expressed in your telegram, are highly appreciated in Peterborough. The members of your fire department who came to our aid with the motor truck and hose were of material assistance, for while the mills could not be saved they aided our department and citizens to save other property that was in grave danger of destruction.

Kindly accept our sincere thanks for your assistance and sympathy.

Jos. J. Duffus, Mayor.

ABOLISH HANDKERCHIEFS FOR HYGIENIC REASONS

Dr. F. Robbins of New York Says Handkerchiefs are Source of Infection.

Dr. F. Robbins, a well-known New York physician, urges the abolition of the pocket-handkerchief, because he firmly believes it to be a source of infection long after a person has recovered from such diseases as infantile paralysis and even common colds.

"The day will come," he says, "when the customary cotton rag is replaced by the cheap and clean Japanese paper napkin, which is burned after it has been used. Infants and children are helpless against the rubbing of strange handkerchiefs over their perspiring and grimy faces. The public roller-towel of the past was innocuous as compared to the family pocket-handkerchief. Bitter experience will drive home the lesson that neglected noses, mouths, and throats are largely if not exclusively responsible for the ultimate crippling of the unfortunate victims of disease and ignorance."

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Men of Position Sent To Labour In Germany

HAVRE, Dec. 14.—The Belgian government, through its organized system of obtaining information of what is taking place in Belgium, has received lists of persons deported from various localities, their occupations and information as to whether they were working or not at the time of the deportation and whether they were of independent means or not.

Some of these lists which have just arrived from Nivelles, south of Brussels, show that among the deported were forty-two persons of position who owned property and who were neither idle nor indigent, such as farmers, small shopkeepers, the hotel proprietor, the station master and his principal assistant, students and artists. Another list from Nivelles names thirty-nine persons who were employed and were making a sufficient livelihood, but who were carried off to labour in Germany.

"The townspeople of Jamappes," says an eyewitness' account received here, "were assembled and examined as to their strength, age and general appearance, very much as though they were cattle. Five hundred were picked for transportation. Each was asked to sign a paper saying that he engaged voluntarily for work in Germany. The men were told that "if you sign, it will be easy to place you in Germany. If you refuse, you will probably be sent to the front to work in the trenches." Few persons signed the paper. One man of forty-two who signed was overcome by remorse two days later and hanged himself."

Numerous narratives received by this "underground railway" describe trains passing through towns packed with men who were being deported. Sometimes, it is said, they were singing the "Brabanconne" the Belgian national hymn, or the "Marseillaise," and sometimes they were cursing Germany and shaking their fists at the German sentinels and shouting insults at them.

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Saturday, 8 to 9 p. m.
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Ladies' Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, usual size. One hour only, Saturday 8 to 9 p. m. ..... 10 for 25c

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Girls' Warm Winter Coats, made of Cheviots and Mixed Tweeds, fit 4 to 8 years. Were $5.00 to $6.50. Friday and Saturday Bargain... 3.95

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House Dresses, made of best Washing Prints; have convertible collar and short sleeves. Sizes range 36 to 44. A lot secured by us at the old price and one of the best we have ever offered. Friday and Saturday 95c

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GREY LINEN CENTRE PIECES, 49c AND 69c
Grey Linen Centre Pieces in two different sizes. Embroidered scalloped edge and flowered centre. Guaranteed pure linen:—
Size 30-in. in diameter. Reg. $1.25. Friday and Saturday Bargain 69c
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Blankets that will keep you warm—Blankets that will wear well. 11/4 Dragon in pink or blue border. Size 2 yards x 1¼ yards. Friday and Saturday Bargain 1.89

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Excellent size and quality. Coloured borders of different patterns. Regular 12½c each. Friday and Saturday Bargain..... 3 for 28c

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Wrapperette—in light and dark blue shades, a few red. In plaids, stripes and floral designs. Worth to-day 19c. Friday and Saturday Bargain 12½c

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Special purchase of Tea Towelling, 16 inches wide. Blue and red border. This is one of our best bargains ever offered. Friday and Saturday Bargain ..... 6 yards 29c

FACTORY YARN, 89c
Best Canadian Factory Yarn, in 2 or 3 ply, in light grey, white, black or white and black mixed. Worth $1.00. Friday and Saturday Bargain 89c

35c TAFFETA AND DUCHESS RIBBON, 17½c YARD
A splendid quality Ribbon, up to six inches wide, in Taffeta and Duchess makes. Suitable for fancy work or Xmas gifts. Obtainable in sky, pink, cardinal, navy and white. Friday and Saturday Bargain.... 17½c

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Boot Laces—tan or black, 4 pair.... 5c
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Black Pins—package 4c
Mourning Pins—box 4c
Middy Laces 9c
Handsome Needle Cases from 15c to 75c

PARTIAL LIST OF BARGAINS FROM OUR DRUG DEPT.
Taylor's Infant Delight Soap, 3 cakes 10c
La France Large Bars Castile Soap—bar 16c
Vaseline in small jars 4c
Florida Water—bottle 19c
Pear's Talcum Powder 11c
Palm Olive Shampoo and 1 Cake Palm Olive Soap 55c
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WOMEN'S WOOL HOSIERY, 18c PAIR, 2 PAIR 35c
Ribbed Wool Hose, sizes 9½ and 10 only. Heavy winter weight. Regular 25c pair. Friday and Saturday Bargains..... 18c pair, 2 pair 35c

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Four of the best makers' lines are shown in our Underwear Section. Women's White Vests and Drawers in winter weight. Vests may be had in high neck and long sleeves, or low neck and short sleeves. Drawers either style. Friday and Saturday Bargain 39c

Bargains From Our Basement

TOILET SET, $1.95
Six-piece Toilet Set, consisting of chamber, large jug, basin, soap dish and mug. In pink and green design. To secure these it will be necessary to come early, as they are limited in number. Friday and Saturday Bargain..... 1.95

CUT GLASS TABLE TUMBLERS, $3.89 DOZEN
Heavy cut glass table tumblers; bright sparkling cutting, in star effect. Would make a handsome Xmas gift. Regular $5.00 dozen. Friday and Saturday Bargain, dozen..... 3.89
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Potato Paring Knives, each..... 8c
Stove Lid Lifters, each 7c
Tin Dippers, each 7c
Clothes Lines, each 15c

PITCHERS, 23c EACH
Large Semi-Porcelain China Pitchers, decorated with pink roses and finished with old gold bands. Will make a useful Xmas gift. Regular 60c. Friday and Saturday Bargain..... 23c

CREAM PITCHER AND SUGAR BOWL, PAIR 15c
Heavy Glass Cream Pitcher and Sugar Bowl. Regular 30c pair. Friday and Saturday Bargain, pair.... 15c

STEP LADDERS, 57c
Step Ladders, 5-foot height, strongly made of best Georgia Pine. Pail rest at top. Worth 79c. Friday and Saturday Bargain 57c

GLASS SAUCE DISHES, 50c DOZ.
Made in heavy cut glass pattern or plain, scallop, glass. Worth $1.00 dozen. Friday and Saturday Bargain 50c

WASH BOILERS, $1.59
Davidson's Reliable Hand-Made Wash Boilers. Guaranteed copper bottoms. Worth to-day $2.00. Friday and Saturday Bargain..... 1.59

TEA SPOONS, 65c DOZ., 6 for 35c
These tea spoons are heavy plated nickle silver. Guaranteed not to wear off. Regular 95c dozen. Friday and Saturday Special, dozen.... 65c ..... 6 for 35c

WASH BOARD AND BROOM, 25c
Cane's Pony Wash Board, and one of the best makes of toy brooms. Would make an acceptable Santa Claus present for a little girl. Friday and Saturday Bargain .....2 for 25c

97-PIECE DINNER SET, $18.50
This is a special offer from our Basement. Friday and Saturday 18.50

CUT GLASS, $3.95
A special table of Cut Glass, guaranteed of fine quality. Every piece regular $5.00 and over. Friday and Saturday 3.95

DINNER PLATES, 89c DOZEN
50 dozen Plain White Semi-China Dinner Plates. Worth to-day $1.50. Friday and Saturday Bargain..... 89c

Bargains From Our Furniture Dept., an Unusual Offering to Close Out Odd Pieces

ONE ONLY QUARTER CUT OAK DESK, $9.35
Lock drawers. Pigeon holes, etc. Suitable for den. Regular $13.50. Friday and Saturday Bargain.. 9.35

ONE ONLY QUARTER CUT OAK DRESSER, $22.45
With large oval bevel plate glass, swell front, 4 drawers. Brass trimmings. Regular $30.00. Friday and Saturday Bargain 22.45

ONE ONLY QUARTER OAK DRESSER, $11.05
Quarter Oak Dresser with bevel plate glass, 4 drawers. Brass trimmings. Regular $13.50. Friday and Saturday Bargain 11.05

MAHOGANY MUSIC STAND, $3.95
Finished with 6 shelves, and rod for curtain. Regular $5.00. Friday and Saturday Special..... 3.95

WALNUT ROCKING CHAIR, $4.69
Circassian Walnut Rocking Chair, cane seat. Regular $5.69. Friday and Saturday Bargain..... 4.69

WALNUT DRESSING TABLE AND CHAIR TO MATCH
Will sell separately Circassian Walnut Dressing Table, with bevel plate glass. Regular $18.00. Circassian Low Back Chair to match. Regular $5.00. Friday and Saturday Bargain, Dressing Table $14.25; Separate Chair $3.75; or set 17.00

ENGLISH BRUSSEL RUGS, $12.50
Oriental or Conventional patterns; heavy, close woven quality; every rug below mill price at present time. Sizes 2¼ x 3½; 2¼ x 3½; 3 x 3. Friday and Saturday Bargain 12.50

2-PIECE WALNUT BEDROOM SET, $31.00
Consisting of Walnut Chiffonier with oval bevelled glass, with four drawers, swell front. Dressing table with centre and 2 swing mirrors. Set regular $41.50. Friday and Saturday Bargain, Chiffonier $17.00, Table $15.00, or, set of 2 ..... 31.00

2 ONLY LEATHER UPHOLSTERED CHAIRS, $8.35 EACH
Leather Upholstered Oak Chairs, suitable for den use. Regular $10.00 each. Friday and Saturday Bargain, each 8.35

CARPET SWEEPERS, $2.00
Only 11 left to close out. Standard Brand Carpet Sweepers. Nickle plated mounting, and rubber wheels. Regular $4.50. Friday and Saturday Bargain.... 2.00

BARGAINS FROM TOYLAND

BUILDER TOYS, 39c
A very instructive wood construction toy, consisting of wooden spools, rods, hubs, and caps, which make many models, such as automobiles, airships, turbines, derricks, etc. Friday and Saturday only..... 39c

FOXY GRANDPA BOOKS, 27c
The famous Foxy Grandpa Cartoon Books, in large size; five different titles. Friday and Saturday Special 27c

SLEIGHS, 79c
Boys' Hardwood Sleighs, with steel runners; decorated enamelled seat boards; length 30 inches. Friday and Saturday 79c
Also others at $1.35, $1.45 and $1.95

$2.50 STEAM ENGINES, 98c
Ten only steam engines, blue steel boilers, alcohol burners; some have attachment for pumping water. Regular $3.00 and $3.50. Friday and Saturday..... 98c

DOLLS, 59c
A large range of nicely dressed dolls with stuffed bodies and good strong heads. Regular 75c. Special for Friday and Saturday 59c

IRON HORSES AND CARTS, 11c
Well made iron carts and horses, enamelled in red and green; some with attachment for dumping. Friday and Saturday only 11c

FIRE LOSS FOR THE YEAR WILL EXCEED $1,000,000

Extract From Fire Chief Howard's Report Which was Submitted to the Council at the Beginning of the Year

Appended is the fire losses for the years 1908 to 1915, which appeared in The Examiner some months ago. This year's fire loss will easily exceed a million dollars; the largest in the history of Peterborough. Insurance men are in the city making necessary adjustments.

Year	Damage To Buildings.	Damage To Contents.	Total Damage.
1908	$ 1,400.00	$ 1,677.00	$3,077.00
1909	40,363.09	19,582.00	59,945.09
1910	9,868.00	6,610.00	16,478.00
1911	12,414.00	10,320.00	22,734.00
1912	8,338.00	2,630.00	10,968.00
1913	8,070.00	9,330.00	17,400.00
1914	2,207.20	9,395.80	11,603.00
1915	5,173.00	17,189.00	22,362.00

TWO MORE BODIES FOUND IN RUINS

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Nicholls Hospital.

Michael Long—Severely burned. A little better.

L. Robbins, slight burns, somewhat better.

John Weir. A little better.

J. C. Kemp, severe burns. Not out of danger.

R. Chowen Somewhat better.

Will Use Dynamite.

A consignment of dynamite has been brought in from Bobcaygeon to be used in the demolition of the standing ruins of the Quaker Oats. The levelling of the six-storey warehouse will be a big item in itself. The building is in such a condition that a well placed charge of explosive may have the desired result. Fire is still burning in some parts of the warehouse building, despite the fact that several streams of hose have been playing on the ruins since Monday. The work of digging out the boiler room is proceeding with all the rapidity possible under the circumstances. Before the week is out it should be possible to determine the actual condition of this part of the building, together with the boilers. So far they appear to be intact.

James Foster whose body was found this morning in the boiler room, was born in England 64 years ago. Besides his wife, Mary Langley he leaves a family of ten children, who hold a record for military service. Four sons: James, Matthew, William are with English regiments and John with the 8th C.M.R. on active service, while there are four son-in-law's overseas: C. M. Orford, C.M.R., Prisoner of War; F. J. Hall 8th C.M.R.; Pte. Hallett with an English regiment and William Mayall a reservist. Two sons George and Thomas reside at home.

The funeral notice will be published later.

The funeral of the late Thos. Parsons, who died on Tuesday from injuries received in Monday's fire, was held this afternoon from his late residence, Chamberlain street, at 3.30. A service conducted by the Rev. Mr. Mackenzie was held at the house before proceeding to the Little Lake Cemetery.

Philip Carboni, 72 Victoria Ave., another victim of Monday's catastrophe, was buried this morning at 9 o'clock. A service was held at St. Peter's Church before proceeding to St. Peter's Cemetery.

Inventory Will Be Taken In January

SPECIAL WIRE TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, December 14.—The Ottawa Government's inventory of Canadian man power will be attempted during the first week of the new year. Theoretically all Canadian males between 16 and 65 are to fill out a card stating their business, their physical condition, and their willingness "or otherwise" to do the necessary war work at their present rate of pay, if not now so engaged. The cards are to be distributed bythe postmaster with assistance of whatever volunteer helpers he can muster and returned in ten days. The Government, however, has provided no penalty for their non-return.

Sends Congratulations to Lloyd George

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, Ont., December 14.—Prior to his departure for England yesterday, Sir Geo. Foster, as Acting Prime Minister, sent the following cable to Lloyd George:

"Canadian Government sends hearty congratulations. Canada stands with you and the Empire for a vigorous prosecution of the war until complete victory is attained."

KEMP IS UNOPPOSED

Minister of Militia Re-elected by Acclamation In East Toronto

Examiner Special:

TORONTO, Dec 14—Hon A. E. Kemp, Minister of Militia, has been re-elected by acclamation in East Toronto.

SENTENCED TO IMPRISONMENT FOR SIX MONTHS

OTTAWA, Dec. 14.—In case of Lieut.-Col. Pagnuelo of Montreal is pretty well understood that the sentence imposed upon him by the court martial under Generald Lessard is six months' imprisonment. Chief charge against Pagnuelo was that he encouraged men of the 206th Regiment to desert.

It is announced that legislation to be introduced at the approaching session will include bill to provide for the settlement of returned soldiers on lands.

MILITARY NEWS

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suggested that arrangements be made to give as many as possible of such senior officers a chance to go to France in order that they may personally witness operations there before returning to Canada. Some may be given employment in England, but many will go back to Canada, where they may again take civil employment or be used in assisting further recruiting.

Mrs. Bartlett, Murray Street, has received word from Trooper C. Bartlett to the effect that he is in the hospital. The nature of his affliction was not stated.

AS THE STORY GOES.

The prison visitor on his usual round noticed that a new man occupied a cell that had been empty for some time.

"My friend," he began, "may I ask what brought you here?"

"The same thing that brought you here," replied the convict; "a desire to poke my nose into other people's business, only I generally used to go in by the basement window."

Once in a great while you meet a bright woman who successfully boasts of the skeleton in her closet.

Our Big Sale of Wholesale Prices Still Goes On

15 lb. new small raisins, per lb. 11½c
10 lb. new rolled oats for 40c
10 lb. 40c tea, black or green, lb 39c
10 lb. best Japan rice, lb 8c
10 bars soap (to birds), bar 25c
5 lb. pumpkin butter, special for, lb. 18c
5 lb. finith creamery butter, lb 45c
5 lb. choice prunes, lb 9½c
5 lb. 40c tea, black or green, lb 33c
5 lb. 15c new mince meat, lb. 12½c
1 ham Wheeler's cream of soda, bar. 5c
1 16 oz. seeded raisins 16c
1 12 oz. seeded raisins 14c
5 lbs. articles (you pick them), each 5c
1 lb. 40c mixed peel, lb 30c
1 lb. 70c shelled nuts, lb 55c
5 lb. cans pegnut butter 55c
12 lb granulated sugar (with order) $1.00
1 lb. lots 35c Green or Mixed Tea, lb. 30c
Cheese and Dandelion's 40c Coffee, lb. 35c
Fine Shredded Cocoanut 25c lb. for 20c
Choice New Dates, just to hand 15c
5c, 10c and 15c Toys, all the range.
Christmas Mixed Candies, choice lb. 17½c
Christmas Mixed with Chocolates, lb. 25c
Christmas Sweet Oranges 30c doz. for 20c
Christmas Sweet Oranges 40c doz. for 30c
Christmas Sweet Oranges 60c doz. for 50c
No. 1 Best Bread Flour, bag $4.00
5 Boxes Krinkle Corn Flakes 25c
10c Bottles Co. Extra Vanilla or Lemon each 8c
10c Chase Mustard Sauce Savory, each 8c
12c Jars Jams and Jel. 8, each 9c
10c Bottles Castor Oil and Machine oil each 8c

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STREET CAR TO OUR DOOR.

Farmers Attention!

The following meetings will be held under the auspices of the Board of Agriculture next week.

At Lakefield, Monday, Dec. 18, at 2.30 and 7.30 p. m.

At Ennismore, Tues., Dec. 19, at 2.30, and 7.30 p. m.

At Stewart's Hall, Otonabee, Wednesday, Dec. 20, at 2.30 and 7.30 p. m.

Good Speakers will be present and a short Programme will be presented.

DR. AMYS WILL ORDER MEAT SEIZED IF OFFERED FOR SALE

Dr. Amys, Medical Officer of Health, accompanied by Dr. Clinton, District Officer of Health, and Dr. Baker, a prominent veterinary surgeon, conferred with Magistrate Dumble this morning at the conclusion of police court, regarding the remains of the meat, the condition of which formed the subject of a police court case on Wednesday.

Dr. Amys stated that he simply desired to now his position in regard to the disposal of this quarter of beef. Magistrate Dumble replied that he had given his judgment yesterday on the evidence produced. It was shown that the animal had a tumour but this was not regarded as a disease. Dr. Amys replied that both Dr. Johnston and himself had given the opinion that the carcass was unfit for human food, and the Magistrate recalled the Ottawa report that was practically entirely to the contrary. Dr. Amys stated that the officials had seen only a small sample of the meat and proceeding to the personal consideration stated that he did not think Magistrate Dumble would eat the meat.

He felt it his duty to prevent that beef from being presented for sale, and he desired to know Dumble's attitude toward that action.

The Magistrate replied that Dr. Amys would have to use his own discretion, and the M. O. H. replied that he would order the meat confiscated if it was offered for sale.

JONATHAN APPLES
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NATION-WIDE PROHIBITION

Special to The Examiner.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14. — The House Judiciary Committee to-day reported favourably a bill for a nation-wide prohibition, reported this Woman's Suffrage bill without recommendation, and reported favourably a bill for a nation-wide food investigation.

Christmas Suggestions OF GIFTS THAT WILL BE APPRECIATED ABOVE ANYTHING ELSE

Because Nothing is so Appreciated as Something to Wear

SANTA CLAUS is growing more practical each year, and instead of the things that satisfy the eye alone—SO common in years gone by---we now witness the giving of those wholesome, useful & practical things which one would buy for himself and which are not only gratefully received on Christmas day, but are a source of much joy and pleasure for many days to come.

EVERYTHING Displayed Where you can readily inspect the goods and make your selections, however busy we may be.

BEAUTIFUL NECKWEAR The season's very newest creations, 25c to 35c.

GLOVES Of all kinds are here in vast assortments. Wool Gloves, Kid Gloves, Fur Gloves, 50c to $3.00.

HANDKERCHIEFS All kinds, from the cheapest to the best, plain or initial, linen or silk, great values, 10c to 50c.

SWEATER COATS For men and boys. Coats of quality, very reasonably priced. All color combinations, neat and comfortable $1.00 to $5.00.

UNDERWEAR Penman's, Stanfield's and other good makers. The old quality at the old price 50c to $2.50.

You Are Cordially Invited to Inspect our magnificent Showing of Holiday Goods

Whether You Come To Buy or Not

A NEW SUIT OR OVERCOAT

FOR FATHER, GRANDPA, BROTHER OR SON, would be "JUST FINE"

Men's Suits $8 to $25	Boys' Suits $3.50 to $8.50
Men's Overcoats $10 to $30	Boys' Overcoats $3.00 to $10.00

SPECIAL GIFT BOXES For all our Neckwear, Gloves, Suspenders, Hosiery Handkerchiefs, etc., make the gifts attractive.

SILK NECK SCARFS Are sensible, serviceable and beautiful $1 to $2.50

HOSIERY An immense line of good socks in all shades and qualities imaginable 25c to 75c.

UMBRELLAS Make an attractive gift. They are useful and certain to be appreciated $1 to $4.00.

FINE WINTER CAPS In stylish shapes and shades, made to keep the head and ears warm, 50c to $1.50. LeBrun's Special

MEN'S FINE SHIRTS Old dyes, new colorings and patterns. Best assortment in City. A very pleasing gift 50c to $1.50.

Commence right away to do your Christmas trading—come forenoons if you can—the sooner you come, the better the assortments will be, and then you don't have to hurry. Make selections now; will deliver when you want us to. We are showing, by far, the finest collection of desirable gifts for men and boys ever shown here.

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The Best Place to Buy Your Xmas Presents for Men & Boys

RINK IS FLOODED HOCKEY PRACTICE FRIDAY

Mr. Jack Meharry has taken advantage of the cold snap to secure a good foundation of ice at Brock street rink, and if the cold weather continues, the rink will be open for skaters on Saturday night. The first hockey practices will be held to-morrow (Friday) night, both of the 247th intermediates and the Peterborough juniors will be out. The management of the Peterborough juniors invites all candidates for the team to turn out. Youngsters who wish to try for the position of goalkeeper are especially wanted, as a new goalkeeper will be needed this winter. There promises to be a merry battle for positions all along the line.

Urgent Need of More Tobacco For Boys at the Front

The urgent need of more tobacco for the boys at the front is shown by the following letter received by Mr. H. A. Cranfield:

Mrs. H. A. Cranfield, Peterborough, Ontario.

Dear Sir,—We are in most urgent need of your further help. In spite of the fact that a small ration of tobacco is issued to the troops, and in spite of all our efforts to supplement this by means of voluntary effort, there is a great shortage of tobacco amongst the Canadian boys at the front, and I have just received an urgent appeal for increased supplies.

You are doubtless aware that our work has now received official approval and that we are authorized to speak of our Tobacco Fund as "Approved by the British War Office." This shows the value attached by the authorities to the work we have accomplished.

Sir Edgard Ward, the Director-General of Voluntary Organizations in connection with the Record Office, writes:

"I am anxious that your Club should know how great is the demand for cigarettes, tobacco, etc., in the various theatres of war, and also in the Army Hospitals. The assistance given by your Club in meeting these demands has indeed been excellent, and I know how fully it is appreciated. I want however, to appeal to you to continue and, if possible, extend this branch of your work, by providing even greater quantities of tobacco and cigarettes for general distribution to the troops. Nothing is more appreciated by our soldiers than gifts of this nature.

I am enclosing you one of our collecting books, and shall be glad if you will take immediate steps to circulate it amongst your friends, who probably at this particular time of year will be more willing than ever to assist.

It is simply dreadful to think that our boys are suffering for the need of tobacco, and it is almost impossible to over estimate the comfort, and help, which is afforded the men when they are kept well supplied.

If you can further help us by giving on the enclosed card the names and addresses of some of your friends likely to be interested in the Fund, I shall be happy to send them collecting books by mail. Believe me,

Yours faithfully,
Francis R. Jones,
Organizing Secretary

BODY LEAVES FOR TROY, N.Y.

The body of Mrs. Louise Kleeman, who died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Loescher, 135 Hunter street, was taken this morning to Troy, N.Y., to be cremated, thence to Schnectady, where interment will take place.

It was stated in the Examiner Tuesday that Mrs. Loescher had been reluctant in giving information to Dr. Eastwood when he was called in. This apparently was a mis-statement of the facts. The inquest will be resumed a week from to-day.

If it were not for his wife and the banks men the average citizen would be able to save a lot of money.

Civil Action Arising Out of Land Deal

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had you remain?"

"I think so."

A little later witness offered to look some questions up in a book and invite Mr. O'Connell to continue the cross-examination while he was seeking the information.

"Can you answer questions and look up the information in the book at the same time" inquired the Counsel, with signs of sarcasm in his voice.

"Well, I can answer most of the questions you ask," returned Harris slowly to the amusement of the court.

THE JURY.

The following Jury heard the case: John Ryan, Douro; Robert Knox, Asphodel; Frank Leahy, Douro; Seth Adlam, Peterborough; David Brown, Dummer; George Hill, Lakefield; Charles Westbrook, Peterborough; R. F. Benton, Peterborough; Ernest Baptie, Dummer; George Bolt, Ennismore; J. H. Johnston, Ennismore; N. S. White.

PLAINTIFF'S EVIDENCE.

George Thomas Barrett, of Ottawa, the Plaintif was called. He owned some land in Saskatoon, known as Tuxeda Park. Here witness produced a map of Saskatoon, and upon it was shown in a square the property known as Tuxedo Park. This was shown to the Jury by Mr. O'Connell. The Park property, comprising 160 acres and 1400 lots, was within the city limits. They were put on the market in 1912. The witness produced the agreement and identified it. Upon the agreement $490.69 was still owing.

An advertising pamphlet produced was admitted by the witness to be the same as one used by him in selling the lots. The Walsh Land Company had authority to sell this property of appoint agents to sell it.

"Did you know this agent Hale was dismissed on account of misrepresenting?" asked Mr. Gordon

"Not until recently."

"Is Tuxedo Park a Park?"

"Just as it is called a park."

"Is it built up?"

"No."

A MIS-STATEMENT.

Saskatoon had a population of 16,000 in 1912, and the area was 3 1-2 square miles. He was not interested in the Walsh Land Company.

"What was paid for the Tuxedo Park?"

"One hundred and fifty thousand dollars."

Witness admitted that in the agreement there was a clause by which the purchaser could return the land and get his money back if he wasn't satisfied. If Heard had ever asked for this privilege witness had never been advised of it.

Mr. Gordon produced letter dated October 1912, in which Heard mentioned the refund clause in the agreement, but witness said this letter was only forwarded to him by the Walsh Land Company. Here a letter was produced from the Walsh Company to Heard, telling Heard that the man Hale who sold him the lots had been dismissed. This was the only sub-division in the West, witness had put on the market.

This concluded the Plaintiff's case.

The first witness for the defence was Mr. Norman Harris, until recently, financial Editor of the Saturday Night, Toronto, and the author of the "Gold and Dross" column of the paper. In 1912 witness went, West to look into the real estate situation for the Saturday Night, and he visited Tuxedo Park, Saskatoon. It was 2 1-4 miles from the Post Office, and about a mile and a half of this distance was over the prairie. The building area was exhausted a half mile from the Post Office. There was no car line in Saskatoon at that time. As to the words "Saskatoon's Best Residential Property" in the pamphlet, Mr. Harris said that that was an absolute mis-statements. And as to the claim of "being convenient to the business section" the witness said that this was "another absurdity". Instead of being the best residential property it was a mile and a half from the best residental property. There were no buildings near it. In 1912 there was nothing on it to indicate that it was a residential sub-division.

VISITED THE WEST

To Mr. O'Connell, Mr. Harris said that for seven years he was financial Editor of the Saturday Night. He resigned some months ago for his own benefit. On his trip to the West he examined several hundred sub-divisions. In thirteen years the population of Saskatoon had increased from a few hundred to many thousands.

"WELL BUILT UP."

The second witness for the defence was Bert Heard, the Defendant, who had purchased this property. He is a grocer in this city. He purchased the property from an agent named Hale who represented Mr. Barrett. Hale told him the property was well built up, and within five minutes walk of the Post Office. The Post Office, said Hale, was in the centre of the city. Said Tuxedo Park was in the central part of the city and was built up on the east, south and west. Hale produced a map of the City of Saskatoon, and Tuxedo Park appeared to be in the centre of the city. There were marks representing houses, which were particularly thick on the east side. The map showed a street car line running to and past the park. In May 1913 he stopped his payments because he got information that there was no car line or houses near the park, and other information absolutely discrediting Hale's report.

A letter was produced which Mr. Heard identified as one he received from the Walsh Land Company. It said that Hale, the agent who had sold the lots to Heard had been dismissed on account of the methods he used in selling the real estate.

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FANCY CHRISTMAS RIBBONS — 5 to 8 inches wide. Per yard, 25c to 85c

CHILDREN'S HANDKERCHIEFS. Put up Three in Box for 25c

LADIES' INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS All Linen. Put up Three in Box for 50c

MEN'S INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS. All Linen. Three in Box for 75c.

FINE BLACK CASHMERE HOSE. Per Pair, 50c, 75c, 85c, $1.00.

MEN'S CASHMERE HOSE. Per Pair, 25c, 35c, 50c, 65c.

LADIES' FINE UNDERWEAR—in Silk & Silk & Wool. Per Garment, $1.00, $1.50.

WOOL-FILLED COMFORTERS — Light and Warm. Dainty Coverings. $4.25, $5.00, $7.00

EIDERDOWN COMFORTERS. $7.00, $10.00, $10.95, $12.50.

LADIES' COLLARS OF CREPE DE CHENE & GEORGETTE CREPE, IN HANDSOME STYLES — 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25 to $2.50.

LATEST STYLE HAND SATCHELS — 85c, $1.25, $1.50, $2.50 to $5.00.

FANCY SILK BAGS — $1.50, $2.00, $2.50 to $4.00.

SILK & CREPE DE CHENE CAMISOLES, REAL BEAUTIES—$1.75, $2.25, $2.50 to $3.25.

SILK & CREPE DE CHENE & SILK KNITTED SCARFS — $2.75, $3.00, $3.50.

FRENCH KID GLOVES — Black, Tan, White and White with black backs. Per pair, $1.50, $1.75.

CHAMOISETTE GLOVES —Grey & Beaver, in plain and with black back. Per pair, $1.00.

REAL CHAMOIS GLOVES —White and White with black back. Per pair, $1.75.

BABIES' QUILTED SILK COMFORTERS. Plain and Floral. $1.50, $2.25.

AUTO, STEAMER & TRAVELLING SCOTCH RUGS, $3.25, $4.50, $5.00 to $8.50

FANCY LACE & SILK CORSET COVERS. In White, Pink, Sky. Each $1.00, $1.50, $2.50

OSTRICH RUFFS—in Black and Black and White, $3.50, $4.50, $10.00.

WOOL NAP FLANNELETTE BLANKETS. Just like Wool. Per pair $3.98 to $5.50

ALL-WOOL BLANKETS—White with Border. Per pair $8.00, $8.50 to $12.50.

CARDINAL AND BEST GREY ALL-WOOL BLANKETS. Per pair $9.50 to $12.50.

WHITE MARSAILLES QUILTS. Each $2.50, $3.50, $4.50 to $6.00.

FANCY BATH TOWELS—With Wide White & Coloured Border. Each $1.00, $1.19.

ALL-LINEN FANCY TOWELS — Damask Borders. Each 60c, 65c, 75c, 85c, $1.00, $1.10

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No. 3— Rubber Sponges. Reg. 35c for..... 17c

No. 4— Chamois Vests, Ladies or Gents, sizes 30 to 40. Reg. $2.50 for..... 1.97

No. 5—Hot Water Bottles, red rubber, 2-year guaranteed. Reg. $2.00 for..... 1.37

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PERCHERONS WIN FAVOUR IN ENGLAND

Their Superiority as Artillery Horses Leads to Importation of Stallions And Mares for Breeding.

One of the interesting results of the war in Europe is the introduction of French Percheron horses in England for breeding purposes and the prospects of an English Percheron stud book in the near future. The active, docile, powerful, willing French artillery horses have made a hit with British army men in France ever since they first came in contact with them, and some of the progressive English live stock journals have for some time advocated the importation of Percheron stallions.

At a recent sale held by the French government the initiative was taken by Lord Lonsdale, Major General Birdwood and Henry Overman, the latter an arm yveterinary surgeon. They purchased two gray stallions and several mares, with a view to trying out the French breed in Britain, where there is a conviction among military authorities that the half-breed Percheron fills the bill "best of the many types bought for us the world over since the outbreak of war," as one critic has said.

Many of the grade Percherons purchased for the British army have gone from the United States, and of these the London Live Stock Journal says: "The best of the artillery horses imported from America are as good as anything produced in the United Kingdom, being sound, strong, docile and active. They show strong indications of Percheron blood."

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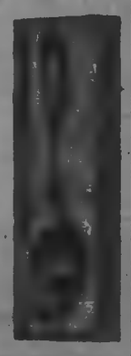

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Social and Personal

The wedding took place at Palm Beach, Florida on Tuesday, December 7th of Mrs Ida Van Anken Kinley, mother of Mrs. A. D. Jarding of Peterborough to Mr. Louis H. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Gough and Mr. Stipworth of Lindsay were visitors in the city this week.

Father McCarthy, Norwood; Father Galvin, Downeyville; Father Frank O'Sullivan, Pt. Hope, and Father McFadden of Woller, were guests in the city for the bazaar at St. Alphonsus Lyceum.

Mr. R. C. Stickland of the "Burleigh Ranch" is in the city on business.

Principal Vance of the Vancouver College, is registered at the Empress. Mr. Vance speaks highly of the work of the Rev. Mr. Trompour, formerly rector of All Saint's Church, now one of the professors at the college.

Dr. George Clinton, Provincial Health Inspector, Toronto is at the Empress.

Mrs. Gordon Grahame and Miss Phyllis Cumberland and the "Girl Guides" who are members of the Peter Robinson Chapter, I.O.D.E. will be in charge of the tea to be held at the Empress on Saturday afternoon.

Lt.-Col. McCammon, Kingston is in the city, registered at the Empress.

The many friends of Mrs. James White, will learn with deep regret that about nine o'clock this morning she suffered a paralytic seizure at her residence, 308 Charlotte street, the left side being affected. She was removed to Nicholls Hospital and soon recovered consciousness, and it is hoped that her condition will continue to improve.

Miss de la Lowe and Miss Bertha Clapp of the Russian Hambourg Conservatory of Music, Toronto are registered at the Empress Hotel and will assist at the St. John's choir choral recital to-night.

BIRTH.

HARDMAN. On Monday, December 11, 1916 to Pte. and Mrs. Hardman, 9 Denniston Avenue, a daughter Dorothy Winnifred. 1d-139-361

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PROBABILITIES.

Thursday, strong south-west winds, fair and decidedly colder. Friday, strong south-west winds and colder. Snow before night.

ALL SAINTS' CHOIR.

The choir of All Saints' Church will meet on Friday evening for practice, instead of to-night.

SNOWSHOES FOR CHRISTMAS

We have a complete stock of ladies', children's, boys', girls' and men's sizes. J. J. Turner & Sons. 7d-139

ST. JOHN'S CHOIR.

St. John's choristers are asked to be in their vestries to-night at 7.45. Recital commences promptly at 8.

MEETING FRIDAY.

All members of the Soldiers' Wives' and Mothers' Club are asked to be present at 3 o'clock on Friday afternoon. Adjt. McElhinney will speak.

THE PROTESTANT HOME.

Recent donations to the Protestant Home, including the following: Belmont Club, magazines; Mr. Robert Fair, magazines; Mrs. H. G. Walker, magazines.

AT THE BAZAAR.

Mrs. Ed. Conroy's name is omitted from the list of ladies in charge of the boudoir and handerchief booth, as published in another column.

DENTAL.

Dr. McKenty, Dentist, 370 George Street, on the ground flour, first door north of Peterborough Hardware Company. Nitrous oxide and oxygen administered for painless operations 28d-128

AUCTION SALE

Of Household Furniture, etc., at the house of Mrs. J. Twomey, 378 McDonnel street, on Monday, December 18th, at the hour of 1.30 p.m.—W. J. Hancock, Auctioneer. 2d-14-16

NOTICE.

Special meeting of C. O. F. at their hall to-night at 8 p.m. to make arrangements for the funeral of Bro. P. O'Connell—Jas. O'Brien, Secretary.

DRY SHORT WOOD FOR SALE.

The Peterborough Lumber Co. have recommenced sawing their dry four-foot hemlock wood. Prompt delivery. 'Phone 546. 28d-130

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Children's Aid Society will be held in the Bank of Montreal Chambers at 4.3 o'clock. All interested are urged to attend.

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4 KILLED PREPARING DINNER.

CAMPBELLFORD, Dec. 13.— Mrs. P. North, Westminster, B.C., formerly of Campbellford, has received word that her son, Pte. George R. Nadon, was killed in action by a high explosive shell hitting the dug-out where he and three other men were preparing dinner. All were killed.

JUNIOR EPWORTH LEAGUE CONCERT.

The Junior Epworth League concert will be repeated in George Street Methodist Sunday School hall, Friday, Dec. 15th, at 8 p.m. Choruses, drills, music. Play "The Adventures of a Country school Teacher." Admission 25c. 10c for children. Proceeds for comforts for soldiers overseas.

3 CLUBS PAY HIS SALARY.

National Commission Orders That Ted Cather be Paid.

The National Commission has guaranteed Ted Cather, the former Toronto, Montreal, Jersey City and Boston player, full salary under his iron-clad contract for $2,000 during the season.

The case is a complex affair, as the Braves originally sent Cather, along with Moran and Whaling, to the Vernon Pacific Coast League team in payment for Outfielder Wilhoit.

Cather's release from Jersey City to Vernon was brought about by the Braves, who entered into an agreement with Vernon by which that club should pay Cather $525 a month and Boston would make up the rest of the contract.

Later Vernon decided that it could not afford to pay that much salary, and Cather subsequently went to Montreal, where he is getting $250 a month.

The commission has ordered that Vernon must pay Cather the difference between $525 and $250 a month, in accordance with their Boston agreement, while the Braves still make up the rest of the contract. Three clubs, therefore split up Cather's salary.

OBITUARY

MRS. HENRY BRAULT

Mrs. Henry Brault died this morning at the family residence, 77 Water street. Mrs Brault was taken ill with paralysis a month ago but her recovery was hoped for. However, another attack this morning proved fatal. She leaves to mourn her loss besides her husband, three sons, Harry, Archie, and Percy of this city and one daughter, Mrs. Dave Beland, wife of Mr. Dave Beland, a prominent figure in sporting circles.

The funeral will take place on Saturday at 9 a.m. A short service will be held at the Sacred Heart church and thence proceed to St. Peter's cemetery.

MRS. JAS. BORLAND, SR.

The Kalamazoo Gazette says:

Mrs. James Borland, Sr., passed away very suddenly at the home of her sister, Mrs. Margaret Coburn, south of Galesburg, late Sunday afternoon of an acute attack of neuralgia of the heart.

Miss Helen Laidlaw was born in Roxboroughshire, near Edinburgh, Scotland, May 27, 1838, and came to this city when a young lady nearly fifty years ago, and was united in marriage to Mr. James Borland a few years later. Mr. Borland being known to a great many people as he was connected with the Mountain Home and Riverside cemeteries a great many years.

Mrs. Borland is survived by a sister, Mrs. Margaret Coburn of Galesburg, Mich., a brother, Andrew Laidlaw of Scotland, two sons, James, Jr., and Andrew B., one adopted daughter, Mrs. Helen Herron and a grandchild, James Sherwood Borland.

Funeral services will be held from the home of her son James Borland, Jr., 109 Berkeley avenue, Wednesday afternoon. The hour will appear later.

Mrs. Borland is a relative of Mr. Thos. Borland, Douro street, East City.

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—The Stock Market developed another attack of nervousness to-day, many of the leaders selling off three points during a heavy day.

U. S. Steel common fell before a wave of selling, reaching 116 3-4, then selling back to 117. Crucible sold off 3 points. American Loco. and Mexican petroleum off 2 points. Industrial alcohol suffered the widest loss, selling down 10 1-2 to 115 1-2, with a subsequent 3-point recovery.

New York, Dec. 14.—Airbrake 158, 157 1-2; Atcheson 104 5-8, 104; B. and O., 84 1-2, 84 1-4; C. P. R. 167 1-2, 166; N. Y. Central, 106, 105 1-2; Erie 36 1-4, 36; Reading, 108 1-4, 108 3-4; Union Pacific 145 1-2, 144 1-8; Rep. Steel, 84 1-4, 79; U. S. Steel 120 1-4, 116; Anaconda 91 1-2, 88 3-8; Beth. Steel, 86 1-2, 84; Inter. Nickel 45 1-2, 43 3-4.

Canadian stocks: Loco, 57 1-2, Dominion Steel, 777, 75; Gen. Elec., 118, Steel of Canada, 84 1-2, 82 3-4; Steamers, 43 41, Cement, 69, 67 3-4.

WHAT MILADY SEES.

That the football season has killed 15.

That the new slogan runs, "Ballots for Both!"

That white cats are fashionable this season.

That the department stores are feeling the paper famine.

That rabbits are soon to be turned into "hot dogs."

That in the last 12 months the anti-suffragists in the States have had seven victories—New York, New Jersey, Iowa, Massachusetts, West Virginia, South Dakota, Pennsylvania—and no defeats.

That a husband considers it an insult to be told he's "just like a man."

That it is advised that every owner of a plot 50 by 100 should keep a dozen hens.

That if your clothes stay in style three months you are lucky.

WOMEN RAISING $10,000

Equal-suffragists in Monroe county have begun to raise $10,000 for work in this campaign district between now and the election in 1917. As Rochester is the largest city in the district, a good share of this money must come from here, it is believed. The effort to raise the fund was announced yesterday at a meeting of the Woman's Suffrage party, held in the headquarters in the Mercantile building, by the treasurer, Miss Rebecca Rochford.

KNOX CHURCH CHOIR.

Knox Church Choir will practice to-night at 8 o'clock, sharp.

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Salmon Sandwich — Ham Sandwich
Tea — Assorted Cake — Coffee

DINNER
No. 1 25c
Soup — Bread and Butter
Hot Rolls — Cold Ham — Roast Beef
Fish — Mixed Pickles — Cream Potatoes
Tea — Pie — Coffee

No. 2 35c
Oyster Soup — Bread & Butter — Hot Rolls
Roast Beef — Ham
or Breaded Fish Cutlets with Sauce
Cream Potatoes — Corn
Mixed Pickles — Boston Baked Beans
Salad with Mayonnaise — Pie
Tea — Assorted Cake — Coffee

EXTRAS
Salad 10c
Ice Cream 5c
Boston Baked Beans 5c

AFTERNOON TEA 15c
From 3 to 6 o'clock
Ham Sandwich — Salmon Sandwich
Assorted Cake — Ice Cream
Tea — Coffee

The Committee are making a specialty of Evening Luncheon. From 7.30 to 10.30 o'clock.

Heavy Dynamite Charges In Ruined Wall Failed To Bring It Down

The solicitude of the Quaker Oats Company for their employees, the factor that formed the industrial esprit de corps in other days, is the same spirit that actuates the work of recovery of the dead in the ruins on the north side of the plant. Since Tuesday morning, as previously stated, gangs of men as large as the space could accommodate with facility, have been removing the debris. The men were completely equipped with the necessary tools, rubber boots and clothing, electric lamps were installed, and the work has been hastened with night and day shifts. It is not the warmest spot in the country up on the river bank but the men are well clad and even at night the hill affords considerable protection. That the despatch with which the rescue work has been sprung from the management, is the obvious source, and Mr. Denham has made frequent trips to the plant every day since Tuesday morning. The assistant superintendent, Mr. George Edwards, has given this work his particular attention and made conditions as comfortable as possible for the workmen.

In the same scale might be mentioned the promptitude with which the families of the injured and dead employees have received attention. Their needs have been provided for until the established forms of relief are brought into operation. In fact it is only in this late hour of trial that the happy conditions of the regular order of industry at the Quaker Oats Company as they existed between the employees and department heads have been brought to light.

The present removal of debris from the north end of the plan around the old engine room will be continued until the missing bodies have been recovered. Such is the urgent duty. Of the subsequent activity there is no definite or official information yet.

BLASTING HIGH WALL.

Mr. Wm. Drain, an employee of the company who has had much experience in the handling of explosives, has been engaged since yesterday mining the high wall on the north side of the plant at the foot of which the workmen are digging. It was felt that its removal would safeguard the men from possible danger. Three heavy charges of dynamite failed yesterday afternoon, and another big charge this morning merely cleft a portion of it.

MAYOR OFFERED HELP

Mayor Duffus and City Clerk Armstrong waited on Mr. Denham yesterday afternoon proferring any assistance within the city's means.

Lindsay's suggestion that an idle mill in that town might be temporarily operated by the Quaker Oats Company brings no response from the local office to-day.

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It is said there is a great season coming for lace.

FRENCH ADVANCE ON A SIX MILE FRONT

EIGHT THOUSAND GERMANS AND 2 VILLAGES CAPTURED

Official Petrograd Has Not An Atom of Sympathy For The Peace Proposal

Foreign Office Official Sees in Appeal Merely Another Trial Balloon Which is Designed to Throw the Responsibility For the War Once More on the Entente Powers.

THE MANY VAIN EFFORTS

PETROGRAD, Dec. 16.---Russian Duma Formally Rejects Kaiser's Peace Proposals. Fears Premature Peace Would Lead to Another Struggle.

PETROGRAD, December 16. — The peace proposal of the Central Powers is regarded by the Russian government as "an attempt to court public opinion and encourage the people of Germany by appearing to put the responsibility for the continuation of the war upon the Entente Allies."

The proposal has been received by official Petrograd without an atom of sympathy. An official of the Foreign Office made the following statement, which has been issued by the semi-official Petrograd news agency:—

"The new appeal of our enemies is not their first attempt to throw upon the Entente Powers the responsibility for the war they let loose. In order to obtain the support of the German peoples, who are tired of the war, the Berlin government many times has had recourse to fallacious words of

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Four Men May Have Been Saved

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

SHELBURNE, Dec. 16. — The commander of the torpedo boat Grilse still has hopes for four of the men who went overboard, as all the lifeboats went at the same time

HEROIC ACTION OF LINDSAY GIRL

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

KINGSTON, Dec. 16.—Olive Anderson of Lindsay, a nurse in the General Hospital here, may lose the use of an arm as a result of her heroic action in saving a patient in an elevator accident.

Bombard Forts Of Adrianople

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec. 16 — British aeroplanes bombarded the forts of Adrianople, doing considerable damage

Putting Curb On Officers

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec. 16.— Orders issued prevent high prices to Canadian soldiers for meals and forbid officers dancing at clubs or dance halls

Economy in Fuel and Light

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, Dec. 16.— Night and early morning masses will be suspended in Paris to economize in fuel and light.

Grain Shipments Biggest on Record

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PORT ARTHUR, Dec. 16.— Grain Commission reports to-day that 254,000,000 bushels of grain were carried east from this port during the year, the biggest on record.

SUCCESSES FOR THE ITALIANS

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

ROME, Dec. 16.—Italians have made some successes in the neighbourhood of Trieste, but winter conditions hinder big operations.

BIG SUPPORT IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

VANCOUVER, B.C., Dec. 16. —Premier Borden and R. B. Bennett, here to-day, say the expect British Columbia to give big support to the National Service scheme

GALT INTERESTED IN RETURNED SOLDIERS

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

GALT, Dec. 16.— The proposal made here that returned soldiers be employed as munition inspectors

BIG BREWERY TO CLOSE.

Manager of St. Louis Plant Says Prohibition Is Inevitable.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 15.—The Excelsior Brewery, one of the oldest breweries in St. Louis, will close Jan. 1 on account of the progress of prohibition. Paul Schaus, manager of the brewery, said to-day that it had made little money in the last two years and will be closed because prohibition "is inevitable and will come in six or eight years."

Schaus gave as other reasons for the shutting down of the plant the fact that it would require between $125,000 and $140,000 to make improvements necessary for continued operations, and the fact that "people do not drink beer any more, but whisky. Furthermore," Schaus continued, "the small brewer cannot exist longer. He is crushed out by the high wages of union labor and strong competition."

The brewery occupies property valued at about $1,200,000 and is owned by the St. Louis Brewing Association, of which the Excelsior is a member. The brewery was built when there was no refrigeration and has great cellars 40 feet below the level of the street.

British Forces Have Advanced In Mesopotamia

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec. 16.—British forces in Mesopotamia have advanced to within two miles of Kut El Amara. British casualties were light. The British forces in Mesopotamia have started a vigorous offensive on the Tigris river.

Series of Enemy Attacks Repulsed

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec. 16.—Series of enemy attacks along the Russian western front repulsed with serious losses to enemy

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EIGHT THOUSAND GERMANS CAPTURED BY THE FRENCH TOGETHER WITH SEVERAL FORTS

French Troops Advance on a Six Mile Front to a Depth of Two Miles Near the Meuse—Two Villages Captured—Berlin Admits That the French Have Gained "Advantages."

FIGHTING ON WESTERN FRONT

PARIS, December 16.—French capture eight thousand Germans, two villages, several forts, in an advance on a six-mile front to a depth of two miles near the Meuse River.

BERLIN, December 16.—The War Office admits that the French gained "advantages" in the fighting all day yesterday on the western front in the direction of Louvemont and Hardemount.

Doctor Tells How To Strengthen Eyesight 50 per cent in One Week's Time in Many Instances

Philadelphia, Pa. Do you wear glasses? Are you a victim of eye strain or other eye weaknesses? If so, you will be glad to know that according to Dr. Lewis there is real hope for you. Many whose eyes were failing say they have had their eyes restored through the principle of this wonderful free prescription. One man says, after trying it: "I was almost blind; could not see to read at all. Now I can read everything without any glasses and my eyes do not water any more. At night they would pain dreadfully; now they feel fine all the time. It was like a miracle to me." A lady who used it says: "The atmosphere seemed hazy with or without glasses, but after using this prescription for fifteen days everything seems clear. I can even read fine print without glasses." It is believed that thousands who wear glasses can now discard them in a reasonable time and multitudes more will be able to strengthen their eyes so as to be spared the trouble and expense of ever getting glasses. Eye troubles of many descriptions may be wonderfully benefitted by following the simple rules. Here is the prescription. Go to any active drug store and get a bottle of Bon-Opto tablets. Drop one Bon-Opto tablet in a fourth of a glass of water and allow to dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eyes two to four times daily. You should notice your eyes clear up perceptibly right from ever getting glasses. Eye trouble often disappear. If your eyes are bothering you, even a little, take steps to save them now before it is too late. Many hopelessly blind might have saved if they had cared for their eyes in time

Note: Another prominent Physician to whom the above article was submitted, said "Bon-Opto, is a very remarkable remedy. Its constituent ingredients are well known to eminent eye specialists and widely prescribed by them. The manufacturers guarantee it to strengthen eyesight 50 per cent in one week's time in many instances or refund the money. It can be obtained from any good druggist and is one of the very few preparations I feel should be kept on hand for regular use in almost every family". Sold in Peterborough by the Warne Drug Co. and other druggists

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Railway Time Tables

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY
CORRECTED JUNE 4, 1916

8.30 a.m.—For Lakefield.
10.40 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg and points east, connecting at Port Hope for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 11.50 a.m.
1.30 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Stirling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
4.30 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
5.40 p.m.—Midday express for Toronto, reaching Toronto 9.45 p.m.
7.20 p.m.—For Lakefield.
7.40 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
8.45 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Stirling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
9.45 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
11.45 p.m.—For Lakefield.
7.30 a.m.—Local for Lindsay.
9.30 a.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville Montreal and Boston.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY
CORRECTED JUNE 4, 1916

GOING EAST—
7.20 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
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"DESTINY"

By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday)

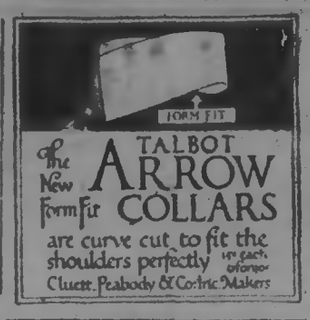
CHAPTER XIII

Mary Burton was discovering some things about June. She had often watched lovers leaning silently on a deck-rail, with eyes fixed on a moon-lit wake and hands that crept surreptitiously together. She had envied the credulity of these people and turned away with an ache and emptiness in her own heart.

Now at twenty-five she awoke each morning with a smile for the sunlight and a proprietary joy in the blue of the skies and a delight for the roses whose hearts were no younger than her own had become. Bridge-tables and tennis courts saw little of her, because the woods were waiting and Jefferson Edwardes was there to tramp and ride and fish and be companion and guide.

It was most beautiful far back from the oiled roads and trimmed hedges, for here were only woodland voices and languorous forest fragrances. Here, too, hid all those wild flowers that in childhood she had known and fancifully christened—and since forgotten, and here two people with the lilt of this abundant June song in their hearts could leave a few of their years by the roadside and forgot them. To Mary Burton it was all a rediscovery and a miracle. He had promised to give her back the message of her hills. He was giving her back the joy of life.

One afternoon she and Jefferson Edwardes were tramping toward a brook



where the trout would be flashing like phantom darts, and as he led the way along a narrow trail she followed him with a smile on her lips.

At a sheer twist around the hill's shoulder he stopped and pointed his hand. The view from there was almost county-wide, billowing away across heights and depths to a blue merging of hill and sky.

As she stood by his side her eyes and parted lips spoke her unworded appreciation and the man's gaze came back from the broad picture and dwelt upon her.

"It's strange," she said finally with a vaguely puzzled expression, "that I who was born in just such hills as these should now be realizing their wonder for the first time."

But her companion laughed at her seriousness. "When you knew them first," he reminded her, "you had nothing else with which to compare them. It is one who comes from the north who finds a marvel in the bigness and softness of southern stars. Now you have been away and have come home, dearest."

She was standing very lancelike and straight by the slender bole of a silver birch. A golden sun flooded richly through the greenery. Overhead was a tunefully unflecked sky and in the shadows crept a richness of inwardly underlying colour and echoes of colour. It was all vivid and beautiful and the girl standing there seemed to dominate its vividness and its beauty. But her eyes were grave, even when a shaft of the radiance struck her delicately blossoming cheeks and played upon the escaping locks with which the breeze played, too.

"Do you know, I suppose in a way I ought to hate you?" she told the man, and he swiftly demanded.

"Hate me? In heaven's name, why?"

"When a woman has been deluded into believing herself a paradise . . . and has been content with her feathers, it doesn't precisely help to discover that —" her voice grew self-contemptuous—"that after all she has only lived the life of a Strasburg goose and has been fed to death until she is no earthly good for anything except to be some glutton's delicacy."

"*Strasburg geese don't search their consciences*," he smiled. "They are too busy being fed to death. If you had lost your soul I should help you to find it—thank God, you don't need my guidance."

"Yet your coming crystallized all the self-accusations that had begun to stir in me. It made me feel my utter emptiness."

"Which only means realizing—that you might have become empty and have not." He came close and bent upon her the eyes whose honesty was so convincing and whose fealty was so clearly writ. In a voice that lost a little of its steadiness he demanded tensely. "Do you hate me?"

Mary Burton stood motionless, almost rigid, but some heart-wave welled up until she felt physically weak, yet spiritually stronger than she had ever felt. Her two hands clutched tautly at his shoulders and her eyes gazed into his. Slowly they widened until they had unmasked all their depths and shown what was in her heart. Then as the man's pulses leaped to the elation of what he read there, he heard her shaken whisper inviting him very softly. "Look at me—and answer for yourself. Do I hate you?"

With sudden self-recovery, as he sought to take her in his arms, she slipped aside and after a short space the same voice that had just been tense rippled into whimsical laughter. "No," she commanded. "It mustn't become a habit." The laugh died and her words and pupils were grave once more. "Why should I lie to you, dear? It is no use trying. I'm absurdly mad about you—but I've doubted my power really loving so long that we must both be content to put it to the test of time. It's too new to trust. I can't tell how much of it is my own heart and how much is your hypnotism."

"I have come a long way," he said quietly. "I have waited a long while. I can wait longer, if that's the relief, but not as he waits who fears the issue. You are going to love me and marry me."

"I hope so. I pray so." Her answer was vibrantly eager. "I have longed vainly for a day that should make my heart leap beyond control. You brought the day—and it, between us, we can keep it—"

She broke off, and he took both her hands in both of his.

"You are going to marry me," he repeated. "Don't make me wait too long, my sweetheart and comrade. Life is all too short to waste when it can be happy."

"Are we wasting it?" she demanded; then she smiled at him and added: "Thank you, for introducing me to the wonderful originality of being natural. On the whole I don't think I hate you—much."

All that afternoon her eyes held a starry happiness and sometimes they twinkled with a mischievous ripple. Once she demanded, "Suppose Hamilton were to go broke to-morrow. Stony, flat, hopelessly broke. Would you still want me?" And before he could answer she broke into a merry peal of laughter. "Don't trouble to answer that question," she commanded. "I already know—and I'm fairly contented."

The Duke de Metuan had come and gone back—for his answer, and Paul, too, had left Haverley Lodge. For Paul's return there were two reasons. The music-room which Hamilton had built as a gift to his brother was nearing completion, and the finishing touches demanded personal supervision. As the heart of a high priest turns to his temple, so he turned Paul Burton's heart to this spot at this time. It was a temple but decidedly a pagan temple. Porphyry columns went up from a mosaic floor to a richly encrusted ceiling, and in conception and detail it was lavishly beautiful and perfect. Hamilton had conceived and planned the structure with a very ferocity of tense interest; though to Hamilton a music-room was in itself about as absorbing as a steam laundry.

In the undertaking he saw a monument to a dream and the fulfilment of a promise that one ragged boy had made to another ragged boy standing by a panel of broken fence. Hamilton had never forgotten that moment when first his pent-up ambitions had broken into fiery utterance while his little brother listened with eyes wide and wondering—yet full of faith. Then he had promised Paul an organ in a cathedral of dreams, where the imaginary self which was his greater self might find expression.

This was to be the worthy realization of that boast.

The second reason for the younger Burton's withdrawal from the house-party was the departure of Lorraine Haswell.

Now, finding himself in town, he had accepted one of those invitations which meant the acknowledgment of his licensing in Fashion's world of music. Paul had little in common with those struggling men whose passion for violin or piano leads them through poverty and hunger in pursuit of their bays. But to face and stir with his art's hypnosis an audience of the smartest men and women in town, was meat and drink to his soul—with his soul's vanity. Of all his vanities it was the least weak—since the most sincere.

To see faces awaken from ennui and kindle into attentiveness then soulfulness as he swayed them with the touch of his finger on the keys was no mean triumph. To draw men out of lolling ease into tense and unconsidered attitudes; to cause women's lips to part and their pupils to grow misty as he carried them with him

"Through the meadows of the sunset,
through the poppies and the wheat,
To the land where the dead dreams go"

—these were his delights. There are meaner pleasures.

But then he had played a little while, the composite pattern of faces always faded and darkened into a blur and he forgot them, forgot himself, forgot everything except the instrument that had become the mouthpiece of his soul. Then he, like his audience, was swept away into an inapalpable world where *nothing remained* save the marvelous travelling and crashing tides which were the tides of golden sound. At such moments Paul Burton was almost a master.

This evening it was a benefit recital at the Plaza. He did not recall precisely to what worthy cause he was dedicating his gifted services, but that did not matter. He was bowing with a winning and boyish smile on his cameo features. Such fashionables as lingered in town so late as June were there to do homage, and other anonymous human units drawn from the millions followed where the fashionables led.

As Paul Burton looked out over the seated humanity, secretly searching for Lorraine Haswell, he became conscious of another face near the front. It was that of a woman, who seemed quite alone and who was simply dressed. Paul wondered why the features held his interest. It was not precisely a beautiful face, but in its gray-green dwelt a distinctive quality and as some thought parted the lips in a smile there came a sudden flooding of light which was better than ordinary beauty. This girl was frankly looking forward to the evening, for her expression mirrored that rapt anticipation which comes only to the eyes of the true music-lover. The small head under its brown hair was modelled as though a sculptor had spent loving care upon it, and Paul Burton thought that she was inwardly purring with the expectation of pleasure. A responsive glow at once awakened in him. He was subtly flattered because he recognized in that attitude of mind a tribute to his art for its own sake.

Then he began, and as the tide of his emotion swelled and lifted him out of himself, individual countenances grew misty yet, for some reason this face stood out clear and single for a moment or two after the rest had faded.

Afterward he was told that even he had not played so well before.

As he returned from a congratulatory group when the recital was ended, one of the women whom he knew only by reason of her activity in arranging the entertainment stopped him. "Mr. Burton," she said, "I want you to meet Miss Terrell." It was a general form of introduction and the man turned to bow—and recognized the face that had been the last to fade. The girl gave a small and well-gloved hand. She smiled, but said nothing, and her sponsor talked on [illegible]

"I was in the midst of a heated suffrage discussion when you began," she declared. "But of course it was forgotten—at once."

"I'm sorry," laughed Paul Burton, "if I broke up a good argument."

"Oh," she assured him with a prepared quotation. "I can always leave off talking, when I hear a master play."

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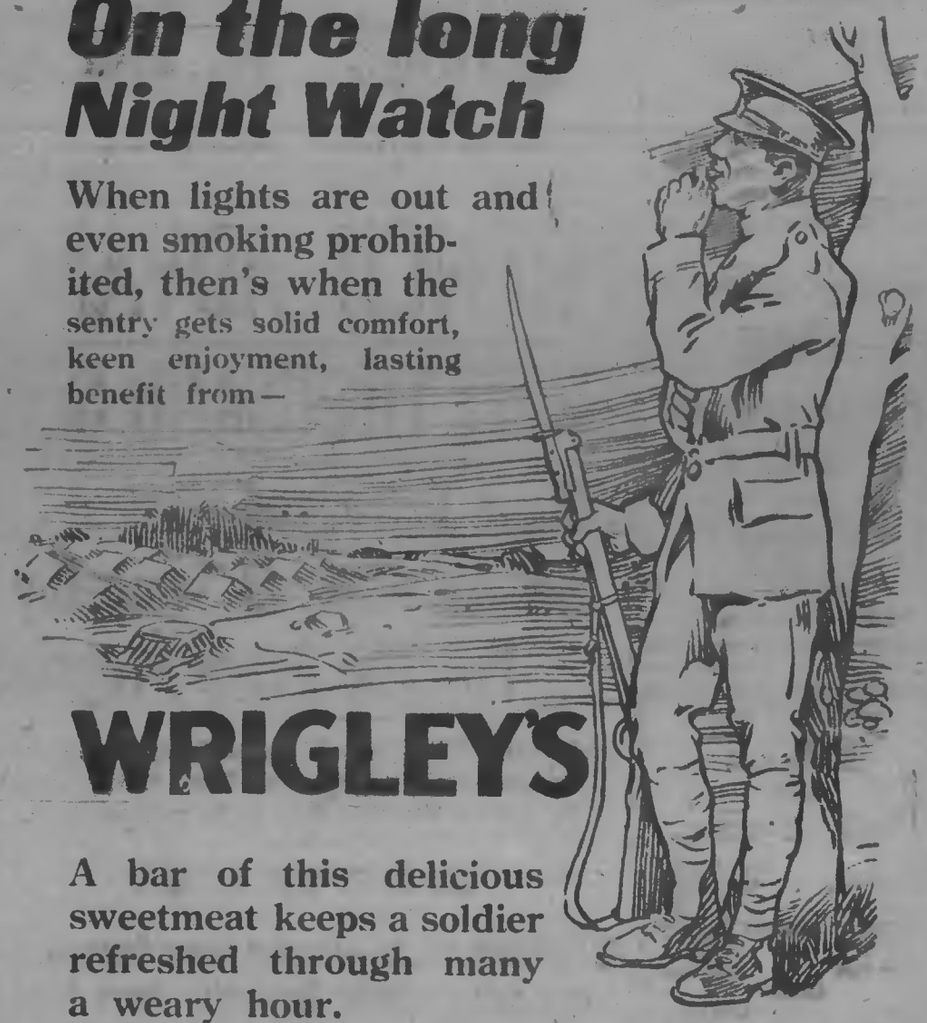

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By DR. DAVID H. REEDER

Nutrition and Economy: Many years ago I worked out the formula for a new bread mixture that would serve the purpose of much greater nutritional value, greater economy, better keeping qualities and at the same time be much more palatable than ordinary baker's or home-made bread. The flour mixture is as follows: Very finely ground whole wheat flour, 7 pounds; rye flour, 2 pounds; barley flour, 1 pound. Mix these three flours thoroughly by sifting several times and then mix according to your usual or favourite method of making whole wheat bread. The best method of making whole wheat bread you will find fully described on page 150 of your Home Health Club book, Vol. 5, also many other methods of making nutritious and palatable bread with but little labour and much greater economy than common white bread.

When you make up your dough for the bread mixture described above you will find the dough much different from ordinary whole wheat dough. The barley flour gives it a different consistency. You must bake it longer than you would the ordinary loaf, in fact I would suggest that the first trial be made with a very small quantity, say not more than one or two loaves. Do not have the oven too hot but maintain a steady heat. When this bread looks to be well cooked on the outside the inside of the loaf will appear to be sticky. Do not, however, imagine that the bread is spoiled. Wrap it up and put away in your bread box as soon as it is cool and at the end of a week or even two weeks you will find it the most delicious bread you have ever eaten. It is good after only 24 hours, but better after it is a week old.

Here are two more recipes for making delicious and economical, because more nutritious, bread. These recipes are taken from my book, Vol. 5 of the Home Health Club series. The first is called:

Perfect Bread.—Two small quarts of milk heated over hot water. When cool dissolve in it one cake of compressed yeast. Sift into crock four quarts of flour, four tea [illegible] of salt, two tablespoons [illegible]. Warm the flour if it is too cold. Make a hole in the middle of flour, put in the milk and yeast and knead well. Put in a greased warm crock, let rise, grease on top. In the morning (early) work into this mixture one tablespoonful of butter. Work into loaves. Let rise, and bake.

Aunt Jenny's Nut Bread is made after a recipe given to me by the wife of a wealthy manufacturer. She delights in making this delicious bread herself and I assure you that it is the best I have ever eaten. When my boys go to see "Aunt Jennie" they always prefer the nut bread. It is made in the following simple manner:

Mix and stir together four cups of flour, four tablespoonfuls of sugar; four teaspoonfuls baking powder, one cupful of nuts, one and one-half cups of sweet milk. Let rise 20 minutes and bake one hour.

FASHION HINTS

Many novel cravats are worn.

Long overskirts are still with us.

Russian blouse coats are still in favour.

Belts are very important this season.

High white shoes are very fashionable.

All the pile fabrics are still in high favour.

The fan grows more important every evening.

Tailored garments have full-length sleeves.

There is a possibility that skirts will be longer.

Voile blouses are trimmed with soutache braid.

Men who have nothing to do are kept busy doing it.

Some people are so rich they don't use a to support a dog.

People who raise objection sare always sure of a bumper crop.

What's the matter with your bottom dollar as a fortune foundation?

You can't make hay while the sun shines in the good old winter time.

Most men would rather help the anvil chorus than play second violin.

Few men would trouble themselves to look for work if they didn't need the money.

It isn't so easy to fool a man who knows himself.

Did you ever see a pretty girl who did not know it?

Cigars are often alluded to as "weeds" and the reason is obvious.

Fur-edged "muff pockets" are seen on Russian fashioned coats.

The classic or Moyen-age type of gown absolutely compels a long skirt.

THE HOME CIRCLE COLUMN

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CRUDE THOUGHTS FROM THE EDITORIAL PEN

THE OLD, OLD HOME.

When I long for sainted memories,
Like angel troops they come,
If I fold my arms and ponder
On the old, old home.
The heart has many passages
Through which the feelings roam,
But its middle aisle is sacred
To the thoughts of old, old home.

Where infancy was sheltered,
Like rosebuds from the blast,
Where girlhood's brief elysium
In joyousness was passed,
To that sweet spot forever,
As to some hallowed dome,
Life's pilgrim bends her vision—
'Tis her" old, old home.

A father sat, how proudly,
By that old hearthstone's rays,
And told his children stories
Of his early manhood's days;
And one soft eye was beaming,
From child to child 'twould roam;
Thus a mother counts her treasures
In the old, old home.

The birthday gifts and festivals,
The blended vesper hymn,
(Some dear one who was swelling it
Is with the seraphim.)
The fond "good nights" at bed-time,
How quiet sleep would come
And fold us all together
In the old, old home.

Like a wreath of scented flowers
Close entertwined each heart:
Though time and change in concert
Have blown the wreath apart.
But dear and sainted memories,
Like angels, ever come,
If I close my eyes and ponder
On the old, old home.

* * *

Every school boy knows that a kite would not fly unless it had a string tying it down. It is just so in life. The man who is tied down by half a dozen blooming responsibilities, and their mother, will make a higher and stronger flight than the bachelor who, having nothing to keep him steady, is always floundering in the mud. If you want to ascend in the world, tie yourself to somebody.

* * *

Let us all remember that the higher and happier our home life, the more wisely and better we may hope to do the work that lies waiting for us beyond it. A pleasant place to "come home to" is the greatest energizer a man can have. Then let us strive with an earnest and constant purpose to make and keep the home cheerful, inviting and pleasant.

* * *

The woman of to-day is a different being from the woman of fifty years ago. The shrinking, trembling, weeping heroines of Thackeray and Dickens have disappeared. It is better that it is so. Not only has the woman of to-day shaken off those old time weaknesses, not only has she assumed a stern independence, which to some is well nigh disheartening, but she has made her determination known to the world, has waved it defiantly in our faces in the shape of certain signs and symbols which have a tendency to add emphasis to her emancipation.

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The truest and most respected of all neighbours, is the one who always speaks well of everybody, who devotes the largest share of her sympathies to her own affairs, is chary of administering unsolicited advice, and who always waits until her social and useful capacities are requested, and never renders herself officious even in her most sanguine efforts at proving to be a good neighbour.

* * *

Labour is honourable, and the ignoble are those who will not work. Get you a home. Fence a field and plow it and plant it, and gather around you the comforts of home. And when you have made a character for energy and thrift, ask some young lady to share your home with you. We would say to every young lady, mark these men who are lounging around attempting to live with their wits, or on the interest of their debts; and when they ask you to share the lot of an aimless life, pass them on, for you cannot afford to marry a man without prosperity or business habits, unless you wish to sell yourself for a mess of pottage.

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A girl who is brought up to earn her own living never will "just settle down to nothing." She will understand the value of money, having earned it, and can give her husband wise counsel and sympathy in his business difficulties. She can take entire charge of the money expended for the house and do it in such a way that will give her husband infinite satisfaction. She can earn a little something for herself, perhaps, and at least she will have the comfort of knowing that whatever happens, she will fall on her feet.

* * *

There are men defeated in life because they have at home an unsympathetic or uncongenial wife. And many a man has passed safely through a financial crisis because he knew that at home was a cheerful, sympathetic woman who was thinking of him all the day long, and would be ready and willing, if worse came to worse, to give up her handsome house, take a room in the back street, and play the "Song of the Shirt" on the sewing machine.

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Fashion Hints

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popular than any others, and the models are belted across the front or back or all around. Sometimes leather belts are worn with them. Slip-on sweaters with no opening at all have also sprung into favour again. They are on the order of the popular blouses that are slipped on over the head.

A coat frock can be worn successfully almost anywhere.

Many afternoon princess frocks have the normal waistline.

You may have flounces on your skirt and still be in fashion.

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Is it the love for sports that has created the charming sports clothes we see, or is it just the irresistable charm of these clothes that has fostered the craze for sports?

Whatever answer the psychologist may have to this question, the fact remains that sports clothes have never been so popular or so attractive as they are to-day. They have risen to such a prominent position that even those who do not pretend to be sportswomen may wear them with all propriety.

There are sports clothes of every type, showing as wide a variety in colour, cut and fabric as anyone could wish. To go skating, you may wear a long, warm coat such as the one pictured here, with a one-piece dress, or else a two-piece suit of wool jersey, corduroy, velvet, zibeline or duvetyn, or a separate short coat with a skirt of contrasting colour and contrasting material. Both hip-length and longer coats are used, and the skirts are worn quite short.

The Colour Note in Sports Clothes.

More striking, perhaps, than any other feature of sports costumes is the colour note. Bright, vivid colours are used to a larger extent than the lighter colourings, though all white and black and black-and-white combinations are very well liked. White coats of chinchilla or corduroy trimmed with black fur are very attractive and some of these have muffs to match, combining the material of the suit and the fur with which it is trimmed.

Some very striking costumes consist of plaid wool coats, the plaid including many colours, with wool jersey or corduroy skirts in [illegible] orange or emerald green. With these costumes are worn Scotch plaid wool hose to match the coats. This is one of the very latest novelties. Russian green, purple, brown and yellow are some of the other colours in demand.

New Skating Sets.

There are lovely sets of long muffles and caps to be worn with sweaters and separate skirts. These come in all the gay calf colours, and often two colours are combined. A charming set recently seen was of black velvet with bands of Paisley at either end of the muffler. A Shaldr velvet tam-o'-shanter with a band of Paisley and a rosette of the same at the side, went with it. Paisley was also combined with light-brown wool in another set of muffler and turban.

Sweaters of Angora, Shetland wool, silk and wool jersey seem to be more

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peace, and has frequently, in order to animate its troops, offered prospects of an early peace. It promised peace when Warsaw was taken, when Serbia was conquered, forgetting that such promises, unfilled, would create profound distrust.

"In its further efforts, which are similarly due to the same interested considerations, the German government is obliged to carry this question outside of Germany. All the world recalls these attempts, notably its balloons d'essai, which were sent up in neutral countries, particularly the United States.

THE MANY VAIN EFFORTS.

"Seeing the inanity of such methods, which deceived nobody, Germany attempted to create a peace atmosphere, which would allow her to consolidate her aggresive and imperialistic tendencies while sowing discord among the Allies, by seeking to make public opinion believe that separate pourparlers were in progress between her and the Entente Powers. There were also persistent reports of a separate peace.

"In view of the fact, however, that the Allies with strong unanimity rejected all these attempts, our enemies had to think of a more serious effort. They to-day are making, in spite of their confidence in their military and economic power, an appeal to the United States, Spain and Switzerland, announcing their anxiety to enter into negotiations for peace.

"The lack of sincerity and the object of the German proposals is evident. The enemy governments have need of heroic measures to complete the gaps in their armies. Germany is projecting a sort of serfdom in the guise of compulsory military service. The German government, in order to uphft the hearts of its people and prepare it for fresh sacrifices, is striving to create a favourable atmosphere with the following thesis: — 'We are struggling for our existence; we are proposing peace; it is refused us. Therefore the responsibility for the continuation of the war falls upon our enemies.'

"The object pursued by Germany, however, is clear. She speaks of respect for the rights of other nations, but at the same time she has already introduced into Belgium, Serbia, Montenegro and Poland a regime of terror and violence. As for the future, Germany has proclaimed an illusory independence for Poland. She proposes to divide Serbia between Bulgaria and Austria, economically to subjugate Belgium and cede to Bulgaria part of the Roumanian territory.

NO GROUND FOR NEGOTIATIONS.

"Everywhere the idea of the hegemony of Germany predominates. The latest speeches of Von Bethmann-Hollweg show the true aspirations of the German government. But to-day, when the Entente Powers have proclaimed their unshakable determination to continue the war to a successful end and to prevent Germany from establishing her hegemony, no favourable ground exists for peace negotiations.

"Our enemies knew of the speeches of Lloyd George, Briand and Boselli and the statement of Trepoff; they were, therefore, assured that their proposal would be unecceptable. It is so, not because the Entente Powers the friends of peace—are not inclined that way, but because the peace offered by Germany is a snare for public opinion. That is why the enemy governments carefully avoid mentioning the conditions of peace.

"We are sure that this new enterprise of the disturbers of peace will lead no one astray, that it is condemned to failure, like the previous efforts.

"The Entente Powers would assume a terrible responsibility before their peoples, before all humanity, if they suspended the struggle against Germany's latest attempt to profit by the present situation to implant her hegemony in Europe. All the innumerable sacrifices of the Allies would be nullified by a premature peace with the enemy, who is exhausted but not yet brought down.

"The firm determination of the Entente Powers to continue the war to a final triumph can be weakened by no illusory proposals of the enemy."

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YOUNG SPAIN'S MOTHER HAD A PREMONITION OF A TRAGEDY

WINNIPEG, Dec. 15. — Two outstanding features in connection with the capture of young Spanish in Toronto Tuesday night developed in the case yesterday. One was the discovery that the young man's mother in England had a premonition of the double tragedy, and the other was that the youth made elaborate efforts to throw the police off his track while he was in Winnipeg Saturday.

A letter received at Stonewall Post Office Wednesday addressed to the alleged murderer from his mother, told of the dream she had recently.

"I dreamt you were in awful trouble," the mother wrote. "In my dream I saw blood all over your clothes. Write to me at once." The letter is in the possession of the police.

Spain made elaborate plans to throw pursuers off his trail while in Winnipeg Saturday afternoon. He bought a new suit of clothes at a north end store, discarding the suit he had bought just an hour before in Stonewall. He told the clerk his name and said he was going to Vancouver. He persuaded the clerk to accompany him to the Canadian Pacific Railway station, where he bought a ticket for Vancouver. He gave the clerk a $50 "tip" and said goodbye.

His plan apparently was to lead Winnipeg police astray if they discovered where he had purchased new clothes in Winnipeg. It is supposed he gave the Vancouver ticket away or destroyed it, and then bought another ticket for Toronto, leaving Saturday night.

HOW FAT FOLKS MAY BECOME THIN

By Elizabeth Thomas

Perhaps you are suddenly becoming stout, or it may be that you have been putting on weight for years. In either case the cause is the same—lack of oxygen-carrying power of the blood. This trouble occurs in adults of both sexes and all ages, but it may be overcome very easily and without any of the privations that most people imagine necessary to reduce their weight.

Simply go to your druggist and get some oil of orthene capsules. Take one after each meal and one before going to bed. Weigh yourself so as to know just how fast you are losing weight. Wonderful results have been accomplished by this inexpensive recipe, but be sure to get the genuine oil of orthene in capsule form. It is sold only in original sealed packages. Any large druggist can supply you, or a large size box will be sent on receipt of $1.00 postal note or money order. Address D. J. Little Drug Co., Box 1240 Montreal, Can.

DECEMBER WHEAT PRICES SLUMP

Ontario Flour Takes a Drop of 50 Cents—The Cattle Market

Wheat and flour prices have piled onto the toboggan, and in company with speculative prices in the options market are sliding gaily down to the lower levels. All the markets were in a state of collapse yesterday as a result of the energetic peace talk emanating from across the line. December wheat at Chicago tumbled 11c, while the same option at Winnipeg closed off 15c. Cash prices on Manitoba wheat at bay ports are quoted 5 1-4c lower than Thursday. Ontario flour following the 40c decline for Manitoba Thursday went off 40c to 50c.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, $1.71 1-8 track, bay ports; No. 2 $1.69 1-8; No. 3 $1.63 1-8; No. 4 $1.52; old crop, 4c above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W. 60 1-2c; No. 3 57 1-2c; No. 1 extra feed 57 1-2c.

American corn—No. 2 nominal; No. 3, new, $1.02 1-2, December shipment subject to embargo, track, Toronto.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 58c to 60c; No. 3 white 57c to 59c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1.50 to $1.52; No. 3 $1.48 to $1.50.

Peas—No. 2 nominal car lots $2.30.

Barley—Good milling $1.15 to $1.17; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal $1.25.

Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal, No. 2 new, $1.34 to $1.35.

Manitoba flour—First patents, in jute bags, $9.50; second patents in jute $9; strong bakers, in jute $8.80, Toronto.

Ontario flour—New winter, $6.50 in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered Montreal; shorts $37; bran $33; feed flour, per bag $2.80; middlings $38 to $40.

Hay—Baled No. 1, track Toronto best grade new hay car lots $12.50 to $13.50; No. 2 $10 to $11.50; straw $9 to $9.50.

CATTLE MARKETS.

The bulk of this season's Christmas beef cattle has already been marketed, though a few more loads are expected to be shipped in the early part of next week. The past week has seen the highest average price on record in the Toronto market, and many individual prices for single steers or heifers which went beyond all former records in previous seasons for Christmas cattle. For the general run of good butcher loads of steers and heifers, outside of the special fancy qualities, prices have also averaged very high, and holding steady right up to the closing market for the week at around $8.75 to $9.50 for the best loads. The big demand for butcher cattle made it harder to fill orders for good stockers and feeders, for anything with a little fat on was taken for killing. Prices all round, therefore, have been correspondingly high.

There has been a steady demand for choice milkers and springers, the choicest milkers selling well over a hundred dollars.

Choice veal calves in good demand.

Sheep light and of good quality, held strong at steadily advancing prices.

Lambs eased off slightly the latter part of the week.

Hogs were steady to strong all through the week, with prices inclined higher towards the latter end.

CATLE RECEIPTS

Union Stock Yards—Total receipts this week, 289 cars, with 7,345 cattle, 980 calves, 17,565 hogs, 9,381 sheep and lambs and 611 horses.

City Cattle Market—91 cars with 1,437 cattle, 1,261 sheep and lambs, 965 hogs, 103 calves, and 20 horses.

Toronto latest quotations:

Heavy steers, choice	$ 7 25	to $ 8 25
Choice butcher	8 10	8 60
do good	8 00	8 25
do medium	7 00	7 25
do common	6 25	6 50
Heifers, good to choice	7 00	7 25
do medium	6 25	6 75
Butcher cows, choice	6 25	7 00
do medium	5 75	6 25
Butcher bulls, choice	6 85	7 50
do good	6 50	6 60
do medium	5 00	5 50
Feeders 900 to 1,000 lbs.	6 50	7 00
do bulls	5 25	5 75
Stockers 700 to 800 lbs.	6 25	6 40
do med., 650 to 750 lbs	5 50	6 00
do light 600 to 650 lbs.	5 00	5 75
Canners	4 10	4 40
Cutters	4 50	5 25
Sheep, light	8 50	9 50
do heavy	7 50	8 50
Spring lambs	10 75	12 75
Calves	8 00	12 50
Hogs, fed and watered	11 75	11 85
do weighed off cars	12 00	
do f.o.b.	10 75	11 00

To Ward Off Winter Complexion Ills

To keep the face smooth, white and beautiful all winter, there's nothing quite so good as ordinary mercolized wax. Rough, chapped or discolored skin, unsuitable to this weather, is gently absorbed by the wax and replaced by the newer, fresher skin beneath. The face exhibits no trace of the wax, the latter being applied at bedtime and washed off mornings. Creams, powders and rouges, on the other hand are apt to appear conspicious at this season, because of alternating expansion and contraction of the skin, is due to changing temperatures. You are advised to try this simple treatment. Get an ounce of mercolized wax at any druggist's and use like cold cream. This will help any skin at once, and in a week or so the complexion will look remarkably youthful and healthy.

Winds and flying dust often cause squinting and other contortions which make wrinkles. You can quickly get rid of every wrinkle, however produced, by using a harmless face bath made by dissolving one ounce powdered saxolite in one-half pint witch hazel.

MEDIEVAL REALM OF LITHUANIA REHABILITATED

WASHINGTON, D. C. Dec. 12.—It's a dull week to the chronicles of diplomatic maneuvres when the birth of a new kingdom or the rebirth of an old one is not announced in the family of nations.

The khedive of Egypt, a dependent of the Turkish sultan was deposed early in the war and a sultan of the Nile country enthroned under the British protectorate; the grand shereef of Mecca recently solicited felicitations in the name of the infant "kingdom of Arabia"; the Teutonic allies only a few days ago announced the restoration of the ancient kingdom of Poland and now comes the rehabilitation of the medieval realm of Lithuania, carved from provinces which Germany has conquered and others which she desires to conquer from Russia.

HOPE TO RECRUIT 150,000.

Concerning Lithuania, from which, according to cable advices, the Germans hope to recruit 150,000 citizens for serving under Field Marshal von Hindenburg, the National Geographic society gives the following information in a war georgaphy bulletin:

"When the third and final dismemberment of Poland was accomplished in 1795 practically all of the medieval principality of Lithuania, which had been amalgamated with the kingdom of Poland nearly 300 years previously, passed into the possession of Russia. Its area at that time was about equal to that of Connecticut, New York, and Pennsylvania combined, and comprised the territory now embraced in the Russian Governments of Kovno, Grondo, Vilna, Minsk, Mohileff, Vitebsk and Suwalki. Much of this land is now occupied by the German armies of the east front.

"Lithuania is an uninviting region as a whole. It is succession of fens and forests, ill suited to agricultural pursuits of any sort, and the 2,000,000 Lithuanians and 1,800,000 Letts who inhabit the land gain a livelihood chiefly by the culture of bees and the raising of cattle and horses.

GEDYMIN FOUNDER OF KINGDOM.

"The Lithuanians are an independent branch of the Aryan race, and, owing to the swampy nature of their homeland, were able to maintain their integrity as a people in spite of the fact that during the early middle ages they suffered constantly from invasions by their more powerful neighbors. The Order of Teutonic Knights and the Livonian Knights of the Order of the Sword were especially vigorous in their onslaughts upon the semi-savage tribes which adhered to their pagan worship long after most of Europe had accepted Christianity.

"One of the legendary heroes of Lithuania's early struggle was Ryngold, but the first definite historical facts concerning the country and its chiefs date from the time of Mendowg, Ryngold's son. This chieftain was recognized by Pope Innocent IV and rules for twelve years, from 1251, but the real founder of the kingdom was the resourceful and statesmanlige Gedymin (1316-1341), who built the city of Vilna, which became his capital.

"Gedymin extended the bounds of his domains far to the south and east, at the expense of the Russians, and in his recognition of the advantages of western civilization, as indicated by the welcome which he extended to immigrants, he anticipated the far sighted policies of Ivan the Terrible and Peter the Great.

"Gedymin had seven sons, who, after a protracted period of rivalry, acknowledged the supremacy of Olgierd, the most adroit of their number. Olgierd's heir, Jagello, founder of the Jagellon dynasty, was one of the most potent factors in the advancement of Lithuania's power. He introduced Christianity in 1387 and erected a cathedral in Vilna on the site of the ancient pagan temple.

"In Napoleon's Russia campaign the Lithuanian capital of Vilna was made the center of strategy of the French lines, and after the disaster at Moscow the retreating emperor again visited the city, leaving it in disguise on the night of November 24, 1812.

"Unlike their Russian and Polish neighbors, the Lithuanians have blue eyes, light colored hair, and fair complexion."

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Trade Workers in Berlin Will Not Enter Army Just Yet.

BERLIN, via London, Dec. 15.—Berlin workers in the various trades will not be drawn into the Government service or called upon under the new Home Army Law until February, according to an announcement by Gen. Groener, head of the War Bureau, to the Berlin Chamber of Trades to-day.

That much time will be required to organize the new National Service, questions of transportation and raw material problems.

Gen. Groener's announcement was made in order to quiet uneasiness over rumours that the trades workers would be called out immediately.

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THE KAISER AWAITS ANSWER IN BERLIN.

Stays at Capital to Hear Reply to Peace Offer

LONDON, Dec. 15.—The Kaiser returned to Berlin Tuesday evening, where he will remain until the answer to the entente powers to the German peace proposal is received, a despatch from Berlin quotes a semi-official statement as announcing today.

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Old Cheese	Extra Olives
Clover Honey	Marmalade
Canned Goods	Sweet Pickles

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At Stewart's Hall, Otonabee, Wednesday, Dec. 20, at 2.30 and 7.30 p. m.

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Save Costly Shoes And Doctor's Bills By Wearing Rubbers In Bad Weather

Rubbers and Overshoes Practically The Only Things That are About the Same Price as Before the War

Have you bought a pair of shoes lately, either for yourself or for one of the children? If you have, you will realize just how expensive leather is now. It is scarce, and getting scarcer—and the soldiers are needing enormous quantities for shoes and equipment. Clearly it is a patriotic duty, as well as common sense, to save shoes in every possible way.

The best way, of course, is to wear rubbers whenever it is wet or snowy overhead or underfoot. Nothing rots and cracks shoe leather like getting it wet, particularly if it is none too good, as is often the case now, even in high-priced shoes.

It is fortunate, indeed, that rubbers have not joined the general upward movement. Crude rubber, in fact, costs no more than before the war, thanks to Great Britain's benevolent control of the supply. So, in spite of the 50% to 100% increase in the cost of cotton and other materials used in rubbers, prices are still normal.

As a pair of rubbers, costing 60c to $1.25, will almost double the life of a pair of shoes costing eight or ten times as much, there would be no doubt about the economy of wearing them, even if they did not save many a cold and worse sickness, with the attendant expense and loss of time.

But saving shoes is more than private thrift—it is public service! The leather so thoughtlessly wasted is needed at the front to help win the war, and saving it for that service is real, practical patriotism.

Every Member Of Your Family Should Wear Rubbers This Winter

Rosie's Santy Man

By IRENE BEACH

"Oh dear! I wish he'd come," sighed Rosie Perrone.

"Maybe he be sick," said the brother, as he dusted carefully the array of fruit arranged with such a holiday air in the narrow window of his shop. "He come if he not sick. You wait. Santy man no forget."

But Rosie in spite of her brother's encouraging words became very impatient. Finally she started in search of the kind friend, who was none other than the Santy of her street. Not the real Santy of Christmas eve, but a man who just pretended he was the same jovial friend of holly and cheer and wore a cloak and hat of red, faced with fur, and carried instead of a long whip to urge tired reindeer, a sign which told of a wonderful toyshop just around the corner.

A week before Pietro had seen from his little shop windows this same Santy man stagger and fall. Then both he and Rosie had helped the stranger into the fruit shop, where food and sympathy had been generously given. Now, it was the day before Christmas and the stranger who each day had stopped at Pietro's little shop had failed to appear.

"Maybe—he up the street somewheres," the brother had called to Rosie. "When you see heem, tell heem, to-morrow we look for him to eat with us. Yes?"

Rosie nodded and went on down the long avenue. There was a gentle snow falling, just enough to add to the street the touch of Christmas. But nowhere could Rosie see the kind Santy man of her street, who had told her such wonderful tales of toys, fairies and of the real country of deep hills and red sunsets.

Suddenly she thought of something, a something so different that it made her heart go thumpty-thump. She would go to the wonderful toyshop, just around the corner, and see for herself, if her friend was there.

But not a tired, hurried clerk of the shop had time to answer Rosie's questions. Finally she approached a tall gray-haired man standing in the centre of the long aisle. She felt certain he would know something about the Santy of her street.

"Please, do you know our Santy man?"

"Who?" asked the man.

"The Santy man, who wore a red coat, cap and carried a sign?"

"No, I don't. What is it you want to buy, little girl?"

"I don't want to buy nothin'. I'm just lookin' for the Santy man of my street. He—" Then Rosie could say no more. The lumps would stick in her throat, no matter how ahrd she swallowed.

Just what might have happened is hard to say, if a lady standing near hadn't heard what Rosie said and wanted to help her. She knew exactly what to do.

An hour later, after seeing Pietro at his little shop, Rosie rode away with the lady, who was very beautiful, by the way, in her big automobile, to the hospital, where the poor Santy had been taken the night before.

It was a wondering, curious little Rosie, who followed her friend down the long, cool hall to the ward where the sick Santy man lay. Timidly she walked to the man's bedside. He saw her. He held out his hand. Rosie grabbed it and held it close and fast in her own little hands.

"Oh—I'm so glad you're found. Me and Pietro love you so much. I never would have found you if the beautiful lady hadn't—"

But Rosie didn't finish the sentence, for Santy hadn't heard a word she was saying. He was staring with deep, strange eyes at the lady, who had drawn nearer the sick man's bed.

"Ria," he whispered.

"Bob," she answered.

There Rosie sat with shining eyes and a little heart thumping and listened to the wonderful story of her Santy man and the lady. Santy was none other than the lady's brother, whom she hadn't seen since the day, years ago, he ran away to sea. And the lady? She was the beautiful fairy of the toy-shop.

"And did you know all the time she owned it?"

"Yes."

"Why didn't you go and see her?"

"Because, I was too poor, sick and proud."

Now, of course, like all stories where fairies and Santy hold forth, everybody was glad and lived happy ever afterward. It was a wonderful day for Rosie and Pietro.

And up and down Rosie's street, too, there was gladness; for the good news had spread to the children, Rosie and the sparrows told, that the Santy man of their street had found a sister.

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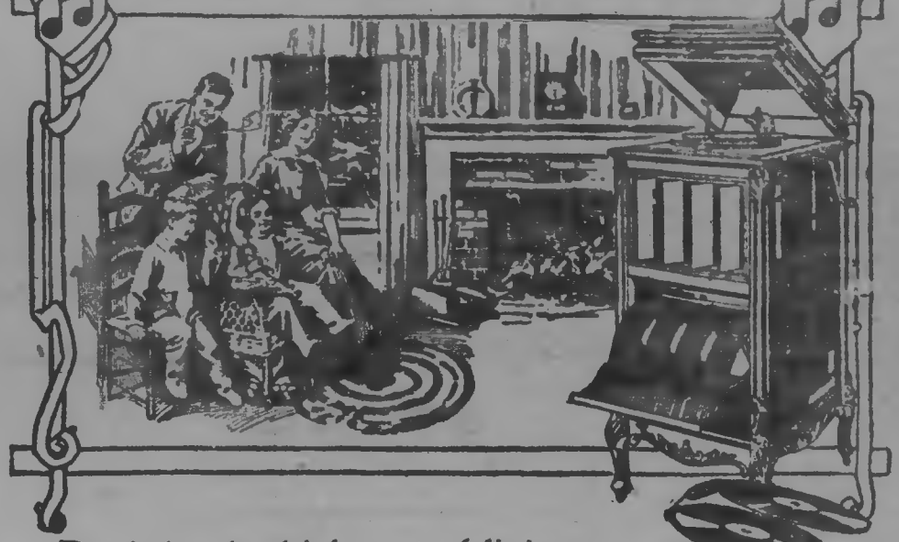

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SLINGSBY BOY A SUBSTITUTE, LOSSES $45,000 PER ANNUM

LONDON, Dec. 15.—The House of Lords yesterday dismissed the appeal of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. R. Slingsby, of San Francisco, who sought the estate of the late Rev. Charles Slingsby for "Teddy" Slingsby, their supposed son.

This final declaration of the highest court in the land puts an end to the claim that Charles Eugene Edward Slingsby is the lawful child of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. R. Slingsby and he is branded a substitute child. He was declared the lawful child by a British court in 1915 but last March the Court of Appeal reversed this decision and is now upheld in the reversal by the Lords. Thus the child loses estates which have been in the Slingsby family since the reign of Henry VIII.

Sixteen years ago Commander Slingsby, the son of an Anglican clergyman in Yorkshire, married his wife. She is a Roman Catholic and his family do not seem to have liked the marriage. Ten years later Mrs. Slingsby, who was living with her husband in British Columbia, went to San Francisco. She had expectations of a child, and she went to San Francisco, as she said, in order to be nursed by her friend Mattie Blain. A child was born which she said was hers, and soon after the war began, an action was brought in the Probate and Divorce Court for a declaration that the child was legitimate. If the child was legitimate, he was heir to estates worth about £9,000 a year; if not, they would go on the death of the reputed father, who had only a life interest, to the remainder-men.

American evidence went to show that the child was a changeling, the son of a woman of no particular character in San Francisco. Mrs. Slingsby said that she had the child at the flat of Hattie Blain in San Francisco. On the other hand, Hattie Blain, after supporting the story at first, afterwards denied it. The certain facts are that Mrs. Slingsby advertised in the local paper for a child to adopt, that she denied at first that she had advertised, and only admitted it later when confronted by overwhelming evidence. The doctor in the case was a certain Dr. Fraser whose surgery was in Chinatown. The birth certificate gave the mother's name as Anderson and the place of birth as his surgery. According to his evidence Mrs. Slingsby induced him to strike out the name of Mr. and Mrs. Slingsby as the parents; later Mrs. Slingsby went to the Record Office and produced an alteration of the place of birth from Dr. Fraser's surgery in Chinatown to Hattie Blain's flat in a more respectable part of the city.

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Prince John.

Prince John has reached the manly age of eleven. He is the youngest and most mischievous of their Majesties' five sons, and consequently a great favorite with the Royal retinue at the Palace, who love his little jokes. He is a bright and interesting little chap, and has not yet made up his mind which he favors most—the navy or the army, for, while he always pays tribute to the senior service by wearing white drill or reefer suits, he never tires of watching the soldiers drilling near his house. Prince John has already had a taste of public life, for his mother has taken him to various functions with his golden-haired sister, of whom he is immensely proud—Princess Mary.

OFFICERS IN THE MAKING

Fine Material in the "Devil's Own" From Dominions

Among the Hertfordshire hills the stuff that officers the British army comes from was seen in the making. The Inns of Court Officers Training Corps is turning out officers for the Expeditionary Force in great numbers down there, and the boys of Harrow School and Berkhampstead who are nearing the age of qualification for the army joined them in a field day.

Nowadays the "Devil's Own" is not entirely recruited from the Temple and Lincoln's Inn. Most of the available men of the legal profession have long been in the army. But other professions still furnish their supplies of young men prepared to accept commissions, and there is a steady flow of young Englishmen from foreign countries and the far Dominions, from the Argentine and the Eastern Islands, who have returned at their own expense to do their part in the great war.

They had hard fighting when they found themselves opposed to the boys of Harrow and Berkhampstead. The schoolboys were the attacking force and came over the series of ridges which the men of the corps were defending with such eagerness and speed that all the efforts of the umpires were powerless to stop them.

Christmas in France

When Christmas draws near every French family in easy circumstances sends for a cask of wine and lays in a stock of southern fruit. Those who have been enemies pardon each other; marriages are fixed; married pairs who have been separated are re-united.

Bessie's Plea

"Say, mamma, please don't make any fire in my bedroom grate," begged little Bessie.

"Why, you'll freeze."

"I don't mind being cold, just so long as Santa will be able to get down the chimney all right."

The Animals' Request

In the Petrograd "Zoo" there is a notice to this effect. "The animals ask you not to speak of the Germans as 'animals.' Animals only kill when they are in need of food. They do not slaughter or mangle for pleasure."

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He Was a Gunsmith.

A bunch of raw recruits were being initiated into the mysteries of target practice. The sergeant, an officious chap, took the gun from the hands of the first man in the line and said: "Er—this is a rifle, you know. This is the barrel, this the stock, and this is the magazine. You put the clip of cartridges in here. These little things on the barrel are the sights. You look along 'em when you take aim. Then you fire by pressing this little thing, which is the trigger. By the way, what was your previous occupation?" "What—Me, sir?" said the recruit. "Why, I was a gunsmith."

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Sunday Sermon For Those Who Do Not Go To Church

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St. John 11th chapter, 5th to 10th verses.

"Now Jesus loved Martha and her sister, and Lazarus."

These words were written by the beloved disciple who leaned on Jesus' bosom, and knew what was in the heart of Christ, for the Holy Spirit revealed it unto him, and taught him what to write. This is then the testimony of John, that Jesus loved Martha and Mary and Lazarus. They had sent this message to Jesus: He whom Thou lovest is sick, and it was really true that Jesus did love him. God's people know that Jesus loves them. Christ has a way of making His love known to those who are His own, for the secret of the Lord is with them that fear Him. We tell our secrets to those that we love; so does Jesus to those that love Him. Ye are My friends if ye do whatsoever I command you. He says: I have loved thee with an everlasting love, therefore with loving kindness have I drawn thee. — Jer. 31st and 3rd.

Jesus loved all the house. It would seem that Mary was the most heavenly minded of the family; she sat at the feet of Christ; when Martha was cumbered about much serving she was evidently more humbled under this trying dispensation than her sister was, for it is said she fell down at His feet. She seems to have had grateful affection, for it was she who took a pound of ointment of spikenard, very costly, and anointed the feet of Christ, and wiped His feet with her hair. She did what she could to show her love and affection, and yet Jesus loved them all. Every one that is in Christ is beloved by Him; just as a mother loves her children, even those who are weak and sickly, those who have doubts and fears, who have heavy burdens and temptations. He asks the weary and the heavy laden ones to come unto Him and He will give them rest, for His yoke is easy and His burden is light. We should follow Christ's example and be like Him, stooping low and being kind and gentle to the feeble ones, being charitable and kind. Cover their faults — assist them by counsel and advice and pray for them.

When the message came to Christ that Lazarus was sick He abode two days still in the same place where He was. This seems very strange to us. This is the way we love our friends when we hear that any are sick: We hasten to the bedside to minister and to comfort them, travelling long journeys and sparing no expense so as to reach them quickly. Our love will brook no delay. The sisters had received His message and they knew that Jesus loved them, but why this delay? So it was with the woman of Syrophenicia. He delayed helping her to try her faith—yet why does He delay? Because He is God, and sees the end from the beginning. Known unto Him are all His works from the foundations of the world. Although He was absent in the body He was present in the spirit. He saw every tear and heard every sigh. He saw when Lazarus died. The future was before Him and He knew what He would do—that the grave would yield up its dead, and that their weeping would soon be turned into songs of rejoicing. So when Christ delays answers to our prayers, let us be still, and know that He is God; let us wait patiently and at length he will incline His ear, answer us, and put our feet on the rock and establish our goings. So to increase their faith He gave them a promise to hold by, and His word was true, and when they had gone through their experience their faith was stronger after. They were taught to believe the word of Christ, even when outward circumstances were against them. See Matt 8th chap., 18th verse. One evening Christ gave commandment to go on the Sea of Galilee, to depart to the other side, and as they roved on, He was weary and fell asleep. The storm arose and the waves covered the little vessel, but they were in their Master's service, and in the line of duty, and above all His bodily presence was with them. Yet they were afraid and cried out: Master! save us, we perish. He arose, rebuked the storm and there was a great calm, and He said: Where is your faith? So by this trial of their faith it was ever stronger after. And so it is with all the trials of our faith. God is working out His plan for us and fitting us for His plan. When God gives a promise He always tries our faith. Just as the roots of trees take firmer hold when they are contending with the wind so faith takes firmer hold when the blasts of adversity bear down upon us. Had Christ healed Lazarus at first when the sisters sent the message we never would have known the love of Jesus that showed at the grave of Lazarus, when He shed human tears. We would not have heard those words from His enemies: Behold, how He loved him! We would not have known the power of Christ over death. The bright forthshinings of the glory of Christ would have been lost both to the Church and to the world. Therefore, it was well that He waited two days. The honour of His name as thus spread abroad; the Son of God was glorified.

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LONDON, Dec. 15. — The Times editorially demands retaliation if the Germans harm Captain Blaikie of the British steamer Caledonia, taken prisoner after his ship had been sunk by a German submarine. The Times insists that the government treat the highest ranking German naval or military prisoners in precisely the same way as the Germans treat Captain Blaikie.

Rammed the Submarine.

BERLIN, Dec. 14. — The Press Bureau's version of the sinking of the liner Caledonia, was as follows:

"The British passenger steamer Caledonia tried to ram a German submarine in the Mediterranean without being attacked by the submarine, shortly before the submarine was hit by the steamer. The submarine then shot a torpedo, which hit and sank the Caledonia. The submarine was slightly damaged by the ramming shock."

Two Passengers Captured.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Two passengers, Major-General Rananshaw relieved commander of the 27th British division at Salonika, and Captain Vickermann, of the general staff, with James Blaikie, captain of the Caledonia, were taken prisoner by the submarine which sank that steamer on Dec. 4, according to a despatch to the Associated Press from Berlin via Sayville.

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VALUABLES MISSED

Farmer's Savings of $2,000 Taken — Also His Wife's Jewelry.

TORONTO, Dec. 14. — The Toronto detective department broke records for quickness when Detectives Robert Croome and Alexander Montgomery arrested in a down-town hotel Bertram John Patrick Spain, a 19-year-old youth, who is wanted by the Provincial police of Manitoba in connection with the double murder of Mr. and Mrs. James Vincent on their farm at Stonewall, Manitoba, last Saturday. Shortly before ten o'clock Tuesday night Sergeant Alex. Macsis was informed by the Manitoba police that Spain was thought to be in Toronto, and with a bare description of the fugitive, Croome and Montgomery started out on their hunt through the downtown hotels. After a brief search they found Spain, registered as "J. J. Young," of Winnipeg. They waited for him to return, and in a few minutes he walked into the hotel. He was arrested, and admitted that Young was an alias and his real name was Spain. He also admitted that he had been living with the Vincents in Stonewall, Manitoba.

Spain Admits the Shooting.

Spain had been in Toronto only a day and a half and was 1,800 miles away from the scene of the tragedy in which he is alleged to have been implicated, yet within a few minutes of receiving the warning the Toronto detectives had him in their hands.

Spain appeared in the Police Court to-day and was remanded for a week to await the arrival of the Manitoba Provincial Police. He was defended by W. K. Murphy, jr. To Mr. Murphy the young lad admitted that he had shot Mr. and Mrs. Vincent accidentally.

When arrested Spain had over $1,000 in bills in his pockets and a large amount of valuable jewelry.

How the Tragedy Took Place.

To Mr. Murphy Spain related the double tragedy. He said that he was cleaning a gun in the kitchen of the Vincent home, and was adjusting a catch. To release a piece of the mechanism he had to cock the gun, and Mrs. Vincent was leaning over the stove preparing a meal when the gun went off. Vincent stated he did not know it was loaded. Mrs. Vincent fell on the floor dead. Hearing the discharge of the gun, Mr. Vincent who was in the yard, started towards the house. Spain rushed out with the gun in his hand and told Vincent that he had shot Mrs. Vincent accidentally. Then Vincent, according to Spain, grabbed a gun and said he was going to shoot him. Spain loaded his gun and shot Vincent dead in self-defence.

After Spain disappeared a search followed and $2,000 in cash and Mrs. Vincent's jewelry were missed.

Questioned by the Toronto police, Spain stated he was an Englishman by birth, and had secured a situation with the Vincents through an agency in London, as he desired to learn farming. He said he left Stonewall right after the shooting on Saturday and came to Toronto on Tuesday. He was undecided whether he would stay in Toronto or go to England. He tried to enlist, but was rejected. When arrested he wore a new outfit of clothes.

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POKROVSKI APPOINTED.

He is the New Foreign Minister in Russia.

PETROGRAD, Dec. 15.—The semi-official news agency announces that M. Pokrovski, controller of the Empire, has been appointed Foreign Minister.

M. Pokrovski was appointed controller of the Empire on Feb. 8, 1916. He was formerly a member of the Imperial Council.

GUELPH WOMEN GET DOWN TO BRASS TACKS

Suggest to City Three Definite, Simple Measures to Cut Cost of Food.

GUELPH, Dec. 15.—At a meeting of women called by the city and held in the City Hall, resolutions were passed as follows:

Calling upon the City Council to purchase potatoes in carload lots and sell these at the actual cost price if the local dealers did not sell them for at least $2 per bag.

Pledging the people to serve meat at their tables but once a day.

That not more than 45 cents a pound would be paid for butter, and eggs. This resolution, however, was not carried unanimously.

This very definite action was taken in response to the request of a civic committee who asked the women of Guelph for practical advice re. cutting the cost of living.

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CROWDING TWO LIFETIMES INTO ONE AND DIE AT FORTY

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—The composite physical American looks smooth, pink, and healthy, but he is trying to crowd two lifetimes into one, E. E. Rittenhouse of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, declared before the Association Life Insurance presidents here. "He is having some success, but the strain is telling on him."

Rittenhouse made a plea for physical preparedness, declaring 800,000 Americans are annually rejected by life insurance examiners.

"The average American as a good liver, hurries, has no time to waste, and dies at forty," Rittenhouse declared.

"His digestive organs have been given so many new and arduous duties to which they were not trained that they are showing signs of rebellion," Rittenhouse continued.

"He is more than well rounded at the belt and slightly so at the shoulders.

"Under exercise he is short-winded due to lack of exercise, or a bad heart. He lies down by night and sits down by day. He never walks when he can ride.

"He would not think of mixing bricks or scrap iron or gravel with the fuel of his furnace, yet he feeds his stomach with all sorts of tasty junk, much of which cannot be fully digested. With every pound he gains of excess fat his chance for a shortened life increases."

In opening the convention to-day President W. A. Day sounded a warning against the extraordinary wastefulness of the American people.

"This nation cannot long wallow in luxuries and prodigality and endure," he said. "We cannot longer view with indifference the great modern American sin of extravagance."

Mr. Day urged that insurance men should be "keenly concerned in the remedy of excessive life waste that is going on in this country, for altruistic, patriotic, and good business reasons.

Contrasted with this expenditure of life were figures presented by Alfred Hurrell of the Prudential Insurance Company, showing that the United States, with a fifteenth of the earth's population, has more life insurance in force than all the rest of the world combined. Over twenty billions was his estimate of the insurance on American lives, and it is increasing at the rate of over a billion a year.

American life insurance funds form a preparedness found available for Government loans in time of war, Mr. Hurrell said. He pointed out that one-tenth of the war loans of Europe have been subscribed by insurance institutions of the countries involved in the war.

"If it be true," says the Toronto News, "as Liberal newspapers contend, that Nationalism controls the Borden Government, the country has no reason to quarrel with the results." What about recruiting in Quebec. Is the News satisfied with Nationalism's performances there? The Globe.

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Was It Supernatural or a Scientific Novelty?

By F. A. MITCHEL

Mary Richards sat in the dock house working her typewriter. A northeaster was blowing in from the ocean, and the waves as they rolled under the dock shook the structure built on it. There was a telephone instrument screwed against the wall, and suddenly there came a sharp ring. Whether the electric current was stronger than usual or that Mary was influenced by the terror of the storm, the bell seemed to call her to hear some bad news. She hurried to the instrument and, unhooking the receiver, held it to her ear.

"Mary," came the voice of John Talbot, to whom Mary was betrothed and who she supposed was coming up from Florida in a coast steamer of which he was third mate, "take up a board in the northwest corner of my room at home."

There was a click, and Mary knew that communication was shut off. She waited for it to be renewed, then rattled the book that held the receiver, called, did everything she could think of to attract attention, but could not break the silence. At last, impressed by a feeling of awe, she hung up the receiver and, trembling, returned to her seat.

The George Brewster, in which John Talbot was coming north, was not due to arrive till the next day. Had she put into some port on the coast below? She might have done so to avoid the storm, for she was an old vessel and not considered very seaworthy. But what did this fragmentary message mean? "Take up a board in the northwest corner of my room at home." Mary and John were to be married soon after his return from this voyage. Could the message have anything to do with the preparations that were being made for the wedding?

The next morning news was published of the loss of the George Brewster and all on board. She had foundered at sea off Cape Hatteras. Wreckage had been washed ashore identifying her.

Mary Richards when she began to recover from the shock of her loss remembered her telephone message. How had her betrothed been able to communicate with her while at sea? There was no wireless telegraph apparatus on the Brewster by which he could communicate with the shore. Besides, the voice she had heard was his, and he addressed her direct.

John Talbot's mother had died when he was a little boy, and his father had married a woman who had made life miserable for her husband and her stepson. As soon as John was old enough to earn any money she insisted that he should go to work and forced him to bring all he earned to her. This continued till he grew to manhood, when he began to retain his earnings. He had told Mary that he had accumulated several thousand dollars and before leaving on his last voyage had taken the precaution to make a will leaving it to her. But he had not told her where either the will or the property was to be found.

Mrs. Talbot was aware that John was saving money, and as soon as news came of his death at sea she began to hunt for it, or, rather, evidence of it. She believed that John had invested his savings in stocks or bonds and that he had kept his securities at home instead of placing them in a safety deposit company; but, although she hunted high and low for anything that would represent money, she found nothing.

Mary for a long while was so crushed by her loss that she thought nothing of the matter of her lover's possessions. One day she met Mrs. Talbot, who said to her with a view to learning something about the missing property:

"I suppose John turned over his savings to you before he went to sea the last time."

Mary replied that he had not done so, and that was all that was said on the subject between them. But Mrs. Talbot's words and manner set Mary to thinking. In this connection she remembered the telephone message—"Take up a board in the northwest corner of my room at home."

Wherever the message had come from, whether transmitted by natural or supernatural means, Mary now connected it with the missing property. After deliberation she concluded to go to a lawyer and ask his advice as to what to do. He agreed to send some one to the Talbot house, watch an opportunity to take up without Mrs. Talbot's knowledge the board in the floor in the northwest corner of John's room. This duty was assigned a detective, who employed a confederate to decoy the stepmother away while the detective went into the room designated and removed the board.

One morning Mary received a message from her attorney to call at his office, and on arriving there he showed her a will executed by John Talbot, leaving all his property to her, and handed her bonds the interest on which was sufficient to meet her annual necessities.

The story Mary told has been the subject of much thought among scientists, especially those who are working on new lines of transmitting the human voice without a material conductor. Some of them believe that John Talbot hit upon a natural law as yet unrevealed to the world. The psychical research people believe that the message was sent by what we call supernatural means.

Parliamentary Economies.

War economy has prevailed for some time now in the Houses of Parliament. Quill pens usually provided in the writing rooms have disappeared, and ordinary wooden penholders, with steel nibs, have taken their place. There is also a reduction in the quantity of notepaper and envelopes. Instead of the unlimited supply available in the writing rooms, the quantity is limited, the object being to discourage waste and prevent depreciation by exposure. It is also stated that paper inferior in quality will be provided shortly. Another direction in which the Government is economizing is in the smoking-rooms. Instead of the free and ample provision of boxes of matches, members must now fall back on the wooden spills that the new thrifty Office of Works has provided.

Irish Get New Markets.

A bold bid for the capture of several markets hitherto dominated by "enemy traders" is being made by Irish manufacturers. Toys, carpets, and cigarettes are the most successful examples of new industries thus developed. The new workshops for the manufacture of dolls and toys have attracted large numbers of girls and women workers who were thrown out of employment by the hard times prevailing in the lace and embroidery trade in Belfast and Dublin.

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OTTAWA, Dec. 15.—Hitherto the military hospitals commission has only had to deal with soldiers in the convalescent stage. The Canadian authorities overseas, however, have now advised the commission to prepare for several thousand soldiers still needing active surgical and medical treatment. The commission is actively engaged in this preparation, and has already arranged for the care of 1500 such men. They will be sent over in instalments, beginning at once.

A hospital train is being constructed, for the safe and comfortable carriage of these "bed cases" from the Atlantic ports to their destinations inland. The hospital train will run as far as Winnipeg, distributing patients at Montreal, Kingston and Toronto on the way.

REVOLTS IN LITHUANIA.

Peasants Armed With Hatchets Attack German Military Commission.

LONDON, Dec. 14.—The Wireless Press gives out the following under date of Berne: "Forcible deportation of Lithuanian peasants to work in Germany has provoked several revolts in Lithuania. There was a formidable rising in the Samogitian province of Suwalki. Peasants, armed with hatchets, attacked the German military commission sent there to enroll workmen. In other districts many peasants are hiding in the forest and marshes. In many parts of Lithuania bands of peasants have destroyed railways, bridges and telegraph lines."

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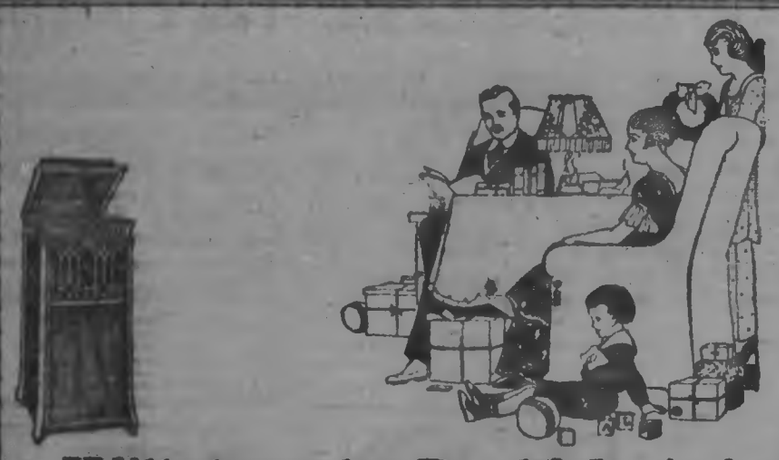

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WITH Christmas only a week away it may seem that another warning to "shop early" is belated, but the slogan still means a lot. The people of Peterborough can help the merchants and themselves if they will carry out the spirit of early shopping next week. Don't wait until Friday or Saturday for gifts that you may just as well buy Monday or Tuesday. Saturday, the Christmas market day, will be marked by the influx of farmers from far and near. It will be their shopping day, and the citizens of Peterborough should see that the visitors have the right-of-way. This can easily be accomplished if the city folk will complete their shopping early in the week. This is the greatest Christmas gift that can be given the clerks, the delivery men and the merchants themselves. People will find better service, a better selection and more agreeable conditions generally at the beginning of next week than they will in the rush and crush of the last couple of days. They will be sure that their parcels are delivered in plenty of time, and in view of the scarcity of help, the delivery problem is a big one for the merchants this year.

The stores are at their best right now. They are full of Christmas gifts, offering suggestions of all kinds and suitable for all purses. There is no reason to delay in this matter. You can do your shopping just as easily Monday as Saturday. Think it over and start the week right.

During the past year the Customs duties collected in Peterborough showed a big increase over the previous year. As Customs duties are taken out usually on raw materials brought in for manufacture, the amount for completely finished goods being, on the whole, very low, it can be seen that Peterborough's industries are flourishing. The greater the Customs duties, the larger the amount of raw material imported, and, therefore, the greater output of the local factories. This in turn means prosperity for every class of citizen — the worker is given steady and well-paid work, the merchant benefits by this, as does the real estate man, the life insurance man and many others. This is shown by the great demand for men at the present time. True, Peterborough and district has sent many men to the colours, but even allowing for this there is still a good margin to prove that the industries are being worked full blast and the city is benefitting.

Peterborough is prosperous. Let every citizen unite to make her more so.

The Examiner often wonders if the public of Peterborough generally realize the high wages that are being made by workmen in local concerns, and if these same workmen are saving any portion of the big sums they are receiving. In some of the factories it is not unusual to hear of men making $35 and $40 a week, mainly on shell work. These are big wages, but they will not last, and the workmen should realize this and make some provision for the future. When the re-adjustment comes after the war there will be a different scale of wages, for some time at least, and the men who are making big money now, after contributing liberally to the calls of the various patriotic efforts, should see that there is a nest egg away for the period that will come at the end of the war, when the boys come back from the front and no more shells are needed. That is one way that they can help to build up Peterborough.

How To Address Canadian Soldiers Who Are Overseas

TORONTO, December 15.—Once a Canadian soldier leaves the shores of the Dominion for overseas all mail matter should be addressed to him at the Army Post Office, London, England. This was the reply made at the Toronto Post Office when inquiry was made about the C.A.P. cable yesterday, which stated that the Army Post Office, so far as England was concerned, was non-existent.

The Post Office states that whether a soldier is in England or France does not matter. In either case mail should be addressed to the Army Post Office, care being taken that his regimental number and unit (that is, battalion, battery or squadron) are clearly written, as well as "Canadian Contingent" or "S. E. F." Mistakes occur because a letter may be addressed to a man in the 14th Battalion without anything to show that he is serving with the Canadians. As every British regiment has now a 14th Battalion, as well as the Australian and other contingents, this address is entirely insufficient.

The only exception to the use of the Army Post Office as a destination for letters, etc., is in the case of a wounded man, who may be addressed to the hospital in which he is lying, where this is definitely known. The Canadian postal service in Britain has access to the records of wounded men, and can keep track of their movements. If a wounded man is addressed care of the Army Post Office the letter will still reach him, but by a more circuitous route.

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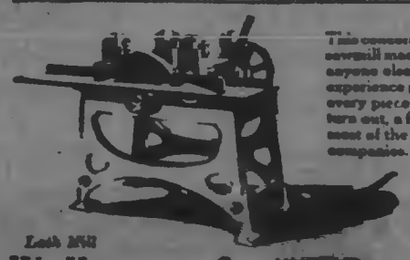
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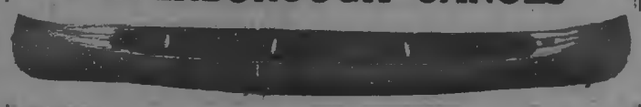
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(BULLETIN) LONDON, December 16.—Eighty cannon were captured by the French in the advance yesterday at Verdun, in addition to machine guns.

Special Cable:—

LONDON, December 16.—The week closes in enthusiasm and optimism for Britain and her Allies. Four big military and diplomatic victories are proclaimed by to-day's papers as showing a tremendous fillip to the Allies' cause induced by the recent drastic reorganization in the British and French governments. Britain settles down to Christmas shopping and the cultivation of the Christmas spirit with a great load of uncertainty and anxiety lifted. The French advance near the Meuse River, with the capture of probably nine thousand German prisoners, fifty machine guns, large stores, and many guns of larger calibre, with eleven square miles of territory, including fifteen important villages, farms and other points of advantage was a welcome thrust for the Allies. Even more unexpected was the news of the big advance of Major-General Maude's columns in Mesopotamia against the Turks, right up to the very gates of the famous Kut-El-Amara.

Saturday afternoon reports from Cairo say this advance is continuing with great success, and heavy capture of Turkish troops, guns and materials.

To-day's Athens despatches corroborate the report that King Constantine's Government has completely acquieced in the demands of the Allies' latest ultimatum.

Another "diplomatic" victory more local to Britain is the possibility of the more immediate prospect of settlement of the Irish question as developed by debate in the House of Commons yesterday. On the whole it is a much better Christmas in prospect than appeared last week.

PARIS, December 16.—General Nivelle's great thrust at Verdun has advanced the French positions to within short distance of where the Germans stood at the outset of the great Verdun drive. The military authorities describe the victory as complete and crushing, and carried out without a hitch.

A terrific artillery preparation flattened the German defences, then French guns were elevated and threw a curtain of steel behind which the infantry from every trench from Pepper Hill to beyond Damloup dashed forward on an enemy still stunned by the bombardment.

One after another Vacherauville and Louvemont village, Chambrette Farm and the Hardaumont and Besonvaux works fell without the defenders having time to carry away either guns or material, and nine thousand prisoners began to stream steadily rearward to the pens prepared for their reception.

The weather, according to hitherto accepted notions, was all against the offensive. It was wet and misty, and the French officers believe that this fact undoubtedly led the Germans to miscalculate the probabilities of attack.

The big victory is regarded as General Nivelle's farewell to Verdun before assuming the command of the entire French army on the western front.

PARIS, December 16.—(French Official)—Four divisions of French troops won the victory north of Verdun against German troops of at least five divisions to-day's official statement said. The enemy made no counter attack seeking to win back the ground they lost.

The men taken prisoners in the French advance came from regiments in five different German divisions.

The official statement also detailed lively shelling during the night over the entire front from the Meuse to the Woevre.

"Nothing important" was reported from the Macedonian front to-day.

BERLIN, December 16.—A German thrust reached the British second line southeast of Zillebeck near Ypres, to-day's official statement claimed.

The Berlin statement details the advance to the second line of the enemy, the garrison of which had fled.

Regarding the Verdun front, the War Office simply said:—"The French have succeeded in pushing back German forces from some of their most advanced positions in the Verdun district. Teutonic troops, it was said, had gone into prepared second line defences.

The foregoing claim of a German advance into British trenches may be put forth by Berlin to offset the Verdun defeat. The German statement does not go into details and may mean much or little. It is quite usual for troops to forsake trenches while a heavy bombardment is going on, only to reoccupy them later. Berlin does not claim the Germans retained the trenches, but merely says they "advanced into" them.

WASHINGTON, December 16. —In German Embassy circles here, there is great optimism over the peace outlook. It is pointed out that already a tremendous change has occurred in the attitude of British officials and in the public attitude. That Germany has started talk which will reach into the hearts and homes of every belligerent country until a demand for stopping hostilities is irresistible, is the confident belief of Teutonic sympathizers here.

SOFIA, December 16.—The occupation of Peresti was announced in the Bulgarian official statement to-day.

LONDON, December 16. — The condition of Premier Lloyd George, striken with chill last week, continues favourable.

ALLIES CONSIDER NEUTRAL OPINION.

WASHINGTON, December 16.—The British and other Allied Embassies have advised their foreign offices not to return a flat refusal to the German peace proposal for the sake of neutral opinion, it was learned to-day.

RUSSIAN SQUADRON SHELLS BALLCHEK.

PETROGRAD, Dec. 16.—Successful bombardement of Bellchek by Russian warships was announced in to-day's official statement. Despite attacks by enemy shore batteries, seaplanes and submarines, the Russian attacking squadron was unharmed.

SKATING AT BROCK ST. RINK TO-NIGHT. Band in Attendance

INSURANCE ON QUAKER OATS PLANT TOTALLED $1,223,000

$505,000 of This Was Carried by Companies With Ontario Licenses —No More Bodies Have Been Recovered From the Ruins

DEATH LIST THE SAME

To-day, for the first time, there is no change in the casualty list of the Quaker Oats fire, the total of known dead remaining at ten. Inquiries at St. Joseph's and Nicholls Hospital this afternoon showed that there have been no new deaths since Thursday and that the majority of the patients are doing as well as could be expected under the circumstances.

Although the force of men employed in the searching operation has been increased, no more bodies have been recovered from the ruins. The searchers have a big task in front of them, so great is the mass of debris. Six or seven of the battered fed tanks have been removed from the wreckage, but there is a very large quantity of heavy material still to be moved before an effective search can be made. The portion of wall left standing has so far defied all blasts of dynamite that have been used and is still apparently unshaken.

In regard to the insurance on the plant the Examiner has received the following despatch from Toronto to-day:

TORONTO, Dec. 16.—The insurance which was in force upon the Quaker Oats Company plant at Peterborough, destroyed by fire this week, totalled $1,223,000. Of this $505,000 was with licensed insurance companies, and $789,000 with companies unlicensed to do business in Ontario. Upon the insurance paid by the unlicensed companies the Provincial Fire Marshall's Office will collect a tax of one per cent.

The loss of the company is not yet fully completed, but it will likely be around one million dollars.

DEATH'S CALL WAS SUDDEN

Special to The Examiner.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Dec. 16.—Prof. Munsterberg, aged 52, the famous German psychology professor, died suddenly while addressing his class at Harvard, here, to-day. Heart failure was the cause. He fell to the floor and died within a few minutes after being assisted to a chair. Munsterberg was probably the most important pro-German 'kultur' advocate in the United States.

CONCERT FOR SOLDIERS' WIVES AND CHILDREN

Mr J. H. Burnham's $50 forwarded for the entertainment of the Soldiers' wives and children, has been transferred to the Reception Committee of the City Council, of which Ald. Dobbin is chairman. Plans are under way for an afternoon or evening concert, about Christmas time, which will be made as enjoyable as possible for the women and children.

CREW ABANDONS U. S. TRANSPORT IN HEAVY STORM

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

NEW YORK, Dec. 16. — Captain Weber and 61 members of the crew of the United States transport Summer, aground off Barnegat, N.J., abandoned the ship to-day. Part of the crew was taken aboard the revenue cutter Seneca, and others were landed by the coast guard crew at Barnegat.

The ship is being buffeted by heavy seas and is expected to go to pieces momentarily.

QUALITY.

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PROTEST AGAINST THE DEPORTATION OF BELGIANS

NEW YORK, N.Y., December 16.—The extension to all the United States of a movement of protest against the German deportations of the Belgians was planned here to-day. Cities all over the country, large and small, will be urged to hold public demonstrations. Resolutions adopted at the meeting here condemning "Belgian bondage" will be forwarded to-day to all representatives of Germany and to the President. Three thousand persons in Carnegie Hall last night cheered denunciations of German deportations. Elihu Root denounced the German acts as "hideous crimes." Colonel Theodore Roosevelt's denunciation of Germany was read. James M. Breck demanded that Count Von Bernstorff be handed his passports unless deportations are stopped.

Havelock Is Still Leading The Procession Of 247th Recruits

Pte. James Nelson Drain the Latest Recruit From Railway Town to Join the New Battalion---Pte. Harry Dawkins is Recovering---To-day's Orders and General Military News.

Havelock continues to send recruits to the 247th Battalion, and in proportion to population, the railway town is miles ahead of any other section of the battalion's recruiting area. The latest recruit from Havelock arrived last night in the person of Pte. Jas. Nelson Drain, who was taken on the strength to-day.

The announcement that the 93rd Battalion Band is on its way home has been joyfully received by Lt.-Col. Ackerman and his staff at the Armouries. The lack of a band has been sadly felt in recruiting efforts, and the arrival of the 93rd organization will mean valuable assistance to the 247th Battalion.

To-Day's Orders.

Daily orders by Lieut.-Col. Ackerman, commanding 247th Battalion, C.E.F.:

Orders for Saturday, Dec. 16, 1916.

Parade:

All officers, N.C.O.'s and men, except those specially employed, will parade in the Drill Hall at 9 a.m. and at 2 p.m.

Duties:

Orderly officer for Saturday—Lt. S. J. Dunsford.

Orderly officer for Sunday—Lt. A. H. Cameron.

Next for duty—Lt. C. G. Shaw.

Corregenda:

Re Lt. J. F. Strickland's leave, to read: From revielle, Dec. 24, 1916, to revielle, Dec. 30, 1916, instead of from revielle, Dec. 17th to revielle, Dec. 21, 1916, as per daily orders No. 112, Dec. 15, 1916.

Strength:

No. 1063069 Pte. Wesley Everitt is taken on the strength, as of Dec. 8, 1916, and posted to A Company.

Sick Parade:

There will be a sick parade, daily, at 9 a.m. and at 4 p.m.

R. B. Brooks, Lieut. and Act. Adjt. 247th Batt., C.E.F.

GALT, Dec. 16.—A local Soldiers' Aid Commission to look after the interests of returned soldiers has been formed, with the following officers: Chairman, A. S. Wilkinson; Vice-Chairman, F. D. Palmer; Secretary-Treasurer, Leon Shupe. The organization meeting, attended by representative citizens, passed a resolution, moved by Mayor Edwards and J. G. Turnbull, urging the Dominion Government to discontinue the practice of employing able-bodied civilians on the work of inspecting munitions, and to replace them with men who have returned after serving with the Canadian Expeditionary Forces.

PTE DAWKINS RECOVERING

Mr Geo. H. Dawkins, 85 George street, Belleville, section foreman of the Canadian Northern, received a cable message Thursday from his son, Pte. Harry Dawkins, formerly of the G.T.R., who enlisted in Peterborough, containing the gratifying news that he was 'getting along fine' and would 'soon be out again.'

It will be recalled that Pte. Dawkins was wounded very seriously in the abdomen over a month ago, and for a time he was in a critical condition. A letter received by Mr. Dawkins from his son a day or two ago, told of the fine progress he was making towards recovery. The cable confirms the good news. The letter was written from Le Treport, France, under date of Nov. 28.

Pte George Ambrose Jefferies, an old Peterborough boy, now of Orillia, is overseas with the 157th Battalion, C. Company, Simcoe Foresters, Bramshot Camp, England. He belongs to the Orange Order and W. O. W. in this city.

Court Peterboro' Elects Officers

Installation Will Take Place Next Month—Forty Members Present

Court Peterborough No. 29, C.O.F., held their regular meeting last night, there being about forty members present. During the evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing term of 1917:

C. R.—Stanley Cummings
Vice C. R.—Edward Heap
Rec.-Sec.—Henry Oland
Fin.-Sec.—Arthur Mitchell.
Treasurer—Henderson Nesbitt
Chap.—Herbert Mowry
S. W.—William L. Hardwick.
J. W.—Jno. J. Cook.
S. B.—David Leather.
J. B.—C. Barrett.
C. Phy.—Dr. Eastwood.
Auditors—D. Menzies, Jas. Brown
Trustees—T. Fredenburg, W. G. Henderson, Norman Welch.

Installation of officers will take place on January 5th, 1917.

Big Market Prices Soared

There was a record-sized market this morning and the prices soared higher than usual. Eggs, which were plentiful, were from 45 to 65c per doz.

Turkeys, $2.45, and as high as $3.
Ducks, $1.00 to $1.15 each.
Geese, $2.40 to $3.00 each.
Chickens, 80c to $1.25 pair.
Butter, 45c to 48c per lb.

Sudden Death Of Local Man

John Sangers Passes Away in Toronto

TORONTO, Dec. 16.—Following the eating of some oyster stew at a friend's home, 7 Gibbons Street, John Sangers, of Peterborough, became suddenly ill yesterday, and expired before a doctor could be called. The Chief Coroner was immediately notified, and the body removed to the Morgue, but it has not yet been decided to hold an inquest.

Sangers had not been well for some time.

VIEWS OF THE FIRE TAKEN BY ROY STUDIO.

Fire Insurance Appraiser Complimented the Studio on its Work.

In todays Illustrated section of the Examiner we show three views of the Quaker Oats Company fire taken by the Roy Studio. Under the circumstances and conditions the series of photographs taken by Mr. Roy are remarkable. The day was quite dull and the smoke from the fire made conditions worse, but the results obtained were so good that the Fire Underwriters complimented the Roy Studio on their work. The set of views are of material assistance to the Fire Insurance Adjusters and the Company.

SPECIAL MEETING.

A very special meeting of the Canadian Kitchener League is called for Monday, Dec. 18th, at 8 o'clock sharp, at the Y.M.C.A. It is most important that every member be present. 2t-14d

Transformation Of Neglected Children

Every Man or Woman Who is Saved From Becoming a Ward of the State Represents a Saving of $800 According to Report Submitted by Mr. Jos. Wearing, Secretary of the Children's Aid Society.

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Children's Aid Society was held yesterday afternoon. Mr. E. A. Peck, president of the Society, who presided, said that a number of changes had been made during the year, resulting in a depletion of available funds. This, he hoped, would be remedied in the future. Reports submitted by Mr. Joseph Wearing, Secretary and Solicitor for the society, Mr. C. A. G. Spence, inspector and assistant secretary; Mr. Horace Walkey, Treasurer, and the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Society, were submitted and unanimously adopted. Mr. Spence, in his report, suggested that the Society make application to the County for a minimum sum of two dollars a week for each child committed to the custody or control of the Society. This is provided for in the Children's Protection Act which distinctly states that when committing a child to the custody or control of the Children's Aid Society, the judge shall make an order for the payment by the Corporation of the municipality to which the child belongs of a reasonable sum and not less than two dollars weekly for the expense of supporting the child by the Society. Up to the present the Society has been in receipt of an annual grant of three hundred dollars, which is taken in lieu of a specified weekly amount for each child. Just how the works out is indicated by figures produced by Mr. Spence which show that the actual cost of maintenance of children belonging to the county for this year, amounted to over eight hundred dollars, whereas the grant from the County was only three hundred dollars.

Bill the County.

Mr. Spence's suggestion to bill the municipality for each child taken care of was endorsed by those present. Mr. Peck suggested that the Society wait upon the 1917 County Council, and ask for a substantially increased grant. Mr. Peck was of the opinion that a direct levy would tend to shut off voluntary contributions. The matter will be taken up at the first of the year.

Secretary's Report.

The following report, prepared by Mr. Joseph Wearing, was read by Mr. Spence on the unavoidable absence of Mr. Wearing:

Children's Aid Society of Peterborough City and County.—I have much pleasure in submitting my first report as Secretary of your society.

During the year important changes have taken place in the administration of the work, which will, it is confidently expected, be of material advantage to the Children's Aid Society enlarging its scope and influence.

Mr. George Cochrane, who had for so many years been our able and energetic agent, found it necessary, owing to increasing age and infirmity, to relinquish his position, and Mr. C. A. G. Spence was unanimously appointed by the Executive to take his place, entering upon his duties on June 1st last.

Publicity Campaign.

He has been busy reorganizing the work, visiting wards throughout the County, investigating complaints, etc. He has now started a publicity campaign to cover the whole of the county, forming county committees in the more important centres. A good motion lantern is required for this work. As we hardly feel justified in view of the condition of our finances, in making this purchase, perhaps some friend of the Society would make us a gift of this description, which would be greatly appreciated.

The management of the shelter has

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JURY RETURNED A VERDICT OF GUILTY AGAINST AND. MAGEE

Yet To Be Sentenced For Concealment of Birth—Daily Taylor Goes Free—John Armstrong Gets $500 Damages

COURT RESUMES ON MONDAY

After wading through sordid cases with which its docket was top-heavy, the County Court glimpsed the first gleam of ordinary litigation this morning in the damage action of Tully vs. Ruth. At noon Judge Hayden announced that he had an engagement at the North Monaghan town hall in connection with certain errors in the township's voters' list. It was further stated that the Tully case could not be concluded to-day. Hence, the jury accepted the option of an adjournment until Monday morning at 10 o'clock. In this action Miss Edith Tully of Smith, claims damages from Thos. Ruth, of Peterborough, arising out of a traffic accident in which the horse she was driving became alarmed at the defendant's automobile and, getting beyond control, upset the buggy.

Mrs. Clark, a resident of Smith, was driving into the city with Miss Tully on that occasion and was the first witness called this morning. She testified that she had signalled to the automobile three times as it approached, but that the car did not come to a stop until about eight feet away. Witness was holding her baby on her lap, and together with Miss Tully all three were thrown from the buggy. Only one witness has thus far been heard in this case. Mr. F. D. Kerr is counsel for Mr. Ruth, and Mr. G. K. Gordon is acting for Miss Tully. The hearing had scarcely got under way before Judge Hayden issued a familiar reminder to the two solicitors regarding the keenness with which they followed each other's examinations.

Magee Found Guilty.

Daily Taylor was acquitted by the jury on two charges, one of concealment of the birth of her child, and the other of neglect to provide adequate medical and other attendance for her accouchment.

A verdict of guilty was brought against Andrew Magee who was charged with concealment of the birth of the child. He has not yet been sentenced by Judge Hayden. This practically terminates the Asphodel cases involving Magee and Miss Taylor, who have become familiar figures in the affairs of the county officials. The investigation began early in July when Inspector Miller of Toronto, uncovered the body of the child where Magee had buried it in a henhouse at the rear of his home. The evidence has been disclosed in the several hearings and scarcely requires reiteration.

Gets $500 Damages.

Another case was wound up this morning when a jury awarded $500 to John J. Armstrong, a section man residing in Smith, in his action against Frank Ballantyne, against whom he had brought action for damages arising out of the seduction of his daughter, Margaret 16 years old. The plaintiff is a widower and his daughter had been taking care of the other children and performing the household duties. As the result of the birth of her child, Mr. Armstrong claimed that he had been deprived of the services of his daughter and put to considerable expense. The jury in this case was composed as follows: Henry Starr, H. C. Buchanan, Levi Campbell, George Hill, F. Cavanagh, A. E. Barry, M. R. Hoover, John Garvey, Frank Young, Wm. Lambkin, Isaac Adlum, and H. E. Butler.

The hearing took up all last night until eleven o'clock, and the argument was completed this morning.

PAULINE FREDERICK TO-NIGHT AT THE EMPIRE

Monday Ann Pennington as Susie Snowflake in a Comedy Drama

To-night is the last opportunity to see Pauline Frederick in "The World's Great snare," a picture that has been seen by hundreds this week at the Empire. Take the time to-night to see it. On Monday we will show Ann Pennington as "Susie Snowflake, the hero in the play of the same name, which is a fine comedy drama of Broadway, and the Home Town that we can recommend. Also a good comedy "Almost a Widow." Always see the pictures at the Empire.

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THE ANSWER.

Though the formal official British reply to the pacificatorial peace proposals of the Germans is postponed till next Tuesday, the real answer was given in brief and strong terms in the British House of Commons on Thursday. The reply took the practical form of a vote of credit for 2,000 million dollars for war purposes, and the issue of a supplementary estimate providing for an addition to the army in the field of a million soldiers of all ranks during the coming year. No matter what Lloyd George may say in reply to Germany's peace proposals, the action of Parliament in voting so enormous a sum as 2,000 million dollars and providing for enrolling and equipping a million more soldiers, is a case in which "money talks," and men get ready to fight. That doesn't look like chattering about peace that is impossible, while the power of German militarism has not met the conditions laid down by Asquith—"until the military domination of Prussia is finally destroyed." Nor will there be, or can there be, a peace considered or concluded without "adequate reparation for the past and adequate security for the future." These words, a *multum in parvo* declaration of truth, were uttered by former Premier Asquith in connection with the last previous credit vote, and were quoted by Bonar Law, Chancellor of the Exchequer, in moving the last 2,000 million vote of credit; and they still represent, as they did when uttered by Asquith, the inflexible determination of the British Government and people to wage the war till conditions are created that will commit to Britain and her allies the dictation of terms to the beaten and broken enemy of civilization and humanity.

MUST ENROLL MORE MEN.

A year ago recruiting in Canada fell off, though the need for men, and still more men, grew greater. Appeal to the Government to begin in the third year of the war to take some little official, some effective, some business interest, in the work of recruiting, came from all quarters. It came from the press; it came from patriotic citizens who had splendidly exhausted all the material and means—body and spirit—of voluntary recruiting; it came from the hard-beset Canadian soldiers, in the fighting line, in the trenches, in the dug-outs, in the hospitals, in German prisons.

Lastly, after much repetition, the appeal seems to have touched the half-awakened conscience of the Government, and the "National Service" campaign is the result. Sir Robert Borden is touring the Dominion accompanied by Mr. R. B. Bennett, Director of the National Service Board. It seems that speeches are the indispensable preliminary to Government action in all countries; but the vital thing is to do something, to put the machinery in motion. The call comes to the country to help the national service campaign; for in large effect whether wisely or not, the Government has chiefly put the work in the hands of the people to make the details of the National Service undertaking work out successfully; and the people, as they are earnestly urged to do, must co-operate.

Speaking at Edmonton, Mr. Bennett said this would be the last trial of the voluntary system as an aid to, and medium of, recruiting. Though the voluntary spirit seems to have [illegible] yet we must, since there is [illegible] other way suggested—no compromise between voluntarism and some measure of conscription—make the most of the occasion offered, and unite in co-operation to make it the greatest possible success.

We've got to furnish more men. The fight is still on. Germany's fraudulent peace proposals point to the necessity; she encompasses them with threats of "fighting eternally." And though these threats are of the same quality of bunkombe as the peace talk, they show the necessity of waging the fight to a finish, and eternally humbling the braggarts and brigands of Prussian militarism. Great Britain says she is going to raise a million more men and fit them for fighting. And what she says she does, and her measures to keep her promise won't be half measures; won't be sending written invitations to enlistment through the post office. She will raise the men she undertakes to do, and there's "an end on't."

ONE REASON AGAINST PEACE.

The German Chancellor states as one reason for demanding peace, that the military power of Germany is unbroken; that it still retains all its malignant efficiency. That is the one strongest reason against a peace at the present time. The world and Europe have had bitter experience, in terms of tears and blood and suffering, of what can be expected with Germany's power of rapine, murder and bestiality unbroken.

The world will put no trust in Hollweg's cant, his plea of interest in humanity, as a motive in Germany's desire for peace. The world will set such ghastly hypocrisy against the hellish deeds Germany has committed, the destruction of property—the more sacred and venerated, the better—in the countries occupied; the stealing of the property of the people, and destroying where not stealing; the outraging of women; the murder and mutilation of children; the crucifying of prisoners; the burning of people; deportation from Belgium [illegible]erate schemes for starving a whole people; deportation from Belgium of men of working ability—slave raids in which families are smashed apart with rifle stocks, or are prodded apart by bayonets, the men taken from their wailing wives and children, and carried off into worse than Babylonish captivity. These actions are the climax of a "horrible and hellish programme that calls for the united protest in action of the whole civilized world."

While these things, and like things have been done in Belgium, and are being done there, as in all the spheres of outrage controlled by the allies of Germany, peace talk is folly, and worse, a crime. While the Huns have the power, as they boast with, unfortunately, a good deal of warrant, while their power and will and instinct to nameless acts of cruelty and outrage remains in any degree there can be no talk of peace. The allied powers, the smaller nations of Europe, the civilized world, cannot afford to make peace while remains a shred of Germany's power and will to world domination and enslavement of the nations—bringing them under the dominion of her brutal cult of force. While it remains there can be no peace.

The forces of civilization have a hard task before them. It will involve tremendous struggle and sacrifice, but it will be worth all that confronts us, to destroy forever the menace of remorseless militarism, that will work its will upon the nations unless it power for outrage is broken. The waging of this war to a victorious conclusion, demands the services of every man, and woman, too, in Canada and the Empire. What Belgium has suffered will befall this country, unless the power of Germany is broken, and that cannot be done without every able Canadian entering the ranks to help do the breaking.

THE TELEPHONE SERVES A VERY USEFUL PURPOSE.

Ways by Which Central Can Help You When You Are in Trouble.

People sometimes feel that they are abused and are not receiving very good service from the telephone operator at Central if they have to wait a few seconds for a number, but the extra service that a telephone exchange is called upon to give on occasions such as that of the fire on Monday is not generally known by the public or 'phone users.

A call to Central to get doctors, nurses, ambulances, etc., was promptly attended to at the Telephone Exchange, which resulted in the victims being more speedily rushed off to the hospital. What was done on Monday is being taken care of almost daily in a much smaller degree.

A sudden sickness at home, an accident in a factory or store requiring a doctor necessitates only the taking of the receiver from the hook and saying Doctor. If there is a fire the same procedure, only calling fire. The telephone operator can tell your number and knows where to dispatch the doctor or the fire brigade.

This is something worth knowing and is being taken advantage of daily by those unfortunate enough to require the help of others in their misfortune. When in trouble of this kind the best way is to tell it to the operator and she will do the rest, seems to be the principle on which the Local Branch of the Bell Telephone is entering into the lives of its subscribers and daily becoming a source of help in other ways than merely an easy way to converse at a distance.

If you would keep Father Son or Brother efficient Spiritually, Physically and Mentally, for 1917, buy him a Y.M.C.A. Ticket for a Christmas Present.

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THE PROBLEMS THAT CONFRONT THE QUADRUPLE ENTENTE ALLIES

Germany's threat of perpetual war is merely a natural accompaniment of the arrogance of her bogus peace proposals. Her power to shock and disgust or even surprise the civilized world, is exhausted. The fiendish will for perpetual conflict may exist, but gratification is impossible. Production, as outlined, may be made to balance war's consumption in coal, iron and all munitions. Food and clothing supplies may be produced in sufficient quantities for both the military and civilian population. It is easy to make good the yearly losses of a fleet in biding. Collapse must come in the human element, for in this the waste cannot be restored. In two years of warfare Germany has lost permanently for fighting purposes over two million men of serviceable age. In prosperous times the excess of births over deaths in the German Empire is only about a million, and the number of males annually reaching the fighting age is negligible compared with the war's fatalities. The elaborate organization of the nation on a basis that would restore the yearly waste of war ignores the most important requisite. In times of peace the waste, loss and destruction of wealth make a record of unexpected magnitude. The waste of effort, obstructed and misdirected, would be appalling if records were possible. But in spite of industrial conditions which provoke occasional protests on behalf of mothers and children the working force is not only maintained but slowly augmented. New economies in wealth and in effort may offset war's destructions, but cannot sustain the rapidly depleted ranks of the fighting forces. In these must the German plan for perpetual warfare be broken.

Britain's new war loan and her call for a million more men are the best and the most fitting answer to the impossible peace proposals and to the threat of impossible prolongation of the war. The Allies are fighting for a cause, the only cause that can justify this saturnalia of bloodshed. They do not want the needless prolongation of war for a single day, nor the needless sacrifice of a single human life. Civilization must be rendered safe from organized and plotting barbarism. Weaker nations must be exempt from attack by predatory strength. Atonement must be rendered by the perpetrators of national villainy. Plunder must be restored to rightful owners. Proposals that do not assure these results cannot be entertained. Neither can the Allies grant respites that would facilitate the perfecting of new plans for treacherous aggression. The Allies are dealing with a military autocracy to whom no oath is sacred, whom no pledge or promise can bind. They are dealing with a people who openly repudiate that regard for obligations which makes civilization possible. An unscrupulous assassin among the nations, fair of face and falsely pretending honest intentions while reaching for a concealed weapon, the German Empire has personified the lowest and most dangerous depth of human degradation. Forced at last to tear off the mask, the rulers hope to terrify with the threat of making their wholesale murder perpetual. The worse than failure of their frightfulness has not taught them a lesson. But for the awful tragedy impending their hope to intimidate the Allies would be laughable. If there be no other alternative, if the peace of Europe and the safety of civilization cannot be assured at a less terrible cost, the Allies are prepared to accept the sacrifices involved in a protracted war, made terrible by all modern engines of destruction. The power which threatens the liberty of the human race must be made to yield. The Allies have all the requisites vaunted and boasted in this German threat. They have also a cause worthy of every sacrifice—a cause in which they are assured of decisive victory.—The Globe.

GIRLS WANTED—For Primer Department. Apply Canadian General Electric Co. 5d-135

NOTICE

TAXES FOR NORTH MONAGHAN.

NOTICE is hereby given that all taxes due to the Township of North Monaghan will be received on Saturday, Dec. 23rd, without any percentage or costs being added. After that date 5 per cent. will be added to all unpaid taxes.

Taxes may be paid at the Bank of Ottawa on Saturdays, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

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6-1-141

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The Washington correspondents continue to send out reports about correspondence between Washington and Berlin over the recent submarine atrocities. "As if it mattered!" exclaims the Hamilton Herald.—Toronto Star.

SITUATIONS WANTED

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PERSONAL

CUT THIS OUT FOR LUCK—send birth date and 10c. for wonderful horoscope of your entire life. Prof. Rasheal, 409 Lexington Ave., New York. 10d-w-321

FOR SALE

CLEARING OUT SALE OF GENT'S SUITS, overcoats, several good gent's fur collars. JAYS store, Aylmer street. 6d-d

FOR SALE—CANADA MALLEABLE steel ranges and repairs. 305 Sherbrooke street. 'Phone 1656. 26d-153-322

FOR SALE—NEW AND SECOND HAND pianos at reduced prices, easy terms. 390 Water street, open evenings. 3d-139-342

FOR SALE—CUTTER AND LIGHT SET of delivery sleighs. Apply 319 Margaret Ave. 3d-139-341

FOR SALE—PAIR OF CURLING STONES, first class condition. Apply 'Phone 1407. 3d-139-340

FOR SALE—CHESTNUT MARE, 16 HANDS, 1,200 lbs., quiet, sound, excellent driver, single or double. J. J. Turner & Sons. 3d-139-346

UNDERWOOD NO. 5 LATEST MODEL, two color ribbon, back spacer. For sale cheap to a quick buyer. Apply to Box 4661 Examiner. 22d-109-4661

CHEAP LOTS—IN BLOCK N, ASHBURNham, on Dufferin, Roger, Elgin streets; $6 per foot, $10 down, $10 per quarter till paid for. Interest only 5 per cent. Land dry, sightly, healthy, also on McDonnel St., Peterborough. Apply to Dunkle & Johnston. 6mon-91-917

FOR SALE—PURE BRED SHORTHORN cattle; four young bulls by milking dams and a stock bull; also a few females. Write, 'phone or call Allan B. Mann, R. R. No. 4 Peterborough. 3d-e-135-3w-49-169

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FOR SALE—ONE MARE AND one Colt, 8 months old; one Jersey Cow, one Heifer nearly 2 years old, 2 Cows, 2 Sets of Harness nearly new, and Buggy and Cutter. Apply to 324 Euclid Ave. 3d-140-381

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HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—TWO GIRLS. APPLY MONTgomery House. 3d-141-409

GOOD GENERAL SERVANT WANTED AT once. Apply evenings at 380 Park street. 124-128-117

WANTED—A GOOD WOMAN TO DO house work. Apply J. T. O'Connell, 136 Hunter street, city. 3d-141-398

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL FOR HOUSE work in private family. Apply 389 Pearl Avenue. 'Phone 1724. 3d-139-353

WANTED—GOOD MAID, $20 TO $25 PER month, no washing. Apply Mrs. A. H. Cox, 30 Roxborough Drive, Toronto. 3d-139-336

LADIES WANTED TO DO PLAIN AND light sewing at home, whole or spare time; good pay; work sent any distance; charges prepaid. Send stamp for particulars. National Manufacturing Company, Montreal. 6d-s-117-4w-47-4661

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WANTED—RELIABLE GIRL TO look after baby during afternoons. Apply Examiner for address. 3d-139-352

GOOD GENERAL WANTED. Good wages. H. S. Bond, 22 Galley Ave., Toronto. 6d-140-382

WANTED—GOOD CAPABLE GIRL. Apply Mrs. Dickson Hall, 25 Dennistoun Ave. 12d-140-379

WANTED—GIRL FOR KITCHEN. Good wages. Apply Empress Hotel. 2d-140-376

LOST

LOST—GOLD LOCKET WITH INITIALS "W.B.R." Leave at Examiner. 3d-141-393

LOST—ON WEDNESDAY, A BEAGLE hound. Reward by returning same to 787 Water street. 3d-141-401

LOST—SATURDAY MORNING ON MARket a dark Buffalo robe. Please leave at Examiner. 24-141-4-e-41-404

LOST—$4700 (1, 2 and 2½'s) ON GEORGE street, Friday. Finder please leave at Examiner Office. 3d-141-397

LOST—BLACK LEATHER PURSE ON George street Friday, containing a sum of money. Finder please leave at Examiner Office. 3d-141-394

LOST—GREY PERSIAN LAMB MUFF ON Sunday in King Church or between Knox Church and Crawfords Grove. Finder please leave at Examiner. 3d-139-345

LOST—ROLL OF TEN DOLLAR BILLS ($110.00) in handkerchief, Friday afternoon on George street, Turnbull's, Wilson Corner or street cars. Reward for return to Examiner Office. 3d-141-396

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GOOD GENERAL MAID WANTED—TO GO to Niagara Falls, Ontario in a doctor's home, good wages; no washing, family of two. Refer to Mrs. Rev. J. E. Webb, London street, Peterborough. Apply to Mrs. E. T. Kellam, 73 Queen street, Niagara Falls, Ontario. 3d-141-395

FOUND

FOUND—IN MARKET BUILDING, BLACK leather purse containing car bill and some change. Can be had at Examiner Office by paying for advertisement. 1d-141-402

HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO ASSIST IN Cutting Room. Gemmell & Co., manufacturers of whitewear, 218 Charlotte street. 3d-141-399

WANTED—A RELIABLE MAN AND WIFE to manage small piece of land inside city limits, steady employment and best wages. Apply Wm. Irwin, McFarlane street or 'phone 276. 3d-141-400

WANTED

WANTED—BY JANITOR OR GEORGE Street Church, janitor work or care of furnaces. Apply 500 Water street. 3d-139-332

INTELLIGENT MAN OR WOMAN TO travel and appoint local representatives for leading house. Nine months contract guaranteeing expenses and $12.00 a week. Winston Co., Toronto. 4d-w-136-30

WANTED—A YOUNG GENTLEman requires room and board. Please state terms to Box 361, Examiner. 3d-140-361

For Sale By Tender

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the undersigned executors until Wednesday the twentieth day of December, 1916, at the hour of Twelve o'clock noon for the purchase of part of the South East Quarter and part of the West half of Lot Number Ten in the First Concession of the Township of Smith, owned by the late Sarah Fitzgerald, deceased, said to contain about twenty acres more or less. This is a desirable fruit and market garden property situated about two miles West of Jackson Park. There is said to be situated thereon a good orchard, brick house, barn and other out buildings. Immediate possession can be given to the purchaser.

Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Further particulars can be obtained from the undersigned to whom all tenders should be addressed.

DATED December 1st, 1916.

JAMES EDGAR & E. L. GOODWILL, Executors of the Estate of Sarah Fitzgerald, Peterborough, Ont. 24-9-13-16

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Farm For Sale By Tender

TENDERS will be received until the 1st day of January, 1917, for the purchase of the West Half of Lot Six, in the Sixth Concession of the Township of Douro, owned in his lifetime by Michael Mahoney of the said Township of Douro, Farmer.

THIS PROPERTY CONTAINS about one hundred acres, and has good well, one barn, and a house. Fifteen acres and seventy acres are said to be cleared.

OFFERS may be sent to Gordon & Widdifield, Peterborough, Solicitors for the executors of the estate of Michael Mahoney. 3d-e-139

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Thomas Edwin Jory, formerly of the Township of Douro, in the County of Peterborough, and Province of Ontario, Farmer, and now of Rieston P.O., in the Province of Saskatchewan, Farmer, will apply to the Parliament of Canada at the next session thereof for a Bill of Divorce from his wife, Eliza Jory, whose present address is unknown, but who was last heard of from Toronto, Ontario on the grounds of adultery and desertion.

Dated at Peterborough this 15th day of September, 1916.

PECK, KERR & McELDERRY,
415 Water Street, Peterborough, Ont.
Solicitor for the said Applicant.
14d-s-70-1716

Notice To Creditors

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF DAVID A. LEWIS, LATE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF SMITH, IN THE COUNTY OF PETERBOROUGH, FARMER, DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to Chapter 121 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914, and amending Acts, that all creditors and other persons having claims against the above named DAVID A. LEWIS, who died on or about the 24th day of July, 1916, are required to send by post prepaid, or deliver to the undersigned Solicitors before the 15th day of December, 1916, full particulars of their claims, their names and addresses, duly verified by Statutory declaration, and the nature of the security (if any) held by each of them, and that after the said 15th day of December, 1916, the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only, to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and they will not be liable for any part of the said assets to any persons of whose claims they shall not then have had notice.

DATED at Peterborough, this 7th day of November, 1916.

GORDON & WIDDIFIELD,
PETERBOROUGH, ONTARIO.
SOLICITORS FOR THE EXECUTORS.
REVEREND JOHN G. LEWIS, AND WILLIAM LEWIS, EXECUTORS.

Notice To Creditors

IN THE SURROGATE COURT OF THE COUNTY OF PETERBOROUGH IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF SARAH FITZGERALD, LATE OF THE CITY OF PETERBOROUGH, WIDOW, DECEASED.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to R. S. O. 1914, Chapter 121, Section 56 that all Creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said SARAH FITZGERALD, deceased, who died on or about the ninth day of February, 1916, are required to deliver or send by Post prepaid on or before the Fifth day of January, 1917 to the undersigned Solicitors for James Edgar and E. L. Goodwill the executors of the Estate, their names and addresses and a full description and particulars in writing of their claims and statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them duly verified by statutory declaration.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the said 5th day of January, 1917, the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice and the said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

DATED this 1st day of December, 1916.

BENNETT & GOODWILL,
375 Water Street, Peterborough,
Solicitors for Executors.
2-9-16-23-30

Notice to Creditors

IN THE SURROGATE COURT OF THE COUNTY OF PETERBOROUGH

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE JOHN THROOP, LATE OF THE CITY OF PETERBOROUGH, GENTLEMAN, DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to R. S. O. 1914, Chapter 121, Section 56 that all Creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said JOHN THROOP, deceased, who died on or about the sixth day of November, 1916, are required to deliver or send by Post prepaid on or before the Fifth day of January, 1917, to the undersigned Solicitors for Cyrus T. Throop and Andrew M. Kent the executors of the Estate, their names and addresses and full descriptions and particulars in writing of their claims and statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them duly verified by Statutory Declaration.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the said Fifth day of January, 1917, the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice and the said executors will not be liable for any part of the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

BENNETT & GOODWILL,
375 Water Street, Peterborough,
Solicitors for Executors.
DATED this 1st day of December, 1916.
2-9-16-23-30

Notice to Creditors

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF THOMAS SHEEHAN, LATE OF THE CITY OF PETERBOROUGH, IN THE COUNTY OF PETERBOROUGH, MECHANIC, DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to Chapter 121 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914, and amending Acts, that all creditors and other persons having claims against the estate of THOMAS SHEEHAN, who died on or about the 26th day of September, 1916, are required to send by post prepaid, or deliver to the undersigned solicitors before the 15th day of December, 1916, full particulars of their claims, their names and addresses, duly verified by statutory declaration, and the nature of the security (if any) held by each of them, and that after the said 15th day of December, 1916, the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and they will not be liable for any part of the said assets to any person of whose claims they shall not then have had notice.

DATED at Peterborough this 14th day of November, 1916.

GORDON & WIDDIFIELD,
PETERBOROUGH, ONTARIO,
SOLICITORS FOR THE EXECUTORS AND TRUSTEES.
THE TRUST & GUARANTEE CO., LTD., EXECUTORS AND TRUSTEES OF THE ESTATE OF THE SAID THOMAS SHEEHAN

TRANSFORMATION OF NEGLECTED CHILDREN

(Continued on Page 13.)

undersome alteration. It was thought expedient by your Committee to place Superintendents of the Shelter on a salary basis, instead of the method employed previously.

This was carried into effect, but on account of inharmonious relations subsequently occurring between the Superintendents and the Committee it was finally decided to advertise for applicants. After careful consideration of the applications Miss Coulson who had had experience in this work, was appointed.

Mr. Spence has prepared a report of the statistical work of the Society, as far as he is able, dealing particularly with his own work since his appointment, so that it is not necessary for me to say anything upon this point.

The Receipts.

The receipts for the year ending Nov. 30th amounted to $3,482.02 while the expenditure reached $2,682.10, leaving a balance of $799.92.

It was most gratifying to note that in spite of the many calls on the purses of our citizens that the Tag Day receipts amounted to $1,308.84, an increase of $138.84 over last year.

This we take it, is a proof that the public recognize and appreciate the important work that the Children's Aid Society is doing. This is a Society that should not be allowed to suffer because of the war, if only just because the war makes its work more vitally indispensable. With the awful elecimation in the human race as a consequence of the present almost world-wide conflict, any work that has for its object the preservation of the rising generation, and the transforming of neglected children into reputable citizens should be heartily supported, if only for national economic reasons. The Hon. Mr. Hanna has stated that for every man or woman who is saved from becoming a ward of the state or of the public, whether represented by the municipality or the province, a saving of $800 is effected, so that a donation to such a society as this is simply an investment that will yield a profit in actual cash.

In conclusion, I desire to thank the ladies who so kindly and untiringly worked for the Tag Day Campaign, the citizens who have from time to time made donations in cash and clothing, and the Fraternal Societies who responded to our special appeal. All of which is respectfully submitted.

Joseph Wearing.

Inspector's Report.

Mr. Spence's report contains the following:

To the President and members of the Children's Aid Society of the City and County of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—The following figures will convey some idea of the work that I have been able to do covering the period from June 1st to November 30th, 1916, and in addition, it should be noted that much time has been occupied in revising records pertaining to the wards of the Society and other office work.

Statistics for 6 months ending Nov. 30th, 1916.

Applications for children	37
Children brought to Shelter (not wards)	8
Children placed on parole (not wards)	5
Children returned to parents (not wards)	23
Children involved	108
Children made wards	9
Children sent to Industrial School	2
Complaints received	46
Investigations made	46
Mail sent out	443
Meetings addressed	8
Mileage (approximate) covered	2350
Office interviews	78
Places visited outside of city	67
Police Court Attendance	30
Wards placed out	17
Wards returned to Shelter	5
Wards visited	100
Wards sent to Mercer reformatory	1
Warnings given	37
Visits paid on behalf of children	250

During the year Nov. 30th, 1915, to Nov. 30, 1916, 56 children passed inmates of the Shelter on Nov. 30th, through the Shelter. 13 children were inmates of the Shelter on Nov. 30, 1915, making a total of 69 having been cared for. Of this number 40 were males and 29 females; 41 came from the city and 28 from the county. 16 were made wards, 37 were returned to their parents, 20 were placed out. The total number of days' stay was 4,972, or an average of 72 days per child. There were 8 children in the Shelter on Nov. 30th, 1916, all of whom were boys, and four of them were being paid for wholly or in part privately.

Maintenance of Wards.

There seems to be some kind of a tentative agreement between the Society and the City and County Councils that their monetary grant shall relieve them of their liability for the maintenance of wards from their respective municipalities. This may be commendable as a matter of sentiment, but it is poor business. The Children's Protection Act distinctly states that when committing a child to the custody of control of a Children's Aid Society, the judge shall make an order for the payment by the Corporation of the municipality to which the child belongs of a reasonable sum not less than $2 weekly for the expense of supporting a child by the Society. Although these orders have always been made it appears the payment has never been applied for, and the Society has, consequently, been the loser. For instance, the County Council made a grant of $300 for this year, while the maintenance of children belonging to its municipality has cost over $800. I do not think the Councils would object to paying what they are legally responsible for, in addition to their usual grant for the general work of the Society, and I would suggest that the Executive adopt this policy for the ture.

For the more efficient execution of the work better office equipment is needed, more particularly a typewriting machine. For the publicity work a good, modern lantern and also a camera are absolutely necessary, and for travelling the County an automobile, although not indispensable, would save much time and enable more to be done. Many complaints come from the outlying townships where transportation is difficult. The expense of investigating these complaints has to be borne by the Society, and will amount to a considerable sum. My object in referring to these requisites in this report is, that possibly some well-wishers of the work are present who would be glad to increase its efficiency by presenting them to the Society.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. A. G. Spence,
Inspector and Asst.-Sec.

Treasurer's eport.

The following report was submitted by Mr. H. Walkey, Treasurer of the Society:

Receipts.

Balance	$572.37
City grant	300.00
County grant	300.00
Tag Day	1303.84
Subscriptions, donations and collections	221.27
Board and wages	727.17
Interest	58.87
Total	$3482.02

Disbursements.

Board	$1,301.17
Salaries	534.92
Provisions, etc.	409.57
Ladies' Auxiliary	100.00
Tag Day expenses	82.36
Light, fuel, water and 'phone	116.17
Interest	6.13
Postage	6.30
Expenses, travelling and sundry	68.06
Stationary and advertising	39.00
Sundry	38.92
Balance	799.92
Total	$3482.02

Woman's Auxiliary.

Mrs. William Gibbe, President of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Children's Aid Society, presented the following report:

In submitting a short report of the Auxiliary in connection with the Society, we bar to note with sincere thankfulness another year of growth and deep interest taken in the work of the Society, and especially in the renovating and refurnishing of the home under the new management. We hope to have the hearty co-operation of all the ladies in the future as in the past.

I wish, on behalf of the Auxiliary to thank all those who helped us in any way during the past year, either by donations or assisting us in the sewing. Special mention should be given to Mrs. Rogers' Bible Class, who have very kindly taken sewing every week, thus enabling us to clothe the urgent cases without much trouble. We have had several liberal donations during the year of material to make up cast-off clothing, etc. Also Mr. Bellegheni, for a jardinere stand; Mr. S. Jordan, a plant; Mr. Howard, a jardinere stand; Mrs. Stocker, handsome Morris chair, and Comstock and Sons, a sideboard.

Mrs. W. Gibbe.

On motion of Fire Chief Howard and Rev. Father Phalen, a vote of thanks was tendered to the ladies for their able and effective work during the year. They started out with less than three dollars and wound up with a balance of about twenty dollars. Their total disbursements during the year amounted to about one hundred and eighty-five dollars.

Officers Elected.

The election of officers resulted in the re-election of the old Board.

"I don't think we can do any better than ask the present officers to remain," said Adjutant McElhiney. A number of new members were added to the Board of Management. Seven members will constitute a quorum, and the regular monthly meeting of the Society will be held on the second Tuesday of every month instead of the first Tuesday. The following officers constitute the Board for 1917:

Honorary President—The Mayor of the City.

President—Mr. E. A. Peck.

1st Vice-President — Rev. Father Phalen.

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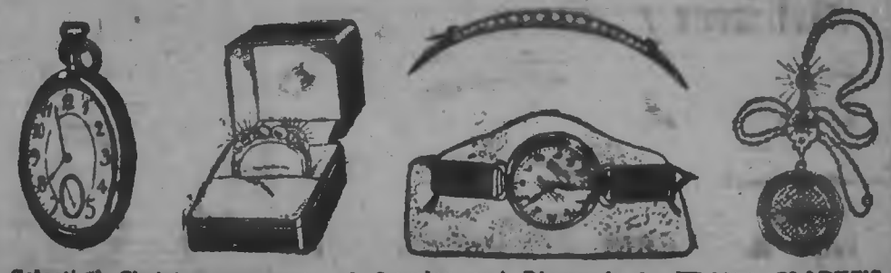

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This demonstration of the Peterborough Hardware Co. is the grand climax to the Christmas window dressing. It is the trimmer's "masterpiece" so to speak. The two large show windows have afforded ample scope for the skill and ingenuity of the trimmer. They will prove important factors in the Christmas selling, as they are both attention-compelling and sales-creating displays. The range of seasonable holiday gifts displayed are presented at a time when the public are in a receptive mood, and the variety of practical suggestions to Christmas shoppers are very helpful, especially to last-minute buyers.

The north window is a representation of some of the choicest samples of the Company's Silverplated Ware, and the south window shows excellent samples of Flatwear, etc. Both windows are not only ingeniously arranged for effectiveness, but are tastefully decorated with holly and other wreathings. Another special feature of these two windows is that every article is neatly priced in plain figures so that all may mentally size up the ability of their purse before stepping inside the store. To two members of the regular sales staff, Mr. Geo. Gordon and Mr. R. G. Langford, belong the credit for the excellent window dressing.

The Interior of the Store.

A Christmas atmosphere pervades the interior of this big, busy store. The Christmas shopper need have very little trouble in "solving the problem," as the appeals to the purchaser are most alluring. Such a wealth of practical gift suggestions for the Santa Claus impersonator would be hard to find. A good deal of intelligent thinking must have been done by the store's buyers and the clerks who have to put their "think-tanks" into keen operation to produce such results.

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Court Chemong Elects Officers

Regular Monthly Meeting of the I. O. F. Held Last Night

The monthly meeting of Court Chemong, 650, I.O.F., was held on Thursday evening—Bro. W. G. McKee, Chief Ranger, presiding. The usual business was transacted and, in addition, the annual election took place, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

W. G. McKee—C.R.
H. A. Webb—V.C.R.
G. W. Powell—F.S.
J. W. Buyers—R.S.
A. H. Webb—C.D.
Wm. Madill—Treas.
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P. Robinson—S.W.
F. Clark—J.W.
J. Masters—S.B.
H. Martin—J.B.
W. Brown and W. G. McKee—Trustees.

These officers will be installed on the evening of January 11th, 1917, by Bro. J. S. Eagleson, High Chief Ranger of Ottawa, who will give a brief address. The occasion will take the form of a social evening, including a programme of songs, recitations and music. Refreshments will be served by the ladies. The members and their wives and families and friends are cordially invited to attend this "members' rally night."

Hoka Moka Minstrels At Havelock

Peterboro' Organization Made a Hit With Their Big Show Thursday

The "Hoka Moka" Minstrels, a local organization, headed by those two old-time favourites, O'Brien and Houlihan, journeyed to Campbellford on Thursday evening, where they put on a very successful show, and were greeted by a packed house. The "S.R.O." sign being hung out early that afternoon, leaving standing room only for the fifty or sixty people that accompanied the minstrel men from here.

The first part, which was a lengthy one, went off without a hitch, the audience demanding encore after encore. The funny endmen were Messrs. Houlihan, Collins, Grad,, O'Brien, Murty and Moher. Their jokes were original and really funny, and were fully appreciated by the crowd. To Mr. Vince McCabe fell the lot of interlocutor, which he filled in a very able and efficient manner. His original way of acting the part added much to the enjoyment of the evening. Mr. McCabe opened the first part by singing that beautiful ballad, "My Grandfathers Girl," which he rendered in good voice. It would be unfair to mention anyone in particular in the circle, as they all sang their songs in a finished style, an encore being demanded in every case. The programme was as follows:

"My Grandfather's Girl," Mr. Vince McCabe.
"Old Dominion Line," Mr. Sam. Houlihan.
"Hoka Moka Isle," Mr. Tim. Collins.
"Mandy Lee," Mr. Frank Grady.
"My Mother's Rosary," Mr. Will Casey.
"I've Grown So Used to You," Mr. Carmel Leguende.
"Nearer, Nearer Heaven," Mr. Ed. Hanrahan.
"Mammy's Coal Black Rose," Mr. Joe Clancy.
"Quaker Down in Quaker Town," Mr. Ed. Riley.
"Memories," Mr. Cecil Wolfe.
"Meet Me at Twilight," Mr. Emmett Cronin.
"For the Sake of a Rose," Mr. Art. Costello.
"Dixie Land," Mr. Bill Moher.
"Are You From Dixie," Mr. Mack Murty.

Sand dance—Mr. Sam. Houlihan.

The feature of the olio was Mr. Lane, a new resident of Peterborough, better known as "Ajax, the Strong Man." He gives a very interesting and exciting exhibition of strength. He thinks nothing of lifting five men over his head, while holding another man in his teeth. He toys with a 250-lb. man in one hand above his head, and a number of other things, each one more wonderful than the other. "Ajax" alone was worth the price of admission, and several comments were heard among the crowd to that effect.

Mr. James O'Brien amused the house for half an hour with his funny speech. He had the audience convulsed with laughted from start to finish. His jokes are better for the system than "Dr. Norvall's Pills." Then followed Mr. Sam. Houlihan, Peterborough's pride, in a soft shoe dance and waltz clog. Mr. Houlihan has lost none of his old-time "sprightliness," and Thursday night he was at his best. Mr. Joe Parkins and son put on a banjo entertainment that is not equalled by any of the big time vaudeville artists. Mr. Parkins is a musician, and an artist on the banjo, which was fully displayed by his work on Thursday night. Last, but not least, came "Mack" Murty in his mile-a-minute step dance. Mr. Murty is young at the dancing business, but will make some of the older heads sit up and take notice.

To Miss Marion Gorman, the brilliant young pianist, fell the arduous task of musical directress. This role carries with it a lot of worry and responsibility, and to Miss Gorman much credit is due for the able manner in which she looked after the musical end, which, after all, is the most important part in a minstrel show. Miss Gorman was ably assisted by an eight-piece orchestra, and many flattering remarks were passed upon its playing. The personal of the orchestra was as follows: Piano, Miss Marion Gorman (directress); cornet, Mr. Joe. Minicola; violins, Messrs. Vince McCabe, J. Condon and J. McCabe; trombone, Mr. Dominic Memmo; horn, Mr. Ed. Hanrahan, and drums and traps, Mr. Frank Lynch.

The members of the show wish to thank the manager of the Opera House for the generous manner in which he looked after their wants and the splendid way he heated the house.

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THE SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS will be abroad in the Annex. Practical, useful, appreciative Gifts galore are featured throughout this page. Yet there are myriads of newly arrived Christmas novelties that have been crowded out for want of space. The values featured throughout the display will be the subject of much favourable comment. Without doubt it's a golden opportunity to make great savings on your Christmas needs. Shop as early as possible, and come as often as possible—you will be well repaid.

Christmas Annex Leader
Dress Goods Mill Ends $1.25 per end

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Six Day Annex Leader
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Christmas Annex Leader
Men's Negligee Shirts 59c or 3 for $1.65

Our Annex buyer has made a fortunate and opportune purchase of shirts. Material is percale, negligee, coat style with deep laundred cuffs and smart stripe patterns. Sizes 14 to 18½. Regular 85c. Christ Annex Leader..... 59c, 3 for **1.65**

Ladies' $1.50, $1.75 and $2.00 Black Collars 29c

Black jet collars at clearing prices, in a splendid selection of styles including large cape effects. Regular prices were $1.50, $1.75 and $2.00, Christmas Annex **29c**

Women's 75c Striped Flannelette Night Gowns 49c

Made of splendid quality striped English flannelette, in good generous sizes — a gown if we bought to-day would have to sell for 75c. Six-Day Christmas Annex Event ... **49c**

Boys' and Girls' 29c Double Knee 1-1 Ribbed Wool Hose 23c pair

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Thursday Christmas Annex Leader
Silk Embroidery Brown Cushion 25c each

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Women's Fleeced Lined Hose 22 pair

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Men's New Neck Ties 25c

A beautiful range of smart new patterns and colourings in Men's Silk Neckwear—made folded flowing end style. First Day selection is advisable. Christmas Annex..... **25c**

50c Chintz Laundry Bags 29c

Made in combination plain and floral colourings. Splendid American Chintz. A good size bag and worth 50c. Price for the Christmas Annex will be only **29c**

Tuesday Leader. Ladies' 98c Japanese Crepe Dressing Sacques 49c

A most acceptable ladies' gift—just half price for the Big Tuesday Leader. Ten dozen only excellent quality Japanese Crepe Dressing Sacques. Plain colours of red, sky, pink and mauve, with white crepe trimmings. Bright new garments that usually sell for 98c. Half Price Tuesday Leader.... **49c**

Annex Leader. 50c, 65c and 75c Dress Goods 39c yard

Here is your opportunity. The lot contains both plain and fancy weaves and many pretty colourings. To buy them in the regular stock you would pay 50c, 65c and 75c yard. For a Christmas Annex Leader the price will be, yard **39c**

Annex Leader. Ladies' and Misses' Tea Aprons 44c

Aprons are ever popular as Christmas Gifts, and this one should be—there is no lack of neatness in the making. Complete over aprons with belted waists; pockets bound with tape; all sizes; Ladies' 36 to 42; misses' 14 to 16. Mostly greys and blue greys. Annex **44c**

Monday Leader. "Delayed" Shipment White Fl'ette Nightgowns 69c

A twenty-five-dozen shipment white flannelette gowns bought over one year ago, for delivery last August. Just received and are values that we could not begin to duplicate to-day. Two styles for your selection that regularly sell for 98c and $1.00. Monday's Great Annex Leader..... **69c**

Childrens' Kindergarten Chairs 29c

An excellent gift for the little tots. Made of good strong hardwood; golden oak finish. The price is small, but they will give the children much pleasure. Christmas Annex. **29c**

Regular 15c and 20c Japanese Hinoki Wear 9c

Shown in an extensive selection of different shapes—baskets, trays, flower holders, etc. The regular values are 15c and 20c. Christmas Annex **9c**

Mens' $1.00 Rubbers "Shefford Brand" 79c pair

The quality is indeed the best on the market—fully guaranteed not to tear or leak at the seams or sole; all sizes 6 to 10. Christmas Annex, pair **79c**

Ladies' Black Leather Hand Bags 69c

A smart bag with strap handles and nickle frames, moire lining and fitted with mirror, also small change purse. Easily worth one dollar. Christmas Annex **69c**

2 and 3 Ply Canadian Factory Yarn 95c lb.

Splendid quality 2 and 3 ply Canadian Knitting Yarns. Colours are black, light grey and dark grey. A yarn that is costing more at the mill than the 6-Day Christmas Annex Price, lb. **95c**

15c---27 inch White Flannelette 11½c per yard

If white flannelette is one of your necessities then purchase this line. Regular 15c value and 27 inches wide, good heavy nap. Much below cost of making for Christmas Annex, yard **11½c**

Wednesday's Xmas Annex Leader
69c Silk Flag Cushion Covers & Centre Pieces 39c each

A most attractive new Christmas Gift novelty. Union Jack and Khaki Silk Cushion Covers, also suitable for table centres. Regular 60c value. Christmas Annex. ... **39c**

$1.25 White Venetian Bed Spreads 89c

Imported for Annex selling. Good heavy quality bed spreads; sizes 68 x 80 inches. Sell regularly for $1.25, and are good value at that price. Christmas Annex **89c**

Five and Six Inch Taffeta Silk and Duchess Ribbons 12½

All wide ribbons in taffeta silks and duchess satins. Splendid selection of colours including pink, sky, black, white, Copenhagen, brown, rose, cardinal, green, scarlet, etc. Regular values up to 25c. 6-Day Annex, yard **12½c**

Men's New Poplin Ties 2 for 25c

These are marked at just half price, and it is indeed an opportune time to offer them. Four-in-hand style with flowing end. Good selection of colours. Annex. ....2 for **25c**

Women's Finest Quality Rubbers 53c pair

You will need them for the slippery streets and sloppy weather. They are guaranteed not to leak or tear at the seams; lasts to fit every size shoe. See them and you will realize what a bargain this is. Christmas Annex, pair **53c**

Three Hundred Boxes of Christmas Stationery At Big Annex Reductions on Regular Prices

We cleared the factory lot of "over-makes" from a big Canadian manufacturer; all this season's attractive new lines in a splendid selection. Three hundred boxes to sell in the Annex—divided into four lots:—

Lot 1— 60 boxes. Regular 50c value 39c
Lot 2— 60 boxes. Regular 25c value 19c
Lot 3— 80 boxes. Regular 20c value 14c
Lot 4—100 boxes. Regular 19c value ..... 2 for 25c

Gifts for Young People

Christmas Annex Leader
Men's and Big Boys' Coat Sweaters 99c

Rarely have we been able to offer such a sweater coat value. They are in grey only, heavy ribbed, storm collars and two pockets; sizes 34 to 42. For the Christmas Annex, and as a leader we are offering them at..... **99c**

Christmas Annex Leader
50c Habutai Wash Silk 39c yard

Here is an opportunity to purchase a silk that will serve you in many ways. It will wash splendidly. Can be had in cream, black and white. Regular price is 50c yard. Christmas Annex Leader Price will be, yard **39c**

Gifts for Children

The GRESSMAN Company Limited

Religious Books for All Denominations

You are always right when the Gifts is a Bible or any other Religious Book. For a most complete assortment, covering many styles of binding, for every denomination, and prices to suit every pocket, see this department at TREBILCOCK'S.

Bibles

Ruby type, yapped edge 50c
Ruby type, yapped edge, large size 75c
Ruby type, yapped edge, with maps and reference $1.00
Minion type, yapped edge, with maps and reference $1.25
Minion type, yapped edge, with maps and reference $1.50
Teacher's Bible, with concordance, maps, etc. $2.50
Teacher's Bible, with concordance, maps, etc. $2.50
Very large type, for elderly people $2.50
Indexed Bible at, each $1.75, $2.00, $2.50
Indian Paper Bibles, small pocket size, $1.25, $1.75, $2.00
Illustrated Bibles at ..... $1.25 & $1.50
Presentation Bibles, Indian paper, silk sewn, at $3.50, $4.50, $6.00, $10.00

Testaments

Small black leather binding, each 35c, 50c, 75c
Illustrated, large type 50c
Illustrated, leather binding 75c

Psalm Books

Pocket Size, cloth 25c
Large Size, cloth, large type 35c
Large Size, leather large type 75c

Song Books

The New Canadian Hymnal 85c
Alexander's Gospel Songs 25c
Voice of Praise 35c
Sacred Songs and Solos, words only 15c
Sacred Songs and Solos, music, 1,200 pieces $1.50

Methodist Hymn Books

Cloth Edition 30c
Cloth Edition, Pocket Edition 50c
Leather Edition 75c
Large type ..... 90c & $1.25
Pocket Leather ..... $1.25 & $1.50
Large Leather Edition ..... $2.25 & $3.75

Presbyterian Hymn Books

Small Pocket Edition 25c
Small Pocket Edition, large type 35c
Small Pocket Edition, leather 40c
Small Pocket Edition, leather 60c
Small Pocket Edition, fancy leather 75c
Pocket Size, large type, leather 85c
The Hymn-Book, with music 85c
The Hymn-Book, with music, large size $1.10
The Hymn-Book, leather back, with music, large size $1.50

Catholic Prayer Books

Key of Heaven, small black leather, pocket size 35c
Key of Heaven, large black leather, good type 50c
Key of Heaven, large black leather, soft leather 60c
Key of Heaven, large type, embossed Cross on cover 85c
Key of Heaven, pocket size, padded leather cover, embossed covers $1.00
Key of Heaven, very large type for elderly people, leather bound $1.25
Key of Heaven, padded leather covers, good type $1.25, $1.50, $1.75

Anglican Prayer and Hymn Books

Pocket Size, cloth covers, red edges 30c
Pocket Size, black leather covers 50c
Pocket Size, black leather embossed covers .. 60c
Pocket Size, black padded leather 75c
Pocket Size, white padded leather covers 85c
Pocket Size, black padded covers, embossed designs $1.00
Pocket Size, black soft lambskin covers ... $1.25
Pocket Size, Indian paper, very thin books $1.25, $1.50, $1.75
The New Edition of the Prayer Book, cloth .. 50c
The Hymn-Book alone 15c, 40c, 75c, $1.25
The Hymn-Book with music $1.75, $2.75

New Books

MR. BRITLING SEES IT THROUGH — by H. G. Wells. This Novel interprets the spirit of Britain at the present time $1.50

RHYMES OF A RED CROSS MAN — by Robt. Service. A new collection of poems from the war zone $1.00

Red of the Lone Patrol ..... H. A. Cody
The World for Sale ..... Gilbert Parker
Georgina ..... Anna Johnson
Just David ..... Porter
Kitchener's Mob ..... Hall
The First Hundred Thousand ..... Ian Hay
The Red Watch ..... Col. Currie
Lady Connie ..... Humphrey Ward
The Girl Phillips ..... R. W. Chambers
The Governess ..... Julia Lippman
Told in a French Garden ..... Aldrich
The Nillcap on the Marne ..... Aldrich
When a Man's a Man ..... Eejl Wright
Tommy, Private Secretary ..... Sewell Ford
Polyanna ..... Porter
Anne of Avonlea ..... Montgomery
Anne of the Island ..... Montgomery

There are many new interesting books published this season by different publishers and we will be pleased to order any special orders.

Sleepy Bed Time Series
35c each

The Sleepy Bed Time Series for children from 3 to 8 years—A new series of Animal Stories for Children.

The Tale of Cubby Bear
The Tale of Frisky Squirrel
The Tale of Tommy Fox
The Tale of Fatty Coon
The Tale of Billy Woodchuck
The Tale of Jimmy Rabbit
The Tale of Peter Mink
The Tale of Sandy Chipmunk
The Tale of Brownie Beaver
The Tale of Paddy Muskrat

TREBILCOCK BROTHERS

Open Evenings

417 George Street Telephone 285

School Boys Will Be Entertained At Y. M. C. A. During The Holidays

The monthly meeting of the Board of the Board of Directors will be held Tuesday evening next, at 6.30. This is the final meeting of the year, so the presence of every director is needed.

Mr. James Dutton of the William Stark Co. will address the Y.M.C.A. meeting on Sunday at 4.15 o'clock. Mr. Dutton's address will be on a timely subject and will be of considerable interest. All men and older boys are invited.

Friday evening, supper was served to the four winning teams in the recent membership contest. Captains of these teams were Ross Dobbin, Bruce Hamilton, Reginald Brown, and Herman Whitecroft. Forty men and boys were present.

Arrangements are being made to flood the tennis courts for a skating rink. It is expected that this rink will be in condition for use before the holidays.

Special arrangements are being made to care for the school boys who will throng the building during the two weeks' holiday. Also a special open house and gymnasium entertainment is being arranged for New Year's day. In view of the Patriotic work that the ladies are engaged in at the present time, the usual reception and refreshments will not form a part of the New Year's programme. However, a great effort will be made to throng the building with the young men and boys of the city on this day.

In making up the usual list of Christmas gifts do not forget a Y. M. C. A. membership ticket for son or brother. Perhaps father could be persuaded to renew his youth in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium or bowling alley if he were given a Y.M.C.A. ticket for Christmas. It is poor policy to let father grow old too soon.

$1,640.000 For British Red Cross

Ontario's Contribution is $125,000 in Excess of Last Year

Up to date over $1,640,000 has been contributed this year to the British Red Cross Fund by the municipalities of the Province of Ontario. This amount is $125,000 in excess of the sum raised in connection with the Trafalgar Day appeal in 1915.

As the Organization of Resources Committee is anxious to have a report prepared in time for presentation at the next session of the Legislature, the books of the Fund will be closed on January 15th. All contributions must reach the Committee as soon as possible before that date in order that they may appear in the report.

Contributions received by the Treasurer, Hon. T. W. McGarry, after January 15th will be acknowledged and forwarded to the British Red Cross headquarters from time to time.

Christmas Parcels Are Already Moving Through the Mails

The tide of Christmas postal deliveries is already running high according to Postmaster Edgar. Recent mails have already brought a considerable quantity of Old Country holiday remembrances, and the next week or ten days will witness a continuance of these receipts. In fact practically up to the New Year the overseas packages will constitute a large proportion of the local postal business. The Canadian interchange of gifts is expected to be as heavy as usual but will barely show an increase over recent years. It is believed that much of this former gift-giving between relatives in Canada has been diverted and extended to the sending of parcels to the soldiers in England and France.

MEMORIAL SERVICE.

At Mark Street Methodist Church to-morrow night, there will be a service to the memory of William Miles, who has been missing since the great Quaker Oats fire.

LADIES' AID SOCIETY ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

The Ladies' Aid Society for St. Andrew's church wish to thank the following for their kindness in helping to make their bazaar and rummage sale such a great success.

Mr. J. G. Gole, of the Woolworth Co., for the nice supply of decorations; J. M. Greene, for the use of two phonographs; Mr. R. Hall, wrapping paper; Mr. Bragg, for the donation of Quaker oats; Gillette of Toronto, for the Magic Baking Powder; Curling Club, for the use of their rink, and Mr. McIntosh for his kindness to the ladies; Dr. F. S. Robinson, for the use of the autos and the others who so freely gave their time and assistance of their cars; D. Bellegham & Sons, for tables; A. Comstock & Sons, for chairs; Mr. John, for tea; Mr. G. A. Gillespie, for cream and milk supplied.

Proceeds were $475.00 for the two days' sale.

We owe a hearty vote of thanks for all who gave their time and help for the preparing of this event, and the way all who gave so generously in every respect was really far beyond the expectations of the ladies in charge of the various attractive booths, who are as follows: Mrs. John and Sills, rummage sale; farmer's booth, Miss M. Gordon. Mrs. G. Kerr, tea room. Mrs. Edmison, fish pond; Mrs. J. H. Edmison, home-made cooking; Mrs. Chas. McFarlane, fancy articles; Mrs. R. J. McWilliams, useful articles; Mrs. W. H. Wanan, apron booth.

Mrs. G. W. Green, President.
Mrs. J. H. Edmison, Treas.
Mrs. W. J. Cox, Secretary.

Market Situation For the Week

The following comment on the market situation as regards food stuffs appeared in Canadian Grocer this week:—

Trade in grocery lines has been fairly good during the week. There is a slight cessation noticeable, due to the pre-holiday period. An uncertainty and weakness prevails in the flour market at the time of writing, due to peace talk. For the most part the offers of peace have had but little effect so far in the market. Wholesalers quite generally feel that very little will come of the present advances of the enemy powers. Sugar declined 10c per hundred on all makes.

Stocking Heavy.

There has been a disposition on the part of some retailers to stock fairly heavy and thus run themselves into shallow water when payment time comes. Wholesalers are inclined to advise more cautious buying. There is an easier tone in butter, eggs, and cheese during the week. People are not buying as heavily on these commodities and the decreased demand has put a different complexion on the market. Live and dressed hogs are higher in price. Canned goods are holding in steady market with an easier tone in canned tomatoes. All dried fruits are in firm market with possible shortages in some lines for the Christmas trade. Nuts are also in firm market and many lines will be short for the holiday trade also. Teas are also firm and in the London market are quoted one-half cent per pound higher.

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW

ANGLICAN

St. John's Church

REV. J. C. DAVIDSON, RECTOR.

THIRD SUNDAY IN ADVENT.

8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Matins and Sermon.
Processional 48—On Jordan's Bank the Baptist's Cry.
Venite 7.
Benedicite M.
Office Hymn 57—Jesus came from realms on high.
Before Sermon 65—The Lord of might from Sinai's brow
Offertory—"O come let us worship"—Mendelssohn.
God Save the King.
Recessional 412—Brief life is here our portion.
3 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes.
7 p.m.—Choral Evensong and sermon.
Processional 476—Hail to the Lord's anointed.
Response Tallis.
Psalm Chants 113-116.
Magnificat 129.
Nunc Dimittis 114.
Office Hymn 646—Thou art coming, O my Saviour
Before Sermon 494—Ten thousand times ten thousand.
Anthem—"Who left His Throne on High"—Stainer, from "Daughters of Jairus"
God Save the King.
Recessional 46—The Mighty God, the Lord Hath Spoken.
The Rev. Canon Cornish will officiate
Richard J. Dovey, Organist and Choirmaster.

All Saints' Church

REV. R. B. GROSS, M.A., RECTOR.

THIRD SUNDAY IN ADVENT

11 a.m.—Morning Prayer.
Hymn 488—"Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus."
Venite 8; Psalms 37; Benedicite 14; Benedictus 40; Gloria Tibi 143.
Kyrie—Chandler.
Solo—"Comfort ye my people" (Messiah.)
Mr. George F. Chandler (tenor.)
Hymn 665—"We love the place O God."
Alma Presentation 309.
Hymn 271—"Thine for ever."
Amen 139.
3 p.m., Sunday School.
Mrs. Stevenson's Bible Class for Ladies.
The Rector's Bible Class for men.
7 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Holy Communion.
The Rector will continue his series of sermons on Simon Peter.
Subject—"Peter's Restoration."
Hymn 665—"Rejoice the Lord is King."
Psalms 60; Cantate 25; Deus Misereatur 66.
Anthem—"Hark the glad sound the Saviour comes."
E. V. Hall
Hymn 488—"Art Thou weary art thou languid."
Alma Presentation 309.
Hymn 196—"Jesus Calls us o'er the tumult."
Amen 137; Vesper 49.
Choirmaster, Mr. George F. Chandler.
Organist, Miss Flowers.

St. Luke's Church

ASHBURNHAM—EAST CITY.
REV. W. H. WHITE, M.A. RECTOR.

THIRD SUNDAY IN ADVENT.

8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Service with sermon.
3 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes.
7 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon
Wednesday 7.45 p.m.—Bible Study and Conference.
Superintendent of Sunday School, J. J. Turner, Jr.
Organist and Choir Leader, Mrs. W. A. Greenslade.

St. George's Church

South Peterboro — Lock and Braidwood

REV. J. PRICE, RECTOR.

11 a.m.—Matins and Sermon.
3 p.m.—Sunday School

St. Alban's Mission

Church of England.
Business Street, Brownton.
Mr. C. A. G. Spence in charge.

11 a.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—Evening Service and Sermon.
Preacher—Mr. C. A. G. Spence.
Tuesday 7 p.m.—Boys' Brigade.
Thursday 7 p.m.—Mission Band.

METHODIST

George Street Methodist

REV. R. G. PEEVER, B.D., PASTOR.

10 a.m.—Society Class Meeting and Junior Epworth League.
11 a.m.—"The Virgin Birth and the duty of Jesus."
Morning Music:
Prelude—Andantino—Westbrook.
Anthem—The Homeland—Sullivan.
Solo—Wandering Child come home—Blight.
Mrs. J. H. Renwick.
Postlude—Allegro Con Spirito—Best.
3 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes.
7 p.m.—"Only a step between me and death."
Prelude—Andante Gracioso—Merkel.
Anthem—In the beginning was the Word—Allan.
Solo part Miss Etta Kemp.
Male Quartette—The Angels Lullaby—Ashford.
Mr. Edward Jones, Mr. Edwin Walton, Mr. C. C. Parsons, Mr. Wesley Dartnell.
Solo—The Star of Bethlehem—Adams.
Mrs. J. H. Renwick.
Quartette—We are come to worship—Simper.
Miss Emma Worth, Miss E. R. McKee, Mr. Edward Jones, Mr. Wesley Dartnell.
Anthem—It came upon the midnight Clear—Berlinski.
Solo part—Mrs. J. H. Renwick, Mr. Edward Jones.
Postlude—Marche Joyeuse—Kimball.
Special music beginning to-morrow night.
Good Music. All Welcome
Mr. J. H. Renwick, Organist and Choirmaster.

Trinity Methodist Church

SIMCOE STREET.

REV. J. P. WILSON, B.A., PASTOR.

11 a.m.—Morning Service.
Morning Music:
Anthem—"The Unseen Kingdom"—Lane.
Recit—Mr. A. Lee.
Solo—"He Knows the Way"—Briggs.
Miss Taylor.
3.30 p.m.—Sunday School Rally.
7 p.m.—Evening Service.
Evening Music:
Anthem—The Shadow of the Evening Hour"—Shelly
Solo—Miss Pollard and Mr. Hartshorn.
Duet—"How sweet the name"—Rosen.
Misses Taylor and Pollard

St. James' Methodist

REV. B. GREATRIX, PASTOR.

10 a.m.—Fellowship Meeting.
The Pastor will preach at both services.
2.30 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class on Brotherhood.
In the evening his subject will be—"The Great Fire and its Lessons."
Monday—Epworth League.
Wednesday—Prayer Service.
Thursday—Choir Practice.
Friday—Boys' Guild 7.15 p.m.
Everybody Welcome.

Mark Street Methodist

PREACHER, REV. R. A. WHATTAM

11 a.m.—Morning Service.
Subject—"Bright Thoughts of Christ."
Anthem—"Bonds for Jesus"—A. Wilson
Anthem—"The Lord is my Shepherd"—J. Thomas.
7 p.m.—Evening Service.
A service in memory of late William Miles, missing since the great fire
Anthem—"My Blessed Saviour"—C. Morris.
Anthem—"O God, our help in ages past"—James Martin.
Organist and Choir Leader, Mrs. J. Lock
All Welcome.

PRESBYTERIAN

Knox Church

REV. J. A. MACKENZIE, B.A., PASTOR

11 a.m.—Morning Service.
The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be dispensed at this service.
Prelude—Elgar.
Anthem—Thy way not mine O Lord—Wicks.
3 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes
7 p.m.—Evening Service:
Subject—The spiritual message of the Quaker Oats fire
Evening Music:
Prelude—Russian Melody
Alez Daniells.
Anthem—In Heavenly Realms—Woodcock.
Seats Free. Strangers Welcome.
Mr. George Kenyon, Organist and Choirmaster.

St. Paul's Church

REV. ROBERT POGUE, PASTOR.

11 a.m.—Morning Service.
3 p.m.—Sabbath School.
Young Ladies' Class, Teacher. Rev. R. Pogue.
Young Men's Class, Teacher Mr. H. B. Owens.
7 p.m.—Evening Worship.
Organist and choirmaster, Mr John Allan

St. Andrew's Church.

Rev. T. H. Mitchell, Minister in charge.

11 a.m.—Divine Service
Morning Music:
Rev. T. H. Mitchell will occupy the pulpit at both services.
Prelude—Minuette in G—Bethoven.
Anthem—Arise Arise Shine—Maker.
Offertory—Miserere De Travator—Verdi.
Solo—O Holy Night.
Miss Helen McLaren.
Postlude—March Pontifical—Goanod.
3 p.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—Divine Service.
Evening Music:
Prelude—Meditation—Morison.
Anthem—And the Glory of the Lord, from the Messiah—Handel.
Solo—The Star of Bethlehem—Adams
Miss Helen McLaren.
Offertory—Serenade—Schubert.
Anthem—Behold upon the Mountain—Keighley
Mixed Quartette—Listen Christians while we sing—Martin.
Mesdames MacKenzie and Nichol: Mrs. Nichol and Miss McLaren.
Postlude—Tachauser March—Wagner.
Herbert G. Treasey, Organist and Choir Master.
Strangers Welcome Seats Free.

BAPTIST

Murray Street Baptist Church

REV. J. H. WEBB, PASTOR
Residence 194 London St.

11 a.m.—Morning Service.
3 p.m.—Sunday School.
Mr. Waller's Adult Class.
7 p.m.—Evening Service.
Asa Hayeks, choirmaster
Miss Ida Sanderson, organist.
All seats free and strangers are our daily welcome

Park Street Baptist Church

PASTOR REV. DOUGALD BROWN.
235 Reid Street.

Rev. Dougald Brown will preach at both services.
11 a.m.—Morning Service.
Subject—"The Church at Thyatira."
3 p.m., Sunday School. Supt. Mr. F. A. D Fry. Men's Bible Class, Teacher Rev. Dougald Brown. Ladies' Bible Class, Teacher, Mrs. A. Nicholls.
7 p.m.—Evening Service.
Subject—"What We May Be."
Monday 8 p.m.—B.Y.P.U.
President—Mr. Wm. Saunders.
Wednesday 8 p.m.—Prayer and Praise Service.
Thursday, 8 p.m., Choir Practice.
Mr. A. Nicholls, Organist and Choir master.
Seats free. Everybody welcome

ROMAN CATHOLIC

St. Peter's Cathedral

There will be two masses celebrated.
At 8 a.m.—Low Mass. At 10.30 a.m.—High Mass. At 7 p.m.—Vespers and Sermon.

MISCELLANEOUS

Bethany Tabernacle

PASTOR, A. G. DONER.

Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
11 a.m.—Plain, earnest, heart-talks to Christians by the pastor.
3 p.m. Sunday School. Supt. Eld' A. J. Johnson. Adult Bible Study Class, Romans, Pastor; Young Women's Class, Miss Nellie Jones, graduate of Nyack Institute.
7 p.m.—Special lectures by Pastor on Illustrated Dispensational Chart.
Spiritual, congregational singing led by Miss N. Jones, soloist and deaconess.
All requests for special prayer or visitation will be promptly and faithfully attended to.
All inquirers gladly met at close of any service
A cordial welcome to all.

Salvation Army Temple

9 a.m.—Prayer Meeting.
10 a.m.—Y. P. Directory Class.
Open Air 10.15—Fire Hall
11 a.m.—Holiness Meeting.
3 p.m.—Sunday School.
3.15 p.m.—Open Air George and Hunter street
3 p.m.—Free and Easy.
6.15 p.m.—Senior Open Air Hunter St.
6.15 p.m.—Junior Open Air Snowden House.

Assembly Hall

(George Street. First Floor Old Opera House Building.
11 a.m.—Breaking of Bread.
3 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class.
7 p.m.—Gospel Meeting.
A hearty welcome to all.
"Christ died for the ungodly."

Gospel Hall

Corner George and Brock Sts.
GOSPEL SONG SERVICE
10 a.m.—Sunday School.
11 a.m.—The Lords Supper.
7 p.m.—Gospel Meeting.
8 p.m. Wednesday—Prayer Meeting.

City Mission

(EMPIRE THEATRE)
P. A. CONNERS, MINISTER.
Mr. P. A. Conners of the City Mission will not hold any services to-morrow.

Free Methodist

Aylmer Street, Between Charlotte and King Streets.
REV. E. SNYDER, PASTOR.

Sunday Services
9.45 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Preaching.
7 p.m.—Preaching.
Tuesday 8 p.m.—Prayer Meeting.

THE WORLD OF SPORT

BIG SQUAD OUT AT FIRST JUNIOR PRACTICE

The first hockey practice of the season was held at Brock St. Rink last night when a big squad of Junior candidates and a number of the 247th Battalion Intermediates were out for over an hour. The hold that hockey still has was indicated by the large attendance of rail birds who gathered to get a line on the players. The Juniors had a raft of youngsters out, good, bad and indifferent, but the majority good. Of last year's team Graham, Cherrett, Montgomery and Bartley were in uniform, while among the new players out was McFee, who learned the game up in New Liskeard. The majority of the others out were members of last year's City and Junior Church League teams, and there is good material among them. Several of the youngsters are very promising, although a little light and inexperienced in view of the number of seasoned players who are available this year. Two Junior goal-keepers, Carney and Murray, both did well in the nets. Scotty Shea of Lindsay, will be out at the next practice.

Among the Juniors out were: Graham, Montgomery, Cherrett, Bartley, McFee, Forst, McIntyre, Wright, Clarke, Jackson, Park, Carney, Murray and Soden.

Among the 247th out were: Halpin, Jerry Coughlin, Thornton, Legros and Shaw.

There were too many on the ice for anybody to shine much, but two sides were selected and the players got a hard hour's exercise.

The next Junior practice will be held on Monday night at 7 o'clock and players are asked to be on hand sharp on time. The upstairs dressing-room will be available for Monday night's workout.

Standard And Average Of Church Bowling League

Following is the standing in the Church Bowling League to Dec. 15:—

	Games	Won	Lost	P. C.	Pinnage
St. Anderws	9	6	3	.666	3993
St. Paul's	9	6	3	.666	3471
Trinity	9	5	4	.555	3598
Murray Street	9	4	5	.444	3454
St. John's	9	3	6	.333	3632
George Street	9	3	6	.333	3400

PLAYERS' AVERAGES.

The players' averages in the Church Bowling League to December 15 are as follows:

PLAYER. TEAM.	Games	Aver.	High Single	High 3 Games	Pins.
Hamilton, George St.	9	161.4	262	517	1458
J. Green, St. A.	5	145	190	394	725
Fitzgerald, Murray Street	9	144	183	479	1295
C. Elliott, George Street	6	143	209	441	859
G. Green, St. A.	9	141.4	179	452	1274
Austin, Trinity	9	141.1	178	448	1270
Logan, St. Paul's	3	139.6	190	419	419
Currie, St. Andrews	3	137.6	168	413	413
R. Glover, St. A.	3	137	185	412	412
A. Stuart, Trinity	9	136.6	197	470	1230
Roper, St. Paul's	6	135	146	411	819
Caniff, St. John's	9	134.5	178	412	1271
Stevenson, St. John's	3	132	157	397	397
Smith, St. Paul's	9	131	155	439	1080
Edmonds, Murray Street	9	129	156	395	1160
Pidgeon, Trinity	9	128	161	420	1153
Young, St. John's	6	124	154	380	743
Cottingham, Murray Street	3	123	144	370	370
Parks, St. John's	9	123	149	407	1112
McGee, George Street	9	119	153	381	1071
Kirn, St. Paul's	9	118	143	362	1062
Walton, St. Andrew's	3	117	141	351	351
Hagerman Murray St.	3	113	122	338	338
Brownscombe, George St.	3	110.3	135	331	331
Lathrope, George Street	3	104	110	312	312
Copp, George St.	1	102	102		102
Gillespie, Murray St.	3	97	104	291	291

High Single—Elliott—209.
High 3 Games—J. Green—517.
High Team Single—St. Andrews—523.

THE GERMAN HIGHWAYMAN.

Germany is willing to make peace. Likewise the highwayman with his booty in his pocket is quite willing to let matters rest as they are.—Charleston Courier.

A GREATER WILL COME.

If the greatest of all wars ends in a draw it will not long hold its place as the greatest of all wars.—New York Sun.

10c LAST CHANCE TO-DAY DON'T MISS THIS. 10c

Royal Theatre

SPECIAL
Four reel feature Society Drama
ON HER WEDDING NIGHT

3 Reels Feature Detective Story
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THE GIRL FROM FRISCO

Two Sparkling Comedies including "Ham and Bud" and others. This is the largest and best program the Royal has ever shown. Judge for yourselves and ask for your money if not satisfied.

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This Christmas

Let us Give Moderately to Each Other and Generously to the Soldiers' Families

Nineteen hundred and sixteen years ago came the very first Christmas, and for all these centuries there has recurred the Great Anniversary with its message of good will to men.

And so we give gifts.

Men and women of Ontario! We who stand for good will among men and nations; we whose men fight that there may at last be real peace on earth—let us make this a Christmas worthy of the day it commemorates—let us lay aside a generous proportion of our Christmas money for the families of those who are fighting the good fight.

Give to the Canadian Patriotic Fund

the fund that guards the soldiers' families from want.

Great as the result will be among the families of our soldiers, greater yet may the blessing be among us, the givers. Christmas will have a more vital meaning for us than perhaps ever before, and as for the children, who can measure the impression they will receive and keep of that Christmas Day when they shared their Christmas with the loved ones of the men who saved their country!

Let each Canadian boy and girl get a lesson from this historic Christmas which will go with them all through life.

Good men and women of Ontario! Can the need of our soldiers' families cry in vain for the relief which this Fund alone makes possible? Can we—can we, in the face of it all, again give lavishly among ourselves? Shall we not this year, with hearts full of the spirit of Christmas, lay aside a generous proportion of our Christmas money for the cause which so urgently needs it?

"Somewhere in France" he is fighting the good fight.

Somewhere in Ontario all that he holds dear is depending upon our decision.

Truly "It is more blessed to give than to receive."

Ontario will be asked in January to assure the Canadian Patriotic Fund that it can depend on having six million dollars in 1917 for the families of Ontario's soldiers.

Four million of these dollars must be secured from individual subscriptions. If there is no Branch of the Fund in your town or county send your subscription direct to the Head Office, Canadian Patriotic Fund, Victoria street, Ottawa.

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BOWLING

In the Peterborough Bowling League, last night, the Printers took three from the Grocers, putting them within one game of the Business Men Smith, for the printers, was high, with a 577 count. Ross, for the grocers, with 472 count. Henderson pull of the spare of the evening:

Grocers.				
Heard	155	141	157	453
Ross	167	140	169	472
Gillespie	106	153	168	427
Outram	137	117	134	398
Fitzpatrick	135	157	167	459
Totals	708	693	784	2185
Printers.				
Smith	198	186	193	577
Miller	125	168	135	428
Myland	137	133	142	412
Henderson	171	154	178	497
Cairns	157	198	187	538
Totals	783	838	835	3444

Church Bowling League

In the Church Bowling League on Friday night George Street defeated Murray Street by the score of 2 to 1. The following were the scores:

Murray Street.				
Edmunds	133	143	119	395
Gillespie	94	93	104	291
Fitzgerald	183	167	129	479
Totals	410	403	352	1165
George Street.				
Hamilton	115	148	131	394
Elliott	209	118	114	441
McGee	129	118	134	381
Totals	453	384	379	1216

BRIDGENORTH CONCERT

The ladies of Bridgenorth and and surrounding country served refreshments in the C.O.F. Hall on the first day of the short course in stock judging. They also gave a concert in the evening. It was well patronized and the proceeds from the tea and concert amounting to $40, will be used to buy yarn for soldiers' socks.

TIZ-IT THEATRE

Maria Walcamp and Jack Holt in the Fifth episode of LIBERTY

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WEDNESDAY—

BARBARA FREITCHIE, Metro Film Co., 5 part Drama, based on the well-known story featuring "MARY MILES MINTON." Included with the above will be the 2 Serials "ROMANCE OF ELAINE" and "THE IRON CLAW," and numbers of the BRITISH GAZETTE, as well as CHARLES CHAPLIN and LONESOME LUKE COMEDIES, making the best programme ever given in the city.

10c—Which Includes War Ticket—10c

Afternoon Matinees—Children when accompanied by parents or guardians, 5c as usual.

The Christmas Store For Men

Santa Claus says the Christmas Haberdashery shown by Hickeys' makes sensible and useful gifts. Now, if you are thinking of buying Gents' useful Christmas Gifts, don't pass this store, as we have bought very heavily this Christmas. If you should desire any present held till Christmas Eve, we shall be pleased to do so with pleasure.

SHIRTS Choose for him a Shirt, a man's most favourable fancy. **$1.00 to $3.00**	**HOSIERY** "Holeproof" guaranteed and Penman's, done up in nice Christmas boxes. **25c to 50c**	**NECKWEAR** Smart, cheery colourings in Xmas Cravats, neatly boxed. **50c to $1.00**
HATS His Hat a gift that is always appreciated. **$2.50**	**GLOVES** We sell the well-known Townes and Dents make. **$1.00 to $4.00**	**PYJAMAS** Santa Claus suggests Pyjamas. These nobby styles will please him. **$1.50 to $3.00**
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OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL CHRISTMAS

Social and Personal

The Marmora Herald says: Marmora has lost its Holt, and things will never be the same again. On Tuesday of this week Mr Eric Holt, junior at the Dominion Bank, was transferred to the Peterborough branch of the bank. His unfailing good nature and love of fun and playing jokes gave him a unique position in the village. While congratulating him on his promotion many here will regret his departure. His place has been taken by Mr. A. M. Duck, of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. John Strickland, Welland, have rented Mr. Tate's house, "Harborne," Lakefield, and will reside there until Mrs. Strickland's new residence at the old Strickland Homestead is completed.

Lieut. Sydney Dunsford was in Warsaw on a recruiting trip this week.

Monsignor Losey, Lindsay, and the Rev. N. J. McGuire, Enniscore, were in the city yesterday to attend the bazaar at St. Alphonsus Lyceum.

Miss Anna Kills returned to her home in Milbrook yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. Russell, Baileyboro, were visitors in the city yesterday.

Miss K. Traill, Lakefield, paid a flying visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Collins yesterday.

Mrs. Peel Dennistoun, Winnipeg, who spent the summer in England, arrived in Peterborough last night, and is the guest of Col. and Mrs. Arthur Stevenson.

The many friends of Mr. "Bertie" Weese, 198 Auburn street, will be pleased to learn that he is recovering from a serious operation which he underwent in Nicholls Hospital on Wednesday.

Mr. J. E. Thompson of Norwood was in the city this morning on business.

Messrs. Jas H. Johnston and W. A. McMullen of Havelock were guests at the Munro House to-day.

Mr. Ralph Stoddard, N.Y., President of the De Laval Co., is in the city, registered at the Empress.

Mr. Geo. W. Thornton of the C. P. R. Co. of Smiths Falls, is in the city.

Mr. D. Meisler, aprominent auto dealer of Detroit, is at the Empress.

Mrs. W. H. Merrill of Orillia, is spending a few days in Peterborough at 396 1-2 Water street, with her husband who is on business here.

Sergt. Instructor Sucese of Kingston, is in the city to-day.

Mrs. F. M. Dela Fosse is in Toronto the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Frewer, for a few days.

Miss Howson of Norwood was the guest of Mrs. Knox, Grimour street, this week.

Miss Edith White is spending the holidays the guest of her brother, Rev. W. H. White, 'The Rectory,' East City.

Mrs. Grant entertained at a small tea yesterday at St. Alphonsus Lyceum.

Pte. Wilfred Hall, who is attached to the Mechanical Transport, left this week for duties overseas.

Photographs taken this week finished for New Year's

Postals of the fire may be had at the Studio

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BRIDGE TENDER WINS AGAIN.

Company Has to Pay $1,800 Damages and Costs of the Court.

WHITBY, Dec. 15.—In the case of John C. Feelan v. Lake Simcoe Navigation Co. at the December Sessions here the plaintiff was awarded $1,800 damages. He was permanently disabled in the summer of 1915 when the steamer Otonabee struck a bridge on the Trent Valley Canal. Feelan, who was bridge tender, received very serious injuries. Last spring a jury awarded him damages of $3,000, but the case was carried to the Court of Appeal by the Navigation Company. A re-trial was ordered, and the plaintiff this time gets $1,800, with the company paying costs of the court.

City and General

Broken auto cylinders, machinery and stoves welded, by the new Oxo Acetelyne Process. Anything in iron, steel or aluminum made as good as new, not patched up. Millard's Bicycle Shop, Hunter street, near Aylmer.

PROBABILITIES

Fair to-day with higher temperature, light local snow to-night and on Sunday.

SNOWSHOES FOR CHRISTMAS.

We have a complete stock of ladies', children's, boys', girls' and men's sizes. J. J. Turner & Son. 3d-138

WILL MEET TO-NIGHT.

Peterborough Operatic and Dramatic Society will meet at 248 Park street at 8 p.m. prompt.

NOTICE.

There will be a meeting of Court Langton C.O.F. on Monday evening in the Foresters' Hall, Simcoe St., for the election of officers. A full attendance is requested. J. R. Lockie, C.R.

DRY SHORT WOOD FOR SALE.

The Peterborough Lumber Co. have recommenced sawing their dry four-foot hemlock wood. Prompt delivery. Phone 545. 28d-130

ASSEMBLY HALL.

The last of the special series of Gospel meetings in the Assembly Hall will be held to-morrow night at 7 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all to this meeting and every Sunday night at the same hour. First Floor, Old Opera House Building, George Street.

DON'T BLAME THE STENOGRAPHER

If you hesitate to sign and send out a letter because it is not well typed. The type may be ragged. It may be out of alignment. The margins may be uneven or typewriter may skip or over-print. This is the fault of the typewriter, NOT the typist. Have Nelson attend to your typewriter. Opposite Oriental.

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Furniture purchased now as gifts, will be held until Christmas week if desired. Dining room furniture on sale this week. Some handsome styles to choose from. A collection of colonial art craft and modern style buffets. See our show window. A fine example of the William and Mary style.

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OTONABEE CHAPTER, I.O.D.E.

The work-room of the Otonabee Chapter will be open both morning and afternoon on Monday, and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance, as there is a quantity of work to be finished. As the room will be closed the two following Mondays, on account of Christmas Day and New Year's Day, those in charge are most anxious to have the work on hand finished next week.

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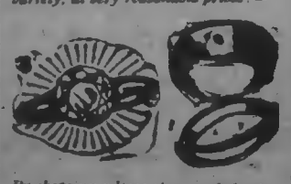

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AUCTION SALE

Of Household Furniture, etc., at the home of Mrs. J. Twomey, 378 McDonnel street, on Monday, December 18th, at the hour of 1.30 p.m.—W. J. Hancock, Auctioneer 3d-14-16

HOSIERY. HOSIERY.

When buying your Christmas gifts don't forget to call on us. We have a complete line of ladies' and children's rib-bore, mittens, red over-stockings, sweater coats, etc. Also a full line for men, and specialties for soldiers.—Lavoie Knitting Factory, 32 Hunter Street East of St. John's Church. 6d-146

T. P. O'CONNOR.

Lack of space to-day prevents the insertion of T. P. O'Connor's overseas letter. It will appear on Monday.

FUNERAL TO-DAY.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Brault, who died on Thursday at the family residence, 77 Ware street, took place this morning. Father John O'Brien officiated at the Church of the Sacred Heart, and Father McCauley at St. Peter's cemetery.

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY.

The Executive Committee of the Children's Aid Society is seeking to secure from the Peterborough Relief Association a grant of $500. Initial steps have been taken to secure this amount and the matter will be decided at a meeting to be held some time within the next few days.

AUCTION SALE

Of house and lot containing one acre of land, brick cottage in fine shape, good stabling, etc., on Concession street, south, the property of Mr. Wm. Johnston; also his stock and implements will be sold by auction on Wednesday, December 20th, at 1:30 p.m. The property will be sold on terms to suit purchaser, monthly payments if desired. See Auctioneer, W. J. Hancock, 404 George St. 3d-9-12-16

OBITUARY

MICHAEL JOSEPH CRADY.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Grady, Claradav, will sympathize with them in the death of their infant son, Michael Joseph, who passed away last evening, aged three and a half months. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

JOHN CAMPBELL DOUGLASS.

A letter received in Peterborough this morning gives information of the death of John Campbell Douglass, a former well known resident and native of this city. The death took place at the residence of his sister, ("Edie" Douglass), now Mrs. Millard Wagner of Guymon, Oklahoma. The late Mr. Douglass was born on Gilmour street, the only son of the late Andrew Douglass, building contractor. Fifteen or sixteen years ago he removed to Florida, and later to New York, where he was engaged in literary work. He was a singularly well-read man and of fine mind. As a literary reviewer and critic he held a high place in New York publishing circles. Not long ago he went to reside with his sister, whose second husband is a large ranch owner in Oklahoma. Here his last illness, malignant cancer, ended in death. The late Mr. Douglass will be well remembered by the older residents. After leaving Peterborough he developed higher moral and literary qualities. He was an unusually human man with the weaknesses of humanity but with its best qualities—a tender and humane heart, with an active love for children and animals. Burial took place in a prairie cemetery in Oklahoma, near the town of Guymon.

FINED FOR HAVING MUSKRAT SKIN

LINDSAY, Dec. 16.—Mr. Edgar Hepburn was fined in the police court by Police Magistrate F. D. Moore, K.C., $14.40, for having a muskrat skin in his possession unlawfully.

A search warrant has been issued in connection with the case, and High County Constable Conquergood and Game Warden Parker visited the premises of the accused. They found some skunk and coon skins, and also came across the tail of a muskrat.

The accused at first pleaded not guilty stating that the rat was caught by accident, but finally admitted killing it. It was his duty to hand the rat over to the Game Warden, but he skinned it and hung the pelt in the stable. It fell to the floor, he claimed and a pig eat it.

FINE STERLING SILVERWARE

We can unhesitatingly recommend to the Christmas Shopper our exquisite display of Fine Silver ware for quality and style.

Large and Small Tea Spoons
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CABLE GREETINGS EARLY.

Advice to Canadians — English Railway Fares to be Increased.

LONDON, Dec. 14.—Canadian administrative centres in London will observe Christmas Day as a holiday. The cable companies anticipating a rush of seasonal greetings form Canadians here, have asked that such messages be filed by December 20 at the latest. Leave from training camps, as already announced, will be restricted to five per cent. of any unit owing to extreme pressure on the railways. Train fares for civilians in England are expected to be increased fifty per cent. at the new year.

Quick Watson Call a Taxi

Plainville Corners Report—A Man of Mystery

Police Magistrate Davidson, according to the Cobourg Star has received an anonymous letter from a resident of Plainville, stating a "man who looked like a German was seen in that vicinity this week. Following is the letter.

"Nov. 13, Dec. 12, 1916.

Mr. Davidson.

Dear Sir,—I write you in reference to a German tramp who came along the old Cavan road this morning. He stayed all night at Wilbert Col's. They say they are sure he is a German and he pretended he could not talk english. He had a large bundle of something. No one knows what. He left their before it was day light, but he travelled East and some time in the forenoon he went in to Albert Harper's and asked for his breakfast. That was the last we heard of him. A black looking fellow with a mustash. He asked for lodging at Hugh Halligan's, but they refused him, for they thought he was a German spie, or perhaps he was on his way from Peterborough, perhaps implicated in this aerial explosion at the Quaker Oats Co. They asked him if he come from Peterborough and he said he had came from another direct, but it is the opinion of all that he did, and that he is on his way east to the Saint Lantance River to cross the river where it is narrow and shallow and get back to the states. Now I think that I have told you as near as I can. The folks all seemed afraid to phone to Cobourg for fear they would get into trouble. It was talked of all day, every body thought he should be made give an account of himself, but no person did it to my solidee, so I thought I would drop you a line and perhaps you would see after him. I just sine my name a friend and then my name wont be mentioned but it is a true statement.

MISS DOROTHY ALLAN DELIGHTED TWEED

The Tweed News says:

Our music loving people were given a great treat at the Organ and Vocal Recital in the Methodist Church, Monday evening.

Mr. John Allan, organ soloist, of Peterborough, and his daughter, Miss Dorothy Allan, provided the musical programme with Miss Myrtle Fawcett contributing two readings.

Mr. Allan's work at the organ was most pleasing and demonstrated his ability as an artist, his numbers were splendidly varied and the response with which the audience received them showed that the player had reached their hearts and won their favour.

The singing of Miss Allan was the best, or at least, the equal of anything ever heard in that church, and that is saying a lot. She completely captured her audience and was recalled again and again. Her rendering of La Marseillaise (L'Isle) was exceptionally fine. "Spring's Awakening" (Sanderson) and "Hark, Hark My Soul" (Newton) were very greatly enjoyed. Miss Allan is assured of a very warm reception before a Tweed audience at any future time.

PATRIOTIC CHINAMAN

Did "His Bit" by Chopping Wood for Soldiers' Wives.

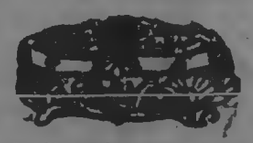
This pretty little story, which seems to carry the stamp of truth, comes from an officer of the Canadian Patriotic Fund in British Columbia.

In a little town on the Fraser River lived an old Chinaman. He existed by doing odd jobs. When the patriotic fund was formed in that town John came to the chairman and said, "You catchee me job, I givee to help soldier's wife." The chairman, not knowing of any work for John at the time, said that he was sorry but he could not give him employment. A few days late John came again. Once more he said, "You catchee me job, me givee to help soldier's wife," and once again no employment was forthcoming. The third time John came to the chairman. This time his request was somewhat different. "You givee me name of six soldiers' wives; me go cut wood, no charge," said John. "Me no get job, me no give money, but me cut wood." And so John is now giving a day a week to cutting the firewood for six soldiers' families and thus doing his bit for his adopted land.

Metal lace on a young girl's gown are usually veiled and softened with tulle.

EXCLUSIVE GIFTS

In the past month we have received many articles of gift presentation that cannot be duplicated elsewhere such as



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CHRISTMAS DINNER

The Empress Hotel will be just like home on Christmas Day and will serve a special Dinner 12.30 to 2.30 p.m. Come and bring the family and give your wife a holiday. Tables may be reserved by Telephoning 121.

THE EMPRESS HOTEL

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—The Stock Market rebounded to-day from the four-day break caused by the German peace proposals, initial gains ranging as high as five points in some instances.

U.S. Steel opened on sale of 25,000 shares at 114 to 114½.

New York Stocks.

Air Brake 155 7-8, 155. Atcheson 104 1-2, 104 3-4, B. & O. 84 7-8, 86; C.P.R. 163 1-2; N.Y. Central 106 1-2, 106 7-8; Erie 36 5-8, 37 1-2; Reading 108, 109 1-8; U.P. 145 7-8, 147 1-4; Beth. Steel 568, 575; Rep. Steel 81, 81; U.S. Steel 114 5-8, 114 1-8; Anaconda 87 1-4, 87 1-2; Inter. Nickel 45 1-2, 45 5-8.

Chicago wheat—December 151 1-2, May 163. December corn 91 1-8.

Canadian Stocks.

Cement 66 1-4, 66 1-2, Dom. Steel 74 1-2, 72 1-4, Steamship 40, 39; Smelters 34 1-2, 35; N.S. Steel 132; Steel of Can. 76, 72 3-4; Gen. Elec. 113, 112 1-2.

What the New York Papers Are Saying.

Sun.—Heavy offering of stocks have been absorbed by strong interests.

Wall Street Journal.—An avalanche of stock is absorbed at the lowest prices of recent weeks by patient bargain hunters.

Times.—For the first time in weeks selling appears to come very largely from thousands of holders of stocks who have resisted pressure by increasing margin demands and high money rates.

The Professional View.—Buy the rails on weak spots and sell the industrial on sharp rallies for turns.

Brown boots with castor coloured cloth tops, are very general favourites.

Collar and cuffs of old-fashioned lace are effective on a dress of silk.

FIRE SALE

Owing to the recent fire in our show room, thereby slightly damaging some of our fixtures; we have decided to place our entire stock of Fixtures and Portable Lamps on sale Dec. 18th to Jan. 1st.

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French Continue Successful On Verdun Front

Over Nine Thousand Prisoners Are Accounted For

REICHSTAG'S CONSERVATIVES CALL FOR A FLAT STATEMENT THAT THE PEACE CRY IS NOT ONE OF DEFEAT

Suggest That the Whole Body Add to the Chancellor's Announcement the Expression of a Demonstration of an Unflinching Will to Win—Newspapers Fear the Entente Will Ignore the Appeal.

WARNS AGAINST OPTIMISM

BERLIN, December 18.—A caucus of the conservative party in the Reichstag adopted a resolution, which is now published, says the Overseas News Agency, declaring that the peace offer made by the Central Powers is based naturally on a programme of concrete peace conditions.

These conditions, the resolution continued, are unknown, but it considers it evident that no negotiations will be carried on in order to obtain "peace at any price, but the conditions should guarantee a peace which will safeguard Germany's future." The preamble to the resolution declares that the peace offer is a "matter of highest historical importance."

The resolution recalls the feeling of self-reliance expressed in the simultaneous orders to the army and navy, and declares it is probable that the Entente, nevertheless, will interpret the peace offer as a sign of weakness. The conservative party, it adds, had suggested that the whole Reichstag add to the announcement of the peace offer a demonstration of an unflinching will to win, which certainly would have been expressed by all parties, with the possible exception of the extreme left wing of the socialists.

The resolution then recalls the announcement of the Imperial Chancellor that the German nation through its chosen representatives will have an opportunity to take a definite stand on the question of the aims of the war, and concludes by stating that the conservative party expects "that the advantage gained by the blood of our brave troops will be made the basis of a peace which, according to human understanding, will guarantee the military, economic and financial future of our country."

WARNS AGAINST OPTIMIST.

The Tageblatt says it is apparent from recent utterances in hostile countries that sensible persons there understand it is impossible to regard the peace proposal of the Central Powers as a sign of weakness, but adds that other persons in those countries oppose "premature peace." Balancing these two tendencies, the Tageblatt says:—

"Can Premier Lloyd George have turned from a sober statesman to a gambler? Can he have forgotten statesmanship is the art of possibilities? If Lloyd George and his colleagues forget this, they themselves and their nations will have to suffer the consequences."

Warning the public not to be too sanguine this newspaper continues:—

"It may be that a negative answer is being prepared for the messenger of peace, but the hour must come when the great masses of those who are in fetters will regain freedom of speech and freedom of movement."

The Vossische Zeitung says:—"One would think common sense must prompt the Powers at war with us at least to inquire what our peace conditions are. Their character has been outlined by the Chancellor, who said the agreement must safeguard the existence, honour and liberty of development of the Central European nations, and that it also must guarantee a lasting peace. This means that the conditions could not be of such a nature as to offend the dignity of others nations."

"Almost all neutral newspapers take the attitude that the people in the Entente countries must certainly share the views of the German Chancellor as to the advisability of entering on peace negotiations," says the Overseas News Agency. "Some newspapers say the only question is whether the Entente government will understand or desire to hear the voice of the people. Some of these newspapers, especially in Switzerland and Scandinavia, discuss the problem of what neutrals ought to do if the action of the Central Powers should fail on account of the attitude of the Entente.

"The Nieuwe Courant, of The Hague, says the Entente governments must decide the matter without being influenced by the ravings of the mad press. The Vaderland asserts it is hardly credible that the first step of the Central Powers should not be followed by others. The Post, of Zurich, says:—"The nations are ready for peace. Whether the leading men are ready must be decided.'"

Further Gains Made By The French Troops

German Official Statement Admits Further Advances by the French on the Verdun Front—Large Number of Prisoners Taken

HEAVY ENEMY LOSSES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, Dec. 18. — French troops continue successful advance in the Verdun region capturing the Village of Bezonvaux. Prisoners continue to be brought back in large numbers. Over nine thousand men and two hundred and fifty officers already counter. Enemy troops attempted to approach our trenches north of Hill 60, but were caught by our artillery fire suffering heavy losses.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—German statement admits further advances by the French on the Verdun front.

German Successes In Roumania

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BERLIN, Dec. 18. — War Office statement reports that Von Mankensen's troops have crossed the Buseu sector in Central Roumania taking one hundred and fifty prisoners, but expects stout resistance in the northern part of the province. The Germans claim that the Roumanians have lost three hundred thousand men.

The Bulgarian War Office reports that the Bucharest-Futesti railway has been crossed.

Will Be Sent To France

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, Dec. 18. — Portuguese troops will be sent to fight in France.

DAY OF ILLUSIONS OVER FOR GERMANY

Observer Notes Sad, Anxious Faces in the Streets of Berlin—Confidence is Departing—With Thumbscrews Tightening, an American Doctor Wonders How the Poor Manage to Get Along.

FOOD SUPPLIES RUNNING LOW

"No one who has studied the German press lately could fail to be struck by certain indications of the progress made during the first month of the third year of the war toward the final disillusionment of the German people."

Thus writes the correspondent, who from month to month has supplied the Pall Mall Gazette of London with a review of the internal affairs of the Central Empires, in his summary of the economic situation in Germany during August.

Reference is made to crowded meetings in various parts of the Empire, at which resolutions in favour of "a speedy peace without any annexations" are enthusiastically adopted. The underground political controversy directed against the Government, it is asserted, is becoming increasingly bitter, the attacks on the Food Dictator grow more and more violent as his failure to achieve the impossible becomes clearer, and considerable latitude is now allowed to the Socialist press in discussing the causes and effect of food scarcity. There is also a spread of revolutionary tendencies.

A neutral diplomatist of strong pro-German sympathies has written a letter in which he remarks that "the sad and anxious faces one meets in Berlin make one think that happiness has fled from the world." After admitting that the confidence in victory is no longer what it was, he concludes his letter.

They are still putting a good face on things and some even believe that Verdun will be taken soon, but all the same, my impression is that the moral of the German soldier has become weakened, and that he has no longer his old confidence in the utility of the efforts demanded of him. Germany's strength can grow greater, but has reached its apogee.

A Dane who has resided in Berlin for six or seven years writes.

There is little talk now of the final victory. The military authorities say, of course, that they will fight to the last man, but the common people hunger after peace, as also do most of the soldiers.

Robberies and plundering are common, and would be much more so were it not that many of the shops are empty, in fact about half the shops are closed, and the smaller restaurants also. Rioting is of daily occurrence, both in the city proper and the suburbs. Crimes are increasing rapidly, murder, robbery, and assault are common, also suicide. It seems as if the town were struck with madness.

An American doctor who has been studying in Berlin for some years describes the growing difficulty of obtaining the necessaries of life, even when one possessed the money to pay for them. "Till September, 1915," he writes, "there was no hardship, but then the thumbscrews began to tighten, and now the people of Germany are slowly but surely being starved out. * * * It is a riddle to me how the poor families have managed, and conditions must be much worse now."

A Woebegone Tone.

The woebegotten tone of documents found on recently captured prisoners is amazing. They tell of hunger being rife, of the impossibility of obtaining sufficient food, of the scarcity and exorbitant cost of clothing and boots, of the countless food tickets, of the long waits in the food queues, of the frequent failure of supplies, especially of meat, fat, and potatoes. There are constant allusions to growing discontent among the asses, to strikes and riots and to collisions with the police.

Many of the writers express the opinion that things cannot last much longer as they are, and there are ominous murmurings against the rich and the "food insurers." That the suffering among the masses is real no one who reads these letters can doubt, and the knowledge of this suffering cannot fail to exert a depressing influence on the soldiers at the front.

The entrance of Roumania into the arena of course must have a most serious effect on Germany. It is possible that the full effect of the cutting off of Roumanian supplies may not be apparent at first, but in view of the German harvest, but before the end of the winter Germany's position should again become critical. The yield of the harvest, however, is a good average one.

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Saturday Grain Market Report

Wheat Prices Still on the Downgrade—The Cattle Market

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Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W., 60 1-2c; No. 3, 57 1-2c; No. 1 extra feed 57 1-2c.

American corn — No. 2, nominal; No. 3, new, $1.02 1-2, December shipment subject to embargo, track, Toronto.

Ontario oats — No. 2, white, 58c to 60c; No. 3 white, 57c to 59c.

Ontario wheat — No. 2, winter, per car lot, $1.50 to $1.52; No. 3, $1.48 to $1.50.

Peas — No. 2, nominal, car lots, $2.20.

Barley—Good milling, $1.15 to $1.17, feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat, nominal.

Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal; No. 2, new, $1.34 to $1.35.

Manitoba flour — First patents, in jute bags, $9.50; second patents, in jute, $9; strong bakers, in jute, $8.80, Toronto.

Ontario flour — New winter, $8.80 in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment.

Millfeed — Car lots, delivered, Montreal; shorts, $37; bran, $33; feed flour, per bag, $2.80; middlings, $33 to $40.

Hay—Baled, No. 1, track, Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots, $12.50 to $13.50; No. 2, $10 to $11.50; straw, $9 to $9.50.

Minneapolis Flour Drops $1 in the Week.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 18.—Flour prices dropped fifty cents here Saturday, making the total decline for the week $1. Millers now are quoting at $6 a barrel.

Cattle Markets.

Saturday's latest quotations:

Heavy steers, choice	$9.25 to $9.50
Choice butcher	8.50 9.00
do good	8.00 8.25
do medium	7.00 7.25
do common	6.25 6.50
Heifers, good to choice	7.00 7.25
do medium	6.25 6.75
Butcher cows, choice	6.25 7.00
do medium	5.75 6.25
Butcher bulls, choice	6.85 7.50
do good	6.50 6.60
do medium	5.00 5.50
Feeders, 800 to 1,000 lbs.	6.50 7.00
do bulls	5.25 5.75
Stockers, 700 to 800 lbs.	6.50 6.75
do med., 650 to 750 lbs.	5.50 6.00
do light, 600 to 650 lbs.	5.00 5.75
Canners	4.10 4.40
Cutters	4.50 5.25
Sheep, light	8.50 9.50
do heavy	7.50 8.50
Spring lambs	10.75 12.75
Calves	8.00 12.50
Hogs, fed and watered	11.75 11.98
do weighed off cars	12.00
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Food Restrictions In Great Britain

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

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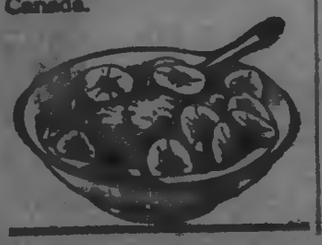

Worst Fog in Fifty Years

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec. 18.—Worst fog in fifty years settled over London yesterday. Civilians and soldiers were forced to carry torches in the streets. Many ships collided and some lives were lost in bad fogs in Britain.

A Peerage For Sir Max Aitken

Special to The Examiner.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—King George confers peerage on Sir Max. Aitken.

GRAVE OF BROKEN HEARTS.

Michelangelo, Galileo, Alfieri, and Macchiavelli Lie Under One Roof.

In the Franciscan Church of the Holy Cross rises one of the two monuments disdainful Florence condescended to give her greatest poet, whose greatest honour lies in his gift to the world at one splendid sweep of a pure and recreated Italian language — until his time halting and inerte—in that immortal masterpiece of literature, the Divina Commedia, says the National Geographic Magazine.

This church might well be known as the Broken Hearts instead of Santa Croce, for near Dante's cenotaph — his exiled ashes still rest in Ravenna —lies the body of that other terrific genius, Michelangelo, who, broken in spirit, died gladly when the city so dear to his heart fell once more upon dark and tyrannous days. And Galileo is here, too, and Alfieri and Macchiavelli, and many another a brilliant train.

Michelangelo's last work is in the nearby church of San Lorenzo, in the mortuary chapel of the Medici—the great house which deigned to favour him with its patronage or its cruelty throughout his life.

Allied Seaplanes Dropped Bombs

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec. 18.—Allied seaplanes dropped bombs on Rashovtzi, east of Istip, Serbia, doing considerable military damage.

PUT SUNDAY ON A SALARY

Federal Council of Churches to Criticize Evangelist's Offering.

It is learned on unquestioned authority that the Commission of Evangelism of the Federal Council of Churches will say some very plain things concerning the Rev. William A Sunday's "free-will" offering in its report to be made to the council at its forthcoming meeting in St. Louis, observes the Boston Evening Transcript. More than that, the commission will recommend, it is said, that all evangelists, Sunday with the others, be taken charge of by the churches themselves, according to religious bodies to which they belong, their finances regulated and supervised, and that the evangelists be paid salaries.

The commission will tell the council, it is said, that almost all professional evangelists have raised in expression of a deside that they be put on an official basis, as are ministers, and money matters be taken off their hands. The commission does not say whether Sunday has himself joined in the appeal, but it is informally said that he has not done so. The commission will say, it is known, that some measure of harm is done by the Sunday "free-will" offering plan. Public criticism of it is known to be general, and it is not mitigated by the fact that Sunday gives much of it away. It seems certain that the council will adopt the recommendations of its commission.

Prevent a glass jar or bottle from cracking when hot things are put into them, by wrapping a hot cloth around them.

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8.20 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
8.30 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
11.40 a.m.—Mid-day express for Toronto, reaching Toronto at 3.15 p.m.
12.10 p.m.—For Lakefield.
11.40 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
1.30 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
6.00 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
5.40 p.m.—For Lakefield
6.15 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
6.05 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville Montreal and Boston.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY
CORRECTED JUNE 6, 1916

GOING EAST—
*6.20 a.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*12.15 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N.B., Boston, and New York.
*1.20 p.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, and Ottawa.
*10.25 p.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and intermediate points, and all points east of Montreal.
GOING WEST—
*4.55 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Galt, Woodstock, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*8.30 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
*7.30 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York. Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
*5.15—a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port Perry and intermediate points.
*7.40 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Buffalo, New York, Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, London, Detroit and Chicago.
*2.40 p.m.—North Toronto and West Toronto and intermediate points.
*Daily. **Daily except Sunday.

"DESTINY"

By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday)

When Paul Burton reached the street most of the private motors had been summoned and dispatched by the starter. He stood for a while looking up at the stars and breathing deeply the grateful night air. The moon-mist made a shadowy lacework of the trees in the park, and the dark contours of the avenue's mansions were silhouetted beyond the lights of the Savoy and Netherland. The expenditure of so much of his emotions still always left him strangely restless and made him crave a brief after-math of solitude. So he sent his car away and turned down the avenue, seeking corroboration there, and the girl had met them with only an impersonal and non-committal smile.

Paul had drunk enough of flattery to feel piqued at its withholding. Now to see the figure of her who had withheld appear there quite unaccompanied, as though rising in response to his meditations, almost startled him. She did not see him until he reached her side and lifted his hat, not even then, for she was looking across the avenue with something of absorption in her manner, until he spoke her name.

Even as he murmured, "Miss Terroll," the inflection of surprise, remained in his voice. It was well after ten o'clock and in those circles of society where he was received the system of chaperonage was rigid enough to fail of understanding for the women who dared the streets at night unescorted. He knew ladies who went to their several rostrums to sound the clarion of sex equality and who went at night, but they did not go unchaperoned. And under the lights this slim figure, with its sassy, almost boyish independence, seemed very young, almost childish.

She turned at his greeting, and her eyes must have read his thoughts, for once more they smiled and in the smile was an amused twinkle. This time, though, it was also a smile on the lips, revealing a row of teeth so small and white that they accentuated her seeming of childishness. She must be about twenty-two or twenty-three he thought.

"Mr. Burton," she laughed, "you spoke my name then almost as though I had astonished or startled you. I was scrutinizing the house across the way rather intently, but honestly there was no burglary in my thoughts."

"I'm rather sorry to hear that," he encountered with a simulation of disappointment. "I've never burgled—and I had begun to hope you'd imitate me and let me share the adventure." She said nothing for a moment, and he bluntly demanded, "I was wondering what was in your thoughts just then."

Miss Terroll bent forward to look up the avenue before she answered. The buses were not running close together at this hour and the lamps of the nearest were still two blocks away.

"If I tell you, will you tell me why you spoke my name so chidingly?"

"It seems on its face a fair bargain." He spoke with a pretendedly grave consideration of the subject. Then added, "Yes, I will."

"I was thinking of music."

"What music?"

"Just music as music. Music as the one art which needs no background because every listening human being supplies one. That is where it succeeds where sculpture, for instance, fails. Music is a sort of panacea."

"Oh!" His monosyllable was a trifle disappointed. With such a cue she might at least have admitted his music into the summary.

The light from the overhead lamps fell in a circle of comparative radiance and he had time to note the charming modelling of her throat, and a certain delicate nobility in the curve of her brow, where the soft hair merged with the dark shadowing of her hat brim.

"You haven't carried out your part of the contract yet," she reminded him. "I've told you what, but have not told me why."

"I mean to. Are you waiting for some one?"

"I am waiting for a 'bus to take me home."

"Where are you going to let it take you? Where is your home, I mean?"

"The Square," she answered, "and there is the 'bus coming, to gather me in, and you still have not told me why I shocked your voice into that undertone of astonishment."

Paul Burton smiled, and did not yet enlighten her. Instead he went on stubbornly questioning. "The Square does not mean Union or Madison. I have detective genius enough to infer that, because they're not places of homes. Is it Gramercy or Washington?"

The girl flashed her smile on him again, and replied lightly.

"One enters my Square under a marble arch and we who live there always think of it as the Square."

"But Washington Square is a long way," he remonstrated. "It's a far journey to take alone."

The girl then stepped out behind the curb, and signalled, then as the 'bus drew over and came to a stop, she nodded to the man as she started up the stair to the roof. "Good night, Mr. Burton," she called over her shoulder. "You are a good custodian of secrets."

But the musician was climbing up after her and when she seated herself at the front he took his place beside her. "I'm going to answer all questions put to me on the way down to the Square," he announced.

"But you have just complained that it's a far journey."

"I beg your pardon. I said it was a far journey to take alone."

She turned in her seat and looked at him. The lips and the brow were reserved, even grave, but in the green gray eyes danced a truant twinkle. As the heavy vehicle rumbled and lurched along the way where the asphalt fell into shadow she became a graceful silhouette of slenderness but as they passed through the brighter zones about the great opals swung from the lamp pillars, the dimpled little chin and small nose revealed themselves in a sort of baffling warfare of sauciness and dignity. Paul knew that there were well-held frontiers of reserve and self-containment in this woman's nature, but that back of it lay an alluring playground of mischief.

"And yet we are told," she was saying in a low voice, whose music suddenly impressed the musician, "that—

Down to Gehenna or up to the throne.
He travels the fastest who travels alone."

"Just at the moment we are not bound for either of those places," he assured her. "We are going to the Square."

"Why was it?" she demanded suddenly. For a few minutes they had been silent, and Paul had revised his estimate. She could hardly be as old as twenty-one. Perhaps she might be twenty.

"Really you are exaggerating," he laughed. "I was neither astonished or shocked. I was only surprised, and when I tell you why I shall no longer be a man of mystery, consequently I shall no longer be a man of interest."

"But my curiosity will be satisfied. Isn't that quite as important?"

He shook his head. His own curiosity was far from satisfied. He was still wondering why she had no kind word to say for his music.

"I was just surprised to find you there—alone," he said at last.

"Oh!"

Until the 'bus swung into view of the Metropolitan tower neither of them spoke, and then the man turned to look at his companion and found her smiling to herself. It struck him that if she would only laugh aloud, it would be worth hearing. But of that, at that moment, he said nothing.

"Won't you share the joke with me?" he smiled, and she said:

"I was just thinking of your solicitude about my being alone on Fifth avenue, after all the formidable places where I've been alone—in one-night stands."

"One-night stands?" he repeated vaguely after her and she replied only with a matter-of-fact nod, then, for his further enlightenment.

"You see I am an actress and most of my work has been on the road."

Paul Burton's face did not succeed in masking his surprise at the announcement.

"Have I shocked you again?" she demurely inquired.

"Shocked me, no." He disavowed with an almost confused haste. "I suppose I was surprised because the few actresses I have known have all been so unlike you."

"You mean," she amplified, "because I don't make up for the street?"

"I shouldn't have said that," he laughed, then added: "Now if you had told me you were playing truant from a young ladies' seminary, I would have found it quite natural. I saw you out front just before I began playing. Somehow the simple directness of your expression—I hoped it was anticipation—didn't seem to me characteristic of the stage. I fancied that professional people were usually chary of enthusiasm."

"There are at least several sorts of stage people, and they're not all gutter-children," she answered. "And then I haven't always been an actress. It was thrust upon me—by necessity."

"When I play," the man assured her, "the faces out front always grow vague to me. To-night I say yours when the others had gone. Then I lost yours, too. I hope I didn't disappoint you."

She shook her head. "No," she said, but to the simple negative she added nothing affirmative.

Paul Burton remained silent, half-piqued, and she divining his thought, smiled quietly to herself at his petulance, but finally she spoke slowly and gravely: "You are an artist and until to-night you didn't know of my existence. Anything I might say would mean little to you."

"Even," he impulsively demanded, "if it came from the lost face that faded?"

"If that is true," she responded, "I don't need to say anything, do I?"

To Paul's subtly attuned nature many things came in intuitive impressions. Now he was keenly interested because this woman whom he had met that night had told him only one thing about herself, that she belonged to a world of which, in the personal sense, his world touched only the least creditable segments. He felt that she would not, without a much riper acquaintanceship, tell him anything more. Yet he felt with conviction that her refinement was not only innate and true, but that of an aristocrat; that her mind was not only quick, but cultivated. As though dropping thoughtlessly into a more musical tongue he spoke next in French, and she replied in that tongue as unconsciously as though she had not noticed his change of language. But though he questioned persistently and skilfully until the 'bus rolled under the arch, he drew no further information from her as to herself, save that at present she was unemployed, and that her days were filled with that cheerless of tasks, calling on managers.

He gathered that the distinguishing difference between triumph and struggle on the stage was that the managers sent for the triumphant and the struggling called uninvited.

As Paul helped Miss Terroll out of the 'bus and walked at her side the short distance between the terminal of its route and the south side of the Square he said abruptly:

"Some day I want you to do something for me."

"What?"

"To laugh aloud. I suppose you sometimes do laugh aloud, don't you?"

Her response was to break unconsciously into a peal of mirth that held in it a twinkle of soft music and spontaneity.

"I can be provoked," she admitted and to that confession she added the inquiry, "Why do you want to hear me laugh?"

"I did want to hear you laugh because some instinct told me there would be music in it," he assured her. "Now I do want to hear you laugh again, and often, because I know it."

When he had said good-night at her door and had walked across to the Brevoort cab-stand at Eighth street he took a taxi. During the drive home he thought only once of Loraine Haswell. "I must see more of Miss Terroll," he informed himself. "She is decidedly interesting."

Hamilton Burton shoved back a mass of papers and smiled across his desk at his secretary.

"Carl, do you chance to recall what General Forrest of the late Confederate States of America had to say on the subject of strategy?" Bristol stretched his arms above his head and leaned back in his chair, grateful for a moment of relaxation after two hours of application.

"I believed he reduced military science to the simple proposition of 'gettin' thar fust with the most men,' didn't he?"

That was his correct formula—and finance has its points of similarity."

"Is the comment general, or has it a specific bearing?"

"Quite specific. Do you remember my prophecy a short while back. I reminded you that the coin of big business bore on one face the image and superscription of Cæsar Augustus Malone—and on the reverse my own poor stamp."

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IRELAND HAS BIG PROBLEM

Government is to Prohibit Exporting of Breeding Animals.

DUBLIN, Ireland, Dec. 15.—Serious trouble is in sight over Irish pigs and potatoes. George W. Russell, head of the Irish agricultural department, announced at a meeting of farmers a Dundalk that the department will prohibit the export of breeding sows. It regret that it cannot also prohibit the export of very young pigs. The high prices of the animals in England and the high cost of feeding them at home tempted Irish farmers to disregard the whole future of this important industry.

There is only a two-thirds crop of potatoes this year. There has been a demand that the Government prohibit their export from Ireland so as to save the nation's chief food. This demand has been refused. Mr Russell asserts that the refusal is in the best interests of the Irish farmer, and hopes to increase Ireland's production of food, which has been checked by the shortage of labour.

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Was It an Anniversary Ghost?

By WILLARD BLAKEMAN

One night—it was 12 o'clock—a cabman was jogging along through Wall street, New York, half asleep on his box, when he was accosted from the sidewalk by a man whose apparel made coachy blink his eyes to assure himself that he saw aright. To begin at the top of his head, he wore a beaver hat with a large bell crown and a rim curled at the sides. His coat was very high in the collar, his necktie was voluminous lace, the buttons on his clothes were brass, his breeches were what we call knickerbockers.

Coachy drove to the sidewalk, and the gentleman, without asking permission, opened the door and stepped inside.

"To Greenwich," he called as he closed the door behind him.

"Up Greenwich street, sir?"

"Yes."

That part of New York which was originally Greenwich Village is several miles from where the stranger entered the coach, and the cabman would rather have declined to make a fare so late in the evening. But there was something about the stranger that was compelling. When the cab reached Greenwich and cabby asked for further instructions the man inside only said, "Drive on." Cabby seemed awed by the tone in which the words were spoken and dared not ask another question, so he drove on in the direction he was going, northward, till he reached the river bank. The man inside stepped from the cab without calling on coachy to stop, and when he touched the ground there seemed not to be the slightest shock. As he walked away he fixed his eyes on the cabman with a look that made him forget all about the omission to pay the fare. Indeed, a cold chill ran down the man's back. Going to the margin of the river, his figure seemed to float along, growing more and more indistinct till it was lost, as cabby thought, in the water. But this could not be, for there came from where he had disappeared a sound of oars. The sound passed up the river, gradually dying away in the distance.

Now, although the stranger had given no orders to the cabman to await his return, the latter felt no power to do otherwise. He did not think that by going away he would lose the money he had already earned; he remained fixed where he was by the look his fare had given him when he walked away with that unearthly tread.

It was the season when the days are long and dawn begins about 3 o'clock. Coachy sat for perhaps an hour, perhaps two—he could never recall how long it was—waiting there on the river bank, with no human being near, for he says that he was not conscious of the surrounding traffic of the present day. He saw about him only the green bank of the river, behind him the village, in which all were wrapped in slumber. But he is not sure that he was awake, not sure but that he was dreaming. At any rate, he was oblivious to the stranger's return, for the first he knew of it he heard a voice ordering him to drive home. Rousing himself and looking down from the box, he saw his fare's face thrust without the window, looking up at him. The cabman will never forget that face. It was singularly handsome, though so pale as to be rather of the dead than of the living. The expression was that of one who had committed some dreadful crime, one who had killed some one. But in it there was no remorse. It was rather triumph.

"Home!" said the stranger.

The cabman did not know and did not dare ask where home was. He knew that he had taken up his fare on Wall street, and for that location he headed.

In the twilight the city seemed changed. All the landmarks of a metropolis were missing.

Turning out of Broadway at Wall street, he drove down till he reached the point where Broad joins it. Then was where he had taken up his fare. Here, too, was not the office of the great banking house which is there, but a small brick dwelling. The stranger called on him to stop, and he drove up to the curb.

Coachy says that when this singular being alighted he cast his eye at a dwelling on the opposite side of Wall street a short distance down toward the East river and looked for a moment at it with malignant triumph; then, turning, without mentioning the money he owed for his ride, he mounted the steps of a dwelling before him and seemed to pass through the door without opening it.

Coachy was found that morning in a stupor on his box and about to fall. He was removed to a hospital, whence he did not emerge for several weeks. When he did so he narrated the adventure of that memorable night to a gentleman who happened to be a scholar. All the information he received was this:

The house the strange man entered was once occupied by Aaron Burr. Alexander Hamilton lived on the opposite side of Wall street a little way farther down toward the East river. The night of the adventure was the hundredth anniversary of the duel fought between Hamilton and Burr, in which Hamilton was killed.

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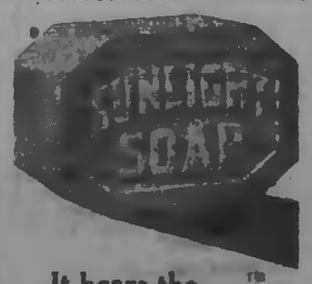

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PARIS, Dec. 15.—Gen. Robert Nivelle's elevation to the post formerly held by Gen. Joffre and Joffre's transition to "technical counsel of the Government concerning the conduct of the war"—which corresponds to the position in a church of a pastor emeritus—indicates the strenuous methods of Briand's new Ministry to inject new blood into the conductors of the war, following the British example. Hereafter Joffre will make his headquarters in Paris to be in closer touch for consultations with the Cabinet, but Nivelle will take charge of the field headquarters.

MILITARY HIERARCHY BROKEN

Nivelle's ascendancy to the premier position over the heads of his old superiors break the military hierarchy, which staked all on length of service, but it is regarded as proof of the pledge that the new War Cabinet is out to win and will not regard precedent.

GEN. NIVELLE'S CAREER.

Nivelle is one of the youngest generals. He is fifty-eight years old, having been born Oct. 15, 1858, at Tulle, in the Department of Correze. He selected the artillery arm of the service and has always been an exponent of inexhaustible shell supply and innumerable big guns.

PROMINENT AT VERDUN.

The name of Nivelle was first heard by the public during the German Crown Prince's Verdun offensive. He went to the Meuse last April, commanding the Third Army Corps, and a month later succeeded Gen. Petain commanding the Verdun army. By his masterful genius he saved the fortress, then in two recent bounds retook Douaumont and Vaux, undoing the Germans' work of eight months.

When the war began, Nivelle was colonel of the Fifth Field Artillery Regiment stationed at Besancon. Being ordered to Alsace in the French drive against Thann and Muelhausen, he earned the distinction of destroying an entire German artillery battery, thus permitting the temporary capture of Thann.

During the Marne-Ourcq battle he commanded the Seventh Army Corps artillery under Gen. Manoury.

CHECKED GERMANS

Promoted to be a general in October, 1914, he scored a decisive check against the Germans when they launched the Soissons offensive in January, 1915, in a desperate thrust at Paris. A month later, Feb. 19, he recaptured the Queneviere plateau east of Soissons, thereby relieving that sector and forcing a part of the German line to fall back across the Aisne.

Nivelle studied at St. Cyr and also at the polytechnic schools in Fontaine bleau and Samur, besides the War College. After the Indo-China campaign he undertook a mission to the Emperor of Korea. Afterward he served in the French colonial campaigns, notably in Algeria.

LOVED BY OFFICERS AND MEN

A sturdy, semi-blonde type of Frenchman, with plentiful hair, closely-cropped mustache, hard, calculating eyes and a vise-like mouth and chin, Nivelle is loved alike by officers and soldiers and credited with having instilled a wonderful spirit into the army at Verdun, which is said to have a higher morale than even Napoleon's Old Guard.

A comrade of Nivelle named Nordman recounts how all the officers and soldiers ducked Mauser bullets at the beginning of the war, but Nivelle remained impassive.

"What is the use of trying to dodge bullets?" Nivelle explained.

On another occasion Nivelle was heard earnestly trying to imitate the whistle of the machine gun bullets spraying about him as he advanced with his troops.

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THIEVES GOT HIS SAVINGS.

Jerseyite is the Victim of an Old "Confidence" Game.

PATERSON, N.J., Dec. 15.—August Talaner, of 171 Diamond Bridge Avenue, Hawthorne, N.J., was robbed by an old confidence game of $1,000, representing the savings of thirty-nine years. He met two prosperous-looking strangers in the Post Office, who asked him if he knew of a safe bank in which they could deposit $10,000. They were willing to intrust the money to him for deposit, but required that he should show his good faith by putting up security.

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The French artillerymen were delighted, and instead of Chanticleer finding his way into the oven or being baked in clay, he was adopted as the pet of the battery.

DOG DIED ON FIELD

A story of the battle of the Somme tells how the pet dog of the Manchester regiment was found lying dead in one of the trenches called Leipsig Alley. He had been killed by a German shell while charging towards victory with his comrades-in-arms.

Not less touching is the story told of the devotion of a French poodle, "Fende-l' Air"—Fire-of-the-Air—the mascot of a Zouave battalion. As a French transport left one of the ports of Algiers, a dog was seen to leap from the wharf and swim after the steamer. It was the mascot of the 3rd Regiment of Zouaves, and refused to be left behind. His owner was Sergt. Jacquimin, and when he saw the dog's devotion he went down a rope at the side of the steamer and rescued the animal amid great cheers from his comrades who lined the side of the transport. All the way across France to Belgium the dog accompanied the regiment, and during the weeks and months that followed in the trenches, the sergeant and his dog were hardly ever separated. A big shell at last tore a gaping cavity in the earth, killing twelve men and burying the dog and its master. They were later rescued and the sergeant taken to an ambulance post, where his foot was amputated. The dog followed his master, and when the latter was taken to a hospital at Amiens the dog had to be admitted also. He stopped there until his master was better and able to leave, when he accompanied him.

QUEER KINDS OF PETS.

Many stories are told in the letters of the queer kind of pets the boys have in the trenches. One of the greatest "finds" is said to have been that of a baby donkey. The artillery claimed him, so did the boys "behind the ditches". It looked as if a prolonged argument was about to ensue, when a scout came along hauling after him a loudly protesting calf. "We cannot keep both," said the boys in the trenches to the artillery men. "You can have the donkey. We will have the calf." That night there was stewed veal on the bill of fare.

Another curious capture was that of a big white owl that one of the boys found staggering about just as day was breaking. He was dazed by the noise of the big guns and the fireworks, and was easily made a prisoner. It still lives and chums solemnly with its snake friends who try to teach it tricks in their leisure moments.

The letters also say that the mascot of H.M.S. Spitfire, one of the bulldogs of the "What we have we'll hold" type, highly distinguished himself in the Jutland battle, and that "Pansy" the mascot cat of H.M.S. Queen Elizabeth, spends much of her time promenading along the muzzle of one of the big 15-inch guns.

SOAP PRICES TAKE JUMP.

Most Noticeable Increase is in "Laundry Bar."

TORONTO, Dec. 18.—The high cost of living avalanche has at last struck the soap market and, owing to the increased cost of raw materials and the high prices of all commodities, there will be a minimum advance of about 7 per cent., noticeable in laundry soaps locally, in Montreal and other cities throughout the Dominion the price of soaps has been steadily going up.

The prices of caustic soda and oils, both of which are important ingredients in the cleansing substance have gone up anywhere from 100 per cent. to 200 per cent.; but the most noticeable increase in the price of soaps in Toronto, will be the advance of 30 cents a case on the laundry bar, of which there are about 160 in a box. The increased cost in other lines, though, will be scarcely felt.

"We have held our prices down for months in the hope that there would be a turn for the better in the market," explained Mr. J. E. Gagnon, president of Lever Brothers and the John Taylor Company, "but alas, such is not the case. We have had to meet the very high cost of materials, and the increased cost of manufacturing and all commodities have compelled us to make an advance. Soaps now are hard to get, also oils and fats, and labour costs more. However, this is our first advance since the beginning of the war and it is certainly not a big one.

WOMEN'S AILMENTS
Come From the Heart and Nerves

Young girls budding into womanhood, who suffer with pains and headaches and whose face is pale and their blood watery, will find Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills build them up.

Women between the ages of 40 and 50, who are nervous, subject to hot flushes, feeling of pins and needles, smothering feeling, shortness of breath, palpitation of the heart, etc., are tided over this trying time of life by the use of this remedy.

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills have a wonderful effect on a woman's system, making pains and aches vanish, bringing color to the pale cheeks and sparkle to the eye.

The old, worn out, tired out, languid feelings give place to strength and vitality, and life again seems like living.

Mrs. Alfred Winter, Castor, Alta., writes: "I would like every woman who is suffering from nerves or heart trouble to know how much Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills have helped me. For two years I kept a hired girl and was doctoring all the time. After having taken four boxes of your pills I am able to do all my own work. I would especially recommend them to women between 40 and 50, as at that time they are more liable to be far from well. One of my neighbors knows how they helped me, and she is now using them."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50c, or three boxes for $1.25, at all dealers, or sent direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

A Silly Game.

Two Irish women were passing the home of a bishop one day when they happened to observe him in his yard practising putting.

"Now, isn't that darlin'. Just see that dear old man playing with that little ball with the innocence of a little child."

"Yes; but Mrs. M'Cleary, didn't you notice that that was a Protestant bishop?"

"You don't say so? Why, the old fool! Now, wouldn't you think he'd have better sense than to be playin' a game like that?"

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COMMISSION WILL CONTROL MONTREAL'S CIVIC AFFAIRS

MONTREAL, Dec. 16.—The administration of the affairs of the City of Montreal will pass from the hands of the Mayor, Controllers and Aldermen and be handled by a Commission of which Lord Shaughnessy, Sir Alexander Lacoste and Sens. a Beaubien are the more important members, it was announced by a prominent member of the reform element yesterday. The Aldermen and Controllers will be paid the balance of their salaries for their terms and be released.

Mayor Martin is to be retained as ex-officio chairman of the commission. As he cannot be deposed. No appropriations will be made by five years in an attempt to straighten out the city's financial tangle.

A special sub-commission, consisting of Senators Beaubien and Casgrain and E. J. Cockburn, the last named official of the Bank of Montreal, will arrange the question of a new franchise for the Montreal Tramways Co.

BAD STRIKE AT LIVERPOOL.

Boilermakers Risk Safety of the Empire to Gain Their Own Ends.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—The Press Bureau issues the following statement.

"Since Saturday a majority of the boilermakers in the port of Liverpool have been on strike. The strike followed the refusal on the part of the same men for a period of five weeks to work overtime. Their action has been taken in defiance of the urgent requests of the leaders of the union, and in violation of the provisions of the Munitions Act.

"The grievance of the men arises from the award given by the Committee on Production on November 3. They applied for an advance of ten shillings on the ground of increased cost of living and the award given was three shillings. . . . In order to give the men every opportunity of reconsidering the matter (name omitted) sent the following telegram to the union officials: 'I assumed office to-day, and regret that my first duty is to deal with the strike. No matter what grievances the men have, it is impossible for me to deal with them until work is resumed.'

"Despite this the men have remained on strike, though Admiralty work of the most vital importance is being greatly delayed. Accordingly the Government has issued notice, drawing the attention of all concerned to the defence of the realm regulations governing the matter, and the Government proposes to deal with the situation drastically under the powers given by the Munitions of War Act and the Defence of the Realm Act."

8 BOXES CURED PSORIASIS

Mrs. Nettie Massey, Comocon, Ont., writes: "Three doctors described my trouble as psoriasis, and one said could never be cured. The disease spread all over me, even on my face and head, and the itching and burning was hard to bear. I used eight boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment and am entirely cured—not a sore to be seen. I can hardly praise this Ointment enough."

EXAMINER PATTERN SERVICE

LADIES' REDINGOTE.

By Anabel Worthington.

At the very pinnacle of fashion is the redingote this season, and you are sure to like the model in the illustration—its lines strike the keynote of fall smartness.

The body part, with its seamed front and smart fitted effect, has the vest idea carried out—just a two button closing makes it distinctive. The collar, of course, plays an important rôle, for collars have been on the style creators' minds for months. Black satin contributes the collar of this garment and the cuffs on "near-fit" long sleeves are in harmony. The shorter sleeve is also allowed, with a roll cuff.

The skirt is in three gores, with its upper edges gathered and joined to the waist, the front edges being even with the side front seams of the waist and the circular ends falls prettily to about ankle length.

Serge is a great variety of fabrics from which this type of garment may be made. If you use a wool material be sure to have it sponged to avoid spotting or shrinking. Wool or silk embroidery may be employed to further embellish the model, and of course on broadcloth or velour fur will be ultra smart.

The pattern No. 8,049 cuts in sizes 36-42 bust. To make in size 38 requires 5¼ yards 36 inch material with ¾ yard 36 inch silk.

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When ordering remember to give your name and address as well as the number and size of pattern required, and age of a child.

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SUNDAY READING FOR A THOUGHTFUL HOUR

Prepared for the Examiner by a Local Church Worker

It came upon the midnight clear
That glorious song of old.
From angels bending near the earth
To touch their harps of gold,
Peace on the earth, good will to men.
From Heaven's all-glorious King!
The world in solemn stillness lay
To hear the angels sing.

Still through the cloven skies they come
With peaceful wings unfurled,
And still their heavenly music floats
O'er all the weary world;
Above its sad and lowly plains
They bend on hovering wing,
And ever o'er its Babel sounds
The blessed angels sing.

Yet with the woes of sin and strife
The world has suffered long;
Beneath the angel strain have rolled
Two thousand years of wrong;
And man at war with man hears not
The love-song which they bring;
O, hush, the noise, ye men of strife,
And hear the angels sing!

And ye beneath life's crushing load,
Whose forms are bending low,
Who toil along the climbing way
With painful steps and slow,
Look now, for glad and golden hours
Come swiftly on the wing,
O rest beside the weary road
And hear the angels sing!

For, lo! the days are hastening on
By prophets, bards, foretold,
When with the ever-circling years
Comes round the age of gold;
When peace shall over all the earth
Its ancient splendours fling,
And the whole world give back the song
Which now the angels sing.

—R. Sears.

BETHLEHEM PILGRIMS.

One wonders if the angels who sang that sweet song "Peace on earth, good will to men," so long ago, above the plains of Bethlehem, have become discouraged as they look earth-ward again this Christmas time. Or is it given to those heaven-sent messengers to see what mortal eyes are slow to observe. We see man at war with man, we see greed and hat, envy and strife, nation at war with nation, and people who love to have it so. But do not the angels see that never before was the message of Good-will they brought to earth, so appreciated and accepted, not only as the will of the Divine Father, but as a law of life, without which humanity cannot move toward the highest good.

Christmas brings to our thoughts this year the awful fact of sin, and the reminder that it was because of the existence of sin in the world, and because of God's boundless love toward humanity that it was necessary for Christ to come. Vain has been the effort to eliminate sin from humanity's life programme.

There stands vivid and awful to-day before the eyes of the world sin. Sin when it is finished brought forth death.

Dr. Griffith-Jones said recently in Toronto, that terrible as is the great war, it remains part of the divine scheme of redemption. That God could only, so to speak, interfere to stop the suffering at the sacrifice of the great elemental fact, that he had from the first endowed man with the power to choose between right and wrong; and to remove the consequences of evil in the world would be to aid that evil to be perpetuated. He said that materialism had eliminated the controlling ideals of Christianity.

Humanity hears again the call to come and worship the King of the manger-cradle, for He is still the hope of the nations, and the only One who can take away the sin of the world.

"Climb Bethlehem's hill of blessing
And find the Son of God."

The Christian while recognising the existence of evil in the world believes that the good is greater than the evil, and that more hearts are pressing toward Bethlehem's manger-cradle to worship the King than ever before, bearing their gifts of gold and frankincense and myrrh, for—

"Things that hurt and things that mar, shape the man for perfect praise."

The pilgrims bring their gold of service for others, and the frankincense of gratitude that though the journey be over rugged, steep and thorny way—amid the shadows of grief and sorrow—the road leads upward grateful for

The high ideal that comes in visions of the night,
Or moments wrapt of full complete surrender,
Of self to others' use and service sweet—
These are the things of life, cost what they may,
The things alone worth striving for.

Many pilgrims journey this year laden with myrrh. Oh! The sorrows, and griefs, and disappointed hopes, the overturned plans, the losses, the the steps that falter, the hearts that break, the sin-burdened one weary of effort—all pressing on toward Bethlehem. Will the King accept those gifts of myrrh?

He who in a garden weeping,
Prayed His great prayer, o'er and o'er,
Rose up to the core and keeping
Of all hearts forever more.

Come back to-day to Bethlehem,
The year is on the wane;
A truce to strife that worries life,
A truce to grief and pain.
Oh, heart, return to Bethlehem
And hear the song again.

If siren voices luring thee,
Have turned thy thoughts aside.
If thou has quaffed the bitter draught
Of envy or of pride;
If thou in agony of shame
Hast thy dear Lord denied

"Come back to-day to Bethlehem,
Though thou hast wandered far,
No rest shall fill thy yearning heart,
Until thou see the scar.
Oh, heart, return to Bethlehem
Where yet the angels are."

—*Fidelis.*

CHRISTMAS PRAYER

Sheridan Watson Bell in Good House keeping.

God of compassion, has not the fullness of time come? Wilt Thou not turn us again and cause Thy face to shine? We do not ask for a new message from Thee, but that we may be re-assured. We want to know that it is no cunningly devised fable that has come to us; that Thou didst speak to men in accents of peace and good-will, that the music has only been drowned by the din of our life, and the vision faded because it was so long ago. Let us hear Thy voice speaking in this our day the same words the shepherds caught from Thee. We ask no dreams, no prophet ecstacies, no sudden rending of the veil of clay, "no angel visitant, no opening skies, but take the dimness of our eyes away."

It is not Thy will Thou God of goodness that we read in the tragic events of our time. Thou has not meant that man made a little lower than Thyself, and crowned with glory and honour, should give his powers to such ignoble ends, and turn his paradise into a hell! No, an enemy hath done this. We do not charge Thee foolishly. We forgot Thy word and turned to our own way, and our finished sin hath brought forth death. Wilt Thou not burn us again? Speak from the skies once more the word that alone can save us. Say to us in ways which we cannot fail to understand, that it is Good-will, of which our life is scant, and for lack of which our world is dying. Help us to see that it is because we lack Goodwill, there is suspicion and jealousy, greed and lust, malice and hatefulness, war and hell in our world. Keep us from asking of Thee what even Thou canst not give. Say to us again, that if we regard iniquity in our hearts the Lord will not hear us. Help us to put away the evil of our doings. Take away our hearts of stone, and give us hearts of flesh. Make men and nations ashamed to lift their faces until they have repented of the robberies, the cruelties, the rapes, the murders, their evil will has brought upon the defenceless. We ask it in the name of the millions who out of the abysses of their woe cry to Thee. —Amen.

Had Bronchitis FOR YEARS

Bronchitis comes from a neglected cold and it, if neglected, will surely turn into pneumonia. The first symptom is a short, painful, dry cough, accompanied with rapid wheezing and a feeling of oppression or tightness about the chest.

The phlegm raised from the bronchial tubes is at first of a light color, but as the disease progresses it becomes of a yellowish or greenish color, and is very often hard to raise.

Dr. Wood's Norway is just the remedy that you require as it loosens the phlegm and heals the lungs and bronchial tubes.

Mrs. Chas. Breau, Amherst, N. S., writes: "I was troubled for years with bronchitis, and could not find any relief. I was especially bad on a damp day. I went to a druggist and asked him for something to stop the constant tickling in my throat. He gave me a bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, which I found gave me instant relief. I think it is the best remedy for bronchitis that I know of. I now take care that I always have a bottle on hand."

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DAY OF NATIONAL PRAYER.

Suggestion of Moderator of General Assembly.

Rev. Dr Andrew Baird, Moderator of the General Assembly, has sent out the following suggestion for "a day of national prayer" to the ministers of the Presbyterian Church: "The churches in Great Britain are observing the last Sunday of the year, December 31, as a day of national prayer for the war. There will be no question about the appropriateness of similar action in Canada, and I am pleased to know that in several quarters there are movements in this direction. I ask, therefore, that the ministers of the Presbyterian Church make this theme prominent in their ministrations on that day, and so give a united and national aspect to a service which in any case would move our hearts profoundly."

An anonymous Frenchman has offered a $10,000 prize for the mechanical apparatus that will best supply the place of a missing human hand.

Day of Illusions Over For Germany

(Continued from Page 1.)

The entry of Roumania into the war will also deprive Germany of her principle supply of mineral oils.

"What the result of the failure in the war will be on the finances of Germany," says our correspondent, "I hesitate to prophesy, but others far better qualified to express an opinion than I am unable to see any outcome to the present financial position in Germany other than bankruptcy in some form or other."

An Effective Strangle Hold.

There is good evidence, he adds, that our strangle hold on the throat of Germany is far more effective than it was a year ago in preventing supplies of food coming in from the outside. We may look forward with certainty to an even intenser food crisis next spring than we have witnessed during the past few months. That this crisis will reach the proportions of the famine that will force Germany to sue for peace I still do not believe, but, on the other hand, the enthusiasm and confidence which supported the people through earlier privations have disappeared and given way to widespread depression, and the powers of endurance of the people have been proportionately diminished.

The same correspondent, dealing with the position in Austria, remarks that Roumania's entrance into the war may not weaken the resistance of Austria-Hungary, at all events, for the present. So far as Hungary is concerned, it may have the opposite effect, as every Hungarian will joyfully contribute to the defense of the soil of his country.

There is however, a strong feeling in favour of peace in most of the towns.

Outside information in regard to economic conditions is far more difficult to obtain than in regard to Germany, neutral visitors being rare.

Various army orders that have fallen into the hands of the Allied forces indicate how seriously the want, not only of food, but of many materials used in military equipment is making itself felt.

One captured order from the Austrian General Headquarters prescribes that in view of the scarcity of leather all troops which have no marching to do shall be provided with wooden instead of leather soles, while another directs that polished steel shall be used universally in place of nickel in the manufacture of surgical instruments. An order forbids the use of light petrol in engines which can be run with heavy petrol, and the shortage of motor spirit is likely to be greatly aggravated by the closing of Roumania's sources of supply.

There are signs of considerable anxiety as to how a sufficient stock of clothing is to be provided to cover the essential requirements of the population.

There are good grounds for believing that the reserves of food from last year that have been allowed to run very low, and that the country is entering on the new harvest year with a very narrow margin from last harvest. The much needed grain is slow in reaching the mills, and the Hungarian Government is showing signs of anxiety as to the tendency of the farmers to hoard their crops and delay delivering to the authorities.

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CHRISTMAS CARDS

It is not too early to make your selection of Christmas Cards. We have a complete set of samples that we would be pleased to show you at the Examiner Office.

Farms for Returned Veterans

The Canadian Pacific Railway, through its Department of Natural Resources, now makes an official announcement of its plans whereby its land holdings in Western Canada are placed at the disposal of such men who, having seen active service in the British forces in the European war, are desirous of taking up agricultural work at the close of hostilities.

After defining that amongst the many big problems to be faced by the British Empire after the war is the return to civil life of the many millions of men who, as volunteer soldiers, have taken part in the great struggle, the company recognizes "that active service in this cause will have created a desire on the part of many men who, before the war, were engaged in other work, to take up quiside employment, and that of this number a considerable proportion will be desirous of obtaining land upon which they can create farm homes.

"Western Canada offers one of the best opportunities in the British Empire for those men who may wish to engage in farming. While of course any general scheme of land colonization in Canada by returned soldiers must necessarily be formulated and administered by the Dominion Government, the Canadian Pacific Railway, as a large landowner in the western provinces of Canada, is desirous of doing its share in attempting to solve this important problem."

Only those are eligible who can produce proof of service in the Canadian unit of the British Army or in the British Army or Navy, are married, of physical fitness and have had previous experience in agriculture. Candidates are required to appear before an Examining Committee before a contract is entered into.

Two kinds of farms will be available for colonization — Improved Farms and Assisted Colonization Farms. In the first case, a limited number of farms in selected colonies, with distinctive military names, will be improved, previous to occupation, by the erection of a house, barn and fence, the provision of water supply, and the breaking of forty acres. Live stock, implements and seed grain will, where necessary, be provided. In the Assisted Colonization scheme, in which an almost unlimited amount of land will be available, farms will be first selected by the intending colonists, and then improved by them with assistance from the company in the way of advances of building and fencing material, livestock, implements and seed grain.

In case where the Examining Committee is satisfied that the colonist is unable to provide living expenses for himself and his family during the first year of his occupation, financial assistance, in the way of cash advances, not exceeding one-half the value of any work done by the purchaser in permanently improving the farm may be made.

On each Improved Farm Colony a Central Control Farm will be established and operated by the company, in charge of a colony superintendent. The colonist's operations with be directed with the advice of the superintendent, and the central farm will be used for purposes of demonstration, to maintain service animals and to keep on hand the larger and more expensive machinery which the individual farmers would probably not be able to buy at first, for the use of which a fixed daily charge will be made. Assisted Colonization Farmers will also receive the benefit of instructive directions given by the company's inspectors.

Land will be sold to bona fide settlers only, settlement and occupation being the basis of the contract. Evidence will be required periodically that this requirement has been complied with. The maximum amount of land sold to one man is 160 acres under the Improved Farm scheme, with a reduction to eighty acres in case of irrigable land, and 320 acres of non irrigable land under the Assisted Colonization scheme, but adjoining land will be as far as possible reserved for future extensions and for pasture.

The terms of payment provided are very easy. In the Assisted Colonization scheme, land will be sold on a twenty-year basis, and the first payment will not be due until two years after the date of the contract. In the Improved Farm scheme, the colonist will occupy the farm as tenant for three years, and will not be required to make any payment in the nature of rent until the end of three years, when an amount equal to six per cent. on the cost of permanent improvements will be charged for each year that has passed since the colonist went into occupation. The colonist will at that date enter into an agreement to purchase the land on a twenty-year basis, and will make his first payment on account of that contract one year later. No water rental will be charged for the first two years on irrigable land. The cost of permanent improvements and any cash advances made will in the case of both schemes be added to the purchase price of the land and thereby spread over a twenty-year basis of repayment. Livestock, implements and seed will be secured by lien notes or mortgages.

The announcement concludes: "The project has been formulated and brought into force with a bona desire on the part of the company to do its share in recognizing the work of men who have fought for the empire, and who desire to take up farming at the close of the war, and, while it is recognized that the scheme must of necessity contain something of philanthropy in the way of easy terms and material assistance in the earlier years of the colonist's efforts, it is not intended to do otherwise than administer these farms on a thoroughly businesslike basis, or to allow them to be taken up except by men who are earnest in their intention to try and make a success of farming and who have the foundation qualifications to justify an expectation of success."

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RUSSIANS ADVANCE IN CARPATHIANS

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, December 18.—French statement to-day says: "The number of prisoners taken by us since December 15 on the Verdun front is at present, according to the latest counting, 11,387, including 284 officers. The war material captured or destroyed includes 115 cannon, 44 bomb-throwers, and 107 machine guns."

LONDON, December 18.—The Teutonic offensive in Roumania has been arrested by Russian fire, the Petrograd War Office announces.

LONDON, December 18.—The extension of General Maude's lines from Magasis to Kali Tapi and Fahan, was detailed to-day in the War Office report of Saturday and Eunday's operations on the Mesopotamian front. "The casualties to date are inconsiderable," the statement added.

Varying Successes Claimed By Germans

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BERLIN, December 18.—"Varying success" of local engagements in the Uz Valley was reported in to-day's official statement from Archduke Joseph's front in Mestecanesci sector. East of Golden Bistritza, there was violent artillery duel in progress. "No important events" was to-day's German report on the western front fighting.

Kaiser Again Visits His Troops in West

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

NEW YORK, December 18.—A New York Times despatch from Berlin via Sayville, says: "Following on the heels of the peace offer and the general army order regarding it, the Kaiser has started on an inspection tour of the west front." The Kaiser is accompanied by the Crown Prince. He held three troop reviews near Mulhausen yesterday, making "fervent addresses, which were marked as much by their popular form as their forgoing contents."

A neutral war correspondent with the French troops says: "Revised reports of the Verdun victory on Friday indicate that forty thousand Germans were in casualty lists from this big battle."

ROME, December 18.—The Central Powers have urged the Pope and the United States of America to back up their peace proposals, according to a report in circulation here to-day.

National Service Week After the New Year

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, December 18.—Upwards of 150,000 letters have been despatched by the National Service Commission to chief magistrates, lawyers, doctors, clergymen, school teachers, heads of fraternal societies and associations, members of parliament and of legislatures throughout the whole Dominion asking for their co-operation in the registration of man-power of Canada on cards to be distributed by postmasters. Clergymen are requested to appeal to their congregations next Sunday. School teachers are asked to call their pupils together and explain the claims of the National Service Board, and carry the word home to their parents. Mayors and reeves, etc., are asked to take all practicable municipal measures to forward the work and hold public meetings. The committee is asking that the first week of the New Year be observed as "National Service Week," for taking of inventory."

His Excellency the Governor-General will issue a personal appeal for general co-operation. It is expected that fully one million and a half replies will be received from the adult males still life in Canada, each one signifying his present occupation and whether he would be available for other form of national service, it being necessary or advisable. These replies will be collated by a large staff at Ottawa, and an inventory of the man-power will be analyzed with a view to securing its best distribution and utilisation. This work it is estimated will take fully four months.

White Denies the Premiership Story

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Ont., December 18.—Referring to the Globe's rumours from Ottawa that Sir Thos. White, Minister of Finance, was aspiring to the Premiership through a coalition war government in Canada, Sir Thomas here to-day declared such stories as odious beyond contempt and unworthy even of contradiction.

He affirmed the stanchest loyalty to Borden, and speaking personally said he did not consider a coalition government practicable or necessary.

LONDON, December 18.—An official announcement at Stockholm states that the condition of Queen Victoria of Sweden has grown worse during the week. Sweden's Queen is the first cousin of the Kaiser. She is fifty-four and the mother of three sons.

LONDON, December 18.—The correspondent of the Times at Amsterdam says: "The fact emerges with increasing distinctness that unless peace is obtained the accurate condition of the Central Empires is such as to threaten an acute domestic crisis. That Germany is rapidly exhausting her reserve food supply is evident. The harvest is completed and even the Kreus Zeitung admitted that the situation is very serious."

LONDON, December 18.—Food control went into effect throughout England to-day. The regulations curtailing meals which became effective this morning were met by the British people with a sort of school-boy good humour, entirely tolerant and uncomplaining.

Russian Force Are Making New Advance

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, December 18.—The advance of Russian forces in the Carpathians was announced in to-day's official statement. "Around the Little Porok our position was restored," it was stated. "East of Glasbutte we captured several heights. Enemy counter attacks being repulsed.

WAGES WILL BE PAID FOR WHOLE OF THIS MONTH

Generous Announcement by Quaker Oats To-day—Body of Wm. Miles Was Found in the Ruins on Saturday

WALLS ARE DYNAMITED

As an expression of sympathy and regret at the loss sustained by the employes on account of the destruction of the mill, the management of the Quaker Oats Company will pay on Wednesday next the wages for the entire month of December, based on the wages earned from December 1st to 11th.

No deduction will be made on account of temporary financial assistance rendered to some of the families, nor on account of any wages earned since the 11th.

THE QUAKER OATS CO.,
W. H. Denham, Superintendent.

The above announcement, made by the Quaker Oats Company to-day, will be received thankfully and gratefully by the hundreds of Quaker Oats Company employees and will be a very welcome contribution for the Christmas season. The generous action of the company in paying full wages for the whole of the month of December, and paying it before Christmas, is another evidence of the good treatment that has characterized the dealings of the company with their employes.

The work of searching for the bodies was resumed on a large scale this morning. The staff of men has been considerably increased now that the menace of the section of wall overhanging the ruins where the bodies are, having been removed by dynamiting the wall yesterday.

On Saturday afternoon the body of Wm. Miles, 471 Rogers street, was found in the debris east of the boiler room. A sash of a window was around the body, and it is evident that the unfortunate man, who was working on the third floor, was blown out of the window by the explosion, and then buried in the debris.

The funeral took place this morning to Warsaw, service being conducted at the house by Rev. Mr. Whattam, pastor of the Mark street Methodist church.

Mr. Thos. Harrison, who was rescued from one of the top windows of the flour mill last Monday, has asked the Examiner to thank the men who went to his assistance and saved his life. Mr. Harrison was using the elevator when the explosion came and climbed up to the top of the building to shut off the motor. So thick was the dust and smoke that he was trapped and had to lower himself out of the window, holding by one hand to a bolt. To the men who saved him, Mr. Harrison wishes to express his deepest gratitude.

Wabash Train Is Wrecked

Special to The Examiner:

HAMILTON, Ont. Dec. 18.—Several persons were injured when the Wabash, Buffalo to Chicago express, was wrecked at two o'clock this afternoon near Corinth, Ont., a short distance from Tplemburg. Two Pullman cars, combination and a diner are in the ditch. Supt. Gordon says no passengers were killed, a wrecking crew went to the scene.

DEATHS.

WILSON.—Margaret Helen Hetherington, beloved wife of Mr. Harry Wilson, 430 Smith street. Funeral Tuesday afternoon 2:30 to Little Lake Cemetery. Toronto papers please copy.

Skating to-night at Brock St. Rink, Band in attendance. Admission 15c and 1c War Tax. Please have your copper ready.

GREAT INTEREST IN LLOYD GEORGE'S REPLY

LONDON, December 18.—When Premier Lloyd George addresses the Parliament to-morrow and outlines the policy of his government, he will find the pulse of the British people beating in unison with that of the War Council. Interest is intense here to-day in the reply the Premier will make to Bethmann-Hollweg's peace proposals, and his discussion of the food problem and the question of man power. The temper of the British people toward peace was indicated when a huge mob in the heart of old London yesterday broke up Sylvia Pankhurst's peace meeting. It is generally expected that Lloyd George will give a brief and comprehensive review of the war in his Parliament speech, and will outline what has been accomplished under the old regime, and what he expects to accomplish through the War Council. Comment on more intimate incidents which led to the recent Governmental upheaval and placed Lloyd George at the head of the Cabinet, is not expected. Premier Lloyd George hoped to get out to-day and resume practically all duties after an illness of nearly a week.

PROFESSIONAL STRONG MAN HAS JOINED THE 247th BATTALION

Ajax Who Toys With Heavy Dumb-bells is Now a Member of the Peterboro' Unit--Peterboro' Soldiers Have Returned From Overseas---To-day's Orders and General Military News.

The 247th Battalion gained a notable recruit this morning when Mr. William Lane, professional strong man and physical instructor, better-known on the vaudeville circuit as "Ajax," was sworn in as a member of Lt.-Col. Ackerman's unit. "Ajax," who came to Peterborough several weeks ago, and who gave exhibitions at the Church of the Immaculate Conception Bazaar, and with the Hoka Moka Minstrels at Campbellford, claims to be the strongest man in Canada of his size, and his wonderful feats with the heavy dumb-bells certainly entitle him to make that claim. "Ajax" weighs 180 pounds, and stands 5 feet 7 inches in height. His measurements are remarkable, his upper arm for instance measuring sixteen inches. The newest 247th recruit was born in Quebec City, and will be a decided acquisition to the Battalion. He will look after the physical condition of the 247th hockey team.

Major Campbell, Chief Recruiting Officer for No. 3 District, paid a visit to the Armouries this morning. Major Campbell states that the recruiting in the district is fairly good. The Kingston district led the Dominion of Canada for the last two weeks of November.

TO-DAY'S ORDERS.

Peterborough, Ont., Dec. 18.

Daily orders by Lieutenant-Colonel Ackerman. Commanding 247th Bn., C. E. F.

Orders for Sunday and Monday, December 17th and 18th.

Parade.

All officers, N. C. O.'s and men, except those specially employed, will parade in the drill hall at 9 a. m. and 2 p.m., on Monday, Dec. 18, 1916.

Duties.

Orderly Sergeant for Sunday, Lt. C. G. Shaw.

Orderly Sergeant for Monday, Lt. T. Quinn.

Next for duty, Lt. S. J. Dunsford.

Strength.

No. 1063063 Pte. James Nelson Drain, as taken on the strength, as of Dec. 16, 1916, and posted to 'A' Company.

Appointment.

Captain J. C. Dyer is appointed provisionally to the 247th Bn., C. E. F., from Dec. 15, 1916, by authority, A. A. G. 3 D 26-247-2, Dec. 13, 1916.

R. B. Brooks,
Lieutenant and Acting Adjt.
247th Battalion, C. E. F.

SOLDIERS ARE HOME.

During the last couple of days a number of Peterborough and district soldiers have arrived from overseas, the majority to undergo treatment at the Convalescent Home. Kingston Bandsman Garfield Torrance of the 93rd Band, arrived in the city Saturday. He has been given his discharge from the army on account of physical disability and is once more back in civil life, the Medical Board at Quebec recommending him for discharge. Yesterday morning Bandsmen R. A. Browne and A. Braden of the 93rd Band reached here after first reporting to Kingston. They have been assigned by the Medical Board for band duty in Canada and will probably be attached to the 93rd Band when that organization arrives home. In the meantime they are on furlough.

Pte. Wm. Rea, of the 8th Canadian Mounted Rifles, who was wounded at Zillebeke last June, is another Peterborough boy to get back from overseas and Sergt. G. Thorne is also home.

Two Lakefield soldiers, Pte. George Lennox, formerly of the 93rd Battalion, and Gunner Simpson, C.F.A., are among the returned soldiers. Pte. Lennox went overseas with the 93rd Battalion and went to France with a draft, but was attacked by rheumatism and had to be invalided home. He is the first 93rd man to reach home from France.

Pensions Granted.

Notice has been received of the allowance of the following pensions to dependents of men killed on foreign service with the Canadian forces in the field in France:

Smith, Mrs. Susan, wife of late Henry Smith, and Batt., 217 Woodlawn avenue, pension for self and three children $672.00 per year. Two months extra as a gratuity. Pension from Oct. 15, 1916.

Houghton, Mrs. Elizabeth, Wife of the late Pte. George E. Houghton, C. M. R., Orpington Road, North Monaghan. Pension of $672.00 per year, for self and two children. Dates from beginning of October, 1916. Two months allowance as a gratuity.

Cross, Mrs. Thomas E., Norwood, Wife of late Pte. T. E. Cross, 93rd Batt. Pension of $666.60 per year for self and six children. Two months allowance as a gratuity. Pension from Oct. 15, 1916.

The Kingston Standard says:

Captain Birdsall, in command of the local convalescent homes, has been in the Kingston General Hospital since Tuesday last, suffering from a heavy cold. He expects to be able to leave the hospital today or tomorrow.

Recruiting Figures.

KINGSTON, Dec. 16.—The following recruiting returns, for the first two weeks in December ending on the 15th, are published by Lt.-Col. Wilson, D.A.A., Q.M.G., for the Third Military district. The returns show that recruiting in this district has taken a good turn and the figures are almost equal to the last two weeks in November when the Third district led the whole of Canada.

72nd battery, Kingston—Number of recruits 13, officers appointed 3, officers attached 2, other ranks 90. Total strength, 104.

73rd battery, Kingston—Number of recruits 14, appointed officers 5, attached officers 3, other ranks 47. Total strength 95.

74th battery, Kingston—Number of recruits 10, appointed officers 4, attached officers 1, other ranks 60. Total strength 85.

75th battery, Kingston—Number of recruits 12, appointed officers 5, attached officers 2, other ranks 47. Total strength 76.

Heavy battery, Kingston—Number of recruits 7, appointed officers 1, other ranks 47. Total strength, 56.

207 battalion, Ottawa—Number of recruits 30, appointed officers 20, attached officers 9, other ranks 686. Total strength 725.

239 battalion, Brockville—Number of recruits 120, appointed officers 32, attached officers none, other ranks 655. Total strength 687.

235th battalion, Belleville—Number of recruits 87, appointed officers 32, attached officers 10, other ranks 550, total strength 592.

247th battalion, Peterborough—Number of recruits 18, appointed officers 20, attached officers 1, other ranks 62. Total strength 83.

262nd battalion, Lindsay—Number of recruits 15, appointed officers 16, attached officers none, other ranks 93. Total strength 124.

253rd battalion, Kingston—Number

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Germans Like Clay In French Hands

One Division Alone Captured Over 1200 Prisoners in an Hour—Total is Already Over 9000 and Booty Includes Over Eighty Guns

NEW METHOD USED

Pepper Hill, Verdun Front, Dec. 16, Chantilly, Dec. 16.—(From a Staff Correspondent of the Associated Press.)—A short, sharp battle brought to the French to-day their third smashing victory within a period of two months in the vicinity of Verdun. Every objective point of the French Commanders was obtained with chronometric certainty.

Although the Germans offered a desperate defence, they were like soft clay in the hands of the French troops who squeezed them into any shape they liked and only ceased to handle them when their own time came.

Thousands of German prisoners poured into the French lines during the day, including 200 officers, and large groups are still arriving. The total count already is 7,500. The latest French official statement says the number of prisoners exceeds 9,000. One division alone captured over 1,200 Germans within an hour. More than eighty large and small German cannon were captured or destroyed and many others are known to be buried.

The villages of Vacherauville, Louvemont and Vezonvaux and Hardaumont Woods are now in French hands.

The front over which the offensive was executed was ten kilometres long. When the fighting ceased owing to the darkness the French advance had exceeded an average of three kilometres along the whole front, at various points pushing farther out and threatening the German batteries, whose retreat was hindered by the bad condition of the ground.

Infantry Uses New Method.

The battle began at ten o'clock in the morning with the left flank of the French opposite Vacherauville and the right flank on Fort Vaux. The correspondent of the Associated Press watched the engagement from a dominating height.

As the church clock struck the hour every French gun opened a storm of steel, placing every shot immediately behind the German front line. Meanwhile the French infantry made one of its characteristic dashes and reached the village of Vacherauville, where utilizing the new method of infantry attack, they drove the Germans from house to house until the village was entirely in their hands.

Airmen Turn Flight to Rout.

Advancing beyond the village, the French attacked a German trench known as Bethmann's Boot, which was carried after a hard fight and its occupants made prisoners. Then on the slopes of Pepper Hill the infantrymen could be seen making methodical progress until at exactly an hour from the start the twin forests of the height had been swept clean of Germans, and the objects announced the French were established there.

In the meantime the Germans on the opposing slope had been taken in the rear by an unsuspected French flank movement. The surprise was so great that even the infantrymen and the gunners attempted to flee, and French aviators turned the flight into a rout by descending to within a hundred yards of the earth and emptying hand after hand of machine gun cartridges into the disorderly crowd, of which those remaining alive surrendered.

During their war along the valley behind Pepper Hill, the French approached and took Louvemont with similar and shining brilliance, in which they were supported by another French wave which had fought its way through the entanglements of strongly fortified field work in Caillettes Wood, just about the centre of the line.

In front of Hardaumont the advance was equally rapid, but on the

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DISTRIBUTION FOR XMAS CHEER

The King's Daughters will carry out their annual distribution of Christmas cheer on Wednesday morning. Any person who wishes to contribute are asked to send their gifts to the recruiting rooms, Simcoe street, before Wednesday morning.

FINED $300 FOR HAVING LIQUOR IN WOODSHED-GARAGE

Milton Porter Also Pays Costs of $16.20 for Breach of the Temperance Act—Judgement Given This Morning

LIQUOR FROM HASTINGS

For having whiskey at a place other than his private house, where he resided, Milton Porter, Rogers street, was fined $300 and $16.20 costs, by Magistrate Dumble, who gave judgment in police court this morning.

At the hearing of the case it was alleged that liquor was confiscated by the police in Porter's garage, which, before the purchase of his automobile, he had used as a woodshed. It adjoined the summer kitchen and the defense produced a plan showing that the garage was enclosed in the extended walls of the kitchen.

The Court's Opinion.

After reviewing the evidence Magistrate Dumble wrote the following summary preceding his judgment.

The defendant's counsel urges that his garage is an old part of his dwelling, formerly a woodshed and now converted into a garage where he kept his auto and was part of defendant's "private dwelling house." **I hold, on the evidence, that this garage was not part of his private dwelling house, no more than a cow house or a stable on the same lot would be such.** I think I must be guided by the spirit of the Act, which is intended to prevent intemperance. I also think that Samuel Long, an old hotelkeeper, took one case of liquor, either because he was a joint purchaser with the defendant or because he had an understanding with defendant that he was to get the liquor. I must either come to that conclusion or construe his conduct in taking the liquor without the sanction of the defendant as a theft, which I would hardly be justified in doing. The whole conduct of defendants in having the liquor shipped to Hastings instead of Peterborough, and shipped to a man who was not known, as Clark Leslie, showed a deliberate intention to conceal his acts, and I do not know that I am obliged, under the circumstances, to construe the evidence in favour of the defendant. He took much trouble to hide his act. There was no law to prevent him from buying the whiskey in Montreal and having it delivered direct at his own house in daylight, and the use he has already made of the whiskey shows that he was reckless. Then the quantity (sixty bottles of whiskey) is more than a citizen of modest circumstances would be likely to buy at one time for his own private use.

Will Appeal Decision.

Mr. G. N. Gordon, solicitor for the defendant, stated to-day that he would appeal Magistrate Dumble's decision on the ground that the garage was part of Mr. Porter's private dwelling. It is understood that the decision might this day week be appealed but the evidence is presented before three judges at Osgoode Hall.

A GOOD IDEA

Is to give a pair of glasses to your parents or friends. They are always appreciated. The price is small and the quality is always there, the lenses or mount will be changed if they do not suit. There are also eyeglass chains and auto buttons, magnifyers, opera glasses, pencil, new frames and nose pieces, thermometers, snow glasses, auto goggles, eyeglass renders and many others. Call and see them. Open every evening this week. See Dr. Lacey and see better. 442 George Street.

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ON THE OFFENSIVE.

France has passed from the defensive in this war. General Joffre led the armies of France in the greatest defensive movement of history. He stemmed the tide of German invasion and put it on the ebb, and now General Neville, who, since the war has risen from Colonel to Commander of all the armies of France, is on the aggressive. According to Frederick Palmer, one may look for activity "when this man Neville gets into the saddle." Joffre put the Germans on the defensive, and if the latest French victory is to be a taste of General Neville's quality, he will soon put the Germans on the run. The war for us is victory in spots, but the spots are becoming more numerous. Sometimes the sun goes under a cloud, but it comes out again. Last week the cloud was pretty dark, but now the light is breaking through. The fight is hard and wearying, but if we put every man, every pound of available munitions into the fight we shall win, as we must do, if we and the other nations of the earth are to live as free nations.

SHAKING UP OR WAKING UP.

The governments of Great Britain and France have had a shaking up in order to infuse new blood, new fighting spirit, and develop stronger and sterner measures for more energetic preparation for, and prosecution of, the war. Russia is moving in the same direction, and even warsick Austria has had a cabinet reconstruction. In Canada alone, the status quo is maintained; the government remains the same; the same methods, the same laissez-faire policy. True there have been changes in the cabinet. The Nationalist members have been shuffled about, in and out; and one capital cabinet position has been changed. Sir Sam Hughes has been put out of the post of War Minister, and Hon. E. A. Kemp has taken his place. He should make a good business minister. He has practical knowledge of manufacturing; he has had experience in the matter of munitions; but he has yet to win his spurs. He has been re-elected by acclamation in East Toronto, and his admirers and the admirers of the government cite this fact as a proof of popular confidence in the government. But that amounts to little. East Toronto is so strongly, so unreasonably, so unreasoningly "Tory" that a government with Belial as prime minister, if he bore the party label, would be acclaimed and secure confidence from partizans and possibly, the people. It is yet to be seen whether Kemp will be an improvement on Hughes. The latter was the dynamo of the government; the only member outside of Sir Thomas White, and Sir George Foster—and the most he did was to talk well—who did things. Even if he did things in an erratic and rash way, yet he kept things moving and, in the main, in the right direction. It is a fair question to ask whether the Borden government, all through, and especially at the present time, has fulfilled, and fulfils, the conditions that justify endorsation of its personnel, and policy, and administrative action, whether in its sphere it is measuring up to the new British movement, and that no change of personnel, no stiffening of policy, no speeding up of action, is necessary as was found necessary in the case of the governments of Great Britain and France. At present Canada is going on in a rather humdrum way in meeting its war responsibility. If we are content; if the government is doing its work in a way to measure up to the standard of the new Lloyd George government, and we are doing our best, then no improvement is possible. But if we are doing our best, our best is not rapidly reaching the object. It seems, without prejudice or bias, that the government of Canada at the present time is not doing its best. If it is so doing, it needs a shaking up; if it isn't, it needs a waking up.

CANADIAN NAVAL MISHAP.

We owe something to an Atlantic storm—we owe the knowledge officially provided that Canada possesses at least one torpedo boat, the "Grilse." We have been worried of late by the somewhat vague news that the Canadian torpedo boat, the "Grilse," was in great danger, but the better news has come that she has weathered the terrific storm that at one time, it was feared, would send her down. The official announcement of her safe arrival at Halifax, described her gallant Canadian crew, whose seamanship was doubtless instrumental, under Providence, in saving the ship, as members of the R.N.C.V.R.—the Royal Naval Canadian Volunteer Reserve.

Thus we see that the Borden Government, with apparent indifference to the irony of the situation, are utilizing the Laurier Naval Act of 1910, after practically repudiating it and vehemently denouncing it. Under its authority a yacht was converted into a torpedo boat, commanded by Canadian naval officers, and manned by Canadian seamen. The Government has been forced to use the once discarded Naval Act to establish what is a most urgent need—a home fleet—or it would not under the circumstances have provided the nucleus of the Canadian fleet established under the Laurier Naval Act—whose initial ships were jeeringly described as a "tin-pot navy." But the Government of today has had to acknowledge that this noodle nomenclature was mistaken and unpatriotic levity. The Government dropped and swapped the business end of the Laurier Naval Act—the tender for cruisers, torpedo boat destroyers, etc.,—for the parliamentary support of the Nationalists. Mr. Borden, however, by a lucky oversight, or lucky lack of courage, left the Naval Act unrepealed, and it came in handy. When events showed the necessity of a Canadian navy for home defence, and the jeered-at, sneered-at, tin-potted Naval Act was put to work in the establishment of a home fleet, and the organizing of a Canadian Naval Service.

If the Borden Government had gone on with the naval construction plan laid down by Laurier, Canada would by now — in the interval of five or six years—have had a fine fleet of armoured cruisers and torpedo boats destroyers, and our Canadian shores and shipping would have been better protected by a splendid navy of Canada's own building. We could have provided our own escorts for troop ships overseas. We could have looked Australia—with her own navy—in the face, and Canada would have won a record of glory on sea as splendid as that she has compiled on land.

The partisanship that sidetracked Sir Wilfrid's plans for building a Canadian navy, was responsible for one of the most humiliating and injurious acts of unpatriotism in the history of the country. And the offence to national dignity and interests is intensified by the fact that it was done at the dictation of the Nationalist element in the ranks of the Government's supporters; the element whose pernicious propaganda of Nationalism has poisoned the patriotic spirit in Quebec, retarded recruiting, and hindered the effectiveness of Canada's participation in the war.

PROGRESS.

That the German Government, where the caste, spirit has been so strong, should issue a proclamation to the people in which the phrase "idiotic class distinctions" was used, is a sure sign that democracy is gaining ground in that country.—London Advertiser.

CROOKEDNESS MUST BE PUNISHED.

There will be no regret, even among Liberals over the announcement that a Conservative has been returned for the provincial legislature of Saskatchewan for Moosejaw County in place of Mr. J. A. Sheppard, who was Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, and was forced to resign because of disclosures made before the royal commission. In making the change, a Liberal majority of 400 was converted into a Conservative majority of 70. Sheppard is the man who accepted contributions from improper sources, presumably for party ends and asked the verdict of the electors upon his course. It is to be hoped he is satisfied with the decision which has now been so emphatically given.—Brantford Expositor.

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How Britain Captured Native Confidence and Affection in India

The Round Table Magazine is always interesting because of the careful survey it invariably gives of important happenings in the British Empire, and during the war its issues are of exceptional value. One of the features of the December number, which is certain to attract attention, is that on "The Native States of India." A reliable history is given of Great Britain's manner of dealing with these states. Many were absorbed by the British crown, but with Lord Wellesley a new chapter began, for the treaty of Bassein concluded by him with the Peshua in December 1802, and subsequently acknowledged by all the other Mahratta confederates proved to be the foundation stone of all our later policies towards the native states. It practically establishes their constitution on the present basis, providing that they should look to Britain for protection, that all their disputes should be submitted to British arbitration, and that the interference of all other European Powers should be rigidly excluded. In return they were left to manage their own internal affairs. It is now understood that the native states are to be preserved in their integrity, but that Great Britain is to maintain a British resident with each as a counsellor, and that gross abuses will be corrected. As a result, the confidence of the chiefs has grown and strengthened, and the attitude towards the British flag has changed from that of grudging subordination to one of trust and co-operation. The chiefs generally recognise that their best interests are wrapped up in the welfare of British rule, and that its collapse would involve the majority of them in irretrievable ruin. Thus their genuine feelings and their material interests equally impel them to line up solidly behind the throne. A vivid spirit of confidence and co-operation was given when Lord Dufferin in 1888 decided to make this support more effective by authorizing native states to form "Imperial Service troops," that is a body of troops specially drilled and disciplined with European assistance, armed with modern weapons and able to take their place on active service side by side with British troops. Twenty-nine states have taken advantage of this offer. Moreover, it is apparent that the higher ideals of law and order introduced by the British in British India are standards in native states also, that the effects of improved administration are gradually permeating the whole country, and that the chiefs as a body have come to recognize that arbitrary methods are useless, and good organization profitable.

The splendid unanimity exhibited by the native chiefs since the outbreak of the war has been fully described in the press, almost everyone of them having freely offered the services of his state, the Nizam of Hyderabad, for example, giving $2,000,000, and the Maharaja of Mysore $1,300,000.

And yet notwithstanding the important influence which they wield, the chiefs have no say in the legislation of the India government, despite the fact that the measures passed by the government necessarily, by reflex influence, vitally affect the native states. The first occasion on which the government of India invited the chiefs to meet in conclave, not for purely ceremonial purposes, but in order that they might confer on matters of public importance, occurred in 1918, when a conference was arranged at Delhi to discuss the question of a university for the ruling classes throughout India. At this conference the chiefs expressed a desire for similar conferences on other subjects, and Lord Hardinge, then viceroy, in his reply, expressed his sympathy with the suggestion. The result was that a further conference of the ruling chiefs was convened at Delhi by Lord Chelmsford in October last, when the government sought from the chiefs "free and frank advice on questions connected with their states and people." This plan of consultation must necessarily be developed. Co-operation calls for consultation, and it is fair to expect that one of the afterclaps of the war will be a readjustment of the relations now existing between the government at Delhi and the native chiefs.

BY A TWIST OF THE FIST.

Grain is Bought and Sold on the Chicago Board of Trade

By Thomas J. Dolchery in the "Country Gentleman."

A twist of the finger makes the price of grain, and a twist of the fist sells the grain that is grown on the American farms. This first twisting is done by the Chicago Board of Trade the largest grain exchange in the world there millions of dollars' worth of farm products the bought and sold on honour each day.

Few persons are familiar with the methods of operation of the Board of Trade; even the farmer; who is virtually interested in the exchange, knows hardly anything of the way his prices are made, or how his grain is sold from one side of the continent to the other, or to countries in Europe.

The Chicago Board of Trade is the grain centre of the world. Big and little buyers from all parts of the world get together there to handle the grain at high or low prices, depending on supply and demand. Without the exchanges, foreign buyers and the representatives of millers in this country would have to make trips about the country; would have to purchase grain here and there to fill their orders. It is uncertain if the buyers could get the grain they wanted in one place for each has an order that varies in grade and size.

The special features of the Board of Trade are the four pits—the wheat pit, the corn pit, the oats pit, and the provisions pit where pork and other hog products are traded in. The traders gather round these pits. Transactions are negotiated by means of a sign language on the order of that used by mutes in carrying on conversation.

It would hardly be possible for the market to get along without these signs because of the noise on the trading floor. Hundreds of traders are shouting at once; batteries of telegraph instruments are ticking off trades and prices, and scores of messenger boys are rushing about, shouting the names of persons for whom they have messages. The signs enable the traders to do business despite the noise and din.

ALL TRADES MADE ON HONOUR

Business is facilitated by these signs a jiffy may mean thousand of dollars because of the rapidity of price fluctuations at times. Trades are made entirely on honour—no money or deposits passing hands at the time of the sales; but records are kept by both buyers and sellers. Each pit has its official reporter who records all trades and prices.

Transactions are recorded on cards carried by each trader. These cards are red on one side and blue on the other. On the blue side are recorded purchases; on the red side sales. The name of the person dealt with and the price and quantity of grain or provisions bought or sold are jotted down in this manner.

If Jones sells 5,000 bushels of wheat to White at $1.30 a bushel, the card reads: "50—White—$1.30." Simple but records of millions of dollars' worth of grain and provisions are kept in that way, and to make an entry takes but a fraction of a minute of the trader's valuable time. A long record transactions and the payment of money would require the absence of the traders from the pit for several minutes, during which time prices could lower or go higher.

Despite the simpleness and swiftness with which trades are made and recorded, few mistakes are made and all contracts are lived up to. It may be of interest to state that there are fewer breaches of contracts on the Board than there are in the ordinary life, where the possibilities are but a fraction as great.

Trading in grain is done in two ways—future and cash grain. "Futures" are grain for delivery months ahead—that, is September wheat purchased during June for delivery in September, and so on. In the cash maret the grain is delivered soon after being purchased.

There are many terms used on the Board of Trade by which the traders express themselves in short. Preeminently among those known to the public are "bulls" and "bears"—a bull being a trader who advocates a high market and trades to that end, and a bear being one who sells for future delivery grain that he does not possess, with the hope of purchasing that amount lower before the time of delivery expires.

In connection with the foregoing terms are "long" and "short." A long is a person who has a surplus of grain and is waiting for a higher market; a short has sold some grain he does not possess; with the hope that the market will go lower and enable him to purchase enough to cover the shortage and realise a profit. On a maret that is going higher, buying by shorts to prevent possible loss is called "covering"; while when a long sells at profit his action is called "realising." If the trade is made at a loss it is called "liquidating" stop-less selling or "unloading."

A "margin" is the money a small trader deposits with a commission merchant, to protect trades he has made. For instance, if he has purchased 10,000 bushels he deposits with the commission merchant a five per cent. margin, or $500. In this manner he protects his trade if the market goes lower than the price he bought at.

If the market favours the trader he gets his deposit or margin back, together with the profits, less the commission charged by the broker for making the transaction. If the market goes against the trader more than the amount of the bargain, then his account is closed out, or, if he is a customer, he is asked to put up an other margin.

"COVERING" DONE AWAY WITH

In connection with the smaller trader is one called a "scalper", who is a trader dealing in small lots and satisfied to sell at small profits rather than to play the market for bigger gains. "Hedging" is the term applied to the dealing of a trader who usually operates in the cash market and then buys futures to cover any doubtful trade he has made. This lessens his risk.

"Stop-order" is a term generally used by the small traders or scalpers. In making a trade they order their commission merchants to sell the grain purchased or to buy to cover a short trade a ta certain figure, perhaps, two or three cents lower or higher than the purchasing price. "Visible Supply" is the amount of grain that is stored in public elevators on tract or afloat.

"Cornering" the maret is often spoken of, but the rules of the Board of Trade make this practically an impossibility. Cornering means buying all the grain in sight, so that the shorts, when it comes time to make deliveries, will be forced into the market to buy from those who have cornered the market at higher prices.

If a short believes the market is being manipulated at any time, he can take the matter up to the Board of Trade, and a committee appointed for that purpose—will adjust matters. Other rules have been passed by the association to prevent uncommercial dealing. One permits of delivery of grain in cars the last few days of the contract months. This enables a commission firm to load the grain before the last day of the month, and not be forced to buy at the last minute, when sometimes the market goes out of bounds.

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The present prohibition is somewhat different to what was asked before, at least as regards the procedure to be followed. Under the War Measure Act the Government can do almost anything, and an order-in-Council passed under that act acquires the force of Parliamentary legislation. It is now asked that prohibition be established either by the Government itself or by the regular course of an enactment of Parliament. Last year the Government went so far as it considered itself justified. If there should be any legislation this year Parliament will again be consulted first.

Under the Doherty bill of last year any province enacting prohibition can itself prevent the importation of liquor from outside if it elects to do so. The wider question of prohibiting the manufacture and sale comes exclusively within the Federal jurisdiction.

As provincial prohibition is making such strides, a Dominion act may be an eventual development. At Ottawa it is not much expected in the near future. Anyway, a referendum would almost certainly be a precedent to such action.

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Other items of expenditure, such as rent, clothing and light, have not advanced to the same extent, says the Board, which estimates that the total increase in the cost of livnig of working class families since the war averages 40 per cent.

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A TRIP TO SCOTLAND AS DESCRIBED BY A HAVELOCK SOLDIER

This letter is written to his sister, Mrs. Wesley Johnston, by a former Havelock boy, Pte. Harry Balfour, C.E.F., who, on a six day leave, visited Scotland:

At last I have visited a land that I have always wanted to see. The trip was unexpected too, and I think that fact only added more pleasure to it all. I am going to describe as best I can everything that transpired from the time we left camp in England till our return to the same. We travelled at night, going over, leaving camp about eight o'clock, arriving at London about 11 o'clock. At Charing Cross station we experienced the sensation of flying down the "tubes" or riding on the train which conveyed us from there to the Great Northern station, by shooting through under passages that resemble great tubes. Arriving at King's Cross station we boarded the Edinburgh express, or as they term it, the flying Scotchman, and believe me it did fly, giving me, I think, the quickest ride I ever had. We arrived in Edinburgh about eight o'clock in the morning. We were all good and hungry as usual, and say, didn't we enjoy a typical Scotch breakfast, oatmeal porridge and scones being the principle dishes. You could not help but recognize the kindly disposed dispositions of the people there generally. Of course it is not over-run with soldiers as every place is in England, so perhaps that accounted for some of that spirit of hospitality. Still I would not admit that, for throughout our stay we were used splendidly. We first visited Edinburgh Castle, which looms up very conspicuously somewhere near the centre of the city. It is built on a great cliff of hard granite rock, being 440 feet above sea level and about 240 feet at the highest part from the street below. We had a guide of course, to show us through and explain everything, which made it so interesting. I thought I was fairly acquainted with the history and romance surrounding some of these old places but that old guide put my knowledge to shame. Space will not permit me to tell you all I would like to about our visit there. The very air seemed to breathe romance as we walked through those rooms and passed through the many dark, winding passages. The old banquetting room was especially appealing to one with its gloomy walls, covered with relics of the past and the armoured figures standing here and there throughout the room as if on guard over it all. We were also in the bed room of Mary, Queen of Scots. It was in this room she was so often kept in captivity. In reading history I think my sympathy was always with this queen, whose life all through was so eventful and tragic. This particular room was well preserved, several articles of the old furniture being still there. We spent the greater part of a day there, and then to connect up certain points in its history we took the train next morning for Stirling, which is about 40 miles distant. Stirling Castle proved even more attractive. The view obtained from a certain point of vantage there called Queen Marys look-out, is said to be the finest in Scotland, and I could really believe that. On one side lies the great battle ground of Bannockburn, and away beyond that one gets a splendid view of those rolling hills so typical of Scotland. Looking away toward the sea in another direction you see a long stretch of beautiful country, running through which is the Forth river. Coming back to Edinburgh that evening we crossed what is called the Forth Bridge. This is about two miles long, and as it was just dark and the train moving slowly we had a great privilege of viewing the British North Sea fleet. It was certainly a grand sight. You could just discern the outline of the different vessels lying there in a long row that seemed to stretch for miles. The hundreds of gleaming lights coming from the boats gave the scene a grandeur that I shall not attempt to describe.

Next morning we began our programme for the day by visiting several great monuments which stand in and about Edinburgh, and erected in memory of such men as Robert the Bruce, Sir Walter Scott, John Knox, Wellington and several others. Scotland has not forgotten her great men of the past or the romance connected with those bygone days. This fact is still more evident by that spirit of pride and enthusiasm with which they explain to you bits of their early history, and really you generally find a Scotchman a regular little mine of information on that subject and always ready to impart his knowledge. Later in the day we visited the art galleries here, but as we had not a great amount of time to spare, could not do justice to many of those great paintings. One picture I remember impressed me greatly. My friend and I both agreed it was our choice of them all. It was entitled "Queen of the Night," and represented a great city wrapped in darkness, save for a faint light shed over all by the moon, of which only a small part was visible, the rest being hidden from view by a great dark cloud, many of which seemed to hover over the scene below. Altogether it was one of those pictures that seem to breathe forth a story of their own. Do you know we were only in there a few short hours and yet when we came outside again it was like—well coming back to earth. Indeed the sensation was quite the same the following day, after we had spent a couple of hours in St. George's Cathedral. We were shown through this ancient old place by an equally ancient old Scot wearing a long black gown. I think he must wear it for such occasions, probably to be in harmony with the interior of the church itself. I know the thought struck me at the time that we were rather a solemn procession as we passed from one object of interest to another, speaking all the time in low tones. This building itself is about eight hundred years old, so has quite its own share of romance attached to it. We were just on the point of leaving when the church organist appeared on the scene, so at the advice of our guide we quietly sat down and listened to the sweet solemn music that soon flooded the whole great building, where I suppose those generations of the past had often sat and listened to something quite similar, though, of course, those great pipe organs were unknown then. It is surely in a building like this that one gets the full volume and richness of them too. It was in this Cathedral that John Knox, the great reformist, delivered so many of those fiery sermons denouncing the creed of Queen Mary's time. But a short distance from the church his home, an ancient looking old house, is still standing. Much of the old furniture is still there. A great Bible lies on the table in his onetime study, a very narrow little apartment with one window, which lets in but a faint light. Many old relics are to be seen in various little corners, old candle sticks, a crude sort of lamp that was evidently very little improvement over the candle. We enjoyed the great privilege of sitting in his old arm chair in the study and writing our names in a reg'ster book kept there for that purpose. It was interesting to look over some of the names already there of persons from various parts of the world. Many of these names have been but there quite recently. It goes to show the great movement that has been among the world's population since the war began. If only the occasion of all this great moving about had been other than what it is I think it would be a very desirable thing for all. Coming in direct contact with so many different people, seeing and absorbing the beauty and romance those old lands afford must have a good and lasting effect. Anyway the colonies and those British Isles will surely be on much greater terms of intimacy that ever before.

On Saturday, the last of those few pleasant days spent in Scotland, we were up and about very early, beginning the day by climbing to the summit of what is called 'The Mound,' a mountain composed of chiefly of solid granite and rising to a height far above all other surroundings. We had an excellent view from there of that great old city, and away beyond the Leeds hills stretched irregularly along on the horizon. From here we were looking right down over Holyrood Palace, another very historical old place. It is there our present king resides when visiting Scotland. We spent several hours going through this palace, though of course we did not have of those apartments occupied by the present king when here but then that was too modern to interest us anyway, "way back." We passed through the old Abbey Church, the construction of which was begun in 1128. It is almost a wreck now, yet the tombstones or great marble slabs lying on the floor still mark the graves of those people of Royal blood who passed away centuries ago.

After all this is merely an outline of those things we enjoyed during those short six days of our stay. I could not find space in an ordinary letter to tell you all of those little details that really made our visit an event that one does not forget.

We are in camp again now, becoming naturalized once more. Some time again I hope to visit Scotland once more and renew some of the acquaintances made there.

A dog is wiser than a women, he does not bark at his master.

ONLY BRITISH SUBJECTS SHOULD GET THE VOTE

KITCHENER, Dec. 16. Judge Hanning Saturday opened a voters' list court to consider the applications of 583 citizens who desire to vote at the municipal elections at New Year's. Of these 327 now appear on the voters' list as aliens, while others have been wrongly omitted or for other causes. The court occupied the whole afternoon, as each appeal was judged on its merits.

In his opening remarks Judge Hanning pointed out that great care should be manifested in these petitions to see that none but British subjects with property qualifications are allowed to vote.

Some two hundred appeals were heard, a majority of which were sustained, while others were allowed to stand over until the next sittings, which will be held after December 23, when the court of general sessions will decide who, if any, are eligible for naturalization. This will decide the fate of those who now appear on the voters' list as aliens.

In the case of two appellants the court pointed out that they came dangerously near being guilty of a contravention of section 16 in making a false statement as to their qualifications.

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PEACE PROPOSALS A SPLENDID INTRODUCTION FOR LLOYD GEORGE

British People Are Looking Forward to His Statement in Regard to Matter—Lloyd George and Asquith Are Contrasted by T. P. O'Connor

London, December 16. — Von Bethmann Hollweg, the German Chancellor, has unconsciously given Lloyd George the best possible introduction to the British public. In nearly every newspaper there appears an implied prayer of gratitude to Heaven that the Chancellor's attempt to make an inconclusive, and therefore a triumphant peace, is confronted by a Cabinet so small and united, and a Premier so vigorous and uncompromising as Lloyd George.

Not one British newspaper, even of the most ardent, liberal peace loving character, has a single word to say in favor of Germany's peace proposals. The whole thing is regarded as a clever dodge to try and put England in a wrong light before the neutral nations and encourage the German populace. I think, therefore, the proposals will lead to nothing.

NOT ALTOGETHER PLEASANT

The first meeting of the House of Commons after the creation of the new Ministry, was not altogether pleasant. Very strong and bitter personal feelings still prevail among Sir Herbert Asquith's friends over the method in which his retirement was brought about. The straight Radicals also remain in an unforgiving mood toward Lloyd George because of his support of conscription. The temper of these different sections is somewhat ill conditioned. Reginald McKenna, acting leader instead of former Premier Asquith, used words which partially revealed his attitude as an out and out friend of Asquith. Nevertheless, it is quite evident that Lloyd George commands a large majority in the House of Commons. It is also known that if opposition to him develops in the House of Commons to any extent he will immediately appeal to the country.

DEPRESSION PASSED.

The general impression at the first meeting was that a general election was inevitable but probably when the House settles down and Lloyd George has the same overwhelming support as he undoubtedly has in the country, this unwelcome break in the conduct of the war will be avoided. In the meantime, the depression caused by the defeat of Roumania is passing, and the dominant mood to-day, if not exactly one of optimism, is one of determination to wage the war to the bitter end.

In reviewing the record and the achievements of David Lloyd George, the present Premier, and Henry Herbert Asquith, ex-Prime Minister, I do not remember ever to have heard Mr. Asquith make a personal attack in all his long career in the House of Commons. Mr. Lloyd George, of course, has said his vehement, and sometimes his fierce things both on the platform and in the House. He has ever been regarded as a hard fighter, willing to take and ready to receive blows. And yet even when the storms have been raging most about his head, and when it was supposed—from the public press—that there was not a Tory in the House of Commons who was even on speaking terms with him, his room was nearly always crowded with Tory members, and they would be found quite as friendly to him as he to them. I remember once in the very agony of the Free Trade struggle, finding Colonel Lockwood—a typical country squire—seated in Mr. Lloyd George's room, taking tea with him, both eating with apparent gusto a piece of German black bread. The inner meaning of this was that the wretched bread of the German working man had been one of Mr. Lloyd George's stock arguments in favor of the Free Trade system of England as against the Protectionist system of Germany.

MAKES ENEMIES.

Yet it cannot be denied that Mr. Lloyd George has a great power of making enemies, even against his will. It is generally of course, because of his astounding rise from a youth of poverty and obscurity to a soul resounding position. Whatever happens, he is nearly always in the limelight. He himself protests that he has no love of the limelight in itself, though he is quite willing to go into it if necessary for any particular object he wants to carry out. But he is in it all the same. Men of more study temper, who pit their more solid qualities, as they think, against the brilliancy of Mr. Lloyd George, resent this prominence. In addition of course Mr. Lloyd George, whenever he has a great purpose, has been ruthless in seeing that it is carried out, and great public purposes often tread on the corns of great private interests. It should further be said that he is often ridiculously irritated by small attacks, but generally it is by small attacks from his own friends. I have heard that on the day when he was appointed to the dazzling position of Chancellor of the Exchequer, he fretted all the day because one single obscure little Welsh paper said something unkind. It is known also how bitterly he has now and then resented even a mild attack in a Liberal organ, such as that which Mr. Gardiner wrote some months ago in the Daily News. Yet there is no man who allows these things to influence him less. His Celtic nature is not naturally impersonal, but he does his best to make it impersonal. "Personal feeling," I heard him say once, "is a very distracting and bad element in a public man's judgement." Whenever," he said quite warmly, immediately afterwards, "I find any such feeling arising in my mind, I stamp it out with an iron heel."

Mr. Asquith's personal popularity is much less deflected by these elements that way against Mr. Lloyd George. He has ceased to excite envy, as is nearly always the case with those who have got to the top; and for the other reason that his intellectual domination is so complete and so easy that nobody feels the least inclination to contest it. Mr. Balfour, Mr. Bonar Law, Mr. Chamberlain, all the other strong Tory leaders who served under him as Premier and who formerly detested him, are his frinds. In the House of Commons he was irresistible. It is known that another reason of his personal popularity is that everybody regards him as a thoroughly good fellow; straight, sincere, warm-hearted, with not a particle of self-conceit.

BOTH GREAT MEN.

Both Mr. Lloyd George and Mr. Asquith are great men. The one is the cold, broad, clear imperturbable judgment; the other is the flaming fire of resolution, promptitude and tenacity.

We are now passing through a time of stress. The future may show even greater difficulties but every man, woman and child in the Empire, looks forward to the future with complete confidence. There is no doubt of our ability to win the war if we only put ourselves unreservedly to the task. The whole Empire is fully prepared to make any further sacrifices that may in the opinion of the new government be necessary to achieve ultimate victory. We are engaged in the greatest war ever known and fighting virtually with our backs to the wall for our very existence and for the cause of humanity and civilisation. We are, at last awake, after two years and a half of failure to recognise the issues at stake, and it is with the utmost confidence that I reiterate what I have previously said that we will go on until the last man and the last resource are exhausted.

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KANSAS YOUTH MAKES HIS OWN FEET AND LEGS

EMPORIA, Kas., Dec. 18.—Making his own feet and legs is a part of the work done by William Ashman, a Waineco (Kas.) boy, in addition to his regular school work in the State Nrmal school at Emporia this year.

William was injured on a railroad when 7 years old, losing his left leg, since that time he has worn and outgrown several artificial legs and feet, the feet of the present one being completed by articles of his own make, the foot of the present one being completed in the manual training department of the Normal school.

When William's leg begins to get worn or short, he gets a block of wood, hunts up the manual training department and sets to work. In about three weeks he surprises his classmates by taking off his wooden leg, battering away the worn-out foot, and attaching the newly-made article.

William makes the foot complete with about four inches of the ankle attached for holding it in the vice. When the hinge for the toe joint is finished and the foot well polished, he cuts away this ankle, fastens a rubber padding in its place, and attaches it to the leg.

Making the leg, according to William, was the most difficult job. He estimates that it required a whole month of steady work for him to complete it.

William is a freshman in the college department of the Normal, and wears the yellow class cap. He is working his way through school by beating rugs, raking leaves, carrying coal, and other odd jobs. To reduce the high cost of living he does his own cooking.

INGERSOLL KNITTER HAS A GREAT RECORD

Made Three Hundred Pairs of Socks in Twenty Months.

INGERSOLL, Dec. 18.—Ingersoll has a knitter who has knitted 300 pairs of socks in one year and eight months. She is Miss Baikie, an invalid, who has been confined to the house for twelve years, and to her own room for more than five years. At the beginning of the war Miss Baikie knitted only mufflers and wristlets, but a year ago last April, when the call for socks became urgent, she turned her attention to socks.

Miss Baikie is a Presbyterian and believes in keeping the Sabbath, so none of this knitting has been done on Sunday.

TEA MARKET STILL RISING.

An increase in the ocean freight rates of two and one half cents a pound added to an advance of from six to ten cents a pound in the cost of tea at the primary markets, has necessitated the recent increase in the cost of tea in Canada. To keep faith with the public and maintain exactly the same high standard of quality as always, "SALADA" has advanced in price, but, as yet, only five cents a pound.

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THE PETERBOROUGH RED CROSS SOCIETY COLUMN

There comes to the women of Canada, from those in charge of the Parcels Department of the Canadian Red Cross Society, a repeated and insistent request for "Comfort Bags" of which, according to the most recent reports, there are not yet sufficient to meet half the demand. One soldier in writing his thanks for a parcel says: "When arriving in hospital wounded, a man has nothing in the way of a shaving kit, tooth-brush, handkerchiefs, etc. These are in his pack, left in the trenches. All we own at the time is a very dirty uniform, some superfluous pieces of iron and a tremendous gun." Can one wonder then, at the great demand for "Comfort Bags" for in these, a soldier finds anything that he needs and almost everything that he wishes. Along with an earnest request that the shipment of these bags from Canada might be greatly increased, is printed in the last Red Cross Bulletin this letter from one of the hospital visitors, which speaks for itself. "I must tell you of the great pleasure your comfort bag gave the poor—the paralytic patient at the Manor House. Never have I seen anyone more truly grateful. It was pathetic to see the once great strong man, now so helpless, fondling this present from the Red Cross, as he thought it so wonderful that he should be remembered amongst so many thousand of wounded and disabled men. He is having one of the patients in the next bed to his, write to thank you for it, and I promised him that I would write too. He repeatedly said "Just think of it, real Canadian tobacco and enough to last two weeks, too, wasn't it good of them."

The work of the Red Cross Society has far-reaching results, often undreamed of by the workers. Such a letter as the following should add an interest and new meaning to our work, which as the days go by, too frequently tends to become tedious and commonplace.

Hospital Auxiliaries, No. 7
Vivies, July 5th, 1916

Sir.—In acknowledging receipt of your large consignment, allow me to express to you the deep gratitude of our dear wounded.

They are very much troubled to learn that Canada, not content to shed her blood in the noble cause of the Allies, must also come to the assistance of the French soldiers so liberally. The thought that across the ocean Canadian women are working for them tends to alleviate their sufferings and increases their confidence in the greatness of the cause for which they are fighting. The old fraternity of Canada and France is a more tangible reality for them in these hours of trial—the generosity on the one side and the gratitude on the other should make their tie for ever firm.

The whole staff of the hospital beg you to accept their warmest thanks and to convey them to the generous donors in Canada. Yours sincerely,

A. DESCROZAILLE, Presidente.

Suspected Chicken Thief Knocks Out Constable

One-armed Man Had a Merry Old Time From Oshawa to Whitby

George Arnold, a one armed man, created more excitement in the quiet town of Whitby, than has been experienced there for some time.

On the afternoon of Dec. 9th, High Constable Stevens, of Oshawa, arrested him in John Hall's coal office, Oshawa, on charge of theft of 50 white Rock chickens, in contravention of the Criminal Code. The defendant was brought before Magistrate Crysdale, who remanded him in custody for eight days, with option of $500 cash bail, which he was unable to secure.

En route to the Whitby jail Arnold made things merry for the policeman seizing the reins he turned the horse into the ditch and upset the rig. He then kicked the policemen, but the officer of the law kept him in charge, and after righting the rig, started on their journey again.

On arriving at the street leading to the jail the officer attempted to turn the horse in that direction, but the prisoner strongly objected. Grabbing both lines he began to jerk the horse. The officer rather than see the horse abused, submitted the reins to him, saying as he did, "All right, go where you want to, but I intend to go with you." When asked what he was going to do the prisoner replied, "I am going to drive up town to a restaurant and see that you buy me the best meal that can be bought." The officer agreed. Arnold selected the Chinese restaurant for his proposed sumptuous repast. The prisoner selected a table and ordered oysters, while the constable took a steak. The constable's order was brought in first and the prisoner was told there were no oysters and changed his order to soup with some tall epithets. The constable was busy carving his steak when Arnold's soup arrived. It had scarcely been laid on the table before he threw the bowl with its contents into the constable's face, blinding the latter for some moments. Instinct, or his long experience in dealing with criminals, seemed to warn the constable that the prisoner's next move would be to hit him a knock-out blow of some kind. In order to ward off this he struck out in front of him with his teeth with all his might, and just as he did so he received a terrific blow on the head from the prisoner. He was dazed for a few moments, and it seemed to him some one had turned off all the lights. When he came to he found that his baton had found its mark. The blow had landed on Arnold's neck and he lay across the chair and table in a helpless condition, where he had been knocked out. Both blows must have landed at about the same time.

When Arnold regained consciousness things flew. Chairs, tables and dishes went towards the ceiling. Finally the constable got the prisoner down and when Whitby's Chief arrived he found them not in a fond but a last embrace. The officers then started to the town lock-up and finally locked their prisoner up.

It will be remembered that Arnold beat and nearly killed Turnkey Alex. Bruce, of the Whitby jail, a number of years ago.

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The hall was packed to its utmost capacity. Reeve Anderson occupied the chair, and his address was much enjoyed, especially by the children.

After the programme, boxes which the ladies had brought were put up for sale. Mr. Norman Gainer added much to the enjoyment of the evening in the role of auctioneer.

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Tie and H'd'kf Boxes...75c, $1, $1.25
Shirts.....$1.00 to $5.00
Boy's Sweater Coat...$2.00 to $5.00
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Held a Fancy Bazaar on Saturday—A Successful Function

If there exists a "Scrooge," whether masculine or feminine, in this city, he, or she, would surely have seen the error of his (or her) ways and have been converted and healed under the curmudgeon have seen the pleasant sight of the happy faces of the young girls who were last Saturday afternoon assembled in St. John's schoolhouse.

The occasion was a Christmas bazaar and fancy fair, engineered by the young ladies composing the Junior Women's Auxiliary of St. John's Anglican church. Their successful and well arranged function took place between three and six o'clock, afternoon tea being served at four. The first thing that attracted the eye was prettily fancy booth, presided over by the Misses Jean Kidd, Kathleen Cuffe, and Beryl Bates. Here were all sorts of pretty and useful articles, too numerous to mention. Then a turn across the room, which, by the way, had been prettily decorated, was a "fishpond," where Sybil Hood and Aline Morgan had their hooks and lines.

Then there was, of course, a candy stall. Here Madeleine Kelly, Flo Hutchinson and Marjory Phillips were busily occupied in vending sweet dainties. And the tea table with its generous supply of edibles, etc., must not be overlooked. Here Mrs. Wood and Mrs. (Dr.) Cameron were the indefatigable and delightful hostesses, assisted by a number of girls.

At intervals an impromptu programme was given, Mrs. Cameron here ably assisting as accompanist. Among other items were songs by Kathleen Cuffe and a recitation by Frieda Shurely and all the numbers were good in their various ways.

Dora Brown was very efficient in looking after the gate money.

MUSICALE A SUCCESS

Delightful Programme at the Conservatory of Music

A large and delightful audience attended the last Saturday afternoon musicale, which will be held until after Christmas at the Conservatory of Music. The recital was given by the pupils of Miss millmaster. The following splendid programme was given:

Wayward ..... Zilcher
Margaret Denne.
In a Swing ..... Williams
Marjorie Turner
Barcarole ..... Lucas
Gladys Graham
Berceuse ..... Schytte
Harold Lancashire
A Christmas Carol ..... Kramer
Miss Jessie Cressman
Guirlandes ..... Godard
Paul Gliddon.
(a) Nocture ..... Field
(b) Barcarole ..... Rubenstein
Hal Crane.
The Two Larks ..... Leschetitsky
Miss Staples.
(a) The Star ..... Rogers
(b) Farewell to Summer .... Johnson
(Violin Obligato)
Miss Gladman
(a) Nachstucke ..... Schuman
(b) Prelude in C sharp minor .....
..... Rachmaninoff
Otto Gliddon.
(a) Impromptu ..... Schubert
(b) Moto Perpetuo ..... Weber
Agnes Logan.

WON GUESSING CONTEST

The guessing contest of the number of peas in the jar at the cigar booth at the Immaculate Conception Church bazaar was won by Mr. Campbell. His estimate was 6,027, and the correct number was 6012. The prize was a pipe which the winner may obtain at Gainey's tobacco store.

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Why Letters To Soldiers Stray

Some Addresses Faulty and Wounded Are Transferred

LONDON, Dec. 18.—A letter appears in the Times from Rev. Frank Leight, of Hespeler, Ont., complaining of delay in delivering letters to Canadian wounded from friends in Canada. "One of my sons was wounded at Ypres in June and another on the Somme in September. The latter had no word from home from mid-September to mid-November though himself able to write weekly. He was at Etaples a month and at Nottingham about a month. Though we wrote first through the army post-office and afterwards directly to him, he gets not a word from home. The other son was nearly two months without letters, though he was not sent to England.

Move About Fast.

Enquiries reveal every sympathy towards the matter which the writer ventilates. When a man is wounded, letters for him are sent to the Postal Department of the Canadian Record Office. Their difficulties are considerable in following the migrations of the wounded from one hospital to another. For instance, a man will remain but one day in a certain hospital and two days at another, and so on. Every endeavour is made to deal expeditiously with the mail in such cases. Correspondents in Canada, however, send letters by the hundreds with such addresses as "John Smith, care Army Post Office, London," whereas the Army Post Office as far as England is concerned, is non-existent and applies only to the army in the field.

Take Care With Address.

The greatest care ought to be taken to have the man's regimental number plainly indicated. Extraordinary congestion in all the branches of the mail services, civil and military, ought also to be borne in mind. A letter delivered at the Canadian Associated Press office, from Toronto yesterday, had taken exactly three weeks to come. Londoners are often without Canadian newspapers for five weeks at a stretch.

For Christmas

Ripe, juicy, Sunkist Oranges. Buy a box to last all week. Serve them every day. Phone your dealer now.

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We consider this season's selections the choicest we have ever had in all our long experience as jewellers. You will find many unique and unusual gifts as well as all the newest novelties.

A particularly interesting line of new watches and jewellery. The designs are distinctive in character.

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One very valuable result of the great stimulus given to aeroplane construction, has been a very practical combination of the aeroplane and the fast cruising pleasure yacht.

Mr. Curtiss has built a large combination flying yacht having a boat body about fifty feet long, with a cabin top over the cock-pit to keep the passengers dry in rough weather. It has a cruising speed of 70 feet and is capable of starting from or alighting in, either rough or smooth water. The equipment of this air yacht, aside from the self starter, muffler, electric lights, search light, regulation lights for night flying, anchor, and other yacht equipment, includes the Sperry automatic pilot which controls the air cruiser, in flight—doing, automatically, the greater part of the work of the pilot.

In the boat body, very comfortable and roomy accommodation is provided for five people, very much as in the most luxurious touring cars.

With a full load and eleven people on board, it is capable of 60 miles per hour and has a cruising radius of 300 miles. With a load of five people its cruising radius is 500 miles. Such a vessel, of course, can always take the shortest route either by air or water, and travel at a very high speed. There seems to be a great future for this new type of conveyance.

Italy Stops Candy Manufacture

Cake Also Under Ban, Meat Course Curtailed.

ROME, Dec. 16. — A decree has been issued forbidding for two weeks the manufacture of candies or cake or their transmission by the post or railways. The decree further forbids hotels to serve meats containing more than one meat course. The decree will prevent the sending of an enormous number of Christmas dainties intended for the soldiers at the front.

Important To Victrola Patrons

To facilitate Christmas shopping for Victrola and Victor Record buyers, access to the Victrola Section will be possible on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings by 'phoning to Mr. D. Carlisle at 130 or 560. On Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings the entire store will open, but if Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday are more convenient for you. Make arrangements by calling either of the above numbers.

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PETERBORO CHORAL SOCIETY.

The usual weekly rehearsal of the Messiah will be held to-morrow (Tuesday) evening, at the Collegiate Hall, at 8 o'clock, prompt.

Opening of The "Mock Parliament"

Premier Worth is Completing the Formation of His Cabinet

The Protestant Benevolent Federation will meet in their Victoria Hall (old opera house) on Tuesday, December 19th, 1916 at 8 p.m. to elect officers for the year 1917. A large attendance is asked as the final arrangements are expected to be made for the opening of the "Mock Parliament." The Premier, Mr. Jos. W. Worth has already appointed some of his Ministers and will tell the meeting what measures the Government will bring down. Col. J. W. Millar the leader of the "Opposition" promises the Government a lively time and to that end has already selected Ex-Mayor Fuller as "Whip" and Mr. C. S. McClelland as financial critic. The Federation is renewing some of its old vigor if attendance and enthusiasm is a criterion.

DRY SHORT WOOD FOR SALE.

The Peterborough Lumber Co. have recommenced sawing their dry four-foot hemlock wood. Prompt delivery. Phone 548. 20d-130

HOLIDAY GIFTS

OF SPECIAL MERIT FOR MEN AND BOYS

The things that men appreciate above anything else are the practical gifts of things for everyday use—things that the recipient would buy for himself.

And then, too, you raise his opinion of you just another bit higher when you present him with something practical and sensible—something he would buy for himself.

Every time he wears the **Scarf,** the **Shirt,** or the **Cravat** or **Housecoat,** or the **Bathrobe,** or the **Suspenders,** or the **Gloves** which **you gave him,** he **thinks of you.** Every time some friend speaks a word of admiration for the gift you made him, it brings a happy recollection of **you.**

Every time he sees the ornamental, perhaps, but unuseful gift of someone else, he unconsciously **remembers you** for your **practical, useful** and **sensible** gift of **something to wear.**

So, when you select a present for "him," remember, **men are practical.** They cherish the memory of a **practical, useful gift,** but soon forget the opposite kind.

And make **your gift to "him"** something he will really **like better** than all the other presents he receives—let it be **something he can wear.**

And don't lose sight of the fact that most men instinctively know that any thing which bears this store's label is absolutely **right in style** and **dependable in quality.**

We box all Christmas goods appropriately.

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that are different
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MUFFLERS
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suitable and comfortable
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Cotton, Lisle or Silk
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Fashion's latest shades
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a magnificent line
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handsome new designs
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make acceptable gifts
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ISRAEL WILL BE RESTORED IN THE SEVEN YEAR TRIBULATION

Third of a Series of Chart Talks on Prophetic Truth by Pastor Doner of Bethany Tabernacle—"The Riddle of History"

Pastor Doner gave the third of his Chart Talks on Prophetic Truth—to an interested audience in Bethany Tabernacle last night. He introduced his subject by showing how God had separated the Jews from the Gentiles. His subject was Israel on "The Scapegoat of the Nations." Illustrated by an old Jew carrying on his hand a globe of which was a map of the world. As he looked at one country after another he sighed and said: "I am not wanted there." The Jew is the Riddle of History. To the world he is intolerable and despised and yet indispensable. He is flattered and dreaded by every nation.

When God called Abraham out from his own kindred he gave him a definite promise or covenant Gen. 12: 2.3. "I will make of thee a great nation, and I will bless thee, and make thy name great, and thou shalt be a blessing. And I will bless them that bless thee, and curse him that curseth thee, and in thee shall all the families of the earth be blessed." Abraham heard the call and from that beginning sprang the most wonderful nation of the ages. This covenant has been only partly fulfilled. Will God keep His promise in its fulness? Without a doubt He will. Abrahams name is already great and all the land God promised to him and to his people will some day soon be theirs. Israel is to God as the apple of His eye. No nation has escaped punishment that has dared to persecute Israel.

CANAAN DARKENED.

One seventh of the worlds population are followers of Mohammed. Canaan is darkened and blighted under their rule. Jerusalem is more sacred to them than any city in Arabia and though Great Britain has wrested Egypt out of their hands, she would find it a more serious thing to undertake the capture of Jerusalem because the whole Moslem world would resist such an attack and yet God is opening up the way so that despised Israel will have the privilege of entering that land of world wide interest.

In 1900 many predictions were made that great events were looming up in the near future and to-day the whole world realizes the truth of this. There are fourteen and a half million Jews in the world, out of these there are ten million in the theatre of the war being 68 per cent. of this number while of the Gentile nations in the war zone there are only 40 per cent. of the Gentile world population and Israel though so deeply interested is the only people in the war without a flag of their own. Russia at the opening of the war laid the blame for every mishap on the Jews, consequently there was much persecution, but that is not done now. God will lacerate every nation that is treating His people cruelly.

ANOTHER PROMISE.

God made another promise to Abraham in Gen. 15: 18, "Unto thy seed seed have I given this land from the river of Egypt unto the great river, the river Euphrates." This promise has never been fulfilled, but is just as sure as any promise that God has already paid. God has allotted this land them. They will again rebuild their cities, plant their vineyards, and enjoy the fruits thereof. Israel will yet be the head of nations. Jerusalem will be the centre of the worlds worship. Those will be the days of cleaning up and refining of the nations.

We are now at the close or fulness of the Gentile age. We are in the Laodicean age, spoken of in Revelation. The church is spoken of as being neither cold or hot. The professed church is in many ways closing the door against the Truth. The Church to-day is petrified with formalism and is catering to the world in many ways. This is a disappointment to God and to His people for there is nothing to satisfy man's greatest need. The true church of God is composed of the "called out ones." Everyone in this building of God is a living member, there can be no dead members in the body of Christ.

WILL BE RESTORED.

Israel will be restored in the Seven year Tribulation time—Antichrist will then be ruling. In Rom. 11:25 we are told "That blindness in part is happened to Israel until the fulness of the Gentiles become in." In that day light will break upon them and they will see Christ as their Messiah and in that day the ships of Tarshish shall bring them from afar. The ships to-day are in the hands of Great Britain and they shall be used to bring Israel to their own land.

The Jew to-day is providing the brain and the money for the carrying on of the war. Lord Reading a British Jew came to America and succeeded in getting a great loan for his country. Many Jews are in prominent places in Great Britain. The same is true of Germany, so it is in every nation in this war.

God has set a time-lock on Israel Psa. 102:13. There is a set time and God alone knows that time, but we can see from the signs of the Times that His time is very near at hand.

Some say the world will have to be converted before Jesus comes, but there are more children being born into the world every year than there are people being saved, so that argument will not hold. Therefore it behooves us to be ready for His coming.

Will Meet January 9th

Peterborough Operatic and Dramatic Society met on Saturday at 286 Park Street to discuss next year's programme. A subsequent meeting of a special committee decided not to meet again until the second Tuesday in the New Year, January 9th of which due notice will be given.

DELICACIES

For the Christmas Table at

Douros & Gettas

376 George Street

Our large number of customers will be pleased to know that we have provided abundantly for the Christmas season.

NEW FRUITS.

Malaga Grapes	Oranges
Grape Fruit	Lemons
Table Raisins	Bananas
Pineapples	Apples
Pomegranates	Cranberries
Figs and Dates	Prunes, etc.

NEW NUTS

Shelled Walnuts	Brazils
Shelled Almonds	Pecans
Peanuts	Filberts

TABLE DAINTIES

Preserved Fruits	Catsup
Roquefort Cheese	Allan's Cider
Old Cheese	Extra Olives
Clover Honey	Marmalade
Canned Goods	Sweet Pickles

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From Ocean, Sea and Lake — Fresh and in splendid condition.

FIRE SALE

Owing to the recent fire in our show room, thereby slightly damaging some of our fixtures: we have decided to place our entire stock of Fixtures and Portable Lamps on sale Dec. 18th to Jan. 1st.

This stock, as is well known consisted of many beautiful and exclusive designs, and owing to the necessity of repairing and remodelling our show room, we are sacrificing our profits. We can assure you of a reduction from 35 to 50%.

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AGENT OF FRANZ BOPP SAYS HE PLANTED BOMBS

San Francisco, Dec. 18.—Louis J. Smith, star witness for the prosecution in the Government's case against Franz Bopp, German consul-general here, and five others on charges of conspiracy to violate American neutrality, testified that he had been promised $300 a month and expenses, with a bonus of $300 for each explosion in connection with plans to upset war munition shipments to the Entente Allies.

Smith is under indictment on the same charge.

Smith said he first met Baron George von Bricken, a defendant consular attache, in the German house, a club in San Francisco, May 8, 1915. Smith said he informed von Bricken of a shipment of dynamite from a California powder plant to Seattle from where it was to be shipped to Vladivostok.

Smith testified: "Von Bricken asked me if I would follow the shipment to Seattle."

Later Smith said, C. C. Crowley, detective and also one of the defendants asked him if he would trail the shipment to Seattle and blow it up on a barge in the harbours. Smith said he agreed to do this.

"Von Bricken also asked me if I would explode the dynamite barge." Bricken and Crowley promised me $300 a month and expenses with a bonus of $300 for each explosion. Crowley gave me $250 and they sent me to Pinole, Cal., to get more information of dynamite shipments from a German. I could not find the German they mentioned."

The Hercules Powder Company has a plant at Pinole. The barge understood to have been referred to by Smith was blown up in Seattle harbor May 30, 1915.

Smith told of the meaning of code Telegrams he sent from Tacoma Wash., to Crowley concerning his alleged attempts to place a bomb on the Japanese Steamer Kaifuku Maru.

Smith identified the following telegram he sent to Crowley, May 13, 1915.

"Fine weather Kaifuku, Box 244 Five days."

The witness said the telegram meant "good time to place bomb on the Kaifuku, sailing in five days."

Smith said in case he got a bomb aboard the steamer he was to wire "Shall I buy at $350 per pound?" and if he failed he was to telegraph "They have sold it."

He failed to get a bomb aboard he said, because the Kaifuku Maru unexpectedly swung into the stream. She was carrying munitions to Russia.

THE ARCHANGEL IS ICEBOUND

Many Vessels Forced to Winter in the Russian Port.

The harbour in Archangel is so heavily blocked with ice that the ice-breakers find it difficult to get steamers out of the port, according to information received by Consul North Winship, who is at Petrograd. Mr. Winship says there is a great shortage of ice-breakers. The port authorities are hopeful of clearing the ports of steamers eventually, he says, but it is not more than probable that a large number will be forced to winter there.

"The last steamer scheduled to enter Archangel of the largest single shipping company running regular boats to that port," Mr. Winship continues in a report to the Department of Commerce, but just published, "is now lying at the Bay of Alexandrovsk waiting for an ice-breaker expected from England. This new ice-breaker is expected hourly, and is to take the large steamer in and out again, after which the navigation season may be expected to be closed definitely until late spring.

"It is also learned from private sources that the section of the new Murman Railroad, running from Kola on the Bay of Alexandrovsk to Kandalaksha on the White Sea, is scheduled to open for traffic about Feb. 1.

"When the next spring and summer season for navigation at Archangel opens in 1916 it will be considerably helped by the wide-gauge railroad, paralleling the present narrow gauge line, from Vologda as far as Nyandome, which is now open for traffic."

BIRTH.

GLOVER.—At 572 Charlotte street, on Monday, December 18th, 1916, to Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Glover, a daughter.

BRASSEUR.—At Peterborough, Sunday, Dec. 17th, 1916, to Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Brasseur, 172 Charlotte Street, a son.

DIED.

HOLLOWAY.—On December 18th, Mrs. L. Holloway, wife of Dr. W. T. Holloway.
Funeral arrangements later.

A MESSAGE OF SYMPATHY

His Worship Mayor Duffus is in receipt of the following communication which speaks for itself:

62 Lower Union St., Kingston.

To the Mayor of Peterborough:—

Dear Sir:—"At a meeting of the St. George's Cathedral Branch of the Anglican Young Peoples' Society, I was instructed to write you asking you to convey our sympathy to all who suffered owing to the dreadful fire at the Quaker Oats Company's plant on Monday last."

Sincerely yours,
A. PITCHFORD.

London Motor Traffic Shows Ebb

Motor vehicle traffic in London is at a lower ebb this year than it was last, according to a traffic census recently taken in Edgware Road. The following is from the London Telegraph.

"Each September since 1906 Hewitt Griffin has taken a census of traffic in Edgware Road, London, on behalf of Motor Traction, in order to record the progress or otherwise of the mechanical horse. A steadily rising line shows in diagrammatic form the use made of motor vehicles from that date until the outbreak of war. The highest point is reached in 1913, after which there is a great fall. In other words, while about 700 motor cars passing a given point in Edgware Road during a nine-hour day in September 1914—an increase of about 100 upon the preceding year—no fewer than 900 passed the same ground on the census day in 1915, but the number dropped to 450 last September. There are many causes for this rapid fall. A certain number of cars have been laid up for various reasons, the petrol restrictions have accounted for the absence of others, and the general call to the colours for the remainder. The 1916 motor traffic is similar to that prevailing in 1906, when 450 cars were recorded. It is to be hoped that the Petrol Committee will take note of these figures, for they clearly show that little if any unnecessary motoring takes place to-day.

"Usually at this time of the year London has its motor show. At present an exhibition of new cars obviously is out of the question, but there is an excellent substitute in the exhibition of second-hand motors now being held at the Agricultural Hall, Islington. Arranged in groups in the alphabetical order of the names of the makers, motorists can inspect many useful vehicles here. Besides cars, there are commercial motors and motor cycles on view, so that all classes of prospective purchasers should be able to discover something to suit their requirements. Although the present motor exhibition has not the glamour and the glitter of the Olympia affairs of the repeal past, it is quite appropriate to the times we live in and serves its purpose."

HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT AT once. Apply 254 Stewart Street. 124-12-28

HIGH SECRETARY SENDS SYMPATHY

Mr. J. W. Byers, Recording Secretary of Court Chemong, I.O.F., No. 530, has received from Mr. J. L. Dickenson, High Secretary I.O.F. Eastern Ontario, Manotick, a letter of sympathy and condolence with city and citizens in the loss sustained by the destruction of the Quaker Oats establishment and particularly with the families of those bereaved by the loss of relatives and friends. Especial inquiry was made as to the members of the order, if any, who had suffered by the fire. Mr. Byers will be able to inform him that there were only two so effected, one Mr. Richard J. Chowen, 430 Stewart street, seriously injured by burns and another one slightly injujred.

Cottage Prayer Meetings

John xv., 4 and 7.

4—"Abide in me and I in you as the branch cannot bear fruit of itself except it abide in the vine: no more can ye, except ye abide in me."

7—"If ye abide in me and my words abide in you, ye shall ask what ye will and it shall be done unto you."

Wonderful promise. What power for weak humanity, but it is conditional as we see.

Prayer services this week as following, promptly at 8 o'clock:

Tuesday evening, Dec. 19, at the home of Mr. J. H. Bettes, No. 1 Hunter Street East.

On Thursday evening, Dec. 21, at Mr. Oates, 238 Rubidge Street.

On Friday evening, Dec. 22, at Mr. Truesdell's, 177 Edinburgh Street.

We desire all to feel that they are welcome.

DENTAL.

Dr. McKenty, Dentist, 370 George Street, on the ground floor, first door north of Peterborough Hardware Company. Nitrous oxide and oxygen administered for painless operations. 26d-12tf

WATERLESS HOT BOTTLE

A USEFUL CHRISTMAS GIFT

Boil for ten minutes; stays hot twelve hours Is made of metal, and lasts a lifetime. Contains a compound that never needs to be renewed. Every bottle guaranteed never to leak or wear out.

MILLARD'S BICYCLE SHOP
Hunter St., Near Aylmer

Oriental Hotel Christmas Dinner

will be served from twelve till two. Tables will be reserved by request.

75c EACH

Enquire for Family Rates.

Presented With Thirty Dollars

Mr. William Steele, an employee of the Auburn Mills was the recipient of a presentation of thirty dollars evidencing in a practical way the sympathy of his fellow employees. Last summer Mr. Steele was the victim of an accident which incapacitated him for some time, and a short time ago he lost a couple of children. Mr. Steele desires to thank all those who participated in their friendly act.

CROSS FOR A BOY; CROWN FOR A GIRL IS THAT RED HAIR

If you have a tinge of red in your hair cultivate it; don't try to eradicate it—that is, if you are a woman. It is a singular fact that although red hair is a cross for a boy it is a crown for a girl. In the first place, red hair, and especially hair with a reddish tinge, is very expensive. Any hairdresser will tell you that it is hard to duplicate and there is considerable demand for it.

Perhaps even more desirable is the youthfulness which clings to women with red hair long after their sisters are dull, middle aged nobodies.

A theory of eugenics is that red hair is rare because it only occurs where both parents had red hair. This has not been proved. On the contrary, red hair sometimes seems to be inherited from some forgotten ancestor, after having skipped several generations.

It is quite generally believed that red hair is indicative of temper, but this should be no reason for a man to shun a spouse with auburn tresses. Most of the harm done in the world comes from deliberate plotting and not from impetuous acts of anger. Great crimes are committed by persons who brood over fancied or real wrongs and exist for revenge, rather than by those who fly into a rage and then forget. Even murderers are far more often brooders than hot tempered "red heads."

Noted beauties, from Cleopatra down, have possessed red hair. Red haired women are supposed to have an envy and charm which no other type possess. Queen Elizabeth had red hair, and her mark is deep on English history.

Red haired women who have an idea that only certain colours are becoming miss the opportunity many times to look their best. Black is always good. Nile green, creams and soft shades of pink also are becoming. The flaming haired woman who knows her type revels in much gold lace, for the brightness of the gold only echoes the gleam of her tresses.

CANADIAN EMBASSY IN NEW YORK IS ASSURED

Amalgamation of Canadian Organization There Makes it Possible.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—The Evening Sun says:

"The amalgamation of all Canadian organizations in New York into the Canadian Club of New York is about to be consummated. It is expected that the combined organizations will have 1,000 members. A clubhouse in New York, which will serve as an embassy for Canada, in the city, is planned.

"At a small private dinner party held at the Lotus Club a few weeks ago the plans were started.

"The Canadian Club of New York will entertain Sir Sam Hughes at a dinner at the Hotel Biltmore on January 6th."

CHRISTMAS DINNER

The Empress Hotel will be just like home on Christmas Day and will serve a special Dinner 12.30 to 2.30 p.m. Come and bring the family and give your wife a holiday. Tables may be reserved by Telephoning 121.

THE EMPRESS HOTEL

THE WORLD OF SPORT

STANDING AND AVERAGES OF CITY BOWLING LEAGUE

The standing in the City Bowling League is as follows:

Team Standing.

	Won	Lost	P.C	High Game	Aver.
Business Men	10	2	.833	917	160.
Printers	9	3	.750	908	157.7
C.G.E.	7	5	.583	829	146 4
Grocers	5	7	.416	801	147.
Left Overs	4	8	.333	809	144 1
De Laval	1	11	.083	735	131.3

INDIVIDUAL—	Games	High Game	High 3 Games	Aver.
Dawson (B.M.)	9	246	566	181.0
Fielder (B.M.)	12	211	576	177.
Solomon (Left Overs)	12	202	545	174.7
Cairns (Printers)	9	197	530	172.
Smith (Printers)	12	200	577	171 7
Carter (De Laval)	12	231	558	161.
Jardine (C.G.E.)	12	211	524	160.8
Lush (B.M.)	12	202	523	160.
Bishop (C.G.E.)	12	202	546	159.7
Miller (Printers)	12	258	682	158.
Fitzpatrick (Grocers)	12	196	487	156.
Weber (B.M.)	12	189	501	157.5
Heard (Grocers)	12	213	512	157.
Henderson (Printers)	12	172	497	155.5
Thompson (Left Overs)	12	175	506	151.6
Wilson (Printers)	3	183	455	151
Outram (Grocers)	12	196	487	147.7
Nichols (C. G. E.)	7	159	465	146.5
Langley (C.G.E.)	11	176	461	144.
Mylard (Printers)	11	189	445	140.
Gillespie (Grocers)	12	177	452	139.3
Hughes (Left Overs)	11	154	427	138.5
Byers (De Laval)	12	172	485	135.
Ross (Grocers)	10	167	472	135
Everett (B.M.)	9	158	436	134 1
Somerville (C.G.E.)	8	164	458	133.8
Routley (Left Overs)	11	176	430	133.4
Mills (C. G. E.)	3	147	392	130.6
Hill (De Laval)	11	149	436	130.
Ross (Left Overs)	12	168	425	127 8
Wilson (De Laval)	12	140	397	125.
Seaton (C.G.E.)	5	136	360	124.2
Bell (B.M.)	3	135	357	119.
Robinson (De Laval)	9	141	369	111.2
Lawrence (De Laval)	3	116	309	103.

High single game—Miller, 258.
High three games—Miller, 632.

ANOTHER JUNIOR PRACTICE AT SEVEN O'CLOCK TO-NIGHT

Junior hockey players are reminded of the practice at Brock Street Rink to-night at 7 o'clock. All candidates for the team are asked to be out sharp on time, as the practice will only be from 7 to 8 o'clock this evening. After to-night the squad will be cut down considerably in size, as it is impossible to get any beneficial practice with fifteen or twenty on the ice. A number of good youngsters were out on Friday night who look very promising for future junior teams, and it is unfortunate that an opportunity cannot be given for them to get some useful training this year. However, only seven can catch the junior O. H. A. team and it is impossible to carry a large squad all winter to interfere with the work of getting the regulars into shape, both as regards condition and team work. Youngsters who may not be chosen this year have no reason to feel discouraged — their day is coming. In fact some of the members of the team who will wear the Peterborough colours in the Junior O. H. A. this year have had to work several years to get a place on the line-up. And the new crop of "kids" this year have a bigger handicap than usual, as the squad turning out contains a larger number of seasoned players than is usually the case. The players will dress in the Peterborough hockey club room, upstairs to-night, and will use that room for the balance of the season. Coach Jerry Coughlin will be on hand to handle the practice.

BOWLING

On Saturday night a bowling match between the De Laval factory and the De Laval office was played at the Water street alleys. This game proved to be exciting at all stages, in fact one of the best yet rolled in these alleys. Not a man would give in till the last pin was down in the last game. Carter for the factory rolled a high score of 476 and Wilson for the office rolled 419. Wilson also pulled off a very hard spare. In all this match caused great excitement on both sides; but the De Laval office men are not to be outdone and say that they will issue another challenge to the factory. This game will be played in the near future.

THE SCORE.

DE LAVAL FACTORY.

	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Byers	151	158	129	436
Rider	95	95	129	319
Downing	105	106	90	301
McDonald	114	112	125	351
Carter	145	181	150	476
	610	689	623	1883

DE LAVAL OFFICE —

	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Fitzgerald	132	155	113	400
Robinson	135	114	116	365
Wilson	133	151	145	419
Lawrence	89	108	98	295
Hill	121	124	113	358
	600	647	585	1832

Mr. H Lush won the weekly prize with a score of 637, this score is the highest yet rolled in these alleys since Mr. Solomon became manager.

H. Lush also won the daily prize by getting nine spares, a feat that is unusually seen on the alleys.

Mr. Miller's score of 258 for the ball still stands good. As this prize will be given on the 1st of January, the bowlers will have to hustle if they wish to beat this score. This prize is worth trying for as it is valued at $35.00

This will be a great exiciting week at the Alleys, open for all bowlers as Mr. Solemn is giving away turkeys for the bowlers who roll the three highest consecutive games, these prizes will be awarded on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday and should bring out all bowlers.

Curlers Meet To-night

A meeting of the Curling Club will be held at the rink this evening to ballot on six proposed members, including Mayor Duffus. Mr. McIntosh has already flooded the rink and with cold weather, expects to have the sheet ready for the first game in a short time.

The 'Kickers' Club' are anxious for news about one of its most prominent members who has not yet been heard from and whose absence has created some disquietude about the probable activities of the Club this winter

LIVE STOCK MARKET

TORONTO, Dec. 18.—Live stock receipts heavy, trade fair. Heavy choice steers, $8.85 to $9.25; choice butcher, $8.25 to $8.50; good heifers, $7 to $7.25; feeders, $6.50 to $6.75. Other unchanged.

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Crayons, Oils, Water Colors, Sepias, Etchings and Paints

1000 PICTURES TO CHOOSE FROM

Loader & Co. have just received a Large Holiday Shipment. Come and see the Special Display and prices for Christmas.

Come Early and Secure First Choice.
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301 George Street

MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR ONE OF FIRE VICTIMS

Impressive Service to the Memory of Late Wm. Miles at the Mark Street Methodist Church Last Evening.

LESSONS OF THE FIRE

Mark Street Church was crowded last evening when a service in memory of the late William Miles, who lost his life in the Quaker Oats fire last Monday, was held. Deceased worshipped in the Mark Street Church, of which he was a respected member, a week ago Sunday evening, making his absence all the more keenly felt during the service last night. The pastor, Rev. Whattam, referred to the late Wm. Miles as a quiet, yet active earnest and faithful member of the Methodist church, beloved not only by those in his home, but by all who knew him. In the shadow of the tragedy in which this member, along with other citizens, had lost his life, the Pastor said that it was his purpose last night to touch on some of the lessons that could be gleaned from the disaster. In the case of the deceased member, he was prepared in the happiest way for such a tragedy, having put his confidence in God and rested his faith in Christ.

Rev. Mr. Whattam used for the basis of his sermon, two texts, one from Ezekiel, and the other from Hosiah, which read: "Son of man, behold, I take away from thee the desire of thine eyes with a stroke; yet neither shalt thou mourn or weep, neither shall thy tears run down," and "I will ransom them from the power of the grave; I will redeem them from death."

The thought in the heart of each one of us this hour said Mr. Whattam, is of the terrible tragedy that occurred in our midst on Monday last. The splendid industrial establishment stood an example of the genius of man at its best. It represented the wealth of thought and of money of many men. It was giving to the world its gifts again. There 500 employees found the privilege of industry, and there 500 families had their interest because from that establishment came the assurance for the days to come and the days as they were passing one by one. It was backed by the mighty millions of princes of commerce. Then came with great suddenness the appalling tragedy through which we have passed, and the great institution was left at the end of the day a mass of smouldering ruins. The fire left five hundred men without steady employment, eighteen lives were lost; sorrow filled every breast and a pall of gloom hangs over the community. As pastor he went on Monday to St. Joseph's hospital and there visited some of the victims who were rescued from the flames.

The scene was heartrending beyond description, and all the Pastor could say was "God bless the men who came out of that terrible fire suffering agonies untold. God bless them." In a case like this this we were apt to challenge the Scriptural passage that all things work together for good to them that love God. But the words were true. If we could but steady our hearts and strengthen ourselves in this crisis we might glean from the tragedy of eternal import.

The first thought along this line was one of sympathy to those who were suffering or bereaved. In this service in memory of one who was lost, we pray God that He may bless every heart breaking to-night as they sit beside the bier in the home. Far better than expected the body had been recovered and that fact explained the absence of the Miles family from the service. Loving hearts and tender hands would bear it away to its last resting place.

The second thought was one of gratitude. Had this fire occurred a few years ago it would have meant the destruction of the city with even more appaling loss of life. We should be thankful too, that of the 300 girls and women working in the factory, every one of them was saved. Yes, we should feel thankful from the bottom of our hearts that, disastrous as had been the occurrence, it had not been worse. After all we have just been touched by that which is crushing the souls out of whole nations at the present time. When we put our fate beside the deeper woe and the blacker tragedy, we must thank God that this thing had no come to us in the full measure that it has to some other nations.

The third lesson from the fire was the wisdom of the preparedness of souls. That even though life should cease as with a breath no harm can come to the life which knows the divine touch of Jesus Christ. Life is uncertain. Death lurks in common things. In the midst of life we are in death. He who can pass the events of the past week and still lives of the past week, is playing, in utter foolishness this life as a game. God help the hearts that know all of the events of the past week, and go on as the same as ever. If we have not been able to glean from this tragedy lessons of everlasting import, then we should challenge our souls. In these events do not arouse us from our spiritual slumber, God help us.

Suspended Sentence For And. Magee

There were few dry eyes in the County Court this afternoon when Judge Huycke liberated Andrew Magee who was convicted a few days ago of concealment of the birth of Dolly Taylor's baby. The prisoner was allowed to go on suspended sentence and was ordered to report every two months to Chief Thompson. His wife was present in court with their three-year-old boy, a bright-eyed little chap, who stared in bewilderment and without comprehension at the court officials and the audience in the gallery.

The proceedings were deeply pathetic, revealing in abridged summaries Andrew Magee's moral and material decline in the past ten years. Apparently he was undone by his wife's relations, among them principally Dolly Taylor, whom the Judge termed "that wretched woman." Mr. Daniel O'Connell, solicitor for the prisoner, presented in a brief address, a plea for clemency. Magee had come of a very respectable family. He had owned a farm of 200 acres free of debt. But during the past eight years he had lost the back hundred of his farm, from the sale of which he had received only $175, after his encumberances were paid off. The other hundred acres have a chattel mortgage on them, and Mr. O'Connell stated that should the prisoner be sentenced to penientiary the farm would doubtless be altogether lost and his wife and family left without support.

Crown Attorney Hatton expressed a wish to meet the plea of defendant's counsel. Having regard for all the circumstances in this case he felt that if clemency were extended to the prisoner it would not be in opposition to the good government of the country.

Judge Huycke's Remarks.

After calling Magee over to his desk, because of the prisoner's deafness Judge Huycke stated that he agreed that Magee had been rightly convicted. The jury had rightly acquitted Dolly Taylor on one charge, but on the other, had made a terrible blunder. "She was as guilty as you were," observed the Judge, adding that he did not find fault with the jury.

His Honour stated that he did not want the impression to go abroad that Magee and the Taylor woman had gone scot free. She was free by a mistake. After considering the future welfare of Magee's family and for the sake of Mrs. Magee and their children, and what would happen to their home and its complete disintegration, His Honour stated that he couldn't and wouldn't send the prisoner to prison.

"When I think of the way you treated this woman (Mrs. Magee) of whom you are not worthy and to whom you have been unfaithful, and how she had cared for your children, and those by your former wife, and I am told, that she has been a good wife to you, and when I think of how that other woman treated her, I feel that you don't deserve anything."

It was then that His Honour stated that because of the interests of the wronged wife and the welfare of the children he had decided to suspend sentence.

"But this does not mean that you are absolutely free. If you behave yourself, you will not hear anything more of this affair. You must report every two months to Chief Thomson, and write to him, if you cannot come in, telling him what you are doing and how you are getting on.

If I hear of that woman (Dolly Taylor) living at your home again, or of you seeing or speaking to her, I will immediately have you brought before me. I want you to cut him out," His Honour heatedly admonished," in conclusion.

Dolly Taylor is a sister of Magee's present wife. It was stated that relatives had lived on Magee's county, and that Dolly Taylor had exposed him to the temptations to which he had fallen. She had been a participant in his crime and it was intimated had lead to his undoing.

Magee broke down at the close of the Judge's address, and walking over to his little boy picked him up, and enfolding him in his arms, kissed him as he followed his wife from the court. And it wasn't a kiss for the benefit of the spectators.

The Woes of The Milkman

Conditions in West

Mr. Robert Harstone, Water street returned on Friday last from the West. He reports a peculiar situation in connection with the grain crops in the three provinces. Some parts have produced great crops and the farmer with the high prices is better off than ever. Other sections have been practically non-productive and the grower consequently has no returns, but Mr. Harstone feels that the high prices prevailing this year and the exceptional crop of last year are rapidly putting the West in good shape again.

Brock Street Rink Opened Saturday Night

Skating Again To-night With Band in Attendance

The Brock street rink opened on Saturday night to a capacity house, with the ice fairly good. The ice for to-night, with the band in attendance, is in grand shape, and another good crowd is expected. From indications there will be a big season of skating.

Germans Like Clay In French Hands

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right flank the forward movement encountered strong opposition in Hardecourt Wood which was not overcome until late in the afternoon, when Bezon Vaux redoubt, about five kilometres in advance of the original French front line, was taken from the German garrison.

Mangin Organizer of Victory.

General Mangin was again the principal organizer of the victory, in which he followed his own example at Douaumont and Fort Vaux by delivering irresistible blows at the chief point in the German lines and hammering until his opponents were forced to give ground. Generals Nivelle and Petain watched the engagement, in which only four French divisions participated, although it is known the Germans had five divisions engaged, from every regiment of which prisoners were taken.

It is reported without confirmation that several of the German divisions which took part in the fighting were hurried from Roumania to rejoin the Crown Prince's army, and that they were among those suffering defeat.

The French losses during the attack were unbelievably light. The German artillery seemed to fire at random, probably disorganized by the absence of German airmen, who were kept in complete subjection by the French aviators.

Snow and sleet fell throughout the night, rendering difficult further operations. The French Staff's examination of the German positions captured demonstrates their formidable nature and their high state of preparedness against assault.

Crown Prince Too Confident.

Thirty German deserters who came in before the battle began, testify that the Crown Prince's army had knowledge that an attack was about to be made and were confident that they could hold the ground, which during their nine months of occupation they had strongly organized. They assert that more Germans were desirous of deserting, but that the strict precautions which had been taken and the nature of the ground prevented them from doing so.

The difficulties opposed to the French advance may be realized from the altitude of the hills which the troops were ordered to take and succeeded in capturing. Pepper Hill, which is double-crested, is 1,122 feet high; Louvemont is 1,138 feet high, and another hill, unnamed, behind is 1,180 feet. The work of the French aviators, like that of the infantry and artillerymen was carried out everywhere with almost indescribable daring. Dozens of squadrillas of airmen flitted about observing and correcting the artillery fire and accompanying the infantry formations in their advance, after which they flew rapidly back to Headquarters with detailed reports, thus keeping the Commander-in-chief in closest touch with events.

Not an Aviator Killed.

During the entire day not a French airman was killed. On the other hand, it is reported that they destroyed a German observation balloon, which probably accounts for a terrible burst of flame just before noon facing Douaumont. That fort was the objective of the German heavy guns for hours, but the projectiles did only slight damage.

Liquor Advertising Is Condemned

By the Ministerial Association

A meeting of the Ministerial Association was held this morning in the Y.M.C.A. A very interesting paper by Rev. W. H. White on "How Shall We Present Christianity to the New Age," was read and discussed.

During the meeting the following resolution was proposed and adopted

"That whereas, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario has enacted legislation prohibiting the sale of liquor within the bounds of the province;

And whereas, the manifest purpose of this legislation is to further conserve men and money to meet the tremendous demands made upon us in these days of national trial;

And whereas liquor dealers outside this province are doing all in their power to further the sale of their wares in this province;

And whereas certain newspapers of this province give advertising space to the dealers above mentioned;

And whereas we regard such action on their part as contrary to the spirit of the legislation above referred to;

Be it resolved that we as an Association express our regret that any newspaper should, for profit, assist this business by giving space to its advertisement;

And that we call upon Christian people to assist in every possible way to bring to the attention of such newspapers the fact that we regard the propaganda as calculated to defeat the intention of our law makers;

And that this resolution be published in the press of our city."

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

Examination in First Aid by Dr. Cameron Monday evening at 8.30.

All classes will close for the Christmas holidays on Friday.

The Saturday morning gymnasium class will hold their closing Friday at 4 o'clock. The Saturday afternoon class Friday at 2 o'clock.

At 8 o'clock Friday evening the senior gymnasium classes and clubs will have a good time party in the gymnasium.

MILITARY NEWS

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of recruits 10, appointed officers 21, attached officers none other ranks 48 Total strength 69

254th battalion, Belleville—Number of recruits 80, appointed officers 16, attached officers 3, other ranks 153 Total strength, 194.

Div. Signal Company, Ottawa — Number of recruits 24, appointed officers 1, other ranks 375. Total strength 399

Queen's Field Ambulance, Kingston — Number of recruits 14, appointed officers 5 attached officers 30 other ranks 144. Total strength 180.

C.A.D.C., Kingston and Ottawa — Number of recruits 1, appointed officers 10, attached officers 2, other ranks 10. Total strength 24

C.A.S.C. Reinforcements Kingston - Number of recruits 15, appointed officers 1, other ranks 31. Total strength 34.

Unattached recruits none. Recruits furnished for other districts from district No 3, 109

No. 3 Special Service Company, Kingston—Appointed officers 4, other ranks 315. Total strength 319.

"C" battery, R. C. H. A., C. E. F.—Kingston—Number of recruits 28, appointed officers 2, attached officers 9, other ranks 288. Total strength 329. These men are enlisted at the permanent force depot, but do not form a part of the permanent force establishment.

Total number of recruits for the two weeks 830; total appointed officers 245; total attached officers, 86 total other ranks, 4,262; total force in district, 4,583

The showing for the two weeks is an excellent one, and it is fully believed that No. 3 district will again lead the whole Department in the number of recruits. The unit which secured the greatest number of recruits is the 254th of Brockville with a total of 199. The next unit is the 240th of Renfrew with 87, followed by the 254th of Belleville with 80 recruits. Lt. Col. Allen of Belleville, has made the most phenomenal growth of any unit in the district having a total strength already of 194

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

New York Stocks—

Airbrake, 135; Atch., 106, 104 3-4; B. & O., 85 3-4, 85 1-2; C.P.R., 165 3-4, 166; N.Y.C., 106; Erie, 37 3-4, 37 1-4; Reading, 109 1-4, 108 5-8; Union Pacific, 147 3-4, 148 3-8; Rep. Steel, 81 3-4, 80; U. S. Steel, 114, 113 7-8; Anaconda, 86; Lacc., 80 3-4, 80 3-8; Inter Nickel, 44 3-4, 44.

Canadian Stocks—

Cement, 64 1-2, 65; Dom. Steel, 72 1-2, 71 1-2; Steamships, 30, 30 1-2; Steel of Can., 73 1-2, 71; Smelters, 35; Can. Loco., 112 bid; N. S. Steel, 129 bid; Canada Car, 58 bid; Canada Loco, 59 bid.

11 REELS ENTIRE CHANGE TO-DAY BEST PROGRAMME YET 11 REELS

Royal Theatre

EARLE WILLIAMS
in "The Red Whiskered Man
from "THE SCARLET RUNNER"

Another episode in the Strand Magazine Story. This chapter in two reels is called "The Man With Red Whiskers"

The Scarlet Runner

Beautiful three reel Social Story OUR OTHER LIVES

Two reel war picture—When the Germans Invaded Belgium

THE CHILD KILLERS

Pathe Feature Drama—ONLY A ROSE

Great Comedies—"That Tired Business Man," "A Boomerang," "A Hand Job" and other good ones.

Continuous performance with two full shows afternoon and evening. Price 10c which covers war tax.

EMPIRE THEATRE

PARAMOUNT PARAMOUNT

Daniel Frohman introduces ANN PENNINGTON as

SUSIE SNOWFLAKE

By Shannon Fife. A photoplay of the musical comedy world.

Also good comedy, ALMOST A WIDOW

Strand Theatre The home of high-class photo plays—presents

Cyril Maude the celebrated English actor who appeared here last spring in "Grumpy," in

The GREATER WILL

10c—WHICH INCLUDES WAR TAX—10c

Special Afternoon Matinees for Ladies and Children.

TIZ-IT THEATRE

Red Feather, in 5 parts, featuring KING BAGGOT

THE MAN FROM NOWHERE

Big U Drama, featuring THOMAS JEFFERSON The Lonesome House

L-K-O Comedy, featuring GERTRUDE SELBY

GETTING THE GOODS ON GERTIE

Robert Fair & Co. Ltd.

Interesting News For This Week's Xmas Shoppers

We passed through the Custom House on Saturday 1 case of Gentlemen's and Ladies' Soft Fleecedown Dressing Robe, patterns of unusual handsome designs, with girdles to match, put up in individual gift boxes, also 3 pieces of the same material to be sold by the yard. These goods were delayed in transit and should have reached us early in November. Owing to their late arrival we have decided to clear them out at about ONE-THIRD LESS than their value and we urge early inspection. Here are particulars of the sale:—

CORTEX BATH ROBES, size 72 x 88 inches, regular value $5.00. Late Arrival Sale Price, each..... **$3.50**

CORTEX BATH ROBES, 72 x 90 inches, regular value $5.50. Late Arrival Sale Price each..... **$3.75**

CORTEX BATH ROBING by the yard, 27 inches wide, three designs, all reversible. Regular value 55c. Late Arrival Sale Price, per yard **40c**

This District Again Leads in Recruiting

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, Ont., December 18.—Total recruiting in Canada for the first half of the present month was 3,274. This brings the total recruiting in the Dominion since the war commenced up to 381,438. The recruiting for the first fortnight of the present month shows an improvement. For the last fortnight Kingston holds the record with 630 enlistments, Toronto coming next with 567, London seventh with 264.

PARIS, December 18.—Vigorous German counter attacks resulted in the enemy obtaining a hold on a portion of Chambrettes Farm, the War Office report of Saturday and Sunday's operations on the Mesopotamian ed more than 11,000 prisoners have been so far taken on the Verdun front since December 15.

BERLIN, December 18.—German naval aeroplanes on Saturday bombarded the Russian sea forces in Port Sulina. One enemy hydroplane was brought down by machine gun fire.

Useful Christmas Presents

Hundreds of Beautiful Gifts to Choose From

FOR HER

MAY WE SUGGEST

A Bottle Exquisite Perfume from 25c to $5.00
A Box of Page & Shaw's Chocolates from 25c to $5.00
French Ivory Dressing Mirror or Hair Brush
Ivory or Ebony Manicure Pieces or Sets
A Dressing Case in Ivory or Ebony
A Writing Portfolio.....from 75c to $6.00
Genuine Leather Hand Bags, newest shapes $1.50 to $8.00
A Leather Music Roll
A Jewell Box in Ivory, Tortois or Leather
A Combination Toilet and Manicure Set in Ivory or Ebony.. from $8.50 to $25.00
A Brush and Comb Set from $1.50 up
A Thermos Coffee Pot or Water Jug
A Fountain Pen, regular or Safety
A Bottle of Toilet Water, etc., etc.

FOR HIM

MAY WE SUGGEST

A Genuine Rubber Set Shaving Brush
A Razor (Old Style or Safety)--Gillette, Auto-Strop, Ever-ready, etc.
A Shaving Mirror, a Shaving Set or a Razor Strop
A Pair of Military Brushes, Ivory or Ebony
An Ebony Hair Brush, Clothes or Hat Brush
A Thermos Bottle or Thermos Kit
A Flashlight
A Chamois Vest or Fountain Pen
A Cigar or Cigarette Case
A Leather Purse, a Wallet or a Money Belt, etc., etc.

SEE OUR LARGE DISPLAY
THE BEST ASSORTMENT IN THE CITY
HIGHEST QUALITY LOWEST PRICES

Warne's Cut-Rate Drug Store

351 GEORGE STREET PHONE 527

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Diamonds, Pearls, Emeralds, Rubbies — Loose Stones of rare quality and variety; at very reasonable prices. —

By choosing a loose stone and having it set to suit your fancy you obtain a distinct piece of gift jewelry.

Warne Bros
DIAMOND HALL
Next to Warne Drug Co.

City and General

PROBABILITIES.

Strong north and north-westerly winds, local snow flurries, but generally fair and decidedly cold to-night and on Tuesday.

ROOMS CLOSED.

The rooms of the Peterborough Progressive Club will be closed until Wednesday, Jan. 8th.

FLOWER DAY.

The Soldiers' Wives and Mothers' Club intend to hold a flower day on Saturday, Dec. 23rd.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. Wm. Mestey and family wish to thank their friends for their kindness and sympathy in their recent sad and sudden bereavement; also for floral offerings sent.

Broken auto cylinders, machinery and stoves welded, by the new Oxo Acetelyne Process. Anything in iron, steel or aluminum made as good as new, not patched up. Millard's Bicycle Shop, Hunter street, near Aylmer.

SAMPSON UP TO-MORROW.

The preliminary hearing of Clarence Sampson will open at the police court to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock before County Magistrate Langley.

WORKROOMS CLOSED.

The workrooms of the Women's Patriotic League of Ashburnham will be closed until the first Wednesday in January. Those desiring yarn may get it at Mrs. Graham's, 166 Hunter street. 293-142

E. B. CLEGG & CO.

Furniture purchased now as gifts, will be held until Christmas week if desired. Dining room furniture on sale this week. Some handsome styles to choose from. A collection of colonial art craft and modern style buffets. See our show window. A fine example of the William and Mary style.

TALENT TEA.

The Soldiers' Wives' and Mothers' Club will meet at a talent tea at the home of Mrs. McKinsky, Orpington Road, on Tuesday afternoon. Members to meet at the home of Mrs. Stanley, 184 Charlotte street at 3 p.m.

EXTRA MARKET DAY.

Citizens are reminded that Wednesday of this week will be a special market day.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS.

The Legal Committee of the City Council will meet this evening at seven-thirty o'clock and will be followed by a meeting of the Property Committee at eight-thirty o'clock.

CHAMBERLAIN METAL WEATHER STRIP.

Now is the time to have your windows and doors properly installed with the right strip. Chamberlain Metal Weather Strip People, 723 Aylmer street, or 'phone 1292. 293-142

A GOOD PURCHASE.

We purchased a complete line of pipes before the advance in prices, real amber, extra good briar. We have also a very large stock for Christmas of cigars and tobaccos. We always give extra good value. Call and see us.—Yeates Bros, 339 George street.

CLEANING, PRESSING AND REPAIRING.

'Phone 1416 for Cleaning, Pressing and Repairing. Goods called for and delivered promptly. Mrs. Read, 159 Rubidge Street. dtf

LADY CURLERS.

The Ladies' Curling Club will meet to-morrow afternoon at the rink, Charlotte street. Will all the members and all others wishing to join kindly be present at 3 o'clock sharp.

RED CROSS SOCIETY.

A special meeting of the executive committee of the Red Cross Society will be held in the Board room at the Public Library on Tuesday, December 19th at three o'clock.

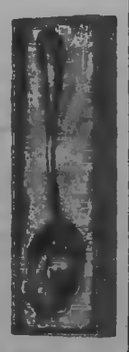
HOSIERY. HOSIERY.

When buying your Christmas gifts don't forget to call on us. We have a complete line of ladies' and children's rib-hose, mittens, red over-stockings, sweater coats, etc. Also a full line for men, and specialties for soldiers.—Lavoie Knitting Factory, 89 Hunter Street, East of St. John's Church. 6d-140

FINE STERLING SILVERWARE

We can unhesitatingly recommend to the Christmas Shopper our exquisite display of Fine Silver ware for quality and style.

Large and Small Tea Spoons
Dessert Spoons and Forks
Soup Spoons
Salad Forks
Orange Spoons
Table Spoons



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GROCERIES OPEN.

Under the early closing by-law, the grocers of Peterborough may keep their stores open in the evening for four nights before Christmas. The stores will, therefore, be open on Wednesday, Thursday Friday and Saturday.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs Thomas Parsons, 459 Chamberlain street wishes to thank her kind friends and neighbours for their deepest sympathy shown to her during her sad bereavement in the loss of her dear beloved husband, who was killed at the Quaker Oats disaster, and also for the beautiful flowers sent to them.

SPECIAL MEETING.

A very special meeting of the Canadian Kitchener League is called for Monday, Dec. 18th, at 8 o'clock sharp, at the Y.M.C.A. It is most important that every member be present. 293-140

ONE-CENT-A-DAY CLUB.

Mrs. G. L. Hay wishes to announce that the contributions to the One-Cent-a-Day Club of the Ashburnham Red Cross Society for the month of November amounted to four thousand six hundred and seventeen (4,617) cents, making a total to date of one hundred and two thousand six hundred and fifty-nine (102,659).

ST. JOHN'S NOTICES.

Monday 5.15, daily, Service of Intercession for Allied Forces.

Tuesday 2 p.m., also Wednesday, Church decoration prepared in the school.

7.30—Girls' Association Red Cross.

Wednesday 7.30—A.B.C. Club Meeting.

Thursday—St. Thomas, Apostle and Martyr.

8 a.m.—Holy Communion.

10 a.m.—Morning Prayer.

8 p.m.—Evensong. Dedication of a memorial tablet, which has been placed in the church in memory of the late Stanley Fife, late of the Princess Patricia's. Relatives and friends are asked to be present.

The choristers are need to be present at this service and to rehearse the music for Christmas afterwards.

Saturday 9 a.m.—Boys' Practice.

Sunday 8 a.m.—Holy Communion.

On Christmas Day, Holy Communion will be celebrated at 8. Morning Prayer at 10:30, instead of 11, in abbreviated form followed by the second celebration of Holy Communion.

The King's Daughters will receive gifts for distribution at the Recruiting Rooms, Simcoe street, on Wednesday morning.

ANOTHER BODY RECOVERED

Another body was taken from the ruins of the Quaker Oats Company's plant this afternoon. The remains were unrecognizable and may never be identified.

Social and Personal

Mr. Peel Dennistoun who has been the week end visitor of Col. and Mrs. Arthur Stevenson, returned to-day to his home in Winnipeg.

Lieut. Geo. Hatton is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Hatton for the holidays.

Mrs. Harold Deeks Robertson returned on Saturday to her home, Gilmour street after spending a few weeks in Toronto.

Mrs. Kenshaw, Fenelon Falls spent the week end the guest of friends in the city.

Capt. Jean de Crespigny of the French army, who is in the city buying horses and Dr. Delas, V. S. of France are registered at the Oriental.

Miss Francis Routley, Stewart street, who for the past two months has been the guest of friends in Toronto returned to her home on Friday.

Mrs. Rupert Gliddon is the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. W. Weir, Rosedale, Toronto for a few days.

Mr. Paul Gliddon was in Bobcaygeon on Friday where a delighted audience heard him play at the Red Cross concert held in that village.

Mr. D. B. McCoy of Belleville was in the city to-day registered at the Oriental.

Miss Clara Stevenson of Reaboro is the guest o. Miss Elva Raper, 90 Hunter street.

The Rugby Club of the P.C.I. have issued invitations to a dance to be held on Monday, Jan. 1st, in the Conservatory of Music Hall. The patronesses will be: Mrs. W. H. Bradburn, Mrs. G. N. Gordon, Mrs. C. S. McClelland, Mrs. R. Gliddon, Mrs. W. C. Austin, Mrs. (Dr.) Carmichael, Mrs. C. E. Jamieson, Mrs. B. D. Hall, and Mrs. Eastwood. The committee in charge are: Messrs. D. Canniff, O. Gliddon, H. Skuce, G. McClelland and Hugh Austin. The proceeds to be devoted to patriotic purposes.

Mrs. Lloyd, Kalamazoo, Mich., is in town the guest of Dr. Holloway, 377 Downie street.

Miss Florence Scott spent the week end the guest of friend ain Toronto.

Word has been received from Dr. Frank, who is with the Dental Corps at Halifax, that he expects to sail with his unit this week for duties overseas.

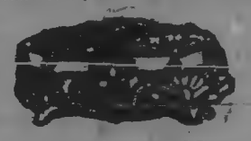
Girl Guides who are members of the Peter Robinson Chapter, I. O. D. E., were hostesses of one of the most successful teas which have been held at the Empress. Mrs. Gordon Grahame and Miss Phyllis Cumberland were hostesses, and those assisting were the Misses Marion Greaves, Helen Davidson, Alia and Kathleen Dunsford, Esmee Aylmer, Marian Harstone, Geraldine Hopper, Margaret Stevenson, Amy Clementi, and Seaborne Hamilton. The young ladies assisting looked very charming in middy blouses and sailor hats. Amongst those who came in were Mrs. W. R. Morris, Mrs. Geo. Hatton, Miss Margaret Eastwood, the Misses Hutton, Cadet G. H. Hatton, Mrs. McElderry, Mrs. Elston, Mrs. Harry Thompson, Mrs. McBain, Miss Maisie Armstrong, Miss Bessie Latimer, Mrs. Harstone, Miss Williams, Miss McCrae, Miss McBride, Miss Claxton, Miss Georgie Stevenson, Mr. Peel Dennistoun, Miss Amy Hill, Miss Robina Cummings, Mrs. Jas. Hamilton, Miss Irwin, Miss Collins, Mrs. W. Hill, Mrs. Suckling, Mrs. Aylmer, Mrs. R. R. Hall, Mrs. A. Stevenson, Mrs. McLaren, Capt. Thomson, Mr. Menzies, Mrs. Miles Hamilton, Mr. Kershaw, Fenelon Falls, Mr. Widdifield, Miss Powell, Mrs. Birks, Miss Cameron, Miss Cunningham, Mrs. W. H. Hitc, Mrs. Dunsford, Mr. Earnshaw, Mrs. Mowat, Mrs. (Judge) Huycke, Mrs. Chris. Graham, Mrs. Duncan Walker, Miss Archer, Miss Morrow, Mr. and Mrs. Knight, Miss Roberts, Mrs. Denne, Mr. Bateman, Mr. and Mrs. Killaly, Mrs. Dearle, Miss Rose Mulholland, Miss Butler, Miss Reinhart and Miss McDonald.

THE WEATHER

Two below zero yesterday morning. Four below this morning.—W. P.

EXCLUSIVE GIFTS

In the past month we have received many articles of gift presentation that cannot be duplicated elsewhere such as



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OBITUARY

MRS. (DR.) HOLLOWAY.

The sympathy of the community will be extended to Dr. W. T. Holloway in the loss of his wife, Lillian Welch, who died at the family residence, 377 Downie street, this morning at eleven o'clock. Mrs. Holloway, who had been ill a comparatively short time, was born in Exeter, Ont. She leaves to mourn her loss three brothers, Mr. N. J. Welch, of Kansas City, and Messrs. J. B. and E. of Kalamazoo, Mich.; also four sisters, Mrs. Lloyd, Kalamazoo, Mrs. J. R. Inkster, Paris, Mrs. (Dr.) McDowell, Listowel, and Mrs. W. J. Bissett, Exeter.

The remains will be taken to Exeter on Wednesday at 4 a.m., the funeral to be held on Friday.

MRS. HENRY WILSON.

Margaret Helen Hetherington, wife of Mr. Harry Wilson, died Sunday after undergoing an operation. Mrs. Wilson was the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Hetherington 450 Smith street.

The funeral will be held on Tuesday afternoon to the Little Lake Cemetery at 2.30. Canon Cornish officiating.

LAKEFIELD PERSONALS

LAKEFIELD, Dec. 18.—Miss Mina Edwards has returned home after spending a few weeks in Peterborough visiting friends.

Mr. Richard Graham of Sanford, Manitoba, has arrived in the village to spend a three months' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Northcott have returned to the village after spending the past month in Peterborough, the guest of their daughter, Mrs. C. Lynn.

Mrs. R. H. Alford has returned to her home in the village after spending a three weeks' visit in Midland and Lindsay.

Mrs. C. S. Carter spent Saturday morning in Peterborough.

Mrs. J. M. Simpson spent Saturday morning in Peterborough.

Miss Olive M. C. Jory spent Saturday in Peterborough.

Mr. E. H. Northey spent Sunday in Peterborough.

Mrs. George Garbutt of Douro, spent Friday in the village.

Miss W. Garbutt of Douro, spent Friday in the village.

Holland Solves The Coal Cinder Problem

With coal costing from $6 to $8.25 a ton, thousands of tons of fuel are said to be wasted in Toledo, Ohio. This assertion is based on scientific research in fuel economy, says the Blade.

United States Consul Frank W. Mahin, at Amsterdam, Holland in the Government Commerce reports says it has been found that, in many instances, more than 20 per cent, sometimes as high as 75 per cent., of furnace refuse consists of combustable material.

Dutch inventive genius has worked out a device for getting all the coke and unconsumed coal out out of the ashes of furnace refuse. By the device, furnace refuse is separated into parts of four different sizes. Each part is placed in a separate basin containing a liquid of specific gravity, somewhat more than water, and stirred briskly. The lighter, combustible remnants come to the top.

It is said 2,000 tons of furnace coal will yield an average of 36 tons of good quality fuel, besides much of inferior quality. The refuse left from the sieving process can be utilized in making a fine grade cement, it is said.

"The cost of installing this device would be too much for a small factory" says Consul Mahin, "but it has been proposed that an establishment might be erected and the refuse from factories, within a given district be collected and treated there, so that all the associated factories would be able to operate their furnaces very cheaply."

A ONE ARMED TERROR

Oshawa Man Awaits Trial on Charge of Chicken Stealing.

WHITBY, Dec. 16.—George Arnold, a one armed man whose home is in Oshawa, is in the County Jail here awaiting his trial on a charge of chicken stealing. When being brought here he put up a fight against two constables, and though subsequently overpowered he bruised one of them and damaged the interior of a local restaurant. He spent seven years in the Penitentiary at one time for brutally assaulting and permanently injuring the turnkey of the County Jail here about a score of years ago.

Photographs taken this week finished for New Year's

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BRITISH SOLDIERS FROZEN TO DEATH ON BALKAN HEIGHTS

Canadian Officer Tells Terrible Story of Allied Attempt to Save Serbia Unaided While Greeks Played Traitor in the Rear—Greek Aid to German Submarines.

THE RETREAT FROM SERBIA

A Canadian officer returned recently from the Salonika front gives the following interesting and enlightening account of the early operations from that base, and the treachery of the Greek King.

The Salonika Army would never have been at Salonika at all if the cooperation of the Allies had not been invited by the then Prince Minister of Greece, the great Cretan, Venizelos. This was when the Greek army was mobilized by Venizelos against Bulgaria, on September 24, 1915.

The Greek army is composed of six completely equipped army corps, with adequate reserves. Its artillery fits it admirably for operations in the Balkans as it is very strong in mountain guns, especially light howitzers. All equipment is on the best French model. It had been trained by a French military mission, and its morale was good after its easy victories of the late Balkan wars.

With the Greek first line of 200,000 men, with the 150,000 men sent by the Allies, Serbia could have been saved.

Greek King Ruins Our Plans.

When the King of Greece found, however, that only 13,000 Allied troops had arrived as a first instalment—the first troops landed at Salonika on October 6—and that Germany and Austria-Hungary were really in earnest in their attack on Serbia, he forced Venizelos from power and installed the Goumaris Government. He also appointed pro-Germans to all the important commands in the army and civil service. The State telegraphs, telephones and other news giving facilities were used for the dissemination of news favourable to the Germans, and as a means of informing the Germanic combination as to what we were doing.

In the meantime the Allied troops—one French division and the remnants of the British 10th Division (Irish)—had proceeded up country by means of the railway line which runs by the Vardar valley. The French were commanded by Gen. Sarrail, and the British by Sir Bryan Mahon (of Mafeking fame). There was no commander-in-chief. Each general worked "on his own," but they worked out their plans in co-operation.

The French held a position on the left, around Krivolak, in Serbia, the British on the right of the railway line, well up into the Belashitza mountains round the village of Gabrova, and north of Doiran Station. Doiran Station was the British advanced base.

The French tried to join hands with a Serbian force under 5,000 in number, the remnants of the Uskub garrison, which was holding the Babuna pass, north of Prilip, near the present scene of operations. This attempt to join up with the Serbs failed, and the Serbians were crushed in the north without the relieving force having any effect on operations in general, though it helped to make possible the escape of the Serbians from Monastir into Albania by occupying the attention of a large Bulgar force.

More Greek Treachery.

A retreat from Serbian territory with the failure of the Greeks to act up to their engagements, became a military necessity. The Greeks at Salonika, around which their whole army was now concentrated, claimed all the landing facilities of the port, which were limited, should be used for the supply vessels of their army. They also commandeered a large portion of their rolling stock on the Oriental Railway, which never was very plentiful and sent a lot of it into Bulgarian territory, and more up the Monastir line and down the branch line being constructed to link up the Greek Government railways in old Greece with Macedonia. They also manufactured a couple of train wrecks on the Vardar river line, with the idea of starving out our troops up country. In fact, for two days we had to "carry on"—on very short commons.

The Greek Government now took the attitude that our troops, if driven over the frontier, would have to be disarmed and interned. Then we sent the Government an ultimatum which caused them to withdraw this demand. Meanwhile, of course, precious time was wasted, which was what the Greeks wanted. They hoped the Germanic coalbination would destroy the force in Serbia while they argued questions of international law. And the obstructions put in our way at Salonika did make impossible the sending up-country of the large Anglo-French army, which had arrived in the month of November. This army comprised a French corps and four British divisions. Two regular divisions (Old Army) were included in this force, and the whole were fresh from France, having been taken out of the line and shipped via Marseilles as soon as Venizelos promised to aid Serbia *in return for* Allied assistance.

The Retreat From Serbia.

The Allied troops in Serbia meanwhile began to retreat. The French got back at far as Gheveli with small loss, saving all their stores. Here, however, on December 7 they were heavily attacked and retired without advising us. We were also attacked by a force of Bulgars which outnumbered us about ten to one. The 10th Division was driven into Greek territory with the loss of eight guns, and a heavy casualty list. The only thing that saved our force was the neglect of the Bulgars to follow up this retreat into Greek territory.

For days portions of the 10th and 22nd British Divisions, one brigade of the latter division having been in support, wandered on the mountains in a dense fog and some were captured by the Bulgars. Ultimately the remainder was safely collected.

It was a very lively experience. The cold was intense and the sufferings of the men indifferently clad for the rigors of a winter in the mountains, were terrible. The cold often froze sentries to death. The cold snap only lasted two weeks, but during that time it caused lots of trouble. Then we fell back on Salonika, where the Greek troops were all around us and had their guns trained on our camps.

Greek Aid to German Subs.

Finally the threat of a blockade of Greece caused the removal of the mass of Greek troops from around Salonika, and the worst was over. A great entrenched camp was constructed in December around the city, running from the Vardar to the Gulf of Orfano. As a matter of fact we never occupied these lines in force, but they are still there, and their strength is immense. (A second Torres Vedras.)

The Greeks in the meantime, kept the Germans fully advised as to all our movements and Fort Kara-Burun, which commands the port, was found to be supplying German submarines with fuel, etc. The situation had to be experienced to be appreciated properly.

French Deny German Claim

Examiner Special:

LONDON, Dec. 19.—The French Admiralty denies that German claim of sinking a French battleship and transport with a thousand men.

London, Dec. 19.—Seventeen United States muleteers were killed when a German submarine sank a British transport in the Mediterranean.

WOULD USE CONVICTS.

German Magistrate Urges That 100,000 be Mobilized for War Work.

Germany's convicts will be mobilized for the defence of the Fatherland if the Kaiser's Government follows the advice contained in many articles recently printed in the German press discussing the advisability of the employment in the military service of men who have served, or are serving, terms in prison. The London press quotes a Kiel Magistrate named Bovensiepen as asking, in the Deutsche Tageszeitung, why "while the flower of the people, the leading forces of intellectual and economic life, are shedding their precious, noble blood on the battlefields, the convicts are sitting safe behind lock and key, and those who have done penal servitude or otherwise lost their civil rights are going about their business earning large salaries in these favourable times and even making large fortunes?"

Herr Bovensiepen also considers that there are many patriotic convicts "filled with shame and suffering great mental torture because they cannot risk their lives for their Fatherland."

According to Professor von Liszt of the University of Berlin there are 100,000 German convicts available. Herr Bovensiepen considers that it would be impossible to treat the convicts as ordinary recruits and also that it would be inadvisable that, as many persons propose, they should be employed in labour battalions for particularly dangerous work. He comes to the conclusion that the best plan would be to form them into special labour columns, and to employ them either behind the front or in munition factories, under strict control and without freedom to leave the places where they work.

The credit for this proposal is said to belong to a Hamburg pastor named Seyfarth.

NOTICE

TAXES FOR NORTH MONAGHAN.

NOTICE is hereby given that all taxes due to the Township of North Monaghan will be received on Saturday, Dec. 23rd, without any percentage or costs being added. After that date 5 per cent. will be added to all unpaid taxes.

Taxes may be paid at the Bank of Ottawa on Saturdays, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

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MANITOBA FLOUR DOWN AGAIN

Wheat Markets Eased up a Little Yesterday—The Cattle Market

Wheat markets toned up a little yesterday on further reports of renewed buying for export, which caused the shorts to run to cover. Government reports indicated an increased acreage for fall wheat. Manitoba flours are another 30c. lower.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern, $1.90, track, bay ports; No. 2, $1.87, No. 3, $1.82; No. 4, $1.70; old crop, 4c. above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W., 65c.

American corn—No. 2, nominal, No. 3, new, $1.06 1-2. December shipment subject to embargo, track, Toronto.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 60c. to 62c.; No. 3 white, 59c. to 61c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2, winter, per car lot, $1.60 to $1.62, No. 3, $1.58 to $1.60.

Peas—No. 2, nominal, car lots, $2.40.

Barley—Good milling, $1.48 to $1.18, feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal, $1.25.

Rye—No. 1 commercial nominal, No. 2, new, $1.34 to $1.35.

Manitoba flour—First patents, in jute bags, $9.20; second patents, in jute $8.80, strong bakers, in jute, $8.50, Toronto.

Ontario flour—New winter, $8.80 to $7 in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered Montreal; shorts, $37; bran $33; feed flour, per bag, 2.80; middlings, $38 to $40.

Hay—Baled, No. 1, track, Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots, $12 to $13; No. 2, $9 to $10; straw, $9 to $9.50.

Cattle Markets.

Union Stock Yards—Receipts 280 cars, with 4,651 cattle, 465 calves, 1,485 hogs, 1,236 sheep and lambs.

The market was loaded up yesterday with an exceptionally heavy run for the Christmas week, and following the big buying for the Christmas trade which characterized last week's business. A lot of green and warmed-up cattle were also in yesterday's receipts. The result was a slow market and prices off 25c. on the choice stuff and 35c. to 40c. off on the medium.

Sheep, lambs, and calves steady.

Hogs steady.

Latest quotations:

Heavy steers, choice	$8.85 to $9.25
Choice butcher	8.25 8.50
do good	7.75 8.00
do medium	6.75 7.00
do common	6.00 6.25
Heifers, good to choice	7.00 7.25
do medium	6.25 6.75
Butcher cows, choice	6.25 7.00
do medium	5.75 6.25
Butcher bulls, choice	6.85 7.50
do good	6.50 6.60
do medium	5.00 5.50
Feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs.	6.50 6.75
do bulls	5.25 5.75
Stockers, 700 to 800 lbs.	6.50 6.75
do med., 650 to 750 lbs.	5.50 6.00
do light, 600 to 650 lbs.	5.00 5.75
Canners	4.00 4.40
Cutters	4.50 5.25
Sheep, light	8.50 9.50
do heavy	7.50 8.50
Spring lambs	10.75 12.75
Calves	8.00 12.50
Hogs, fed and watered	11.75 11.95
do weighed off cars	12.40
do f.o.b.	10.75

WERE EXECUTED THIS MORNING

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OSSINING, New York, Dec. 19.—Stanley Millstein, age 19 and Charles Kumrow age 20, two murderers, gave up three days of life that they might spare their families sorrow of Christmas funerals and went calmly to their deaths in the electric chair here at dawn to-day. Their execution was set for Friday. They asked to be permitted to die to-day and will be buried to-morrow.

National Service Scheme Applauded

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Dec. 19.—Big meetings in Toronto and Calgary applaud national service idea as outlined by Sir Robert Borden and Sir Thomas White.

THE BURDEN OF AGE.

The kidneys seem to be about the first organs to wear out and fail to properly perform their work. The result is weak, aching backs, rheumatic pains and baffling specialist. Many people of advanced years have recovered health and comfort by using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. They restore the healthful action of liver, kidneys and bowels.

VERDUN VICTORY OFFSETS THE ROUMANIAN LOSSES

London Press Says the French Triumph Will Have Big Effect on Morale of Opposing Armies—The Year's Record of Defeat.

A VERY APT REPLY

LONDON, Dec. 19.—The papers comment with enthusiasm on the French victory at Verdun, and pay the heartiest tributes to French leadership, valour and skill. The opportunity is taken to re-discuss the peace offer in the light of this blow inflicted on the Germans, which is regarded as demonstrating that the latter's morale is seriously undermined. It is also claimed that the battle puts the actual position as Central powers and the allies in a truer perspective than that afforded by the Teutonic success in Roumania. The Telegraph says: "It comes at the right moment as a pledge and earnest of allied success. We can imagine no more eloquent answer to Chancellor von Hollweg."

The Post, recalling German claims to victory in the war, says that France has given a most damning refutation at Verdun and, referring to the peace offer, asserts that all the allies are resolved not to accept, but dictate terms of peace.

Effect on Morale.

The News says: "The value of the victory at Verdun is not to be measured by the prisoners and guns taken or the ground conquered. Its real significance lies in the effect it must have in the morale of both sides. There is no doubt that on both sides the campaign in Roumania has exercised an influence quite disproportionate to its importance. The serious threat to Germany, both east and west, is in no way reduced by her Roumanian adventure. If the victory at Verdun reminds both sides of that it will not have been won in vain. It is an additional argument, as far as the allies are concerned, not for an arrogant refusal even to consider the question of peace, but for a cautious willingness to listen to terms which the sobering influence of the war is inducing Germany to offer."

Year's Record of Defeat.

The Chronicle also refers to Roumania and says that the "brilliant victory at Verdun comes at an opportune moment and should serve to remind neutral and allied opinion alike that in spite of their single victorious campaign in Roumania the record of 1916 has been a record not victory, but defeat for the central powers." It concludes that the Germans are not now the stronger, but the weaker side.

The Times says that Verdun as one very apt reply to all Germany's vaunts and the attitude of Russia is another. It argues that there is a serious undermining of the morale of the German army and an acute dearth of food in the country. These are among the reasons, it contends, for the issuing of the peace offer, which it calls "a sign of weakness," and which, it claims, would not have been put forward had not Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg felt that "Germany's strength was ebbing fast."

UNITED STATES RELATIONS WITH TURKEY ARE JARRED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—American relations with Turkey are so unsettled it became known that the State Department does not plan to take any action towards the confirmation of Fuad Bey, named by Turkey as ambassador, until that country gives consideration to American representations and interests.

Refusal of the Turks to allow nearly 200 Americans and naturalized Americans to leave Turkey at Jaffa, the conduct of the Turkish authorities in their treatment of the Syrians and Armenians and the abrupt termination of the capitulations or extra territorial agreements, has created a situation which is postponing action by the Department in the confirmation of the new Ambassador. Diplomatic exchanges have brought promises of relief, which have, in almost every case, turned out to be of no effect because of the helplessness of the foreign office before the military element.

FRENCH WAR BILL $14,520,000,000 ENGLAND'S OUTLAY $4,000,000,000

PARIS, Dec. 19.—Raoul Peret, former Minister of Commerce, discussing in the Chamber of Deputies, in behalf of the Appropriations Committee, the budget for the first three months of 1917, pointed out that France would have incurred expenditures to the amount of 72,600,000,000 francs ($14,520,000,000) between the opening of hostilities and the end of March next, while Great Britain in the same period would have made an outlay of 20,000,000,000 francs.

This statement drew exclamations from the Deputies to the effect that "Great Britain is thus proved to have collaborated cordially and completely."

The resources M. Peret puts against the expenditure made and authorized amount approximately to 63,700,000,000 francs, as follows: 10,200,000,000, tax receipts; 38,700,000,000, short and long term bonds of France; 5,000,000,000, loans from England and the United States; 9,000,000,000, advanced by the Bank of France; 200,000,000, advanced by the Bank of Algeria. This leaves an apparent deficit of 8,900,000,000 francs.

M. Peret said that this did not represent the actual expenditures, but the authorized outlay, and that of the appropriations for 1914 included in the total 700,000,000 francs was annulled. He added that the cancellations for 1915 would be proportionately large, and before the total remaining net amount was due several months would elapse.

"France has paid when she every debt incurred," he continued. "In spite of the apparent discrepancy between the appropriations and the receipts we need have no anxiety for the future."

The war loans have added 2,500,000,000 francs, in round numbers, to the old interest charge of 1,350,000,000 totaling 3,800,000,000, said M. Peret. The new taxes now under discussion will realize 650,000,000 francs annually, which, with 150,000,000 from the increased tax on alcohol and 500,000,000 from the special tax on war profits, will produce at an early date more than half the interest charge, and this does not include the proposed personal contributions and the tax on various places of amusement.

"We shall be obliged to go further, and deeper in the direction of taxing the riches in hands that have ceased to produce," said M. Peret.

Refuting the statement that while France had voted 800,000,000 francs for national defence in 1914, Germany had not increased her expenditures for armament, the former Minister pointed out that from 1910 to 1914 the German Empire had added 3,500,000,000 francs to the public debt.

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The secretary nodded.

"The time, dear boy, is at hand when one side or the other must be turned down."

"What has happened?" The younger man's voice was tinged with alarm. This child of Destiny might be immune from fear, but those who stood near his person could not always accept without question the talisman of his limitless self-faith. Malone's might was theoretically invincible. Hamilton recognised the undertone of apprehension with a laugh of frank amusement; a laugh which brought to his eyes their most winning sparkle.

"The august over-lord of all the robber barons regards our reign as tributary to his own. He fancies that our loyal respect is thinly spread. We make too little obeisance. Too rarely we 'crook the pregnant hinges of the knee.' Therefore we must be crushed—if possible."

"You mean—"

"I mean that it is in the mind of this generalissimo, to call me before his staff and 'break' me in full view of his halted ranks."

The cheerful grin on the face of his prospective victim was so infectious and reassuring that his secretary laughed with revitalised confidence.

"But how did you learn of this conspiracy, sir?" he demanded.

"The throne which lacks its cabinet noir, Carl, is a very precarious one to sit upon." The "Great Bear" spoke casually. "Our secret service is fairly satisfactory. Also, we have a brain which at times, prognosticates."

"There have been new developments then?"

Hamilton Burton shrugged his shoulders.

"The stockholders' meeting of Coal and Ore is not far distant. After it comes the annual election of officers. I fancy Malone may know of a man who might grace the directorate with a more deferential humility than I show—when he speaks Jove-like from the head of the table."

"To be ousted from that board would mean to wear the brand of defeat."

"If Mr. Malone wants to put some one else in my place he can do it—the chair I occupy faces the window. Sometimes the glare hurts my eyes."

Carl Bristoll thought he knew his chief. Such docile acceptance of reduction to the ranks astounded him and his blank amazement stamped itself on his face. When the elder man had enjoyed it for the space of a long silence he rose suddenly and his voice rang out like a command for a bayonet charge.

"Yes, Malone can have my chair: I mean to take his—at the head of the table."

The secretary started violently. He could never quite accustom himself to the dauntless fashion with which his chief essayed the impossible—and accomplished it. Hamilton Burton's fist came down savagely on the mahogany. The smiling features of a moment ago had vanished and Bristoll was looking up into eyes that rained immeasurable wrath.

"They hate me, because they fear me!" The voice was not loud, but it was terrific in its intensity of anger. "By the Almighty God in heaven, I mean to give them cause to hate me. I mean to crush them to a pulp, until nothing remains, except the stench of their unmourned memory!"

Once more the timbre changed and with startling abruptness became quietly declarative.

"This morning I received a confidential note from Carton."

"The secretary of Coal and Ore?"

"The same. I put him where he is—he's a valuable man—and incidentally a member of my secret service. Malone is calling in all the proxies he can control: he and his myrmidons. He has not taken me into his confidence. How would you construe that?"

"As you do. He means to oust you."

Burton nodded, then a naive smile crinkled in his eyes. "What he is beginning to do." I went to work on ten minutes after he left my office last spring. Many transactions, some of them of large proportions, which you did not understand, have since been completed in preparation for this moment. On the floor of the Exchange my brokers have been ostentatiously idle, but others, not known to act for me, have been buying Coal and Ore. They have pretty well gathered in the floating supply."

"Hasn't that been reported to Malone?"

The financier shook his head. "Trading of that character is difficult to trace and is usually presumed to be markinal trading. To disarm possible suspicion my recognized brokers have sold large blocks of Coal and Ore to my unrecognized brokers. I seem to have been unloading—while I was doing the reverse. When the psychological moment comes, there will be a surprise—and a raid upon the control."

"Then you are ready for the issue."

"No, not quite." Burton rose, and took a turn or two across the floor. He stopped before a small painting, and spoke irrelevantly. "I always liked Corot. The man could paint, Carl. He understood values."

After this art criticism he returned to the desk and sat down again. "No; I'm not ready yet. I've done all that I could do by quiet preparation. The issue now narrows to the hair balance which makes all fights crucial—and interesting. There's a member of the state senate who holds a block that I need, and there are two banks in town that hold others. When I have that stock I shall be master of the situation—and of Consolidated—and Malone must take his orders from me."

"And if you fail to get it?"

"I would still be plowing rocks and milking cows, Carl, if I acknowledged the possibility of failing in what I resolve on."

"Yet they may refuse to sell."

Hamilton Burton smiled. "That would be regrettable," he said, and his voice was full of sympathetic softness. "Because in that event an elderly and respected member of the senate will have to reside for a time at Sing Sing and a couple of widely trusted banks will go to the wall."

CHAPTER XIV

From the Plaza upward, the blank stare of the avenue was awakening into renewed signs of habitation. Burglar proof doors had come down and boarded windows had yielded to curtained sashes. Already in the park the trees were turning. Banners of crimson, yellow and burgundy flaunted where the foliage had been sunburned and heat-corroded. The walks and Mall had for scorching weeks been a breathing refuge, and the sheep pasture a sleeping place, for short-sleeved men who panted like dogs. Haggard women and sunken cheeked children—all heat-fagged and exhausted—had held possession, but now the bridle path echoed to hoof-beats, and smartly togged equestrians galloped there, while along the driveways droned a purr of motors.

The sun which had assaulted, blighted and killed, now caressed a revived city, for autumn had come with her clarifying elixirs and her fever-cooling frosts.

Shop windows freshly decked, tempted the passer-by with foretastes of the season's styles in gowns and hats and furs. All was color and sparkle and activity. Soft tones woke at sunset on old and seasoned walls. Gilt street signs blazed and shaft like buildings stood out in splintered stripe of sudden hues against skies that were unsullied turquoise.

In the veins of Hamilton Burton as he motored up town, a heady exhilaration mounted like wine. As his car bowled up the avenue he watched the human moving, and the drive seemed like a progress through Bagdad. He was finding it all the city of his dreams.

"—a city blazoned like a missal book.
Black with oaken gables, carven and cancrolled.
Every street a colored page: every sign a hieroglyph.
Dusky with enchantments: a city paved with gold."

Then as he entered his own house he remembered. To-night he must go to the opera and the prospect bored him. To Paul, of course, it was as wine to the drunkard, but to Hamilton it meant a tedious evening. It was in a way a duty and one of his few concessions to society's requirements. Had it not been written of another great figure, "the Emperor sat in his box that night?" He would leave early and later in the evening he would console himself with a matter of greater importance.

Yet when he arrived at the Metropolitan he forgot to be bored—until the overture ended, and Music was enthroned in the place of Fashion.

Here at the opera each moment, so long as the house-lights blazed brought its own tribute of flattery to the Titan of the Street. The men and women from whom these tributes came were the men and women whom the world envied, and cursed—and worshiped. Hamilton Burton realized, as he passed easily from box to box, chatting with this multi-millionaire and that jewelled lady, that no single figure was more often signalled out by pointing and envious fingers than his own. When he handed Mary out of her limousine the street policeman had made the passage clear before him. Ushers had bowtowed and the heads of fashionable women had nodded and smiled. His way had been a march of and myrrh. His inner emotions were all like the sniffing of frankincense and myrrh. His inner emotions were those of a great tiger, purring like a house cat.

That at his back, when he had passed on, these immaculately clad gentlemen uttered derogatory oaths only flattered him further; their hate, too, was a tribute to his power.

He came into Society's world as a monarch walks among the proletariat, to receive homage and return to places where a monarch has better things to do.

But at last the overture ended and the curtain rose. The opera had begun.

For Paul the evening was just beginning, but for Hamilton it was done. He stifled a yawn and rose from his seat, effecting his escape unobserved from the box. From that point on his mind shook off the lethargy of the incensed atmosphere and became dynamic. He looked at his watch and found that his next appointment gave him an hour's leisure.

To his chauffeur he said, "Drive me to my mother's house."

Hannah Burton would be the only member of the household at home and with her her nephew would spend this leisure hour. He knew she would be there because she was very rarely elsewhere. The man who flashed the searchlight of his thought into so many places at such broad angles smiled as he thought of his Aunt Hannah, but it was a tender smile. He had transplanted and remodeled his family—but Aunt Hannah he had been powerless to alter.

The room where she received him was an anomalous hermitage, for in spite of the generous comfort it reflected, there broke out here and there jarring notes from many survivals of the old order; things from which she refused to be parted. Upon a mantel over which hung a Gobelin tapestry stood a tin alarm clock. It was an old companion which had once shrilly announced that it was time to drag her rheumatic bones from the bed, and take up her daily round of dusting and sweeping. Among carefully chosen paintings a screaming chromo issued by the Middle Fork general store proclaimed the superior quality of its staple and fancy groceries, hardware, queensware and feed.

The old lady herself, though silk gowned, wore her white hair drawn severely back over parchment temples, as though repudiating the pomps and the vanities of this wicked world.

It was Ham's time honored custom to tease his aunt, and while she snorted and sniffed she enjoyed it, for whatever she thought of a Babylonian life she secretly worshiped this brilliant young nephew who so well suited its stress and turmoil.

"Were you down stairs at dinner to-night, flirting with the grand dukes and the big-wigs?" he demanded as he kissed her pale cheek.

"As if you did not know," she austerely rebuked, "that when company comes I always have supper right here in my own room."

It would have been a surrender of principle for Hannah Burton to call "company" guests, or the evening meal "dinner."

"There were some very smart people downstairs, I'm told," the man heckled with twinkling eyes. "Divorcees in numbers and affinities galore."

The old lady shuddered.

"Ham" she said suddenly with a run on in that ungodly fashion. "I'm sure that it is no laughing matter. I pray for you day and night, but when a body's blinded by wealth, and imagining vain things they are in mortal danger."

Her nephew's face softened. "As long as you are praying for me, Aunt Hannah," he assured her, "I still have a fighting chance."

"Ham," she said suddenly with a shadow of deep anxiety in her eyes, "ain't your father playing cards more than is good for him? I've worried considerable about that here of late. He used to read his scriptures regular. Now he don't do it. Instead he gambles."

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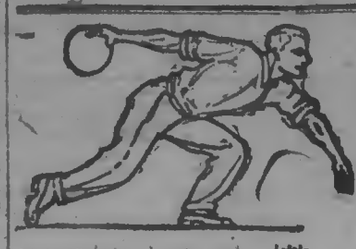

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How a Divorced Couple Met and Mingled.

By F. A. MITCHEL

If there is anything that especially marks the smart set of New York or London it is the mixing of families by divorce. Indeed, within either of these charmed circles to have been divorced is quite a feather in one's social cap.

One day Mr. Richard Pulsifer, a gentleman whose clothes were cut in the latest London fashion, turned off of Fifth avenue, New York, and entered a restaurant frequented by the creme de la creme of society. Handing his hat and cane to the attendant of the coat room, he entered the dining room and was shown a table, at which, having seated himself, he ordered a lunch con.

At a table near him sat a lady the brim of whose hat encircling her head presented a fine representation of the planet Saturn. The rest of her costume was in keeping and especially adapted for the noon hour. She was about to raise a little neck clam to her lips on the prongs of a tiny fork when the motion was arrested by her eyes having lighted on the gentleman at the neighboring table. At the same moment, while dipping a radish in salt, the gentleman espied the lady.

These two had been married five years before, when Mr. Pulsifer was twenty-three and the lady nineteen. Two years later they were divorced. On the day the decree was granted the ex-wife married Everett Quimby. Pulsifer went abroad and spent the most of his time hobnobbing with the smart set of London.

It may seem singular that these two should thus meet on the first day after Pulsifer's return to America, and yet it is not so strange after all. Both needed refreshments, and there was but one place in the city worthy of their patronage. Under the circumstances their meeting was quite natural.

Mrs. Quimby on seeing her former husband changed color, lowered her fork, and to conceal her embarrassment raised a glass of wine to her lips, sipped the wine, set down the glass and drew a napkin across her mouth. Mr. Pulsifer on seeing his former wife left the radish on the table, drew back slightly, then resorted to the same means of relieving his emotions as his former wife, raising his wine glass to his lips.

Mrs. Quimby's embarrassment did not compel her to leave the restaurant. That she should thus be confronted by the man she had divorced was certainly a contretemps. Whether it was painful or pleasing, she alone knew. As for Mr. Pulsifer, his countenance as he continued to cast glances at Mrs. Quimby indicated admiration. Each took care that their eyes should not meet, for they had not made up their minds what course to adopt with reference to a recognition or ignoring each other. Finally Mr. Pulsifer decided the question by directing the waiter to fill a glass from his bottle—the wine was champagne—for Mrs. Quimby.

The lady, though she kept her eyes before her, saw enough of this act to understand it, especially when the waiter set a glass near her on the table and, filling it, said:

"Mr. Pulsifer's compliments."

Mrs. Quimby looked at the wine, then turned her head at her former husband, a faint smile stealing over her pretty lips.

These two had both been brought up—as are persons usually in a society where alliances were formed to enhance estates—to consider that they must marry, first in their own set, and in the second, money. The match had been made principally on the latter consideration. Pulsifer's estate was worth three millions, and the lady's more than equaled it. Both were fond of what in America is called flirting—there is no corresponding word in any other language—and since they were marrying merely to unite two fortunes there was no reason why after marriage they should not indulge in such a pastime. At any rate, that is the way they looked at it.

Mrs. Pulsifer had not objected to her husband's attentions to other women, nor had he objected to her receiving the attentions of other men until he took up with a bitter enemy of hers, when there was trouble at once. Mrs. Pulsifer did not act through jealousy, for she was not in love with her husband, and there was no marriage between them except a legal union. But she was scandalized that her enemy should have the name of taking from her the attentions of any man whatever. The consequence was a divorce between Mr. and Mrs. Pulsifer. Not having been really married, they had no children, and there was nothing harrowing to any one in their separation.

Both had improved during the interval that they had been apart and since they had seen each other. Pulsifer had developed both mentally and physically. Though he had been for several years a London swell, he had been interested in intellectual pursuits, and intellect very soon gives cast to one's countenance. His ex-wife's beauty had grown from a maidenly excellence to that of a mature woman.

Such were the conditions between Mr. Pulsifer and Mrs. Quimby when fate brought them together again in the luxurious dining room of the restaurant patronized by the smart set of New York. Mr. Pulsifer wondered why he had not before been drawn to the woman who had been his wife, and Mrs. Quimby, whose second marriage had been with a social leader possessing a brain incapable of enabling him to get on anywhere except among persons whose intellectual food was small talk, was suddenly brought to the realization that she had given up a man for a nonentity.

All this is preliminary to a statement that an incipient flirtation had begun between two persons who had been united in legal wedlock for reasons of convenience, divorced and met again. Considering the fact that is the set to which they both belonged it was considered more interesting for persons, when one or both were married to some one else, to enter upon an affair of the heart together, there was a zest in this one, and their having once been united in the bonds of indifference made it quite unique.

Mr. Pulsifer, in order to lessen the distance between them, since it rendered low spoken words inaudible, arose from his seat and took one at Mrs. Quimby's table, directing his waiter to serve him there.

"Have you been long in the city?" asked the lady.

"I arrived yesterday from London."

"I understand that there has been quite a scandal recently in London society."

"You refer to the separation of the Duke and Duchess of Morningglory?"

"Yes."

"The duke was very unwise. Had he confined his attentions to ladies of his own set there would have been no trouble. The duchess could not endure his promiscuous flirtations."

This was treading on dangerous ground. Mrs. Quimby when Mrs. Pulsifer would not have objected to Mr. Pulsifer's attentions to the woman who had occasioned the divorce had there been no enmity between the two women. Mr. Pulsifer saw a slight expression of irritation in Mrs. Quimby's eyes. He turned the subject.

By this time the dining room had filled with luncheon, among whom were a number of friends and acquaintances of Mr. Pulsifer and Mrs. Quimby. Pulsifer being a recent stranger to New York, several persons welcomed him as they passed him. All showed interest in seeing these two persons together, and many were the covert remarks made on the subject.

"Do you expect Quimby?" asked Mr. Pulsifer.

"He said he would be here at 1," was the uninterested reply. "But he has probably been detained at the club. He goes there every morning at 11 and discusses the latest social freak and other similar matters all day. He had just seen this Morningglory scandal when he left the house and has probably been detained discussing it with some of his chums."

"Shall I—er—take a seat at another table before he comes and rejoin you later?"

"Not at all."

Mrs. Quimby was not only pleased at Mr. Pulsifer's company, but this lunching together in public, so many of the society swells being present, was quite to her taste. It would give her more eclat than the taking of a prize recently won by her poodle at a dog show.

Suddenly the gaze of the couple's acquaintances were converged to the door. A fat little man with a bald head stood at the opening sweeping the room with his eyes. It was Algy Quimby. He was looking for his wife. Great interest was manifested to see what he would do when he discovered her at the same table with her former husband. Finally Quimby spotted the couple. But he was not staggered. Marching up to the table, he saluted Mr. Pulsifer with a show of cordiality, then, bowing ceremoniously to his wife, said:

"Pardon me for being late, dear."

"Don't mention it."

And Mr. Quimby, turning away from the couple for other company, espied a vacant seat at a table at which friends of his were seated and joined them. A few minutes later Mr. Pulsifer and Mrs. Quimby, having finished their luncheon, arose from the table. Mr. Pulsifer handed a ten dollar tip to each of the waiters who had attended them, and the couple left the dining room, Mrs. Quimby looking up coketishly at her companion, observed, and knowing that she was observed, by numerous interested persons. On reaching the sidewalk they entered Mrs. Quimby's limousine and were driven northward in the direction of the park.

This was Mrs. Quimby's announcement to New York society that in all probability she would throw off the shackles that bound her to her present husband, and after a visit to a resort where a divorce was easily obtained she would return to her former one.

It is the uncertain that interests people. When a fact is publicly announced it loses all charm. For this reason Mrs. Quimby's acceptance of Mr. Pulsifer's attentions during the following months and her never being seen out with Quimby did not occasion a ripple in the social world, it being understood that it was an accomplished fact. And it was. Long before Mrs. Quimby got her decree separating her from Quimby and remarried Pulsifer society had lost all interest in it. Mr. and Mrs. Pulsifer were united in London.

On the whole, the period of separation between Mr. and Mrs. Pulsifer had not been an agreeable one to either. Society was surprised at Mrs. Pulsifer throwing over an attractive man for an inferior one and was not surprised at her turning again to Pulsifer. Some say that she made both breaks to gain that which is to a divorce brings to a woman in high life. Be this as it may, she seemed well satisfied with the man to whom she had been twice married, and there is no especial probability of her divorcing him again.

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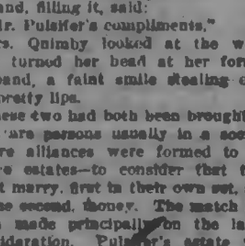
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ENGLAND FUR TRADE CENTRE

LONDON, Dec. 18.—The arrival in London of $10,000,000 worth of furs from Russia has served to call attention to the fact that the great fur trade of the world has shifted, during the war from Germany to England.

It is also revealed that furs from Russia are brought to London via Vladivostock, the Pacific and Canada, and from London large quantities are shipped across the Atlantic again for sale in the United States.

The present shipment of furs comprises the first to come from the great Nijni-Novgorod fair, which was held from July 29 to Sept. 10. They consist of red fox, squirrel, white hare, and ermine skins. They came in 10,000 canvas bags. Those containing the more expensive furs were sealed.

Expert Explains Changes.

A well-known expert on furs, himself a great importer, explained the changes that have come in the fur trade. He said:

"Russian skins which came through to this country in pre-war days would come via Archangel, and get here about the end of August, but with a possibility of there being delay the goods have this year come via Vladivostok, Japan, and the Pacific.

"Before the war 75 per cent. of the furs went to Germany, where they, where it will be dressed and dyed best to England and America. This year practically the whole of the Nijni-Novgorod sale has come to London, where it will be dressed and dyed before a large portion of it is sent to America and France.

"Strange though it may seem, the British exports of skins to America exceed our imports from the United States, so that the fur business is a good one for Great Britain just now, when we want to maintain the rate of exchange.

Demand Exceeds Supply.

"The demand for skins at Nijni-Novgorod this year was much greater than the supply, which was below the average owing to the scarcity of trappers, who have been called to the war.

"There is such an enormous demand for ermine and white furs, especially in America, that these are certain to rise in price, and I should not be surprised if they became more expensive than they have ever been."

He added that while the dyeing of furs has greatly improved in this country, we had not yet reached the standard obtained by the Germans before the war.

Stomach Was Very Bad
Much Dizziness and Pain

The Liver Got Out of Order and the Whole System Was Poisoned

When the course of the food through the alimentary canal is impeded by sluggish action of the liver or bowels the food remains undigested and as a result it ferments.

This gives rise to poisonous gases which crowd about the heart, and cause dizziness and choking sensations as well as irregular action of the heart.

The liver struggles to remove the poisons from the blood, becomes enlarged, and finally fails, allowing the poisons to pass on to every part of the human system. Complications arise, and there is Bright's disease, hardening of the arteries and appendicitis.

The earlier derangements of the digestive system are such as are described by this letter from Mr. Rothen. He also points the way to cure by use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.

Mr. Louis Rochon, R. R. No. 11, Ottawa, Ont., writes: "For about seven months my stomach was very bad. I was troubled with dizziness, and had gas on the stomach and awful pains in the right side. The liver seemed to be out of order so I began using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. This treatment seemed to be just exactly what I needed and before the first box was all used I was cured, and feeling as well as ever. I also used Dr. Chase's Nerve Food when feeling weak and suffering from nervous headache, and was soon restored to good health. I am proud of Dr. Chase's medicines, and recommend them above any doctor's medicines."

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A proposal to this effect has just been prepared by the General Council of the Department of the Meuse and will soon be admitted to the French Government. The plan is to buy the battleground from the farmers. Should this plan be finally accepted future generations, not only of France, but of the entire world, would always have the opportunity of visiting the line of trenches, over 600 kilometers in length, on which the French threw back the tide of German invasion at the battle of the Marne and which till the end of the war will, always remain the basis of France's military effort to rid her soil entirely of the enemy.

The immediate land through which those long lines of trenches run, together with the battlefields of the Somme, of Artois and of Champagne will, it is believed, never again be rendered cultivable. Aside from the deep trenches the ground has been so pitted with shell holes to a depth varying from a few to fifteen feet, and all the upper strata of soil on which fertility depends so completely wiped out, that little if any use could ever be made of the ground for agricultural purposes for years to come.

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POPE DOESN'T THINK HE COULD HASTEN PEACE AT PRESENT—ITALIAN OPINION.

ROME, Dec. 19.—Pope Benedict has no intention of attempting to mediate among the belligerents at present, according to a statement issued by the Vatican. The statement says that neither the Pope nor the Holy See have made or wish to make any comment regarding Germany's peace proposals and that therefore any comments attributed to them are absolutely false. The Pope naturally has an ardent desire for peace, but that he does not believe that any intervention at the present moment would hasten its conclusion.

The net result of several resolutions introduced in the chamber of deputies regarding the German peace offer and a prolonged discussion among the senators and deputies was the decision by the legislators unless in accordance with national aspirations and the rights of peoples based on the principle of nationality. If such a peace is impossible to obtain diplomatically, it was declared it must be obtained by victory of arms.

Berlin Estimate Of Casualties

Special to The Examiner:

BERLIN, Dec. 19.—Officials have figured that Britain has lost one million three hundred thousand men to date.

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Conservative Whip Has Resigned

Special to The Examiner.

OTTAWA, Dec 19.—John Stanfield the chief conservative whip resigns seat as a protest against the Minister of Railways.

Russians Check Teuton Invasion

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, Dec. 19.—Russians have checked the Teuton invasion in Eastern Rumania.

Will Tear Up Canadian Railways

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, Dec. 19.—One thousand miles of Canadian railway line is to be torn up and taken to France.

Suffragettes Were Fined and Jailed

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec. 19.—Sylvia Pankhurst and her friends were fined and jailed for obstructing the streets yesterday.

GERMAN LINER RUNS AGROUND

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec. 19.—The German liner Friedrich Wilhelm is stranded near Denmark with five million dollar cargo.

WARRANT ISSUED FOR VENIZELOS

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

ATHENS, Dec. 19.—Greek Government has issued a warrant for the arrest of Venizelos for high treason.

Was Stripped Of His Uniform

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

MONTREAL, Dec. 19.—Lieut. Col. Pagnuello was stripped of his uniform and sentenced to six months imprisonment.

Poor Seed Will Handicap Farmers in Coming Year

EXPERTS SAY EXTREMELY FAVORABLE WEATHER NEEDED IN 1917.

"An extremely favourable season will be needed during 1917 to produce even an average crop, but farmers are hopeful that some of the grain crops will turn out well. In almost every case however, they are handicapped by the poor quality of the seed.

Steady rain in the spring of 1916 followed by several weeks of hot weather in the summer, resulted in poor crops of almost every kind for this year. There was not much grain to be spared for market purposes, and that retained for seed purposes was, in most cases of poor quality.

No conjectures as to berry or root crops are being made yet, but if the season is such as to produce favourable grain crops these will also turn out well, agricultural experts state.

Walter Blood Out On Suspended Sentence

COBOURG, Dec. 19.—In view of the strong recommendation to mercy and a petition from 250 leading citizens of Port Hope, Chief Justice Falconbridge Saturday allowed Walter Blood of Port Hope, convicted of making seditious statements last June, to go on suspended sentence. Sir Glenholme added, however, that persons found making seditious statements need not expect consideration in his court. Blood was brought into court as a sequel of words he used in an angry row at Port Hope last June. As a charge of sedition can only be heard in the High Court, Blood had to wait until the Criminal Assizes for his trial.

PARALYZED LIMBS.

To-day is in sleeplessness, headaches, digestive trouble, and irritability. Next time you know some form of paralysis has developed. Mr. Alex. Hamberry, Ogden Street, St. Catharines, Ont., writes: "Nervous trouble developed into paralysis of the limbs so that I became helpless. Doctors failed me, but after using ten boxes of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food I resumed work and now feel better than I did for twenty years."

JAPS TO HOLD KIAO-CHOU

It's Return to Germany Will Never be Agreed to.

TOKIO, Dec. 19.—The German peace proposals probably will be delivered to the Japanese Government today.

Commenting on the proposals, the newspapers declare that Japan will never agree to surrender Kiao Chou. In general they express the opinion that peace projects as it has been reported in the news despatches, is a tactful procedure and will be unacceptable to the entente because it is tantamount to abandonment of the object for which the entente powers have waged war.

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OUTRAGES ON LAND AND SEA CANNOT BE LIQUIDATED BY FEW PIOUS PHRASES

"Britain and Her Allies Do Not Propose to Enter Into Peace Negotiations Without a Knowledge of Germany's Proposals" Declares Premier Lloyd George in His Eagerly-Looked-For Speech---"We Do Not Propose to Put Our Heads Into a Noose With the Rope's End in Germany's Hands" is Emphatic Announcement of Premier.

GERMANY'S LOSSES ON SOMME 690,000

LONDON, December 19.—Britain and her allies do not propose to enter into peace negotiations with a knowledge of Germany's proposals. This was the decision announced in the House of Commons this afternoon by Premier David Lloyd George.

"Britain has endorsed every word of Russia's and France's answer," the Premier declared, amid cheering. Not since the tense days when England was preparing to wage war back in 1914, has there been such a crowd at Parliament as there was to-day.

"Without reparation, peace is impossible," Lloyd George declared.

"All the outrages on land and on sea cannot be liquidated by a few pious phrases about humanity," he continued. The Premier compared Germany's peace proposals to a noose, wherein Britain and her allies were asked to put their heads, while Germany held the loose end of the rope.

In opening his epoch-making address, the British Prime Minister alluded to the terrible responsibility which he felt as chief advisor to the Crown in the most gigantic war in the history of the world. He spoke carefully, in measured terms, and was accorded the most intense interest by his vast audience.

"The answer to Germany's note is that each of our allies have independently arrived at the same identical conclusion. And on behalf of this Government I can give clear and definite support to their statement. The Allies insist that the only end of war must be a guarantee against Prussian militarism disturbing the peace of Europe. The German Chancellor's speech and note afford small hope for honourable or lasting settlement. Phrases about self-defence are meant to delude the German nation. Great Britain never wished to check German development."

The British Premier announced that a formal note responding in this way to the German Peace proposals, would in a few days be completed and given to the American Embassy for transmission to Berlin. "We have done our best to take certain that disasters similar to that in Roumania will not occur," the British Prime Minister asserted. "This is why we have taken such strong action with Greece. The Government has decided to recognize the agents of former Premier Venizelos.

"The Roumanian blunder was unfortunate. But at its worst it will only serve to prolong the war.

"It is cruel folly," the Prime Minister continued, "if swashbuckling through the streets of Europe is not dealt with as an offense against the law of nations. We will wait until the terms and guarantees are better than those which Germany has lightly broken. I would rather trust an unbroken army than broken faith."

LONDON, December 19.—"We do not propose to put our heads into a noose, with the rope's end in Germany's hands," declared Premier Lloyd George in the Commons this afternoon in one of the striking opening statements of his long expected speech. Lloyd George quoted the words of Abraham Lincoln: "The war will end when its object has been attained under God: it will never end until we achieve the object.'

"The Imperial German Chancellor Bethmann-Hollweg did not use a single phrase indicating he was prepared to accept the only terms upon which peace is possible,' Lloyd George declared.

From his discussion of Germany's peace offer, the Prime Minister launched into a description of the "reconstruction of the Government" by which he became Prime Minister. He did not mix words in referring to Britain's lack of concerted effort and proper energy in conducting the war under the old cabinet.

"Twenty-three members, as in the old cabinet, were too many," he explained. "The Allies suffered two and a half years' disaster from tardiness and indecision," he said.

"There must be some means devised," the Prime Minister asserted, "whereby the Allies can arrive at quicker decisions and promptly carry them out. The policy of a common front must become a reality." The new national service department, the Premier explained, will schedule all industries and list all labour.

The Premier declared the new ministry had decided to take over complete control of all shipping as they now have control of all railways.

An Imperial Council with British dominions on the war, was announced as planned by Premier Lloyd George in the Commons this afternoon.

The Minister of Shipping in the Cabinet, Sir Joseph Patton MacClay, will consider the speedy construction of more ships to replace the shortage occasioned b ythe war, Lloyd George asserted.

The Premier also announced the appointment of Lieut.-Col. Sir Neville Chamberlain as director of universal national service.

German Losses on the Somme 690,000

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, December 19.—The German losses along the Somme have amounted to 690,000 men, according to the French estimates announced in the House of Commons this afternoon by Chancellor of the Exchequer Bonar Law.

Government of Ontario

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a Public Enquiry, under "The Fire Marshal Act," will be opened in the Council Chamber of the City Hall, on WEDNESDAY, December 20th, 1916, at 11.00 a.m., into the "cause, origin and circumstances" of the recent fire in the premises of the Quaker Oats Co. in this City.

Any person having knowledge of any facts, or circumstances, pertinent to this Enquiry, is invited to give evidence, or to report same to the Undersigned, to G. W. Hatton, Esq., K.C., County Crown Attorney, or to W. A. Howard, C.E., Chief of the Fire Department.

E. P. HEATON
Fire Marshal.

Peterborough, Dec. 19th, 1916.

SERGT. R. A. WING
Who went overseas with the 80th Battalion, C.E.F., and is now with the 11th Field Company, Canadian Engineers.

APPEAL TO HELP TO ASSIST IN THE XMAS ENTERTAINMENT

People of Peterboro' Asked to Contribute Towards Cost of Entertaining Wives and Families of Peterboro' Soldiers Who Are on Active Service

AT GRAND OPERA HOUSE

The following appeal for funds to supplement the subscription of Capt. Burnham in order to provide a suitable Christmas entertainment for the families of Peterborough men on active service is published on behalf of the City Council:

Capt. Burnham generously forwarded to Mayor Duffus a cheque for $50 to be expended in some shape for the entertainment of the families of the men on service. Individually the subscription was a considerable one. Practically it was not large enough to do what seemed seemly and judicious. Hence, in all reason the cheque should be supplemented by other cheques. Not necessarily for considerable amounts but in the aggregate enough to do the thing in such a way that we all will feel that our end is being held up respectably.

The Recreation Committee of the council fell heir to the $50 and were told to go on and expend the money to advantage. Now let us reason together in this matter. $50 divided up among nealy 700 families would be about seven cents each. Not a palatial sum, is it? Price of a small loaf of bread. So, manifestedly we must provide something to hear instead of something to eat. That is conclusive. So let us hear what we are likely to hear.

Several propositions were canvassed. One to put on a volunteer programme at the Armouries, and spend the fifty in fitting up the big hall. Avoidable, but not really comfortable seating for the kiddies, of which there are many. Finally a deal was made with the Opera House to put on, Christmas afternoon, from 3.30 to 5.00 a set of seven reels of magnificent pictures, including a few funny scenes for the delectation of the children. Orchestra, ushers, and a full programme. The whole thing really first-class as it should be at any complimentary affair for the people concerned.

To stand off the remark, that being in the afternoon, and that small children would have to be left at home the committee has arranged with the

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STRAND THEATRE

Little Mary Miles Minter, the youngest star in the world, who played the stellar role in the stage production of "The Littlest Rebel" for three sensational seasons, will be seen on the screen here at the Strand theatre on Wednesday and Thursday, December 20th and 21st in "Barbara Frietchie," the big five part feature picture just produced by popular Plays and Players for release on the regular Metro programme. This brilliant young star will have the support of an exceptional cast, headed by Mrs. Thomas W. Whiffen, who makes her debut on the screen after more than fifty years of wonderful success on the speaking stage. Guy Coombs, the popular leading man, is another member of the notable cast.

1d-143-435

Santa Claus Should Not Overlook Children's Shelter

Few Christmas appeals are worthy of as large a share of public consideration as that which concerns the inmates of the Children's Shelter. At present there are nine children in the Shelter with prospects of a few additions this side of Christmas. Whether or not these children spend Christmas in keeping with the majority of more fortunate children, depends largely on the liberality of the citizens of Peterborough. There is no doubt that the children will be well fed and a few extras provided, but the responsibility of giving the children a real Christmas augmented by gifts of toys, etc., rests with the public who in the past has responded nobly to this worthy appeal.

Anybody wishing to donate anything to this cause are at liberty to do so. Donations, whether they be in the form of money, or supplies, may be left at the Shelter, or at the Examiner Office. If word is left at either of these places, goods will be called for. It is only a few short days until Christmas, and the need is urgent.

93rd BATTALION BAND HAS ARRIVED SAFELY IN CANADA

Musicians Reached Halifax Last Night and Will Be Home in a Few Days--247th Battalion Take on Four Recruits Including Two From Coe Hill---Promotions in the Local Battalion---To-day's Orders and General Military News.

Citizens of Peterborough will be glad to hear that the band of the 93rd Battalion, which is to be attached to the 247th Battalion for recruiting purposes, has arrived safely in Canada. Telegrams received by relatives of the bandsmen this morning stated that the band has reached Halifax, sailing from England on December 8th on the steamer Northland. Unless the bandsmen have to be examined by a board at Quebec they should be home by the end of the week.

Mrs. E. J. Downey, 158 Edinburg street of the Soldiers' Wives and Mothers' club has received the following letters:

France, Nov. 23, 1916.

Dear Mrs. Downey,—Your parcel of socks and gum received a few days ago and on behalf of the boys I take great pleasure in thanking you for your kindness in remembering us.

We are now in a sector of the front where the work is very vigorous and socks are an absolute necessity to carry it on. So you will understand how we appreciate them.

The weather here at present is very severe, markedly so for we Canadians who are not used to a damp climate but we are trying hard to become accustomed to the rain and mud and so far as I can see it is going to be a failure.

Sorry I cannot give you any details of our work as you know the censor would only destroy it and I know how you people at home like to get first-hand information.

I will now close thanking you and the Club for your kindness. I am

Yours sincerely,
No. 410641 Pte. F. Tougas,
"C" Co'y, 38th Can., Bat.,
C. E. F.

Pte. Fred Dunkley,
Justice Ward, Military Hospital,
Cambridge Road, London, Eng.

November 26, 1916.

Dear Madam,—I regret to say that owing to my being wounded and transferred to a hospital in England on the 30th September I did not receive your letter until to-day, and up to time of writing have not received the parcel.

I have written to Pte. Houghton, (another Peterborough man serving with the battalion) to collect same for me and also to distribute same according to your letter.

I can assure you that your kind gift will be much appreciated by the boys with the Battalion.

Thanking you on behalf of the Peterborough boys, and regretting that there has been so much delay in your letter being answered, I remain,

Yours truly,
PTE. F. DUNKLEY

The 247th Battalion took four men on the strength this morning, two of the men having come from Coe Hill, where Lieut. Nugent is recruiting. Another recruit to-day was B. P. O'Gorman of Indian River, who was attested this morning. A strength of 100 by Christmas, exclusive of the band, is the mark aimed at, and judging by the prospects to-day this should easily be reached.

To-day's Orders.

Peterborough, Ont., Dec. 18, 1916.

Daily orders by Lieut.-Col. Ackerman, commanding 247th Battalion, C. E. F. Orders for Tuesday, December 19, 1916.

1. Parade—

All officers, N.C.O.'s and men except those specially employed, will parade in the drill hall at 9 a.m. and at 2 p.m.

2. —Duties—

Orderly officer for Tuesday, Lieut. S. J. Dunsford, orderly officer for Wednesday, Lieut. C. G. Shaw; next for duty, Lieut. T. Quinn.

3. Strength—

No. 108,064 Pte. William Lane, is taken on the strength from December 18, 1916, and is posted to A Co'y.

4. Leave of Absence—

Captain J. M. Thomson has been granted leave of absence from 10 a.m. December 23rd, until Revielle, December 29th, 1916.

5. Promotion—

To be Corporals—No. 108,005, Pte. R. F. McMahon.

No. 928422, Pte. A. E. Cole, from December 18, 1916.

No. 108,064, Pte. William Lane, to be acting Sergeant, from December 18, 1916.

6. Leave Book—

All officers will, in future, be required to sign the Leave Book, before going on leave.

R. B. Brooke, Lieut.
And Acting Adjt., 247th Bn., C.E.F.

Fined $10 For Beating Boy Who Chased Son

M. Valois was fined $10.00 in the police court this morning for "beating up" a boy whom he alleged had struck his son and chased him home from the Canal, where the youngsters were skating on Sunday. Magistrate Dumble told the father to remember that he had been a boy once himself and that boys are bound to disagree. The court showed no sympathy for Valois, telling him he had accepted his son's story of a youthful disagreement and upon the strength of it had beaten another boy, the son of a soldier who was recently killed in France. Let the boys settle their own quarrels was the rub of Magistrate Dumble's censure.

BROCK STREET RINK

Skating To-night, 57th Band in attendance. Skating every afternoon and evening this week. Band every night. Admission to skate 15c and 1c war tax. Bring your copper with you.

A Life in Peril at The Tiz-it Theatre

Helen Holmes, the fearless Film Star in the 'Girl and the Game'. Do not miss seeing this third episode. To-day is the last day; besides seven other big pictures and special music also. Don't forget to-morrow's big serial along with a special programme. The Diamond from the Sky. These pictures are well worth seeing. Don't forget to come to the Tiz-It Theatre. The Jones children have a big act for Friday and Saturday, along with 'Liberty' and a host of other good pictures.

A GOOD IDEA

Is to give a pair of glasses to your parents or friends. They are always appreciated. The price is small and the quality as always there; the lenses or mount will be changed if they do not suit. There are also eyeglass chains and auto buttons, magnifyers, opera glasses, pencil, new frames and nose pieces, thermometers, snow glasses, auto goggles, cases readers and many others. Call and see them. Open every evening this week. See Dr. Lacey and see better. 4tf 360 George Street.

ENTERTAINMENT FOR SOLDIERS' DEPENDENTS

PTE. C. C. FERGUSON
Who went overseas with the Signal Section of the 93rd Battalion, and is now at the front as a Signaller with the 20th Canadians. The photograph was taken in France. Pte. Ferguson is a son of Mrs. W. K. Ferguson, 577 Homewood Ave.

SAMPSON CASE ADJOURNED 'TILL FRIDAY, DEC. 29TH

Prosecution Decided to Take No Chances on the Need of the Hill Brothers Now in Penitentiary

BAIL FIXED AT $2,500

The trial of Clarence Sampson, who appeared this morning before County Magistrate Langley on three charges of cattle stealing from John Dean, A. E. Carveth and Stuart Clydesdale, of Dummer, was adjourned by the consent of counsel until Friday, December 29th at 10 a.m.

Mr. E. Gus Porter, K.C., of Belleville, solicitor for the defendant, stated that he was prepared to proceed. He had eight witnesses present. Crown Attorney Hatton had eleven witnesses, some of them from London, St. Catharines, Toronto and other points; but he had been apprised at a late hour that it might be necessary to call Davis and William Hill, now in the penitentiary at Kingston, for identification purposes.

Magistrate Langley expressed his regret that a further adjournment should be granted, and Mr. Hatton accorded in this view. Both counsel and the court were averse to commencing the case under an impending adjournment. Not only was this statement unanimous but it was felt that the trial should not be opened until both parties were prepared to proceed with it to a conclusion.

Bail Reduced.

Mr. Hatton reiterated that he had all his witnesses present except the men from the penitentiary, whose presence he had not deemed necessary until this morning. To procure them from the warden of the penitentiary an order from the Court or Attorney General was necessary.

Taking advantage of the unreadiness of the Crown, Mr. Porter urged that the former offer of bail be reduced from $5,000 to $2,500. He based his plea on the fact that Sampson had already spent several weeks in jail, and he was now prepared for trial and asked that it be begun. Besides if the prisoner was tempted to jump his bail the difference of $2,500 would not hold him, and Mr. Porter added that the defence appeared sound and sufficient for the prisoner.

Under the rules of procedure adjournment was limited to eight days unless counsel consented to an extension. Mr. Porter eagerly offered to extend the adjournment if the Crown would be as generous in the granting of bail.

Mr. Hatton finally consented with the proviso that the two sureties of $1,250 be given by friends, but not relatives of the prisoner.

In the meantime the Crown Attorney made a motion that the information be amended to include Katherine Hill in connection with the three charges, but certain difficulties apparently arose regarding the present status of the prisoner and the motion was withdrawn.

Hence, with the provision of the $2,500 bail Sampson will spend Christmas with his family.

Court Crowded.

The case was elected in the police court court at eleven o'clock after Magistrate Dumble had closed down his mill. County constables, Dummer farmers, city police, witnesses from near and far, Inspector Flood of Toronto and the curious public were all largely represented.

Reception Committee of City Council is Confronted With Weighty Problem of Raising Seventy Dollars—Held a Meeting Last Evening.

"VILLAGE STYLE"

The Legal, Reception, Legislation and Soldiers' Aid committee of the City Council met last evening for the purpose of considering ways and means of entertaining the families of soldiers on service in accordance with the suggestion of Captain J. H. Burnham, M.P., who backed up his suggestion with a fifty dollar subscription. The management of the Grand Opera House has signified its willingness to provide a good big afternoon's entertainment at a cost of one hundred and twenty dollars. This puts the weighty problem of raising seventy dollars up to the city, whose tax rate is limited to 28.30 mills, exclusive of war tax, garbage assessment levy and such extras. After nearly an hour's deliberation some of the members hit upon the happy idea of delegating Ald. Dobbin, chairman of the committee to make a suggestion in the local papers that funds be subscribed to the amount of seventy dollars, which is needed to bring Capt. Burnham's donation up to one hundred and twenty dollars if the dependents of the men who are holding the front line trenches, are to be entertained on Christmas Day.

Mayor Opposed.

Mayor Duffus was opposed to the proposal to solicit such a small amount from the public. "It's too much like village style," said His Worship. The latter was of the opinion that the committee was justified in authorizing the entertainment believing that some means of raising the seventy dollars could be found without the necessity of begging for it.

The management of the Grand Opera House has promised a royal entertainment for the occasion. The doors will open about one-forty-five o'clock Christmas afternoon and the entertainment will run for about two hours and a half. Lieut.-Col. Ackerman will be asked to provide a number of men who will preserve order and exercise a watchful eye over the property of the mothers who bring baby carriages, etc.

In Toronto.

The appended item gives some idea of the preparations that are being taken in Toronto to entertain the dependents of soldiers who are on active service.

Toronto, Dec. 18.—"Preparations for the mammoth Christmas tree celebration to provide presents for the 35,000 wives and children of Toronto men now overseas are well under way. The entertainment which will commence at Massey Hall next Wednesday and continue over Thursday and Friday, is under the direct supervision of the popular entertainer, Will J. White. Over 125 performers, 200 musicians, and 2,000 feet of "movies" will be shown, while 35,000 toys will be provided for the children."

GOOD COMEDIES AT THE ROYAL

To-night, for the last time, the pathetic two-reel success, "The Child Killers," showing the hideousness of the Germans when they invaded Belgium. The famous magazine story "The Scarlet Runner," will also be shown in another stirring episode. This chapter, in two reels, is called "The Man with Red Whiskers." Some good comedies that are smile makers will entertain the crowd. Be sure and come to-night.

STORES OPEN LAST HALF OF THE WEEK

The stores will be open on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings of this week. This will enable the buying public to complete the Christmas shopping.

PACKAGES OF PAPER LOST

The Examiner lost seven bundles of paper, on Saturday in packages about three inches thick, with a red label on the front—one has been returned—if those who found the other six bundels will kindly 'phone 1600 and give the address, the packages will be called for.

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TUESDAY, DEC. 19, 1916

THE TRUE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT.

Peterborough has always been proud of the Quaker Oats Company, both for its industrial importance and magnitude, and also for the fair spirit of its management and business dealings. But we can take new pride in the company for a generosity and spirit of consideration that goes beyond its fine record of its past relations to its employees. In a notice appearing yesterday, we learned that the financial loss of the employees by the cessation of operations will be generously recouped—the company offering without the constraint of the most exaggerated sense of business obligations, but in a spirit of splendid generosity, to pay the wages of all the employees to the end of December on the basis of earnings up to December 11th, the date of the disastrous fire. Furthermore, it is learned, not by any authority of the company, but by accident that the company, at the time of the outbreak of the fire and with the injury to so many employees gave directions to its physicians to spare no expense to provide the best treatment for the injured in the hospitals—extra nurses, additional to the staff of the hospitals were to be provided if necessary, and if necessary private wards were to be provided for more serious cases. Business is hard-headed as a rule, but in the case of the Quaker Oats Company the Christmas spirit and its logical development—the spirit of fairness and generosity—comes to the fore. If all business, industrial and otherwise were conducted with as large a view to right—to human—relations between employers and employees, it would not only be good business, but good morality, and this good old world would be a good deal better all round.

LAW OBSERVING.

The Ministerial Association was justified in the interests of public morality and fair play to the temperance act, in protesting against the publication of liquor advertisements in the newspapers. The object of the Ontario Temperance Act, both as a war measure and a measure of morality, is to prevent access of the public to strong drink. It closes the bar and prevents public drinking, and any steps taken to give access to, and provide facilities for, obtaining strong drink, are steps taken in defeating its object. It is true that the temperance act does not provide for the act itself. Its provisions permitting the importation of drink from another province or country, are contrary to the spirit and object of the act itself, still so far as this object is concerned, helping the import of liquor is helping to defeat the act itself. The Examiner adopted the policy of refusing advertisements because it was considered an illegal act. Under the license act the liquor traffic was a legitimate business, and it was as natural to promote its operation through advertising as the sale of any other legal commodity. Now the traffic in strong drink is barred and, in regard to the object of the legislation, is defeated by helping the public through a side or back door to the strong drink that is denied the open door. The newspapers which help accord to strong drink through advertising, cannot be ranked with the law-abiding, or with those of fair regard for the moral interests involved and the material interests involved in a strict enforcement of the Temperance Act as a war measure. They are virtually cooperating with the lawless element that stores whisky in garages and woodsheds in defiance of the spirit of the Temperance Act. They are imperilling great national interests inflicting or helping to inflict, national loss for a paltry gain. In a word they are unpatriotic; and the call of the circumstances and the times is a call to patriotism on the part of the press and public.

TWO VALUES OF HUMAN LIFE.

There are two values of human life, or two forms in which the value of human life is expressed. There is the essential value, or the abstract value of human life as a unit in the human universe; there is the moral or character value as a factor for good or evil in human relations. It is this human value, distinct in terms, but inseparably associated in fact, that indicates the truth expressed by John Ruskin.

"It may be discovered that the true values of wealth are purple—and not in rock but in Flesh—perhaps that the final outcome and consummation of all wealth is in the producing of as many as possible full-breathed, bright-eyed and happy human beings."

We are appalled at the tremendous loss of human life in the war. We deplore the loss of what cannot be restored. But it can, in the national and economic sense, be replaced, and the consequences to the nation be remedied. The philanthropists who carry out plans to lessen infant mortality thus practically recognize the fact that the maintenance of the decisive factor in the national struggle, man power, consists largely in saving the life in the cradle. One of them has said, "The man power of to-morrow is in the cradle of to-day." If the infant death rate of the United Kingdom were as low per thousand as it is in New Zealand, the number of babies saved, within four years, would equal the quarter of a million British lives that have been or may be lost in the war.

But while agencies for saving infant life are of prime importance, because they lay the foundation, the agencies that give character to infant life and save to usefulness in the world, neglected child life, exposed to moral and physical dangers, have a more important place in and a larger claim upon our social sympathies and activities. The philanthropist who saves an infant life, only saves a mortal life; the Children's Aid Society does or may do more—it saves, or may save, an immortal soul. We know at any rate, that it is an instrument in making neglected and dependent children—doomed, almost certainly, to lives of suffering, vice or crime without its help—into self-supporting, virtuous, industrious members of society. In this view the annual meeting of the Children's Aid Society becomes a matter of individual, municipal and state interest.

For many years The Examiner has urged from time to time upon the public, upon philanthropists and economists, the important claims of the Children's Aid Society to encouragement and support. Its usefulness in the philanthropic and economic sense, its moral effect is admitted; has been demonstrated. Thousands of neglected, dependent, needy, untrained or worse, badly trained, children, have been rescued through the agency of the society, and placed in foster homes, have grown up virtuous, respectable and thrifty members of society, converted into good citizens. Throughout the Province, many have become heads of families, and hundreds have joined the ranks and are fighting for country, civilization and freedom.

These things are mentioned, not as anything new, but merely as a reminder of the claims of the Children's Aid Society upon our best citizenship. This claim has especial point at a season that marked the advent of the Holy Child; brought into the world the Friend of Children, and the Christianity in whose interests and under whose inspiration to duty the care of neglected childhood becomes a sacred duty and high responsibility. It is not probable that the ladies who have shown so warm an interest will let the children of the Shelter be deprived of the Christmas cheer that the season calls for, such as will be found in every child-blessed Christmas home. Nor will citizens be backward in helping the ladies realise their intentions.

There is no Society, no organization that, viewed in every aspect of its practical beneficence, more largely deserves the practical support and assistance of good citizens, so richly merits the answer to the prayer "God's benison go with you, and with all that would make good or bad."

C. P. R. NOTICE.

Compartment Cars "Cranbrook" and "Spokane," each containing nine drawing room and four compartments, are now being operated in Trains 21 and 22 arriving Toronto from Chicago at 11.10 p.m. and leaving Toronto for Detroit and Chicago at 8.00 a.m. connecting with train leaving Peterborough at 4.58 a.m. 2d-143

JONATHAN APPLES
Ask your Grocer for B.C. Jonathan Apples and have every Apple perfect. 6d-139

Christmas Attraction At The Grand

Book Your Seats Early Next Friday

The Heart of Maryland," David Belasco's great dramatic success which has been done into motion pictures with Mrs. Leslie Carter in her original role, opened the gigantic New York Hippodrome for a short season of motion pictures and played to over one hundred and twelve thousand paid admissions in nine days, comes to "The Grand" on Christmas night only for one performance, commencing at 8.15.

In "The Heart of Maryland," which was produced by Herbert Brenon, director of "Neptune's Daughter," five regiments of soldiers, two battalions of artillery, two hundred cavalrymen and a special army hospital corps was used.

Seven tons of gunpowder were exploded in the many big battle scenes, and a church, fully equipped and bearing a tower seventy feet high, was built and demolished. "The Heart of Maryland" is one of the biggest screen features ever produced and was selected to open the New York Hippodrome from over four score other pictures submitted.

The seat sale will open Friday morning at 10 o'clock and as Christmas night usually means a capacity attendance, patrons would do well to book the seats early.

Appeal To Help To Assist Etc.

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Opera House people that the ground floor of Turner's building will be open, and all baby carriages can be left in care of a man on duty. The baby carriages, go-carts, etc., will be ticketed, so that they be not mixed, and kept quite warm and comfortable for the children, when the house is called off. There may be some other things for the kiddies, but of that we are not quite sure. But hope so.

Now the idea of this rather confidential talk is to get you to help. As the man on the street puts it, "to come across." Just in a friendly and helpful way. Christmas won't be any the less your Christmas if you spare a dollar or two in a good cause. There are enough people in this city again we go back to the man on the street for our definition so "loosen up" in the aggregate to defray the balance of the expense. Seventy dollars will settle the bill. There have been many calls. This one will not break anybody, and it will be a most laudable and beneficent combination to combine for the purpose. Supplementing Capt. Burnham's gift the balance will be a people's recognition, in a small way, of the man on service, and by whose sacrifice we are all able to be at home, where we can in a most Christian way have our Christmas.

Contributions can be left with the City Clerk or with the Patriotic Fund Office. Or the contributor can deposit cash at both, if he so wishes. The affair is in honest hands and nothing will be diverted from the object in view. Only seventy dollars. Not a large sum, but it will bring pleasure to nearly one thousand kiddies, if they all show up, and wild horses will hardly keep them away.

Christmas afternoon, at the Opera House.

FAVOUR SELLING ISLANDS.

COPENHAGEN, via London, Dec. 19.—The plebiscite on the question of selling the Danish West Indies to the United States resulted in a vote of 283,000 for the sale and 157,000 against it.

Useful Christmas Presents

Hundreds of Beautiful Gifts to Choose From

FOR HER
MAY WE SUGGEST

A Bottle Exquisite Perfume from 25c to $5.00
A Box of Page & Shaw's Chocolates from 25c to $5.00
French Ivory Dressing Mirror or Hair Brush
Ivory or Ebony Manicure Pieces or Sets
A Dressing Case in Ivory or Ebony
A Writing Portfolio.....from 75c to $6.00
Genuine Leather Hand Bags, newest shapes $1.50 to $8.00
A Leather Music Roll
A Jewell Box in Ivory, Tortois or Leather
A Combination Toilet and Manicure Set in Ivory or Ebony.. from $8.50 to $25.00
A Brush and Comb Set from $1.50 up
A Thermos Coffee Pot or Water Jug
A Fountain Pen, regular or Safety
A Bottle of Toilet Water, etc., etc.

FOR HIM
MAY WE SUGGEST

A Genuine Rubber Set Shaving Brush
A Razor (Old Style or Safety)—Gillette, Auto-Strop, Ever-ready, etc.
A Shaving Mirror, a Shaving Set or a Razor Strop
A Pair of Military Brushes, Ivory or Ebony
An Ebony Hair Brush, Clothes or Hat Brush
A Thermos Bottle or Thermos Kit
A Flashlight
A Chamois Vest or Fountain Pen
A Cigar or Cigarette Case
A Leather Purse, a Wallet or a Money Belt, etc., etc.

SEE OUR LARGE DISPLAY
THE BEST ASSORTMENT IN THE CITY
HIGHEST QUALITY LOWEST PRICES

Warne's Cut-Rate Drug Store

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The Value of the Personal Touch

Many a Canadian Family is Being Saved From Ruin by Friendly Counsel and Kind Hands

From a small Ontario town comes this story of the work of the Canadian Patriotic Fund. When it was decided to form a local branch those in charge of the relief work decided to make the disbursement a personal matter between the relief officer and the head of the family, to dispense advice as well as money, and exercise as much control as possible. Each woman, when being put on the fund, is given a personal interview with the honorary treasurer, and receives an explanation of what is expected of her, for her own good, and for the credit of the Fund. Complaints about unpaid accounts are taken up and if not disputed the woman has to make some satisfactory arrangement to pay on the installment plan. If she does not do so the next cheque is held up. Free legal advice is secured when needed, and now the women come to the Fund executive for advice in any difficulties.

One family who moved into the district had a record of extravagance and mismanagement in other towns. They were given the usual advice, probably in a larger dose than to most cases, and put on probation. The result has been that the younger children are attending school regularly and are better clothed and fed than ever in their lives. The family are beginning to accumulate a little solid furniture, they pay the rent regularly, have taken on a little industrial insurance, started a savings account, and hold their heads up. There are five small children under fourteen, who now are living in a different atmosphere to any they have ever known before. The chances are that the three boys will make respectable heads of families instead of town loafers, that the girls will make better wives and mothers. The secret of the whole affair was that some one was taking an interest in them, something which had never happened in their lives before. They were put on a certain standard of honor, and they measured up to it.

It might be argued that this is an exceptional case. Our experience has been that others are also showing an improvement. However, grant that it is an exception. This town has expended in relief the total amount of $1,500, while it has raised in all about $13,000 for the Patriotic Fund. Would not the economic improvement in that one family be worth much more to Canada than the total amount of relief money expended in this town? Would it not measure up nearer to the $13,000 that our citizens have paid?

That result would not have been secured in any other way than by the direct personal touch of that relief committee. No Government department or mere monthly cheque could have done it. The responsibility of the Stay-at-Homes is not only to the soldier's wife and kiddies now; it is to the future of Canada and our race. Intelligent interest on the part of the local executives can and will do much toward improving the mind and bodies of the soldiers' children. They are our trust, and the more efficient, personal and helpful means we take to care for them cannot be too much trouble to a true Canadian.

Finds World Must Save In Use of Cereals

ROME, Dec. 19.—The International Institute of Agriculture has published a report under the title "Has the World Enough to Live Upon Until the next Harvest?" The report took into consideration five unfavourable factors, the failure of the northern hemisphere harvests of the year ended July 31, and particularly those of Canada and the United States; the curtailed crops of Russia owing to the continued closing of the Dardanelles; the extra and unusual consumption of food by the armies; the increased difficulty of transporting crops; and the fact that normally the world's food consumption increases year by year, partly due to population increases, and whereas a crop which does not more than attain to an antecedent average is actually an embarrassment.

The general conclusion of the report, while not favourable, indicates that in every nation, irrespective of those at war, economic changes must be a narrow margin of surplus food left at the beginning of the next harvest year. It is also made clear that should the next harvest be no better than the present, the situation will be serious.

Discussing the report, says: "that no one can estimate with any precision what may be the actual consumption of the world during the period standing between the next harvest. However, if above the consumption in the northern hemisphere, which is 2,237,500,000 bushels, adds to this the consumption of the southern hemisphere countries, and arrives at a total estimated consumption of 3,586,000,000 bushels. Taking into account all existing wheat, the report finds that the wheat surplus by July 31 next will be but 46,281,000 bushels, and that this surplus will exist because of the preceding abundant harvest, whereby 345,305,140 bushels of stored wheat were available to add to this year's consumption. This year's total wheat crop is therefore but 3,401,263,224 bushels, as compared to 4,062,567,000 bushels last year.

MAJORITY OF ONE CONFIRMED

NELSON, B.C., Dec. 19.—C. F. Nelson's majority of one over William Hunter, Conservative, in Slocan, is confirmed by a decision given in the recount. Nelson is the Liberal candidate.

Typographers Protest at Rise in Paper Prices

Ask Government to Take Action Under the War Measures Act

Toronto, Dec. 19.—A meeting of the Executive Board of the Ontario Conference of Typographical Unions was held in the Labor Temple on Saturday evening, at which the question of increase in price, etc., of news print paper was taken up, and the following resolution was adopted:

Whereas, it having come to our notice that the price of white news print paper will be increased by 60 per cent. on January 1, 1917, and, whereas, the Executive Board of the Ontario Conference of Typographical Unions deem the proposed increase to be entirely uncalled for, and, whereas, such increase if put into effect will have the effect of the amalgamation of many newspapers, and the cessation entirely of many publications, thereby displacing many members of the printing and allied crafts; therefore be it resolved by the Executive Board of the Ontario Conference of the Typographical Unions in session assembled that the Government of the Dominion of Canada be petitioned to take such action under the war measures act of 1914 as shall assure to the publishers of Canadian newspapers a full supply of news print paper at a fair price, to be fixed by the Government, under the provisions contained in the said act; and further resolved that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Right Hon. Sir R. L. Borden, Premier, and Hon. Sir Thomas White, Minister of Finance, asking them to take immediate action thereon. (Signed) Chas. P. Doughty, President; H. B. Archer, Vice-President; George L. Myland, Sec.-Treasurer, Ontario Conference of Typographical Unions. Several other matters of vital importance to the conference were also taken up.

The officers in attendance were—Chas. P. Doughty, President, Guelph; H. B. Archer, Vice-President, London, and George L. Myland, Secretary Treasurer, Peterborough. The next convention of this organization will be held in London in June next.

NOTICE

WILL THE GENTLEMAN WHO PICKED up a gauntlet on George street, between Smith and Dublin Sunday night kindly leave same at Examiner Office. 3d-143-tf

WANTED

WANTED—GOOD CAPABLE WOMAN; good wages. Apply 87 Crescent street. 1d-143-tf

A YOUNG LADY DESIRES COMFORTable room and board in private family; central location. Apply Box 33 Examiner. 2d-143

TO RENT

TO RENT—MODERN HOUSE, ALL CONveniences, very central. Apply Examiner Office for address. 2d-tf-143

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—EGGS GUARANTEED STRICTly new laid, 4 dozen per week for sale. Will shortly increase to 12 dozen per week. What offer? Box 40 Examiner. 3d-143-tf

FOUND

FOUND—IN WOOLWORTH'S STORE, A bill. Owner may have same by applying at 251 Bethune, proving property and paying for advertisement. 3d-143-tf

FOUND—BETWEEN DUBLIN AND EDENburg Saturday night, black hand bag containing money and other articles. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for advertisement at Examiner. 2d-tf-143

FOUND—ON HUNTER STREET, LADIES hand bag. Owner may have same by proving property at Rent's Drug Store. 3d-143-tf

LOST

LOST—BLACK LEATHER BAG, CONTAINing purse with money on George street Monday. Finder please leave at Examiner Office. 3d-143-tf

LOST—STRAYED FROM LOT 4, CON. 1 Smith, Monaghan, 1 red steer, marked with letter D in both ears, one horn on left side. Finder communicate with Joseph W. Dawson, Bailieboro Ont. 4d-tf-143

LOST—A BLACK BUFFALO ROBE, WITH green lining, either on Wolfe, Townsend, Rubidge or Stewart sts. Reward at the Number One. 3d-tf-143

LOST—BARREL PART OF FOUNTAIN pen, Monday. Finder please leave at Examiner Office. Reward 3d-tf-143

CHOICEST CHRISTMAS GOODS

We have in stock to-day the brightest, cleanest, most dainty assortment of good things to eat that anyone could desire. Everything fresh and new. As a climax, we will show you, too, that our prices are most reasonable.

HONEY
Extra quality. In combs 25c
Extracted, 5-lb. tins 75c

APPLE CIDER
Extra choice. Per gallon 50c

GRAPE JUICE
Welch's Canadian made, 10c, 25c, 50c each

ORANGES
California Navels, ripe and juicy. Dozen ... 35c, 40c, 50c

CHOICE COOKING FRUITS
Valencia Raisins, California Raisins, Seeded Raisins in pkts. Seedless Raisins in packets, Clean Currants, Figs for Cooking, Dates; Orange, Citron and Lemon Peel.

MINCEMEAT
Ready to use, clean and pure, made previous to Sept. 1st.
In bulk, lb. 15c
Extra fine, in clean pound packages 20c

CRANBERRIES
15c, 2 qts. for 25c

EGGS
All fresh, but not new laid. Dozen 45c

VEGETABLES
Celery, Cauliflower, Carrots, Beets, Parsnips, Turnips, Onions, Fresh Green Lettuce, Green Onions, Parsley.

SEEDED RAISINS in bulk 11½ per lb.

TABLE DAINTIES

Candied Cherries per lb.	60c
Layer Raisins, extra choice,	30c and 40c
1915 Stock, Layer Raisins	15c
Tarragona Almonds	25c
Marbot Walnuts	25c
California Walnuts	25c
Pecan Nuts	25c
Brazil Nuts	25c
Grapes, California	20c
Grapes, green Almeria	20c
Ginger Chips, in boxes	35c
Ginger Root, Canton, lb.	40c
Dates in packet	12½c
Dates in bulk, lb.	15c
Fard Dates, lb.	25c
Figs in packets	15c & 20c
Skinless Figs, preserved in tins	30c
Pineapples	25c

Assist us and obtain satisfaction yourself by placing your entire orders early, and give us sufficient time to put up your requirements with care.

Christmas Presents There is no present as appropriate, as useful, as a selection of the above lines, to which might be added a 5-lb. tin of English Breakfast Tea or some tins or glass jars of Fruit and many other useful lines, to be found in our immense well-selected stock.

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AFGHANISTAN REVOLT PLOTTED BY GERMANS

British Report Some Members of Mission Were Caught—Ameer Remained Loyal

LONDON, Dec. 18.—After nearly two years of silence regarding the situation in Afghanistan, where it was known that German agents had been active in the early days of the war the British Government has issued an account of the failure of the alleged German plot for a great Afghan uprising. The account, as given in the House of Commons by Austen Chamberlain, Secretary of State for India, is as follows:

"In the Spring of 1915 the German Government decided to send a mission to Afghanistan. For this purpose they selected from among a number of Indian anarchists in Berlin a young land owner from Oudh, who posed to them as a ruling chief, and as such was received in audience by the Emperor.

"This person was accompanied by a party of German officers, some Turks, and another Indian anarchist, a Moslem. The principal German officer, Lt. von Hentig, was the bearer of a letter from the German Chancellor to the Ameer, in which the latter was invited to advise the pretended Rajah how best India might be liberated from British tyranny.

"Von Hentig was also charged to make important revelations to the Ameer regarding the relations which the German Government hoped would in future exist between Afghanistan, Germany, Austria-Hungary and Turkey.

"The mission broke up in Persia and succeeded in making its way in small parties in Afghanistan in the late Summer. The members were arrested on arrival and eventually conveyed to Kabul toward the end of the year. There is reason to believe that the Ameer and his people quickly appraised these Germans, and the Indian adventurers by whom they were accompanied, at their true value.

"It is true that the intervention of Turkey under German influence created a complication, and placed his Majesty the Ameer in an exceedingly difficult position. But at the outbreak of the war his Majesty gave the Viceroy of India the most solemn assurances of his intention to preserve the neutrality of his country, and it is with great satisfaction that I acknowledge on behalf of his Majesty's Government the loyalty of the Ameer to his pledged word—as sacred, to the true Moslem as to ourselves. His Majesty has firmly refused the inducements—as seductive as they are unrealizable—held out to him to induce him to forsake his ally, and has used his influence to prevent disturbances on the frontier.

"The Ameer dismissed the mission in May last. It would not be in the public interest to state what has become of the various members; but some of them have been captured by the Russians and the British after leaving Afghanistan. The estates of the Indian landowner have been sequestered by the Government of India. Letters were also addressed by the German Chancellor to a number of ruling chiefs."

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A particularly interesting line of new watches and jewellery. The designs are distinctive in character.

Shop early while the assortments are complete.

Any article will be reserved until Christmas.

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Constipation Vanishes Forever

Prompt Relief—Permanent Cure

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS ... Pure vegetable—act surely but gently on the liver. ... Genuine must bear Signature

Brent Good

Drunkenness Is On Decrease in Britain Statistics Now Show

LONDON, Dec. 18.—If any accurate estimate can be made while so many men are away at the fighting fronts, it would appear that drunkenness in England and Wales has decreased since the war began. A Blue Book has been issued showing a decrease of 48,017 convictions for drunkenness during 1915.

The greatest decrease in the consumption of liquor appeared in agricultural counties on the East Coast. In some of these convictions for drunkenness dropped 41.8 per cent. The "no treating" law undoubtedly has aided in reducing the consumption of intoxicants. During the last six months of 1915 there were only 42,342 convictions for violating this law, as compared to 48,750 during the first half of the year.

Throughout the entire year of 1915 there were only 136,811 drunkards convicted, which is the lowest number recorded for nearly forty years, and is 26 per cent. below the total for 1913. Of those convicted in 1915, 33,211 were women.

WINDSOR DRUNKS MORE; FINES NEARLY $1,500

WINDSOR, Dec. 19.—Prohibition, so far as this city is concerned, has resulted in an increase of drunkenness and a substantial addition to the finances of Windsor, according to figures compiled by Chief of Police Wills:

From September 16 to December 15, 1915 there were ninety-three arrests for drunkenness. In the corresponding period this year 221 citizens were arrested for the same offence.

These figures do not include the number of Windsorites taken in by Detroit police, who are estimated at not less than 200, who crossed the river and were arrested at the Detroit ferry dock. Approximately $1,500 has been handed over to the city by inebriates in less than three months.

"NEW MODEL" "FOR CHRISTMAS"

Bright Vici Kid Balmoral, eight inch top, small midget eyelets. Leather Louis heels. Goodyear Welt sewn soles: C. and D. Widths.

The Price is $6.00

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10 Days Record Beater Sale

ONLY FOUR DAYS LEFT

When we tell you that we are excelling every previous offering in this Record Beater Sale, our customers will know that we are listing most unusual bargains. Every item is exactly as represented and will be sold at the advertised price as long as our supply lasts.

Men's Pure Wool Sweater Coats Fancy knit, heavy weight, in fawn, trimmed with brown, and grey with maroon. Worth $4. Sale **$2.59**

MEN'S SILK TIES Done up in Christmas boxes. Worth 50c. **25c**

MEN'S SILK TIES New Patterns. Worth 25c. Sale Price **15c**

MEN'S WOOLLEN MUFFLERS **19c**

Two Great Bargains

Here is a Bargain in a Man's White Shirt that has never been equalled before, and can never be repeated. We cleared a manufacturers surplus at a very low price and we are selling this splendid $1.25 stiff front White Shirt, in our Ten Days' Sale, for only..... **39c**

Men's Mufflers, silk and wool mixed, good assortment of colours, in Christmas Box 39c

Men's White Handk'rchiefs with polka dotted border, a large pocket handkerchief. Sale Price. **6 for 25c**

Men's 'Duplex' Suspenders Every pair guaranteed or money refunded. **25c**

Ladies' White Embroidered Handk'rchiefs Suitable for Xmas giving, worth 10c and 15c, for **5c**

Men's White Linen Handkerchiefs Worth 20c. Sale Price. **2 for 25c**

Men's Fine Ribbed Woolen Socks Worth 50c. **35c**

BABY BONNETS Imitation White Bear Sale Price **25c**

Men's Fine Black Woollen Socks **25c**

Ladies' Fancy Tea Aprons Worth 25c and 35c. **15c**

Ladies' Silk Fleece Stockings **25c**

Ladies' Silk & Wool Umbrellas with silver and gold mounted handles. Sale Price. **$1.25**

Men's silk Handkerchiefs White and Kahki Worth 50c **29c**

BABYS' FUR SETS Made of choice White Imitation Bear Sale Price. **98c**

Ladies' Fancy Leather Hand Bags Worth $1.00. **49c**

WHITE ERMINE FUR SETS—Very fashionable, trimmed with small black pointed tails:—
Medium size—Worth $20.00. Sale for $9.95
Large size — Worth $30.00. Sale for $15.95

IMITATION PERSIAN LAMB FUR SETS—Large muff and stole. Sale 3.98

LADIES' PLUSH COATS — The very latest style in coats, with belts, high collars and buttons to match. Made of select plush. Worth $27.00. 5 only left. Sale 15.98

BOYS' PURE WOOL SWEATER—Navy blue, collar red trimmed. Worth $1.00, for only..... 75c
Another fine Sweater, buttoned on shoulder, green ..$1.00

ODD MUFFS—Made of Brown Mink Marmot. Medium size. Worth $10.00. Sale price..... 4.95

MILLINERY—MILLINERY!

LADIES' HATS — Tastefully trimmed, the trimming being all expensive materials; plumes and other mounts, sold up to now at $5.00 and $6.00. Sale 1.69

MEN'S HEAVY CAPS—Latest make, made of select coat cloths, with ear laps. Worth $1.25. Sale 75c

MEN'S ALL-WOOL UNDERWEAR—Worth $1.25. Sale 75c

MEN'S SANITARY FLEECE-LINED UNDERWEAR—Sale 49c

CHILDREN'S PURE-WOOL FOUR-PIECE SUITS—Including pants, sweater, toque and mitts to match. Worth $2.50. Sale 1.98

CHILDREN'S TOQUES—Worth 50c. In white only. Sale 25c

INFANTS' CASHMERE STOCKINGS — "Little Pet," pure wool.
Size 4. Worth 35c. Sale 15c
Sizes 5½ to 7. Worth 35c. Sale ... 29c

JAPANESE BATH TOWELS—In white. Worth 25c. Sale 19c

GIRLS' WINTER COATS—With the new pretty grey and red flannelette checks. Ages 6 to 10. A Wonderful Bargain. Worth $7.00. Sale 3.49

293 GEORGE ST. PHONE 21 **N. SUKLOFF** ONE DOOR SOUTH FROM GRAND HOTEL

Rules Which Will Help Relieve Christmas Shopping Of Unnecessary Confusion

No doubt Peterborough could save two whole valuable days this week if people in stores, on elevators, stairways, aisles, streets and other public passageways would remember a few simple rules. Here they are:—

KEEP TO THE RIGHT.—Do it. As you walk through the store; as you go upstairs; as you come down; as you get on the elevator and come off; as you go into the restaurant and come out; as you pass by people on the street. The Christmas confusion and obstruction of traffic could thus doubtless be minimized by one-tenth at least.

DON'T ENGAGE IN LENGTHY CONVERSATIONS DIRECTLY IN A PUBLIC PASSAGEWAY.—Everyone loves to see and hear the greeting of old friends at the Christmas season. It warms the heart and helps take away "that tired feeling" when we're doing our Christmas shopping, but—every day down town now we see hundreds "held up" by a blockade of thoughtless persons in various places who persist in holding conversazione on the stairway of our big stores, right at the mouth of the elevator, or on the crowded streets. We may depend upon it at this season there is sure to be always some people behind us in a frantic rush—maybe they're from out-of-town and have only a few minutes left before their train leaves, and in this few minutes they have to buy presents for "pa", "ma"—and all the rest of the family.

DON'T ALWAYS TRY TO STAND AT THE VERY FRONT OF THE ELEVATOR. CALL OUT THE FLOOR.—Perhaps there is no place where we conform act so like sheep as we do in this getting on and off elevators. Did you ever get any one to herd sheep—get their through "bars" or over bars?—then you'll wonderful. Just like ours tor.

I said this to an elevator man last week. He agreed heartily and said "I just told my wife last night I didn't believe I could stand it any longer. Why, just a few minutes ago a big woman with a big suitcase was the first to get on and stood right there she got on, filling up nearly the whole entrance. She was going to the fifth floor too, and there she stood and made everybody get off and out (or try to) around her till someone just by sheer force, pushed her to one side." (Of course, to "call out the number" of the floor you wish to get off at is the only sensible thing to do. Not only does it help the elevator man, but it announces to the other occupants of the car that we wish to get out there, and thus they can make way for us if possible.

KEEP PLEASANT.—Crowds must of necessity—crowd. Remember courtesy and good-nature are contagious. Keep up the Christmas good-will even when the crowd—bumps and jostles. We should be ready to keep pleasant and smile in the midst of it all—just because Canada is still Canada; because the Kaiser is not taking his Christmas dinner in Paris, London, or even Peterborough. But, most of all, just because there is a Christmas.

POTATOES

Car of New Brunswick Potatoes. Just arrived at C. P. R. siding cor. Water and Sherbrook St. 5 Bags and over $2.30 per bag, delivered. Single bags, $2.35.

E. H. MANN,
Phone 249 214 Aylmer St.
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RADIUM A FAILURE AS CANCER CURE

Report of Research Foundation at Columbia—Only Good as Palliative

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—After exhaustive tests upon rats, mice and guinea pigs, the use of radium as a cure for cancer and tumors has been found to be a failure, according to the annual report of Dr. Francis Carter-Wood, head of the Crocker Cancer Research Fund of Columbia University, made public. For cases on which operation is not possible radium is successful as a palliative only, the report states.

"It is unquestionably possible to prolong life in a few instances," Dr. Wood says, "and to make the patient more comfortable by the judicious and intelligent employment of large quantities of radium. On the other hand, it is equally certain that the use of small quantities, say 25 to 50 milligrams of radium element, often results in a rapid extension of the tumor, so that the patient's condition is worse than if he had been left alone."

POPULAR SONG AUTHOR DEAD.

SANTA ROSA, Cal., Dec. 19.—Joseph T. Mills, author of the song, "There'll be a Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight," died here. Mr. Mills, who was a veteran actor, was known on the stage as "Joe Hayden." He was seventy years old.

If you would keep Father, Son or Brother efficient Spiritually, Physically and Mentally for 1917, buy him a Y.M.C.A. Ticket for a Christmas Present.

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ASKS THAT BY-LAW BE ENFORCED

Ald. Edgar Says It's Unfair to Sell Ashes to One Man and Let Another Man Collect Them

At a meeting of the Property committee of the City Council held last evening, Ald. Saunders, chairman, announced that tenders for the sale of ashes from the incinerator will be asked for. Last year the sum of two hundred and forty dollars was realized. Tenders will be received up until four o'clock Thursday afternoon, December 28th.

On motion of Mayor Duffus and Ald. Langford, the matter of making an adequate number of garbage collections in the centre of the city, the taking of material left over for collection, the operating of the incinerator and omissions in the collection of garbage was left with Ald. Saunders and Sanitary Inspector Cooper.

Ald. Edgar raised the question of enforcing the by-law which he claims prohibits the removal of garbage by people who are not authorized by the garbage collectors. As matters stand several men in the city make a practice of rummaging through garbage boxes for the purpose of collecting garbage suitable for feed. Ald. Edgar insisted that the by-law be enforced. He said it was unfair to contract for the sale of ashes and then allow outsiders to come in and collect them.

The matter of repairing the eavestrough covering the market scales was left with the chairman.

Fourth Prize For Window Dressing

The J. M. Greene Music Company received word to-day to the effect that the Company's window dresser, Mr. John Morden, has been awarded fourth prize for the Edison window which the Company entered in the display contest during Edison week, in October last. The advice was accompanied by a cheque for twenty dollars. Mr. Morden is to be congratulated upon his success, as a large number of contestants entered the competition. At present Mr. Morden has a very fine Christmas window.

WEDDING BELLS

ROBINSON—FOSTER.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the George St. Methodist Parsonage last evening when Thos. Henry Robinson, of Peterborough, was united in marriage to Bertha Foster, also of this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. G. Peever, B.D. The young couple were unattended. They will reside in Peterborough.

OBITUARY

WILLIAM MILES.

The funeral of William Miles, one of the victims of last week's fire at the Quaker Oats Company, took place yesterday morning from the family residence, 471 Rogers street, to Dummer. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. J. Reid, F. Darling, Alex. Calder and Wm. Wilson. The funeral service at the house was conducted by Rev. Mr. Whittam.

The late William Miles, who was sixty-four years of age, was born in the Township of Dummer, and lived all his life there until two years ago, when he removed to Peterborough. For a number of years he was a member of the Township Council of Dummer. He was widely known in the district and had a host of friends. The deceased is survived by his wife residing here, one son, Allan, in Dummer, one daughter, Mrs. C. Boyce, Alberta, three brothers, Robert and Fred of Dummer, and John in the West, and one sister, Emma.

JAMES JOHNSTON.

Last evening there passed away in Peterborough a well known and highly respected resident in the person of James Johnston in his eighty-second year. The late Mr. Johnston was a native of County Cavan Ireland. He came to this country in 1857 and settled in Peterborough. Deceased passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frederick O. Allison, 49 Benson street. He had been in failing health for the past two months and his death was not unexpected.

His wife predeceased him five years ago. Four sons and one daughter survive, namely, ex-Ald. William J. Johnston, Joseph Johnston with the 93rd Overseas Battalion, and Herbert and Ernest Johnston, all of this city. The daughter is Mrs. Allison, Benson street. Mrs. Thomas Madill, of Gladstone, Manitoba, is a sister.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon from 49 Benson street. Service will be held at the house at two-thirty o'clock and funeral at three o'clock. Rev. R. G. Peever will officiate.

JAMES EVERETT WILLIAMSON.

The death of James Everett Williamson this morning was attended with extremely sad circumstances. Only 23 years of age he was cut down suddenly after an illness of less than two weeks. He leaves to mourn his loss, besides his parents, James and Emma Williamson, five brothers, Cecil, Bert and Ross of this city, Morgan on active service, and Cleveland, residing in Toronto, and one sister, Ethel, residing at home. He was a valued member of the De Laval, where he was employed as shipping clerk.

The funeral will be held on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from the family residence, 168 Reid street, under the auspices of the I. O. O. F. A short service, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Mackenzie, will be held at the house before proceeding to the Little Lake cemetery.

CHOOSE YOUR CHRISTMAS GIFTS FROM THESE GOOD VALUES

WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY SATURDAY

Silks Make Acceptable Christmas Gifts and Here's a List of Good Values to Choose From

NATURAL SHANTUNG SILK
34-Inch Natural Shantung Silk for Children's Dresses and Ladies' Waists and Dresses. Used also for Men's Fine Shirts. Four-Day Sale, yard 35c

STRIPED HABUTAI SILK
Stripe Habutai Silk. A large range of patterns and colourings to choose from. 36 in. wide. 4-Day Sale, yd. 1.00

PANDORA CREPE
36-Inch Pandora Crepe, composed of silk and cotton. In colours of Black, Rose, Copenhagen, Blue and Pink. Four-Day Sale, yard 75c

KABA CREPE
36-Inch Kaba Crepe. A fine silk crepe used for Waists and Dresses. In colours of Ivory, Pink, Maize and Apple Green. Four-Day Sale, yard .. 1.50

WHITE HABUTAI SILK
36-Inch White Habutai Silk for Waists and Dresses. Guaranteed to wash and not cut. Four-Day Sale, yard .. 1.00

50c KNITTED MUFFLERS, 25c
Knitted Mufflers, made to fit and fastened with dome. In Black, White, or Colours. Suitable for women's or men's wear. Worth up to 50c. Four-Day Sale 25c

WATCH THE PRICE TICKETS
In Every Department Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday for small lots and odd lines that we have marked at Big Bargains for those lucky enough to get them.

$1.00 MEN'S TIES, 50c
Men's Ties, in Plain Poplin, Fancy Silk and Knitted. Splendid assortment of colours. Worth up to $1.00. .... Four-Day Sale- 50c

BUY YOUR CHRISTMAS GLOVES EARLY
Our stocks are complete today, but they will not last long at the rate they are selling.

CHAMOISETTE GLOVES
Chamoisette Gloves, in All White or White with Black Points. In all sizes. Four-Day Sale, pair 1.25

WOMEN'S WASH CAPE GLOVES
Very fine quality of Women's Wash Cape Gloves, in colours of Tan or Newport. With contrasting points. Four-Day Sale, ... pair 2.00

$4.50 Curtains 2.98
Fine Voile and Marquisette Curtains. 2½ yards long. Some are trimmed with lace; others with insertion, and others with lace and insertion. All hemstitched. Regular up to $4.50 pair. ... Four-Day Sale, pair 2.98

Wool Filled Comforters $4.98
Extra large size Wool-filled Comforters. Covered with good quality silkoline, in a variety of pretty patterns and colorings. 4-Day Bargain, each 4.98

Here Are Gift Toys
AT LITTLE PRICES
From The Toyman's Shop, 2nd Floor

Dressed Dolls	15c
Elephant Banks	15c
Swords	15c
Guns	15c
Horse and Cart	15c
Carts	15c
Trumpets	15c
Barking Dogs	15c
Talking Santas	15c
Boys' Tools	15c
Ironing Boards	15c
Clothes' Horse	15c
Tops	15c
Building Blocks	15c
Ladder Wagons	15c
Fire Engines	15c
Irons	15c
Pig Banks	15c
Baby Rattles	15c
Toy Dishes	15c

BOUDOIR CAPS
Made of fine quality of White Net. Daintily trimmed with fine Val lace and insertion. Four-Day Sale 29c

GIRLS' SLEIGHS
Girls' High, Self-steering Sleighs. Steel runners and uprights. Strong hardwood top. Two sizes. Four-Day Sale, ... $1.25, 1.50

BOYS' SLEIGHS
Boys' Sleighs, with steel spring runners. Strong and serviceable. Three sizes. Four-Day Sale, .. 50c, 75c, 90c

LADIES' HAND-BAGS
Ladies' Leather Hand-Bags, in a variety of shapes. Neatly lined and fitted with coin purse and mirror. Four-Day Sale, each 1.50

CUSHION TOPS
Made of good heavy quality of Linen Crash. Some embroidered in conventional designs, and others stamped in patriotic and floral designs, ready for embroidering. Four-Day Sale 29c

Sensible and Acceptable Gift Suggestions from the Ready-to-Wear Dept., 2nd Floor

WOMEN'S WOOL SWEATER COATS
Made of heavy quality of Wool. With large collar and belted back. In a variety of colours. ..... Four-Day Sale 3.50

WHITE SILK WAISTS
Women's' Heavy Jap Silk Waists. Made with hemstitched collar and cuffs. Trimmed with large pearl buttons. In colours of White and Black only. Four-Day Sale 3.00

KNITTED PETTICOATS
Women's Knitted Petticoats, made of heavy quality of Wool. In fancy stitch, in solid or stripe. In colours of White, Grey and Cardinal. Four-Day Sale 2.00

WHITE VOILE WAISTS
Women's Fine White Voile Waists, made in several of the latest styles. In Jabot and Surplice fronts. Daintily trimmed with fine lace. Four-Day Sale 3.50

SILK CREPE WAISTS
Women's Waists. Made of fine quality of Crepe de Chene. Made from several of the latest models, with hemstitching, large collars and Jabot fronts. In colours of White, Flesh, Maize and Black. Four-Day Sale 6.00

SILK MOIRETTE PETTICOATS
Womens Silk Petticoats. Made of English Silk Moirette, with deep pleated flounce. In colours of Kelly, Black, Purple, Copenhagen, Grey and Tan. Four-Day Sale 5.50

Bissells Vacuum Sweeper
Regular $9.50 4 Days' Sale $8.50
Regular $7.50 4 Days' Sale $6.50

MEN'S SCARFS
Men's Scarfs, in knitted or handkerchief style. In colours of Navy, Grey, Red or Green. Four-Day Sale each 2.00

MEN'S INITIAL LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS
Men's Pure Linen Initial Handkerchiefs. Four-Day Sale, ... each 35c

Half Price for These Dainty Pieces of China in the Toyman's Shop

SALAD BOWLS	SYRUP JUGS
SALT AND PEPPER SHAKERS	BUTTER TUBS
SUGAR SHAKERS	SPOON TRAYS
HOT-WATER PITCHERS	MUSTARD POTS
	FERN POTS
	BON-BON DISHES

If You are thinking of an Artistic Chair for the living-room or bed-room, or a Comfortable Chesterfield as a Christmas Gift, see our assortment on 2nd Floor

Five Acceptable Gifts from The Linen Department
GROUND FLOOR

FANCY GUEST TOWELS
A fine quality of Fancy Hemstitched Linen Guest Towels. With damask borders. Size 20 x 23 inches. Four-Day Sale, each 30c

LINEN CENTRES
A very heavy quality of Linen Damask Centres. Neatly hemstitched. Size 24 x 24 inches. Four-Day Sale, each 50c

LINEN DOILIES
Good quality of Six-inch Linen Doilies, trimmed with Vienese lace of several designs. .... Four-Day Sale, each 12½c

TEA CLOTHS
A good quality of Hemstitched Tea Cloths, with embroidery and drawn work. Size 30 x 30 inches. Four-Day Sale, each 75c

LINEN PILLOW CASES
A good quality of Linen Pillow Cases. Daintily hemstitched and embroidered. 44 inches wide. Four-Day Sale, pair 1.25

CHILDREN'S ANGORA WOOL MITTENS
Children's Fine Angora Wool Mittens, in White only. Four-Day Sale, pair 1.50

FRUIT SETS, HALF-PRICE
China Fruit Sets, consisting of Bowl and Half Dozen Dishes. In patterns of white and gold with pink rose buds or in tea rose pattern of fine nipon. Regular $6.00 set. ..... Four-Day Sale, set 3.00

COCOA SETS HALF-PRICE
In Violet pattern. Half dozen Cups and Saucers and Pot. Regular $8. Four-Day Sale, set 4.00

COCOA SETS, HALF-PRICE
Consisting of Large Pot and Half-Dozen Cups and Saucers, in gold, black, and rose patterns. Regular $8.75. Four-Day Sale, set 4.38

STORE OPEN THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY NIGHTS
Special Bargains Each Night in Every Department. Watch for After-Supper Tickets.

WOMEN'S NECKWEAR
Fancy Collars made of Crepe, Ninon or Organdie. In all new styles. Daintily trimmed with fine lace. Four-Day Sale, each 50c

LONG WOOL MITTENS
Long Wool Mittens, in colours of Navy, White, Cardinal, Grey or Castor Four-Day Sale, pair 50c

COFFEE CUPS
After-Dinner Coffee Cups. Gold and pale blue patterns. Half dozen in set. Regular $4.50 set. Four-Day Sale, set 2.25

LAUNDRY BAGS
Made of heavy quality of Pure Linen, neatly embroidered in floral design. In colours of natural. Embroidered in green and red and mauve with white. Size 18 x 32 inches. each ..... Four-Day Sale, ... 49c

BABIES' INFANTEES AND BOOTEES
Baby Infantees and Bootees, in All White or White, with Sky, Pink, or Cardinal. Four-Day Sale, pair 35c

EIDERDOWN COMFORTERS, $6.59
Arctic Down Comforters. Size 66 by 72 inches. In a splendid assortment of good colour combinations. Four-Day Sale, each 6.59

RICHARD HALL & SON LIMITED

1,000 Miles of Rails From Canada To Be Used in France

OTTAWA, Dec 18.—Canada has undertaken to supply, largely from its own excess railway mileage, at least one thousand miles of rails and other track material for immediate use in France. The Dominion Government roads, the Grand Trunk, Canadian Northern and Canadian Pacific are all co-operating to meet the sudden demand. Already 300 miles of Government railway sidings are in process of being taken up and shipped to France.

The Imperial Government has asked the Dominion to help solve the difficulties of the French railway situation, both in the relief of part congestion and the movement of guns and munitions behind the lines. The transportation facilities in France have been inadequate to permit the allies to take full advantage of the material and supplies available, and it is felt that the war could be materially shortened, and thousands of lives saved, if sufficient additional railway facilities could be provided promptly. The British Government is doing what it can to supply the deficiency from England, and Canada has been asked whether there was any possibility of securing rails and other track material from the Dominion to meet what is regarded by the British Minister of War as a vital need. It was suggested that if no other solution were possible certain already existing trackage might be taken up and sent forward. The specific call on the Dominion is for from 1,200 to 1,500 miles of railway trackage.

STEEL MILLS COULD NOT SUPPLY

This information was received in Ottawa last Thursday afternoon. The Canada steel situation was immediately canvassed. It became apparent that the munitions works on which the Canadian mills are at present engaged precluded any possibility of early delivery of rails, tie-plates, bolts etc., from those quarters, and it was evident that the situation could be properly and promptly met only by the taking up of Canadian track.

MINISTER TAKES ACTION

The Minister of Railways, Hon. Frank Cochrane, was unavoidably absent in New York at the time the War Office communication was received. On Friday afternoon, Mr. Graham Bell, Financial Comptroller of the department, left for New York with the necessary documents to place the matter fully before the Minister, and at New York Mr. Cochrane was able to consult with his colleague, Hon. Dr. Reid, who is acting Minister of Railways at various times is also closely in touch with the Canadian railway situation.

MATERIAL ALREADY FROM GOVERNMENT ROAD.

By 10 o'clock on Saturday morning a telegram to the department was on the wire directing that Mr. Gutelius, General Manager of Government Railways, be instructed to arrange immediately to take up 300 miles of Government railway sidings, and also to supply whatever trackmaterial was immediately available. With these instructions Mr. Gutelius, who had been called to Ottawa, left for Montreal on Saturday afternoon. He has already under movement to the seaboard sufficient track material, including rails, tie-plates, bolts, spikes, and ties, to set up one complete section of twenty miles of railway including sidings. To enable the General Manager to do this, the Canadian Northern Railway, through Mr. D. B. Hanna promptly came to his support with ten miles of spike material.

DUPLICATE TRACK IN WEST.

With the 300 miles from Canadian Government railways as a start Mr. Cochrane at once got busy with the other railways. Mr. E. J. Chamberlin, President of the Grand Trunk Pacific, happened to be in Washington, and was able to meet the Minister in New York on Sunday. In the meantime Mr. Cochrane had been in consultation with Mr. A. H. Smith, President of the New York Central, and Chairman of the Commission which is investigating the Canadian railway situation, and as a result Mr. Cochrane decided that the first request to be made of the privately-owned Canadian roads would be the taking up of the 220 miles of duplicate mileage in the mountain section between Edmonton and the coast. For this distance the Canadian Northern Railway and the Grand Trunk Pacific parallel each other. Sir Henry Drayton, Chairman of the Dominion Railway Commission, has approved of this.

Hon. Dr. Reid left for Ottawa Saturday night to follow up the matter there, and has recommended to the Council the granting to the Minister of Railways of power to order up existing rails and material wherever the Investigating Railway Commission and the Dominion Railway Board may agree as to the practicability.

There are divisional points on the transcontinental where yardage has been provided which cannot possibly be utilized for many years to come, and a considerable mileage of rails and material can be spared from most of these divisional points. Further, wherever a siding anywhere on Government railways is not urgently required it will be taken out. The same practice will be followed on Canadian Government Railways branch lines, and there is also a lot of material in connection with the Hudson Bay Railway construction, which will be available if necessary.

USE LOCAL LABOUR OR TROOPS.

As already stated, the first twenty-mile section, sufficient to load one steamer, is on the way, and other material will be forwarded as promptly as British bottoms can take care of it at the seaboard. It is expected that at least one thousand miles of complete roadway will be supplied by Canada, and in order to facilitate the taking up of rails all local labour available will be used, but where this is not sufficient troops will be employed to rush the work through.

ANN PENNINGTON AT THE EMPIRE

In a Delightful Comedy-Drama Susie Snowflake

Petite, pretty Ann Pennington, the popular musical comedy favorite, contributes a distinctly new type of screen characterization in the Famous Players Film Company's picturization of life behind the footlights as the village "Susie Snowflake." There is something irresistibly appealing about the bewitching little heroine of this unique photoplay, and as "Susie" Miss Pennington has caught all the charm and piquancy of the little dancer who scandalizes her maidenly aunts and sets her home village agog when she brings her Broadway ideals into the community. At the Empire to-day and to-morrow.

The New Confections "The Cavell"

Are to Be Had in the City—The Best That Can Be Made

The famous Cavell confections have arrived in the city. They are popular elsewhere and are bound to be popular in the city, as they are as good confections as can be made. Get your supply of Christmas chocolates, creams, etc., in dainty boxes. On sale at present at Clydesdale's Cigar Store, George street, and McGabe's Cigar Store, corner Aylmer and Charlotte streets.

A silent man often has a reputation for knowing about ten times as much as he really does know.

WITNESS THE DISPLAY OF GIFT FURNITURE

In Front Show Windows, $1.50 and Upwards

Price Ticket on Every Piece

At this season of the year many people overlook Furniture – some there are who consider the prices prohibitive and yet $1.50 will buy a shapely fumed oak Jardiniere Stand, and many are the pieces at moderate prices, that are not only ornamental but useful and in many cases necessities. Let it be Furniture and your gift will see many Christmas seasons come and go.

Ladies' Work Table $11.00

Can you not think of some friend who is forever plying the needle and to whom a work table would be a decided convenience? Solid oak, two drawers, cane panels on side, and the entire design Jacobean. Not only useful but ornamental. Price 11.00

Foot Stool $4.50

To some the foot stool may seem to belong to a by-gone-age, but it still performs a useful duty and lends a quaintness to many rooms. Made of solid oak, has the rope-like legs that accompanies all Jacobean pieces, top upholstered with tapestry. Price 4.50

Gate Leg Table $14.00

A utility table that will serve a multitude of purposes. Jacobean design, 36-inch round top, two leaves that fall at the side and legs swing in. When folded it occupies very little space and can be placed against the wall, when the tea set or cards, etc., have been cleared away. Price 14.00

Solid Oak Costumers $7.00

This straight upright, with its twisted Jacobean carving and horn-like hooks on which to hang your apparel, immediately suggests a dignity that belonged to another age. For vestibule or hall it would be gladly welcomed. The price is a nominal one 7.00

See window.

Hand Colored Pictures Pr. $5

Beautiful hand coloured pictures with Roman gold frames, all are landscapes and will be ornamental to any wall. Some are quaint rustic scenes, such as "Calling The Ferry," and many other pleasing views. The price for these excellent pictures is, pair 5.00

Gentlemen's Smoker $4.50

A den that contains no smoking stand is indeed incomplete. The recipient of this graceful stand "equipped with brass ash tray, match holder, cigar and cigarette rest and drawer in which to stow-away the smokers' paraphernalia" will surely feel grateful to the giver. Price 4.50

Writing Desk $14.00

Here is a decided acquisition to any home, and for one who does much corresponding it is almost indispensable. Made of solid oak and fumed finish, is equipped with many compartments, for the keeping of correspondence, etc. The price is nominal 14.00

Jardinere Stand $3.00

To do the plant full justice you must give it a fitting pedestal on which to rest. Perhaps some friend has overlooked a jardiniere stand when equipping a particular room. Plain lines fumed finish, and solid oak. This is only one of the many. Price 3.00

About Bedooom Furniture

We have here described only odd pieces of furniture, but our stock contains much in bedroom suites or odd pieces, also dining-room equipment. Visit our third and fourth floor and you will see much that interests you at this particular season of gifts.

NEW ANNEX LEADER 'JUST ARRIVED'

Ladies' Special $2.50 Hockey Boots $1.98

A New Annex Shipment of our Special $2.50 Hockey Boot high-grade box calf, twool lined all sizes. Christmas ... Annex Leader 1.98

ANNEX OPEN EVERY DAY TILL CHRISTMAS

WEDNESDAY ANNEX LEADER

69c Silk Flag Cushion Covers and Centre Pieces 39c Each

A most attractive new Christmas Gift Novelty. Union Jack and Khaki Silk Cushion Covers, also suitable for table centres. Regular 69c value. Christmas Annex 39c

The GRESSMAN Company Limited

Chambrettes Farm Retaken By French

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BERLIN, December 19.—Repulse of French advances north of Rheims attempted after heavy artillery preparation was detailed in to-day's official statement. Artillery and mining engagements temporarily increased to a fire of considerate liveliness on both banks of the Somme. The statement admitted the recapture of Chambrettes Farm by the French.

Favour a Refusal of the Peace Proposals

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, December 19.—The Council of the Empire to-day declared unanimously in favour of a categorical refusal of the Allies to enter peace negotiations with Germany.

LONDON, December 19.—The Cunard liner Pannonia was safely floated to-day after grounding in the fog. She was apparently uninjured.

PARIS, December 19.—The Senate met to-day in secret session.

LONDON, December 19.—A solemn promise was made in the House of Commons this afternoon by Bonar Law that Captain Bimkie "would not share the fate of Captain Bryatt."

Wife-Beater Gets Six Month Term At Guelph Prison Farm

Young Girl Wrecks Happiness of a St. Thomas Couple.

ST. THOMAS, Dec. 19.—Charles B. New, formerly storekeeper for the Canadian lines of the Pere Marquette Railway, with headquarters at St. Thomas, was sentenced to serve an intermediate term of not less than six months and not more than one year at the prison farm, Guelph, on a charge of wife-beating.

In passing sentence, Judge Colter commented that it was one of those unfortunate cases where a man was determined to go wrong. New had become infatuated with a young girl, as many young men of to-day do. They forget everything wise, said the judge, and are foolish enough to believe that the girl thinks they are more than anyone else, and they are led into sin. The prisoner was prepared at all hazards to go against the laws of God and man, no matter what the cost might be.

On the night he assaulted his lawful wife, said the court, he was cunning, no doubt, and his cunning succeeded in the object he endeavoured to obtain.

His Honour said that there was no sentence which he could pass that would make restitution for the woman's heart which had been broken, but New must be punished.

Judge Colter further stated that in this case it was to be regretted that the divorce courts were so far beyond the average citizen. Crown Attorney McCrimmon told the court that Mrs New had offered to forgive her husband for his infidelity and rough treatment, and had gone to Detroit with the purpose, in hopes of getting him to return to the city, and that things might adjust themselves, so that they could live together again.

The prisoner, however, frowned at this effort, and his wife, in a state of depression, reported him to the immigration authorities, who deported him on account of violating the alien labour act.

When New was being led back to the cells he complimingly remarked: "That's a dirty deal—simply rotten."

The evidence went to show that in December, 1914, Mrs. New attended an Eastern Star dance, and was appraised of the fact that a girl was home in the house with her husband. She went home and her husband insisted that she would not go upstairs, and demande her to pass into the dining-room, where he wished to speak with her. Mrs. New, however, fought against this, and tried to get upstairs. It was in the tussle that followed that her husband committed the assault when he bumped her head against the hall seat

Important To Victrola Patrons

To facilitate Christmas shopping for Victrola and Victor Record buyers, access to the Victrola Section will be possible on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings by 'phoning to Mr. D. Carlisle at 139 or 860. On Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings the entire store will open, but if Tuesday or Wednesday are more convenient for you. Make arrangements by calling either of the above numbers.

The GRESSMAN Company Limited

RUM RATIONS ONLY BY DOCTORS' ORDERS

W. C. T. U. PRESIDENT IS SO INFORMED BY BRITISH WAR OFFICE.

"I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, and in reply to inform you that rum is only issued to the troops under the strictest supervision, and when considered necessary by the General Officer Commanding and this only through the recommendation of the medical officer."

The foregoing is a letter received from the Secretary of War by Mrs. S. R. Wright, London, Ont., President of the Dominion W.C.T.U., who have been carrying on an earnest campaign against "rum rations."

Rev. Dr. T. Albert Moore, Secretary of the Army and Navy Board of the Methodist Church, speaking of the letter from the War Office, said: "This is certainly better than the indiscriminate handing out of the 'rum rations.' Let us hope that the General Officer Commanding may have the views of a Kitchener or a Roberts, and the medical officer the scientific knowledge of a Sir Victor Horseley as to the effect of intoxicants upon the efficiency, the courage and the endurance of the soldiers."

Case of Ptomaine Poisoning In East City

Three Children Were Taken Seriously Ill —A Narrow Escape

An eight cent can of pork and beans freshly opened caused ptomaine poisoning in the family of Mr. Arthur Moffatt, 33 Cricket Place. Three children were taken seriously ill, and but for the timely arrival of Dr. Baker and Dr. Neal one of them would have died. The three children ate some of the pork and beans at dinner time and several hours later one of the children reported to his mother that one of the three was showing signs of illness. Almost immediately another one took sick, and before long the third child was afflicted. Dr. Baker was sent for and at the latter's request Dr. Neal was sent for. With some difficulty the more serious patient of the three was revived and to-day all three are on the way to recovery.

"Ten minutes more and the little girl would have gone," said one of the physicians.

The can was freshly opened and the contents not allowed to stand in the can. The contents was given to the children, mainly because they were so fond of them. The parents did not partake of them, which accounts for their escape.

FRENCH BARON DETAINED

Held in New York on Suspicion — Claims to be a Banker.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—After spending the time since his arrival in port on the liner Noordam under guard, locked in his stateroom, Baron Robert E. Oppenheim of Paris, was yesterday taken to Ellis Island for examination.

Mystery has surrounded the detention of Baron Oppenheim, and the cause of his detention is not yet known.

A two months' tour of the United States in connection with some banking business is the purpose for which Baron Oppenheim says he came to America.

Inquest Will Be Resumed To-night

Mr. E. P. Heaton, Fire Marshal For Ontario, is in the City

Mr. E. P. Heaton, of Toronto, Fire Marshal for the Province of Ontario is in the city to-day and will be at the inquest which will be resumed to-night in connection with the Quaker Oats' fire. Mr. Heaton aided by his deputy is making an effort to secure all the witness possible who can throw any light on the tragedy and who can furnish any evidence in connection with the matter are asked to get in touch with the authorities, such as Fire Chief Howard, Chief of Police Thompson, Coroner Dr. Greer or any other official concerned in the enquiry. The inquest will be resumed to-night at eight o'clock in the City Building.

Witnesses are required for both the inquest and the investigation which will open to-morrow at eleven o'clock.

Miss E. Tully Awarded $100

A jury awarded Miss Edith Tully of Smith township $100 damages and the costs in her action against Thomas Ruth from whom the claimed $500 for injuries received when she was thrown from a buggy, due, she alleges, to the defendant's neglect to heed a warning given by Mrs. Clarke who was driving with her on the 2nd Concession of Smith. Mr. G. N. Gordon acted for the plaintiff and Mr. F. D. Kerr for defendant. Judge Huycke allowed Mr. Kerr's motion for a twenty day's stay of execution.

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

There was a speedy re-action, however when it was realized that Lloyd George's speech did not shut the doors to peace negotiations altogether. United tates steel the market barometer, which opened at 113 1-4, advanced to 116, but half house later at 2 p.m. had flopped back to 111.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.— The stock market responded to Lloyd George's speech with a rush of bull activity this afternoon, prices advancing 1 to 3 points within ten minutes.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19. —Prices advanced on stock exchange and on the curb to-day while cotton broke $2.50 a bale on the cotton exchange, in anticipation of a flat refusal by Lloyd George to consider the German peace proposal.

New York Stocks—

Atchison, 104 3-4, 105; B. & O., 85 3-4, 85; C.P.R., 167, 167 1-4; N.Y.C., 105 3-4, 106; Erie, 37 1-8, 38 3-4; Reading, 108, Union, 146 1-2, 147 1-8; Republic, 80 1-4, 81 1-4, U. S. Steel, 113 1-4, 114; Anaconda, 87, 87 5-8, Amer. Loco, 80, 80 7-8; Inter Nickel, 44 1-8, 44 1-4.

Canadian Stocks—

Steamships, 38 3-4, 39 3-4; Gen. Elec., 113, 112; Cement, 64 3-4, 66; Smelters, 35 1-2, 35 3-4; Steel of Can., 73, 73 7-8, Dom. Steel, 73, 73 1-2

Toronto Live Stock receipts light, trade slow, choice heavy steers $8.85 to $9, Spring Lambs $10.75 to $13; Hogs fed and watered $12, off cars $12.25, f.o.b. $11.15. Others unchanged.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.— A sudden turn in wheat came shortly before 1 o'clock, which sent prices shooting down. Sellers held the view that Lloyd George's address left open the way for further negotiation which might ultimately result in peace. December wheat closed $1.53; May $1.65 1-8; December corn 93 1-4.

Woes of the Milkman

New York — The troubles of the milkmen were described before the Wicks Legislative Investigating Committee here by Loton Horton, the president of one of the largest distributing companies in this city. He complained that:

"Many persons use milk drivers as alarm clocks."

"Fine, fashionable people, who rent swell apartments here in the winter and leave for Florida in the spring, also leave their milk bills behind."

"A milk driver climbs on an average 324 flights of stairs a day, and twice a week this is doubled because of the bills that he has to deliver."

"No man can climb that number of stairs and last more than three years," he said.

Referring to the "fine, fashionable people who go away without paying their milk bills, Mr. Horton said to follow them to the country, and 'dun' them.

"I tell my boys," he added, "to follow them to the grave."

MUST TREAT EYES OF NEW-BORN BABES

ST. PAUL, Minn., Dec 18.—Minnesota's regulation providing that the eyes of all babies born in the State shall be bathed in a solution of silver nitrate has become effective, despite the objections filed by Christian Scientists and others. Objectors argued that the solution in the hands of ignorant or incompetent persons might do much harm.

Make Your Xmas Gift Furs

Imagine the pleasure derived from such a gift. Can't you see how proud and happy a gift of furs would make your friends?

Sensible, useful, comfortable. Come at once to us and let us help you make your selection.

You can count on values here.

W. E. LECH Manufacturing Furrier and Hatter

366 GEORGE STREET - - - - - - NEAR SIMCOE ST.

Gifts That Will Merit a Hearty "Thank You"

When you give a man a Christmas Gift, give him something he can wear, and you are sure to give him something he will appreciate.

If you are in doubt as to what some friend of yours would like, visit our shop and talk it over with us. We know what particular men like, and will be able to give you some valuable assistance in making your selection.

Gifts That Will Hit the Mark

One of our Silk Neck Scarfs would make a most desirable gift. Beautiful colourings. $1.25 and more.

A Bath Robe is not only a Merry Xmas greeting, but is also a happy "Good Morning" the year around.

When in doubt, a Neck Tie is a happy solution to the gift problem. We are showing a very beautiful variety, 50c to $1.50.

House Coats that are chic and neatly trimmed, reversible collars and cuffs.

Gloves of every description, from $1.25 per pair up.

Woollen Scarfs, Dr. Jaeger's Knitted Khaki Gloves, Khaki Scarfs, Khaki Handkerchiefs, Sweaters, Umbrellas and Walking Sticks.

Will be Open on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday Nights until 11 p.m.

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FRANK L. JENNE, Semi-Ready Shop

NEXT TO NOVA SCOTIA BANK

Open Evenings of Thursday, Friday and Saturday

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Better Choice *Better Service*

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Furriers and Ladies' Ready-to-Wear

THE HOUSE OF THOUGHTFUL GIFTS

Our Gift Line has grown remarkably this year. You will find departures that are extremely interesting. We have made your Gift Problem, our Gift Problem.

The lasting and therefore satisfying quality of our designing, manufacturing and selecting in Furs, Silk Dresses, Silk Waists, Skirts and Silk Sweaters make our productions unusually distinct and delightful. They are not fads—they last. In them are originality of thought, beauty and utility cleverly combined. Their money value is not the important thing—even those costing the least mean much.

Specials for Christmas in Furs	$2.00 to $500
Specials for Christmas in Dresses	$10 to $60
Specials for Christmas in Blouses	$1.50 to $20
Specials for Christmas in Silk Sweaters	$18 to $18
Specials for Christmas in Skirts	$3.50 to $20

Our range of Blouses and Dresses is known to be the choicest in the City.

Barrie's FURRIERS

THE BARRIE BUILDING

Next Custom House, George St. Phone 340

TURNBULLS

Come and See Santa Claus — VISIT OUR TOYLAND

BEAUTIFUL HOLIDAY STORE FILLED WITH CHRISTMAS GIFT SUGGESTIONS

Visit our Handkerchief Counter and Examine the Beautiful Display of Fine Lace Handkerchiefs

The most useful and beautiful Xmas Gifts are to be found in our Basement. Sparkling CutGlass, Dainty China, Artware

Santa Claus will arrive at our Front Door, Wednesday at 4.30 p.m. After giving away Toys to his little friends, he will Visit Toyland for one hour, and will sell his usual 100 Surprise Packages at 25c each

HOUR SALE IN BASEMENT
WEDNESDAY, 10.30 TO 11.30 A. M.
ROCKINGHAM TEA POTS, 5 and 6 CUPS. Reg. 30c and 35c. One Hour Only..... 21c

HOUR SALE IN TOYLAND
WEDNESDAY, 3.30 TO 4.30 P.M.
STANDARD BOOKS 10c, One Hour only, 500 Cloth Bound Books, Alger and Boy Scout series, also Books by Sewell, Castlemon and Holmes, One Hour Only..... 10c

HOUR SALE IN BASEMENT
WEDNESDAY, 4.30 TO 5.30 P.M.
FANCY COCOA POTS, different designs and patterns, reg. 98c. One Hour Sale.. 50c

SPECIALS FROM OUR READY-TO-WEAR DEPARTMEMTS

FANCY BLOUSES
Georgette Crepe, Voiles and Crepe de Chene, in pink, salmon, pale green, mauve and flesh. From ..... $5.00 to $10

SILK SKIRTS, $8.95
handsome separate skirts, made of best quality of Taffeta Silks. In several new styles. All lengths. Regular $12.00. Wednesday Special..... 8.95

CREPE KIMONAS, $1.48 TO $2.98
Women's Kimonas, made of excellent quality Crepes, in sky, rose, pink, Copenhagen, neatly embroidered. Sizes 36 to 44. Prices range from..... $1.48 to 2.98

BEAUTIFUL CREPE DE CHENE LINGERIE
Finest quality Crepe de Chene gowns, camisoles, petticoats and combing jackets, in flesh or white. Neatly hemstitched and trimmed, with finest Val laces in various ways. Would make exquisite presents. Prices range from ..... $1.00 to 8.00

Specials From The Main Floor

FROM THE TOILET DEPARTMENT
Fancy Boxes with 1 Bottle Perfume..... 25c
Sanita Utility Travelling Cases..... 45c
Boxes Toilet Soap (3 cakes)..... 25c
Hudnut's Toilet Water. Regular $1.50..... 95c
Baby Toilet Set, 8 pieces in handsome box.. $1.75
Comb and Brush..... 33c
Ebony Nail Brushes..... 25c, 35c and 50c
Ebony Hand Mirrors..... 95c, $2.50 and $3.00
Imitation Ivory Dressing Set, consisting of shoe horn, button hook and nail file..... 60c

SILK CUSHION COVERS, 69c
Souvenir Silk Cushion Covers of Canada. In two designs, three different colours each, showing coat of arms of each province. Wednesday Special..... 69c

COLLAR BAGS, 35c
Gents' Collar Bags, with pull cord. In red, green or brown. A useful Xmas gift for a gentleman. Wednesday Special..... 35c

STATIONERY, 14c, 25c, 35c and 50c
Boxed stationery is really one of the first and most select gifts of many people. Our stationery department offers some specially selected lines. All nicely boxed. One quire paper and two dozen envelopes to match. Wednesday, ... 14c, 25c, 35c and 50c

CHRISTMAS UMBRELLAS
We are showing a special collection of Xmas umbrellas, in Gloria Silk and Wood tops, with wood or fancy handles. Ranging in price from ..... $1.25 to 5.00

NEW HAND BAGS
These new hand bags are very useful as well as pretty. Dozens of styles. In good quality leather. Wednesday ..... 75c to 4.00

LADIES' NECKWEAR, 50c TO $3.00
Our Neckwear Section is full to overflowing with everything that is new, and not a collar in the lot but would make a handsome Xmas gift. From ..... 50c to 3.00

KHAKI HANDKERCHIEFS, 3 FOR 22c
Gents' large khaki handkerchiefs. Wednesday Special ..... 3 for 22c

3 INITIALED LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS IN ENVELOPE, 25c
Three handsome ladies handkerchiefs. All initials. In beautiful Xmas envelope. Wednesday Special 25c

LINENS
No other gift is more appreciated than a piece of good linen. Particularly now when they are almost impossible to secure.
Table Covers and Napkins to match. Set $5.00, $6.00, $6.50, $7.50, $8.00, $8.50, $10.00, $15.00
Pure Linen Napkins, dozen ..... $2.00 to $5.00
Pure Linen Table Covers..... $2.00 to $6.00
Pure Linen Pillow Cases, 36 x 40, pair..... $1.95
Splendid assortment in knitted wear.
Knitted Caps, all sizes and colours, ... 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c
Knitted Sweaters—Children's, Misses', Women's ..... $1.95 to $7.50
Children's Knitted Overalls—Sizes 18 to 32, ... $1.25 and $1.50
Knitted Shawls—White, black or grey $1.50 to $3

SILK HOSE, $1.00
Women's silk hose, in black or white colours. Wednesday Special 1.00

BABY, SILK COMFORTERS, $2.25
In plain, pink or white. In blue and white, pink and white, and blue and white. A handsome Xmas gift for a baby. Wednesday Special 2.25

GLOVES THE IDEAL GIFT
No lady ever has too many gloves, and children like new gloves. In our stock all the newest styles and colours in all sizes. Prices range—
Kid—$1.25, $1.50 and $1.75
Silk—$1.00, $1.25 and $1.50

CHINTZ COMFORTERS, $2.00 and $3.00
These were purchased by us previous to the advance in price. Are covered with best washing Turkey red Chintz, and filled with pure white batting.
Size 60 x 72 inches—$2.00
Size 72 x 72 inches—$3.00

SPECIALS FROM TOYLAND

SANDY ANDY, 54c
A well-made sand toy; car filled with sand, runs down track and dumps, then goes back and repeats; continues for several minutes. Each in box. Wednesday Special 54c

VELOCIPEDES, $2.68 TO $4.85
Velocipedes with steel wheels and leather spring seats; some with rubber tires; different sizes for different ages. Prices range from..... $2.68 to 4.85

TEDDY BEARS, $1.09 AND $1.39
Big brown plush Teddy Bears, 12 inches high; some of them squeak. Regular $1.49 and $1.69. Wednesday ..... $1.09 and 1.39

FRICTION TOYS, 48c TO $1.39
An assortment of strongly built friction toys in different models as locomotives, delivery trucks, moving vans, fire engines, etc. Wednesday, ... 48c to 1.39

THE NEW WAR GAME, 19c
Seige of Berlin. An interesting game in which toy German soldiers are knocked down with shells from a little cannon. Complete in box, Wednesday 19c

DOLLS, 39c
Well-dressed dolls in assorted colours, stuffed bodies, knockabout heads. Wednesday while they last..... 39c

Wednesday Specials From the Basement

The most beautiful of Xmas Gifts are to be found in our Basement. A partial list:—

CUT GLASS
Sparkling Belgian Cut Glass, consisting of pitchers, large vases, comports open or covered butter cooler and plate, jewel cases, berry bowls, cream, sugar, fern stands, etc. Regular $5.00. Would make an acceptable Xmas Gift. Wednesday Special 3.95

BERRY SETS, $3.69
Fancy hand painted berry sets, consisting of large bowl and 6 small berry dishes. Dozens of designs and patterns to choose from. Regular up to $5.00. Wednesday Special 3.69

BERRY SETS, 75c TO $1.85
Consisting of large bowl and 6 small sauce dishes. Dozens of decorations and designs to choose from. Wednesday Special 75c to 1.85

CHEESE DISH, 48c
Large cheese dish, consisting of plate and fancy cover, decorated in gold with flower design. Wednesday Special 48c

JUGS, 25c TO 69c
Over 100 designs to choose from. Some plain, others with handsome decorations. Worth up to $1.25. Wednesday Special ..... 25c to 69c

Royal Nippon China Trinket Sets, $1.48 to $1.98
Children's Nickle Silver Knife, Fork and Spoon, in handsome box 25c
Japanese China Sugar and Cream Set..... 25c
Fancy China Cocoa Sets..... $3.50 to $5.00

A SPECIAL AT 48c
Pretty decorations, "Royal Nippon" China, bon bon dishes, cake plates, ash trays, sugar and cream sets, salad bowls, cocoa jugs, cake trays, etc. Wednesday Special..... 48c

CLOVER LEAF DINNERWARE
Cups and Saucers for 12c
Breakfast and Soup Plates for..... 10c
Bread and Butter Plates for..... 8c
Fruit Saucers for..... 6c

$3.00 Art Stone China Vases—Wednesday... $1.99
$3.00 Art Stone China Fern Stands—Wednesday $1.99
$3.00 Art Stone China Fern Pots—Wednesday $1.99
$2.50 Art Stone China Vases—Wednesday.. $1.39
$2.00 Art Stone China Jardinieres—Wednesday $1.99
$3.50 Art Stone China Vases—Wednesday... $2.49
$1.95 Art Stone China Fern Pot—Wednesday $1.49
In addition we have several sizes in above, all reduced in proportion for Wednesday Special.

$2.50 BRASS PEDESTAL MATCH HOLDER AND ASH TRAY COMBINED, $1.95
This is a most beautiful and useful Xmas Gift for a smoker, and make a handsome ornament for the den. Wednesday Special..... 1.95

PARIAN BUST LORD ROBERTS, 25c
An appropriate and patriotic decoration for every home. Wednesday Special..... 25c

LARGE BUST GENERAL FRENCH AND ADMIRAL JELLICOE, $1.25
A handsome Xmas Gift, and in keeping with our patriotic feelings. Wednesday Special 1.25

TIE AND PIPE RACKS, $1.69
Included in this list is the Navajo Indian Tie Rack, the Navajo Indian Pipe Rack, Solid Brass Camel Tie Rack, Solid Brass Camel Pipe Rack, and other designs. Wednesday Special 1.69

CUPS AND SAUCERS, 8c
English white porcelain cups and saucers, good quality thin ware. Wednesday Special, Cup and Saucer for..... 8c

OPEN THURS., FRI. and SAT. EVENINGS

SPECIAL FROM THE CARPET DEPARTMENT

OPEN THURS, FRI. and SAT. EVENINGS

AXMINSTER HEARTH RUGS, $2.39
Oriental and floral designs in all colours. Worth to-day $3.75. Wednesday Special 2.39

TABLE COVERS, $2.75 TO $7.50
Tapestry table covers, fringed all round. In different designs, sizes and patterns. A most acceptable Xmas Gift. Prices range from ..... $2.75 to 7.50

SILK CUSHION CORDS, 65c
Dozens of handsome cushion cords ranging in different colours. Three yards long. Some with blended colours, making an attractive effect. Wednesday Special.... 65c

RUGS A ROYAL GIFT
In our Carpet Section will be found the choicest designs in Wilton, Axminster, Brussels or Tapestry, in all standard sizes, from 2½ x 3 to 3 x 4 yards. Ranging in price from the Tapestry at $10.00, to the Wilton at $60.00

MORE COMFORTS FOR THE BOYS

Canadian Kitchener League Send Shipment Valued at $115

The Canadian Kitchener League have sent forward another shipment to the trenches. The boxes containing 137 pairs socks, cake, candy, tobacco, lead pencils and literature, valued at $115. These were sent to the following addresses:—Cecil Bennett, 20th Batt., (93rd) France; Norman Batby, 21st Bat., (93rd) France, Lieut. Meredith Huycke, 2nd Howitzer Battery, France.

The League wish to thank everyone who donated or helped in any way to fill these boxes for the boys.

Every letter from the boys in the trenches calls for socks. Although there are a great many pairs of socks going forward still we do not seem to be able to meet the demand. The call comes to every one who can knit to get busy. The Canadian Kitchener League have lots of yarn and will gladly give it to everyone who will sacrifice a little time to help make our boys a little more comfortable in the trenches.

Many a man who isn't satisfied with the life he has pursues drug store almanacs and acquires others to worry him.

Dead Drunk When Police Picked Him From Snow Drift

A young man who tried just "three fingers" paid $10 and $3.75 into court this morning for a fling that left him with all the visible signs, and doubtless invisible pains, of a real knockout. Constables Blade and Deanard picked him out of a snow bank on Reid street, some time during the night into which he had sprawled face downward. "Dead to the world" he might have suffered severe consequences from the exposure had he not been gathered in by the police. He is of the opinion that the "stuff" was the poisonous stuff that some times appears in surreptitious drinking under prohibitory laws.

Failure To Register Cost Austrians $10 After Leaving City

Men Think They Would Become Better Citizens If Instructed.

BARRIE, Dec. 19.—During the time that the collection of the poll tax from the foreign residents of this city was being carried on, several Austrians left for Hamilton rather than pay the $5 tax demanded by the authorities. It now develops that upon their arrival in Hamilton they did not register and in consequence were fined $10 each.

When they were searched by the authorities, the sum of $3,200 was found concealed.

While engaged in making the collections in the city, Inspector Crosbie received a great many complaints from the foreigners, who stated that although they were forced to pay the taxes, they were receiving no benefit from the city in an educational line. They thought night classes should be formed where they could be instructed in writing and reading the English language. Their efficiency as citizens would be materially increased by this scheme, they said, and they thought that a great many of the court cases which arise over petty quarrels and ignorance of the law could be avoided.

It has been suggested that the board of education and city council cooperate in this scheme and a room and facilities secured, where classes could be held one or two nights per week and the ambitions of these foreigners to learn the language could be fulfilled.

ARRANGEMENTS CONCLUDED.

LONDON, Dec. 19.—Arrangements have been concluded for a party of Canadian journalists to spend Christmas at the Canadian front in France.

A Hebrew Youth Needed Charity Not Police Court

The Police Court deals with offenders against the law, not with the ill, hence its philanthropy is extremely limited. For that reason, Harry Rothe, a fair complection Hebrew youth who claimed that his only fault was that he was consumptive was released this morning when he appeared on a charge of being a vagrant, and was given his liberty on the condition that he left the city. Roughly and insufficiently clad, apparently emaciated and frail, no friend was present to aid him, although Chief Thompson stated that Mr. A. Low had promised to see that the young man would be assisted to proceed to Toronto. From the outward evidence of his alleged condition his appearance appealed for charity, and he seemed a fit and proper subject for a public sanatation institution.

HUNTER ACCIDENTALLY KILLED.

KINGSEY, Que., Dec. 19.—A. Thiveirge was fatally shot while hunting in the woods by a companion, A. Gimond. A coroner's jury returned a verdict of accidental death.

Ald. Dobbin Has Solved Problem

Abstains From Bacon and Eggs In Order to Keep Cost of Living Where It Was Two Years Ago

The exclusion of bacon and eggs from the daily menu enables Ald. Dobbin to say that he is living as cheap to-day as he did two years ago. This is one of the claims that he advanced at a meeting of the Legaip Reception, Legislation and Soldiers' Aid Committee of the City Council which was held last night. Mr. Frost representing the Trades and Labour Council was present in the interests of a movement to investigate and if possible, reduce the high cost of living. Mr. Frost reminded Ald. Dobbin that if he was living as cheap as he was two years ago he may not be living on the same scale. This Ald. Dobbin admitted. The latter also informed Mr Frost that cold storage houses were not banished and that the supplies destroyed in the Plavelle fire in Lindsay were destined for the British Government.

WOMEN WERE LAUGHING.

Ald. Edgar told of a case in which three women were seen laughing over the high prices they received for their produce on Saturday last. The women in question thought the prices were ridiculous. Ald. Edgar was of the opinion that the matter might better be left over until the first of the year for the new council to deal with. "If people would refuse to buy the higher priced commodities the prices would soon come down" said Ald Edgar. In the meantime information can be secured as to what is being accomplished in other towns. Mr. Frost did not think that local dealers were to blame. On motion of Ald. Edgar and Ald Duncan the meeting adjourned much to the relief of some of the members who felt that the discussion was getting too deep.

Court Langton C.O.F. Elect 1917 Officers

The following officers of Court Langton, Canadian Order of Foresters, were elected last night:

C. R.—R. Locke.
V. C. R.—G. Worboy.
Rec.-Sec.—Wm. Stevens.
Fin.-Sec.—Sam. Kemp.
Treasurer—Wm. Payton.
Chaplain—A. Finnie.
Sen. Woodward—Gordon Stevens.
Jr. Woodward—Wm. Abbott.
Sen. Beadle—H. Tranter.
Jr. Beadle—Ben. Johnston.

After the election the members enjoyed a game of progressive euchre, and refreshments.

The Spirit of the Old Time Carol Singers Lives Again in the

For Christmas Come in and Hear Them

The J. M. Greene Music Co., Limited
Charlotte Street

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Five minutes spent in looking over our thousands of carefully selected lines covering everything in the way of Books, Cards, Stationery, Fancy Goods, Pictures, making the choicest gifts at any price desired from 50c to $10.00, will be found the greatest help in deciding the items for your list, that you could find anywhere.

Best Books of The Season

Rhymes of a Red Cross Man—by R. W. Service —a blow for lasting peace $1.00
Mr. Britling Sees It Through—by H. G. Wells— A book that interprets the spirit of Britain at the present time — the best novel of the year $1.50
The Worn Doorstep—by Margaret Sherwood— $1.25—one of the "Literary Finds" of the year.
The Red Watch—by Col. Currie—A story of the 48th Highlanders at St. Julien $1.35
The Hilltop on the Marne—Mildred Aldrich $1.25
Told in a French Garden — Mildred Aldrich — author of The Hilltop on the Marne $1.25
Action Front—by Boyd Cable $1.35
Between the Lines—by Boyd Cable $1.35
The Kingdom of the Blind—Oppenheim $1.50
Rod of the Lone Patrol—H. A. Cody $1.25
The Governess—Julia Lipman $1.00
Further Foolishness—Stephen Leacock $1.25
Just David—by author of Polyanna $1.25
Kitchener's Mob—Hall $1.25
Tish—by Mary Rhinehart $1.50
Wandering Dog—by author of Beautiful Joe $1.50
Rambles of Canadian Naturalist—S. T. Wood $1.50
Seventeen—Booth Tarkington $1.50
Sons of Canada $1.50
Rainbow's End—Rex Beach $1.50

Pocket Dairies for 1917

A large assortment of Pocket Diaries, cloth and leather bindings, from 15c up.

Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pens

There is nothing more useful for an Xmas gift —all pens fully guaranteed—large assortment, $2.50 up.

Books for the Young

Sleepy Time Stories—10 titles—each 35c
Bed Time Stories—10 titles—each 50c
Days of Bruce (Retold for Children) 50c
Ivanhoe (Retold for Children) 50c
Dombey and Son (Retold for Children 50c
Tale of Two Cities (Retold for Children) 50c
Waverley (Retold for Children) 50c
Oliver Twist (Retold for Children) 50c
Moving Picture Boys—8 titles 35c
Boy Scout Series—12 titles 35c
Alger Books 25c
Toy Books—Large Assortment.

Books for Girls

Moving Picture Girls 35c
Out Door Girls 35c
Girls of Central High School 35c
Pansy Books 35c
L. T. Meade's Books 35c

Hand Sleighs

Children's Hand Sleighs, 35c, 50c, 75c and 1.25

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THE WORLD OF SPORT

ANOTHER LIVELY PRACTICE FOR THE JUNIOR O. H. A. TEAM

The Peterborough junior O.H.A. club had another lively practice last night with some eighteen players in line. Jerry Coughlin was in charge of the practice and put the squad through a busy hour. Two line ups were selected and the rubber was chased at top speed through the practice period. A team composed of last year's players with Frost of the Pennants and McFee of New Liskeard on the forward line turned in some nice hockey, while some of the other young sters on the other line up made a good showing. Cherrett of last year's team was an absentie through illness and Scott of last year's Lindsay team was also unable to be present. There will be another practice at Brock street rink to-morrow night at 7 o'clock when the following players and these only are asked to be out:—

Murray Carney, Montgomery, McIntyre, Graham, Cherrett, McFee, Hartley, Frost, Scott, Park, Moore, Wright, Clarke.

Thrills in Air For Carpentier On Firing Line

Georges Carpentier, the heavyweight boxing champion of Europe, who is now in Paris on leave from war service, has written for a London newspaper a little story of his experiences and his prospects. He looks forward to re-entering the ring and is convinced that it won't be long before he is free to put on the gloves for fighting of a different sort from that in which he has been sharing for many months past. Expressing this confidence he says:

"Will I be glad to get out of this hell? A thousand times yes, but not before we have seen to it that the gates of hell have been shut so tight that they will never be flung open again.

"I shall always remember that when I fought your Bombardier Wells at Ghent Belgian people screamed that boxing was cruel and ghastly and must be no more. Then they did not know. A squeamish Belgian can never be again. For Belgians have lived too long in a world of horror."

Sixteen Months on Firing Line.

Relating his experiences at the front, he writes:

"I have seen sixteen months on the firing line as a pilot. Much have I seen. I have had fights high in the clouds. I have been wounded. I have received the war cross (Croix de Guere), and I have been recommended for and shall receive shortly the Medaille militaire.

"I have been lucky, immensely so, for I have been in many tight corners. It may be that some of the charms given to me when I left London instead of fighting Young Ahearn have brought me good fortune.

"But I would tell what the 'order of the day,' which is what you would call your 'gazette,' says about what I did to win the Medaille militaire. It is that I flew over the German lines at a height of only 200 yards and that when I returned to our lines my biplane was found to have received no fewer than fifteen rifle bullets.

No Sense of Danger.

"When flying, if it be that you are chancing your arm, shall I say, you have no sense of danger. I never in all my fights thought or dreamed of being beaten. I always believed in myself. It is so now with my machine. It is so some human. You feel that it knows, see, that it is part of yourself, you come to believe it is invincible, and although in my last big fight, in which I can now well believe I was hugging and wrestling with death all the time, I did not once quake with fear.

"To fly as low as I did was risky perhaps, but the knowledge that it had to be done if I were to be of service to our artillery seemed to fill me with a sense of security. It was only when I got back into our lines and saw the fifteen bullet marks and the holes that had been riddled in my machine that I realized that I was as near being knocked out as ever I have been in my life.

Not Hunting Enemy Flyers.

"These days my duties, though often exciting and dangerous, do not consist in hunting enemy aeroplanes. Indeed, my orders are even to avoid engaging them. But I have been compelled to do so on several occasions, and under a heavy handicap, because of my machine not being fast or handy enough.

"It is my business to assist in the direction of our artillery fire by means of wireless messages and signaling. I like my work ever so much, for its asks that I shall always have my wits about me, very like the boxer, who though he is winning by ever so many points, has always to be on the lookout."

BOWLING

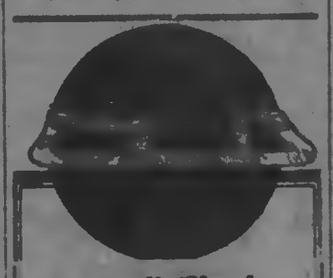
Great excitement was caused all day yesterday at the Water street alleys, where every one was trying to win a turkey in the bowling match. They started early in the morning and continued till the alleys were closed in the evening. High scores were being put on the board all day, only to be beaten by other bowlers. A visit to the alleys will satisfy any one the excitement this match is causing. Mr. Solomon went to the trouble to secure some very fine fowl for these matches and every prize is worth trying for. It is expected that this excitement will keep up all week, as every one that visits the alleys is out to win a turkey.

This week will wind up the league matches till after the New Year owing to the Christmas rush several of the players will not be able to attend the games. Therefore it was found necessary to cancel the remaining games till after the New Year.

LEFT HUNDRED MILLION

Will of John D. Archbold, Oil Magnate, Left One-Third to Widow.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—The will of John D. Archbold, the Standard Oil magnate, filed yesterday, leaves the home at Tarrytown and one-third of his estate, estimated at $100,000,000, to his widow, Mrs. Annie A. Archbold. The remainder of the estate is divided equally among the children, Mrs. Mary A. Van Buren, Annie M. Archbold, and John F. Archbold.



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New Schedule Is Arranged

Double Schedule Between Lindsay, Cobourg and Peterborough

Owing to the fact that Picton has dropped out of this district the intermediate schedule has been re-arranged as follows:

December 26—Lindsay at Cobourg.
December 29—Cobourg at Lindsay.
January 2—Lindsay at Peterboro'
January 5—Peterboro' at Lindsay
January 8—Cobourg at Peterboro'
January 12—Peterboro at Cobourg
January 16—Lindsay at Cobourg.
January 19—Cobourg at Lindsay.
January 23—Lindsay at Peterboro'
January 26—Peterboro' at Lindsay
January 30—Cobourg at Peterboro'
February 2—Peterboro' at Cobourg

MACE'S CORQUEROR DEAD.

For Forty Years He Was Model Saloonkeeper in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19. — Few who watched the modest funeral procession accompanying the body of John Miller to the cemetery knew that he was other than a man who for forty years had been a model saloonkeeper of Chicago. Yet, half a century ago, his name was known throughout the pugilistic world as the conqueror of the famous English prize fighter, Jem Mace. Dr. Robert Stewart, who attended Miller in his last illness, said:

"Miller became English champion by the defeat of Mace. The fight took place in France and attracted much attention. In it Miller lost the sight of one eye, for that was before the days of boxing gloves. In one of his many fights on British soil he broke his right forearm. I asked him if the fracture stopped the fight. No, he said, 'it just started it.'"

MILK PRODUCERS, BEWARE!

Effort to Increase Prices May be Violation of New Law.

OTTAWA, Dec. 19.—The Minister of Labour has notified the milk dealers of Sydney, N.S., that if they raise the price of milk from ten to twelve cents they will be liable to criminal prosecution for having combined to increase their price.

Hon. T. W. Crothers was asked to-day if he will also take action against Toronto and Hamilton milk producers over the raise to dealers. "The same case," said the Minister, "was called especially to my attention. We will deal with Toronto and Hamilton when we get around to it. Under the new legislation any agreement whatever between two or more, a body of men, or corporations, to increase the prices of any necessaries of life is a criminal offence within the meaning of the act."

MURDERERS' SACRIFICE.

Shorten Lives to Spare Relatives Agony at Christmas.

SING SING, Dec. 19.—Two youths, sentenced to be executed at Sing Sing prison this week, have voluntarily shortened their lives by at least three days that the grief of their relatives may be dulled as much as possible by Christmas.

They are Stanley J. Millstein, 19 years old, of Utica, who killed a policeman, and Charles Kumrow, 20, who killed a tugboat captain in Buffalo. They were to have been sent to the chair Friday or Saturday. The young men have requested that they be executed to-morrow. To this, it is said, the warden has assented.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE *Christmas Night at 8.15*

The Tiffany Films Corporation Presents
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With America's Divine Emotional Actress
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In the Role She Created and Made Famous.
—ALSO TWO OTHER SURPRISE REELS—
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We are showing neat gowns for men, were 4.50 to 6.50, now selling at ..... $3.95 & $4.95

Boy's O'Coat Special

Heavy tweed ulsters, ages 10 to 18, convertible, button back. Worth up to 8.50 for $6.45

Men's Overcoats

Young men's stylish short coats, broken lots. Worth up to 16.50 for .. $12.90

Better Cloths some sample coat in them latest styles Jellicoe and Canadian. Worth up to 20.00 for $15.90

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Ties....25c, 35c, 50c, 75c & $1.00
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Garters....25c & 50c
Scarfs....$1.00, $1.25 to $2.50
Men's Setts..50c 75c, 1.00 & $1.50
Gloves....$1.00, $1.50 & $2.00
Tie and H'd'kf Boxes...75c, $1, $1.25
Shirts....$1.00 to $5.00
Boy's Sweater Coat...$2.00 to $5.00
Boy's Jerseys & Sweaters...$1 to $2
Men's Sweater Coat..$2.50 to $6.00
Men's Sweaters....$2.00 to $2.50

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Wednesday Bargains

A fascinating list of beautiful merchandise that is sure to interest Christmas Shoppers, as every item mentioned is under priced for this one day only. There is a distinct advantage in being one of the early buyers.

LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS — Embroidered and hemstitched. Put up 2 in fancy box, to sell at 35c. To-morrow, special price, per box 29c

LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS IN FANCY BOXES—Extra nice quality. Hemstitched and embroidered. Put up 6 in box. All different designs for $1.25. Sale price, ... **Per Box of 6 for** 1.00

LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS IN FANCY BOXES—That are worth 25c each. All different embroidery designs. Hemstitched. 6 in box. Worth $1.20, for 75c

CHILDREN'S HANDKERCHIEFS — Put up in 3 to fancy box. Worth 35c, for 25c

LADIES' PARASOLS
A wide range of choice handles, with silk and linen and silk and wool tops, with taped edges. Also **Suit Case Parasols.** Special price range, ... $2.50 to 5.00

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Suit Case and ordinary style. Choice handles. Silk and linen tops, with tape edge. Price range, ... $2.00 to 5.00

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DUCKLING FLEECE LONG KIMONAS—Black, rose, and grey grounds, with mauve, blue, pink shades in floral designs. Reg. price $1.35. Sale price, each 98c

AN APRON OR TWO SHOULD BE ON YOUR GIFT LIST — A nice lot of Fancy Aprons on sale. They are embroidered and set in with lace and lace and scalloped edges. Reg 30c and 35c. Sale price, each 19c

EXTRA HEAVY WHITE FLANNELETTE—Soft finish. Has no dressing. Very fleecy. (A dollar's worth an excellent gift) Reg. 16c. Sale price, ... **8 Yards for** 1.00

HEAVY RIB CARDINAL AND CRIMSON HOSE—Also used for **Overstockings.** An extra good quality. (A good seasonable gift). Sizes 8 to 10. Reg. 75c & 85c, for, pair 59c

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CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR—A good chance for any Society or others that wish to supply children with warm underwear. We offer the 25c line for either garment 19c

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Wool Blankets and Cotton Filled Comforters

WHY NOT GIVE A COMFORTER? — Here is a beautiful Chintz-covered Comforter. The largest size, 72 x 72. Well filled. Would be warm and comfortable. Reg. price $2.75. Wednesday Special 2.29

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All at one price, per pair

BABY CRIB COMFORTERS — Well filled and covered with daintily designed silkoline. They come in two sizes—
34 x 48 ins. Regular price $1.50. Sale price ... $1.25
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2 ONLY EIDERDOWN COMFORTERS—We have many more, but we particularly mention these two. Beautiful designs. Back covered with sateen, with satin face of same design; framed with mauve satin. If not sold they go back to regular price of $12.50 each. Sale price 10.25

WARM WOOL COMFORTERS—Covered with daintily designed silkoline. (A delightful gift) Remember they are **Wool** filled. Two sizes—
60 x 72 ins. Regular $5.00. Sale price ... $4.25
72 x 72 ins. Regular $6.00. Sale price ... $5.00

36-INCH STRIPE PYJAMA FLANNELETTE—Soft fleecy quality. Good designs. Free from dressing. Regular price 25c. Sale price, ... **8 Yards for** 1.00

DAINTY BABY EMBROIDERY — Always a suitable gift. Several lines to choose from of very fine needlework designs. 22 to 27 inches wide. Regular price 90c and $1.00. Sale price, per yard 75c

Ready-To-Wear

CHILDREN'S WOOLLEN UNDERSKIRT & WAIST COMBINED — Heavy Rib Knitted Underskirt, with fine rib waist, with shoulder straps attached. Very warm. **An excellent Christmas Gift.** Grey, Cardinal, and Navy colours. Regular value $1.65. One Day Sale price 1.25

READ ABOUT THIS SEALETTE COAT BARGAIN—Not often you can get a bargain of one of the most popular coats of the season. But on Wednesday we will place on Sale this **Sealette Coat at $25.50, for just** ... 15.00

CHRISTMAS SILK BLOUSES — A new blouse reduced for Wednesday. A beautiful quality of Jap Wash Silk. Very latest collar. Cascade effect or without. This line sells at $2.50. One Day price 1.98

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Ready-To-Wear

CHILDREN'S QUILTED SILK KIMONAS—Just three, and here is a Christmas Bargain. Dresden design on white silk. Plain silk lining. Reg. price $6.50 & $7.00. To clear at, each 2.50

CHILDREN'S SWEATER COATS —Always a suitable gift. Take advantage of this bargain. They come in Cadet, Fawn, Khaki, etc. Regular price $1.25. ... One-Day Sale price ... 98c

LADIES' OR MISSES' SWEATER COATS — An excellent range to choose from, and we take one line in particular and place it on sale at a bargain. Come and see it. All wanted colours. Regular price $3.50. One Day price 2.98

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MURRAY STREET CHOIR.
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Mrs. Foster, 614 Union street, wishes to thank the Quaker Oats Co. for their sympathy and flowers, the Soldiers' Wives and Mothers' Club, Col. Ackerman for his kindness, and also her friends for sympathy shown in the death of her husband at the Quaker Oats disaster

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CARD OF THANKS.
The family, also Patrick Howley and family of the late Edward Howey, wish to thank their many friends for kindness and sympathy in their sad bereavement
Patrick Howley.
Dec., 1916.

WORKROOMS CLOSED.
The workrooms of the Women's Patriotic League of Ashburnham will be closed until the first Wednesday in January. Those desiring yarn may get it at Mrs. Graham's, 166 Hunter street. 2d-142

E. B. CLEGG & CO.
Furniture purchased now as gifts, will be held until Christmas week if desired. Dining room furniture on sale this week. Some handsome styles to choose from. A collection of colonial art craft and modern style buffets. See our show window. A fine example of the William and Mary style.

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NOTICE.
At a meeting of the Horse Shippers' Association, in Toronto, to-day, it was thought best, owing to prevailing prices, and in the interests of the farmers and dealers, that no member attend Fairs until after January 1st, 1917.—Chas. S. Mitchell, President.

HOSIERY. HOSIERY.
When buying your Christmas gifts don't forget to call on us. We have a complete line of ladies' and children's rib-hose, mittens, red overstockings, sweater coats, etc. Also a full line for men, and specialties for soldiers.—**Lavole Knitting Factory,** 89 Hunter Street, East of St. John's Church. 6d-140

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NOTICE.
Members of Peterborough Lodge, No. 111, I. O. O. F., are requested to attend the special meeting in the Oddfellows' Hall, George and Hunter streets, to-night (Tuesday) for the purpose of making arrangements for the funeral of our late Brother, E. Williamson.—W. H. Barry, N. G.

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CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT.
The Sunday School entertainment and Christmas tree of the Mark Street Methodist Sunday School will be held on Tuesday, Dec 26 instead of on Christmas night.

NO BAND PRACTICE.
Owing to a number of bandsmen being engaged at the rink and elsewhere there will be no practice of the 57th Regiment Band to-night or until after the New Year.

PORTABLE SAW MILL.
Mr. Michael Conway has secured a Portable Saw Mill and is placing it in Mr. T. Crough's woods, lot 4, Concession 7, Ennismore. He will be able to fill all customers' orders after the first week of January and will also have lumber and wood for sale. He will hire a number of men. 1d-1w-446

COOK BOOK.
The revised and enlarged edition of The Summer Fair Cook Book for sale at Bellegheim's, and Alexander and Miller's, at reduced prices, 25c. These make a useful Christmas gift. 4d-13-15-18-23

DENTAL.
Dr. McKenty, Dentist, 370 George Street, on the ground floor, first door north of Peterborough Hardware Company. Nitrous oxide and oxygen administered for painless operations. 26d-128

LONG HOURS FOR POLICE.
Regular and irregular duties, routine beat work and unusual court demands of one kind or another have kept some of the police officials a day and a half late out of bed recently.

Social and Personal

Mr. G. B. Hilliard, Lakefield, was a guest at the Oriental this morning.

Mr. Thompson Braden, Lakefield, was in the city this morning.

Mrs. R. R. Hall and Mrs. A. E. Coulthard were in Toronto yesterday.

Mrs. Ernest Clarkson, Toronto, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. D. J. Conroy for Christmas.

Mrs. (Col.) Chas. Ackerman, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Plummer in Toronto, returned home last night.

Mrs. T. F. Matthews and Mrs. A. H. Stratton sailed recently from England and are expected in the city for Christmas.

Mrs. C. G. Thompson, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Micke, has moved into her new home, 218 Wescott street.

Mrs. Perry and Mrs. M. Hartley will be the hostesses at the 'Christmas' tea to be given by the Kitchener Club at the Oriental tea room to-morrow.

Miss Helen MacLaren held a demonstration lesson of her musical kindergarten class yesterday afternoon at the Conservatory of Music. Musical games, which teach the theory of music were played, and the visitors expressed themselves much pleased and interested. Those taking part were Jean Gillman, Hazeldine Bishop, Letha Mason, Grant Gillespie and Archie Wilson.

Mr. C. N. Stevens of the local branch of the Bank of Montreal has been transferred to the Goderich branch of that bank.

Rev. Mr. Robbins, Rector of St. Adrian's Church, Young's Point, was in the city to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Merrifield and son of Chatham are spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. G. Stevens, 354 Rogers street. Mr. Merrifield will arrive in the city the latter part of the week.

Mrs. J. A. Robinson and little daughter are spending the Christmas holidays in Montreal.

Mr. C. N. Stevens of the Bank of Montreal, has been transferred to Goderich.

The Canadian Kitchener League will serve tea at the Oriental Tea Rooms, (Hunter Street, on Wednesday, December 20th, from 3 to 9 o'clock, p.m. Mrs. M. Hartley and Mrs. D. J. Perry will be hostesses. This will be a pleasant opportunity for the many Christmas shoppers to have a few moments rest and enjoy a good hot cup of tea. The Canadian Kitchener League are working for the boys in the trenches, and every one who partakes of a cup of tea in these bright and cheery rooms will be helping along the good work. Come and do your part. dd

Mr. W. B. Bamford, District Traffic Manager of the C.P.R., and formerly city ticket agent here, is in the city to-day.

Photographs taken this week finished for New Year's

Postals of the fire may be had at the Studio

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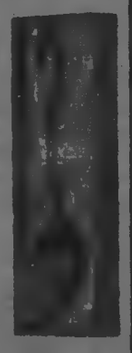
FOR THE BABY GIRL we suggest the gift of a Tea Spoon, and purchase ends Christmas to give the child one or more pieces of same pattern.



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ANNUAL CURLING EVENT ON JAN. 1st

The annual New Year's curling between the President and Vice-President has been scheduled for this year as follows:

9.30 A.M. DRAW.

President J. H. Ferguson vs. V. President W. D. Campbell.
T. Brightman vs. D. Davidson.
H. R. H. Kenner vs. J. E. A. Fitzgerald.
F. M. Dean Fosse vs. W. H. Denham.
G. H. Giroux vs. H. F. Foote.
A. W. Archibald vs. R. P. Bast.

2:30 P.M. DRAW.

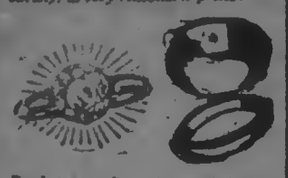
W. M. Laing vs. W. G. Morrow.
T. F. Matthews vs. W. G. Ferguson.
J. W. McDermid vs. Dr. Greer.
W. H. Taylor vs. R. Hicks.
R. M. Waddell vs. A. C. Kay.
R. G. Sturgeon vs. Dr. Wightman.

Mr. J. H. Ferguson, as President, and Mr. W. D. Campbell, Vice-President, head the respective groups.

BIRTH.
PATTERSON.—On Sunday, December 17, 1916 to Mr. and Mrs. H. Patterson, 495 King street, a son.

PRECIOUS STONES

Diamonds, Pearls, Emeralds, Rubbies — Loose Stones of rare quality and variety, at very reasonable prices: —



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WHAT 3 MONTHS WILL DO.

German Financial Agents in New York Make Prediction.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Leopold Zimmerman, head of the firm of Zimmerman & Forshay, personal representatives in this country of German Governmental financial institutions issued a statement, saying in part:

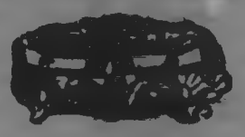
"The most delicate phase of the movement to end the war has been passed. The ice has been broken, and it but remains for the excitement of the situation to wear off, so that the conservative element may prevail. In well-informed circles, where leaders of European commerce prevail, preparations already are in the making in anticipation of an early peace. I think that by the end of ninety days the belligerents will be well on the way to agreement as to the terms of a lasting peace."

MISCHA ELMAN INJURED.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Mischa Elman, the violinist, was injured when a taxicab in which he was riding collided with a surface car. His scalp was cut in two places, necessitating twelve stitches. His arms were also severely bruised.

EXCLUSIVE GIFTS

In the past month we have received many articles of gift presentation that cannot be duplicated elsewhere such as



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UNITED STATES PROTESTS TO TURKEY

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—The United States protests to Turkey against starving British prisoners.

Italian Artillery Continues Active

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

ROME, Dec. 20.—Italian artillery continues active in the Trentino.

PROPOSALS NOT TAKEN SERIOUSLY

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, Dec. 20.— Premier Briand says that the Entente Allies will send a concerted reply to the Central Powers that it is impossible to take their peace proposal seriously.

ACTIVITY ON WESTERN FRONT

Examiner Special:

PARIS, Dec. 20.—Big artillery activity on the western front.

TWO HUNDRED MEN ENTOMBED

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—Two hundred men are entombed in an Indiana mine. Two known dead.

Peel Off Your Rough Skin

To remove roughness, chaps or any complexion difficulty, the first thing to do is to remove the skin itself. This is easily and harmlessly done by the application of ordinary mercolised wax. The wax peels off the defective outer skin, a little each day, gradually bringing the second layer of skin to view. The new skin is beautifully soft, clear, white and young looking. Just procure an ounce of mercolised wax at any drug store and use like cold cream.

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Royal Baking Powder is made from cream of tartar, derived from grapes—a natural food product, as contrasted with alum, derived from mineral sources, and used in the manufacture of some baking powders because it is cheaper.

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Germany May Divulge Her Peace Terms

Neutral Opinion is That Things Look Very Hopeful For a Peace Conference—Asquith Pledges Allegiance to Lloyd George Government

"PLAY THE GAME"

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Ultra secret diplomacy will be employed in the next big move of the peace game, officials here believe. Britain probably will be willing that her official answer to Germany, which is expected soon, shall be made public. Officials believe, but there is doubt that Germany, if she accepts the invitation to state her terms, will consent to immediate publicity. The main obstacle to peace as this government sees it, is whether Germany is ready to give "full reparations" as asked by England.

BERLIN, Dec. 20.— Germany will probably give Lloyd George her peace terms on condition that they are kept secret by the allied governments.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.— Neutral opinion is that things look very hopeful for a peace conference shortly.

PEACE TALK FORCED

LONDON, Dec. 20.—Asquith, in the Commons, says that Germany was forced to talk peace by military necessity. Asquith touchingly pledged allegiance to the Lloyd George government. Lloyd George told the Commons that the British people must make food sacrifices and "play the game" to win the war. Drastic laws are coming to cut down excessive profits. Lloyd George cables the Canadian people in gratitude for the assistance in the war.

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Appointment Foreshadows A Tightening of The Prohibition Screws

W. D. McPherson as Provincial Secretary of Ontario Will Have Charge of the Administration of the Liquor Laws of the Province—Hon. W. J. Hanna Remains as Minister Without Portfolio.

LIQUOR ADVERTISING BANNED

Special to The Examiner:

TORONTO, December 20.—W. D. McPherson will be the new Provincial Secretary, Hon. W. J. Hanna remaining Minister without portfolio. Premier Hearst has assumed portfolio of Agriculture, with Professor Creelman of the Ontario Agricultural College as Commissioner of Agriculture. A considerable tightening of the prohibition screws in Ontario is foreshadowed by the appointment of W. D. McPherson, K.C., to the post of Provincial Secretary of Ontario in the place of Hon. W. J. Hanna. This post carries with it the administration of the liquor laws of the province. It is expected that the Ontario Government will shortly introduce legislation prohibiting the publication of liquor advertising in Ontario newspapers. Mail order liquor houses located in New York and Michigan States, and in the Quebec Province have been occupying many columns in the newspapers lately, and the prohibitionists have complained to the Government that this does not help temperance in this "dry province" any. It is significant that the Mail and Empire, the chief Government organ in Ontario, this morning gives notice that it will carry no more liquor advertising. The World, also nominally Government supporting, does likewise. Both carry these notices in columns adjoining the announcement of McPherson's appointment.

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SPAIN WRINGS TERMS FROM THE GERMANS?

Safety From Subs. For Spanish Vessels Carrying Fruit is Said to Be Pledged—Supplies of Staples Hoarded, and Government Proposes to Get at Them.

FOOD PROBLEM AGAIN

MADRID, Spain, December 20.—The new Law of Substances, a measure which was first introduced by the Dato Government, has now at last been passed, and constitutes the most remarkable Act of its kind ever carried through the Spanish Cortes. Its object is to guarantee the food and well-being of the people during the war and to prevent the country's resources being exploited unfairly. It withdraws, temporarily, the customs dues on importations of food commodities of the first necessity, and primary materials, imposes transport taxes on the railroad companies, fixes the price of foodstuffs, and gives the Government power, in case of necessity, to requisition the merchant fleet, and to fix the price of coal. If it is necessary, the Government proposes eventually to requisition wheat and other foodstuffs.

FOOD SUPPLIES HOARDED.

The Ministers of Finance and Commerce express themselves as quite satisfied that there exist in many places in the country great stores of wheat and flour which are more than enough to guarantee the food of the population, and these will be discovered and utilized. At the last moment a new clause was inserted in the measure giving power to the Government to proceed on its own responsibility with the acquisition of every kind of product judged necessary to the national economy. This is aimed particularly at the monopolists of coal and corn. Ministers say that the new law will be most rigorously applied, and that the monopolists will be broken without mercy. It is further declared that the Government has it in view to forbid the exportation of iron, thereby acquiring a basis for international negotiations, having for their object to obtain by reciprocity the importation into Spain of certain other articles. The Senate passed the new law when it came from the Chamber, without discussion.

GERMANY TO RESTRAIN SUBS?

The German Ambassador, the Prince de Ratibor, has had a long interview with the Minister of Public Works, Senor Gasset, on the various questions that have been raised in respect of Spanish navigation and exportation, and the interference of German submarines, and the result is that it is announced that Germany will give safe conducts to Spanish ships sailing to England with cargoes of fruit. The ship-owners, however, are skeptical about the value of these safe conducts and the press generally also. It is said that they ought to apply to ships carrying cereals also, and that on the other hand, it is injurious to the moral dignity of Spain to take seriously the propositions of the German Government

Agricultural Meeting Held in Lakefield

A meeting of the West Peterborough Board of Agriculture was held in Lakefield Monday evening. Members and friends prominent in the work of Farmers' Institutes throughout the County, were present. Among the speakers was Miss M. V. Powell of Whitby, Mr. H. Grose, a prominent agriculturist of Simcoe County, and Mr. F. C. McRae, district representative. Mr. J. A. McGregor is president of the Board, while Mr. Allan B. Mann fills the dual position of secretary-treasurer.

Miss Powell spoke of the work accomplished by the Women's Institutes, and the necessity of providing for the physical development of the children. The quarter of a million children in the public schools who never attend a higher institution of learning must be given every opportunity.

Mr. Grose dealt with the question of seeds and ways and means of testing them. The large kernels should be sown and the smaller ones fed. The value of the latter for feed exceeds that of the other, so nothing is lost by adopting this method.

Testing Seed.

Mr. Grose's method of testing the seed is to place about three inches of sawdust in a box, cover this with a cotton cloth, mark the space off into four squares, plant 100 seeds in each, cover that with another layer of cloth, add a few more inches of sawdust and keep the whole moist and in a summer temperature near the stove. At the end of eight days examine the seed and count the percentage that has germinated.

Mr. McRae in his tests uses light blow sand instead of sawdust and plants the seed in this. When the seed has grown it is easy to count the sprouts that come through. The idea is that grain that will germinate in blow sand will grow in any variety of soil.

The Deadly Sow Thistle.

The greatest weed enemy that the Ontario farmer has to fear to-day is the deadly sow thistle which is in evidence all over the province. Experience has shown that there is only one sure way to kill it, and that is the old-fashioned summer-fallow. The pest should never be allowed to get a start from the time the ground is first plowed in the spring until it is seeded in the fall. All other farm work must be made to take second place to that of fighting this weed. A hoe crop is one means of overcoming it, but this plan is no longer feasible on account of the scarcity of labour.

REACTION IN THE WHEAT MARKET

Prices Declined Rapidly Towards the Close—The Cattle Markets

Cash wheat situation is strong. Manitoba going up 2c and Ontario 4c. The speculative markets acted very strong at the opening, going up with a rush and gaining 6c to 7c on the December and May options. Anticipation that Lloyd George would reject peace proposals gave strength to the market. Suddenly and towards the close a violent reaction set in and prices declined as rapidly as they had been going up. It was said that Lloyd George had left the way open for negotiations.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern $1.92, track, bay ports. No. 2, $1.89 1-2; No. 3, $1.84. No. 4 $1.72; old crop 4c above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W. 66 3-4c.

American corn—No. 2 nominal. No. 3, new, none offering to embargo.

Subject to embargo, track, Toronto.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white 69c to 62c; No. 3 white, 59c to 61c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1.64 to $1.66. No. 3 $1.62 to $1.64.

Peas—No. 2 nominal, car lots $2.40.

Barley—Good milling, $1.16 to $1.18; feed barley nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal $1.25.

Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal, No. 2, new, $1.34 to $1.35.

Manitoba flour—First patents in jute bags, $9.20; second patents in jute, $8.80, strong bakers, in jute $8.50, Toronto.

Ontario flour—New winter, $6.90 to $7 in bags track Toronto, prompt shipment.

Millfeed—Car lots delivered Montreal, shorts $37, bran $33, feed flour, per bag $2.80, middlings $39 to $40.

Hay—Baled, No. 1 track Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots $12 to $13. No. 2 $9 to $10, straw $7 to $8 No.

CATTLE MARKETS

Union Stock Yards—Receipts 44 cars with 800 cattle, 75 calves, 870 hogs, 275 sheep and lambs.

Latest quotations:

Heavy steers, choice	$8 85	to $9 10
Choice butcher	8 25	8 50
do good	7 75	8 00
do medium	6 75	7 00
do common	6 00	6 25
Heifers, good to choice	7 00	7 35
do medium	6 25	6 75
Butcher cows, choice	6 25	7 00
do medium	5 75	6 25
Butcher bulls, choice	6 25	7 00
do good	6 00	6 50
do medium	5 00	5 50
Feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs	6 50	6 75
do bulls	5 25	5 75
Stockers, 700 to 800 lbs	5 50	6 75
do med. 650 to 750 lbs	5 50	6 00
do light 600 to 650 lbs	5 00	5 75
Canners	4 00	4 00
Cutters	4 50	5 25
Sheep, light	8 50	9 50
do heavy	7 50	8 50
Spring lambs	10 75	13 00
Calves	8 00	12 50
Hogs, fed and watered	12 00	.....
do weighed off cars	12 25	.....
do f.o.b.	11 15	.....

A WONDER WORKER.

"It heals like magic!" is a favorite expression when Dr. Chase's Ointment is used. It works quickly stops all itching at once, often heals in a single night. For eczema, salt rheum, barber's itch or other skin irritations or eruptions, it is a most satisfactory treatment. Being antiseptic it prevents blood poisoning.

Two Norwegian Steamers Torpedoed

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec. 20.—Two more Norwegian steamers torpedoed.

NO FANCY MEALS TO OFFICERS

Strict Orders Issued for the Canadians in England.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The Canadian command have been notified that officers must strictly comply with the new orders regarding the cost of living when on duty or leave in Lofoden district. These orders provide the following maximum prices for meals: Luncheon 3s. 6d., tea, 1s. 6d.; dinner, 5s. 6d., coffee, sixpence. These figures are exclusive of liquors, but include table money.

It is also intimated that uniforms must be worn at all times except when dining in private houses, service club, or club of 25 years' standing. No officer may dance in any public place or club.

BELGIANS ESCAPE IN BARRELS.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 19.—Mrs. M. C. Hennenway, who has brought a collection of Dutch paintings here from Paris for exhibition, says a great many Belgians have escaped over the border to Holland by getting into dry wooden flour barrels and rolling under the electrified cable which the Germans have installed along the front. The barrels came from Minneapolis, having been sent by the Belgian relief organizations.

Grape-Fruit, Sunkist Oranges, Extra Fine Lemons, Malaga Grapes — Pineapple, California Pears, Canadian Apples, C.Cod Cranberries

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NEW FRUITS.

Malaga Grapes	Oranges
Grape Fruit	Lemons
Table Raisins	Bananas
Pineapples	Apples
Pomegranates	Cranberries
Figs and Dates	Prunes, etc.

NEW NUTS

Shelled Walnuts	Brazils
Shelled Almonds	Pecans
Peanuts	Filberts

TABLE DAINTIES

Preserved Fruits	Catsup
Roquefort Cheese	Allan's Cider
Old Cheese	Extra Olives
Clover Honey	Marmalade
Canned Goods	Sweet Pickles

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Loader & Co. have just received a Large Holiday Shipment. Come and see the Special Display and prices for Christmas.

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FARE and ONE-THIRD—Dec. 21, 22, 23, 24, good for return until Dec 27th; also Dec. 28, 29, 30 and 31st, 1916, valid for return until Jan. 3rd, 1917.

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Railway Time Tables

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
CORRECTED JUNE 6, 1916.

7.00 a.m.—For Lakefield.
8.10 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg and points east, connecting at Port Hope for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 11.45 a.m.
9.25 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
9.30 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
11.40 a.m.—Mid-day express for Toronto, reaching Toronto at 3.15 p.m.
12.20 p.m.—For Lakefield.
1.30 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
1.30 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
5.35 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
9.00 p.m.—For Lakefield.
6.55 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
9.05 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Boston.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
CORRECTED JUNE 5, 1916.

*10.30 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*12.12 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N.B., Boston, and New York.
*1.30 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, and Ottawa.
**11.27 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and intermediate points, and all points east of Montreal.

GOING WEST—
*7.50 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Galt, Woodstock, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*8.45 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
*7.35 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York. Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
*2.15 p.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port McNichol and intermediate points.
*3.43 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Buffalo, New York, Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, London, Detroit and Chicago.
*9.35 p.m.—North Toronto and West Toronto and intermediate points.
*Daily. **Daily except Sunday.

"DESTINY"

By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday)

"Father only plays in amiable little games for the sake of charity, Aunt Hannah," Hamilton smiled indulgently as he enlightened her. "You could hardly call it gambling. It's gambling there is an element of chance. Father merely contributes."

The old lady shook her head. "This town ain't much different from Tyre and Sidon and Babylon, so far as I can see," she mournfully asserted.

They were said to be live towns in their day," he admitted.

Then for the rest of the spare hour he chatted with her and teased her solemnity into laughter, and before he left, because she asked it and complained that his eyes were poor, he read to her a chapter from the New Testament and kissed her good-night. Ten minutes later he was in his own library and was directing that two gentlemen, whom he was expecting, be ushered there to talk business.

The two were alike only in that each had a versatile and executive brain. One was elderly and stout, and though two decades of established success had polished his original crudity into a certain dignity, there smoldered in his eyes the darting shiftiness of glance that had settled there in days when his one asset was an almost diabolical cleverness as a criminal lawyer.

An old trick of badgering witnesses with a brow beating stare from half-closed lids clung unpleasantly to him, discounting his acquired distinction of bearing. This was Isaac Ruferton, of the firm of Ruferton & Willow. From criminal lawyer to corporation-scourge and from corporation-scourge to corporation counsel are logical stages of development. "From clients who need, and can pay for, a mind of unusual resource, as formerly from vagabonds in police court cages, he earned what he was paid.

The second visitor was younger. Mr. Tarring was also a Socialist in ideas and from his confidence of bearing one seemed to derive a snap of electric energy. In many ways Hamilton Burton found him serviceable, and on the smaller scale of his delegated inspections he operated as Hamilton himself did along the broader front; with dash, determination and the belief that nothing is impossible.

"Gentlemen," began Burton crisply, when the three were seated, "I sent for you this evening to outline a simple matter—but one calling for a nicety of execution. It can neither afford delay nor premature undertaking. It must be done at this instant. When the stock holders' meeting of Coal and Ore is called to order I must be in a position to assume control."

Tarring leaned forward in his chair and fixed his gaze on a bronze statuette. This casual announcement meant nothing less than a making over of a map, the map of High Finance. Ruferton was never surprised. He twirled his shell-rimmed glasses at the end of their broad tape and nodded. "And you find yourself at this juncture short of just the requisite balance—though you know where it is held?" Mr. Ruferton always made a point of anticipating his client's next statement—if possible. It was a small thing but at times valuable. It indicated that he was keeping not only abreast but a step ahead of what was being told him. Hamilton smiled.

"I still need a block held by Henry of the Deposit Savings and a block held by Farley of the Metallic National. These gentlemen think they won't turn loose. To see that they do so is Tarring's work. It must be accomplished by to-morrow evening."

Tarring said nothing. Under his imperturbable gnise he found himself stunned.

Burton turned to the attorney. "You know G. K. Hendricks?"

Mr. Ruterton's answer followed the question with no margin of a pause. "State senator for three terms. At present candidate for the appellate bench: Tammany's choice. Was very valuable when the charter for Coal and Ore was before the assembly. Has increased his stockholdings since he acquired his first block as—as the reward of merit."

For an instant Hamilton Burton eyed the lawyer keenly.

"I must also have his proxy by to-morrow evening. That Ruferton, is your work?"

"Then you did not know that Hendricks is upstate? He is out on his farm on a narrow-gage branch that runs a train a day from Barry Spa. You are cutting it fine, Mr. Burton, too fine, perhaps."

The announcement brought to the eyes of the planning strategist a nonplused shadow but it lingered briefly.

"I have already told you that the moment had to be precisely timed. Hendricks might run to Malone if given a chance of leisure. You can go home and change your evening clothes. Meantime I shall arrange for a special train. Your instructions are to get that stock or the proxy. If you can't handle him bring him to me; have him in this room at this hour to-morrow evening."

"Mr. Burton," he said slowly, "I am where I am in life because I have been willing to undertake various things at various times. Other men would have shied at some of them and even I have my limits. Will you suggest to me how I am, within 24 hours to travel 20 hours by train and compell an unwilling man to deliver, merely because you order it, stock which he has no wish to sell?"

Burton's answer rose to anger as he spoke. "If you can't trade with him—and I have given you carte blanche—I have already told you to bring him here. I'll do the rest."

"In God's name, how? Can I drag him out of his own house and load him like a trussed pig in a railway car?"

"The details are up to you. You are supposed to be a clever lawyer. The man is in a political campaign and you know enough of his record to give weight to your suggestions. You say he doesn't want to sell—make him want to! My plans are rather too large to admit of 'buts' and 'ifs.' Presumably I employ men who can override them."

Ruferton continued to stare blankly. "But—surely—"

Hamilton had already turned to Tarring and he wheeled with a snap in his voice.

"Ruferton," he exclaimed, "in a moment more you will irritate me. I said get his Coal and Ore, or get him. I don't care a continental how you do it. Tell him, if you like that all Tammany can't boost him on to the appellate bench if I go after him. If you prefer, gag him and drag him here. Do what you like except waste time by gaping at me. Succeed and name your reward. Fail and—" Hamilton Burton shrugged his shoulders.

Slowly a light crept into the reserveless eyes of Mr. Ruferton, driving out the vacuity. The matter by its very desperateness began to appeal to him and already a formula of campaign was shaping itself in his constructive mind. This extraordinary man's hypnotic dominance of personality had carried other audacious days and now it swept the lawyer with its tide of confidence. Mr. Ruferton became at once the man who recognizes the value of seconds and minutes. "I will be here to-morrow evening at this hour," he categorically announced.

And I shall bring with me a proxy or a senator or his remains. Kindly arrange for my train. I go direct to the Grand Central."

Hamilton Burton smiled at the door through which his emissary had departed.

"He made so much furore about it, as though I had required him to do something really difficult," he commented to the lieutenant who still awaited his orders. "Now for your part. . . . The Metallic National and the Deposit Savings." Between sentences he picked up the desk telephone and called a private number.

"I want to talk to Mr. Carter. . . . Not at home! Where is he? Doesn't want to be disturbed—he's got to be. Yes, this is Hamilton Burton. At the opera you say? Thank you."

The snap at the receiver under his finger was abrupt and decisive as he again called central, and while he waited he talked to Tarring.

"What funds have we in those bankers? Hello! I want Bryant 1146. yes, the Metropolitan Opera. Hello! Please have Mr. Carter brought from his box to the phone. This is Hamilton Burton talking. . . a matter that can't wait. . . Tarring, I must have the stock those banks hold. You must have them here to-morrow night. Hello, is that you Carter? I need a special train for Barry Spa in thirty minutes and another to meet it there for Lake Mosac."

There was a moment's silence, then Burton's voice came with violent explosiveness.

"Impossible! It seems that every man I talk to prates vacantly about impossibilities. Damn it, when I need a train I need a train. . . . You understand me, don't you Carter?"

Again there was the interruption of the voice at the farther end. As Burton listened his eyes kindled afresh under blackly drawn brows, but when he spoke it was in a clear and cold voice, more unpleasant to hear than a tirade of passion.

"To hell with explanations, Carter! I want action. Do I get my train? You are burning time. . . . Kindly listen, because I mean this to the last syllable. . . Unless you can achieve this highly impossible matter of accommodation," suddenly the voice leaped to a higher scale and shot out its ultimatum like canister—"I will throw you out of the presidency and the damned road-bed into the river inal plan of procedure."

and the shops into the junk heap. All right, please hurry." He clapped down the receiver, then resumed his second thread of thought as if there had been no interruption.

"I want those bankers here. That is your job, Tarring. They need know only that it is of vital importance, and that our meeting must be attended with the strictest confidence. Intimate that my object is the averting of ruinous runs which must follow—unless we stop them—and worse disasters."

Tarring rose. His task, as compared with the other that he had been assigned, appeared to be easy. "Shall I come with them?" he inquired.

Burton nodded. "You are a notary. It may be necessary for you to take acknowledgements."

(To be continued.)

OPPOSES NEW MINISTER.

VANCOUVER, B.C., Dec. 19.—Donald S. McTaggart, a barrister, and a leading Vancouver Liberal, will be nominated on Saturday in the by-election in which the Hon. M. A. Macdonald, new Attorney-General, is seeking return. There will be no Conservative in the field, the Opposition supporting Mr. McTaggart, who is being nominated by the 'purity squad' of the Liberal party.

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Bill Providing for Settlement to Feature Coming Session.

OTTAWA, Dec. 14.—A bill providing for settlement on returned soldiers of Dominion lands will be one of the principal measures to be submitted by the Government in the coming session of Parliament. It has been under consideration by a committee consisting of Sir Thomas White, Sir James Lougheed, Hon. Dr. Roche, Hon. Robert Rogers and Hon. T. W. Crothers.

The legislation will provide for free grants of lands in selected districts, and will, if necessary, from the Dominion, in settling upon the land veterans whose occupations before the war was farming or who could qualify after a course of training for such a career.

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AMID RAIN OF SHELLS

Praise For Red Cross—One Canadian's Fine Luck

Driver Charlie Bertrand, of Ottawa, "somewhere in France" with an ammunition column, wrote a snappy descriptive letter to his mother, voicing praise of the splendid work done by the Red Cross Society. His letter in part reads: "I have had some pretty close calls. On one occasion a shell dropped within one yard of me but fortunately it was a dead one, which is not unusual. Of course we wear steel helmets for the shrapnel and it is not nice when the shells are flying about you and sometimes bury you in earth and mud. The roads are very bad here owing to the heavy rains, and as there are no paths or sidewalks it means wet feet every night.

"I will tell you what it is like out here. Not a wall or tree standing; not two bricks together—just a scene of destruction. On good roads we use four teams of horses to a wagon and I have seen seven teams hardly able to move it and into a shell hole about fifteen feet deep we go. There is no way out but to take off all our ammunition and pile it on the road before we can rescue the wagon and then reload again.

"I have seen poor wounded soldiers carrying worse wounded comrades to the dressing stations. I can tell you it takes a man, and a good one, to do that. I cannot write in too great praise of the Red Cross for they do great work in fixing the poor fellows up."

An exempted man who had failed to attend his volunteer drills was sent into the army at once at Wiesbaden, Ems.

THEIR HERO FATHER

How a Twenty-four-year-old Canadian Thought of "Kiddies"

Pathetic indeed, in the knowledge that the young soldier lies in a hero's grave, somewhere in France, is one of the last letters written home to his wife by Private Nelson John Lachance, aged 24, who, while serving with a distinguished Ottawa battalion, was killed in action. Roughly pencilled in the trenches, it was a cheery, brave letter, the uppermost thought in the writer's mind being the health and well-being of his wife and two kiddies, Nelson and Alice, at home. Near the end of the letter, Pte. Lachance asked this: "Does Nelson still think of his daddy, though I know he is kind of young to remember?" He added, "But, Irene, kiss them both for me, and don't forget your Nelson every night, for I want to be with you again soon."

Another part of the letter is as follows: "We have just come out of the trenches. I will call them trenches, but it would not be hard to give them a much more suitable name. It is hard to describe what they are like. Our own parapet has been blown in several times and the shells did everything but hit our sentry group. We were almost buried with earth several times. We had been in four days and came out for 24 hours' rest. We went in again and stayed 24 hours."

CRUEL VON BISSING

Belgium's Hard Master Had Reputation Even Among Prussians

An Englishman writes: Von Bissing, the Slavemaster of Belgium, was notorious in the German army for years before the war as a cruel martinet. He had been in retirement for some time before 1914—in consequence of cavalier treatment of the Kaiser on a certain occasion—but he was considered the right man to bully the Belgians because of his reputation for brutality in Germany.

No man, of course, was so directly responsible for the murder of Nurse Cavell as Bissing, and Huns at home may rest assured that no one could have carried out the deportation outrage more ruthlessly than he.

The enslavement of poor Belgium's men is, I suppose, in furtherance of Governor-General von Bissing's oft-proclaimed ambition to rule the conquered kingdom by "love."

Plea For Alien Patriots

Mr. W. C. Johnson gave notice to move at the meeting of the London County Council an instruction to the Stores and Contracts Committee not to exclude from the list of firms invited to tender the name of G. Schultz and Co. His motion was based on the fact that the two sons of the principal of the firm (who had been naturalised 30 years) had been killed while fighting with the British army in France. The same treatment was asked for the firm of J. H. Nagel and Co., the two partners and sole proprietors of which were serving in the British army.

SERBIAN RHAPSODY

A special edition of the official Serbian newspaper, Srpski Novine, announced the recapture of Monastir in these words: "Beneath the formidable blow of our armies from the east and from the allied armies from the south on November 19, at eight o'clock in the morning on the holiday of Sunday, Monastir, the star of Macedonia, our beautiful Serbian Monastir, welcomed once more the sun of liberty, which will never set again. Our good old King has once again set the diamond of Monastir in his crown. The young Crown Prince of Great Serbia has once more met with glorious success, and a crown of laurels has fallen on the brows of the sons of our veteran soldiers."

Hockey Star and Officer

Better known as Howard, one of the three famous hockey brothers and the bigger of the famous "Dynamite Twins," this powerful athlete became captain in the 228th Overseas Battalion, Northern Fusiliers, which was raised in the Cobalt and Sudbury districts. He was a defence player in the N.H.A. for years.

Woolwich Had Young V.C.

Private F. J. Edwards, one of the English V.C.'s, was twenty-one years old, and was, before the war, engaged in the catering department of the Western Electric Works, North Woolwich. He joined the Middlesex Regiment shortly after the outbreak of war, following the example of his father and step-father, who were both old soldiers. The official account says Edwards, at a critical moment, dashed out alone towards a German gun and knocked it out with bombs.

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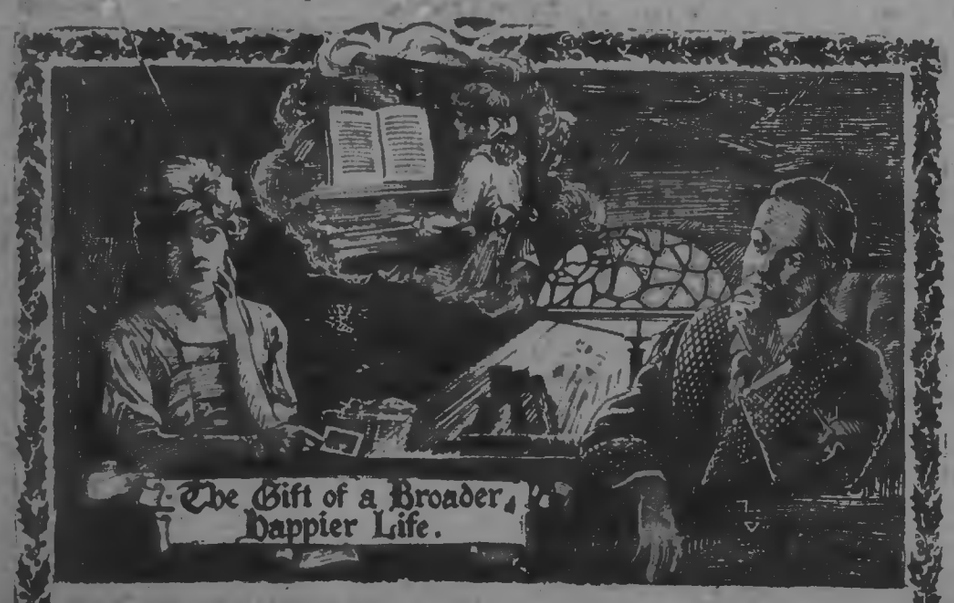

WE sat together in the dusk, planning for the child. Christmas and the gift were in our minds.

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RAZOR FOR BAYONET; HEROES LEARN TRADES

How Canada Cares For Her Disabled Soldiers—A New Chance For Every Defender

A corner of the cobblers' room in one of Canada's military convalescent hospitals has been turned into a barber's shop. The barber, of course, is a soldier, but, unable to fight, he has exchanged the bayonet for the razor. The cobblers, too, are soldiers in the same situation, who have exchanged the rifle and bomb for the hammer and last.

That busy room, with cobblers and barber side by side, is a good illustration of the astonishing variety of methods employed by the Military Hospitals Commission, to equip Canada's disabled defenders for active service in the field of peaceful industry when forced to quit the field of battle. If a man is found unsuitable for one occupation, there is always another to try; and one of the main objects of the Commission is to discover what each man is suited for.

Self-Help

The barber was a difficult man to suit; but he was suited at last. The records does not state the number of fresh wounds inflicted on his wounded comrades by his preliminary operations; but they cannot have been very serious, for his chair became quite a popular resort. It is a self-supporting business, too. The chair and mirror were loaned by a patriotic firm; but the other requisites of the trade are paid for by the soldiers' five-cent shaves.

It is also an educational institution, this barber's corner, like the rest of the room. Ex-soldiers learn to shave the faces and cut the hair of their fellow-citizens as they learn to mend their shoes, or to act as carpenters and metal workers, draughtsmen and typewriters, bookkeepers and beekeepers, gardeners and engineers.

Need New Trades

A few, quite unfitted for their old trades, will need special training for new occupations, and will receive it freely, as well as money allowances for their families' support while they are being trained. But nearly every man is able to earn a good living when he comes out of the convalescent hospital. It remains for his fortunate fellow-countrymen, for whom he offered his life, to see that he always gets the work he is best able to do.

Prussian Means "Spy"

Spying is just as essential an ingredient of Prussian character as conceit, indifference to the feelings of others, jealousy, envy, self-satisfaction, industry, inquisitiveness, cruelty, veneration for officialdom, initiativeness, materialism, and the other national attributes that will occur to those who know Prussia, as distinct from the other German States.

It was in the Manchurian campaign of 1905 that wireless telegraphy was first used in warfare. At this date it was used by the Russian army.

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SELF-SUFFICING EMPIRE

Canada's Minerals Vital in War and Peace, is Expert's Argument

Mr. Arthur A. Cole, President of the Canadian Mining Institute, addressed a Toronto audience on Canada's mineral wealth and war. Besides the world's greatest nickel deposits at Sudbury, he said Canada had also one of the richest silver camps in the world at Cobalt, and the most promising of the younger gold camps on the continent at Porcupine. Our smelters at Deloro and Theroid produce more refined cobalt than all the other refineries in the world put together. With such a magnificent heritage Canadians would be very delinquent in their duty if they did not give the mineral industry the careful attention it deserves. Heretofore there had been too little co-operation between miner and manufacturer, and the lack of organization became apparent when war broke out.

A special committee of the Canadian Mining Institute had been studying the mineral and metal industries of Canada to learn to what extent Canada can supply the requirements of the Empire in order to make it self-supporting and independent of outside sources, and also how to utilize the natural resources of Canada more in building up home industries. We are now exporting much raw material which should be manufactured here, and also importing supplies which we might produce. The speaker appealed to the general public to study industrial problems so as to assist in their solution. Most of the $7,000,000 annually spent in running the Cobalt mines eventually finds its way to Toronto. Northern Ontario will soon be producing $20,000,000 in gold and silver annually, and there are better chances of locating valuable mineral deposits there than in any other country in the world

From All Over Canada

The 244th Battalion, Kitchener's Own, got many men from all over the Dominion—men anxious to be associated with a battalion bearing the name of the great man who brought an army into being. Over one week-end, Kitchener's own enrolled two men from Saskatchewan — Lindsay Caldeck, from Drake, and Harold Cole, from Tribune. The battalion also enrolled Joseph Delanchrey, of Newfoundland, whose brother was killed in the war, while Frank Ernest Caldecot, of Cambridge, Eng., joined up for the same reason. Kenneth McKay, a recruit from Marmora, Que., served through the South African War, gaining the Queen's and King's Medals with clasps.

St. Pancras Boy Scouts have been inspected by Kyrles Orion Thomopulos, scoutmaster of the Athens Boy Scouts.

In three months 264,480 books and magazines were supplied to sick and [illegible] through the Red Cross War Library.

CHEATING HERR PASTOR

German Government Cleverly Feeds His Hate of England

Although the social position of the pastor in a German village is less than that of a minor Government official, yet he and his wife wield a considerable influence. The leading pastors receive each week many of the Government propaganda documents, including a digest carefully prepared for them by the Foreign Press Department. What purport to be extracts from the London newspapers are in genious distortions. Sometimes a portion of an article is reprinted with the omission of context which entirely alters its meaning. The recipients of this carefully prepared sheet believe implicitly in its authenticity. Any chance remark of a political nobody in the British House of Commons that seems favorable to Germany is quoted extensively

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Where Santa Claus Gets his Dolls

It hardly seems fair to give away this secret on the old, chubby, red-cheeked chap who made our youthful days happy and sad in turn, but, in the face of the European war and the closing of the great toy shops in Germany, Santa Claus has been hard put to find help in making dolls for the ever increasing population and, perhaps, since he has found the needed aid in America, he won't mind if America tells on him—just this once.

There was a time when he made all his dolls in his workshop at the North Pole and delivered them personally on Christmas morning, but of late years age has handicapped him and this, plus the increase in demand, has caused him to flash an "S O S" signal to the world at large. To this call, as in every other instance, America was first to reply, and replied with a vim.

If the little girl at home asked that Santa bring her a doll for Christmas, all other things being equal, she got the doll. Mother went to the shop where the prices best fitted her pocketbook and bought the doll. It's an even wager that she never did stop to consider where Santa got this doll or anything about the workers who pass all days of the year, save Sundays, making them. Heretofore this country and, I believe, every other country, looked to Germany as the chief auxiliary to Santa in the doll making industry, but right now America is putting on the market just about the best thing in the way of dolls that has ever been produced.

America has always made dolls, but they were the stuffed body type of doll with the glue composition head; the doll which, if the young "mother" in a rage, threw across the room, lost half a head or an ear or two, or spilled tons of sawdust on the nice clean carpet. From Nuremberg came the doll made of papier mache, with the fully formed body and held together by glue. Left in the rain, the Nuremberg dolly fell apart.

Christmas this year would have been a sad one for many little girls had not the ever ready genius of the American come to their aid and produced a doll which not only defies bad temper but bad weather as well. A visit to a number of fine toy shops in our big cities showed me that there is a scarcity of dolls. I asked about the American doll manufacturers and how they compared with the German manufacturers and was told that since the great import trade in dolls has been cut almost to nothing an American firm has jumped into the breach and not only pulled Santa Claus out of a hole, but has produced a doll that is marvelled.

New York is where Santa Claus gets not all of his dolls but his best dolls. There you will find a complete monopoly in the newest sort of doll and a shop that has no equal in this country. There are thousands of interesting facts in connection with the manufacture of the American doll and it would take a volume to give the complete history of one doll from the time it is a mass of pulp until, dressed, it is placed in the shop window for sale. Six days are required in all to make a doll. In that time it has gone through a dozen different processes and has been handled by a score of workers. It is safe to assert that no doll receives the careful attention after leaving the shop that it receives during the process of manufacturing. Did you know that the doll must go to the oculist, the manicurist, the chiropodist and the hair dresser before the official O. K. is placed on her appearance? It's true.

In going through the workshop we first see the doll in the form of a brown substance which does not look unlike brown sugar. The composition is a secret in this particular case and is called a wood-flour composition. A press containing moulds under which there is a steady gas flame is close by the barrels of composition, and the workmen every six minutes fill a mould and bake it. The moulds make half a body, half a leg or half an arm in just six minutes. When the half a leg leaves the press it is a very rugged looking specimen and when it is placed with the other half does not resemble a leg. From the press the two parts go to the glue pot, where a glue composition fastens them together in such a manner that it is almost impossible to get them apart.

Next comes the butter. After the glue has been given time to dry and set the leg looks like, and begins to take off the rough edges with the buffing wheel. It is rather a difficult task to grind off all the excess material and leave a perfectly formed limb, but all the workmen in the shop are skilled in their line and they perform their labor mechanically. I was informed that very little material is wasted and that there are but few moulds. Once the leg is smooth and in shape a dipping process follows. A white composition which resembles whitewash in appearance is spread over the surface and allowed to dry. This operation finished, the leg is ready for another coating, which is the skin color.

Nothing Poisonous in Composition.

I inquired as to the chemicals contained in the several solutions and asked whether or not the ingredients might not cause trouble if the thoughtless child decided to nibble on the hand or foot. I was told that in all the solutions there was practically nothing that could not be eaten.

The leg of the doll finished, the least of the work has been done. The feet are separate parts and so are the hands. You see, this doll must be able to point in any direction without moving the whole arm and must be able to assume any terpsichorean pose.

Hands and feet are made in moulds. This also is a delicate task. How many dolls have you seen that were minus a few fingers or toes? A solid composition must be had that is not too brittle. To a certain extent this problem has been solved, and the little hand, perfect to the last finger nail, may be tossed around by the child with a certain amount of safety. The assembling of the leg with the knee joint and the separate foot, joined at the ankle, is the work of another department and must be done with accuracy and [illegible] the doll will not stand up. [illegible] are the [illegible] that they do not [illegible] to keep up their [illegible] of several months.

The body, or torso, is done by the [illegible] and it is turned out to appeal

MAKING DOLLS.

Upper Left:—The Barber.
Upper Right:—The Oculist.
Lower Left:—A Touch of Old Nuremberg.
Lower Right:—Making the Hands.
Centre:—Waiting for Santa.

Photographs by N. Y. H. Service.

mately six minutes. As with all the other parts, the torso is whitened and smoothed before it is given the dip in flesh color. As a matter of fact, the whole doll when assembled, with the exception of the head, has received two dippings in the [illegible] very much like a young turkey as it hangs suspended on the drying rack. The most delicate work in connection with building a doll is, of course, the forging and care of the head. The doll must be pretty. There was a time when the ringlet was just as much beloved as any other top, but the little lady of today wants the pretty dolly and insists on a particular color hair for her doll. All these things have to be taken into consideration by the manufacturer.

Before we discuss the head, which means the placing of the wonderful moving eyes and the moving tongue and the [illegible] let us go to the manicure parlor and watch a young woman put the doll's finger nails into condition. They must have the real red tinge of the human nail and must look polished. This is work for an artist and there is an artist there to do it. After carefully scraping the place where the nail should be, the surface is glossed. Of course there isn't any nail, but when the manicurist gets through with the little hand it looks as though there was.

A little touch of color, the lightest tinting in, gives the pink appearance and when this is greased over you have the perfect finish. This operation must be performed on ten tiny fingers, and it also goes more or less, for ten tiny toes.

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OUR DAILY SHORT STORY

Parson Frake's Donation

And He Took the Bishop's Advice.

By CLARISSA MACKIE

When Arthur Frake was graduated from the theological seminary before taking his departure he called on the bishop to take leave of him and thank him for various acts of kindness the good old man had favored him with during his period of study.

"Well, my boy," said the bishop, "going out to service in the Lord's vineyard, eh? Sit down. I have a few words to say to you on one subject, and one subject only. You've got all the theology you need in the seminary. It isn't that which I wish to speak to you about. It isn't anything concerning the methods you should observe in your work. It is this:

"We clergymen are apt to be made or marred—as all men are—by the wives we choose. Now, look out whom you marry. Your field is not a worldly field, and if you marry a worldly woman it would be better for you that you tied a millstone about your neck. It doesn't matter where you find a wife, whether in the city or in the country. She should have a sympathetic nature, to feel for those whom it becomes your part to help. Indeed, she should make your work her work."

This was the bishop's advice. Mr. Frake was much impressed with it, but he had his doubts about finding a girl that would fill his adviser's conditions. He had always associated with the upper ten thousand and had not found much unselfishness among them, instead of living for the world he had usually found them disposed to consider the world as especially created to administer to their comfort.

Nevertheless he shrank from taking a life partner except from the class to which he belonged. Would it not be better to be allied with a woman of fashion than with one whose unpolished manners would constantly put him to the blush? Then, too, his own family were to be considered. Naturally they would expect him to marry one whom they might receive as a social equal.

Mr. Frake's first call was to a village wherein dwelt only a few thousand people. His congregation was not at all like those of which he had been a member himself during his boyhood and youth. They were plain people, honest in their way, but as to spirituality, or, rather, humanity, he did not find them any better than those he had known in the city. One day soon after taking the pastorate while writing in his study, looking up from his sermon, he saw his housekeeper standing in the doorway.

"What is it, Mrs. Wells?" he asked patiently.

Mrs. Wells, fat and panting from a morning spent over the ironing board, wiped her forehead with a crisp white handkerchief.

"I wondered what would come next," she groaned. "First, there was the Tuttles making trouble over the distributing of the pews, then the quarrel in the choir, and I knew that there would be a third calamity!"

"You haven't told me what it is," smiled Arthur Frake.

"A donation, sir!"

"A donation," he repeated, aghast. "Dear me, I wish they wouldn't, Mrs. Wells. They mean well, but"—

"Oh, their intentions are all right," interrupted the housekeeper darkly for she had served many ministers and many donation parties, "but they don't realize that by the time they've descended like a flock of locusts and eaten all the food they've brought and more, too, why, I'm left with a house to be cleaned from top to bottom and you're the richer by a jar of Beulah Humphrey's sour pickles and maybe a few bushels of potatoes that we didn't have time to cook for 'em."

Arthur Frake laughed heartily.

"There's a measure of truth in what you say, Mrs. Wells," he admitted. "Still, I suppose we must look at the motive underneath this invasion. They mean to be kind, and we must do the best we can to make it pleasant for them. When is it to be?"

"Tomorrow night and a complete surprise. I wouldn't have known a word of it if Betsy Haskell hadn't warned me. I'm glad to know, so's I can bake some beans and corn bread; then they needn't eat up all the layer cakes and salads they bring!"

She lumbered out of the room and left the minister to resume his sermon. This was his first charge, and he was sincerely desirous of being adviser and friend to his little flock. They were all plain village people, with a large percentage of prosperous families among them.

He had heard of donation parties, but he had believed that they were festivities of the past century. Still, Bayport clung to many traditions, and it was evident that a donation party for the new minister was a cherished institution.

So he submitted with good grace and the next afternoon picked all the chrysanthemums in the parsonage garden to bedeck the immaculately neat but rather severe rooms.

As he wandered about Arthur Frake was conscious that his home lacked the feminine touch. Mrs. Wells was an excellent cook and housekeeper, but she was not a home maker.

He thought rather ruefully that it might be many years before he had a wife. Certainly he had never met the girl of his dreams, and he was not likely to find her in this remote village.

There was not a speck of dust to be seen in the parsonage when the kerosene lamps were lighted. It would be an hour yet before the donation party would arrive, and some one was talking volubly to Mrs. Wells in the sitting room. Their voices reached the minister in his study. Mrs. Wells' wheezy tones were punctuated by another woman's shrill utterances.

"Millie Rhodes says it's the first time they've never been able to give five bushels of potatoes to the new minister, and I says to her, I says: 'Don't cry, Milly. Mr. Frake will understand how it is—your pa being sick so long and your ma dying, and all.' But she only said she wished she had something to give, because she had to stop putting anything into the plate at church. 'Seems to me, Mrs. Smith,' says she, 'seems to me poor folks are just squeezed tight to the wall. The Bible says not to place any value on money, and yet it's the only thing that seems to count in this world.'" The speaker drew a long breath.

"Poor child!" sobbed Mrs. Wells. "I hope she ain't going to stay home just because she can't bring anything."

"I told her she would have to come anyway. Ann Dent is going to stay with Mr. Rhodes for a spell."

The doorbell rang, and Mrs. Wells hurried into the hall. Arthur Frake heard her exclamation of pleasure.

"Why, Millie, child, I am glad to see you!" she cried. "Come right in and meet Mr. Frake. You've never met him, your pa being sick ever since Mr. Frake came. Oh, Mr. Frake, here's the first one, Miss Millie Rhodes, from the Hollow farm!"

In this disjointed fashion Arthur Frake met a parishioner whom he had never seen. Millie Rhodes was a tall, fair girl, with soft blue eyes and a sweet mouth. She was dressed in black, and he recollected that they had said she had lost her mother. Her arms were filled with flowers—chrysanthemums of every color, great branches of crimson dogwood berries, trailing lengths of orange and scarlet bittersweet and a bunch of pink geraniums with sweet smelling leaves.

"It was all I had to bring," she said a little wistfully as she dropped them on the study table.

"And a beautiful donation, Miss Rhodes. I thank you," said the minister sincerely as he took her hand. "Will you add another favor—arrange them about the rooms? No, only in this room," he added whimsically.

So Millie Rhodes stepped lightly to and fro, arranging vases and bowls of flowers on mantelpiece and tables, trailing the dogwood and bittersweet berries over pictures and mirrors and at the minister's request placing the bowl of pink geraniums on his desk.

"Rose geraniums are my favorite flowers," he said gravely. And they were from that instant.

Then came the sound of laughter and a loud ringing at the front door. The house was filled with a merry crowd of the minister's flock, all pushing forward to shake his hand and utter good wishes. Each one brought something—a bag or bundle or basket—and soon the kitchen tables were heaped with bushels of potatoes, apples, dried fruit, bags of flour, jars of preserves and pickles, toothsome layer cakes and pies and all the goodies that farmers' wives know how to manufacture.

Millie Rhodes sat quietly in a corner with a group of friends, and there was a quiet happiness in her face that no one save Mrs. Wells and Sarah Smith and, of course, the minister quite understood.

Millie's donation beautified the minister's own room, and unconsciously her fingers had given the deft womanly touches that the room needed.

By and by some asked her to sing, and she arose and, unaccompanied, sang in a sweet, flutelike voice many old ballads that brought tears to the eyes of the older people.

"I should like my wife to sing like that," thought Arthur Frake as he moved among his people.

This donation was not exactly like other donation parties. Even Emma Wells admitted that. To begin with, there was such an abundance of gifts that the company could not possibly dispose of them at the supper, which was served at 10 o'clock.

Then Mr. Frake was young, and youth creates a different atmosphere. The old parsonage had always been a gloomy place in the pastorate of the aged Mr. Walker, and tonight there was such a feeling of cheerfulness and good fellowship between young and old that the parish was united in stronger bonds of love than ever before.

"Good night," they called as they went away—"good night, Mr. Frake, and good luck."

And Arthur Frake, having blessed them a few moments before, fell on his knees in the fragrant little study and poured out his soul in thankfulness for the kindness that was showered upon him.

And he especially prayed for Millie Rhodes, who had given what she could out of her meager store.

There came a day in the following year, after Millie had been bereft of her remaining parent, that Arthur Frake lingered at the Hollow farm and asked Millie to come and make the parsonage a home for him.

"It will be a donation," he smiled down at her, "the best donation you can make to me and my people. We need you, Millie Rhodes."

And when they were married, why, of course the minister's people must make another donation, and this time the parsonage was cozy and homelike with a woman's touch, the same touch which had lighted the flame of love in the minister's heart.

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KING AS PRESIDENT

Sketch of Novel Imperial Constitution For British Peoples

In a study of "The Problems of Empire," Lionel Curtis deals with the training of a constitution for the future government of the Empire which he prefers to call the commonwealth. Mr. Curtis would provide a great central Imperial parliament, in which all the colonies, and, to a certain extent, the dependencies of the British Empire would be represented, and would give this parliament power to arrange all matters involving the foreign policy of the Empire. The position of the King Emperor in the scheme suggested would be that of "hereditary president."

After considering various proposals, and dismissing them as impracticable, Mr. Curtis arrives at the conclusion that there should be two British parliaments at Westminster, one for the control of the domestic affairs of the British Isles and the other, or "Imperial parliament," for the foreign affairs of the Empire. The colonies are to be fully represented in this second or "Imperial parliament," and every colony is to furnish a minister, with or without a portfolio, to its cabinet. Each colony would continue to maintain its own parliament at home for the management of its domestic affairs, as at present. Mr. Curtis further proposes that the dependencies of the British Empire—such as British India—should be represented in the Imperial parliament.

AMID ACRES OF HORRORS

Unendurable Sights and Sounds But Quick Recovery

Urging never-ceasing attack, a British correspondent writes from France: It is not only the bursting shell and fear of attack that the enemy has to endure. The sights of the battlefield weaken men's fibre even more than the sounds. A German soldier wrote as follows: "Trenches quite fallen in. . . Dead and buried were to be seen in masses in and out of the trenches. . . Six or eight men were lying near piled one on the top of the other. On the way to our 6th Company, which we found after a search of two and a half hours, there were just as many corpses and men buried by shells and men who had not been properly buried. We saw terrible sights."

I have left out the worst passages, but this is enough to hint what the enemy's soldiers have to endure, and the new battlefield reveals acres of such spectacles. A number of men have not been able to endure it. Almost all—I speak of men, not officers—are glad to be prisoners. But this alleged German demoralisation is physical, and the body recovers. When we relax the enemy recovers quickly.

Private, Guest of General

The new armies have destroyed many old traditions, and the passing of such a one is seen (says the Yorkshire Evening Post) in the announcement that Pte. Albert Hill, V.C., of Denton, is staying at Aldershot as the guest of Brigadier-General R. J. Kentish. Pte. Hill was decorated by the King at Buckingham Palace and in the evening met the brigadier-general, who commanded the brigade when Hill won the V.C. Hill was the guest of the general at the Oxford Music Hall and occupied a box. For a few days Hill was the guest of the general at Aldershot, and an officer and private travelled to Denton, where they were met by troops, a regimental band, and there was a civic reception.

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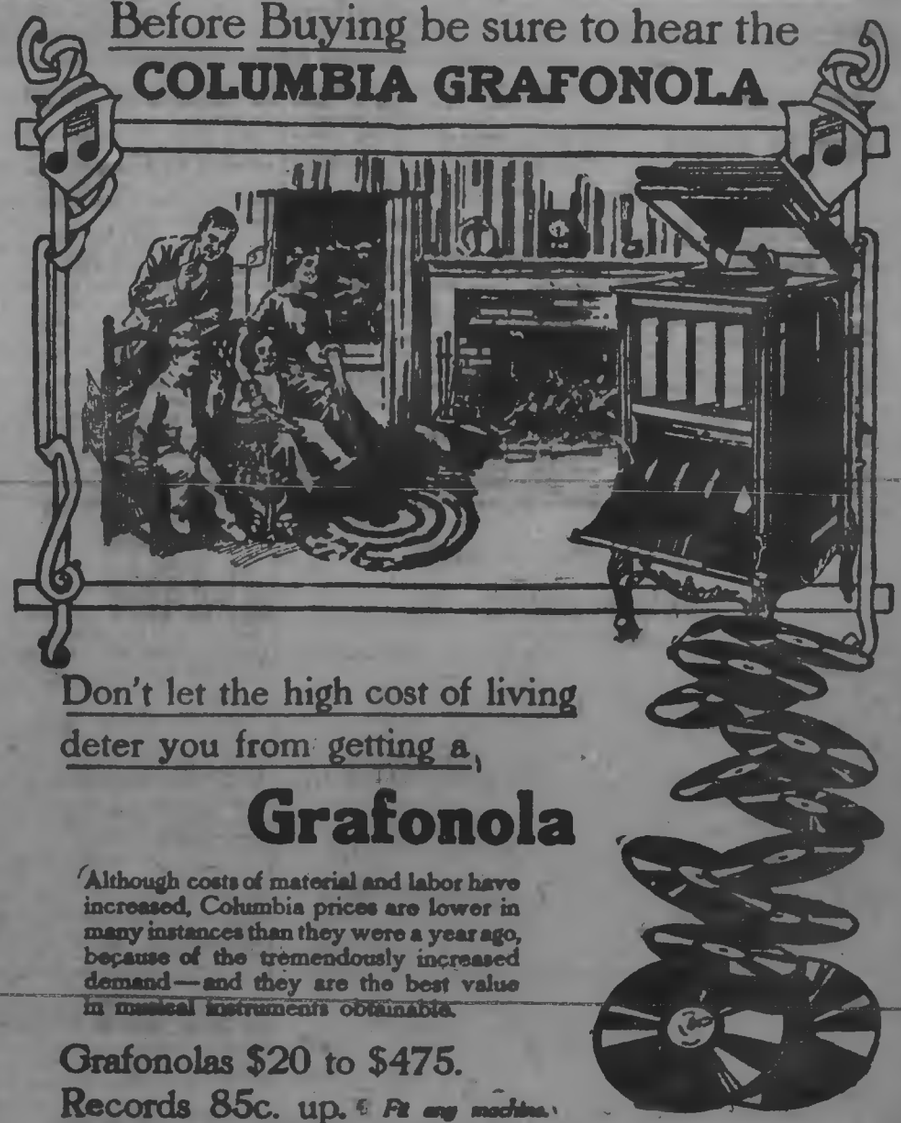

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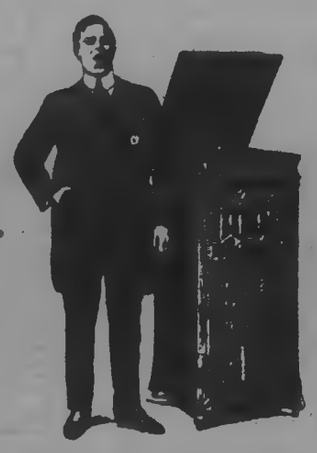

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Cabarets have sprung up like mushrooms and dance halls thrive as in any new gold camp.

"Business is three times as big as the biggest we ever saw before this season," said the manager of the largest cabaret in the city. Hotels are crowded, theatres sold out. Crowds that the "shop early" slogan do not account for, fill the department stores. Warehouses are depleted of stocks and deliveries are far behind. New York is spending its money and getting what it can for it.

But it keeps pouring in. From farmers in the West to at least one monarch on an European throne they are sending their money to New York. The greater part of it is emptied into that section of the city included by the name of Wall Street.

On the Stock Exchange "million-share days" have come to be considered the regular thing, whereas two years ago 400,000 shares made a good day's trading. When, sometimes, the trading reaches two million shares it is scarcely noticed.

Over and round about the floor of the Stock Exchange, they have put a wire bomb netting to ward off any possible eventuality, and on the floor the traders are buying and selling in a frenzy such as they never knew before.

SHARES AT HUGE PRICES.

At least, they so describe it. Nobody who is not a member of the Exchange can see them trade, even the members' guests' gallery having been closed. But last Saturday—the anniversary, by the way, of the re-opening of the Stock Exchange after being closed four months following the beginning of the war—transactions in the two-hour session totalled 669,091 shares.

The prices at which these shares are being dealt in are such prices as the Exchange seldom has known. Steel stocks offered at 42 two years ago, now have a mob of shouting, clamoring men bidding for them at fifteen times that price.

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Don't you know we want you to go?
If you have a sweetheart here
You may write to her, you know.

Have you forgotten the other boys,
Who have gone to fight the foe?
You are no better men than they,
So get a khaki suit and go.

You would better look in khaki,
And your name would be better too,
Come now don't be a coward,
Come and we will put you through.

Come boys and fill this battalion,
Your King and Country needs you now;
Help to keep the old flag waving,
Like the boys who have gone ahead.

Girls can take your left positions,
So you can't make that excuse,
And you know the girls are proud of the boys
When they get their khaki suits.

Why don't they shut the poolrooms up?
Gambling won't help make a peace.
Then we'll get the slackers to enlist,
Instead of playing pool.

George Street don't need guarding
By boys in civilian suits;
Telegraph poles don't need propping up,
For we've got to have recruits.

TWO TEUTON CARDINALS

BERLIN, Dec. 19.—A Cologne paper says Pope Benedict intends to name one German and one Austrian to the two vacant places in the Cardinalate. The Pope, the paper says, refrained from naming the two because the political situation made the possibility of their journeying to Rome doubtful.

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West and South Pour in Orders For War Stocks

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—So anxious are the West and the South to dump their money into the New York stock market that the Western Union and the American Telegraph and Telephone Companies cannot provide enough wires to accommodate them. Hundreds of sales go by the board, simply because the wires cannot carry the offers.

When Germany's sudden peace proposals caused the greatest dumping of stocks into the exchange since the "silent panic" of 1907, the selling orders of the western and southern traders did not reach the floor of the exchange until late in the afternoon. These out of town speculators, who generally buy—play the market long—lost in the shakedown, while a large bulk of the professional traders of the Wall Street district had sold short and took profits on the decline.

Girl Signallers Now.

So furious is the trading on the stock exchange that the tickers, supposed to keep every broker's and banker's office in even touch with quotations, are sometimes eighteen minutes behind the market. Even in the cotton and grain exchanges business has become too fast for the telegraph wires, and the tickers frequently lag five or ten minutes behind.

In the open windows of the curb brokerage houses, one to-day could see girls making the wild, mystic signals to the traders on the pavement—that never before were made by feminine fingers, the supply brokers' employees has run short of the demand.

And lambs are so plentiful that a bright young man who started a magazine for their special treatment four months ago, is a full blown publisher to-day with big circulation and advertising.

R. T. Halsey, of the Finance Committee of the Stock Exchange, when asked for an explanation of the six two-million share days and the twenty-one million share days on the exchange during the last month, said: "The people of the West are trading in New York stocks in a way none of us ever saw before. They have money as a result of the big prices for crops, and they are making more of it here, many of them. The good cotton prices likewise have put the people of the South into the market. They are newcomers. Southern business on the exchange in past years has amounted to practically nothing. Now it amounts to millions.

Foreign Business Grows.

Wm. C. Van Antwerp, Governor of the Stock Exchange agreed, explaining that the people in remote sections are trading by wire in the stocks of concerns they know. Utah Copper, Texas Oil and Montana Power Stocks, he said, bring orders from their respective states in large numbers.

"But the influence of the foreign business is more significant to my mind," he said. "South Americans are coming into this market as the result of conditions in London and Paris that have shut them out of their usual market. The volume of business from down here is becoming very big.

"From Europe the cables are carrying on enormous business to New York. The increase in our foreign listing has been largely responsible for the general increase of about 500 stocks handled by the New York Stock Exchange. From 1,200 our listings have been raised to 1,700.

"New York undoubtedly will retain most of this new stock business after the war. In fact, we expect to see it increase and this city to remain permanently the financial centre of the world."

Discourage Speculation.

At least one third of the stock exchange trading is straight investment, Mr. Antwerp declared. As for the speculation, he said the Stock Exchange is exerting every effort to keep the market free of manipulation and every safeguard the Governors can conceive has been thrown about trading.

"The very immensity of the business now being done," he said, "may be expected to bring on a call for congressional investigation. Whether it does or not, the Stock Exchange intends to keep its records clean."

Wm. Shearer, manager of the New York Clearing House, can testify to the prevalence of the speculation bacillus.

"Some gamblers up in New England," he protested indignantly today, are running a pool based on the clearing house figures. They offered me a 'split' on the profits—$50 or so a week—if I would slip them the figures in advance of the public announcement."

Mr. Shearer's official statement on the banks in the clearing house, at the close of last week's business showed the banks to be carrying $73,790,840 more reserve than required by law. It showed also that the total reserve then in the bank's vaults, $347,726,000 was in actual hard money.

NO BATTLESHIP DAMAGED.

Another Report of Injury to French Vessel is Denied.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 19.—A French battleship of the Patrie class was torpedoed and badly damaged by a German submarine in the Mediterranean on Dec. 12, according to an official statement issued in Berlin.

The statement also reports the torpedoing on Dec. 11 of the "armed French transport Maghelan," a six thousand ton vessel having on board 1,000 troops.

Denied by French.

London, Dec. 19.—It was stated by the French Admiralty that there is no truth in the statement that a French man-of-war of the Patrie class was damaged on December 12, and that the loss of the Magheln already has been reported.

Iron Acts Wonders on a Week, Run-Down Nervous System

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Give you pep, vigour, and 100 p.c. more strength in 10 days.

Dr. Mainprise of Saskatchewan, advises people who are weak, run-down, anaemic and nervous, to start to-day to strengthen themselves by taking Iron for their blood. It has always been an understood fact that Iron was an excellent remedy for the blood, but owing to its constipating, nauseating effect it has been eliminated from use. Doctors have overcome this by combining the iron with phosphorus which forms a new iron and at the same time the phosphorus used acts as one of the greatest nerve tonics known to medical science. You now have what is known to your druggist as Bonised Phosphorus with Iron. Dr. Mainprise finds this tonic to be four fold in action. It charges the system with new blood, stronger nerves, greater strength and a new Digestion. Your stomach will now be ready for good, big hearty meals that will be thoroughly digested. Start to-day and take Bonised Phosphorus with Iron if you are thin, pale, weak, tired, run down, anaemic, nervous, etc., and in ten days you will be full of pep, bright, vigorous, alert, attaining the glow of happiness. Stop taking all sorts of worthless patent medicines, cheap laxatives, for what you imagine will cure kidney troubles, stomach pains, rheumatism, etc. What you want is good strong pure blood and strong nerves, making your system immune to all these everyday complaints.

Bonised Phosphorus with Iron, as spoken of here, does not contain one atom of arsenic or strychnine, which is found so harmful in almost every tonic. Arsenic and strychnine act only as a temporary stimulant, making you feel better only for the time you are taking them; while Bonised Phosphorus with Iron goes to the root of the trouble, builds you up, strengthens your nerves, giving you a new lease of life. It is dispensed only by one druggist in each city. Agent for Peterborough is F. C. Weber, Charlotte Street.

Ease Your Wife's Anxiety

"Indeed, I could not sleep last night," said a merchant to one of our insurance agents. "The insurance on my store expired yesterday, and that pesky fire bell reminded me of it. That store is my living, and I could never start another. If the fire had 'snuffed out' my business last night, instead of Smith's, I would be at my string's end."

"Get insured this morning?".
"Yes, sir; bright and early."
"Own the house you occupy?"
"No; wish I did."
"Anybody helping keep the family?"
"Why, no—why do you ask that?"
"Any income besides the store?"
"No, not a dollar—why?"
"Does your wife sleep well?"
"Why yes; but what on earth are you driving at, anyway?"

"I was just thinking how she could sleep, for if your life had been snuffed out instead of your neighbour Jones' yesterday, she would be at her 'string's end,' for I happen to know that you have no life insurance and your income is her living."

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The accepted length for skirts for fall is more graceful and in better taste than has been seen for a year; the best styles are moderately long and wide and the fullness is either plaited or gathered. In the skirt pictured the front panel is very effective in material of which the yokes are formed. The skirt section is gathered at the back and sides, joining the yokes at hip depth as shown. With very good effect a plait is introduced at each side seam; the left side closing is with snap fasteners.

Roman striped taffeta with velvet has a host of followers and will be suitable for this model if a dressier skirt is desired; also serge and satin, taffeta and crepe and similar combinations are all the material for a conservative dressy skirt. For all its unusual effect the garment is very simple of construction.

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PETERBOROUGH WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1916

GRANT SIX

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ENEMY ATTACKS ON THE DANUBE ARE REPULSED BY THE RUSSO-ROUMANIANS

Petrograd Announces That the Huns Were Driven Back---Heavy Artillery Fighting and Patrol Activity Reported From the Western Front

Fifty Per Cent. Increase in Railway Fares---Fixed Price For Wheat and Other War Measures Announced in Britain

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, December 20.—The repulse of enemy attacks by Russo-Roumanian troops on the left bank of the Danube in the region of Parlata, are reported in to-day's official statement.

PETROGRAD, December 20.—Official reports from the Galician front to-day indicate the Russians have made important fresh gains near the River Bystritza capturing prisoners and guns. This is believed to be the beginning of a new great offensive in Galicia.

BERLIN, December 20.—Strong artillery fire and patrol activities at isolated points on the Somme, the Aisne, east of the Meuse, and the Champagne sectors were reported in to-day's official statement.

LONDON, December 20.—Morning newspapers declare that Britain is ready to make all the necessary sacrifices demanded by Lloyd George. The News says that the door is not necessarily banged and bolted, and that the Allies' flat refusal of Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg's offer is not meant to indicate that the Allies do not wish peace, but that Germany must ask it in the role of the vanquished, and not the victor.

Even the Mail, which has always demanded extreme measures against Germany says: "There is no obstacle whatever to peace if Germany really wants it. She has merely to withdraw from the occupied countries, and we are willing enough to discuss reparation and guarantees for the future."

Government Fixes a Price For Wheat

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, December 20. — President of the Board of Agriculture Prothero announced at a Guild Hall meeting of the farmers to-day that the Government proposed to fix sixty shillings as a contract price for a quarter of wheat (about $1.88 a bushel). During the Crimean war wheat in England sold at a guinea ($5.04) a bushel.

Artillery Active Says French Report

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS (French Official), December 20.—Great artillery activity in the region of Louvemont and Chambrettes Farms, north of Verdun, was reported in to-day's official statement.

Railway Fares Are Increased 50 Per Cent.

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, December 20—The increase of all railway fares in Great Britain fifty per cent. beginning January 1, was announced by the Board of Trade in the House of Commons this afternoon.

OTTAWA, December 20.—The November trade figures issued to-day show the tremendous growth of the Dominion's business. The aggregate for November was 182 millions, compared with 138 millions for the corresponding month last year.

The total for the past eight months is one billion 266 millions, as against 717 millions for same period last year.

George Street Methodist Church

The ladies of the George Street Methodist church engaged in Red Cross work shipped the following to Queen's Stationary Hospital for overseas, Kingston, Ont.

9 hot-water bottle covers, 21 surgical shirts, 64 handkerchiefs, 13 pyjama suits, 36 many-tailed bandages, 125 towels, 19 sheets, 205 pillow-covers, 19 hospital cushions.

The ladies of the Society wish to thank Miss Benson, Weller street for her donation of yarn which was very gratefully received.

The ladies also wish to thank Mr. C. E. Smith of the Boot and Shoe Store for his kind donation

MRS. E. M. FREEMAN,
Secretary.

In a new vacuum cleaner for cleansing clothing in public places a circular brush surrounds the nozzle to loosen the dust.

German child labour laws define children as boys and girls less than 13 years old and those older who still attend school.

Encircling and pivoted to a new comb is a loop of wire which, when drawn over the teeth, removes all hair that they may hold.

Government of Ontario

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a Public Enquiry, under "The Fire Marshal Act," will be opened in the Council Chamber of the City Hall, on WEDNESDAY, December 20th, 1916, at 11.00 a.m., into the "cause, origin and circumstances" of the recent fire in the premises of the Quaker Oats Co. in this City.

Any person having knowledge of any facts, or circumstances, pertinent to this Enquiry, is invited to give evidence, or to report same to the Undersigned, to G. W. Hatton, Esq., K.C., County Crown Attorney, or to W. A. Howard, C.E., Chief of the Fire Department.

E. P. HEATON
Fire Marshal.

Peterborough, Dec. 19th, 1916.

THE COMMISSIONERS ARE IN FAVOUR OF ALD. EDGAR'S SCHEME

Proposed to Install Sanitary Conveniences and Spread Payment Over a Period of Ten Years

WILL MAKE REPORT

A meeting of the Utilities Commission was held last evening. Ald. J. Edgar and Ald. G. Evans were present in support of a proposal to provide sanitary conveniences for people who are not in a position to pay for them when they are installed. Ald. Edgar's plan, which was brought to the attention of the City Council some time ago, is to have the sanitary conveniences installed by the Commission and the payment for such work spread over a period of ten years. This would enable nearly every householder to have necessary plumbing installed on a basis that would prove satisfactory to everybody. The Commission would take a lien on the property, which would take precedence over a first mortgage, so that the Commission would be amply protected. Spread over a period of ten years the payments would not come so hard and would put such conveniences within the reach of everybody.

The Commissioners expressed themselves in favour of Ald. Edgars' scheme, and after giving it careful consideration will make a report on the matter.

Should Be A Great Success

"Keep the home fires burning," is the text of a song that is sung beside every camp fire throughout Canada or wherever our splendid men are gathered together to assist in upholding the traditions of the British Empire. We believe that the Peterborough Health Association is, in some small degree, assisting in carrying out this request. Our nurses and our supplies are at the service of those needing them, free if necessary or at such remuneration as may meet the necessities of the patient.

We trust that our citizens will show their interest by assisting in making the reception at the Empress Hotel on Friday, December 29th a complete

Last Episode of "The Yellow Menace"

The Royal Theatre's Attractive Bill For This Evening

The last episode of the Million Dollar spectacular drama "The Yellow Menace" which has attracted many crowds to the Royal Theatre, will be shown to-night. This episode explains all the former characters and should not be missed. Another big feature to-night will be a thrilling five-reel railroad story, featuring Helen Holmes the manager of the B. & A.

SMALL MARKET THIS MORNING

There was a comparatively small market this morning and the prices were almost prohibitive.

Turkeys sold at 35c per pound.
Geese—$2.00, $2 65
Ducks—85c, $1.10 each
Eggs—60c, 65c per dozen.
Butter—45c per pound.

Memorial Tablet To Late Lieut. Fife

At St. John's church on Thursday evening at eight o'clock a memorial tablet will be dedicated to the late Lieutenant Gordon Stanley Fife, a former Peterborough boy who enlisted with a western university company conforming the Princess Patricias, and was killed in action during the past summer. Lieut. Fife was a son of Mr. Jas. A. Fife, of Edmonton, formerly of the Peterborough Collegiate Institute staff. In his will he expressed the wish that in the event of his death a tablet be placed in St. John's church as a memorial of his association in the church.

It is expected that the many friends of this young hero who sacrificed a brilliant career in the cause of the Empire will attend this service.

LLOYD GEORGE'S MESSAGE TO PEOPLE OF CANADA

OTTAWA, December 19.—A message to the Canadian people from the new "Win the War" Government of Great Britain has been received by Sir Robert Borden from Premier Lloyd George. It is as follows:.

"On taking up the high office with which His Majesty has charged me I send to you on behalf of the people of the Old Country a message to our brothers beyond the seas. There is no faltering in our determination that the sacrifices which we and you have made, and have still to make, shall not be in, and that the fight which we are waging together for humanity and civilization shall be fought to a triumphant issue. We realize that we shall still need every man that we can put in the field, every pound that rigid private and public economy can provide, and every effort which a united people can put forth to help in the heavy task of our soldiers and sailors. The splendid contributions to the common cause already made by the dominions gives me such confidence that their the path to final victory, we shall tread it side by side.
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"LLOYD GEORGE."

FITTING RECEPTION TO BE TENDERED BAND OF THE 93rd BATTALION

City Officials, Speakers' Patriotic League and 247th Battalion to Co-operate in Arrangements For Welcome to Musicians --- Seven Recruits Taken on Strength of 247th Yesterday---Pte. Norman Arnold Killed---To-day's Orders and General Military News.

Arrangements are being made for a fitting reception to the Band of the 93rd Battalion when Bandmaster Hughes' organization reach the city. The city authorities, the Speakers' Patriotic League and the 247th Battalion are cooperating in the arrangements. Efforts will be made to have the band of the 57th Regiment and Salvation Army meet the 93rd at the station. A procession, in which the 247th Battalion will take part, will be formed, and the bandsmen will be escorted to the Armouries, where a few brief speeches will be made.

TO-DAY'S ORDERS.

Peterborough, Dec 19, 1916.

Daily orders by Lieut.-Colonel Ackerman, commanding the 247th Battalion, C. E. F.

Orders for Wednesday Dec 20.

Parade.

All officers, N. C. O.'s and men, except those specially employed, will parade in the drill hall at 9 a.m. and at 2 p.m.

Duties.

Orderly officer for Wednesday, Lieut. C. G. Shaw.

Orderly officer for Thursday, Lt. A. H. Cameron.

Next for duty, Lt. T. Quinn.

Duty Departure.

Capt J. C. Dyer releases Lieut. Boedet at Havelock from Dec 19th, 1916.

Lt. Boedet takes charge of recruiting at Norwood from Dec. 19, 1916.

Certificate of Qualification:

The following have been granted certificates of military qualification.
McMahon, R. F., Sergeant, 2882.
Heath, G. E., Sergeant, No. 2883.
Crank, A. B., Sergeant, No. 2884.
Weese, F. G., Sergeant, No. 2885.

Strength.

The following are attested, taken on the strength and posted to A Co., and assigned the numbers opposite their names:
Pte. A. G. Taylor, No. 1063058.
Pte. R. P. O'Gorman, No. 1063065.
Pte. J. T. Dobbs, No. 1063066.
Pte. A. G. Meharry, No. 1063067.
Pte. F. C. Dunnette, No. 1063069.

Promotion.

To be Orderly Room sergeant, with effect from Dec. 1st, 1916, No. 1063041 Acting Corporal D. H. Anderson, A Company.

Piquet for Christmas Day.

A Company will detail a piquet of one N.C.O. and eight men to report to Mr. Turner at the Grand Opera House, at 1.45 p.m., on Dec. 25, 1916.

R. B. Brooks,
Lieutenant and Act. Adjutant
247th Battalion C. E. F.

According to the figures from London to-day in regard to the number of men from the Western Ontario battalion turned down in England the 93rd Peterborough battalion has made a grand showing in comparison. The 111th of Galt had 190 men turned down out of a total of 835. The 142nd of London arrived in England with 561 men, and had 164 rejected. The 160th, Walkerton, lost 130 men out of 977. The 161st of Clinton had 87 out of 749 rejected, the best showing made by the Western Ontario battalions. So far only about thirty of the 93rd men have been sent home from England.

Seven recruits were taken on by the 247th Battalion yesterday, the biggest number in one day since the battalion was authorized. Five of these were attested at the local head quarters and two others at Cox Hill. Lt.-Col. Ackerman and his staff are naturally pleased, especially as only eight men were secured in Toronto yesterday.

It is likely that the 247th Battalion will move into barracks at the Armouries, shortly.

PTE. ARNOLD KILLED

Word has been received of the death from wounds of Pte. Norman Arnold, who enlisted in Peterborough in the spring of 1915 and went to Bermuda with the 38th Battalion, afterwards going to France with the same unit. Pte. Arnold, who was employed on the G. T. R., boarded at the home of Mr. Wm. Stanley, Stewart street, and is the fifth soldier going from that household to appear on the casualty list. His relatives reside in England.

SLACKERS SENT CONDOLENCE.

Kingston, Dec. 10.—A Kingston woman who lost a son at the front, received a letter of condolence from a friend who has three eligible sons at home. The woman who suffered the loss rooked to the letter stating that she would not accept the condolence until the writer's family was represented at the front.

BUSINESS NOTES

The annual meeting of the Bank of Commerce shareholders will be held on Tuesday, January 9.

One New York Stock Exchange seat was posted for transfer Thursday at $75,000 and another at $76,000, latter price being equal to year's high record.

Cost of war to France and Great Britain by end of March next will have totalled $32,500,000,000.

The Bank of Ottawa has closed two of its branches, one at Keewatin and one at Iroquois Falls, Ont.

Annual meeting of the Bank of Ottawa takes place on December 20.

Practically all of the pig iron producers in the Buffalo district have put their prices for iron for any delivery next year at a minimum of $65 furnace. This compares with previous maximum price of $62 furnace.

United States bank clearings for the week ending with December 7, establish a new high record, the total being $7,015,226,000. This sum indicates an increase of 4 per cent. over the previous high point, touched in the week ending November 23 last.

London has advanced war risks 5 to 10 per cent. on transatlantic business.

TWO CHILDREN BURNED TO DEATH

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

EMERSON, Man. Dec. 20. — Two children were burned to death and three others are believed dying as a result of a fire in a large covered waggon in which the families of Russel Mathews and C. Gates were passing across the prairie in forty below zero temperature. A lamp lit to keep the children warm, caused the fire.

Three Cases Remain On Judge Huycke's Slate

The December sessions of the County Court were adjourned this morning with three cases unsettled. One of them was that of Barret vs. Heard, arising out of a western real estate transaction. The evidence has been taken and Judge Huycke will name a day for the hearing of the argument.

The damage action of Frick vs. the City of Peterborough and that of Miss Farnuson vs. Low have been postponed until January and may not be heard until toward the end of the month.

Fire Investigation Opened To-day

Mr. W. H. Denham, Superintendent of "The Quaker Oats Company" Was the First Witness Called—Mr. Denham's Version of the Fire—Explosion Was Terrific.

WALLS FELL OUT

An investigation held under the "Fire Marshall Act" to determine the origin, cause and circumstances concerning the destruction of the plant of the Quaker Oats Company was opened today at eleven o'clock in the City Building. Mr E. P. Heaton, Fire Marshall for the Province of Ontario, presided. With him was Mr. James S. Costigan, B.A., Sc., Vice-President of T. Pringle and Son, Limited, of Montreal, Hydraulic and Mill Engineers and Architects. Mr. Costigan was present as an expert in mill construction to assist Fire Marshall Heaton in the work of securing evidence technical and otherwise relating to the Quaker Oats plant. Mr. A. H. Dickey, special investigator in Mr. Heaton's department, was also present.

Mr. G. A. Peck and Mr. F. D. Kerr of the legal firm of Peck, Kerr and McElderry, were present in the interests of the Quaker Oats Company, while Mr. F. H. D. Hall, solicitor for the Peterborough Utilities Commission was present in the interests of the Waterworks Department of the city. Mr. Ross Dobbin, Superintendent of the Waterworks Department, was present, and in all probability will be called this afternoon to give evidence concerning the water supply during the progress of the fire. The examination of the witnesses is being conducted by Crown Attorney G. W. Hatton.

Fire Chief W. A. Howard, as deputy fire marshall for this district, was present in his official capacity.

Not a Prosecution.

Fire Marshall Heaton said that the enquiry was not a persecution or a prosecution. It was not even a trial. "The investigation," said Mr. Heaton, "is a simple but honest effort to get at the facts concerning the disaster. The citizens of Peterborough view with regret the sad calamity that has taken place, and the sympathy of the entire community, as well as the province, will go out to the unfortunate relatives of those who lost their lives, as well as to the company which suffered such a heavy loss."

Mr. W. H. Denham.

The first witness called was Mr. W. H. Denham, superintendent of the local branch of the Quaker Oats Company. Mr. Denham said that the local plant was established in Peterborough about 1901. The head office of the Company is in Chicago, with various branches scattered throughout the United States and Canada. The largest branch is at Cedar Rapids, Michigan. Since the Company started operations in Peterborough about fifteen years ago, the production of flour in the local branch has been increased from five hundred to eighteen hundred barrels a day. Mr. Denham cited a number of other extensions that have been made to the plant since it was first established here. Witness has been in the employ of the Company for about thirty-three years. Twelve of these have been spent in Peterborough as superintendent of the local branch.

The Insurance.

Mr. Denham was unable to give any detail figures relating to the insurance or as to the companies with whom it was placed. The total amount of insurance carried was in the neighbourhood of one million two

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SOLDIERS' WIVES' AND MOTHERS' CLUB NEED YOUR HELP

Local Organization Which Has Done So Much Unselfish Work For the Peterboro' Boys at the Front to Hold a Flower Day

A CHANCE TO HELP

On Saturday the public of Peterborough will have an opportunity of assisting an organization that has quietly since the war began been looking after the interests of the Peterborough boys overseas. The Soldiers' Wives and Mothers' Club are holding a Flower Day on Saturday to secure funds to carry on their important work. For over two years these devotal women who have not been satisfied with sending their loved ones to the front, but have settled down to see that they were supplied with comforts, have financed the work themselves with no assistance from the public. Month after month a steady stream of parcels have been sent forth from the club to the Peterborough boys in England and France, and to the local boys who are prisoners of war in Germany. They might have justly said: "We'll only look after the dear ones of members of our club," but they did not adopt that policy. Peterborough boys, impartially, and only Peterborough boys have been looked after since the work began. On Saturday these patriotic women, all of whom are represented on the battle line by their husbands or sons, will be on the street selling flowers. No one should refuse to assist this work. Buy a flower on Saturday and help the wives and mothers of Peterborough's sons overseas supply the gallant lads at the front with comforts.

OTONABEE COUNCIL HOLDS A SESSION

The Otonabee Council met on December 15th pursuant to Statutely enactment.

M. Kennally was present requesting the co-operation of the Council to repair the well at the east end of the skating rink, which is used by the township in making cement tile. Messrs. Eason and Howson were appointed to act for the Skating Company— township, each to pay half the cost of repair. On motion of Messrs. Eason and O'Leary, Reeve W. A. Anderson was awarded $25 for his services in connection with roads flooded by the Trent Canal, as it was entirely owing to his energetic handling of the case in procuring evidence of the damage and ably and persistently presenting it to the Dominion Government that the $35 was procured from the government to the township for damages. The following accounts were passed: For gravel, W. H. Bradburn $19.79; J. Webster $1.00, R. Davidson $4.70; John Kelly $15.00; D. Hayes $42.60; D. McCarthy $7.00; H. Cardwell $10; H. McLachlan care of hall $6.25; J. Edwards cement $12.60; Peck, Kerr legal advice $25; L. Burly account $11; Jury selecting, W. A. Anderson $4, W. H. Borland $3; J. M. Drummond $8; M. Stewart cedar posts $4; F. Walsh repairing water tank $7.50; G. Adamson care of water tank $5; Adamson and Dobbin irons for scullies culvert $8.16; freight on grader bit 75 cents; Taylor and Hall cement culverts $17.70; Levis Fife cedar $4.80; R. R. Humphries drawing tile $1.25.

A GOOD IDEA

Is to give a pair of glasses to your parents or friends. They are always appreciated. The price is small and the quality is always there; the lenses or mount will be changed if they do not suit. There are also eyeglass chains and auto buttons, magnifiers, opera glasses, pencil and frames and base pieces, thermometers, snow glasses, auto goggles, cases readers and many others. Call and see them. Open every evening this week. See Dr. Lacey and see better. 410 George Street.

BROCK STREET RINK

Skating To-night, 57th Band in attendance. Skating every afternoon and evening this week. Band every night. Admission to skate 15c and 1c war tax. Bring your copper with you.

NOTICE

The members of Peterborough Lodge No. 111, I.O.O.F. are requested to meet at the I.O.O.F. Hall, corner of George and Hunter, to-morrow (Thursday, Dec. 21st, at 2 o'clock prompt for the purpose of paying the last and final respect to our departed brother, James Everett Withington. The funeral will leave the family residence, 186 Reid street, at 2.30 o'clock, and proceed to Little Lake cemetery for interment.

W. H. BARRY, N. G.

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ROUMANIA, EITHER WAY.

It looks a little at present as if Roumania would be severely punished for taking sides against Germany. She may be over-run, looted and harrassed, but out of this will come at last victory, through the victory of the Entente Allies. But no matter what her fate, under her choice, it cannot be as bad as the fate Germany has planned for her. She is intending to plant a Hohenzollern puppet upon the throne, in the person of Prince William, an elder brother of the present Roumanian King, Ferdinand. He is now a Prussian General of Infantry who in 1886, owing to his position and circumstances, renounced all rights of succession to the Roumanian throne, when his uncle, Prince Charles, was elected hereditary ruler of Roumania by its people. Germany is discounting her inability to hold Roumania by force of arms, and is scheming to depose the Roumanian King and set up a Hohenzollern mannikin, who will dance as Germany pulls the strings, and ensure the permanent enslavement of the people. There is a desperate chance of Germany realising this dream, and clinging to her prey in the final readjustment; but it is a straw she clings to and explains in one way why she is shouting "peace." In the remote event of this succeeding Roumania will have placed upon her a worse burden, suffer a worse fate, than otherwise, no matter how badly she is harried, ruined and outraged.

LET ALL OF US HELP.

The proposal to provide a Christmas entertainment for the wives and families of Peterborough soldiers on service is a splendid one, and not only appeals to the city, officially, but to every citizen of Peterborough. It appears that the entertainment proposed will cost $120. With the $50 of Mr. Burnham's bounty, seventy dollars is needed to meet the expected expense. It was proposed, in view of the low state of the city finances, to appeal to the public through the press. Mayor Duffus did not favour this 'village' style of doing the thing. The responsibility was thrown on the City Council. The Mayor was right in one way, and fell a little short of being fully right. The City Council should meet the shortage, for in that way the whole city would share in a small, fractional way, in the recognition that should be given by all to our fighting soldiers by kindness to their wives and families. The provision of the proposed entertainment should not be confined to the city authorities alone. It is the concern of every citizen. The soldiers at the front are fighting for us all, and all should contribute in some way or other. There should be no need of appeal for help except some leading to insure whatever little organization is necessary to give effect to what should be universal desire to cooperate.

At this Christmas season every child will be remembered mostly in the midst of the unbroken home circle. We all know the blank caused by the absence of "daddy," detained by business and other reasons, and not home Christmas day; but for many a home "daddy" is far away in the trenches, under hot fire or shivering with cold; and in many sad cases "daddy" is gone, never to come back. When we think of these things we should all join in the work of remembering them and theirs on Christmas day. We should not delegate our duty to any civic committee. It was proposed that some enterprising citizen will take the lead, and invite the co-operation of the citizens generally, not in an expensive way, but in a way to make the treat to the wives and children more elaborate and more representative of popular interest than the Council Committee with its straitened and limited means can do.

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NATIONAL SERVICE ALL ROUND.

One cannot but admire the industry of Mr. Mark H. Irish, Director Department of Labour, Imperial Munitions Board, in keeping the press active with appeals in the interest of speeding up munitions production, one of the most important, next to the provision of men, and indeed, an absolutely necessary matter, if the men are to do any effective fighting. Big guns and little guns are of no use unless supplied with abundance of ammunition. As Mr. Irish says in one appeal:

"We do not hear the sound of the guns, but we cannot fail to hear that urgent, insistent demand that the guns be fed."

But speeding up munitions production is something the public cannot affect, except by moral influence. The factories and the workmen must do their share, and the Government must do its share. But, while no fault is made by factories or workmen, unfortunately, the Government is not doing its duty. Sir Adam Beck says the munitions output is slowed down, lessened by lack of electric power, especially in Western Ontario. We are shipping power to the United States—power developed in Canada—and the munition factories are hungering for it in vain. The moulds for the guns are not being provided. Though "urgently and insistently and imperatively" called upon, the Government does not act. It needs only a scrape of the pen to keep at home the needed electric power to keep our munition factories humming to their full capacity at home available for their use. Why isn't the word spoken, when the lives, the efficiency of our soldiers are endangered and weakened by the delay?

The Government does act in other ways. Sir Robert Borden, the head of the Government, is carrying the fiery cross through the Dominion to call men to the standard; meanwhile his colleagues at home are sitting back complacently in regard to, or rather, in disregard of, the power matter, and refusing to do the only thing that can help effectively make the man worth his salt when he is "signed up"—give him something to put into his gun.

The Government can act when it is stirred up by the Home Government. At a Cabinet meeting yesterday, in response to the Home Government to do something to help solve the French railway situation—our steel plants are too busy making munitions supplies to make rails—it was decided in ten minutes to take up 300 miles of government railway sidings and 220 miles of privately-owned railway to supply material for military lines in France. This is splendid promptitude and shows a proper spirit of co-operation. These war lines, built by dismantling Canadian railways, are to be used for forwarding munitions, etc. To supply the complementary action the Government should take as prompt steps to deal with the export of power in a way to meet the demands of the munitions factories to enable them to keep running to full capacity. It won't do any good, or, at least, the most good tear up our railway tracks and transplant them in France to help the allied cause, unless we supply all the munitions we can for them to carry—to feed the guns.

The dealing with the railway situation shows that the Government appreciates the gravity and urgency of the situation. Why does it not come to a similar appreciation of the necessity of taking measures—drastic measures, if necessary—to retain in Canada the electric power needed to keep the munition factories humming to their full capacity.

While our soldiers are fighting to keep Canada for Canadians, Canadians at home should do their best to help them in the fight. When our troops are needing ammunition badly the Government, by its inaction, or refusal to act, lets the munitions plants of Western Ontario be crippled for lack of the 20,000 horse power, the amount at present needed to keep plants in full woring operation. We must have national service all round. The Government, as well as the people, must do its full share.

MR. HUGHSON JOHNSTONE IS ELECTED PRESIDENT

At a well attended and enthusiastic meeting of the Protestant Benevolent Federation in their hall last night, the following were elected to the respective offices:

Pres.—Hughson Johnstone.
Vice.—J. Wm. Worth.
Fin.-Sec.—C. A. G. Spence.
Rec.-Sec.—R. B. McGill.
Treas.—Jos. Stewart (re-elected).
Chap.—G. W. Johnston.
Con.—B. McGill.

Owing to the pressure of other business of importance the election of the other officers, drafting of committees, etc., were left over until the next meeting.

A special meeting is called for Tuesday next, Dec. 26th, at 8 p.m., when a matter of great importance to the older members especially will be dealt with.

Impossible Aspects of The Teuton Peace Proposals

The world has now had an opportunity of studying the official text of the Teutonic peace proposals. It has been a matter of general surprise to discover that these peace proposals are much more vague than the earlier telegraphic reports which were sent out. Put shortly, the German proposals are to this effect: "We are unconquerable, and can pursue the war from victory to victory until final triumph is reached. If you are of the same opinion, will you listen to proposals we have formulated for the establishment of peace?" Austria has sent a note to similar effect, in which the same thought is expressed. Austria says the war aims of the Entente Allies are completely unattainable—"Useless and unavailing, therefore, is the prosecution of the fighting on the part of the enemy." Hence, Austrians want "a discussion with their enemies for the purpose of paving a way for peace." And that is all the peace offer amounts to. It will be noticed that each note is so worded that the very fact of the Allies notifying the Central Powers that they are willing to listen to their peace proposals will be made to imply that they recognize that the objects for which they are fighting the Huns are "completely unattainable." It will also be noticed that while the Huns absolutely refused a conference to prevent the war, they are extremely anxious for one to stop it.

In the note regarding the peace offer which the German Government has sent to the Vatican there are some real gems of hypocrisy. For instance, it says that Germany is "seized with pity in the face of the unspeakable misery of humanity." That is pretty rich from the Government that caused all the misery, from the assassins of the Lusitania innocents, from the authors and instigators of the monstrous crimes in Belgian, Armenia, Poland and Serbia. If they had said they were haunted by the spectre of retribution we could have believed them, but "seized with pity!" They will say next that they are overflowing with the milk of human kindness. Again, the Vatican is informed that Germany is fighting "to ensure the integrity of her frontiers and the liberty of the German nation," which is "determined to defend to the last extremity the inherited treasure of intellectual and economic work and the social organization and sacred soil of the country." The German Government evidently forget that according to their own doctrine fighting to defend the national treasures and the sacred soil of the country is a crime meriting the most appalling and atrocious punishment. Look at what they have done, and are still doing, to Belgium for no other reason than that Belgium defended "the sacred soil of the country." But perhaps what they mean is that they are fighting to defend the treasures they have stolen from Belgium, and to defend the sacred soil of the countries they have polluted by their presence from those to whom it rightfully belongs. That may look meritorious in their own eyes, but it is an argument that is hardly likely to promote peace.

Summing up the whole peace offer, it may be said that it is couched in offensive and insolent language; and that it is full of perversions and insincerity. In other words, it is typically German. But, as the New York Evening Post puts it, "Behind all the boastfulness lies the plain fact that Germany has an intense desire to stop fighting. Coming forward with all the flourishes of a 'Germania triumphans,' she is actually a suppliant for peace. In her attitude to-day stands confessed the truth that the aims and hopes with which the German rulers entered into this war have been frustrated. Germany can neither impose her will upon Europe nor dictate a peace. She has set out to seek the best terms she can get. Let no one be deluded to this essential fact by all the fripperies of German oratory. Beneath all the pretence and all the insolence the eye catches sight of anxiety and fear."—Montreal Herald.

Hungary prohibits the importation of adulterated or artificially coloured beer or the use of colouring extracts in that brewed at home.

For women's umbrellas an inventor has devised a strap to hang them from one arm and in the strap has inserted a purse for small change.

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Pursuant to instructions I will offer for sale by public auction on the premises hereinafter mentioned on Thursday, the 21st day of December, 1916, at the hour of 2 p.m., part of Lot Number Seven, North of Simcoe street and West of George street in the City of Peterborough, described as follows:—Commencing at the North West ern angle of the said Lot, thence Southerly along the Eastern limit of Aylmer street Fifty-five feet more or less to a point, thence Easterly parallel to the Northern boundary of the said Lot to the Eastern boundary thereof, thence Northerly along the said Eastern boundary to the Northerly limit of said Lot and thence Westerly along the said Northern boundary to the place of beginning.

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FIRE INVESTIGATION OPENED TO-DAY

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hundred and twenty-three thousand dollars. The loss has not yet been proved.

Plans of the dry house, in which the explosion was said to have taken place, were then produced by Mr. Denham.

Exhibit One—Was a sectional view of the dry house looking towards the river.

Exhibit Two— Was a plan of the basement, boiler room, pumphouse, shipping room and first floor.

Exhibit Three—Showed the second, third, fourth and top floors.

Exhibit Four—Showed the balcony above the top floor.

Mr. William Walsh was employed as foreman of the oatmeal mill, while Thomas Grant served in a similar capacity in the shipping and packing rooms, with Mr. William Garvey as his assistant. Mr. C. Frost was night foreman of the oatmeal mill, while Mr. Marshall was foreman of the trucking and shipping rooms at night.

Mr. George Edwards is assistant superintendent of the entire plant, while Mr. M. J. Kirn is the mechanical engineer. The chief electrician is Mr. H. A. Fife, while Fred Mealey and Robert Allan were assigned to the duty of looking after the sprinkler system and fire pump. Mr. Mealey was employed in the day time and Mr. Allan at night. Other officials were also named by Mr. Denham.

Heard a Heavy Shock.

Describing the outbreak of the fire, Mr. Denham said he first noticed a very heavy shock followed by a roar. He was sitting in his office at the time. He ran out to the river side of the building and saw the tanks tumbling out of the east side of the dry house. A third of the mill appeared to be enveloped in flames. The falling walls disorganized the water system and rendered the sprinkler system inoperative. The pressure on the water main surrounding the building was also materially reduced, due to a break in the system, caused by the explosion, which left two ends of the main exposed. The plant was equipped with the regular sprinkler system and in addition about one hundred chemical tanks were distributed throughout the building. Weekly reports were made, concerning the fire equipment throughout the plant.

Cause of the Fire.

Asked if he could form any opinion as to the cause of the fire, Mr. Denham said that J. W. Walsh, who is at present in the hospital suffering from severe injuries received in the fire, had stated that there was a fire in the dry house prior to the explosion. The fire might have been caused by a spark from one of the grinders. Witness admitted that explosions had previously been reported in the dry house. Asked by Mr. Hatton if an explosion had occurred in the dry house about three weeks previous to the fire, Mr Denham replied "Yes."

"Was it a serious one?" enquired Mr. Hatton.

Mr. Denham—"I don't think the men in the dry house would regard it as serious."

Saw Fire.

In this particular instance a line of small-sized hose was used to extinguish the fire. Explosions in the dry house were not looked upon as dangerous from the standpoint of explosions. They were only considered dangerous from the standpoint of fire. Explosions of this nature were frequently referred to as "puffs."

Mr. Walsh, who is at present in the hospital, told of a man named Conway coming downstairs a few minutes previous to the explosions, and remarking "I smell fire." Walsh immediately shut down the grinders. He then lifted up one of the 'covers' and saw fire.

To the Crown Attorney Mr. Denham said that the force and propelling power sufficient to cause such an explosion was very much out of the ordinary.

"We don't know of anything that could have exploded other than the atmosphere, which must have been in a correct chemical condition," said Mr. Denham.

Mr. Denham could not tell the direction of the propelling force. Apparently the north and east wall was blown out. "We never expected to experience anything of this sort," said Mr. Denham. We had our dry house well ventilated, and carried all the fire-fighting equipment that was thought necessary.

AFTERNOON SESSION

When the enquiry resumed this afternoon Mr. Ross L. Dobbin, Superintendent of the Water Works Department of the Utilities Commission was called and sworn.

"The alarm I received was the explosion. At my office," said Mr. Dobbin I noticed that the pressure on my gauge dropped momentarily. It registered 45 pounds and returned at once to the normal pressure of 70 pounds. This movement on the guage and recovery was practically instantaneous.

Witness said he ran to the Quaker Oats plant. He shut off the sprinkler connection near the bridge to improve the pressure in the system generally in that neighborhood.

"I saw both Chief Howard and M Denham to ask them regarding shutting off the other connection on Quaker street. They thought it would be better to leave the water on in the sprinkler as long as possible."

SHUT OFF VALVE.

Witness later decided on his own initiative to shut off this other connection. He was unable to locate the valve near the building due to the changed external appearance of the plant resulting from recent construction. Mr. Dobbin shut off the valve on Hunter street, controlling the Quaker street 8-inch main and the other end of it at Murray street was also closed. This completely shut off the company's sprinkler system and concentrated the pressure in the water works system. Mr. Dobbin stated that before going to the fire he had given instructions for the increasing of the pressure to 100 pounds and fifteen minutes later after shutting off the main to the company's sprinkler system, ordered the pressure increased to 120 pounds.

PRESENTED A REPORT.

Witness presented a report of the pressure records at his office and at the pumping station. The latter guage showed the following registration in part on the morning of the fire.

10 a.m.—75 pounds.
10.15 a.m.—70 pounds.
10.25 a.m.—60 pounds.
10.30 a.m.—95 pounds.
10.45 a.m.—98 pounds.
10.50 a.m.—100 pounds.
11 a.m.—120 pounds.

Between 11 and 12 o'clock the pressure was maintained at 120 pounds.

17 LINES IN USE.

To Mr. Hatton witness said the Waterworks could have given all the pressure needed. There were seventeen lines of hose in use in addition to the use of garden hose by residents nearby protecting their dwellings.

The total capacity of the pumping station is sixteen million gallons including steam and water which pumps.

The steam pumps were not used. To Mr. Heaton Mr. Dobbin said he could not recall the exact time at which he closed the valves controlling the factory sprinkler system.

MR. F. L. ROY.

In calling Mr. Roy, Mr. Heaton remarked that he wanted him simply for the identification of the excellent photograph taken of the fire.' During the day and evening Mr. Roy took fourteen exposures of the fire, in addition to assisting some of the burned men.

"I never saw a set of pictures taken of a fire," concluded the Commissioner, "showing so completely and clearly the various phases of the progress of a large fire. They may not help us to arrive at the cause of the fire, but they will be put in with the official records."

CHIEF HOWARD.

When the explosion occurred Chief Howard was in W. H. Hamilton's store and arrived at the Quaker Oats factory before the brigade. "We were troubled with low pressure for a period of 25 minutes. After that we had an abundance of water without the help of the fire engine."

The Chief told of previously ordering out the fire engine and kept it working at the request of Mayor Duffus and Mr. Denham. During the period of low pressure the fire made such headway that it soon got beyond control.

Chief Howard related how he had turned the brigade to protect surrounding property. The roof of the auditorium of the Court House was lost because of the shortage of hose. Sixteen firemen were on duty that day and were assisted by many volunteers and a detachment of the Lindsay Fire Dept., which responded to two calls during the day.

Chief Howard said it was a very unusual fire for a city the size of Peterborough. He could offer no evidence of the cause of this fire.

There were no fire alarms from the Quaker Oats Co. in 1916 and only one in 1915. It was only a small fire on the first floor.

Fire Alarm at 10.15.

Chief Howard stated that the alarm of this fire was received at the Fire Station at 10.15. The call came simultaneously from the fire alarm system and over the telephone. The Fire Department's chart of the water pressure was submitted by the Chief, corresponded with the water works gauge, with but slight variations.

Boost For Service.

The Commissioner asked Chief Howard how he was able to use the Lindsay hose, and was informed that the original couplings were cut off and replaced with local couplings by the use of a hydraulic hose expander.

"I wish more municipalities were so well provided with apparatus to make hose interchangeable. Your equipment in that respect is worthy of special note," commented Mr. Heaton.

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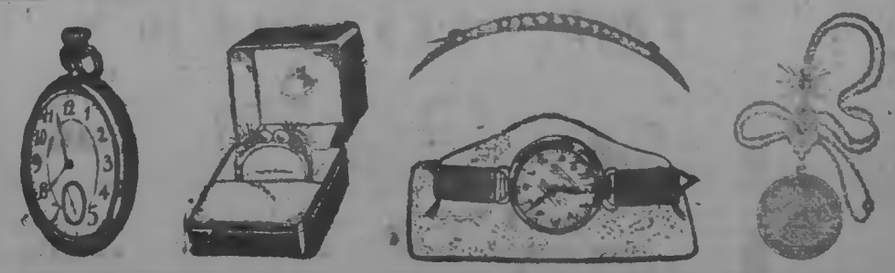

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Below are a few of the seasonable snaps we are offering:—

MEN'S SLIPPERS—Everett style, black and chocolate, with light soles and heels. Clearing at 89c

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79c

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W. R. MORRIS ASSIGNEE

WARSAW NEWS

WARSAW, Dec. 20.—The marriage of Ida Mildred, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Clemente, to Nelson Carl Spencer, of Carevale, Sask., took place in the presence of about seventy-five guests at the home of the bride's parents, on Wednesday, Dec. 13th, the Rev. J. J Robbins of St. Mark's church, officiating. The bride, who was given away by her father, looked charming in a gown of white silk and wore the customary veil and orange blossoms. Miss Lillian Calder of Peterborough, cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid and wore a dress of blue silk with Eton jacket of black velvet. Mr. John Clements was best man. Directly after Christmas Mr. and Mrs. Spencer will leave for their home near Carevale, Sask.

Mrs. Fletcher and children, of Ridpath, Sask., are the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Edwards.

The winter series meetings of the Warsaw Women's Institute will be held on Saturday, January 6th at the usual time, 2.30 p.m. A lady speaker will be present, and in the evening a joint meeting of the Women's and Farmer's Institutes will be held in the Town Hall.

The usual good programme is promised those who attend the annual concert and Christmas tree of the Methodist church on Christmas evening.

Arrangements are being made to hold an 'at home' in the town hall on Friday evening, Dec. 29th in aid of the local branch of the Red Cross.

The Christmas service of St. Mark's church will be held on Sunday evening, Dec. 24th at seven o'clock.

The Baptist entertainment and Christmas tree will take place on Friday, Dec. 22nd, at seven-thirty p.m.

More than 1,000 separate spiral springs are included in a novel and mattress which is ventilated through the sides.

A tank car built in Saxony to transport living fish long distances uses an electric motor to keep its water aerated.

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Still ample variety of toys of all kinds, little and big, simple and complex. Still plenty of dolls of all kinds and sizes. Values are particularly noteworthy.

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Watch for the After-Supper Sale Tickets Thursday, Friday and Saturday Nights in all Departments. We have odd lines and small lots that will be put on sale for quick clearance.

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EMPLOYEES APPRECIATE COMPANY'S GENEROSITY

Address Letter to Mr. W. H. Denham in Which They Express Their Gratitude For the Treatment Accorded Them by the Quaker Oats Company.

The employees of the Package Department of the Quaker Oats Company have addressed the following letter to Mr W H. Denham.

Peterborough, Ontario,
December 19th, 1916.

Mr. W H. Denham,
Supt. The Quaker Oats Co.,
Peterborough.

Dear Sir,—We, the undersigned employees of the Package Department wish to place on record to you, first, our sincere regret at the appalling loss of life to some of our fellow employees, and also the great loss we have all sustained in the loss by fire of the Company's plant here at Peterborough. We regret it, when we consider the enormous trade the Company had worked up here in Peterborough. Then again, we regret it from our view point, when we remember the feelings of fellowship that existed between us as workers, to be so rudely broken up just one week ago. Then when we say the announcement in the Press last evening of the Company's spontaneous generosity to all the employees it brought home more clearly than ever how great our loss had been, and we take this means of thanking you personally, Mr. Denham, for your kind consideration of us, when we realise how heavy your responsibilities are just at this time and we also thank the Company of which you represent in this city, for their kind and generous gift to us of the full month's wages.

Trusting it will not be long before the Company will again have their buildings erected on the old site and we shall be able to demonstrate our appreciation in a closer application to duty, and thanking you once again, we remain,

(Sgd.) Employees of the Package Department:—G. Carter, John Fagan, Emmett Kylie, Dan Hopkins, Elmer Fowler, James Fagan, Elwin Barnes, George Degen, Kevin McManus.

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People in Peterboro' Who Desire to Send Messages Should Fyle Them Not Later Than To-morrow

The local branch of the Great Northwest Telegraph Company has received notice to the effect that unless cable messages intended for the Old Country are fyled not later than December 21st, there is likely to be unavoidable delay in delivering them in time for Christmas. People in Peterborough who intend to cable the season's greetings to friends overseas should do so not later than the twentieth or twenty-first of this month to insure delivery in time for Christmas. The inability to get messages through on time after that date is due to the congestion which is inevitable at this season of the year, and more so this year as the cable service is somewhat restricted owing to the war.

KILLED BY OWN RIFLE.

Maine Hunter Uses Weapon to Pull Drowning Companion on Firm Ice.

Arthur N. Coombs of Foxboro was fatally injured at Vanceboro, Me., while aiding a hunting companion who had broken through the ice of a stream. Coombs extended his rifle butt formost toward his comrade and in the struggle to pull him on to firm ice, the weapon was discharged, the bullet entering coomb's hip. The other man reached shore safely. Coombs died at the Bangor Hospital.

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The recent extensive improvements, which have been in progress for some time past at the Banks Garage, on Charlotte street, have to some extent changed its former general appearance, and modelled it after the designs of the Willys-Overland automobile general offices and warerooms in the larger cities.

In order to carry out the details of the changes, a separate entrance was made to the garage in the rear of the showrooms. This has been accomplished in a convenient and satisfactory manner. A new stock room and business office has been fitted up behind the spacious show room. Here are arranged the parts for the different models of Overland cars in separate apartments, which will facilitate much better service and system. Mr. Banks explains that the policy of the Overland Company, for which he is the local representative is that all their dealers are required to keep sufficient spare parts on hand so as to be able to render prompt service to their patrons. Mr. Banks takes great pride in the Overland car, and wants every owner to know that he is in reach of service in his garage. And it is but fair to state that Overland owners claim that they get comfort in this car—the real comfort of deep, soft upholstering, buoyant cantilever springs, and large tires. The little jolts and bumps of the road never reach it.

McPherson's Lightning Hitch Hockey Shoes are one of Bank's specialties. They are sturdy, honest and thoroughly Canadian. Like the khaki lads themselves, they can stand hard knocks, and are indispensable to the good healthful sport of Canadian hockey.

The Automobile Skate, which Mr. Banks is an agent for, would make a Happy Christmas gift for the kiddies, as well as the bigger boys. How they would simply yell for joy when they found a pair in their stockings. This gift will keep them out in the fresh air, and give them more healthful pleasure than anything that could be bought. These and the hockey sticks, which must form part of the boys' sporting kit, are now having a good run at Banks' Garage.

Wearers of eye-glases are greatly troubled with the steam caused by the heat of the eye. This may be prevented by rubbing the glasses with soap daily. Polish after application, and an invisible film is retained which will prevent the deposit of moisture

Tells Teutons How To Live On Little

In connection with recent reports from Germany to the effect that the restrictions in the consumption of food due to war conditions has had a beneficial influence upon the health of many inhabitants of the Fatherland, especially those who were inclined to overeat before the war began, comes a story telling how the Imperial War Food Bureau is sending Professor Ismar Boas, one of Germany's authorities on food values, through the empire lecturing before women's associations on "How One Can Live Almost on Nothing." The Berliner Vorwarts remarks that, while the learned professor practically proves that a person can live on almost nothing, it seriously doubts if such a life is worth living.

In one of his recent lectures, as reported in the German newspapers and summarized by the London press, Dr Boas declared that his main object really was to dispel the prevailing apprehension that there was any danger of the national health being impaired by under-nutrition. He contended that one could speak of under-nutrition only when the pre-war standard was accepted as normal. As a matter of fact, the pre-war standard was over-nutrition, and if in a vast number of cases war food had resulted in diminishing girth and weight, these results were really blessing in disguise which should not be taken tragically.

It was only permitted to speak of under-nutrition when loss of weight and circumference was accompanied by loss of physical and mental powers, and, for so far, no deterioration in these respects was noticeable. Professor Boas's great authority on the ability to exist on next to nothing is a Danish food expert named Hindhede who for several years has supported himself and his family on potatoes bread and butter, and fruit, at a cost of a trifle over 6 cents a day per person. Herr Boas asks the Germans to follow the example of the Dane and "throw to the winds their idolatrous veneration for certain foods which they falsely regard as rich in albumen."

"Just think," said Dr. Boas, "what we might be able to do were we to get rid of this food idolatry. It would take some time to accustom ourselves to living on almost nothing, but when we have arrived at that point we shall have obtained a striking victory over ourselves, and from an economic point of view the gain will be immense."

The women of the association he was addressing audibly expressed disapproval of this, but the professor had come provided with figures and showed them on the blackboard that the 2,900 calories which the human body daily required might be found in 2,917 grams of potatoes, as well as in 2,857 grams of beef, or in thirty-five eggs. And the price of the potatoes was only 8 cents, whereas the eggs cost $2.60 and the beef $4. Beans were fine, he said. You could get your 2,900 calories in 893 grams of beans, and the cost, even at war prices, was only 35 cents.

One woman in the audience told the lecturer that, according to his theory the less the nation ate the healthier the people would be become. Herr Boas did not think that this was a fair deduction if carried to extremes, a remark which the women greeted with laughter.

The meeting is said to have ended in some disorder, and Herr Boas as he left the platform, had some caustic remarks addressed to him about his food theories.

In the course of an interview with a representative of the local German press, Dr. Frank D. Gorham, who has just returned from a nine months' stay in Germany as a member of the American Physicians' Expedition, which is doing good work in several hospitals in the Fatherland, after asserting that the food problem in Germany had been solved in a satisfactory manner, is quoted as saying:

"But in all this (the food regulation) there is no danger for the Germany of to-day. It is the coming generation that will have to suffer from the consequences of the shortage of food. The young persons are undernourished. This doesn't mean that the children have to go hungry. They have enough to satisfy their appetites. But their food is not made up in a way calculated to satisfy the demands of a growing body. Many of the substitutes, the artificial foodstuffs, fulfill their purpose very well for the moment, but the body is not so strong as it would be under normal conditions."

Dr. Graham confirmed the reports that there was a serious shortage of doctors in Germany.

Bank Will Give $200 For Arrest Of a Lieutenant

Circular Issued Asks For Arrest of Charles Rheaume.

MONTREAL, Dec. 20. — A well known private detective agency has just issued a circular offering a reward of $200 for the arrest and detention of Charles Rheaume, the former Canadian Lieutenant, who is wanted on a charge of forgery which entails accounts totalling $14,000. The bank which was victimized by Rheaume has authorized the offering of the reward and stated that the Chief of Police of Quebec has a warrant for the wanted man and that on being notified an officer will leave Quebec to bring him back.

The following description of Rheaume is contained with the following circular.

He is 25 years of age, five feet six inches in height, weighs 135 pounds and is a French Canadian. He has a military department, and sallow complexion with brown hair and is clean shaven. He speaks in broken English and is reported to have a scar under his jaw but on which side of the face is not known. When last seen Rheaume was wearing a gray coat, brown shoes, dark gaiters and a scarf with black and white stripes and a Derby hat.

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Dent's Knit Gloves, unlined, silk-lined or wool-lined, plain or fancy backs 1.50 to 2.50
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A beautiful selection of Bath Robes to choose from. See our Two Specials $6.50 & $7.50

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Our range of Smoking Jackets is not large but it is very select and offers good opportunity to the particular buyer.

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Give Him a Walking Stick .. ... $1.00 up

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Our selection of Arrow and Tooke Shirts offers you an excellent range to choose from.
We received a new assortment of Arrow Shirts this morning. Soft and starched cuffs. ... . $1.00 up

HANDKERCHIEFS
Fine Lawn Handkerchiefs with wide and narrow border..... ....10c up
Pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs.. 3 for 50c
Khaki Handkerchiefs .... 15c, 2 for 25c

DRESS UP! DRESS UP! FOR CHRISTMAS
If you intend to buy a suit or an overcoat for Christmas, you will need The "Semi-ready Make" to give you that smart appearance. Give us a call before buying. Store open Thursday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.
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FRANK L. JENNE Semi-ready Shop
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STORE OPEN THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY EVENINGS--ANNEX INCLUDED

Will This List Aid You?

The brief summary below, will prove helpful to you when choosing a gift. The list is not a complete index of everything in the store, but only a few hints that may simplify the shopping question. Scan it closely then come and inspect the lines that appeal to you.

Neckwear Department

AT—25c

Fancy collars, mitts, scarfs, baby veils, windsor ties, fancy bow ties

AT—50c

Fancy collars, middy ties, wool gloves, mitts, aviation caps.

AT—65c, 75c, 85c, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75

Fancy collars, scarfs, boudoir caps.

AT—$2.25 and $2.50

Silk lined suede gloves, assorted shades, also fancy silk scarfs.

Fancy Goods Department

Chintz Covered Boxes	59c
Travelling Sets	$2.00
Work Towels	$1.00 and $1.50
Coat Hangers, silk covered and shirred,	95c, $1.25 and $1.50
Fancy Silk Bags	$1.75, $1.00, 75c, $1.35
Fudge Aprons Worked	$1.95
Cushions	$4.90 and $5.75
Centres	$3.95

Stationery Department

Children's Picture Books	10c, 15c, 19c, 25c, 29c, 35c, 49c and 59c
Boys' and Girls' Story Books	19c, 25c and 65c
Papeteries	15c, 19c, 25c, 29c, 40c, 59c, 98c, $1.25, $1.29 and $1.75
Post Card Albums	49c and 75c
Serving Trays	98c and $1.29
Pin Trays	15c, 19c and 35c
Manicure Sets on Cards	19c
Manicure Sets in Cases	$1.95, $2.50 and $3.50
Brush and Comb Sets	$3.95, $3.50 and 69c
Military Brushes	85c, 98c and $1.25
Fancy Baskets	15c, 19c, 25c and 75c

Thurs. Annex Leader--Silk Embroidery Brown Cushions 25c each

A ten dozen shipment of 59c Silk Embroidered Brown Cushions complete with deep frill and back, ready for use. Made of splendid quality brown crash. See these on Thursday. They should be readily snapped up for a gift selection—a gift that will be appreciated because of its usefulness. Thursday Christmas Leader..... 25c

Annex Open Every Day Till Christmas

The GRESSMAN Company Limited

A FORMAL VERDICT

Returned by Jury That Investigated Death of Walter Holden, Victim of the Fire

DUTY WAS LIGHT

We, the jury sworn to enquire into the death of Walter Thomas Holden believe from the evidence submitted that the deceased came to his death on December 11th, in the city of Peterborough, from shock as the result of burns received while at his work in the Quaker Oats Building.

Such was the result of last night's inquest in the Council Chamber into the death of the late Walter Holden conducted by a jury with Coroner T. N. Greer, M.D., presiding. In view of Fire Marshal Heaton's investigation Dr. Greer observed that the jury's work would be comparatively light. The burden of its work would be assumed by the official enquiry conducted under the "Fire Marshal Act." It remained for the coroner's jury to determine when, how and where the deceased, Walter Holden came to his death.

The personnel of the jury was as follows:—Messrs. Thomas Barrie foreman, William Menzies, H. Meredith, J. W. McDermid, J. M. White, L. G. Dobbin, M. J. Maher, Herb Routley, Reg. Turner, Joseph Stewart, R. J. Kidd, and Thomas Irwin.

NO NEW FEATURES.

The evidence was brief but it covered the points the jury was deputed to consider. The identification of the body was one of the principal details of the evidence.

Mr. Thomas McMahon and Mr. Fred Mesley stated that they helped to carry out a victim from the north end of the plant but could not positively identify the man as Walter Holden. Mr. Mesley later recalled that the man had a stiff arm similar to Holden's.

Herb Johnston of the Fire Department stated that he had driven a fire truck around to the north side of the plant and received a badly burned man. He and Adjt. McElheney drove off to Bellegheen's but on the way met an automobile into which the injured man was transferred to speed the trip.

Dr. Morgan testified that he had attended Walter Holden at Nicholls Hospital. He was burned practically from head to foot and was at times delirious. Holden asked the doctor what had happened. Asked about the fire he could not give a lucid explanation on account of his delirium. He told the doctor his name and address, said he felt he was going to die and begged to be chloroformed to relieve his pain.

Dr. Morgan stated that Holden had died of his burns and the resulting shock to his system.

Mr. W. H. Denham, local superintendent of the Quaker Oats Co., gave evidence had been presented. Mr. Barr showed Walter Holden was an employee and was on duty the day of the fire.

Mr. Roland Hunter, customs clerk of the Quaker Oats Co., said he did not know deceased personally. The books of the company showed that he was present on the day of the fire. Holden was engaged as a sweeper in the drying room.

Crown Attorney Hatton and Coroner Greer felt that all the necessary evidence had been presentid. Mr. Barrie and members of the jury agreed. The jury was out about twenty minutes.

To clean marble dissolve several pieces of common soda in a little boiling water and add sufficient whitening to make it into a smooth paste. Apply this fairly thickly to the marble, and when quite dry rub off with a damp cloth and then polish.

The Spirit of the Old Time Carol Singers Lives Again in the

For Christmas Come in and Hear Them

The J. M. Greene Music Co., Limited

Charlotte Street

Money For Belgian Relief

Every Horse Purchased Locally by Mr. L. Green Means Another Dollar For the Belgian Fund

Mr. L. Green who is purchasing horses for the French Government has been depositing in the Bank of Toronto, one dollar for every horse purchased. This money has been placed to the credit of the Belgian Relief Fund and considering the fact that several hundred horses are purchased in this locality each month, a large sum should be realized for this patriotic effort.

Kiddies Cannot Wear Uniforms

New Order to This Effect Issued From Military Headquarters

Special to The Examiner.

OTTAWA, Dec. 20.—No longer may little Johnnie Canuck parade about in a diminutive reproduction of the uniform of his soldier daddy. The order has gone forth from the military headquarters that persons wearing uniforms which even resemble those of the military, will be heavily fined or given terms in jail. The order is issued it is said, especially to prevent parents dressing their children of all ages in khaki soldier uniforms of all ranks.

Former Peterborough Boy's Narrow Escape

Bombardier Cecil Clitheroe, who was recently reported wounded, has written from a hospital in France to his father, Mr. Thomas Clitheroe, of Grafton, stating that his wounds were caused by shrapnel through the right hand. The front of his leather coat and other clothing was torn off all the way across his chest, but luckily did not touch the flesh. Cecil was on his way to the ammunition station at the time, and shells were flying fast and furious. The boys' dugout was demolished so that no trace of it could be seen, but all the boys were fortunately out of it at the time. Cecil had to go three miles to a dressing station, all the way through a rain of bursting shells. It was midnight when he reached it. He is making good progress at time of writing.—Port Hope Guide.

Bombardier Clitheroe is a former Peterborough boy.

Election Talk Light In Most Of the Townships Near the City

The prospects of elections in the neighbouring townships are not looming very largely just now. North Monaghan is practically the only municipality that threatens its reeve with a contest, and that may not yet materialize. The general opinion of farmers who have discussed the question of elections in four or five townships is that they are quite satisfied with the manner in which the municipalities have been managed during the past year. Hence an election is scarcely necessary and not greatly desired.

In Otonabee it is understood that the way will remain open to Reeve W. A. Anderson for another term, and that Deputy Reeve Fred Eason will also be unopposed. Reports from Smith are not quite so definite. There has been some talk of Councillor Nicholls coming out against Reeve Fred McKee, but the general feeling is that Mr. McKee has been giving the township good government and that in its present form the Council is very satisfactory. Mr. Charlie Moore has also been mentioned in the election gossip regarding the Reeveship.

The three villages are likely to go by acclamation to the present reeves. Lakefield and Norwood have strong, capable men in Reeves H. G. Fitzgerald and Bert Squire, respectively. Neither are of the type whom it pleases to bask in the public calcium for the peculiar pleasure of the mere basking, and are possibly ready to retire whenever their ratepayers indicate a desire for a change. Certainly, these two men are among the most prominent in the County Council and must be rendering in their municipalities equally satisfactory work in their own bailiwicks.

In Monaghan the township seems to be again approaching the seemingly inevitable climax of division. The farmers in the west half of the township are quite satisfied with Reeve McIntosh. They want no election, but the residents of the fringe on the city's boundary profess to think that the township should follow Mr. Harold B. Rye's blocking tactics against the city's sewage disposal plant. In the fact of the Ontario Board of Health's recommendation of the Scott-Rutherford property it is not very evident what this group hopes to gain by their opposition. Mr. McIntosh is by no means surrendering the township's interests to the city, but has been endeavouring to follow the more harmonious method of discussing the situation before declaring it impossible of satisfactory solution.

The township seems to have split again on the old line of division. Of course this does not mean that the residents of either section would be committed to a man to a certain candidate, but that is the tendency.

Coroner's Jury Donates Fees of $24 To Christmas Entertainment Fund

Whether they were influenced by the Christmas spirit or were moved by the generosity of the management of the Quaker Oats Company, the coroner's jury that inquired last night into the death of Walter Thomas Holden acquitted themselves in a praiseworthy manner when they contributed their aggregate fees of $24 to which they were entitled to the civic fund for the Christmas entertainment of the soldiers' wives and children.

Each member was entitled to two dollars to be paid by the City Treasurer for the two brief sessions of the inquest. At the conclusion of their duties last night Mr. M. J. Maher stated that if it was in order he would move that the jjury contribute their fees to the Christmas fund for the entertainment of the families of the soldiers. Mr. Reg Turner seconded the motion and jury unanimously supported the idea.

Coroner Greer commendd the jurors upon their action, and remarked that Mr. Barrie could arrange for the transfer of the money to the fund.

HASTINGS SOLDIERS ARE HOME FROM OVERSEAS

HASTINGS, Dec. 20.—Pte. Henry Hicks, who has been invalided home from England, arrived in town on Saturday night.

Pte. Tom Learmouth of the Princess Pats, also arrived home on Monday morning to spend Christmas with friends.

In addition to the different selections being prepared by the pupils of the Methodist Sunday school for their annual Christmas entertainment, the committee have secured the services of Miss G. Langmaid, elocutionist of Albert College, also Miss Mignon Telgman, violinist, of Peterborough.

Rev. Mr. Cockburn of Toronto, has been visiting at the parsonage, the guest of Rev. and Mrs. J. Snell.

Evangelist Kathleen Morton, of Toronto, spent the week end with Rev. Isaac and Mrs. Snell.

Miss Morton conducted both services in the Methodist church on Sunday and was most acceptably received.

The Misses Fowkis left during the week for Toronto, in preparation for a trip to Florida, where they expect to spend the winter months.

Mr. Richard Bannon has returned from a trip to Western Canada.

Dr. Hess took a trip to Oshawa during the week.

Mr. Julian Carter of Havelock, moved to Hastings on Sunday and visited his mother, Mrs. S. Carter.

Miss Phyllis Honey, who has been in attendance at Normal school in Peterborough returned on Saturday to spend the Christmas vacation with her parents.

Miss Myrtle Hess took a trip to Peterborough on Tuesday.

Miss Flossie Carter spent a few days in Peterborough, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Atkinson.

Mr. Jas. Moore was in Peterborough on Friday.

Miss Mary Lambert spent the week end with friends in Peterborough.

A special train passed through on Thursday night for Campbellford to convey the performers who took part in the minstrel show in that town.

Mr. James Buck spent Friday in Peterborough.

Miss Mae Beavis took a trip to Peterborough on Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Burgess of Norwood, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. German on Monday.

We regret to report very serious illness in the case of Mr. Isaac Thompson and slight hopes are entertained for his recovery.

Miss Flo. German of Peterborough, is the guest of her parents, Mr and Mrs. B. German.

Mrs. Spellman spent Friday in the city.

A number of our young people took a trip to Peterborough during the week to view the ruins in connection with the recent fire.

While in the act of writing the news is just being circulated that Mr. Isaac Thompson, town, has passed away at an advanced age. Particulars of the funeral not to hand.

HEART DIAGNOSIS IN BRITISH ARMY

Before the Present Year Many Were Rejected Because of the System in Vogue

The thoroughness with which the hearts of British recruits have been examined since the beginning of the year before they are accepted to act in some military capacity or finally rejected is dwelt upon by the editor of the Lancet. The most delicate instruments are used, including the electrocardiograph which takes pictures of the movements of the heart and the X-ray machine. The advance which has been made in cardiac diagnosis is considered one of the striking examples of medical military progress. The Lancet says

"One of the most difficult problems in connection with the examination of recruits is the exact estimation of the condition of the heart. If the heart is of the normal size, the sounds clear, and the rhythm regular a satisfactory conclusion can be arrived at promptly; but if a murmur is heard or there is irregularity of the beat then skill and experience are required in order to distinguish between functional and organic conditions. The main point is to estimate, if possible, the amount of cardiac reserve power but this is not the only matter for consideration, and, quite rightly, cases in which doubt arises are now referred to experts for opinion.

"Since last February, by the direction of the Medical Department of the War Office, recruits in the London district whose rejection was contemplated on account of the state of their heart, have been sent to the National Hospital for Diseases of the Heart for examination and report. As up to now over 4,000 cases have been dealt with, it will be of interest to explain the general idea underlying the scheme.

"All recruits are seen in the first instance by the recruiting Medical Board, and those whose hearts are manifestly defective, as shown by the ordinary methods of clinical examination, are rejected or placed in the categories for which they are suitable while those with obviously healthy hearts are passed. It is only when real doubt arises as to whether a recruit's heart is defective, or how far an observed defect is likely to impair efficiency, that the man is sent to the heart hospital and subjected to a searching examination with the aid of instrumental appliances, which could not possibly be available for employment by the recruiting boards without the assistance of some such institution.

350 CUPS FROM A POUND OF THIS TEA.

The increased cost of tea in the country of origin and enormously advanced ocean freight rates have forced up the price of "SALADA" but only five cents a pound as yet. However as "SALADA" will yield 350 cups of delicious tea to the pound, it is still far and away the cheapest of all beverages, and more than that, possesses a unique flavour of unequalled quality.

PACKAGES OF PAPER LOST

The Examiner lost seven bundles of paper, on Saturday in packages about three inches thick, with a red label on the front—one has been returned—if those who found the other six bundels will kindly 'phone 1600 and give the address, the packages will be called for.

Make Your Xmas Gift Furs

Imagine the pleasure derived from such a gift. Can't you see how proud and happy a gift of furs would make your friends?

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LAKEFIELD PERSONALS

LAKEFIELD, Dec. 19.—Miss Ferne Blewett of Buckhorn is spending a few days in the Village the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Milford Dewer.

Mr. Perry Edwards of Peterborough spent Sunday in the village.

Mr. Lorne Webster of Smith spent Monday in the Village.

Miss M. Northey of Peterborough spent the week-end in the Village.

Cadet Kenneth McKenzie of the Halifax Naval College is spending a few weeks' holiday at his home in the Village.

Mr. Milford Dewer spent Monday in Buckhorn on business.

Mr. Peter Nicholls of Smith was in the Village on Tuesday.

Mr. G. B. Hilliard spent Tuesday in Peterborough.

Mr. Thompson Braden was in Peterborough on Tuesday.

Pte. George Lennox, who went overseas with the 93rd Battalion, has arrived home. Pte. Lennox was service at the front, but has been invalided home on account of rheumatism.

TIZ-IT THEATRE

To-day's programme at the Tiz-It Theatre is one of the best programmes the Tiz-It Theatre has shown.

We have nine big reels of pictures, including 'The Diamond from the Sky,' featuring Lottie Pickford. Now don't forget the Tiz-it Theatre is extra good. Come in and see for your self and by request 'The Jones Children are giving an extra good act for Friday and Saturday, along with the new serial 'Liberty.' Prices the same.

To keep up the stamina of your breeding stock, the males should be changed every year.

For wet weather concrete walks are economical. They are cheaply and easily made.

Do not forget to give the hogs some clover hay every day. Give them what they will eat up each day.

Dogs are liable to kidney trouble—from exposure to wet and cold and cold and from the eating of improper food.

Starched clothes must be dried quickly if they are to retain their stiffness and flannels if they are not to shrink.

Agricultural Meeting

West Peterborough Board of Agriculture are holding meetings afternoon and evening at 4th Line Hall, January 4th, and at Buckhorn January 5th, 1917. Good speakers and programme at evening sessions. All interested please arrange to attend.

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C P R. NOTICE.

Compartment Cars "Cranbrook" and "Spokane," each containing one drawing room and four compartments, are now being operated in Trains 21 and 2 arriving Toronto from Chicago at 11.10 p.m. and leaving Toronto for Detroit and Chicago at 8.00 a.m. connecting with train leaving Peterborough at 4.58 a.m. 21-143

There were 'mooley' cattle in Britain before the Romans arrived.

A heavy growth of wood tends to lessen the amount of fruit borne.

Clean water and salt should be within reach of the cattle at all times.

For best results in breeding do not have the males too closely related to the females.

The number of pigs in Manitoba was 286,433 in 1915, as compared with 329,416 in 1914.

OUR CHRISTMAS STOCK

Is now most complete.

We consider this season's selections the choicest we have ever had in all our long experience as jewellers. You will find many unique and unusual gifts as well as all the newest novelties.

A particularly interesting line of new watches and jewellery. The designs are distinctive in character.

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The lasting and therefore satisfying quality of our designing, manufacturing and selecting in Furs, Silk Dresses, Silk Waists, Skirts and Silk Sweaters make our productions unusually distinct and delightful. They are not fads—they last. In them are originality of thought, beauty and utility cleverly combined. Their money value is not the important thing—even those costing the least mean much.

Specials for Christmas in Furs	$2.00 to $500
Specials for Christmas in Dresses	$10 to $60
Specials for Christmas in Blouses	$1.50 to $20
Specials for Christmas in Silk Sweaters	$15 to $18
Specials for Christmas in Skirts	$3.50 to $20

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Unfermented Wines
Fancy Boxes of Biscuits
Peanut Butter in Bulk
Shelled Almonds and Walnuts
Muscatel Raisins

Peterboro Grocery Co.

Simcoe St., Next Turnbulls —Fred Walker, Manager

We Wish You All The Season's Greetings

Two Hundred Scenes 5,000 People

Used in "The Heart of Maryland"

History repeats itself. What was will be again. "The Heart of Maryland," once the greatest of stage plays is now the greatest of motion picture plays and with the original stage star, Mrs. Leslie Carter in the role of Maryland Calvert, which years ago firmly established her as a great emotional actress, leaves nothing to be desired.

"The Heart of Maryland," in two hundred scenes, required the efforts of five thousand people, including twelve hundred soldiers. Herbert Brenon, who produced "Neptune's Daughter," directed "The Heart of Maryland." It was produced at a cost of over one hundred thousand dollars, and was selected by Lee Shubert as the most appropriate production to open the gigantic New York Hippodrome this season.

Mrs. Leslie Carter in "The Heart of Maryland" comes to "The Grand" Christmas night for one performance commencing at 8.15. The seat sale opens Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

Food For War Prisoners

Countrymen Everywhere Asked to Aid Prisoners in Germany.

The detailed plans approved by Great Britain for the feeding of British prisoners of war in Germany were received yesterday by an official of that Government in New York. The statement in which the food problem of the British prisoners is discussed says that reports received from the American Embassy in Berlin show that were it not for the food parcels sent from England the British prisoners would die of starvation.

"Germany," the statement reads, "ought to supply enough food for all prisoners of war, but Germany has failed in ttiis, as in many other humane considerations, and to supply her deficiencies there has been organized a Red Cross Prisoners of War Committee. Beginning with December 1st committee will take over the entire control of sending food parcels to prisoners of war in Germany and elsewhere. A scheme called "The Adopters Bureau" has been drawn upon and it will be compulsory, because it has been found by experience that by careful organization through some central authority the unfortunate men who are in enemy hands can obtain most benefit. The conditions hitherto have been chaotic and the results flowing from the kindly thoughts of thousands of sympathisers were not commensaurate with their efforts. There will be, in future, only two avenues through which parcels can be forwarded. Regimental care committees supply the needs of men from their battalions. A Central Committee in London will look after civilians. The two bodies will be linked to-gether by the 'adopters' bureau'. If any regimental committee has under its care prisoners whom it would like to have, as it were 'adopted' or if there are persons in any part of the country who want to have the satisfaction of relieving the hard lot of these men, communication will be established through the bureau. It is intended to keep a complete and detailed index of all the prisoners' names and needs.

"The scheme will remedy many defects of the past. In the first place some men unhappily receive at present few parcels, while others receive many. Again, sometimes the contents of the parcels are not always of the most suitable character. It occasionally happens that they are not as securely packed as they might be. It has only been complained that, for one reason or another parcels have gone astray.

"The Germans are not holding anything like as many war prisoners as are in British hands—not by nearly 14,000; but, still the British naval and military prosiners number over 31,000 of whom 1,079 are officers, and there are also civilians. It is calculated that each officer or man should be sent every fortnight the equivalent of three parcels of food of a gross weight of 10 pounds each, apart from a matter of about 7 pounds of bread a week. Britishers all the world over can help forward this scheme by "adopting' a prisoner of war. An 'adopter' may pay for one parcel of food or bread a fortnight, or more. Even if a relative or 'adopter' can only subscribe a very small sum his or her efforts will have due effect. For instance, a subscriber of, as only a quarter or shalf a dollar a fortnight could be made responsible for the bread portion of a man's supply. The headquarters of the Adopter's Bureau for sending food to British prisoners of war is at 4 Thurloe Place, London.

A two-wheeled automobile that is balanced by a gyroscope has been invented by a Russian engineer.

One of the new gasoline farm tractors is designed to do little more than the work of a single horse.

Revolving targets, on which images of birds perch until shot down, have been invented by a Frenchman.

Pennsylvania leads the States in the use of steam power, having 20 per cent. of all in the United States.

Mills in England have succeeded in making twine and yarn from flax straw, generally considered a waste product.

CHOICEST CHRISTMAS GOODS

We have in stock to-day the brightest, cleanest, most dainty assortment of good things to eat that anyone could desire. Everything fresh and new. As a climax, we will show you, too, that our prices are most reasonable.

HONEY
Extra quality. In combs 25c
Extracted, 5-lb. tins 75c

APPLE CIDER
Extra choice. Per gallon 50c

GRAPE JUICE
Welch's Canadian made, 10c, 25c, 50c each

ORANGES
California Navels, ripe and juicy. Dozen .. 35c, 40c, 50c

CHOICE COOKING FRUITS
Valencia Raisins, California Raisins, Seeded Raisins in pkts. Seedless Raisins in packets, Clean Currants, Figs for Cooking, Dates; Orange, Citron and Lemon Peel.

MINCEMEAT
Ready to use, clean and pure, made previous to Sept. 1st.
In bulk, lb. 15c
Extra fine, in clean pound packages 20c

CRANBERRIES
15c, 2 qts. for 25c

EGGS
All fresh, but not new laid.
Dozen 45c

VEGETABLES
Celery, Cauliflower, Carrots, Beets, Parsnips, Turnips, Onions, Fresh Green Lettuce, Green Onions, Parsley.

SEEDED RAISINS in bulk 11½ per lb.

TABLE DAINTIES
Candied Cherries per lb. .. 60c
Layer Raisins, extra choice, 30c and 40c
1915 Stock, Layer Raisins . 15c
Taragona Almonds 25c
Marb ot Walnuts 25c
California Walnuts 25c
Pecan Nuts 25c
Brazil Nuts 25c
Grapes, California 20c
Grapes, green Almeria ... 20c
Ginger Chips, in boxes 35c
Ginger Root, Canton, lb... 40c
Dates in packet 12½c
Dates in bulk, lb. 15c
Fard Dates, lb. 25c
Figs in packets ..... 15c & 20c
Skinless Figs, preserved in tins 30c
Pineapples 25c

Christmas Presents There is no present as appropriate, as useful, as a selection of the above lines, to which might be added a 5-lb. tin of English Breakfast Tea or some tins or glass jars of Fruit and many other useful lines, to be found in our immense well-selected stock.

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W. E. GRIFFITH TO BE CANDIDATE IN BELMONT

Announces That He is in the Field for the Reeveship—Municipal Politics in Havelock Quiet With Three Councillors Dropping Out of the Race —A Budget of Havelock News

HAVELOCK, Dec. 20.—Mr. W. J. Matheson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Matheson of town, has been promoted to Assistant Superintendent to J. T. Halliday at Truro. Havelock friends extend congratulations.

Dr. Kindred of Tweed, was a recent visitor to town.

Dr. Crawford of Marmora was in town on Monday last.

Mr. Sam Higley has returned home from Toronto much improved in health, after undergoing treatment for rheumatism in that city for the past five weeks.

Mr. Jos. J. Lynch of Leitchville, Alta., is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Lynch.

Miss Annie O'Connell of Hastings has returned home after spending a few days with Mrs. Chas. Armstrong.

Wilfrid, Charles and D. Ackerman, of Rosmore, are the guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Spencer.

Mr. Rdison and Miss Violet Wynn of Campbellford and Mrs. Henry McMillen and Masters John and Willie of Hastings were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Varty.

Mr. William E. Griffith of Belmont announces that he is in the field for the Reeveship of that township this year in opposition to Reeve Kotchen. These two gentlemen have contested for the Reeveship during the past two years, with the honours divided evenly. Mr. Coleman Elliott may run for the council.

Municipal elections in Havelock seem quiet this year. Reeve Matheson it is expected will be re-elected by acclamation. Councillors Roche, Howe and Wright state that they are going to drop out of municipal affairs. Councillor Jones will probably stand, and if elected next year will do his best toward good roads of the village.

Word was received in town last week of the death by accident of Mr. James Bohan, Jr., who was employed as brakeman on the C.N.R. out of Regina. Full particulars of the death as yet have not been received.

This young man until recently lived in Havelock and was well and favourably known to all our citizens who were deeply grieved when the news arrived of his death.

L.O.L. No. 326 Havelock will meet at their lodge room on Monday, Dec 18th for election of officers.

Part of the proceeds of the Round Lake Christmas tree to be held on Thursday, December 21st will be given to the Red Cross.

Reeves Matheson of town and Kitchen of Belmont were in Peterborough last week, serving on the Grand Jury of the general session of the County Court held in Peterborough.

Nominations of the Belmont and Methuen Council will be held in the Town Hall, Belmont on the 22nd from 12 noon until 1 p.m.

Pte. Leslie Nickle of Madoc, a nephew of Mrs. C. A. Ghent and Lieut. H. P. Brewster of Brantford an aviator in the R.F.C. and a nephew of Mr. C. H. Brewster of town have been reported killed in action.

The death occurred on Monday last of Mrs. Jane Paget, mother of Mr James Paget of the Trent River road. Deceased was ninety years of age and highly respected by a large circle of friends. The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon to Maple Grove cemetery, services being held at the house at 2 o'clock conducted by Rev James B. Skene of town.

The sale of work and "Brown Betty Tea" held in the basement of St. John's church on Thursday under the auspices of the Girls' Guild was a splendid success and largely attended about $30 was realised which will go toward general expenses of the church.

The Bell Telephone Company has completed its line from Robert McCutcheon's to Cordova and is now in operation.

Mrs. Frank Maines of Tweed was in town for a few days last week the guest of her aiste, Mrs. A. Armiston.

The Red Cross concert held in the Town Hall on Friday evening, December the was a great success and much credit is due Miss Vance and Miss Williams, who undertook the heavy task of organising the whole affair which kept them busy the past three weeks both night and day. The programme was delightful, the first part represented a court of famous women, all striving for the crown of world opinion, but all, including famous guest of her sister, Mrs. A. Armiston, forced to yield the honour to whom it surely should go to mother.

The various characters forty-five in all, were well represented and splendidly and appropriately attired. A dramatic situation was infused when "German Kulture" stalked in unannounced seeking the high honour, but retired humbled and discomfited under 8th was a great success and much Daughter of the Empire.

The latter part of the programme was a representation of "The Allies" by ten girls dressed in the national colours of the various countries they represented. This part was especially beautiful and it ended in a wonderfully striking tableau of "Canada mourning her dead."

Total receipts amounted to $106.50 which was handed over to the Relief Committee.

Continuation School Report for month of November.

Form 1.—B. Plunkett, H. Curtis, A William, L. Anderson, B. Clark, L. Ruttan, E. Forde, J. Smith, A. Backies, C. Reid.

Form II.—F. Watson, G. Vansickle, R. Coon, M. Crowe, N. Wilde, G. Haig, L. Hubel, C. Green, I. Clarke J. McNichol.

Form III.—J. Clark, J. Quackenbush, H. Johnson, M. Williams, Bessie Curtis, C. Orerend, H. Plunkett, B. Curtis, I. Burgess.

Miss Brewster, C. H. Davard, Teachers.

Council met in the Council Chamber on Friday night, December 15th at 7.30 o'clock.

Present—Reeve Matheson, Coun. Howe and Jones.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Moved by Coun. Jones, seconded by Coun. Howe that a number of accounts be paid.

Mr. Skene presented his report after auditing rolls of 1913, 1914. 1915.

Moved by Coun. Jones, seconded by Coun. Howe that Mr. Skenes report be accepted.—Carried.

Council adjourned.

The Ladies' Curling Club

At a meeting of the Ladies' Curling Club held yesterday at the Curling Rink the following officers were elected:

President—Mrs. A. H. Stratton.

Vice President—Mrs. W. H. Hill.

Secretary—Miss Morrow.

Treasurer—Mrs. H. Thompson.

In the absence of the President Mrs. A. E. Coulthard acted as chairman. Another meeting will be held in the near future when skips will be elected.

ANNUAL ELECTION OF THE Y. M. C. A. DIRECTORS

The annual election of directors of the Peterborough Y.M.C.A. will occur on Tuesday evening, January 16th, 1917, at 8 o'clock. Every member of the Y.M.C.A. who is also a member in good standing of some evangelical church, is allowed to cast his vote at this election and is expected to be present at the time and place mentioned.

Members of the Board whose term expires are G. A. Gillespie, J. J. Howden, Thomas Barrie and Dr. A. Moir.

In accordance with the provisions of the constitution, the President of the Association has appointed a Nominating committee composed of G. A. Gillespie, H. B. Cowan, M. Lyle, J. E. Smith, Ross Dobbin and Harry Taylor. Members of this committee will meet on Tuesday, January 9th to make nominations, and any member of the Association may submit to this committee before said date the name of any active member of the Association whom he desires to see a member of the Board.

The final meeting of the Board of Directors was held at the Association Building Tuesday evening. The members of the Board first partook of a turkey dinner as a mutual treat, after which the various reports of the Association committees and officers were received and considered. The financial report shows that the Association has run pretty close to the estimated receipts and expenditures during the year 1916, although the original budget of the Association which was made up on the basis of $8,000 will likely be exceeded by about $250, this being the result largely of the increase in the expense of heating the building.

The Association is short on its $5,000 subscription canvass by about $320. The members of the Board will endeavour to secure subscriptions to cover this shortage before the 1st of January next. It would be a great help to the Association, in view of the many obligations which must be met at this time, if subscribers would kindly mail their cheques to the Association office this week.

Reports of the officers show the work of the Association to be in a most healthy condition, gymnasium and Bible classes and Sunday afternoon meetings having a larger attendance than in any previous year.

The social privileges of the Association are being widely used. Three bowling leagues are now using the alleys, and other features are proving equally attractive.

There will be no regular Sunday afternoon meeting held until after the first of the year in view of many conflicting engagements on the part of our young men.

The hose was turned on the skating rink Tuesday afternoon for the first time, and it is expected that there will be skating by Saturday of this week.

Another Vacancy In the Senate

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, Dec. 20.—The death of Sen. Robert MacKay of Montreal, leaves the standing of political parties in the Senate: Liberals 42, Conservatives 31, Vacancies 14. With all the vacancies filled the Conservatives will have majority of three in the upper house. The Liberals have had majority in the Senate for the past fifteen years.

Photographs taken this week finished for New Year's

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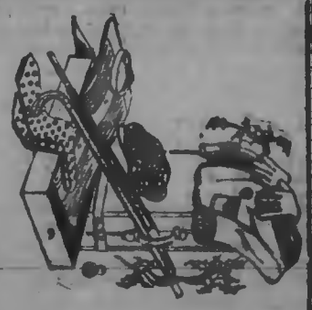

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Boy's Sweater Coat...$2.00 to $5.00
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Heavy tweed ulsters, ages 10 to 18, convertible, button back. Worth up to 8.50 for.... ....$6.45

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Young men's stylish short coats, broken lots. Worth up to 16.50 for .. $12.90

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Children's Suit Special

All-Wool Blue Serge in Fancy Norfolk, stitched belts and pleats, fancy pockets, real nice suit. Special..... $4.35
A Dark Fancy Tweed in above style .. $2.95

We have made a few suggestions above. No doubt there are many we have overlooked—we'll be pleased to have you call and we'll do all in our power to assist you.

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THE WORLD OF SPORT

JUNIOR PRACTICE AT 7 O'CLOCK TO-NIGHT

Junior hockey players are reminded of the practice to-night at 7 o'clock at Brock street rink. It is important that players should be on hand in time to get on the ice at 7 o'clock sharp. The following players are expected out and a practice game will be played:

	Goal	
Carney		Murray
	Defence	
Montgomery		Moore
McIntyre		Scott
	Rover	
Graham		Wright
	Centre	
Cherrett		Clarke
	R. Wing	
McFee		Park
	L. Wing	
Bartley		Frost

HOCKEY GOSSIP

The 93rd Battalion hockey team, which this time last year was preparing for their battles in the intermediate O. H. A series, are nearly all playing the big game in France. Lieut. Dupuy, the defence player, Lieut. Ketchum, left wing, Pte. Percy Windsor, centre, Pte. Harry Blewett, right wing, and Lieut. Sexton, rover, are all at the front, and Capt. Widdifield, the goal keeper, will be there in a short time, if he has not already gone. Pte. Wedlock, Sergt. Anderson and other spares of the team are also in France. Peterborough hockey fans will unite in wishing them the best of luck and a speedy return.

Lieut. Barney Quinn, of the 247th Battalion, who before the war was a member of the Y.M.C.A. Junior City League team, was out at practice with the 247th last night. Considering that he spent the last two winters in the trenches he showed good form.

Sergt. Wm. Lane of the 247th Battalion, better known as "Ajax," is acting as trainer of the soldiers' intermediate team. He knows how to put a team in condition.

Claude Montgomery, the clever little goaler of last year's Electrics, has been selected as goalkeeper with the 228th Battalion (Toronto) Junior O.H.A. team. Montgomery donned the khaki last summer and is a signaller with the 228th.

Leo Derocher, the old Peterborough goal keeper, was a visitor at the rink last night.

Leo Kennealey, who was a spare with the Peterborough juniors last year, and who played great hockey for the Pennants in the City League, is attending St. Michael's College, Toronto, but is eligible to play here. He will be out with the team during the Christmas holidays.

The 247th intermediates had a lively practice at Brock street rink last night with a big squad in line although all the players were unable to get out. Among those in uniform were: Legros, Halpin, Coughlin, Thornton, Shaw, Quinn, McMartin, Jackson, Kennealy, Hayes, Evans and King. The latter hails from Regina.

With a double schedule for the 247th intermediates and a single for the Peterborough juniors, local fans will see six games during January. The Soldiers will play Lindsay twice and Cobourg twice at the Brock street arena, while the juniors will entertain Bowmanville and Oshawa, the first visit of the Lakeshore teams here for several years.

BOWLING

At the Water street alleys, the turkey given for the high score for three games for Monday and Tuesday was won by Mr. W. D. Bishop, his scores being 199, 214, 199—612. J. D. Fitzpatrick held the high score of 598 up till 6 o'clock Tuesday night, when it was beaten by Mr. Bishop.

Owing to the death yesterday morning of Mr. Everett Williamson, of the De Laval Co., there was no league game played last night on Water street alleys. Arrangements will be made to have the game played in the near future.

GAIN IN GERMAN SAVINGS.

Small Depositors Assured of No. Danger from War Loans.

Following the official closing of subscriptions to the Fifth German war loan in October, many of the savings bank depositors who had drawn out their little hoards as to the effect of a rumour that the Government was to force the savings banks to subscribe to the loan if such steps became necessary, began bringing their money back to the banks, and the Berliner Tageblatt reports that during the first half of October the savings banks of the German capital took in $536,500 in excess of their disbursements. The Tageblatt remarks in this connection that "Unfortunately in the meantime a great deal has been spent for useless things, something that would not have happened if nobody had paid any attention to such silly rumours in the first place."

[illegible] part played by the pupils of the German schools in raising money for the loan, the Berlin press points out that even the illegitimate children standing under the guardianship of the city subscribed 180,000 marks, bringing their subscriptions to all five war loans up to 314,700 marks, $74,796.)

If you want to get paint stains off a dress or washing material of any kind, saturate the spots two or three times with equal parts of ammonia and turpentine and then wash in the usual way.

$100,000,000 a Year U. S. Cancer Toll

Head of Actuarial Society Estimates Value of Human Lives Destroyed

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.— Cancer is not hereditary, nor is it contagious, according to Arthur Hunter, President of the Actuarial Society of America, who told the Association of Life Insurance Presidents the conclusions he had drawn from an extensive study of life insurance statistics.

"Every one must recognize a serious menace to the community in any disease which resulted in more than 80,000 deaths last year and which in the last decade has caused the deaths of nearly 750,000 inhabitants of the United States," he said. "About one-half of those deaths in 1915 were among persons under 60 years of age. If we assume that each of those individuals was worth potentially $2,500, the community was poorer by $100,000,000 through their deaths, aside from the cost of attending them in their sickness.

"There seems little to support the view that cancer is the result of contagion. Twenty thousand applications for life insurance received in August, 1916, were reviewed, and it was found that in 468 cases one only of the parents of the applicant died of cancer, and in only four cases both parents were stated to have died of that disease. Out of these 402 cases where one or both parents had died of cancer, 42 per cent. of the other parents had died of some other disease, 56 per cent. were living, at an average age of 61, and less than 1 per cent. had died of cancer. There were accordingly 122 times as many cases in which one parent had died of cancer as of those in which both parents had died of the disease. This clearly indicates that there is very little to fear from contagion.

"My first investigation as to possible heredity consisted of cases of persons insured in six companies, both parents having died of cancer prior to the date of application for insurance. I first ascertained, wherever known, the cause of death of the parents of those who died of cancer. Of 472 grandparents of the insured the cause of death was given in 234 cases, of which 2 were from cancer. The cause of death was stated in 184 of these as 'old age,' the average age at the death of which was 82. In 72 of the cases the cause of the grandparents' death was not known, but the age was given, the average being 62. In 155 cases neither the age nor the cause of death was known. It is reasonable to conclude that if only two died of cancer out of 234 parents of persons who died of cancer, that disease is not hereditary.

"My next task was to find the death rate from cancer among those whose parent had both died of cancer. Of 175 sons and daughters who lived beyond the age of 40, 19, or 11 per cent., had died from various diseases at the age of 52. None of these deaths had been from cancer. The remaining 156 were living at an average age of 53. Of the 103 sons and daughters who lived beyond the age of 50 there were 9 deaths, none of which had been due to cancer. The remaining 63 were alive at an average age of 59. As the average age at death from cancer among life insurance policy holders is about 55, many of the progeny of the cancerous parents were within the danger zone, yet there were no deaths from cancer.

"The material that has been presented justifies the belief that cancer is not hereditary, and that there is no hereditary predisposition to that disease. Certainly the statistics show that a man or a woman, one or both of whose parents died from cancer is no more likely to die from that disease than those whose family history was free from that blemish. Strong proof should be presented in the future to justify asking the public to take any other point of view. Men and women who are in anxiety of mind on account of the appearance of cancer in their ancestry or immediate family may dismiss such anxieties as there is no statistical evidence at the present time that the disease of cancer is transmitted by inheritance in mankind."

DEUTSCHLAND NOT BLAMED.

Mistake of Tug Captain Responsible For New London Tragedy.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Dec. 20.— A mistaken [illegible] signal given by Capt. John H. Gurney of the tug T. A. Scott, Jr., when that vessel and the German submarine Deutschland were drawing close together in the swirling water off Race Rock, in Long Island Sound, was responsible for the collision between the two vessels on November 17, which resulted in the loss of several members of its crew, according to the finding of Federal steamboat inspectors, made public yesterday.

Captain Koenig of the Deutschland is exonerated from blame.

TORONTO MAN WAVED THE FLAG IN BOSTON

But It Was the Union Jack and the Hub Nearly Mobbed Newton Wylie

Scenes at a Billy Sunday Meeting Quieted When Starry Banner Was Lugged Out.

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 20.— There was a new kind of excitement in Billy Sunday tabernacle, opposite the Boston Opera House, Monday, when Newton Wylie, of Toronto, billed as the man who put Ontario on the water wagon, was asked by Mr. Sunday to mount the platform and tell the vast audience something about it.

The request came at the close of one of Sunday's famous booze sermons, which he gave especially to have its influence in Tuesday's Boston election, when the city is making the greatest fight in a half century to go dry.

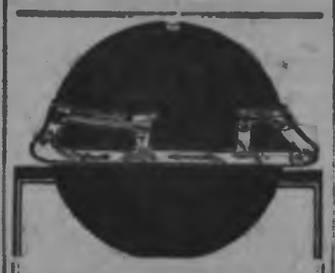
Mr. Wylie mounted the platform and started to tell those assembled what he had done for Toronto and other Canadian cities, and as he talked he in some mysterious way drew from his clothes a small British flag, which he started to wave. There were evidently Germans in the audience, for at once a yell went up from many quarters, and in less time than it takes to tell, a small sized riot was on. Men were struck down and some women fainted and had to be taken to the rest room in the rear of the tabernacle.

As things began to assume serious aspects, Mr. Wylie very craftily and also in some unknown manner, probably by a trick of Black Art made away with the British flag and produced the Stars and Stripes. This quieted the audience, and quiet was resumed. Brewster and Matthews struck up "America," and most of the audience arose and sang.

PEANUTS FOR EVERYBODY.

Texas to the Front With Big Crops This Year.

Twelve million dollars is a conservative estimate of the value of the Texas peanut crop for 1916, according to investigators of the agricultural committee of the Texas Bankers Association, conducting the "safe farming and high-priced cotton campaign," under direction of William G. Greg of Dallas.



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Dropped Bag of Hams When Police Asked Questions

Rude Little Jolt for Man Who Sought to Reduce Cost of Living.

MONTREAL, Dec. 20.—Having more respect for liberty than for high-priced eatables, some one who was afraid of police scrutiny, dropped an eighty pound bag of hams and a side of beef when he was asked to give an account of himself and the bag, at 2 o'clock yesterday morning.

Constable St. Amour saw the man and the bag together for a few minutes. When the 'Cop' asked a question the man and bag moved away. Several questions were asked while the men were some distance apart, the bag carrier increasing his speed after request for information. Finally the policeman ran, then the prowler, with eighty pounds handicap, looked like a 1 to 20 shot. He discarded his surplus weight and put on full steam. He outdistanced the bluecoat, and seemed quite immune from whizzing bullets. With no one else on the street, the constable fired to hit. He let six shots ring out after the stranger before the latter turned off Craig street to Wolfe. A blind alley at that point had no terrors for the pursued, who scaled a high fence and made his escape. The meat was taken to No. 3 police station, where it awaits an owner.

TO FIX PRICE OF WHEAT

British Government Will Regulate the Home-Grown Article.

LONDON, Dec. 20. — Sir Richard Winfrey, Under-Secretary of State for Agriculture, announced yesterday in the House of Commons that the Government would fix a price for home-grown wheat for the season 1916-17.

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ALLIES WILL REPLY TO GERMANY

PARIS, Dec. 20.—Premier Briand announced in the Senate yesterday that the Entente Allies would send to-day a concerted reply making known "to the Central Powers that it is impossible to take their request for peace seriously."

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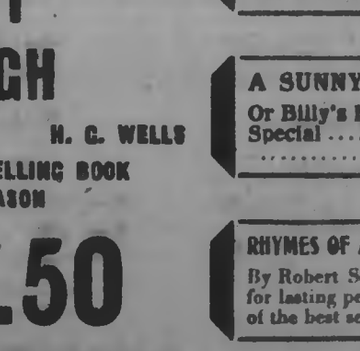
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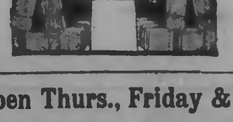

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BUSINESS NOTES

National City Bank of New York to give employes bonuses equal to twenty per cent. of their annual salary.

During the past week 10 American companies declared extra dividends and 11 increased their rates. One company resumed disbursements, and one initial dividend was declared.

Boston American says $5,000,000 to $10,000,000 is said to have been taken from investors in New England in stock frauds, and that federal attorneys are investigating.

More than $10,000,000 worth of automobiles is held up at Detroit on account of lack of freight cars.

Contracts for $75,000,000 of Overland and Willys-Knight automobiles for 1917 were signed last week by first three groups of Overland dealers.

The annual general meeting of the Bank of Nova Scotia will be held at Halifax, N.S., Wednesday 24th Jan. at 11 o'clock a.m.

Standard Oil of New Jersey to give substantial bonuses to clerks, salesmen and other salaried employes.

Jones and Laughlin Company of Pittsburg announce a ten per cent wage increase.

Union Bag and Paper Corporation announced a Christmas bonus of ten per cent. of salaries for all employes payable in quarterly instalments, beginning December 15.

General Electric Co., announced a monthly bonus of ten per cent. of the monthly wage to all employed of the company receiving less than $2,500 per year. This bonus becomes effective as of Dec. 1. Sixty thousand employes will benefit.

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A Writing Portfolio.....from 75c to $6.00
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A Leather Music Roll
A Jewell Box in Ivory, Tortois or Leather
A Combination Toilet and Manicure Set in Ivory or Ebony.. from $8.50 to $25.00
A Brush and Comb Set.....from $1.50 up
A Thermos Coffee Pot or Water Jug
A Fountain Pen, regular or Safety
A Bottle of Toilet Water, etc., etc.

FOR HIM
MAY WE SUGGEST

A Genuine Rubber Set Shaving Brush
A Razor (Old Style or Safety)--Gillette, Auto-Strop, Ever-ready, etc.
A Shaving Mirror, a Shaving Set or a Razor Strop
A Pair of Military Brushes, Ivory or Ebony
An Ebony Hair Brush, Clothes or Hat Brush
A Thermos Bottle or Thermos Kit
A Flashlight
A Chamois Vest or Fountain Pen
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PROBABILITIES.

Light snow falls to-day. Thursday, north and northwest winds, becoming colder.

PIANO TUNING.

'Phone 595, The Greene Music Co., Charlotte Street, when your piano requires tuning or regulating. All work guaranteed. dtf

SCHOOLS CLOSE TO-MORROW.

The public schools of Peterborough will close to-morrow at noon for the Christmas holidays. The Normal school closed on the fifteenth.

DENTAL.

Dr McKenty, Dentist, 370 George Street, on the ground floor, first door north of Peterborough Hardware Company. Nitrous oxide and oxygen administered for painless operations. 28d-12-

NOTICE.

Will the person who took the Simpson envelope containing a sum of money from 64 Hunter street, during the removal of household goods at the time of the Quaker fire, please return and save trouble.

A GOOD PURCHASE.

We purchased a complete line of pipes before the advance in prices, real amber, extra good briar. We have also a very large stock for Christmas of cigars and tobaccos. We always give extra good value. Call and see us.—Yeates Bros, 339 George street.

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Furniture purchased now as gifts, will be held until Christmas week if desired. Dining room furniture on sale this week. Some handsome styles to choose from. A collection of colonial art craft and modern style buffets. See our show window. A fine example of the William and Mary style.

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ONE BROTHER OMITTED.

In yesterday's obituary notice concerning the death of James Everitt Williamson, the name of one brother was omitted, namely, Harry Williamson.

EXPRESS AND BAGGAGE.

E. D Cooney, a returned soldier, has taken over the express business of Eddie Reid and will give prompt and careful attention to all work entrusted to him. 'Phone 847. E. D. Cooney, 340 Aylmer street

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Social and Personal

The ladies in charge of the fish pond in connection with the bazaar of the Immaculate Conception Church, wish to thank all those who so kindly donated to the "pond." Thanks also to Miss Derry, Mr. Hooper, Potvin, Gef O'Brien, Routley, Lavoie Knitting and Mr. Tom Turcott for the set of pretty little chickens and to Mr. Tom Lane and George O'Hearn.—"A Merry Christmas to All."

Mr. Charles Paton formerly teller in the local branch of the Bank of Montreal, played a flying visit in the city enroute from London to Winnipeg where he has been transferred.

Cadet Kenneth MacKenzie of the Royal Naval College, Halifax was a visitor in the city this morning.

Visitors in the city this morning from Lakefield included Reeve H. Fitzgerald, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morrison, Miss Winnifred MacKenzie and Mrs. G. W. Patrick.

Mr. J. A. Hazen of the Goderich branch of the Bank of Montreal, has been transferred to the local branch.

Adj. McElhiney goes to Toronto to-morrow to do some business with Headquarters and to take the chair at the annual Christmas entertainment at the Temple at Headquarters. A splendid programme has been provided and the annual event there promises to be the best yet. Adjt. and Mrs. McElhiney will return on the midnight.

The hostesses for the tea at the Masonic Hall to-morrow afternoon will be, Mrs. Don Shenk and Mrs. Nicholls. Those who will assist, Misses F. Collins, F. Burnham, J. Hay, M. Rogers, E. Worth, L. Bellegham, F. Hamilton and R. Langford.

Miss Daubus, Lakefield was the guest of Mrs. (Prof.) Sloan McDonnel street to-day.

Dr. Alex Robertson was in Toronto to-day on business.

Sure To Get a Fountain Answer. A judge—a colleague of Lord Chancellor Ellenborough—had acquired the habit when delivering judgment, of putting by way of argument to himself the question, "I ask myself," so and so. On one occasion he began as usual—"I ask myself," so and so. "Yes," quietly remarked Lord Ellenborough, "and a d—d foolish answer you'll get."

Women would be happy if they could live long without getting very old.

AWARDED THE D. S. O.

Colonel G. T. Denison of Heydon Villa, Dovercourt Road, Toronto's senior police magistrate, has received word that his son, Maj. Garner W. Denison (brother of Mrs. W. H. Dunsford, Peterboro) has been awarded the Distinguished Service Order for his splendid work during the attack on and capture of Thiepval. The award follows a letter from the officer commanding Maj. Denison's division thanking the Major for the work of his company at that engagement and asking that the men of that company be congratulated.

Maj. Denison's career has been distinctive in the military history of Canada. He graduated at the head of his class from the Royal Military College, Kingston, after establishing the highest record ever made at the institution up to that time. He immediately entered the Royal Engineers and since that his work has been one of the shining lights in the engineers service. He sat on the Boundary Commission between British and French Nigeria, and was later engineering officer in Africa. He later served in Somaliland, and in India.

His work during the war has been equally distinctive. He was wounded at Gallipoli, where his five officers were killed, and he was left to command the company alone. He later saw some fighting against the Arabs in Egypt, and was mentioned in the despatches for his fine work at the front. Recently he has evidently done excellent work in strengthening the lines before Thiepval, and it is evidently for this work that he has been honored.

EXCLUSIVE GIFTS

In the past month we have received many articles of gift presentation that cannot be duplicated elsewhere such as

Sterling Silver Jewel Boxes
Sterling Silver Engraved Purses
Travelling Jewel Boxes
Toilet Sets in Leather Cases
French Ivory Toilet Sets

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New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—A raid by bears on the Stock Exchange shortly after 2 o'clock this afternoon drove prices off to nearly 12 points from the high quotations of the day. U. S. Steel broke to 108 1-4 under an avalanche of selling orders as compared with a high to-day of 113.

Dow Jones, financial news ticker, in explaining the break, said the street had confidential reports that the administration will address to the belligerents "some suggestions or proposals in regard to peace," in the near future.

New York, Dec. 20.—Airbrake 155, Atchison 104 3-4, 104 1-4; B. and O. 85, 84 1-2, C.P.R. 165, Erie 37 1-4, 36 1-2, Reading, 108 1-4, 107 5-8, Rep., 80 1-2, 78 3-4; U. Pac., 148 3-4, 148 1-2; U. S. Steel, 112, 108 1-2; Int. Nickel, 43 1-2, 43; Anaconda, 87 1-2, 85 1-8.

Chicago grain—December wheat, 153 1-4, May, 161 3-4; December corn 90 1-2.

Canadian stocks — Steel of Canada, 72 1-4, 70 3-8, Cement, 63, 62 1-2; Dom. Steel, 72, 71; Steamships 38 1-4, 34; Canada Car, 40.

LONDON, Dec. 20. — The Stock Market opened to-day with a general strong tendency following Lloyd George's speech before Parliament, reflecting confidence.

MARKET OPINIONS OF NEW YORK HOUSES

Shearson, Hammill & Co.—We would continue to advise liquidation on the rallies.

E. & C. Randolph—There are a good many lame ducks waiting to get out of the stocks. Bull confidence has had a shock from which it will take it some time to recover, and I believe that stocks are a sale on strong spots.—Evans.

J. S. Bache & Co.—We would not be in any hurry to buy stocks. Better pay a little more for them when the present uncertainty has passed.

Bryant, Dunn & Co.—It would be natural to expect trading to become more and more professional for the time being at least.

Laidlaw & Co.—The matter of new engagements appears to call for discriminating judgment in order to avoid a repetition of the over-extension which was only partly corrected when the market received its first "peace shock."

LIVE STOCK MARKET

TORONTO, Dec. 20.—Live stock receipts fair, prices steady, prices unchanged.

FOWLER'S PEBLO GLASSES

OPTICAL GIFT LINES

There's a surprising list of gift suggestions to be found in a well stocked optical establishment, and they are the unusual kind that are always appreciated.

Little accessories like Eye-Glass Chains are a favorite. Reading Glasses Opera Glasses, Thermometers and our great leader, a pair of "Peblo" glasses in gold mounts which can be fitted after Christmas.

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WEDDING BELLS

MEYER—DUNCAN

This morning at the Murray Street Baptist Church parsonage Mr. Carl Meyer so well and favourably known in this city was united in marriage with Miss Ines Duncan of 302 Pearl Avenue, Rev. J. R. Webb, performed the ceremony after which the happy couple left for Montreal. Mr. and Mrs. Meyer will reside at 1242 Bloor Street, Toronto.

RUTHERFORD—McGREGOR.

A pretty wedding was solemnized this morning at nine-thirty at the home of the bride's father, Mr. Matthew McGregor of Browntown, when Miss L. N. McGregor was united in marriage to Mr. Walter Wallace Rutherford of Campbellford. The Rev. J. A. MacKenzie officiating. The happy couple left on the 11.27 for points east to spend their honeymoon.

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Cold Wave Coming

(SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER)

ST. PAUL, Minn., Dec. 20.—The coldest December temperature, in fifteen years was registered to-day, when the mercury dropped to twenty three below zero at nine a.m. The cold wave is coming east.

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Mother of pearl should never be washed with soap, for it discolours and destroys the brilliancy of the shell. The right method of cleaning is with whitening and cold water.

Tea kettles would last longer if after use they were turned upside down to drain dry. It is the little drop of water left at the bottom which starts the rust that ends in a leak.

If your gas burns unevenly, low at one side and with long flame at the other, you may be sure there is dust in the tip. Run a piece of thin cardboard through it and you will remove the dirt.

If your wash boiler should rust make a lining of unbleached cotton to fit it. Use cover to cut pattern of bottom. This is a splendid way to keep clothes from getting spots of iron rust on them.

Old-Fashioned Things.—An old but clever doctor was noted for his grotesque manner and old-fashioned methods. One time a lady called him in to treat her baby who was slightly ailing. "But, doctor," protested the young mother, "castor oil is such an old-fashioned remedy!" "Madam," replied the doctor, "babies are old-fashioned things."

Lemon juice whitens and toughens the hands without making the skin look hard. Raw potato rubbed on the hands after peeling potatoes and before washing removes the stain splendidly.

How cheerful the average married man is when his wife's away on a visit.

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NATIONAL PROHIBITION IN ENGLAND

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec. 21.—Within forty-eight hours of Premier Lloyd George's first speech, England has been unprecedently awakened to the actualities of war.

Revolutionary changes have come in rapid succession. If national prohibition of liquor was announced this afternoon it would not be surprising. It is reported that liquor will soon be entirely banned in Scotland in order to increase the output of shipping. Such a move would also increase the output of shells and foodstuff in various ways if applied rigorously to the entire country.

Battleships For United States

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—New U. S. battleships will cost twenty-four millions each and will mount 12 sixteen-inch guns. The most powerful afloat.

VON BISSING'S REPLY TO BELGIAN PROTEST

But He Says That Belgian Labourers Abandoned Work ---What Belgians Say--"German Authorities Opposed Resumption of Industry"---History Will Speak.

GERMANS TO BLAME

HAVRE, Dec. 21.—The reply of General Von Bissing, German Governor-General in the occupied portion of Belgium, to the protests of Belgian Senators and deputies now living in Brussels, against the deportation of Belgians, has been received by the Belgian Government.

In it the German Governor repeats the defence of his actions, so often given, saying that "a large part of the Belgian labourers have abandoned work"; "that the long continuance of this situation began to be felt in evil effects"; that, "in collaboration with competent Belgian ministers, decrees against idleness were issued," and that "the decrees were founded upon considerations of health and conform to the right which without doubt subordinates a conquered people to the army of occupation."

DOES NOT DENY BRUTALITY.

The Belgian Senators and Deputies, replying to General Von Bissing's note, say that he does not contest the brutality of the deportations and the scenes of despair resulting therefrom. They deny that the idleness of the Belgians is attributable to the isolation of the country by the act of the allies, and recall that England agreed to facilitate a supply of raw material for industries as well as food for the population under diplomatic supervision.

"This was a guarantee," said the Belgian rejoinder, "too natural to be rejected, but it was refused, and the project was necessarily abandoned under pressure from German manufacturers, who, without doubt, anticipated the complete ruin of Belgian competition."

GERMANS TO BLAME.

The reply says that if there are idle workers in Belgium it is because the German authorities used every means to deprive them of work and opposed the resumption of industry provided by private and public enterprises. After recalling the proclamation of General Von Bissing at the outset of his administration in which he promised to restore peace and economic prosperity to the occupied regions. The reply concludes:

"History will say what that restoration was and also that the dismantling and depopulation of our occupied provinces for the profit of belligerent Germany has not been accomplished without cries of revolt. The imprecations of the deported and their families and the protestations of public conscience have echoed throughout the world."

Great Lakes Shipping Closed

Special to The Examiner.

SAULT STE MARIE, Dec. 21.—All canals and locks are ice bound and the Great Lakes shipping is closed for the winter.

Rebellion Has Been Squelched

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

MADRID, Dec. 21.—The Portuguese rebellion is squelched. The government is master of the situation.

Gen. Von Bissing Reported To Be Dangerously ill

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 21.—Gen. Von Bissing, the German Governor-General of Belgium, was reported dangerously ill of pneumonia, in despatches received to-day from the frontier. He has been temporarily replaced at Brussels as governor-general, pending his recovery.

British Enter German Lines

Examiner Special:

LONDON, Dec. 21.—British enter German lines, inflicting much damage and taking some prisoners.

Chinese Minister Denies the Rumour

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PEKING, Dec. 21.—The Chinese Foreign Minister denies rumours that China is to join the Entente Allies.

ELEVEN BELGIANS SHOT BY GERMANS

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 21.—Eleven Belgians, accused of spying, were shot by Germans last night.

Greece Protests Allied Recognition

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

ATHENS, Dec. 21.—Greece has protested the recognition of Venizelos by the Allied Powers.

FLOUR DOWN TWENTY CENTS

Wheat Prices Weakened Yesterday —The Cattle Markets

Wheat markets turned weak, suddenly dropping to 5 7-8 and 6 3-8 below Tuesday's close at Winnipeg, and steady to 3 1-8 lower at Chicago. Reports that European Governments were in the market for wheat had previously sent the market up, but later reports gave the bears their chance for a raid. Cash prices promptly weakened, and followed the speculators' downward lead. Ontario flour is quoted 20c. lower.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern, $1.85, track, bay ports; No. 2, $1.82 1-2; No. 3, $1.76 1-2; No. 4, $1.65 1-2; old crop, 4c. above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W., 64 1-2c.

American corn—No. 2, nominal; No. 3, new, none offering owing to embargo.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 59c. to 61c.; No. 3 white, 58c. to 60c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1.62 to $1.64. No. 3, $1.60 to $1.62.

Peas—No. 2, nominal, car lots, $2.40.

Barley—(Malting, $1.16 to $1.18; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal, $1.25.

Rye—No. 1 commercial nominal. No. 2 new, $1.34 to $1.35.

Manitoba flour—First patents, in jute bags, $9.20; second patents, in jute, $8.80, strong bakers, in jute, $8.50, Toronto.

Ontario flour—New winter, $6.70 to $6.80, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered Montreal; shorts, $37; bran, $33; feed flour, per bag, $2.80.

Hay—Baled, No. 1, track, Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots, $12 to $13; No. 2, $9 to $10; straw, $9 to $9.50.

Cattle Markets.

Union Stock Yards—Receipts, 91 cars, with 1,016 cattle, 130 calves, 2,547 hogs, 471 sheep and lambs.

Latest quotations:

Heavy steers, choice	$8.85	to $9.00
Choice butcher	8.25	8.50
do good	7.75	8.00
do medium	6.75	7.00
do common	6.00	6.25
Heifers, good to choice	7.00	7.25
do medium	6.25	6.75
Butcher cows, choice	6.25	7.00
do medium	5.75	6.25
Butcher bulls, choice	6.85	7.50
do good	6.50	6.60
do medium	5.00	5.50
Feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs.	6.50	6.75
do bulls	5.25	5.75
Stockers, 700 to 800 lbs.	6.50	6.75
do med., 650 to 750 lbs.	5.80	6.00
do light, 600 to 650 lbs.	5.40	5.75
Canners	4.10	4.40
Cutters	4.80	5.25
Sheep, light	8.50	9.00
do heavy	7.50	8.00
Spring lambs	10.75	13.00
Calves	8.00	12.50
Hogs, fed and watered	12.00	
do, weighed off cars	12.25	
do f.o.b.	11.15	

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GERMANS WERE READY TO SURRENDER TO CANADIANS

Hundred Were Found Lined Up and Ready to Surrender --Rifles Stacked, Coats Buttoned--Germans Were Absolutely Demoralized When Canadians Took Desire Trench.

GERMAN FOOD RIOTS

LONDON, December 21.—A major of the Canadian Grenadiers, among the officers who are in London for Christmas leave, gives more details of the attack and capture of Desire trench. The German infantry had no fight left in them when the Canadians broke through the barrage and leaped into their first trench. A hundred were lined up all ready to surrender. Rifles were stacked without bayonets being fixed and the Huns even had great coats buttoned up ready to file back to Canadian lines.

CAUGHT MORE GERMANS IN TRAP.

The second trench at the place where the company attacked was completely obliterated and they went on to Grandcourt trench, thinking it must be the Desire support which was the objective. With thirty odd men the major captured nearly a hundred more prisoners and found more Huns were in the same trench right and left of him. He blocked these ends and put machine guns on the parapets and gave Fritz the most uncomfortable time. The Germans were absolutely demoralized and the Canadians sent back word that if they could get fifty reinforcements they would be able to reach the outskirts of Pys.

However, the section of Grandcourt trench had to be abandoned to keep the line straight, and it was while coming back that the party were caught by a cross-fire from machine guns.

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President Wilson Addresses Note To Belligerents

Special to The Examiner:

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—President Wilson addresses a note to the warring powers, suggesting peace parties as early as possible. He intimates that the present position of neutrals is intolerable.

New York, Dec. 21.—The Tribune to-day condemns the President's pedce move as pro-German and a great mistake.

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**11.27 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and intermediate points and all points east of Montreal.

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(Continued from yesterday)

CHAPTER XV.

When the two emissaries had left the library Hamilton Burton sat before his hearth and shook loose the reins of his imagination. He burnt driftwood in this room and as his eyes dwelt on the shooting tongues of blue flame that licked around the logs his dreams absorbed him. Yamuro, his Japanese valet, slipped in to see if his master required him, but his tentfall was noiseless, and when he had tiptoed close enough to study the face he departed without speaking. The lips in the yellow face parted in a grin that bared a spread of strong, white teeth. The eyes between high cheekbones glistened in dark slits and in his throat, too low to be heard, a little grunt voiced Yamuro's fanatical admiration. Had Hamilton Burton been an Emperor in the field Yamuro would have asked no greater privilege than to interpose his body between his idolized master and all danger. Such was the power of this wholly selfish but dominant personality. Outside the Oriental chuckled to himself, "No worry—Him got great thoughts."

Yet Hamilton was after all only planning an entertainment. When he had captured the control of Coal and Ore he would stand within grasping distance of his ideal of one man power. He would have rocked the temple of money and snatched out of Malone's teeth Consolidated Narrowstone. That would be prime for celebration. It could be vastly amusing to shake the hands of the vanquished and see them bite back the curses that were welling up in their hearts. While pocketing only the loot he would in reality be the victor—exacting tribute.

That his victory depended on undertakings yet to be accomplished, and beset with gigantic hazards did not disquiet him. Over him shone his star.

His revery snapped like a punctured balloon at the sound of the doorbell and when Harrow ushered in his father, Hamilton rose with a smile of welcome on his lips.

The elder Burton entered with heightened flush on his full cheeks and the son for just an instant studied him with a shrewd appraisement. A man who has by the custom of decades spent each day from sunrise to sunset at hard labor cannot find himself idle without seeking an outlet of some description.

If Tom Burton were to decay here in inactivity he might as well decay genially, taking his pleasure by the way. He was doing it. Like a gentleman and an officer he tippled the evenings out. Rarely was he drunk beyond a genteel limitation—and after an advanced hour he was rarely less so. In slow and mellow fashion he was ripening into slothful and comfortable atrophy. His well shaven face was beginning to reveal those small discolored spots that are the subtle brands of Bacchus. Under the eyes that had once been like the eyes of a hawk, small and puffy sacks were now discernable.

"Well, damn it," Hamilton exculpated to himself, "it was a long time before he had any fun." Then aloud he inquired, "Whose coffers did you fill this evening?"

Tom Burton straightened up a shade pomposily.

"I think my game is—er—on a par with that of others—for luck, as hardly be controlled."

"The question is," suggested the son, "whether you enjoyed yourself."

"Reasonably well, thank you." The elder man looked about the room and spoke complainingly. "I don't see any whiskey and soda about. Will you please ring for some, Hamilton? I'm thirsty."

"It is there on the side table," Hamilton followed the other with his eyes and noted the greedy unsteadiness of the fingers that grasped the decanter. "Do you think you need that drink, father?" he inquired.

The elder man glanced up while the liquor spilled out of the poised bottle and missed the glass. "Why not?" he demanded. "It's about time for a nightcap. I haven't had anything to speak of this evening."

Hamilton nodded with a shrug, but his brows drew themselves in a pained wrinkle. He would not willingly admit doubt of his father's truthfulness, yet the statement lacked all quality of conviction.

The son did not reflect that of the dry rot in old Tom's soul this deception was of a typical symptom. He knew that in the old days Tom Burton's word had been a synonym for inflexible honesty; that it was as good as collateral at the bank.

Then sitting at ease, the well groomed old gentleman held his glass before him and gazed at the colors which the firelight wakened in its amber contents. His face wore the contentment of one whose mood has been artificially mellowed and whose thoughts are more glowing than reliable. He cleared his throat and began to speak importantly.

"My boy, a great idea has come to me—a splendid conception, I may say. I have for all of these years been of very little service to you, but I now see the way to make amends—to, as I might say, become an asset rather than a liability—a sharer in your activities."

Hamilton Burton was standing by the table, studying the face of his father, and at the words his eyes darkened. His question was by no means freighted with pleasure or expectancy as he coolly inquired, "Indeed?"

Tom Burton nodded with much gravity.

"Yes. The other day you were relating to me some matters of business which were quite—er—interesting. I have since given them mature thought and I find that I have evolved a method by which you may, with my suggestions, even improve on your original plan of procedure."

"Stop!" The son wheeled and faced the elder man with a face grown suddenly wrathful. As Tom Burton looked up with surprise, Hamilton went on rapidly and dictatorily. "I never quarrel with my family. It is my pleasure to regard them first in all things, but some thing I will not permit even from them. It is the first time it has ever been necessary to say this to you, sir. I hope it will be the last!"

"Why, what is the matter, my son? I was only about to suggest that—"

"Well, don't do it. The one thing I will not permit is business interference. I need no collaborator. Once—just once Paul made that same mistake. He presumed to offer a suggestion. Paul—who could not figure compound interest—offered me, Hamilton Burton, a financial suggestion! I told him then as I tell you now that any human hand which sticks itself into my affairs will be promptly broken off at the wrist—no matter whose hand it is. That is the one possible thing that could drive me to unkindness to any one of me own blood. In that I am unmistakable. I will have no interference. I am the one financier in this family, and I will submit to no trespassing upon my own field of empire. Let us have that plainly understood."

He ended, and Tom Burton gazed dumfounded at the anger which was slowly dying out of his son's pupils, and which had wrung through his son's words.

"You astonish me!" he said slowly. "I had no idea or trespass—only of assistance."

"Thank you. I have never yet felt the need of any man's assistance. In my own jurisdiction, I admit no peers. I am sorry that you forced me to speak so strongly but candor is best. Until I ask it no human being must volunteer advice or criticism. Go on and play cards and amuse yourself and spend what you like in doing it—but don't annoy me by trying to make money. I won't have it. No—leave that whiskey alone." He peremptorily stretched out his hand, as his father reached again for the decanter. "You have had enough for this evening. In another moment you will be rendering additional useless information."

Again the bell rang, and in his library door he saw Mary Burton, radiant in evening dress and the ermine of a long opera cloak. Her smile was as luminous as sunshine. Behind her it suddenly struck Hamilton that the sight of that particular face across her shoulder was becoming a chronic accompaniment—about Jefferson Edwardes.

Both of them were laughing with a note of mutual understanding.

"Mary," announced her brother, "I want to have a dinner and a dance next week. I want it to be the most memorable affair of the season. Are you in for it?"

She looked at him with sudden amazement, and then her merriment broke out in a series of silvery peals. She turned to Edwardes and repeated in a mockery of awed surprise.

"He wants to have a dance! Do my ears deceive me? Hamilton, whom we can't drag to a party with a truant officer, wants a dance!"

Edwardes smilingly lifted the cloak from her shoulders and held out his hand. "Good-night." Try to get me an invitation, he begged. "Mr Burton, can't I drop you at your house?"

If you don't mind. The elderly gentleman rose and made his way toward the hall, with a step that wavered from the liquor. When they had gone, Hamilton accompanied his sister to the stairs with an arm about her waist.

"Mary," he suggested, a question has just occurred to me. What has become of your duke?"

She turned on the landing and laughed.

"When I came back from abroad, you begged me rid myself of foreign affectations," she announced. "He was one of them, and I took your advice."

"I only begged you to drop your affectations of speech. What I called your pidgin English," he assured her. "I did not seek to hamper your young affections."

"Then I will reply to your question in very colloquial American," she retorted. "As to the duke—I rest a can to him." She turned and ran lightly up the stairs.

Paul had sat through the opera that evening with his customary intensity of interest—but the chatter in the box had irritated him. He had been of late seeing a great deal of Lorraine Haswell, and he thought she at least might have sympathised with his mood and refrained from disconcerting small talk. Their intimacy had so ripened that she should have understood how the things he had to say in how the things he had to say in their tete-a-tetes could not be uttered in company. So when she invited him to join her supper party he declined with the very poor grace.

Paul Burton took the opera seriously, almost religiously, and as he strolled in the foyer during an entr'acte, his annoyance grew. Was there no place where one could enjoy the art of fellow-artists without having one's spirit jarred out of all receptiveness?

Then he remembered the high perches of the less fashionable devotees. He had never been up there but he had heard that the occupants of these upper galleries frowned on noise and even refrained from applause, drinking in the music as though it were too sacred a thing to treat as a mere evening's entertainment. Following a momentary whim he went out to the box office and bought a fresh ticket. Holding it in his hand he mounted above the parterre boxes and the grand-tier boxes, to the highest and cheapest of the galleries where silence and an almost awed concentration reigned. And there, when the lights came on again, he saw a slender figure in a chair near him, leaning forward with her chin resting on her hand, in an absolute fervor of interest. It was Miss Terroll and again she was alone. Once more she impressed him as someone purring with pleasure, and when the performance ended he found himself on the sidewalk whimsically waiting for her to come down from her dollar seat among the gallery gods.

When he caught sight of her, she was slipping as quietly and unobtrusively through the crowds of jewelled and fur-wrapped women and men in evening dress as though she were a mouse vanishing from a ball of banqueting to which she had surreptitiously crept for her crumb. She did not look at the people about her. She did not seem to see them, for her eyes were still languorous with memories of Tristan and Isolde. As Paul touched her arm, she started and he hastened to say: "My car is here—won't you let me drive you downtown?"

She let him lead her to his machine and lay back dreamily against the cushions, as they shot down the avenue between twin threads of electric opals.

For a while they talked of the opera, of the music and the voices, and the musician found himself expanding with a warmth of appreciative contentment, because he had a companion whose understanding and enthusiasm kept step with his own, and a step like that of a classic dance, attuned to harmonies.

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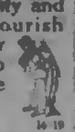

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THE WEEKLY BUDGET

KEENE, DEC. 20.—The ladies of the W.M.S of the Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. Dr. Harrison and held a quilting for the benefit of the Deaconess' home at Toronto.

We are pleased to report Mr. James McNeil (Sr.) who has been quite ill during the past two weeks improving nicely.

The Box Social and entertainment held at Mather's Corners last Wednesday night netted the ladies the neat sum of $72.

Mrs. Nelson Beavis of Hastings was the guest of Mrs. William Nelson last Friday.

The many friends of Mr. William Short, who has been quite ill of typhoid fever at Toronto, will be pleased to know he is improving nicely.

Mrs. W. R. Wedlock entertained a party of friends with cards and dancing on Monday evening. All report a splendid time.

Mrs. (Dr.) Harrison was shopping at Peterborough on Tuesday.

Messrs. Roy and David Kempt were in Peterborough Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Burley were in Peterborough on Tuesday.

Born—A son on Sunday Dec. 10th, to Mr. and Mrs. T. Minifie, of Lang.

The remains of the late Mrs. Andrew Nelson, who died in the west on Monday of last week, were brought to Keene on Saturday and the funeral held at the Presbyterian church. Rev. P. A. McEachern officiated. Interment took place in Keene cemetery. The pallbearers were Messrs. A. Bryce, John Fife, John Lang, William Miller, Andrew Shearer, Z. Tucker.

Mr. Nicholas Dorris has secured the management of the Keene curling and skating rink and will begin making ice in the near future.

Rev. J. P. Wilson of Kingston, will preach the anniversary services on Sunday, Dec. 31st.

The nomination for Reeve and Councillors will be held in the Town Hall, Keene, on Friday of this week.

Mrs. James McCann and Miss Pearl were shopping at Peterborough on Saturday.

A concert and Christmas tree is being given by the Presbyterian Sunday school on Friday evening of this week.

Mrs. W. R. Wedlock is spending a few days this week with Peterborough friends.

A patriotic supper and dance will be given in the Town Hall, Keene, Friday evening, Dec. 29th, for the purpose of purchasing some comforts for the boys that have enlisted from Otonabee; Macfarlane's orchestra and other local musicians, also D. Moore, floor manager, will give their services for the cause. Everybody is expected to contribute. Ladies are requested to bring refreshments. Gents 50c. Any person wishing to contribute money for the cause may send it to the Bank of Toronto, Keene, until noon, Dec. 29th. Everybody welcome.

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Sunday School Lesson Questions

DEC. 24th 1916.

Christmas Lesson: Unto us a Son is given Isa. 9, 2-7.

Golden Text: For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given; and the government shall be upon his shoulder—and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Isa. 9:6.

1. Verse 2. Which more helps a nation, morally and spiritually, and why—its prosperity or its adversity?

2. Would you say, or not and why, that God ever permits, or sends any affliction to a nation or an individual with the intention of inflicting permanent injury?

3. Why is it so, that the light of prosperity generally follows the darkness of adversity, and that grief gives place to joy?

4. Verse 2. What is the "great light" which finally came to the Jews and to the world? (This is one of the questions which may be answered in writing by members of the Club.)

5. In how many respects may be regard Jesus as "the Light of the World"?

6. Verse 3. Why is an increase of national population generally regarded with satisfaction?

7. What are the peculiar joys which come to us when we have a bountiful harvest?

8. Verse 3. Why are we generally joyful when we are making money?

9. Verse 4. What deliverance has God wrought for Israel, for us as a nation and as individuals?

10. What "oppressor" is God anxious now to deliver all unsaved men from?

11. Verse 4. If Jesus delivers his followers from the slavery of sin, how is it that many Christians confess that they constantly sin, in thought, word and deed?

12. How did God deliver Israel "in the day of Midian"? (See Judges 7. 19-25.

13. What is the power that breaks the chains of sin and sets the prisoner free?

14. Verse 5. What is the difference between physical and moral battles?

15. Verse 6. Of what child does Isaiah here speak? Give your reasons.

16. What did God's ancient Israel expect their coming Messiah to accomplish?

17. What are some of the Scriptural names for the Christ?

18. Verse 6. How do the terms, Wonderful, Counsellor, The Mighty God, The Everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace, apply to Jesus?

19. Verse 7. How many nations of the earth does Jesus rule over to-day?

20. When will the day come when Jesus will reign and rule over the whole earth?

Lesson for Sunday, December 31st 1916: Review. Christ's Coming and Coming to Christ. Reading Lesson Only. Rev. 22:6-14; 16-21.

REBELLION IS SQUELCHED.

Portuguese Government Now Entirely Master of Situation.

MADRID, Dec. 21.—El Imparcial's Lisbon correspondent telegraphs that the Portuguese Government is entirely master of the situation resulting from the revolutionary outbreaks in various parts of Portugal. The attempts of Machado Santos, at the head of a small band of rebels, to enter the town of Abrantes, eighty miles northeast of Lisbon, resulted in no casualties. Machado Santos, who is a naval officer, will be tried by court-martial, made up of former naval and military officers of rank higher than his.

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NEWFOUNDLANDERS HAD CHANCE FOR REVENGE

Eagerly They Took It—Fierce Hand-to-hand Work—The Somme Method

An English correspondent writes: A great little fight was fought by a company or two of Newfoundlanders, and the tale has this human and historical value that it will give the exact likeness of a thousand and one struggles engaged in by unnamed platoons, companies, or battalions in the Somme battle. The appointed time for the attack was three in the afternoon. The goal had the exciting name of F39C2.5 to 40A132 or some such hieroglyphic of the map-makers which the regimental officer must translate into a recognised object of the landscape. What mattered most was that the objective, whatever it might be—a strong place, a string of holes, a topographical term, or a smoothed trench—lay at a distance of 4[illegible] yards.

In the waiting hours the enemy's gunners proved suspicious and restless. They dotted the assembly trench with whiz-bangs and crumps. But there is nothing better to add venom to a charge than preliminary shelling, and the Newfoundlanders "went over the lid" in a streak. They expected a quarter of a mile course, but had gone only half the way when they came upon a strong trench that had escaped the notice of airmen and map-makers. It proved formless but far from void. It was indeed full of Germans, to the real delight of the storming party. A hand-to-hand fight was all their wish. It was denied them before, and ever since "Remember July 1" had been the battle-cry.

One of the two officers who then escaped was leading this charge; and as he reached the unexpected trench he knew that he and his men held vengeance in their hands. For a minute or two bayonets and bombs were busy; and then the garrison had no more spirit left in them. Their weapons were thrown down and their hands held up. Seventy prisoners were taken. The trench was won.

CANADA'S BIG LEADERS

Fine Qualities of Generals Overseas Are Praised

It is interesting to have a neutral view of some of the Canadian generals at the front. Several of them are winning high place and may yet rise to high rank as military leaders. Will Irwin, the well known newspaper writer, said some pleasant things to a Canadian correspondent in regard to some Canadian generals.

Of Major-General Turner he said: He is a leader of men. Everyone I met, officers and privates, and even batmen, stood by General Turner like a talisman. The best description I had of him was from an American captain who had been with him since the first contingent came over: "He is always there and never afraid."

Of Major-General Watson he expressed this opinion: He is the coolest proposition I have come across. He told me the night before exactly what he expected to do in the attempt to capture the trench, and showed me while it was happening how it was progressing, just as he had planned. Yet this was no minor operation, and a trench which the Germans had captured and recaptured several times from the British. General Watson, to my mind, is nerve absolute. He has a cool, grey eye that always looks like business.

Major-General Currie made a very favorable impression upon him, as will appear from the following: He has horse-sense and is a born commander. There has been no military evolution ever constructed in Germany that could fool this astute commander.

"EATING MELONS"

How a British Company Advanced Against the Bulgars

An officer who was wounded in the fighting on the Salonica front has written to his parents as follows: "We started on our 'show' at 5 a.m., and advanced all day, taking the village we wanted. Then, about 5 in the evening, when an attack on another village was held up, we were ordered to take it. It seemed a hopeless sort of job, but we determined to have a good try, and ordered the pipers to play. We went steadily on for a mile under very heavy fire, the men laughing, joking, and eating melons.

"Then we caught sight of the enemy's first line trenches, and went for them with a yell, but the Bulgars would not face us, and threw up their hands. I got $4 with my little lot. Then we went on and charged their second line, with the same result. By this time we were all done, but as there was another trench we had a go at that, and then I got hit.

"That was Saturday night, and I was passed on from one ambulance to another until I arrived at Salonica on Sunday night. The men were really splendid, and once they got going the trouble was to prevent them going too fast. Three of my subs. were hit, so my company suffered heavily, but none were killed. I took a rifle and bayonet when we charged, and felt rather disappointed when the Bulgars put up their hands."

Fights For the Strong

Arguing in a speech at Edinburgh against a peace which would restore the situation as it was before the war, Lord Rosebery said: "We are fighting for every neutral nation. We are fighting for one [illegible] for the United States; for, if we were vanquished in the war—which Heaven forbid!—the United States would be the next to suffer from the aggressive and unscrupulous power of Prussia."

"We must be prepared to give up every man who can bear arms."—Mr. Joynson-Hicks, M.P., at Twickenham.

From local harvest thanksgivings 1,500 eggs have been received by the Mayoress of Faversham, Kent, for the wounded.

Slip your fish into a small salt bag before putting it into the water. You can then boil as long as desired without the fish breaking into pieces.

Forty-Seventh Annual Statement
of
The Royal Bank of Canada

GENERAL STATEMENT
30th November, 1916

LIABILITIES

To the Public:		
Deposits not bearing interest	$59,365,390.12	
Deposits bearing interest, including interest accrued to date of statement	140,862,199.46	
		$200,227,595.58
Notes of the Bank in Circulation		18,178,228.49
Balances due to other Banks in Canada	$1,464,467.85	
Balances due to Banks and Banking Correspondents in the United Kingdom and foreign countries	6,683,108.63	
		8,147,576.48
Bills Payable		478,392.16
Acceptances under Letters of Credit		452,677.26
		$227,484,469.97
To the Shareholders:		
Capital Stock Paid in		12,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	$12,560,000.00	
Balance of Profits carried forward	852,346.28	
		13,412,346.28
Dividend No. 117 (at 12 per cent. per annum), payable Dec. 1st, 1916	$359,840.71	
Dividends Unclaimed	4,770.25	364,610.96
		$253,261,427.21

ASSETS

Current Coin	$16,072,763.38	
Dominion Notes	14,249,110.25	
		$30,321,873.63
Deposit in the Central Gold Reserves	$6,500,000.00	
Deposit with the Minister for the purposes of the Circulation Fund	595,340.00	
Notes of other Banks	3,857,571.80	
Cheques on other Banks	11,805,508.55	
Balances due by other Banks in Canada	1,199.70	
Balances due by Banks and Banking Correspondents elsewhere than in Canada	5,892,067.54	
Dominion and Provincial Government Securities, not exceeding market value	1,029,374.10	
Canadian Municipal Securities and British, Foreign and Colonial Public Securities other than Canadian, not exceeding market value	14,812,089.60	
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks, not exceeding market value	15,464,664.22	
Call Loans in Canada, on Bonds Debentures and Stocks	11,076,095.90	
Call and Short (not exceeding thirty days) Loans elsewhere than in Canada	21,372,026.45	
		$121,127,663.67
Other Current Loans and Discounts in Canada (less rebate of interest)	$80,936,631.39	
Other Current Loans and Discounts elsewhere than in Canada (less rebate of interest)	37,928,027.25	
Overdue Debts (estimated loss provided for)	466,640.91	
		125,331,299.57
Real Estate other than Bank Premises		1,095,473.24
Bank Premises, at not more than cost, less amounts written off		5,138,398.14
Liabilities of Customers under Letters of Credit, as per contra		452,677.26
Other Assets not included in the foregoing		115,915.33
		$253,261,427.21

H. S. HOLT, President. EDSON L. PEASE, Managing Director. C. E. NEILL, General Manager.

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

To the Shareholders of The Royal Bank of Canada:

That in our opinion the transactions of the Bank which have come under our notice have been within the powers of the Bank.

That we have checked the cash and verified the securities of the Bank at the Chief Office at 30th November, 1916, as well as at another time, as required by Section 56 of the Bank Act, and that we found they agreed with the entries in the books in regard thereto. We also during the year checked the cash and verified the securities at the principal branches.

That the above Balance Sheet has been compared by us with the books at the Chief Office and with the certified returns from the Branches, and in our opinion is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Bank's affairs according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us and as shown by the books of the Bank.

That we have obtained all the information and explanations required by us.

JAMES MARWICK, C.A.
S. ROGER MITCHELL, C.A. } Auditors
of Marwick, Mitchell, Peat and Co.

Montreal, Canada, December 18th, 1916.

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

Balance of Profit and Loss Account, 30th November, 1915	$676,472.16	
Profits for the year, after deducting charges of management and all other expenses, accrued interest on deposits, full provision for all bad and doubtful debts and rebate of interest on unmatured bills	2,111,307.65	
		$2,787,779.81
Appropriated as follows:—		
Dividends Nos. 114, 115, 116 and 117, at 12 per cent. per annum	$1,417,207.02	
Transferred to Officers' Pension Fund	100,000.00	
Written off Bank Premises Account	250,000.00	
War Tax on Bank Note Circulation	118,226.51	
Contribution to Patriotic Fund	50,000.00	
Balance of Profit and Loss carried forward	852,346.28	
		$2,787,779.81

H. S. HOLT, President. EDSON L. PEASE, Managing Director. C. E. NEILL, General Manager.

Montreal, 18th December, 1916

It is a good idea to have a good sized kitchen salt shaker filled with a mixture of salt and pepper. This saves time in seasoning.

A gauge has been invented for accurately determining the amount of moisture in lumber.

Of German invention is an electric flashlight contained in a watch case.

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One Man Applauded.

Camille Saint-Saens was present when Verdi's "Hymn of All Nations" was rendered for the first time at the opening ceremonies of the world's fair in London, and he gave this reason for the "failure" of the composition: "The hymn was arranged to introduce the national anthems of the various countries, and, not knowing that the 'Marseillaise' was at that time in bad repute, it was used as representative of France. The Emperor Napoleon when he heard the strains turned pale, and the knowing ones in the audience were so mortally embarrassed that no one in the great throng dared applaud. Yes, one man did applaud, and that was I. Napoleon arose in his box and directed his opera glass toward me, and I looked at him through my glass. After a few moments the emperor hurriedly departed."

Pretty Good Method.

A famous clergyman tells of a lay preacher's conference in which a veteran described his method of sermon preparation.

"I take my text," he said, "and divide my sermon into three parts. In the first part I tell 'em what I'm going to tell 'em. In the second part—well, I tell 'em. In the third part I tell 'em what I've told 'em."—St. Louis Post Dispatch.

Only Used For Shaving.

"Sam, here is an account of a man who owns a razor that has been continuous service for 150 years. It was bought in England by his grandfather."

"Well, all I has to say, boss, is dat he must belong to a powerful peaceful family."—Yonkers Statesman.

Eye of a Submarine.

The great fault of the early submarines was that they could not see once they were below the surface of the water. The invention of the periscope altered all that and gave the modern submarine a marvelous eye by means of which it could see over the surface of the ocean, though the body of the submarine is completely below the waves. The eye of the submarine is a straight, hollow tube starting from the steering chamber of the vessel and projecting above the surface of the waves when the boat is submerged. As the periscope is only a matter of six inches in diameter and only projects some eighteen inches above the waves, it is a most difficult thing to see by an enemy. Its total length is about fifteen feet. The submarine's eye is really a combination of telescope and camera obscura. At the top is a powerful lens, and inside at intervals all the way down is a series of mirrors which carry the reflection of what is above the surface to the watcher in the submarine fifteen feet below.—Pearson's Weekly.

When Boys Were Taught to Smoke.

The habit of juvenile smoking in England in the seventeenth century was practically universal. Jorevin de Rochefort, a French traveler of that period, in an account published in 1671 gives a description of an evening he spent at Worcester. He was catechized by one of the townsmen as to the habits of the French people.

"While we were walking about the town," he writes, "he asked me if it was the custom in France, as in England, that when the children went to school they carried in their satchels with their books a pipe of tobacco which their mother took care to fill early in the morning, it serving them instead of breakfast and that at the accustomed hour every one laid aside his book to light his pipe, the master smoking with them and teaching them how to hold their pipes and draw in their tobacco, thus accustoming them to it from their youth, believing it absolutely necessary for a man's health."—St. James' Gazette.

Recruiting in Queen Anne's Day.

Serve your queen or find work! That, in brief, was the rough and ready sentence passed on ablebodied unemployed men in the days of Queen Anne—a period of almost incessant warfare. When the recruiting officer—described at the time as a compound of "canting, lying, impudence, bullying, swearing, drinking and a halberd"—failed to beat up recruits fast enough for Marlborough's wars an act was passed to enable justices to compel all ablebodied men "as have not any lawful means for their own maintenance" to join the army. Parish officers were encouraged to hunt up food for powder and received 55 for every man sentenced to be a soldier, but the result was disappointing. Thousands deserted, and England relied mainly on volunteers. These were offered the bait of a twenty dollar bounty and a discharge after three years—"if they deserved it."—London Mirror.

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PARIS TOO WELL LIGHTED.

"Dimmers to Government Officers" Are Given as an Excuse.

Ever vigilant, the Police Prefect of Paris, M. Laurent, likes to assure himself that his orders are carried out with proper accuracy, knowing the tendency of his fellow-citizens to "honor them in the breach" if not regularly controlled.

As the evenings are drawing in, to say nothing of the fact that the clocks have been put back an hour, the police regulations for keeping blinds down after lights are lit are necessarily once more to the fore. The other evening M. Laurent during his nocturnal ramblings noticed that in several quarters the rule was being infringed, so he took occasion at the next weekly convocation of the city Police Commissaries to draw his subordinates' attention to the fact.

"Gentlemen," he remarked, "probably owing to the fact that we have been spared visits from enemy aircraft for some time, there seems to be a tendency to relax the regulations about lighting in the streets and houses. I fear we may one day have a disagreeable awakening, and we—that is, to say, I—will be blamed if there are accidents. Last night, for instance, as I was passing along the quays, I noticed that the windows of a well-known restaurant were brilliantly lighted."

Then, turning to the Commissary in whose district the restaurant is situated, he asked for explanations.

"Monsieur le Prefect," was the answer, "I am fully aware of the slight infraction in question, but as Monsieur X., Minister of ———, happened to be dining there with some friends, I did not feel it incumbent on me"—

The Prefect did not press the point and turned to another colleague. "Can you explain, Monsieur, why in a certain restaurant of the Champs-Elysees quarter, in your district, the windows were yesterday flashing like beacon lights?"

"M. Y., former Minister of ———," rejoined the Commissary of the quarter referred to, "was giving a dinner to some shareholders, so I naturally hesitated"—

"I understand," put in M. Laurent. "At the same time there can be no reason why a bar, such as I remarked yesterday in the ——— quarter, should make light of my regulations." But the Commissary he had turned to had his answer ready:

"The Under-Secretary of State for ——— was holding an informal meeting with some of our leading manufacturers."

"Very well," remarked M. le Prefect, "but can you explain what joyful occasion the Hotel X., overlooking the Seine, was celebrating last Thursday, for from various reports floods of lights were pouring from its windows across the river?"

"The only occasion I can think of," replied the official in whose jurisdiction the hotel lies, "was a banquet offered to Monsieur le Prefet de Police."

Brilliant Irishman Dead.

Irish Nationalism has lost one of its most brilliant younger leaders by the death—he was killed in action on Sept. 9—of Professor T. M. Kettle, professor of economics at the Irish National University.

It is reported that the first time he came to London was when, in 1906, East Tyrone sent him to Westminster as its M.P. But he very soon had a circle of admirers extending very wide of St. Stephen's. To a full share of native Irish eloquence and wit he united an extensive academic knowledge, and his speeches in the House of Commons, though full of the cause he espoused so sturdily, yet sparkled with a genial satire and a whimsical humor that made him friends in every part of the House. He left Parliament in 1910 to take up the university professorship.

Son of a farmer, who was also a pioneer of the land movement in Ireland, he was born in 1880. When the war broke out he answered Mr. Redmond's call to enlist with enthusiasm. He threw up his chair at the university and obtained a commission, and his appeals to his countrymen were the most rousing made during Mr. Redmond's recruiting campaign. He had no sympathy with shirkers, and his condemnations of the German atrocities were among the most caustic and scathing indictments of kultur that the world has heard.

Wonders of Science.

A camera man, working for the educational department of a film company, met an old farmer coming out of a house in one of the middle states and explained his presence on the place thus:

"I have just been taking some moving pictures of life on your farm."

"Did you catch any of my laborers in motion?" asked the old man curiously.

"Sure I did."

The farmer shook his head reflectively and then said:

"Science is a wonderful thing."

Cloudy Ammonia.

To make cloudy ammonia, get twopennyworth of best ammonia, break up, and put into a jug, adding also just a very little baked soap. On to this pour a pint of really boiling water, and then stir till the ammonia and soap are dissolved. When slightly cooled, bottle, and keep tightly corked.

Expert Diagnosis.

The physician had been called in haste to see a small negro who was ill. After a brief examination the doctor announced: "This boy has eaten too much watermelon."

"Oh, doctah," expostulated the parent of the ailing one, "dey ain't no sich t'ing as too much watahmillion. Dat nigger jus' ain' got 'nough stomach."

Honduras' Cotton Future.

Experiments have indicated to Honduras that it may become an important cotton-raising nation.

When you give free advice and it works you get no thanks, and if it doesn't work you get what's coming to you.

A HANDSOME PAIR.

Lady Pole Carew Most Distinguished Looking Woman in England.

That the distinction of being society's most beautiful woman belongs to Lady Pole Carew, whose husband has retired from politics, is the opinion of many people in England. Furthermore, General Sir Reginald Pole Carew has been declared the handsomest man in the British army. And "Polly Carey," as he is often referred to, is as popular as he is handsome, while he has a splendid record for service behind him.

He is one of Robert's men, accompanying "Bobs" on his march to Kandahar. In the Boer War, Sir Reginald earned distinction.

He is rather fond, by the way, of telling the following story illustrating the energy of the British soldier. A German attache in the South African war was amazed at the spectacle of the British soldiers, after a fight, staggering into camp, but rushing instantly after a football which was thrown on the veldt. Said the attache to Sir Reginald:

"Well, you are the most extraordinary people in the whole civilized world. I have been with your men all day. I know what they have done. I know they have had scarcely anything to eat or drink, and I know of no other troops in the world that would not have been lying down asleep."

Lady Pole Carew is the eldest daughter of the famous yachtsman and sportsman, the Marquis of Ormonde, and shares her father's love and enthusiasm for the sea. She is also a great lover of foreign travel, and some time ago made a tour of the world. It is fifteen years ago since she married Sir Reginald. Caring little for society life, she divides her time between Antony House, her Cornish home, the gardens of which she has made famous, and her beautiful estate in Tipperary.

He Didn't Know.

"John," said Mrs. Atwood, thoughtfully, "everybody in society appears to think an awful lot of genalogy these days."

"Jennie what?" exclaimed John, as he looked up from his evening paper.

"Genealogy," repeated Mrs. Atwood.

"What's that?"

"I don't exactly know," replied Mrs. Atwood, "but I think it's a tree of some kind. At least, I heard some ladies refer to it as a family tree."

"Well, what of it?" he asked.

"Why, it seems to be a sort of fad, you know, and every one who is any one has to have one, I suppose."

"Buy one, then," he said, irritably. "Buy the best one in town and have the bill sent to me, but don't bother me with the details of that affair. Get one and stick it up in the conservatory, if you want one, and if it isn't too large."

"But I don't know anything about them."

"Find out, and if it's too large for the conservatory, stick it up on the lawn, and if that ain't big enough, I'll buy the next garden in order to make room. There can't be any of them fly any higher than we can, and if it comes to a question of trees, I'll buy a whole orchard for you."

Still she hesitated.

"The fact is, John," she confessed at last, "I don't just know where to go for anything in that line. Where do they keep the family trees, and all such things?"

"What do you suppose I know about it?" he exclaimed. "You're running the fashion end of this establishment, and I don't want to be bothered with it. If the florist can't tell you anything about it hunt up a first-class nurseryman and place your order with him."

A Sporting Offer.

Melbourne Inman, the famous billiard player, who has recently joined the Volunteers, was touring in the Antipodes a little while back, and found himself stranded at Perth, Western Australia, with two days to wait for a boat.

Strolling up to the principal hotel in the place, and making first, as was his wont, for the billiard-room, he found it deserted save for the marker, a likely-looking youth of seventeen or thereabouts, who promptly invited him to have a game.

"No, thanks!" replied Inman.

"Oh, come now, be a sport! I'll give you fifty in a hundred."

"No, thanks!" came the answer once more, repeated this time with considerable emphasis. "I'm Inman, the champion!"

"Oh, well, sir, if that's so I can only give you thirty in a hundred!" was the quite unexpected reply of the juvenile marker.

The Reason.

At the Caledonian banquet in London a Scotsman who had settled in the metropolis made a speech in which Scotland and all things Scottish were so fulsomely praised that an Englishman who sat next him said when he had finished:

"If Scotland is all that you Scotsmen say it is why don't you stay there instead of coming here?"

"Weel," answered the Scotsman, "Ah'll tell ye hoo it wis wi' me. When Ah wis in business in Fife Ah fand a' the fowk wis just as cliver as meesel', an' Ah cudna gar the two en's meet. Sae Ah came awa' seeth, an' ain' syne, noo, Ah've been deein' tae wust."

Tainted Meat.

If meat gets just slightly tainted in hot weather before it is cooked, cut off the tainted part, and wash the remainder of the joint in strong vinegar and water, sponging it all over with it. Such a joint should always be roasted. Boiling or stewing accentuates the tainted flavor.

An Indiscreet Hungarian.

A young Hungarian reservist, who told a little gathering of Serbians at Steubenville, Ohio, a few days ago, that they would have to kneel to the Kaiser after the war, was taken to the local hospital with three knife wounds and a perforated lung.

White potatoes or onions will last longer if kept in a wire basket.

When cream is too thin to whip add the unbeaten white of an egg.

Tennis courts made of rubber have been invented by an Englishman.

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Oriental Hotel Christmas Dinner

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A Story of an American Who Protected a Russian Girl.

By ELINOR MARSH

While the last Russian revolution was coming on, Alan Thorpe, a young American, in what was then St. Petersburg was walking on the street one day when suddenly he felt a hand on his arm, a soft, small hand, evidently belonging to a woman. Glancing sidewise, he saw a girl seemingly about twenty years of age. Looking up appealingly, she hurriedly spoke a few words in the Russian language in a low tone. Thorpe was connected with an agency of an American business house in St. Petersburg and had lived in Russia long enough to speak the language pretty well.

"Give me your protection," said the girl. "I am followed and may be arrested."

"What do you wish me to do?"

"Say that I am your wife."

"Why do you fear arrest?"

"I am supposed to be a revolutionist."

"I am an American. You being a Russian, I doubt if"—

"All the better," said the girl in broken English. "You being a foreigner, the police will be all the more careful in arresting your wife."

"Where did you learn English?"

"I speak several languages. I have been in England. I once spent some months there."

The girl withdrew her hand for a few moments, and Thorpe felt something drop in the side pocket of his overcoat.

"What's that?" he asked.

"Never mind what it is. If it is discovered there and you do not know what it is you will be really surprised. The police will thus be the more readily convinced that you did not put it there yourself."

"Suppose I refuse to acknowledge you?"

"In that case, if they arrest me, I am lost."

"What do you mean?"

"I shall spend the rest of my life in Siberia."

This surely was an unfortunate position in which to be placed—an attractive girl pleading for a chance to avoid a lifelong imprisonment, endangering the liberty of the man she asked to help her. Thorpe was an American, full of chivalry. He knew that the sensible thing for him to do was to disengage himself from the girl and leave her to take care of herself. But he could not bring himself to do this. It flashed through his mind that if he became involved he would find a way out of the trouble. He had the rights of any foreigner, and he was not interested in the revolution. He might suffer imprisonment for a time, but he would eventually be able to prove that he was not a revolutionist. It needed only this reasoning, in addition to the pleading face turned up to his and the feeling of the little hand on his arm, to win him to the girl's purpose.

When his mind was made up he began to talk volubly in English to his companion, pointing out various objects as he passed them with his cane, as though he were conducting her through the city as a stranger. Occasionally he used the words "my dear," but it is doubtful if the two were under surveillance or, if so, whether they were understood, for a Russian police officer is not supposed to know English. The girl, too, played the part of a visitor to the city, regarding with interest the objects pointed out and remarking upon them.

"Are we going toward your home?" asked Thorpe in a whisper.

"No; take me to yours."

This staggered the American, but he remembered the great stake of a life imprisonment in the Kara mines for the girl he was aiding, and he led the way to his lodgings. He was about to pass into the house where he lived when an officer stepped up to him and said very civilly in the Russian tongue:

"Have you your passport with you, sir?"

Thorpe, who was never without his passport, took it from his pocket and handed it to the officer, who looked at it and from it to him. Seeing that the description tallied with the original, the officer handed the document back to its owner, then asked:

"May I see madame's passport?"

"What does he say?" asked the girl of Thorpe, pretending not to understand.

"He wishes to see your passport."

"Oh, it is in my trunk. Ask him to come in and I will show it to him."

By this time the officer was convinced that the pair were American travelers. He went into the house and remained with Thorpe in a reception room while the girl ascended the staircase ostensibly to go to her room to get her passport. Thorpe, who knew that she would not come back, engaged the officer's attention by asking him questions. The man wished to stop the girl, but refrained from doing so until it was too late. Thorpe, who knew that when the officer was convinced that his supposed wife would not return he would take him into custody, was in agony. He remembered the girl's slipping something into his pocket and knew it would be found there. All this seemed too much to do for a woman he had never seen before, and he was tempted to free himself at once by declaring the deception; but, whether it was wise or unwise, it was now too late, and he refrained.

For awhile after the girl had gone upstairs Thorpe talked volubly to the officer, intending to give her as much time as possible to make her escape. During this period Thorpe was thinking how she could get away. There was a rear staircase by which she might descend into a back yard and thence gain another street. But it was likely that there were others on the lookout, and it was possible that her flight by this route would be intercepted. Other houses about the same height as the one they were in flanked it, and she might escape by the roof. In any event if she succeeded Thorpe would be left to the mercy of the Russian government.

What was his amazement to see her re-enter the room.

"My dear," she said, "I wish you would go upstairs and see if you can find my passport. I thought I left it in my trunk when I went out, and, though I have turned everything upside down, I haven't found it. I think that I must have placed it in your trunk, but it is locked and I could not open it. Go and see if it is not there."

What could her return mean but that she had found that she could not sacrifice her benefactor and had come back to permit him to escape instead of herself? He was not to be placed in the position of accepting such a sacrifice from a woman. Taking a bunch of keys from his pocket, he handed them to her, telling her to go herself and look for her passport in his trunk. She demurred at first, but when he handed her his overcoat, asking her to take it up with her, she consented and again left the room, with the coat on her arm.

If the officer had any suspicions they were lulled by the woman's return. And when she left the room a second time with Thorpe's coat there was a great relief in her heart. The moment she was out of the officer's sight she put her hand in the pocket of the coat to assure herself that what she had placed in it was still there. She felt it and hurried on, transferring it as she did so to her own person. During her previous absence from below she had investigated the route of escape by the roof and now kept on till she reached it. Emerging from the scuttle, she ran to the next building, which was but a few feet lower, jumped down on to it, ran over several buildings of the same height and disappeared down the scuttle of the fifth house from the one from which she had started.

When some time had passed and the girl did not return Thorpe began to show signs of impatience. He proposed to go after her, but the officer interposed. Thorpe waited a little longer, then said:

"I fear that if I do not go up at once I shall lose my valuables."

"Why so?" asked the officer. "Surely your wife would not steal from you."

"She is not my wife. I never saw her before today. She joined me on the street. I presume she is"—

The officer waited not to hear the rest, but, springing up, ran to the door, gave a shrill whistle, then ran upstairs, followed by several other men.

Every room in the house was searched, including Thorpe's apartments. Besides his overcoat, several articles of value were missing. He was astonished, thinking that, after all, he had been robbed by a woman who had worked on his sympathies for the purpose. But the police disabused his mind of this theory. They knew better. They had been on the track of a woman they knew well. This one they did not know, but while chasing the other had come to suspect her. She had fooled them by placing herself under Thorpe's wing and pretending to be his wife. But Thorpe was believed to be entirely innocent in the matter and was not troubled even to make an explanation.

One day Thorpe was accosted on the street by an old woman who asked for alms. He was turning away from her when she said in a low tone:

"I am the girl you saved from Siberia."

Thorpe scrutinized her and saw that her white hair was a wig; the wrinkles in her face were skillfully painted. He asked her to give him an account of herself since he saw her last. After telling him how she escaped she continued:

"The article I slipped in your overcoat pocket was a bomb. I had received it a few minutes before I joined you from a worker in the cause of Russia's liberation. When I was permitted to go upstairs for my passport I could have escaped, but I was unwilling to leave you, my benefactor, with the bomb in your overcoat pocket. Your asking me to carry your coat upstairs solved the problem. I robbed you of certain articles that it might appear to the police that I was a common thief who had deceived you. This would avoid implicating you in protecting a revolutionist. When it is safe to do so the articles will be returned to you."

"Who are you?" asked Thorpe.

"I am the daughter of a noble. My home is in the province of Vologda. I came into the revolutionary party through teaching the children on my father's estate. I am now a steady worker for the cause. But I expect to be taken in time and sent to Siberia. I have made many narrow escapes and should have been taken when I attached myself to you had it not been for the stupidity of the officer who demanded my passport. I have stopped you to thank you for what you did for me and to say that your property will be returned to you. You are henceforth while in Russia under the ward of the revolutionists and have nothing to fear."

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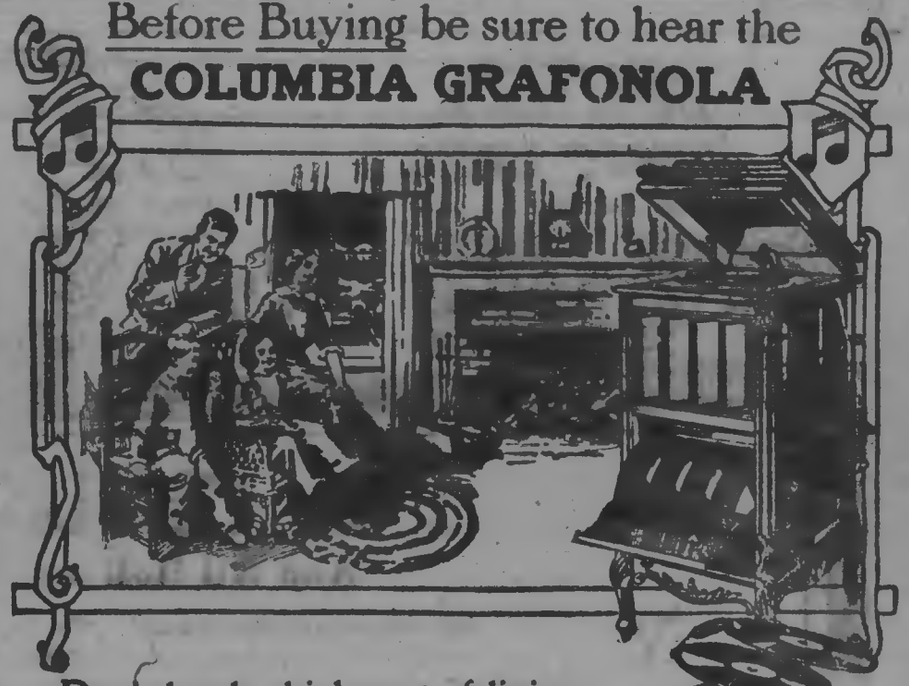

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Mrs. A. W. Mackenzie returned home on Saturday after spending a few days visiting friends in Toronto.

Miss Annie Elliott of Norwood spent a few days last week in the Village, visiting Miss Edna Braden.

Mrs. R. H. Alford, who has been spending the past three weeks visiting friends at Midland and Lindsay, has returned to the village.

Mr. John W. Todd of Millbrook is the guest of Mrs. Atwood, at "Ashelworth."

Mr. Richard Graham of Sanford, Man., arrived last week to spend three months in the village visiting his brothers, Messrs. Robert, William and Albert Graham.

Master Kenneth Mackenzie, who is attending the Naval College at Halifax, arrived on Saturday to spend the Christmas vacation at his home in the village.

Sergt. Fossett spent a few days last week in Kingston.

The Grove School breaks up on Thursday for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Strickland and family of Welland, Ont., arrived on Saturday to take up their residence in the Village. Mr. Strickland having purchased the "Homestead" property from Mr. John Madill.

Mrs. Dubuy and Mrs. Dubuy were in Peterborough on Friday last.

The many friends of Master Jack Mahood will be pleased to learn that he has taken a turn for the better and is now on a fair road to recovery.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Missionary Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church was held in the Sunday School room on Tuesday afternoon last, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

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Cadet D. Cameron of Royal Military College, Kingston, was in the village on Monday visiting Rev. and Mrs. A. W. Mackenzie at The Grove.

Mr. E. B. Tate spent a few days last week in Toronto.

The A. Y. P. A. intend holding a shower in St. John's Sunday School room on Tuesday, Dec. 26th, for the benefit of the returned soldiers at the Gravenhurst Sanitarium.

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GERMANS WERE READY TO SURRENDER TO CANADIANS

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GERMAN FOOD RIOTS.

There are scores of officers from the Canadian divisions returned from the front for Christmas. All are cheery and optimistic. In a recent raid by a Montreal battalion a letter was captured which throws light on the Hun peace proposals. It is dated from Hamburg, and written by the wife of a soldier who was taken prisoner. "Here there have been frightful riots to-night," the letter said. "Women and children have broken into the shops and robbed them. What is going to happen? People have nothing to eat. There are no potatoes left. Fat and bread are scarce. Soldiers with bayonets were behind us. Green grocers and grocers' shops were quite wrecked. Mother has just come in and told us that mounted troops were on Musienburg. What an awful life. They were after us with their sabres right up to our doors. I will give you no further details as I believe letters are opened."

On another prisoner was found a Socialist petition addressed to the German Chancellor, demanding the speediest possible ending of the war.

LOCAL WEEKLY MARKET REPORT

This week's market was characterized by the usual seasonal activity. Trading was active despite the prevailing high prices. The mid-week market, which was held to-day did not bring out a very large quantity of produce. Turkeys predominated, likewise the prices which ranged from 30c to 35c a pound. There is no ignoring the fact that turkeys are scarce, and will scarcely be more than sufficient to supply the demand even at the present prices. Geese sold at $2 while a few of the larger species brought $2.25. Ducks sold at 85c and a dollar each. The few that were offered this morning were quickly bought up. It is safe to say that both ducks and geese will take precedence over the turkey on many a Christmas table unless the prices take a big slump, which is very unlikely.

Butter continues firm at 45c a lb with a fair demand. There will hardly be much change in the price of butter until after the New Year when higher prices are looked for. More people are using peanut butter and other substitutes than ever before. A further increase in the price of butter will only serve to swell the number of people who are economising in this way.

Eggs have reached the prohibitive price of 60c a dozen. They are now in a class where it is difficult to secure enough for invalids and children. There is little hope for easier prices in the egg market until after the New Year when the worthy barnyard hen may terminate her vacation and relieve the scarcity of that particular product.

OF INTEREST TO FARMERS

An Idaho farmer tells The Breeders' Gazette that he had an average of fifteen bushels of alfalfa seed per acre on fifty-three acres.

American packers have this year been killing thousands of thin steers that ordinarily go to the country for a finish. This explains why this year's slaughter will be 500,000 or so in excess of that of 1915; but there will not be a corresponding increase in weight of meat produced.

Nine out of the ten silos visited by Kansas farmers in a tour taken for the purpose were underground. Ensilage two and three years old was found in perfect condition in these "pits." They are easier to fill than the ordinary silo, but they are a good deal harder to feed from.

The war has given a boom to the Hackney in England. The enforced limitation in the use of autos has led to an increase in the demand for Hackneys for pleasure purposes at home, and one of the allied nations is buying English Hackney stallions for the breeding of military mounts.

Where the efforts of an entire community are combined towards the development of a particular type of farming all will require the same supplies, the same type of implements, and the same kind of labour. This affords opportunity for co-operation in purchasing supplies and obtaining buyers for products.

It is no uncommon sight in France to see women ploughing and harrowing the land, carting produce, marketing, loading manure and spreading stover the fields, and in fact, doing a hundred and one jobs done by the stronger sex in normal times. As a result the acreage uner wheat and other cereals is very little less than in normal years.

"The high egg-producing qualities of a flock are transmitted by the male bird," says Rose M. Sherwood, acting head of the department of poultry husbandry in the Kansas State Agricultural College. "A male bird that has come from parents of medium production cannot produce a high-producing individual when crossed with even the best of hens."

Recent tests conducted at the Ohio Experiment Station indicate that slag from blast furnaces is not as efficient as limestone and lime for correcting acidity in the soil. Basing his statements upon these tests, J. W. Ames, Station chemist, in the December Monthly Bulletin, advises farmers not to substitute slag for any form of lime except in an experimental way.

LOCOMOTOR ATAXIA.

"My nerves were very bad, and I could not sleep at night, nor could I control my arms or legs," writes Mrs. Robert Bustard, Maxwell, N.B. "Dr. Chase's Nerve Food cured me of what I believe was the early stage of locomotor ataxia or paralysis. I cannot describe what I suffered, but now I am entirely cured."

For a greasy skin make a paste of seven parts of carbonate of zinc, one of borax, and sufficient cold water. Apply at night before going to bed. Rub it well into the skin, then wipe with a soft cloth.

Officers Are Returning Home

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BERLIN, Dec. 21.—Advices here say that French and British officers in Roumania are returning home.

Roumanians Are Offering Resistance

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BERLIN, Dec. 21.—The War Office says that the Roumanians in Dobrudja are "offering fighting resistance."

Russian Troops On the Offensive

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, Dec. 21.—The Teuton invasion of Roumania is now stopped and our troops are on the offensive at many points.

RUSSIA'S REFUGEE PROBLEM.

Thousands of Roumanians Have Crossed the Frontier and Need Help.

PETROGRAD, Dec. 20.—The passage across the Russian frontier of thousands of Roumanians who have abandoned their homes and property in the face of invading Germans and Bulgarians has cast the shadow of a new refugee problem on the Russian Empire. These refugees have been pouring into Odessa, Kiev and other southern Russian cities in a destitute and helpless condition.

The magnitude of Russia's economic burden is appreciable when it is considered that the country has received already since the beginning of the war a refugee population far exceeding the combined citizenship of the Scandinavian countries, while the resources of the country have been taxed to the utmost to provide for the wandering peoples whose homes have fallen within enemy lines. Refugee committees, looking beyond the immediate necessities, are succeeding in distributing the migratory population throughout the interior, encouraging their colonization in fertile agricultural districts, and giving them work in making boots, all sorts of clothing and other immediate marketable articles.

The refugee ranks have been inevitably thinned by disease and many have fallen victims to cold, lack of proper food and clothing and unsanitary conditions.

CHICKENS FROZE TO DEATH.

Railway Men and Farmers at Dover Township to be Prosecuted.

CHATHAM, Dec. 20.—Chickens confined in a crate froze to death on a station platform at Dover, and charges will be laid against officials of the Pere Mrquette. Farmers of Dover and Chatham Townships will be prosecuted also.

CHRISTMAS DINNER

The Empress Hotel will be just like home on Christmas Day and will serve a special Dinner 12.30 to 2.30 p.m. Come and bring the family and give your wife a holiday. Tables may be reserved by Telephoning 121.

THE EMPRESS HOTEL

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PETERBOROUGH THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1916

GRANT SIX

If you are in the market for a six-cylinder car, be sure and see the Grant Six, at PULKINGHORN'S AUTO AND TAXI LIVERY.

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WILSON'S NOTE MAY MEAN ENTRANCE OF U.S. INTO THE WAR

That is What Washington Officials Draw From President's Message and the Statement of Secretary Lansing ---"United States Drawing Nearer to the Verge of War" Says Lansing in an Official Statement--To:day's Cables From the Battle Fronts.

Special to The Examiner:

WASHINGTON, D.C., December 21.—A quiet but firm intimation to Germany that the entry of the United States into the was as a result of the submarine could no longer be delayed. This is the opinion of officials here, reading between the lines of President Wilson's note and Secretary Lansing's explanatory statement this morning.

Underneath all this diplomatic exchange, it is thought here in authoritative circles, is the United States determination not only to suggest peace, but compel it by entering the war on the side of British allies, definitely balancing the scales, and quickly bringing peace. It is not thought, however, that Germany will permit things to go that far. It is hoped and anticipated that Wilson's note will draw from Germany such peace terms as will be acceptable to the Allies as a base at least of early and quick negotiations.

WASHINGTON, December 21.—Show down by belligerent countries became [illegible] the United States drawn nearer to war and because this nation feels this cannot go on long, is the real purpose behind President Wilson's note despatched to the warring powers, Secretary Lansing said to-day.

Lansing authorized the following as being the real purpose behind the Wilson message: "Our rights have been invaded and the situation is becoming so intolerable that it cannot go on long. More and more our rights are invaded by the belligerents on both sides so that the situation is becoming increasingly critical. I mean by that, that we are drawing nearer to the verge of war, and therefore are entitled to know what each belligerent seeks in order that we can regulate our conduct in future.'

LEGISLATIVE BUILDINGS, TORONTO, December 21. — In Ontario Provincial Government circles, President Wilson's peace move is soundly condemned. Hon. G. Howard Ferguson says Wilson's note is gratuitous and goes at an inopportune time. Hon. H. F. Mcdiarmid declares it is most untimely and will be strongly resented. Lesser officials say it is impertinence and unwarranted interference.

TORONTO, December 21.--Under the heading "President Wilson Starts His Knitting," the Toronto World interprets the President's peace move as merely to safeguard the interests of the United States, which feels that the Allies in ending the war, will make far-reaching trade deals among themselves, "barring out neutral nations who did not play a part in maintaining the liberties of the world."

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 21.—The failure of Dr Von Spitzmuller to form new Austrian cabinet was reported to-day in Vienna dispatches. According to the Emperor Charles has asked Clom Martinitz to attempt the formation of a New Ministry to succeed that of Von Koerber.

PARIS, Dec. 21.—Four German aeroplanes were brought down on the Somme front to-day's official statement asserted. Otherwise there was lull in the fighting. On the Saloniks front the statement reported snow and rain.

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 21 —Hearty endorsement of President Wilson's note to the belligerent nations was made here to-day by William Jennings Bryan former Secretary of state.

"By William Philip Simms" With the British armies in the field—"Delayed." Once again the notorious Ypres salient has earned a place on the wars score board.

The German official wireless on December 14th gave the impression of an important local victory scored there by German troops and said they stormed and occupied "British second line trenches south-east of Zillebeke, the garrison of which fled." Here's exactly what happened. At 9:05 at night on December 14th a strong German attack was launched against the British southern part of the salient. Expecting the attack the British got the stormers under a deadly fire so that when the Germans reached the British there were only ten of the attacking party left. They immediately scurried back.

The whole action lasted just ten minutes. The enemy losses were believed to be severe. The British casualties were very slight. All advantage remained on the British side, and valuable information was obtained from the bodies of the dead Germans.

"On the following day the Germans again attacked, this time at Hill Sixty near by a heavy barrage fire completely wiped out the attack, not one man reaching the British lines. Months ago and Ypres salient was the scene of some of the hottest fighting of the war. The Germans burling attack after attack against the Canadians there in an attempt to crumple their line."

PARIS, Dec. 21 —Lieut. Nungesser brought down his twenty-first aeroplane to-day. On Wednesday the official statement says French aviation squadrons bombarded the railway stations at Amay, Brieulles, Sur Meuse, Charleville, Mezures and Nesles. On the Struma front, in the Majada sector, there were intermittent artillery firing, growing violent in some places.

LONDON, Dec. 21. —Claude Grahame, of the Royal Flying Corps, one of England's first aviators, to-day was married to Ethel Levy, the divorced wife of George Cohan.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—German Ambassador Von Bernstorff, when told of Secretary Lansing's statement on the President's note, was obviously and plainly disturbed. He gave a strong impression that he attached considerable significance to Lansing's remarks on the purpose back of the President's note and did not seem to relish the suggestion of a possibility that the United States might become involved in the war.

TORONTO, Dec. 21.—The Toronto Star, referring to Wilson's peace proposals, says "While we naturally resent any interference by outsiders with the course of the war and feel incensed that the American President is playing the game of Germany, it is just as well that we recognize that under cover. Wilson may have been bringing great pressure to bear on the German Government."

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—A months' truce between the belligerent nations during which time peace negotiations can be entered into, was advocated by Cardinal Gibbons of Baltimore in a statement printed in the New York Evening Mail to-day.

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 21.—Clem Martinitz has formed new Austrian Cabinet despatches here to-day from Vienna said.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—The National prohibition bill was reported favourably by the Senate Judiciary Committee to-day.

Mayor Duffus' Message

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, — I have been urged by many representative citizens to become a candidate for the office of Mayor of the City of Peterborough for the coming year, and hereby offer myself on re-election.

My record for the past year is before you, and I am willing to be judged by it as to my qualifications for serving the city's interests another term.

It is becoming that I should express my opinions of policy and the more pressing needs of the city.

CITY FINANCES

The finances of the city have been as carefully safe-guarded during the past year, as was possible under the circumstances. The policy of the new Council must continue to be one of strict retrenchment, and, that no large expenditures be undertaken. We met with unforseen and difficult propositions, particularly due to the cancellation of taxes for licenses, together with the cancellation of certain taxes hitherto forming part of the city's annual assets, as well as considerable unusually heavy expenditure being incurred through litigation. It will be found, however, that the city is to be congratulated upon the manner in which its finances have been handled this year, credit for this is due to the care and diligence of the chairman and members of the Finance Committee; and it is a matter of pride to the whole Council that every department has co-operated in the laudable desire of cutting down every possible expense.

every possible expense. The details of the financial situation will be issued by the City Treasurer in a few days, and I am assured that when the figures of the year are completed, there will be a balance on the right side.

BOARD OF WORKS DEPARTMENT

During the present exceptional year, it was the policy of the Board of Works to do only such work as was esentially important and urgently necessary to keep faith with ratepayers and prevent undesirable deterioration and disrepair of roads and streets.

The same applies to surface drainage, which will have to be taken up systematically and in a comparatively elaborate manner. But having regard to financial and labour conditions, this is work that as far as at all possible and prudent, should be deferred till after the war. However, a more rigid inspection for the prevention of floods, particularly in spring, will have to be carried out.

Likewise, the matter of permanent pavements seems to be out of the question for the present.

In regard to sewers, I contend that on streets where they maybe petitioned for by ratepayers, in the regular way, and where they are required, as on Romaine, Prince and Princess streets, in the south, and other equally needed streets in other sections, they should be built, since, they are very largely paid for by the property owners by a frontage tax.

There are some stretches of sidewalk which will have to be built, but as sidewalks add to the debenture debt, only such as are urgently required should be constructed at present.

The foot-bridge to East City, to be attached to the C.P.R. bridge over the river, will be completed the coming year, and will meet a want long felt by the residents of the Southern and Eastern portions of the city, particularly those who live on one side of the river and work on the other.

The oiling of the streets to keep down dust is no longer an experiment. It is effective not only in exterminating the dust nuisance, but an important factor in preserving the street surfaces in good condition, and additional streets will have to be added to the oiled area.

FIRE PROTECTION

In regard to the Fire Department, a subject that is properly engaging a good deal of public attention, I may say that I am convinced that it is not adequately equipped in every respect—some of these very important for a city of the size and importance of Peterborough. It is evident that the day of horse-drawn apparatus, and the matter of one or more pieces of motor-driven fire-fighting equipment, must be practically considered, more particularly on account of the present horses being unfit for much further useful service.

We have many valuable factories and buildings the loss of any one of which would be a serious one for the city. They are entitled to the most adequate protection from fire the city can provide. The distance of some of these is so great that good service in the matter of fire-fighting cannot be given with our comparatively slow-moving apparatus and equipment.

For the mercantile section of the city, I would favour an inspection even more rigid than the present, of back yards, lanes, alleys, hallways and basements, with a view of securing more prompt and thorough response to the demand to lessen the accumulation of dangerous, combustible material.

With such indicated improvement provided and with the new force main and auxiliary steam pumping unit, installed and completed in 1916 by the Utilities Commission, would provide reasonably complete facilities for dealing with fires, and for better protection to life and property.

HUNTER STREET BRIDGE.

Great as seemed to be the need of a new bridge last year, the need seems to be still growing; the present bridge may be safe enough but its traffic capacity is inadequate to the requirements and deserts of the residential and business interests of East City. I am yet strongly of the opinion that one of the first large undertakings to receive attention is the construction of a new bridge, as soon as the financial circumstances of the city warrant.

Next year the city may have to take over the street railway in accordance with the understanding with the Hydro Commission; and then the extension of street car service across the river will inevitably involve the construction of a new bridge. These conditions may, unwilling as we are to face new expenditures, justify practical consideration of the problem.

During the past year I have faithfully tried to serve the interests of the city and the citizens, and respectfully submit that in view of my past services, and in view of the fact that my experience of the past year will fit me for giving better service another year, and that, conjoined with my assurance that if given the opportunity, I shall devote my best ability and efforts to giving Peterborough faithful and honourable service, justify me in claiming your vote and support in the coming election.

WATER FOR NORTH SECTION.

The question of city water for fire protection and domestic use in the northern parts of East City, is one I have long been interested in, and one of the requirements spoken of in my message of last year. While this has not been completed a good beginning has been made, and had it not been for the large amount of work on the new force main for the western portion of the city, would have been carried out. Now, however, that a start has been made, no doubt the work will be completed the first thing in the Spring. One hydrant has already been placed and as soon as the Utilities Commission can get to work there will be no cause of complaint.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH

It gives me pleasure to congratulate the Board of Health on what it has accomplished during the past year, and, especially, the good services given by the present Health Officer, Dr. Ames. Cases that have required prompt attention have not been neglected, and the conservation of the general health has received adequate attention. One of the new features in this connection has been the inspection of school children.

NIGHT SOIL COLLECTION

A satisfactory solution of the collection of night soil is one matter which interests a large portion of the community. This matter was not satisfactorily handled during 1916, owing to certain recommendations and adoptions not working out satisfactorily. It must be taken up vigorously by the new Council and a plan worked out which will ensure satisfaction. I feel confident that the work could be handled efficiently for a sum equal to about twenty cents per month or less.

THE SEWAGE DISPOSAL PROBLEM

The completion of the sewage disposal plant will require the careful consideration of next year's council. During the present year much time has been spent endeavouring to settle the question of a suitable location. The Provincial Board of Health, through its chief engineer, recommended what they claim to be the suitable location, having regard to all the circumstances, and gave the City an order and sufficient authority to take possession. Those living in close proximity to the location offered certain objections and the Council has been taking precautionary steps to overcome the objections.

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Manufacturers Emphasize The Need of Better Equipment

Motorized Apparatus For Peterboro' Fire Department Suggested by Majority of Manufactures--A Number Express Opinion That Present Department is Undermanned---"Should Be Paid as Much as They Can Earn in the Shops" Writes One Manufacturer.

In response to an inquiry as to an expression of opinion in regard to better equipment for the Peterborough Fire Department in order that its efficiency may be kept at the highest point possible, the Examiner has received the following replies from manufacturers who are vitally interested in the question:—

ANYTHING LESS THAN THE BEST EQUIPMENT IS FALSE ECONOMY

Editor of the Examiner:

Dear Sir, —Replying to your favour of 18th inst., we certainly think that our fire department should have the very best and up-to-date equipment in keeping with the population and business interests of our city. Any different policy from this would be false economy.

Yours truly

WILLIAM HAMILTON CO., LTD.
J. C. SMITH, President.

READY TO BACK UP ANY DEMAND MADE BY THE FIRE CHIEF

Peterborough, Dec. 19th, 1916

The Peterborough Examiner, City.

Gentlemen,—We acknowledge your favour of the 18th, inviting an expression of opinion as to what we consider necessary to obtain more effective fire protection for our city.

We are unable to express an opinion, but are prepared to back up any demands made by our efficient Fire Chief, as he makes this matter his business night and day, and is best qualified to know what is required.

Yours respectfully,
J. J. Turner & Sons,
Per J.

Best Protection is the Cheapest in the Long Run

Peterborough, Dec. 20, 1916.

The Peterborough Examiner, City.

Dear Sirs,—The recent serious fire here has pointed out that too much attention cannot be given to the fire fighting apparatus, or too much money cannot be spent in procuring for our brigade an equipment that will not only be effective, but save the greatest amount of time in arriving at a fire, and we believe that the electric motive power will do a solution to most of the difficulty as a fire of this nature, superior not only the immediate vicinity but the city, and if the apparatus prevents the loss of life it will have paid for itself. The best is the cheapest in the end.

Yours truly,
Auburn Woollen Co., Limited.
T. H. Kendrey,
Manager.

LARGER FORCE AND BETTER EQUIPMENT ARE REQUIRED IMMEDIATELY

The Peterborough Examiner, Limited,
City.

Gentlemen:—Replying to your favour of December 19th, soliciting my opinion as to what is needed to place Peterborough's Fire Fighting Facilities on a modern basis and in keeping with a progressive city.

In the first place, the strength of the brigade should be one man per one thousand population, which would mean a force of about twenty-two men, while at the present time there are only, I believe, sixteen men and at least one third of these are fresh recruits or unskilled in fire fighting.

Moreover, I think the equipment should be motorized throughout especially in view of the fact that a number of the large manufacturing concerns are a mile or more from the central and only station, and I believe this should be done at once; in fact, I have been in favour of such a move for some years and while my views on the matter were not prompted by the terrible calamity which happened last week, I am free to admit that it impressed me very forcibly with the idea that such a move as I have outlined would be perfectly justified and is worthy of prompt action.

Yours respectfully,
G. WALTER GREEN.

THE VERY BEST AND VERY LATEST NOT TOO GOOD FOR PETERBOROUGH

Peterborough, Dec. 19th, 1916

The Peterborough Examiner, City.

Dear Sirs,—Your favour of the 18th to hand, asking for my opinion as to what is needed in the way of apparatus to permit of more effective fire fighting. I am not in a position to say just what kind of apparatus is needed, but I do think that the very best and very latest machinery is not too good for a city the size of Peterborough.

It might be a good thing to take this Department out of the hands of the Council, and put it under a commission similar to that of our Water and Power Commission. I think this would be one way of stopping the haggling over small things, which we have seen the last year at different times in the Council.

I think that a penny wise and pound foolish, in this direction.

Yours very truly,
The Bonner Worth Company, Ltd.
Per E. Worth,
Secretary.

CITY NOT ADEQUATELY PROTECTED BY ONE FIRE HALL IN CENTRE

Peterborough, Dec. 19th, 1916

The Peterborough Examiner, Limited,
Peterborough.

Dear Sirs,—Replying to your favour of the 18th inst., with reference to the city's need in the way of apparatus to permit of more effective fire fighting, the writer's opinion is that the City of Peterborough with its large area, and its large values located in various parts of the city, is not at all adequately protected by one fire department, located in the centre of the city.

There should be located in the south end, in the north end, and possibly in East City, subsidiary fire halls with motor driven chemical engines and hose wagons with a sufficient staff to operate them until such time as relief could come from the central station.

I would hardly care to say definitely what equipment the fire halls should have, feeling that the fire chief is more competent to judge of this, but it does appeal to me that all the apparatus should be motor driven and that there should be sufficient so that the city may be in a position to handle more than one fire concurrently.

Yours truly,
Canadian General Electric Co., Ltd.
E. G. Patterson,
General Superintendent.

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ANOTHER VETERAN OF THIS WAR FOR 247TH BATTALION

Sergt.-Major A. E. Britain, Formerly of Princess Pats, Transferred to the Peterborough Unit With the Rank of Lieutenant

TO-DAY'S MILITARY NEWS

The 247th Battalion has gained another veteran of the present war in the person of Sergt.-Major A. E. Britain, formerly of the Princess Pats who has been transferred to the Peterborough unit with the rank of lieutenant. Peterborough citizens who remember Lieut. Britain when he was drill instructor of the Peterborough Rangers will share Lt.-Col. Ackerman's satisfaction in the acquisition of such a capable soldier. Lieut. Britain held that position here for a number of years, and then went to Toronto where he occupied a similar post with the Queen's Own Rifles. When the present war broke out Lieut. Britain joined the original Princess Patricia's Light Infantry, and saw much hard fighting with the famous Pats before he was finally wounded. Since being invalided home he has been acting as Sergeant-Major of the Bombing School at Camp Borden, and more recently at Toronto. The 247th Battalion now have a list of six officers who have seen service in the present war.

The regimental cap and collar badges for the 247th Battalion have arrived and will likely be issued this afternoon. They are very artistic in design.

Lieut. Fred S. Hubbs, of the Canadian Mounted Rifles, who was wounded and captured in the Zillibeke battle last June, and who has been a prisoner in Germany ever since, has been transferred to Switzerland where he will be interned.

Jerry Coughlin joined the ranks of the 247th Battalion this morning.

Pte. J. B. Copp, a Havelock member of the 93rd Battalion, is officially reported seriously ill.

To-day's Orders.

Peterborough, Ont., Dec. 20, 1916.

Daily orders by Lieut.-Col. Ackerman, commanding 247th Bn., C.E.F.

Orders for Thursday, December 21, 1916.

1. Parade—

All officers, N.C.O.'s and men except those specially employed, will parade in the drill hall at 9 a.m. and at 2 p.m.

2. Duties—

Orderly officer for Thursday, Dec. 21, 1916, Lieut. A. H. Cameron. Orderly officer for Friday, Dec. 22, 1916, Lieut. T. Quinn; next for duty, Lieut. S. J. Dunsford.

3. Leave of Absence—

Lieut. L. J. Boudet, is granted leave of absence from Retreat, Friday, 1916.

Dec. 22, 1916, until Reveille Dec. 26.

Captain J. Belton, is granted leave of absence from Reveille, Saturday, Dec. 23, 1916, until noon, Tuesday, Dec. 26, 1916.

Captain R. Cleghorn, is granted leave of absence from Dec. 25, 1916, until Reveille, January 1, 1916.

R. B. Brooks, Lieut.,
Asst. Acting Adjt., 247th Bn., C.E.F.

A GOOD IDEA

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Tablet Will Be Unveiled At St. John's

The mural tablet placed in the nave of St. John's Church in memory of Lieut. Gordon Stanley Fife, P. P. C. L. I., who was killed in action June 2, 1916, will be unveiled to-night at the 8 p.m. Evensong service, to-day being the Festival of St. Thomas, Apostle and Martyr. The brave soldier was well known here, and an opportunity is offered to show tribute to one who "Laid the world away, and poured out the red sweet wine of youth." Citizens are invited to be present.

"Let Saints on earth in concert sing"
"With those whose work is done."
"For all the servants of our King"
"In heaven and earth are one."

—(Rev. Charles Wesley, 1760.)

BE WISE AND BUY BOOTS NOW !

Immense war contracts for leather, just placed, will mean a greater shortage of leather than ever, and boots in 1917 will reach the $8 & $10 mark or more. When our present stock is gone we will have to buy at higher figures wholesale than we are selling now ourselves.

LADIES' NEWEST BOOTS—We introduce this special line for Christmas. The boots are very handsome for present or spring wear. Some are solid tobacco brown, some midnight sky blue, some patents with champagne tops, or all black kids. In the spring these would cost $9.00 to $10.00. Buy them now at 6.50

LADIES' DRESS BOOTS—Several styles in patents with kid tops, all vici kid, all gun metal. Spanish and Cuban leather heels, laced or buttoned. All sizes 2½ to 7, the up-to-the-minute styles. Worth easily $6.00 and $6.50. We sell this Christmas week at 4.00 4.50

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MEN'S SLIPPERS—Several styles, best gift line for men, low or Romeo, or Opera. Should be $3.00. We sell them for only 1.79 1.98

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THURSDAY, DEC. 21, 1916

THE TRUE AND THE FALSE SPIRIT.

A Montreal journal on its "Christmas Page," prints a little poem addressed to children, which is in quite the wrong spirit. It sets forth that goody goody boys and girls will get a Christmas box; and that naughty children,—"they'll not get a Christmas box." This shows at once a bad spirit, and is bad theology. It sets up parents as judges and makes them the executioners of their findings. It is quite contrary to the spirit of Christmas. Christ came not to call the righteous, but sinners, to repentance. He came as the Friend of the friendless; he came to give mercy, not justice; to set up the kingdom of kindness, not alone to the deserving, but to the undeserving, the bad, the sorrowful and suffering. If we get only what we deserved in relation to our Creator, it would be a case of mighty short shrift and "short commons" with the best of us. If we have hope only in our own merit "we are of all men most miserable." The Christmas spirit, as well as the Christian spirit spells "Gift"—everything free, everything gratis. We cannot in our Christmas dispensing of kindness sit in judgment; we must give in freeness and fulness of spirit. We may not look the gift horse in the mouth. If this is good manners, it is good morals, not to consider the objects of our giving in any other spirit than the love that goes with the act, without reference to merit or character or condition. If we can venture to make distinctions in giving we must prefer those whose need is most. But at Christmas time the opposite spirit is too much shown. Those that have most of this world's goods get most in the way of gifts—is it cynical to say because they can respond in kind? Christmas-giving to be true, to be Christian, must partake of the character and meaning of the Great Gift that came to earth 1916 years ago.

NICKEL AGAIN.

The Nickel question will not down. The public of Canada is not satisfied with the assurance of the Government that Canadian nickel is not reaching Germany. The Government has not explained or shown, as national and imperial interests demand, that the nickel, known and admitted to have been shipped in the German submarine freighter, Deutschland, was not, as suspected and believed to be, Canadian nickel, or nickel refined from Canadian ores. There is a disquieting uncertainty about the whole nickel situation, and an uneasiness in the public mind, that will not be allayed by assurances that do not assure, that there is an "arrangement" by which Canadian nickel is prevented from reaching the enemy. There is only one certain way to provide that Canadian nickel should not be used for enemy purposes and against Canadians; and that is to provide that no nickel should leave Canada in an unmanufactured—unrefined — condition that Canada, through its Government, should have full control of its disposition, and that only under conditions of knowledge that assure against any possibility of nickel refined in Canada from our ores being diverted from its proper and patriotic use in making armaments or munitions for the use of Canada or Britain, or our allies. Home refinement is so obviously the right measure, not only in respect of loyalty to national and imperial interests, but of loyalty to Canada's practical monopoly of advantage from the home treatment of our national resources, that our largest commercial and industrial interests, and all thinking Canadians, demand on the part of the Government of Canada action that will give effect to a policy of home refinement. Indications of the character of this feeling—a feeling that is more generally entertained than expressed, is furnished by the following resolution passed at a meeting of the Duncan, B. C., Board of Trade

Whereas 80 per cent. of the world's supply of nickel is mined in Canada, and

Whereas, almost the whole of the remaining supply is mined in the French colony of New Caledonia, thus leaving practically the whole of the world's known nickel deposits in their natural state in the control of the allied governments, and

Whereas, owing to the fact of there being no nickel refinery in this country it is necessary to export nickel ore to a neutral state for treatment, and

Whereas, nickel is largely used in the manufacture of armaments, projectiles, and other military and naval requirements, and

Whereas, large supplies of this metal have been and are still being exported from the said neutral state to our enemies in Germany, and

Whereas, even more serious consequences would result from the foreign treatment of nickel ore in the event of the before neutral state becoming involved in war with this country,

Be it therefore resolved that the Canadian Government be urged to take immediate steps to insure the erection of Canada of a nickel refinery at the earliest possible date, and that pending the completion of such refinery, the Canadian Government take such action as will best assure control of the Canadian nickel supply for the sole benefit of the allied nations, and

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Sir Robert Borden, Premier of Canada, to the Honourable the Minister of Militia and Defence, and to the representatives in Parliament from this province, and

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to other Boards of Trade throughout Canada, to other influential public bodies, and to the Press, urging that they endorse this resolution and do everything possible within their power to further the object of this resolution

The Examiner on its part heartily endorses the spirit of the resolution—its demand that the Government shall take such action as will ensure absolute and unequivocal control of Canada's nickel output—that will be indisputable proof that not an ounce of Canadian nickel shall find its way to the enemy except as component parts of munitions fired by Canadian, British or allied guns. One can't feel that the Government of Canada lacks interest in the cause of Canada and the allies; but one cannot repress the feeling that in view of the tremendous interests at stake, this interest is subordinate to some influence that obstructs effective action — either the deadening inference of official indolence, or some other influence: but whatever it may be is not in the interests of Canada, Great Britain, the Empire or their cause, as associated with that of the allies of the Entente

ROYAL BANK SHOWS RECORD STRIDES FOR PAST YEAR

Expansion on Larger Scale Than Ever Reported—Total Assets Now Over $253,000,000—Deposits Jumped by Over $45,000,000—Percentage Liquid Assets 53.24 Per Cent. Against 49.03 Per Cent Last Year—Connections Help Foreign Business of Canada.

(From our own Correspondent.)

Montreal, December 21.—The Annual Statement of the Royal Bank of Canada, which goes forward to shareholders, reflects in a striking manner the great strides the Royal is making among the leading Canadian banks, and the enormous benefits it is evidently obtaining from the strong and effective banking organization it has built up throughout the Dominion.

For the first time in the history of the Bank, total assets are reported in excess of a quarter of a billion, the increase for the past twelve months being $50,000,000, total assets amounting to $253,261,427, compared with $198,299,128 at the end of last year, and $179,904,054 at the end of 1914.

The general character of the Bank's deposits makes a gain of over $23,000,000 in deposits bearing interest a notable one, and is especially gratifying in view of the manner in which the Royal during the course of the year, recommended to its depositors investment in the large Dominion domestic loans. The gain in total deposits for the year is over $45,000,000, at the rate of close to $3,750,000 a month.

While the main features of the annual statement indicate that attention has centred on co-operation with customers and the maintenance of a very strong position in order to be continually prepared during the war period, there is a healthy increase in the profits for the year, these amounting to $2,111,307,65, equivalent to 17.87 per cent. on the average paid up capital, compared with $1,905,576.57, or 16.48 per cent., in the previous year.

GROWTH OF ASSETS

The general statement of assets and liabilities shows that of the total assets of $253,261,427, the amount maintained in the form of liquid assets is $121,127,063, equivalent to 53.24 per cent. of liabilities to the public as compared with $84,804,162 last year, and $71,244,677 at the end of 1914, a gain of approximately Fifty Million Dollars in two years. The principal accounts in the liquid assets are as follows: Current Coin, $16,072,763, compared with $15,946,289. Dominion Notes, $14,249,110, against $12,977,-790, while the Bank's deposits in the Central Gold Reserves has jumped to $6,500,000, up from $3,000,000 at the end of last year.

LARGER ACCOMMODATION PROVIDED.

The much larger accommodation the Bank is providing, notwithstanding the general tendency to pay off loans, is shown by a gain in total current loans and discounts to $124,864,838, compared with $106,552,634 a year ago.

The policy of service and co-operation always followed by the Royal is undoubtedly one of the reasons for the steady gains in deposits, deposit bearing interest having gained to $140,862,199, compared with $117,519,-330, while deposits not bearing interest have advanced to $39,365,396, up from $37,450,997 this resulting in the total deposits crossing the $200,000,000 mark, compared with $154,976,327 a year ago.

The profits for the year amounted to $2,111,307, equivalent to 17.87 per cent. on the average paid up capital, against $1,905,576, or 16.48 per cent the previous year. The profits added to the amount carried forward from profit and loss, brought the amount available for distribution up to $2,-787,779. Of this amount the regular dividend at the rate of 12 per cent., required $1,417,207; transferred to officers' pension fund, $100,000; written off Bank premises account $250,000; war tax on Bank note circulation, $118,220; contribution to Patriotic Fund, $50,000; leaving the amount to be carried forward to profit and loss, $852,346, compared with $676,472.

The annual meeting of the shareholders has been called for Thursday, January 11th

The local branch of the Bank, under the managership of Mr. V. Eastwood, will move into their handsome new premises on the first of January next.

OTTAWA HOUSE RECESS FOR THE CONFERENCE?

Parliament May Adjourn to Allow Premier to Attend—Election Is Off.

OTTAWA, Dec. 20.—In Government and political circles at the capital there is a good deal of speculation as to the probable date of the Imperial conference. The most likely time is in the spring, and the Government may ask Parliament to adjourn for six weeks, from March to May.

It will be recalled that Parliament adjourned during the reciprocity debate in order to allow Sir Wilfrid Laurier to attend an Imperial conference. The Opposition will suggest that any proposal for the extension of the life of Parliament be deferred until Sir Robert has attended the gathering and made his report.

The holding of the conference will probably make it quite impossible for the Government to bring on an early spring election, for which it is understood here the preliminary plans have already been laid

HOSTEL FOR MEN ON LEAVE.

London Houses Commandeered by the British Authorities.

Twenty-six large private house on the east side of Belgrave road, London, have been requisitioned by the War Office, and the tenants have been informed that they must leave "forthwith."

The houses are wanted for the accommodation of soldiers returning on leave from the front and reaching London at an hour in the night when they are unable to proceed straight to their homes. The tenants are mostly professional men and retired people, some of whom have lived in their present residences from thirty to forty years. The houses are let on leave from the front and reaching are five-storeyed buildings.

The order was issued under the Defence of the Realm Act by Major-General Sir Francis Lloyd, commanding the London district

Fell Asleep On His Wheel

Unusual Accident in Six Day Bicycle Race

Special to The Examiner:

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Ernest Oport of the team of Oport and Belle, in New York's annual six day bicycle race at Madison Square Garden, fell asleep while rounding the turn just before noon, to-day, and sprawled over the track. He was removed unconscious. First aid treatment revived him, and he was led to his camp, limping badly. Ryan was leading at 2 o'clock.

HELP WANTED—MALE

MEN WANTED—$3 PER MONTH AND board. Apply Calvanagh, 389 Queen St. 3d-145-504

LOST

SOLDIER'S WIFE LOST A CHEQUE AND purse Wednesday evening. Finder please leave at Examiner or at 65 Victoria St. 3d-145-513

LOST—THURSDAY BETWEEN HARVEY and Simcoe streets on George, a telephone lineman's test set. Finder please communicate with Bell Telephone Co 3d-145-523

LOST—PUP DOG, COLLIE, ABOUT TWO months old, black with white throat. Please return to 136 Para. Anyone found harbouring after this date will be prosecuted. 1d-145-558

FOUND

FOUND—ON CORNER CHARLOTTE AND George, black purse with sum of money. Owner may have same by applying at Police Station, proving property and paying for advertisement. 1d-145-4-9

HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—A GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Apply 112 Aylmer street. 3d-145-522

GIRLS WANTED—FOR POWER SEWING machines to work in Flax Department. Light, clean work. Experienced operators preferred. J. J. Turner & Sons 3d-145-550

WANTED—YOUNG LADY GOOD AT FIGures to sell tickets at the Brock Street Rink. Apply R. M. Glover Examiner Office to-night. 1d-145-548

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—CANARY BIRDS, GOOD SINGers. Apply 344 Simcoe. 3d-145-617

FOR SALE—BABY'S WHITE CUTTER IN good condition. Apply 739 Water street 3d-145-575

FOR SALE—SOLID OAK BUFFETTE AL most new. Apply 138½ Hunter street Call during day time 3d-145-610

FOR SALE—COOK STOVE, SIDE BOARD chairs, beds, etc., also 6 hens. Apply 550 Albert street 3d-145-611

FOR RENT

TO RENT—MODERN HOUSE, ALL CONveniences, very central. Apply Examiner Office for address. 3d-4-t-4-13

Tenders For Ashes

SEALED TENDERS addressed to Ald. J. Saunders, Chairman of the Property Committee," and endorsed "Tender for Ashes," will be received at the office of the undersigned up to 4 o'clock p.m., on Thursday, the 28th day of December, 1916, for the ashes from the incinerator during 1917. Particulars may be obtained from the Sanitary Inspector. A cash deposit or accepted bank cheque for the amount of the tender must accompany each tender. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

S. R. ARMSTRONG,
2d City Clerk.

WANTED

MIDDLE AGED MAN WITH LITTLE GIRL would like to get a good housekeeper, between 30 and 35 years with view to marriage. Apply Thos. Saunders, Hollieboro P.O. 2d-145-1-w-621

Wanted

Bench Hands and Fitters. Apply to—
Mr. French, Supt.,
The De Laval Co.,
SEPARATOR DEPT.

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French Dates	Messina Lemons
Choice Apples	Cranberries
Pomegranites	Fresh Lettuce
Bananas	Crisp Celery, etc
Nuts, Shelled & Unshelled	Canned Goods
Table Raisins	Shrimps, Sea Salmon,
Cluster Raisins	Salmon Trout, White Fish
New Figs & Dates	Sea Herring, Salt Herring
California Cucumbers	Gaspe Salmon, Halibut
	Oysters Received Daily

DOUROS & GETTAS
375 George St. 'Phones 18 and 19

Special Prices For Christmas Candies

At The Marathon Candy Kitchen

Big stock of—
French Mixes, Fancy Mixes, Cut Rocks, Chocolates Bon-Bons, Carmels & All Kinds of Toffies

Big stock of Fancy Boxes
25c, 35c, 50c, 60c, 75c, 80c, $1.00, $.150 to $2.00

Our Candies Fresh Daily.

Don't forget the place. Ice Cream all the Year Round.

The Marathon Candy Kitchen
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On Dec. 30 we will give away 1 Calendar to every Customer

A MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL

Xmas Cheer

By The

Peterboro Grocery Co.

Simcoe Street, Next Turnbulls

WE have secured the choicest of the markets on every line we offer. All orders will be promptly filled whether in personal, by phone or letter. We assure our patrons best of good service. Don't fail to order early We are specializing in the following:—

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Nuts, Candies and Figs	Shelled Almonds and Walnuts
Dates and Prunes	
Unfermented Wines	Muscatel Raisins

Peterboro Grocery Co.
Simcoe St., Next Turnbulls Fred Walker, Manager

We Wish You All The Season's Greetings

Manufacturers Emphasize The Need of Better Equipment

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In Favour of Best Appartus the City Can Afford

The Peterborough Examiner, Limited,
George St., City.

Dear Sirs,—Replying to your favour of the 18th inst., re more effective fire protection of the city. We are not well enough acquainted with our present equipment to give an opinion that we would consider of any value. We are certainly in favour of procuring the best apparatus for fire fighting purposes the city can afford. We are,

Yours truly,
The Peterborough Cereal Co., Ltd.
Per. J. W. Meyers.

Factories in the Outskirts Need Better Protection

Peterborough, Dec. 21st, 1916.

Peterborough Examiner, City.

Dear Sir,—Referring to your inquiry as to our opinion of the fire fighting apparatus of the City of Peterborough, speaking for our own plant, we feel that on account of its location, the present equipment is ample protection. We do feel, however, that the manufacturing plants located in the outskirts of the city have by no means the same protection and for the benefit of the entire city, we would be glad to see the Fire Department furnished with motor equipment.

B. F. Ackerman, Son & Co., Ltd.
W. C. Ackerman,
Sec.-Treasurer

Curtailment of Expenses is a Very Expensive Experiment

Peterborough, Dec. 21st, 1916.

The Editor, Examiner Printing Co., City:

Dear Sir,—Replying to your inquiry of the 18th inst, we feel that Peterborough should have fire apparatus equal, if not better, than any other city having a population of 25,000. The Fire, Water and Light committee, or Commission having charge of the Fire Department should know what apparatus is necessary at all times.

If it has not been done, we would think it would be money well spent to have an independent expert go over the apparatus of our Fire Department and make a report of its efficiency. Not being experts, we do not feel confident to advise what additions if any are necessary.

Curtailment of expense in the Fire Department by way of insufficient equipment, or a cut in wages, as a rule is a very expensive experiment, and does not tend toward efficiency.

Yours very truly,
The Colonial Weaving Co., Ltd.
A. E. Coulthard,
Manager.

Equipment of the City's Fire Department is Totally Inadequate

Dec. 21st, 1916

The Peterborough Examiner,
City:

Dear Sirs,— We are in receipt of your letter of the 18th, asking us for an opinion as to the city's needs in the way of fire fighting apparatus.

It would be very difficult for us to offer an opinion on this subject, as the apparatus that should be provided is more a question for an expert on fire fighting.

As manufacturers we feel that proper and sufficient appliances should be provided to protect the industries of the city from such disastrous fires as the one recently at the Quaker Oats Company. On this occasion it was proved beyond question that the equipment of the City's Fire Department was totally inadequate, and should stop for all time the discussion as to whether further equipment is necessary or not.

While we can readily understand that a fire of this magnitude might well tax the resources of any fire brigade, we feel that had this plant been situated in a closely built up section of the city that a large proportion of the city would have been wiped out.

If the Council consider that the future development of the city depends upon the location of new industries, and the extension of the present ones, proper and sufficient public service will have to be provided on a very different scale to what they are at present.

In our own case, there are no overground fire connections in the vicinity of our plant, there is no public lighting, we have no sanitary sewage connections, and we practically have to maintain our own police force. The one thing that we do get with a regularity and promptness which is commendable is the tax bill.

It is very difficult to anticipate that any large industries will locate in Peterborough under such conditions.

We do not offer the above remarks in any spirit of criticism, but we feel strongly that the future development of Peterborough will be greatly helped by a serious consideration being given to the proper equipment of the city in all departments.

Yours truly,
Henry Hope & Sons of Canada, Ltd.
Per. Richardson

MORE FIREMEN, BETTER PAY AND MOTORIZED APPARATUS REQUIRED

I am sure that it is the opinion of every manufacturer in the City of Peterborough that this city must have, and is going to have, without delay, a fire fighting machine in men and apparatus which the importance of its industrial development demands.

Councils that have come and gone, and the one that now is, have had no proper conception of the insignificance of the expenditure necessary to secure this protection of the property in this city, as compared to the inevitable losses which follow a course such as has been steered. Twenty-five efficient firemen is not too many. We now have sixteen. These men should be paid at least as much as they may earn in the shops. Their pay is now eight cents an hour. Motorized apparatus will save their cost every minute they save in getting to a fire. We now have an obsolete horse-drawn, time-losing outfit. The city may not hope to attract other industries to its precincts while it depends on, or defends, a semi-volunteer organization of fire protection.

Every aspirant for the position of mayor or alderman for 1917 should be requested to state his position on this supreme question and be given to understand that definite action and prompt acquisition of an efficient department in men and material is imperative, and that we do not want evasion, or damnable negligence of this factor of safety, and further, that it will not be tolerated by the citizens of Peterborough.

In so far as it goes, it will be many times less if these improvements are adopted than it will be to continue to take liberty with property and lives, and pay the toll of high insurance and an undesirable civic reputation.

Let us say to the incoming mayor and council, "Gentlemen, come across with it right now."

De Laval Dairy Supply Company.
W. R. Breyfogle.
Peterborough, Dec. 19, 1916.

Motorized Equipment Should Supplant the Horse-Drawn Vehicle

Peterborough, Dec. 20th, 1916.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

In reply to your enquiry as to my idea of fire equipment for the City of Peterborough, I wish to state that I have always been and am now in favour of the very best equipment the city can afford. I think everything that can be motorized should supplant the horse drawn vehicles. We have everything but equipment to give entire satisfaction. I think a moderate expenditure would place our fire department in good shape and make it the equal of protection given other cities of similar size to Peterborough that have the proper equipment.

There is no doubt that those who know absolutely the requirements and have the authority will provide the city with what it requires.

Yours truly,
G. A. Gillespie.

Congestion Makes Coal Mines Idle in South Wales Fields

LONDON, Dec. 21.—The Chronicle says that owing to the shortage in ships for the transportation of coal an extraordinary state of congestion exists in South Wales.

Miles of the sidetracks at Cardiff and Newport are chocked with coal-laden trucks which have been accumulating for many days, with the result that there is now a shortage of trucks.

Some of the pits are consequently idle and there has been a loss in production of a million tons in three weeks.

The Chronicle claims that the exportation license system has resulted in some ships sailing from coal ports in ballast.

MAYOR DUFFUS' MESSAGE

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so as not to antagonize any one, at the same time safe-guard the City's interests.

A number of meetings has been held and the sewage question discussed from every angle in order to arrive at a satisfactory solution, which I believe if carefully handled, will terminate satisfactorily and in the best interests of all concerned. If the whole proposition could be deferred for a year or two, looking at it from a financial standpoint, it would be in the interests of the city. However, the present system of depositing sewage in the river is objectionable to the adjoining townships and the Provincial Board of Health, will cannot reasonably allow these conditions to exist more longer.

NEW INDUSTRIES.

The question of securing new industries will need the most careful consideration of the new Council. From now on, this is a matter upon which considerable time and energy must be spent. More advertising of the advantages of the City and all the influences that can be brought to bear should be exercised for the purpose of the City getting its full share of new industries that are likely to locate in Canada, to manufacture goods which were formerly manufactured in United States and in European countries.

Mr. S. R. Armstrong, our Industrial Commissioner, has worked faithfully during the past number of years and a great deal of preliminary work and negotiations with different firms have been going on, which should be followed up, and no stone left unturned to secure as many industries, on as favourable conditions as we possibly can do.

In wishing the electors and the city a New Year of happiness and prosperity, I trust that you will give me the opportunity to co-operate with you and your city council in giving effect to this wish, as Mayor of the City of Peterborough.

Yours faithfully

JOS. J. DUFFUS
MAYOR

Office of the Mayor
Peterborough, Dec. 21st, 1916

REDUCING HIGH COST OF LIVING

At a recent meeting of the Legal and Reception Committee of the City Council at which the high cost of living was discussed, Ald. Edgar pointed out that one way of reducing the price of foodstuffs was to refrain from buying them. This is a plan that has been adopted in Toronto, Montreal, New York, and many other places including Kansas City which reports the following.

PRICES DROPPED.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 21.—Slowly but surely the Kansas City restaurant men's egg boycott is working. A. B. Crader, secretary of the organization declared.

Fresh eggs have dropped in price from 43 to 35 cents a dozen, and storage eggs from 37 to 31 cents, since the beginning of the boycott, eight days ago, Crader explained.

OFFICER ARRESTED AT BORDEAUX

QUEBEC OFFICER ARRESTED ON LANDING IN FRANCE—$40,000 FORGERY CHARGED.

QUEBEC, Dec. 21.—Chas. F. Rheaume, former lieutenant in the 167th Battalion, C.E.F. wanted here on a charge of forgery to the alleged amount of $40,000 was arrested yesterday at Bordeaux, France, just as he disembarked from the steamer Espagne from New York. He is said to have traveled across the Atlantic under the assumed name of Robert Probert. He had little money on him when arrested says the cablegram.

Deportation proceedings have been instituted. Rheaume is said to have gone to Montreal thence to Toronto, where he made large deposits of the money in various banks.

Before coming to Quebec, Rheaume was employed by newspapers in Montreal.

NOMINATIONS TO-MORROW

Nomination day, to-morrow, will find the automatically retiring aldermen back in the field.

Ald. Dobbin may have opposition in the Centre Ward, but it has not yet appeared.

The same applies in the North Ward where Ald. McIntyre has to face the electors. Mr. G. O. Cameron's name has been mentioned on the street as a possible candidate.

Mr. Edgar Worth will likely be nominated for the West Ward vacancy, and his is the only name thus far mentioned.

Over in the East Ward Mr. J. H. Smith will oppose Ald. Evans, and in the south Mr. W. H. Taylor is coming out to contest Ald. Edgar's stronghold.

The Mayoralty prospect will have to await to-morrow's developments. As yet there has been no mention of serious opposition to Mayor Duffus.

Four vacancies on the Board of Education will be filled from the following payable candidates. Messrs. Ackerman, Eastwood, Denne, Gordon, A. A. Fowler and F. W. Doan.

Mr. Robert Hicks will likely be unopposed for the vacancy on the Utilities Commission.

FORD FACTORY TO CLOSE FOR NEXT TEN DAYS

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

DETROIT, Dec. 21.—As a means of relieving the railroad congestion now threatening all industries of America, the Ford Motor Co. will suspend operations completely to-morrow, and remain closed until January 3. Thirty thousand employees probably will be affected by the order. None will receive pay during the suspension.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

Toronto Live Stock.—Receipts fair, market steady practically no change in prices.

Weight Must Be Shown

Police Visit the Farmers' Market and Warn a Number of Women—By-law to Be Enforced

The police are taking steps to see that the market by-law is enforced. Yesterday a visit was made to the upstairs section of the local market and a number of women were warned that they must display a weight ticket on all fowl offered for sale. The by-law also calls for a tag on the basket showing the name of the vendor. This by-law must be carried out or prosecutions will follow. All poultry, dead or alive offered for sale on the market, must bear a ticket showing the exact weight of the fowl. The name and address of the owner must also be displayed.

MISS ANDERSON IMPROVING NICELY

LINDSAY, Dec. 21. — The many friends of Miss Olive Anderson, nurse-in-training at Kingston General Hospital, will be pleased to learn that she is progressing nicely, and that she is free from the pain at first experienced as a result of the accident sustained in that institution Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Anderson have received a letter from Kingston in which the heroic conduct of Miss Anderson received the highest praise. In pushing the carriage containing a patient into the elevator cage, the brave nurse fortunately moved a pillow with her arm, so that when the steel top of the door crashed down upon her hand, a portion of the pillow under the member undoubtedly saved it, as otherwise it would have undoubtedly been cut off.

No bones were crushed, and the hand will be saved.

Mrs. Anderson will go to Kingston to bring Miss Anderson home for Christmas.

Many a man who attempts to blow his own horn comes out at the little end of it.

The Place To Select Your Christmas Gifts for Your Gentlemen Friends is at

Yeotes Bros.

Cigar and Tobacco Store

Cigars, Imported and Domestic. Cigarettes, all brands. Pipes of all makes. Tobacco Pouches. Ash Trays. Cigar Lighters. Everything for the man who smokes. Best and biggest stock in the City. Convenient place for ladies to shop

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NOTICE!

We, the undersigned grocers of the City of Peterborough, have placed our orders for grocery stock, in accord with, and are selling to the public, goods that conform to the regulations as set out by the Pure Food Law of Canada. The following stores will be found satisfactory stores at which to buy:

A. W. PASKINS, 233 Hunter St.
W. J. BYERS, Byersville.
E. P. NICHOLLS, 209 Stewart St.
MITCHELL'S GROCERY, 239 Reid St.
BERT. HUNTER, 235 McDonnel St.
EDGAR PUTTICK, 531 Park St.
JUBY BROS., 242 Charlotte St.
N. ROUTLEY, 392 Brock St.
W. ROUTLEY, Lake and Aylmer Sts.
A. DAVIDSON, 133 Benson Ave.
BERT. HEARD, 230 George St
GOHEEN & MATCHETT, 190 Rubidge St.
DAWSON BROS., 559 George St.
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During the Busy Season save time by taking YOUR MEALS at the

BOSTON CAFE

Up-to-Date in Every Particular
See our Special Daily Dinner Bill of Fare

It Saves —TIME —MONEY —WORRY

We have prepared ourselves to furnish an Excellent Christmas Dinner for those who are anxious to make the day one of rest and not of drudgery.

EAT AT THE BOSTON CAFE
GEORGE STREET

CREDITORS' SALE

Positively every garment in this store must be sold before this sale ends. Price is not considered as we must have an absolute clearance. There are some splendid Christmas suggestions along the practical line—Suits, Dresses, Waists, Shirts, etc. This sale is a rare opportunity to purchase the best quality for little money.

$16.50 Dresses
$9.95

These are New York Dresses called the New York Chicken Style. Material is silk and in shades of Copen, Navy, Brown and Black. A dress we have sold regularly for $16.50. Quick Sale Price

$9.95

$2.00 Corsets
$1.21

Our entire corset stock is reduced but we mention here only one line. That is our $2 line of D. & A. Corsets made of English Coutile, in three styles. All have four or six hose supporters. Regular $17.5 and $2.00. Quick Sale price

$1.21

$1.25 and $1.50 Blouses 79c

75 only lawn waists in either high or low neck with long sleeves. Some better than others being regular $1.25 and $1.50, but they are all alike on a table as far as the price goes. Quick Sale Price

79c

$20.00 Dresses
$10.50

There are several kinds of dresses included here. Some cloth and some silk. Every style is a good one. Sizes from 16 years to size 40. Regular $18.00 and $20.00. Quick Sale Price

$10.50

Act Quickly for This Sale will not Last Forever

J. G. STEWART
MANAGER

The Reid Co
WHERE THE STYLES COME FROM

W. R. MORRIS
ASSIGNEE

2 Full Shopping Days Before Christmas

These Suggestions may help you solve the Gift Question

SILK SWEATER COATS

Women's Sweater Coats, made of extra heavy quality of silk, with sash or belted back, with large sailor collar and pockets. In colours of Mauve, White and Sky. Each ... **20.00**

FINE WILTON RUGS

The finest of English Wilton Rugs, in three sizes, 12 ft. by 9 ft., 10 ft. 6 by 9 ft. and 9 ft. by 6 ft. 9 in. Some beautiful Persian effects to choose from. The values are away below present-day prices for rugs of this quality. Each $37.50, $50.00 and up to **95.00**

LOUNGING ROBES

Made of heavy quality of Jap Silk. Neatly quilted and lined with silk, stitched collar and cuffs. In colours of Rose, Copenhagen, Cardinal, Navy and Maize. Each **6.00**

FANCY APRONS

Made of fine qualities of Dotted Swiss, Organdie, Cross-bar Muslin, Voile, and Persian Lawn. Daintily trimmed with fine lace and embroidery or ribbon. Each ... 25c, 50c, 85c, **1.00**

WOMEN'S WAISTS

Made of fine quality of Crepe de Chene. With combination colours of stitching, large collars. Trimmed with large pearl buttons. Each ... **6.00**

WOMEN'S LEATHER HAND-BAGS

In Genuine Seal or Calf, lined with figured satin. Fitted with coin purse and bevel mirror. In colours of Black or Brown. Each **7.00**

TABLE CLOTH

Made of pure Irish Linen, with dainty chrysanthemum and spot pattern. Size 2 x 3 yds. Each ... **7.00**

LINEN TABLE SET

Consisting of Cloth, 2 x 2½ yards, and 1 dozen Table Napkins, 22½ x 22½ ins. Made of Pure Irish Linen with dainty rose pattern. Set ... **15.00**

FANCY COLLARS

Women's Fancy Collars, made of Crepe, Organdie and Ninon. Daintily trimmed with fine lace. In colours of Flesh, Maize and White. Each **50c**

AFTER SUPPER SALE

The Wonderful Bargains in the After Supper Sale will be on sale from 7.30 to 9.30 only. None sold before 7.30 or none sold after 9.30 under any circumstance.

Great good fortune for the Lucky Shoppers here to-night. Here are a few of them the rest you will find with the After Supper Sale Tickets in all departments. Look for them you'll appreciate their worth.

$1.00 HAND-BAGS, 79c

Women's Leather Hand-Bags with steel or gilt frames, fitted with coin purse and mirror. Regular $1.00 each. After-Supper Sale, each **79c**

$1.50 SCRIM CURTAINS, 79c

18 Pairs Only Scrim Curtains, 2½ yds. long, in Light Cream only, with insertion trimming. Regular $1.50 pair. After-Supper Sale, pair .. **79c**

BOUDOIR CAPS, 19c

Women's and Misses' Boudoir Caps, made of fine net. Trimmed with Val lace and rose bud trimming. After-Supper Sale, each **19c**

$2.50 UNDERSKIRTS $1.29

Women's Underskirts, made of heavy quality Italian Silk. In Floral, Stripe and Plain colours. Made with wide fancy flounce. Regular price each $2.50. After-Supper Sale, each **1.29**

$3.00 AXMINSTER RUGS, $1.69

15 Only Axminster Rugs. Size 27 by 54 inches. Some are in plain mottled design, others with plain hand borders. Regular $3.00. After-Supper Sale, each **1.69**

CHINA HALF-PRICE

Beautiful pieces of Fine China, in a great variety of patterns and different style pieces. After-Supper Sale, all at exactly Half-Price.

A BIG SILK BARGAIN

60c HABUTAI SILK 35c

27-inch Habutai Silk in colours of Navy Blue, Delph Blue, Tan, Pale Blue, Rose, Maize, Pink, Apple Green and, Ivory. All Pure Silk and exceptional value at the regular price of 60c yard. After-Supper Sale, yard **35c**

DAMAGED LINENS

The finest of Irish Linens in odd pieces, slightly damaged. Qualities that cannot be had to-day at any price. There are Tray Cloths, Small Table Cloths and Small Table Covers. Considering to-day's prices of these qualities, they are away less than Half Price for After-Supper Sale To-Night.

$42.50 CHAIR, $29.50

Decorated White Enamelled Chair, upholstered to stand endless wear, in the most modern manner. Covered in black and white stripe English Chintz, with over pattern of grey and rose. A very handsome Christmas Gift. Regular $42.50. After-Supper Sale price **29.50**

Boy's Sleighs 50c

RICHARD HALL & SON LIMITED

Girl's Sleighs $1.25

Christmas Dinner To Cost More

Everything is Away Up This Year, From Turkeys to Nuts—Rice is About the Only Thing That Remains Near the Former Level, While Coffee is a Little Cheaper Than Before the War.

ORANGES AND APPLES

Although the rumors of peace proposals spread abroad, the impression that a slump in the price of foodstuffs would follow, it may be safely concluded that the Christmas dinner this year will cost just as much as if there had been no such proposals. There is no reduction in the cost of living, except that perhaps sugar may be a little easier on the market, and Christmas festivities may have to be curtailed among the poorer classes because the prevailing prices of much of the produce which is associated with Christmas are almost prohibitive.

In the wholesale market there has been a slight reduction in the price of sugar, but it remains to be seen whether that reduction will be felt in the retail market. Dried fruits may be placed in the luxury class owing to the fact that the supplies from California have come to an end, but a cargo of Australian currants is expected to arrive before Christmas, and this might have some effect on the price of currants. So great has been the demand on currants, and so small has been the supply, that some wholesalers have been entirely out of stock, but it is expected that the arrival of the new cargo from Australia will loosen conditions to a large extent, although prices will remain firm. Rice puddings may be regarded as a safe investment, and housewives may still go into the stores and ask the price of rice without getting a shock, for market reports say that rice "is reasonably priced." But tapioca is short and there is prospect of a still further increase in the price of this article.

NUTS VERY HIGH

Who could spend Christmas without nuts? Yet many people will do so this year for Valencia almonds are increasing in price, a cent a pound advance being recorded this week, and the fact that ships are now being held up in Liverpool, and that the Atlantic freight insurance rates are up, give the idea that there will be at least a 10 per cent., and in all probability a 20 per cent. increase in the price of nuts.

But coffee is the hero of the day, reports say that "except for the import duty upon it coffee is to-day cheaper to buy in quantity than it was before the war," but tea and cocoa remain unchanged, and the Christmas tea and cocoa will cost just as much as it ever did.

Oranges and apples are showing a slight shading upwards, with the exception of navels, and the season's increasing supplies are responsible for a slight reduction in prices. Cranberries will decorate the turkey this Christmas for the Cape Cod brand are reduced $2 per barrel, but grape fruit have advanced. Lemons are down, but bananas are unchanged.

Although the prices of the brand of fresh goods remain so high, there is a possibility that canned goods may be reduced by the importation of large quantities of canned tomatoes from Spain. For the first eight months of this year, Spain's shipments of canned vegetables totalled 7,009 tons against 5,631 tons for the same period last year. There has also been a large increase in Spanish sardine industry, and this importation from a new source may be one solution of the high cost of living problem.

"NEW MODEL" "FOR CHRISTMAS"

Bright Vici Kid Balmoral, eight inch top, small midget eyelets. Leather Louis heels. Goodyear Welt seven soles; C. and D. Widths.

The Price is $6.00

C. E. Smith

"THE SHOE MAN"

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We have an excellent assortment of Fresh Home-made Candies for the Holidays.

Everything Fresh and Pure.

Buy a Box of our **Special Confections** for Christmas. You will Enjoy Them.

JAMES HAGGIS Home-Made Candy Maker

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Open Evenings of Thursday, Friday and Saturday

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Better Choice *Better Service*

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Furriers and Ladies' Ready-to-Wear

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Our Gift Line has grown remarkably this year. You will find departures that are extremely interesting. We have made your Gift Problem our Gift Problem.

The lasting and therefore satisfying quality of our designing, manufacturing and selecting in Furs, Silk Dresses, Silk Waists, Skirts and Silk Sweaters make our productions unusually distinct and delightful. They are not fads—they last. In them are originality of thought, beauty and utility cleverly combined. Their money value is not the important thing—even those costing the least mean much.

Specials for Christmas in Furs.....$2.00 to $500
Specials for Christmas in Dresses .. ..$10 to $60
Specials for Christmas in Blouses ..... $1.50 to $20
Specials for Christmas in Silk Sweaters ..$15 to $18
Specials for Christmas in Skirts ..... $3.50 to $20

Our range of Blouses and Dresses is known to be the choicest in the City.

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Incredibly Low Cost of Administering the Canadian Patriotic Fund—Of Every $100 Subscribed $99.40 Goes Into the Pockets of the Soldiers' Dependents

No other Canadian Fund of the size and multiplicity of detail of the Canadian Patriotic Fund has ever been administered at so small an impairment of the contributed amount.

It is almost incredible but it is true, that of every one hundred dollars subscribed to the Fund, approximately ninety-nine dollars and forty cents go into the pockets of the dependents.

There is no middleman between the giver and the receiver to exact toll. When you contribute to the Fund you know that your money goes, practically intact, to relieve the wives and families of our citizens soldiery.

This great and unusual result is due to two main reasons: one, that bank interest on deposits brings in a handsome revenue available for administration expenses; the other, that nearly all the work of administering the Fund is performed freely by patriotic men and women.

In every town in Canada where there is a Branch of the Patriotic Fund, are to be found public-spirited men and women devoting without remuneration, their time and energies to collecting funds, visiting dependents, working for them along many lines of service, and carefully distributing the moneys allotted by these wives and children of our soldiers.

Think of it! Of the sixty cents deducted for administrating each $100, about 25c goes for stamps. The Fund sends out approximately 60,000 cheques a month, and each one requires at least four cents in postage and war tax.

The very basis of the Fund's existence is public confidence. Every man who has examined the workings of the Fund gives that confidence in fullest measure. Every man who has any doubts is urged to study the Fund, and make himself acquainted with its operations. The officers invite always the closest scrunity. It is their object and their pride to administer the Fund at a cost far below that of any other great national undertaking.

DENTAL.

Dr McKenty, Dentist, 370 George Street, on the ground floor, first door north of Peterborough Hardware Company. Nitrous oxide and oxygen administered for painless operations. 29d-128

Voice of The People

Correspondence under this heading, containing or involving attacks on individuals or violent or extreme statements, must to secure insertion, be signed with writer's real name, the owner of which thus assumes the responsibility.

Editor of the Examiner:

Dear Sir,—In the Examiner one evening it was suggested giving the entertainment for the soldiers' wives, mothers and children in the Grand Opera House. This would be alright for the wives with the elder children but impossible for those of us who have little children under 3 years of age to attend such an entertainment and I think I'm safe in saying that at least half of the 700 families are those with such young children.

Would it not be possible to arrange a Christmas tree in one of the local halls, or even the Armouries, with the old time Santa Claus, still dear to the children, giving each child a small gift a few candies or something like that?

We think most mothers willingly go without any gift themselves, to see the children enjoying themselves with more of the Christmas idea about them than there would be about such an entertainment at the Grand. Motion pictures can be seen any time and are not much of a "treat" to children nowadays. If the entertainment is to cost $125 at the Grand, we, and a great number of others, think that amount could be better spent in this way, or something of this kind, so that all the wives and even the wee tots can go and enjoy themselves.

Hoping you will find space for this letter.

Yours truly,
"SOME OF THE WIVES OF SOLDIERS OVERSEAS."

TEACHER FORMERLY RESIDED IN PETERBORO'

Miss Kate M. Chamberlain Died Suddenly

TORONTO, Dec. 21.—The death of Miss Kate M. Chamberlain, a well-known teacher in Givens street school, occurred at her home, 240 Lauder avenue, on Monday night. She had but recently moved into the new bungalow on Lauder avenue, and on Sunday morning went out to sweep the verandah and a little later was found lying unconscious. She never regained consciousness, and died on Monday evening.

Miss Chamberlain was born in Norfolk, Eng., and came to New York State as a child, and she was partly educated there. The family then moved to Peterborough, Ont., and lived there for about 15 years, when she completed her education for the teaching profession. Twenty-eight years ago she accepted a position at the Givens street school, and had always taught there up to the time of her death.

A man of experience says getting married is about the same as filing a petition in bankruptcy.

UNCLE SAM TO HAVE BIG SHIPS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—The new United States battleships will cost $24,000,000 each, and will mount twelve sixteen-inch guns, naval chiefs told the House naval committee today. They will be, so far as is known, the largest afloat—and the most powerful—with 180,000 horsepower electric engines. Rear-Admiral Joseph Strauss, chief of the ordnance bureau, told the committee he himself would have selected 14-inch guns for the ships. Bearing out the testimony of Captain W. S. Simms yesterday, Admiral Strauss declared his belief that in a "real fight" the range of battle would be below 12,000 yards—within the fighting range of the fourteen inch guns. In such a case, he said, the fleet with the greater number of guns, other things being equal, would be superior. On the new battleships, he said, from 15 to 18 fourteen-inch guns could be mounted, as against 12 sixteen inch guns.

POTATOES

Car of New Brunswick Potatoes. Just arrived at C. P. R. siding 'cor. Water and Sherbrook St. 5 Bags and over $2.30 per bag, delivered. Single bags, $2.35.

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Ask any housewife what she would prefer for Xmas and invariably the reply will be "Furniture." Why? Because she is mistress of the home and her task is to make it homelike—naturally she takes a deep interest in its furnishings. Give her furniture and you will receive her heartiest appreciation.

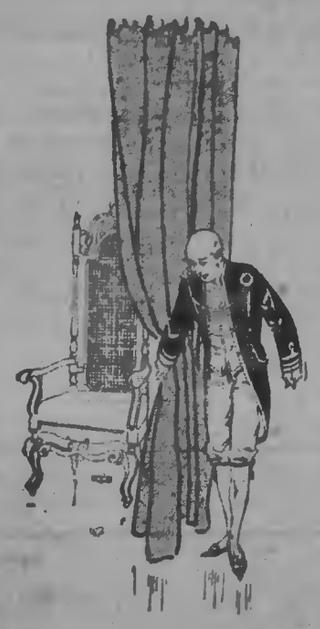
Never before have we assembled such an array of Furniture for Gift purposes. Pieces that would embellish any room—pieces that serve a useful purpose—pieces for that odd corner which has always puzzled you.

Mahogany Table $8.00
A dignified oval shape centre table, highly polished, pedestal style. Price only $8

Mahogany Rocker $10.00
Upholstered spring seat of real Spanish leather, lustrous finish. Price, $10

Music Cabinet $10.00
Surely you know of some friend who lacks such an article. Has door front. Price $10

Mahogany Chair $10.00
An odd chair, tufted upholstered seat in fawn coloured French silk. Price $10



Mahogany Pedestals $6.00
Stands 37 inches high; 14 x 14-inch top. Give the flower a suitable base to rest on. Price $6

Mahogany Lamp $6.00
Mahogany electric boudoir lamp; has pretty rose silk shade. Price is only $6

Mahogany Jardiniere Stand $1.75
A well proportioned, gracefully shaped jardiniere stand—a credit to any room. Price $1.75

Children's Furniture
Innumerable small pieces of furniture for the little tots, chairs, tables, etc.

Special Terms on Victrolas For Three Days

A new shipment of machines has decided us to increase the Victrola Club membership and hold the offer open for the three remaining days. The terms of membership are as follows:—

One dollar membership fee.

You can then pay for machine on instalments, with monthly, semi-monthly, or weekly payments.

You buy the machine at the same price as though the entire sum were paid in cash on date of purchase.

Your dollar for membership goes to your credit as a first payment. Your dollar refunded if you decide not to purchase.

Six records can be had on the same terms.

These terms represent a saving of 20%.

Visit Department To-Night!

The CRESSMAN Company Limited

City Has Big Investment Behind Fire Department That Warrants Modern Apparatus

Consider the Fire Department not as the staff and material at the fire station, but an extensive system patterned for the immediate purpose of illustration on the organism of the human body. For if present and past Councils of this city have erred in their attitude toward the department, a palliating explanation is found in the general tendency to regard the equipment simply as so many men, horses, waggons and feet of hose. This has been the branch of the system for which the Council have been directly responsible, hence, to a certain extent their vision has been narrowly confined and directed to their immediate concern.

But the actual or visible fire fighting equipment is only a branch of the entire system, the heart of which lies at the pumping station; its mains spread like arteries throughout the body of the city, and its electric alarm system represents the sensory nerves.

It is only a few months ago that the local press described rather minutely the details of the almost perfect plant the Utilities Commission erected and completed at the pumping station. The money outlay need not be restated it is an important consideration. The principal fact is that the Commission has provided for the Fire Department a pumping station prepared for every reasonable demand and emergency, and which is ready and capable of responding to every requirement that may be made upon it for fighting fires. Moreover, its capacity greatly exceeds the probable demands for the present and even the immediate future. The Utilities Commission with a vision that has characterized its management has built for the future. In short the heart of the Fire Department is stout and strong beyond the prospective needs of its body.

But the Utilities Commission has not rested there. Having gradually built up its pumping station it has, in the meantime, extended its mains with the same broad object in view, present needs plus future expectations. During the past summer, a new large main was laid out through the north end of the city directed toward the western boundary. Eventually it will pass the Bonner-Worth factory and will loop up with a southern main at the Henry Hope factory.

This work will necessitate a pipe line down the boundary road and it should be installed within the next year or two.

Moreover, hydrants are plenty of them, dot the city in every ward. In short, the Utilities Commission has effected the frame, the ground work, for a Fire Department, presenting greater exactions than this city will probably make for years to come.

The Council has not stinted the extension and general equipment of the fire alarm system, quite an important branch with its supervision and control. This sensory system is practically above complaint. It is adequate for the city's needs, and the central apparatus at the Fire Station is modern and efficient.

But for the fire fighting apparatus there's the rub. Probably the less said about it the better, for its limitations are only too well known. The motive and fighting power represent the legs and arms of the Department. This is the equipment that must deliver the punch, but, reverting to the illustration, the entire Department presents the figure of a giant in body with puny legs and under-developed arms. In short we have a million dollar plant or thereabouts, with an actual fighting force so palpably antiquated, that even Lindsay emphasizes our weakness.

The contrast of the strength of our fire fighting base with the inadequacy of our front line equipment can hardly be overdrawn. And in considering the apparatus at the Fire Station, is not this broader survey the proper prospect? When Peterborough has been provided so completely with water pressure and water service, should there not be proportionate efficiency in that branch of the fire fighting organization that must, in the last analysis, "deliver the goods."

Make Your Xmas Gift Furs

Imagine the pleasure derived from such a gift. Can't you see how proud and happy a gift of furs would make your friends?

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You can count on values here.

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OFF ON HOLIDAYS

The Grand Trunk platform presented a busy scene this morning, when the forty-six pupils of the Grove School, Lakefield in the care of Mr Philip Ketchum, junior master were put aboard their respective trains.

WOMEN MINERS IN SILESIA

Their Average Wage 43 Cents a Day in the Collieres.

Women form 12 per cent. of the employees in the mines of Upper Silesia, according to a report appearing in a recent issue of a German industrial publication. An excerpt from the report, as reprinted in the London press, reads as follows:

"The official miners' report of wages in Prussia show that in the Ruhr collieries female labour was introduced for the first time in the first half of 1916, amounting to 1.9 per cent of the total number of employees in the first quarter and 2.7 per cent. in the second. Their average daily earnings came to 70 cents in the second.

"In the Saar mines and the Wurm district women are not employed but in Upper Silesia they form 12 per cent. of the total employees. Their average daily earnings in Silesia amounted to 43 cents in the second quarter of 1916."

An ex-spinster says it is almost as hard to live with a husband as it is to live without one.

If you would keep Father, Son or Brother efficient Spiritually, Physically and Mentally for 1917, buy him a Y.M.C.A. Ticket for a Christmas Present.
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A particularly interesting line of new watches and jewellery. The designs are distinctive in character.
Shop early while the assortments are complete.
Any article will be reserved until Christmas.

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NORWOOD NEWS ITEMS

NORWOOD, Dec. 21.—Mr. Abel Tucker visited last week at the home of Mr. Elliott.

Mr. Kerr of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Peterborough spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Buck.

Mrs. J. S. Fry who spent the Summer and Fall in Pelly, Sask., with her son, Mr. Alva Freeman has returned home.

Mr. Will Puffer is spending a few weeks in Peterborough where he is engaged in Cressmah's store during the Christmas trade.

Dr. Sutton was in Havelock on Sunday.

Miss Jane Stewart who has spent the last four months visiting friends in Norwood and vicinity leaves this week for her home in Swift Current.

The regular meeting of the village council was held on Wednesday evening, December 6th.

Those present were Reeve Squire and Councillors T. Elliott, C. Puffer, R. Tedford, J. R. McKelvie.

The minutes of the special meetings and of the last regular meeting were read and adopted.

A communication from Mr. Joseph Stewart, license inspector was read, inquiring if Norwood has appointed a local inspector by by-law as provided by statute.

The Reeve intimated that Mrs Jos. Faux asked permission to cut trees on the street in front of her property. No action was taken.

The Daughters of the Empire asked the council for the hall free on December 4th.

Moved by Coun Tedford, seconded by Coun Puffer that the request be granted.—Carried.

By-law No. 419 appointing polling sub-divisions and officers in the event of a municipal election being held on January 1st was given its several readings and passed.

For Poll No. 1—E. J. Laing, was appointed deputy returning officer, with Thomas Lumsden as poll clerk.

For Poll No. 2—Alex Kempt was appointed deputy returning officer, with B. F. Weise as poll clerk.

Moved by Councillor Puffer, seconded by Councillor McKelvie that the necessary repairs be made on the culvert on Alma street, opposite Alfred Reynold's lot.—Carried.

Moved by Coun McKelvie seconded by Coun Puffer that a light be placed at the most suitable spot on Spring street at or near Mr. John Christie's lot.—Carried.

Moved by Councillor Puffer, seconded by Coun Puffer that Mr. S. Wildman be paid $35 in full of contract on walk.—Carried.

Mr. W. C. Harrison addressed the Council, asking for an increase in electric light rates from January 1, 1917. Moved by Coun. Elliott, seconded by Coun. Tedford that the matter be left over for further consideration at the meeting on December 15th.—Carried.

The following accounts were read:

J. W. Rork	$12.20
E. J. Laing, salary	30.00
J. E. Reynolds, 13 3-4 hrs. work	2.75
Alf. Reynolds, 4 hrs. work	.80
R. H. McLaughlin, 55 hrs. work	11.00
B. Weese, 14 hrs. work with team	5.60
Isaac Puffer, salary, work, etc.	29.15
Invoice for tile	69.10

Mr. J. P. Sackville of Guelph was a guest for a couple of days of last week at the home of Mr. W. Doughty.

The death occurred on Monday, December 11th of Mrs. Jane Paget at the home of her son, Mr. Jas. Paget Trent Bridge. Deceased who was in her ninety-first year, had been for many years a resident of Norwood.

The funeral took place on Wednesday to Maple Grove cemetery.

The Norwood Rink was opened on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Ackerman have returned home from Toronto.

Christmas Gifts That Will Arouse His Enthusiasm

No Gift will please a man so much as a Gift chosen from our High-Grade Haberdashery. Suggestions are plentiful in our carefully selected stock—whether the expenditure is to be large or small. Our merchandize carries with it distinctive value as a gift and can be bought with the assurance that it will be received with a hearty welcome.

GIFTS THAT WILL BE APPRECIATED

NECKTIES
Our representation in Neckwear stands out by itself. Every new style and shade. Extra Special .. .. 50c to $1.50

NECK SCARFS
Have you seen our new Plaid Silk Scarf at $2.50? A beautiful range of Silk Handkerchief Scarfs at ..... $1.50 and $2.00
Khaki Knit Mufflers of fine wools. Ranging from ..... $1.25 and $1.50
Fancy Knit Mufflers ... . $1.25 up

HOSE
Dr. Jaegers Fancy Cashmere Hose 75c
Plain Cashmere Hose..... 40c to 75c
Fancy Silk Hose... .... .. 50c to $1.00

GLOVES
Dent's Knit Gloves, unlined, silk-lined or wool-lined, plain or fancy backs 1.50 to 2.50
Dr. Jaegers Khaki Wool Gloves $1.00
Other Wool Gloves, men's.... 75c to $1.00
Boys' Wool Gloves ..... 40c to 75c

BATH ROBES
A beautiful selection of Bath Robes to choose from. See our Two Specials $6.50 & $7.50

SMOKING JACKETS
Our range of Smoking Jackets is not large but it is very select and offers good opportunity to the particular buyer.

UMBRELLAS & WALKING STICKS
What makes a nicer present than a Suit Case Umbrella? We are showing a special one at $2.50
Umbrellas with fancy handles. $1.25 to $4
Give Him a Walking Stick .. ... $1.00 up

SHIRTS
Our selection of Arrow and Tooke Shirts offers you an excellent range to choose from.
We received a new assortment of Arrow Shirts this morning. Soft and starched cuffs. ... . $1.00 up

HANDKERCHIEFS
Fine Lawn Handkerchiefs with wide and narrow border ..... 10c up
Pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs . 3 for 50c
Khaki Handkerchiefs .... 15c, 2 for 25c

DRESS UP! DRESS UP! FOR CHRISTMAS

If you intend to buy a suit or an overcoat for Christmas, you will need The "Semi-ready Make" to give you that smart appearance. Give us a call before buying. Store open Thursday, Friday and Saturday Evenings.

SHOP EARLY AND OFTEN AT

FRANK L. JENNE Semi-ready Shop *Next Nova Scotia Bank*

ASK 9,000 WOMEN NOT TO BUY TURKEYS AT HIGH PRICE

TORONTO, Dec. 21.—Pass up—not pass—the turkey!

The proud bird's doom is settled. The local Council of Women decided to 'out' Mr. Turkey rather than to cut him up. They'll cut him dead because he is so dear. They passed a resolution calling on their members to refrain from buying turkeys for the Christmas dinner at more than 35 cents per pound.

"No, it's not a boycott," said Mrs. A. M. Huestis, the president of the Council. "Boycotts are against the law. It is merely a recommendation to our 67 branch societies, which have 9,000 members in Toronto. Of course, we do not know yet just how effective our move will be, but if the majority of our 9,000 refrain from buying turkeys there should be a drop in the price."

"And why did the Council take this action?"

"Because we learned that some of the farmers are planning to raise the price even higher. It was 40 cents yesterday. Some of our members at the market heard farmers talking turkey prices, and saying that if the cold weather held out they would keep their turkeys until just before Christmas and get 45 cents a pound for them then. We know that the supply is short and that the past summer was a bad one for turkeys, but even at that, 35 cents is a fair price, and we refuse to pay more."

It is estimated that Toronto usually eats up 40,000 turkeys for its Christmas dinner. That number is likely to be cut down by a considerable margin this year, with the price at 40 cents a pound or more.

"How about a substitute for turkey? What can the housewife do?" said the reporter to Mrs. Huestis, who, in addition to her prominent part in public affairs, holds an equally prominent place in her own kitchen and has a considerable reputation as a cook.

"Well, I would suggest chicken," she said. "You can get a good soup from chicken in addition to the fowl itself. I bought a pair of good chickens at the market the other day for $1.60 and at an uptown shop they asked $2.50 for similar birds. There's a big difference in chicken. The milk-fed variety is, of course, by far the best. A couple of ducks made a good substitute for turkey. As for a goose, it takes more care in the cooking and the flesh is not as pleasing to the taste of most people."

"How about mock duck?"

"The housewife cannot save much that way. It used to be that you could get round steak at 10 cents a pound and with a little dressing one could make up a nice dish, but round steak has been elevated into society and the price has doubled in the last few years. As for pork tenderloin, they make a nice duck, too, but they are also boosted in price so that there's practically no saving in using them as a substitute."

As soil moisture becomes less the acid content becomes greater. Hence one difficulty in getting a clover catch in dry weather. Lime will correct acidity.

Matches can be waterproofed by dipping them in melted paraffin.

BRANDON'S COLD WELCOME.

38 Below Zero for Premier, But Arena Was Filled With Over 3,000 People for a Meeting That Opened at 9 a.m.

BRANDON, Man., Dec. 20.—Notwithstanding the early hour of nine o'clock and a temperature of thirty-eight below zero, Brandon turned out in force at the Arena this morning to hear Sir Robert Borden and R. B. Bennett, M.P., Director-General of National Service. It was the closing meeting on the prairies of a whirlwind campaign across the continent. Two trains from neighbouring towns swelled the audience to away over three thousand.

The meeting was necessarily brief as the party entrained at 10:30 for Toronto. Premier Norris was present.

Agricultural Meeting

West Peterborough Board of Agriculture are holding meetings afternoon and evening at 4th Line Hall, January 4th, and at Buckhorn January 5th, 1917. Good speakers and programme at evening sessions. All interested please arrange to attend.

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BROCK STREET RINK

Skating To-night, 57th Band in attendance. Skating every afternoon and evening this week. Band every night. Admission to skate 15c and 1c war tax. Bring your copper with you.

TURNBULLS

Open Evenings Until Christmas

VISIT OUR TOYLAND

CHRISTMAS STORE FILLED WITH GIFT SUGGESTIONS

To-Night from 7:45 p.m. to 8:45 p.m. we offer Extra Special Hour Sales

COME TO-NIGHT AND GET THEM

Hour Sale in Basement
7:45 p.m. to 8:45 p.m.
Jardinieres
To-Night 27c

Hour Sale on Main Floor
7.45 p.m. to 8.45 p.m.
Kid Gloves
To-Night Pair 59c

Hour Sale Ready-to-Wear
7.45 p.m. to 8.45 p.m.
200 Blouses in Silks
& Voiles. Worth up to 5.00..... To-Night 98c

Hour Sale Carpet Floor
7.45 p.m. to 8.45 p.m.
1 to 3 yd. Remnants
Cretonnes Remnant 25c

Hour Sales in Toyland
7.45 p.m. to 8.45 p.m.
Henty's Books
Regular 75c To-Night 50c

EYE-WITNESSES SAW SHEET OF FLAME BEFORE EXPLOSION

Observed Beginning of the Destruction of Quaker Oats Factory From Driscoll Terrace— Precautions Taken to Remove Foreign Matter From the Grinders

INQUIRY ADJOURNED

The Provincial Fire Marshall's investigation of the Quaker Oats factory fire was adjourned indefinitely this morning until some of the injured employees in the hospitals have recovered sufficiently to attend the enquiry. Shortly before noon, after a number of witnesses had been heard, Mr. Heaton said he did not propose to hear any further evidence at this sitting for the reason that it was fully covered along certain lines and he didn't wish to prolong the enquiry unnecessarily. Hence he would adjourn the hearing 'sine die' until those employees in the hospitals have sufficiently recovered to be present. Due notice will be given of the resumption of the investigation, and persons having any further evidence to offer are requested to notify Crown Attorney Hatton or Fire Chief Howard.

SAW FIRE FIRST.

Mrs. Annie Hopcroft, 468 Driscoll Terrace, across the river from the Quaker Oats plant, was the first witness this morning. She said she was on the verandah of her home, about 10 o'clock on Monday, Dec 11. She could plainly see the factory. She first saw flames through the windows of what she believed was the boiler house. Then the windows themselves, blew out, and the explosion immediately followed. The building blew up and collapsed.

Mr. Hatton pressed the witness as to her certainty, of which part of the plant first showed the flames. Mrs. Hopcroft said she was excited by the spectacle and could not remember exactly, but the flames seemed to come from lower storey windows of that part of the factory that blew up. This was immediately adjoining the boiler room.

MR. J. J. CUNNINGHAM.

Mr. John J. Cunningham, stock checker, said he had noticed at times an odour something similar to that of sulphur. He could not tell where it came from, or whether it was from the coke ovens.

Mr. Cunningham said he checked the peanuts and stock put in cases, sacks and barrels. His last checking was on Saturday, Dec. 9. In the basement of the centre section of the warehouse, that part of the concrete warehouse that collapsed, there was a large quantity of 'vim' feed. On the first floor, vim feed, mixed feeds, oatmeal, flour, Quaker Oats, in cases; on the second floor, Quaker Oats in cases, rolled oats in sacks, flour in sacks, (thousands of sacks); on the third floor there was no manufactured goods, except box shooks; on the fourth floor "shooks" and "strawboard" paper rolls; on fifth floor, nothing.

Commissioner Heaton directed his questions to discover the reason why the north central part of the concrete warehouse collapsed during the fire.

Mr. Cunningham said there was considerable more weight toward the north end than in the southern section. The [illegible] were in the front end, but at the rear, the north side, the goods could be piled up without unbroken spaces. On the top floor there were 10,000 sacks of vim feed. The bulk of the merchandise on the top and other floors was toward the north end of the warehouse.

VIM FIRE NOT RARE

Mr. James Packenham, millwright, was next called. The only sparks he ever saw while at work came from the grinders. Three or four weeks ago witness saw a fire that came from the discharge end of a grinder. There was only a flash and it went out. A few sparks of burned vim were blown out on the floor, but they were easily extinguished with chemicals.

Mr. Packenham was the employee who helped out Mr. Walsh from the second floor in the recent fire.

To Mr. Heaton, witness stated that the little fire of a month ago was not an uncommon occurrence in the mill.

SAW FIRE'S BEGINNING.

Mr. Alex. Reid, expressman, was delivering goods to Mrs. Hopcroft, on Driscoll Terrace the morning of the fire. There came a flash like lightning, the windows lit up, then followed the explosion, and the walls blew out and collapsed.

"The fire I saw was in the building that collapsed," Mr. Reid stated. "I heard the explosion right after."

MR. ROBT. STUART.

Mr. Stuart said he had been with the Company twenty-eight years and in Peterborough practically since the plant opened. He was recently engaged as inspector, giving most of his time to the package department. At the time the fire started he was on the shipping floor, about 100 feet from Hunter street.

"We had these puffs at different times, but they were not thought serious. We have magnets in the grinding mills to catch steel, nails, and such foreign matter. Larger articles would be caught in the sieves in the cleaning house."

Witness stated that these magnets caught a great deal of foreign matter.

Mr. Stuart told of the case exercised by the company to keep strangers out of the plant.

There were about 225 girls employed in the factory.

PNEUMATIC CLEANERS.

Mr. Kirn supplemented the evidence of Mr. Stuart to the effect that in the dry house there were pneumatic separators for removing foreign material from the hulls. This machine had been in operation six or eight years and had been successful in catching pins, pebbles, tacks and matter of similar weight from the hulls.

MR. T. B. McMAHON.

The next witness, Mr. McMahon said he could not offer anything more than had been said by other witnesses. He noticed the odour of smoke, on Monday morning, just before the fire. That was not unusual.

NUMBER OF ALARMS.

Chief Howard, re-called, presented a list of all the fire alarms from the Quaker Oats Co. since June 21st, 1909. There were nine alarms from that box and five of these were for fires outside the factory, burning saw dust and grass.

Witness said there was a terrific explosion preceding the collapse of the north end of the concrete warehouse at 5.45 p.m. He had noticed

MR. MARTIN KIRN.

Mr. Martin Kirn, mechanical superintendent, stated yesterday afternoon that he had been with the Quaker Oats Company from the beginning of the construction of the plant. Following the explosion he looked out of a west-side window, and saw flames emitting from some of the windows of the mill. The fire extinguishers had been used the last time about three or four weeks ago, on a small, smouldering fire in the 'dry house.' It was the custom to immediately re-fill the extinguisher tanks whenever they were emptied, and they were returned to their proper places. Mr. Kirn related Mr. Walsh's account of the origin of the fire. Witness knew only what had been told him. Walsh remembered looking into the grinder, but knew nothing after that. He had previously sent a man down to the next floor to enquire about the smell of smoke they had noticed.

Mr. Kirn said he believed that all the apparatus for fire fighting was in good condition at the time of the fire.

To Mr. Heaton, witness said that as far as he remembered all parts of the drier building had the sprinkler system. The entire building was protected in this respect. There were four motor-driven and one belt-driven grinding 'mills,' and one stone mill.

OTHER EXPLOSIONS.

"We had an explosion in the Rachford (Vt.) plant and one in the Cedar Rapids mill. I understood they occurred in the grinding room." The fire in Peterborough, in 1908, burned off the roof and fifth floor of the mill. The supposition at that time was that it occurred in the aspirator. Witness said there was no known device of preventing these fires. "If we knew of them we would have provided them."

Mr. Heaton—"I should think you would have, from what you had already done."

Reverting to the recent fire, Mr. Kirn stated that the effect of the explosion would be to distribute the fire to different parts of the drying department. He explained that a fan over the grinders was intended to carry off the dust. The ground hulls, commercially termed "vim," was not specially susceptible to heating.

Commissioner Heaton stated that he had been informed of one fire in Oxford County caused by "vim." It had been shipped to farmers and had to be moved to safe places several times because of the danger it presented from heating.

The presence of vertical openings extending from the ground to the top floor, including several elevators, Mr. Kirn said would facilitate the rapid spread of the fire to the upper floors.

ALEXANDER MILLER.

The next witness, Mr. Alexander Miller, said he had been chief engineer with the Company since 1902. Witness was not at work on Dec. 11, on account of the death of his wife. Mr. W. H. Mesley took his place. No fires at the mill had originated from the boiler house. That of three or four weeks ago, Tuesday, Nov. 24, originated up in the dry house. As a rule, that's where they all originate. Witness heard the explosion at that time. It was very light. The fire was put out by the use of about thirty extinguishers and two sets of factory 1 3-4 in. hose. It was extinguished without much damage. All the extinguishers used on that occasion were re-filled by Mr. Miller.

Witness said there was a weekly examination of the factory fire apparatus. The pump was tested once a week. The hose, buckets and tanks were examined once a week to see that they were in their proper places and ready for use. Mr. Miller said he believed the equipment was in perfect condition on Dec. 11th.

To Mr. Heaton witness said the sprinklers in the dry-house operated once in 1916. That was back in the spring. About a month ago they operated in the office-end of the building, from an overheated flue. Mr. Miller did not keep a record of the times the automatic sprinklers were discharged.

SMALL FIRE ON SUNDAY.

Mr. Grant stated that he was foreman of the shipping room, and had been with the Company twenty years. On Sunday, Dec. 10th, he saw a small, smouldering fire in the shipping room. It must have come from the hull grinders above.

Mr. Houlihan, Mr. Welsh and Mr. Wolfe were with him on that day, and helped put out the fire. They used one or two extinguishers. The dry-room was just two stories above the shipping floor.

On the next day Mr. Grant was in the shipping office when the explosion occurred. It blew in the end of his office. He did not notice a blaze at that time.

MR. ALFRED MESLEY.

Mr. Alfred Mesley was in the package department. He helped the girls to get out, then hurried to the rear of the plant. He noticed that the north wall of the drying department had fallen over the boiler room. Witness went over to a window and called in to the men he believed were there, but received no answer. All the ovens were buried under brick and steel. Witness reached the boiler room about three minutes after the explosions.

Mr. Mesley recalled smaller explosions that had occurred in the same "dry house." It was generally supposed that they were caused by a piece of foreign matter going through the grinders and causing a spark.

Witness recalled a fire of a year ago when sixteen sprinklers discharged in the oat mill, and twelve in the dry room. Considerable water flowed from them. They operated about five minutes before they were shut off.

ROBERT ALLEN.

Mr. Allen was an engineer in the boiler room with Mr. Miller and Mr. Mesley. He was on night duty at the time of the fire. He was on day work three weeks ago when a small explosion occurred. It was said to have originated from the grinders. Witness knew of occasions when the sprinklers were put in action by explosions.

MR. O. A. LANGLEY GETS JUDGMENT IN THE FAMOUS GARNSEY CASE

Judgment in favour of the plaintiffs was given this morning in the County Court by His Honour Judge Huycke in the case of Leamon Garnsey, Mrs. L. Garnsey and Miss Catharine Hill, of Dummer, versus Mrs. Clarissa Sampson, of Dunmer, and S. T. Wedlock, W. J. Hancock, and C. A. Beatty, of Peterborough.

Mr. O. A. Langley acted for the plaintiffs, Mr. D. O'Connell for Wedlock, Mr. F. D. Kerr for Hancock, and Mr. B. D. Hall for Beatty.

Damages amounting altogether to $225 were awarded plaintiffs. One hundred and fifty dollars of this amount was awarded to Leamon Garnsey against Mrs. Sampson to be set off against her claim on a chattel mortgage. Mrs. Garnsey is awarded damages to the amount of $50, while Miss C. Hill's award amounts to $25, making in all $225 awarded to the plaintiffs. His Honour directed that Beatty, Hancock and Wedlock each pay $25 of the amount awarded, to the two women.

The award includes High Court costs only.

The case arose out of a number of seizures that were made last summer and which the court held to be illegal. Upwards of fifty exhibits were submitted to the court, and about a dozen seizures were involved.

Judge Huycke remarked that the case was a very complicated one ran close to the border line in a number of instances. "Mr. Langley was unquestionably right," said His Honour, in referring to Mr. Langley's contention that all the seizures under the chattel mortgage were illegal. His Honour found Mrs. Sampson responsible for the whole of it, and awarded Garnsey judgment for $230. As Garnsey still owes defendant $200 he is still $50 to the lead.

Messrs. Wedlock, Hancock and Beatty were engaged to remove from Garnsey's farm certain chattels seized on instructions from Mrs. Sampson's lawyer.

Only Three Fires At Plant in 8 Years

During the past eight years the fire loss at the Quaker Oats Co. plant was only $560.00. This was shown in Chief Howard's report this morning which further recalled the fact that in that period only three minor fires in the factory had called out the brigade. The dates for alarms from the box in front of the Quaker Oats Company:

June 21st, 1909, children and matches, no damage.

Oct. 16th, 1911, spark from machine, $30.00.

July 30th, 1912, short circuit in power house, $500.

Sept. 29th, 1912, unknown, no damage.

May 14th, 1914, grass fire, no damage.

June 10th, 1914, fire in sawdust pile, no damage.

July 17th, 1914, fire in sawdust pile, no damage.

July 23rd, 1914, fire in sawdust pile, no damage.

July 25th, 1914, fire in sawdust pile, no damage.

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

NEW YORK Dec. 21.—Stock market which broke 2 to 13 points during the first hour to-day was thrown into wild excitement and uncertainty by announcement of Secretary Lansing that President Wilson sent his "peace message" to belligerents because this country's position as neutral is becoming intolerable. At one o'clock sales for three hours were estimated 27 million. United States steel may go lower par before market closes.

Air Brake 144, 137; Atchison 103 3-4; B. & O., 83 5-8, 83 1-8; C.P.R. 167, 163; Erie 50, 49; Reading 106, 99 7-8; Bethsteel 500; Rep. Steel 74 7-8, 72; U. S. Steel 104 3-8, 101 3-4; Anaconda 83, 79 1-4; Inter. Nickel 41 1-2, 40 3-8.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—First sales on stock exchange to-day showed break in prices of 2 to 6 points as the result of President Wilson's note to belligerent powers.

OTTAWA, Dec. 21.—Government officials were silent as sphinx to-day in regard to President Wilson's note.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—Wheat dropped six cents when the Exchange opened to-day, on President Wilson's peace note.

Dom. Steel 66 1-2, 64 1-2; Gen. Elec. 110, 111; N. S. Steel 115, 110 1-8; Steel Can., 66, 61 1-4, Cement 59; Smelters 33, 32 1-2.

Perhaps the best summary of the cause of last week's break from which the market has not yet recovered is given by the "Financial World" of New York. It says:

By all odds this week's violent break in the stock market was the worst of any in the entire 12 months of 1916. The decline was bigger on the average and the recovery has been smaller. The explanation made that the German peace proposals, giving sinister suggestions of a hasty collapse of all the inflation that has been built up around our enormous foreign trade and inflow of over $600,000,000 in gold does not adequately fit the situation. The market was already under pressure before the German proffer of peace came and a sever brak was altogether in preparation for the season that the country from east to west and north and south had been indulging in an orgy of speculative buying that was sure to be punctured at one time or another as the evidence of the overdone character of the movement came clearer into view.

It was the collapse of the war speculation bubble, and the German peace proposal merely gave added courage to the big groups of bears who had been gathering for a fortnight or more for an attack on the position. The great final wave of speculation that wound up the big bull market of the war began in August and it reached its crest in November. Since then the huge balloon has been held intact by the forces of cheap money and enormous resources which the speculative inclined public was able to pour into the market. The sharp rise in call money to 15 per cent. ten days ago, however, brought the first doubts as to the strength of the position and encouraged those who had sold out and saw the condition of things as they really existed to efforts intended to force a liquidating movement on a large scale.

Three attacks were delivered this week, the first on Tuesday, which made great headway, leaving off only after the market had become semi-panicky. On Wednesday there was a pause and a covering movement by timid bears who thought the position too strong to be successfully assailed further, but on Thursday the leading professional structure still left and by night they had the immense army of bulls in demoralised flight, the banks and brokerage houses in vast alarm, and throwing over great blocks of stock for whatever price they would bring.

MEASLES THE ONLY EPIDEMIC IN NORTH MONAGHAN IN 1916

Measles is the only contagious disease reported in the township of Monaghan by Dr. T. N. Greer, Medical Health Officer for the township, in his annual report. The outbreak was limited to thirty-five cases reported.

The report to the Board of Health of North Monaghan follows:

Gentlemen.—In submitting my report for 1916, it is gratifying to note that health conditions in the municipality are quite satisfactory at the present time. In the early part of the year measles occurred in epidemic form, spreading, I think, from the city of Peterborough to the township. By the strict measures we adopted to control it, however, the outbreak was limited to 35 cases reported. I would like to point out in this connection that it is now believed that the most infective period of measles is at the very beginning, before the rash appears, hence the importance of early recognition and isolation during the pre-eruptive stage. This we were able to do in a few cases, but it could not be systematically carried out in the absence of provision for proper inspection of school children. Arrangements are now under way whereby your Medical Officer of Health will make monthly inspections in co-operation with the teachers, especially at May's School. This should be sufficient to meet ordinary demands, but should an epidemic occur a nurse would have to be engaged to make more frequent inspections and otherwise assist the M. O. H.

On account of the close proximity of Monaghan to the City of Peterborough, the danger to the residents of the township of contracting disease from that source is always present, and the utmost vigilance on the part of your health authorities and of the public, as well must be exercised to guard against it.

In a former report I referred to a serious outbreak of diphtheria which occurred in the township three years ago, and which was traced to a home in the City of Peterborough where no precautions had been taken to prevent the spread of the disease.

It is to be hoped that the sewage disposal plant question will soon be settled to the satisfaction of the township ratepayers and that in the final settlement the interests of every resident in the district affected shall be properly safeguarded, especially in relation to the health of the community. I am glad to know the city has conceded to Monaghan residents the privilege of connecting up with sewers running through the township and I trust the people will take advantage of the opportunity when the time comes.

Except measles, no other cases of contagious diseases have been reported during the year. A few unimportant nuisance cases occurred and were promptly and satisfactorily adjusted.

T. Newton Greer,
Medical Officer of Health.

$150,000 XMAS BOX FOR EMPLOYEES OF TORONTO STREET R.R

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Dec. 21.— The Toronto Street Railway Company, which is Sir Wm. Mackenzie's enterprise, dropped $150,000 per year Christmas box into the stocks of their employees to-day, when they announced a voluntary increase of 2 1-2 cents an hour in men's wages. The increase is antedated to November first, too.

Last Chance Snaps
IN BOOTS

For the last two days before the holiday, we will give the best money-saving prices of the season on all lines of boots in the store. We list just a few to give some idea of the unprecedented values.—

LADIES' HIGH BOOTS—Patents with cloth or kid tops, the very latest style. Worth $5.00. A very special bargain 2.98

LADIES' DRESS BOOTS—Very nice quality of pliable patent with cloth tops, buttoned, nice medium heel, splendid walking boots. Regular $4.50. Special at 2.49

LADIES' FINE BOOTS—Selected patent vamps and specially nice soft kid uppers, buttoned, walking heels. Regular $5.00 boots, and a very Special Snap at 2.75

MEN'S DRESS BOOTS—A very neat line, laced or buttoned, well finished, sewed soles. Regular $5.00. For only 3.50

MEN'S FINE BOOTS—A very dressy boot in Chocolate, African Brown, and Mahogany colours. Splendid vici kid, soft and pliable. Sewed soles. Regular $7.00. Our Special Snap price 4.98

LADIES' SLIPPERS—The "cosy" bedroom slippers, in brown, green, red and khaki coloured felt, with soft leather soles. Regular $1.25. Our special price only 89c

LADIES' KID "COSYS"—White and coloured, a most acceptable Christmas present. Worth $2.75. A big snap at our price 1.25

LADIES' JULIETS—In figured velvet fur-trimmed, leather soles and heels. Another big bargain. Worth $2.25. For only 1.49

SPECIAL IN CHILDREN'S SLIPPERS — Red felts prettily trimmed, and with durable leather soles, cosy style. About half price, for only 65c

Very special low prices on all Children's Boots and Rubbers. Be sure and see our bargains before buying.

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THE WORLD OF SPORT

BOWLING

Last night at the Water street alleys proved to be one of great excitement. The alleys were crowded all day, everyone eager to take home a turkey. It proved also to be a record night in bowling for the City of Peterborough,as Mr. George Cairns rolled a high single game of 290 pins. In this game he made 11 strikes and 1 spare. If he had made 12 strikes it would have been a possible as 300 hundred pins, or all that can be rolled over in one game. This game should stand good in Peterborough for a long time to come and places Mr. Cairns in a class with W. Miller of Detroit, Larry Sutton of Rochester, J. Blouin of Chicago and many men of the world famed bowlers. In his 3 consecutive games he rolled a grand total of 690 pins, also a record on all alleys in the country, and is close to one of the highest scores made in a world's championship. It will be found that R. Wengher of Chicago, in 1908, rolled the highest 3 games yet on record with a score of 699 pins, and as Mr. Cairns' score was 690 it will be found that he was only 9 pins behind the wonderful score of Mr. Wengler. It proves Mr. Cairns also to be a bowler of high standing.

This score should stand good for today's turkey, as it will take a lot of pins to beat it, but then miracles have happened before and who knows but the day may bring out another great bowler on the alleys.

The league match between the Canadian General Electric and the Wholesale Grocers will be played to-night at 8 o'clock. The game will cause great excitement as the league standing shows all the teams fighting hard for first place.

To-morrow night the Printers play the Left Overs another game that should bring out a large crowd. This game will end the league games till after the New Year, when they will be continued again.

IRISH SETTLEMENT COMING.

Close Harmony Will Soon Prevail Says Sir Horace Plunkett.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21. — Ireland and England will soon be brought into closer harmony through a provisional adjustment of the Irish problem, Sir Horace Plunkett, prominent Irish politician, declared yesterday. Plunkett arrived in New York Tuesday on the Adriatic.

The understanding and sympathy with the purpose of the war will soon spread so rapidly throughout Ireland that she will give between 130,000 and 140,000 more men for the defence of the United Kingdom, Plunkett predicted.

HOCKEY GOSSIP

Although he has been for many months in the thick of the excitement in France Sapper M. L. Dobson, of the Canadian Engineers, the well known Peterborough hockey player and referee, hasn't forgotten the old game. On a card to a member of the Examiner staff he writes:

"How are the kids shaping up this season? About due to come through, eh? Game called off here—wet grounds—and believe me, the old sign works overtime, but the big show still repeats with its thrills. Very exciting at times, but getting monotonous. Regards to all the boys and all good wishes for a very merry Christmas.

Sapper Len Dobson,
Canadian Engineers,
B.E.F., France.

The 247th Battalion Intermediates will practice to-night at 7 o'clock at Brock St. Rink. All players are expected to be on hand in time to get on the ice at 7 o'clock sharp.

The Peterborough Juniors will practice to-morrow night at 7 o'clock. The following players are expected out: Murray, Carney, Montgomery, McIntyre, Graham, Cherrett, Bartley, McFee, Frost, Park, Scott, Moore.

TO RECRUIT IN QUEBEC.

Sir Sam Hughes Intimates an Interest in the Work.

MONTREAL, Dec. 20.—Sir Sam Hughes was in the city yesterday on his way to New York on a brief business trip. He said that he had by no means lost his interest in the recruiting work, and that he was particularly concerned in the work being done in this province by Col. Mignault, with a view to interesting the French-Canadians. It was probable that later on he would speak at recruiting meetings to be held at Montreal and Quebec. General Hughes was met by Sir Herbert Holt, with whom he lunched at the Mount Royal Club. During the afternoon he had a long conference with Major-General E. W. Wilson, and also talked matters over with Major Victor Pelletier, A.D.C., Sir Frederick Williams-Taylor and others interested in recruiting work.

If you would keep Father-Son or Brother efficient Spirit, ually, Physically and Mentally for 1917, buy him a Y.M.C.A. Ticket for a Christmas Present

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Men's Setts..50c 75c, 1.00 & $1.50
Gloves.....$1.00, $1.50 & $2.00
Tie and H'd'kf Boxes...75c, $1, $1.25
Shirts.....$1.00 to $5.00
Boy's Sweater Coat...$2.00 to $5.00
Boy's Jerseys & Sweaters.....$1 to $2
Men's Sweater Coat..$2.50 to $6.00
Men's Sweaters.....$2.00 to $2.50

Boy's O'Coat Special

Heavy tweed ulsters, ages 10 to 18, convertible, button back. Worth up to 8.50 for.....$6.45

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Young men's stylish short coats, broken lots. Worth up to 16.50 for..$12.90

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Balance of our Dressing Gowns, were $4.50 to $6.50. To clear $3.95-$4.95

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Silk Garters, Armbands and Leather Belt put up in neat box, belt adjustable to any size. Special.....$1.50

A leatherette case folds like a wallet, added to this a nice pair Silk Hose or two or Hose and Braces. It makes nice gift and you can regulate your amount by chosing your own articles.

Boys' D. B. Suit Special

Suits in all-wool medium shade tweeds, full bloomer pants. Worth from $6.00 to $12.00. Special for.....$4.95 and $7.95

Children's Suit Special

All-Wool Blue Serge in Fancy Norfolk, stitched belts and pleats, fancy pockets, real nice suit. Special.....$4.35
A Dark Fancy Tweed in above style..$2.95

We have made a few suggestions above. No doubt there are many we have overlooked—we'll be pleased to have you call and we'll do all in our power to assist you.

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REV. DOUGALD BROWN PRESENTED WITH A PURSE OF GOLD

Christmas Tree Entertainment Held Last Evening in Park Street Baptist Church---Good Programme Provided

One of the most successful Christmas trees and entertainments in connection with Park Street Baptist Church took place last night in the Sunday School room, which was crowded to its utmost capacity. A good programme was given, as follows:

Doxology.
Recitation—Master French.
Dialogue—Mr. Saunders' class.
Song—Miss Gower.
Recitation—Master Curtis.
Chorus—Primary Class.
Dialogue—Mrs. Luffman's class.
Song—"Japanese Girls."
Recitation—Violet Perry.
Chorus—Mrs. Fallis' class.
Dialogue—Mrs. Matchett's class.
Piano Duet—Misses Nore and Mabel Theobald.

At this stage a very interesting event took place. The chairman, Mr. F. A. D. Fry, called upon Mr. H. Goodwin, to come to the platform. Mr. Goodwin called upon Mr. O. S. Matchett, who, in turns called upon Rev. and Mrs. Dougald Brown to come to the platform, when the former read a beautiful illuminated address, beautifully framed, and at the proper moment Mr. Matchett presented to Mr. and Mrs. Brown a well-filled purse of gold.

The Address.

Rev. and Mrs. Dougald Brown.

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Brown—As we are gathered here to-night for our annual Christmas entertainment, we cannot let the occasion pass without in some way expressing to you both our deep feeling of love and esteem in which you are cherished by us.

We are sincerely thankful to God and to you under God, that you were directed to come amongst us, because we feel and know that you have done a great work here.

We wish to express to Mrs. Brown the thanks of the ladies for the great help she has been in the different organizations of our church. We also are thankful that it has been your constant aim to lead us to centre our thought not upon the facts alone but upon Him, who is the Central Figure of God's word—Christ; Christ as a personal Saviour and Redeemer, and we trust and know that God will ever bless your work both now and in the future, amongst us.

We would ask you to accept this purse as a slight token of love and esteem, with our hearts thus bound in Christian love and, and thus united in the Master's service may we all labour on, ever rising to a higher plane in the Christian life and more usefulness in the cause of Jesus Christ, that is nearest and dearest to your hearts and ours.

Signed on behalf of the Park Street Baptist Church.

Harry Goodwin, Church Clerk.
Alfred Fallis, Chairman Deacon's Board.
F. A. D. Fry, Supt. of S. School.
Wm. Saunders, Pres. of the B. Y. P. U.
Mrs. A. Nichols, President of the Ladies' Aid.
Mrs. J. Tranter, Secretary of the Mission Circle.

Rev. Mr. Brown, although taken by surprise, replied very feelingly for Mrs. Brown and himself.

Mr. Goodwin then called upon Mr. A. Nichols to come to the platform, when the following address and presentation took place:

Peterborough, Dec. 19 1916.

Mr. A. Nichols, Organist and Choir Master.

Dear Mr. Nichols.—As we are gathered here to-night, enjoying our annual Christmas entertainment, we cannot let the occasion pass without in some way recognising your good, ly, was unavoidably absent, when the following address and presentation took place:

Peterborough, Dec. 19, 1916.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Barrie, City.

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Barrie,—We are glad to-night to have the privilege of recognizing your good work in our church as Communion Clerk.

We know and feel that you have a good work to perform, one of the most important in our Church life, and have performed it well.

We would ask you to accept this small gift as a slight token of our love and esteem and we trust and pray that you may both be spared many, many years yet to labour on in our midst.

Signed on behalf of the Park Street Baptist Church.

Rev. Dougald Brown, Pastor.
Harry Goodwin, Church Clerk.

Mrs. Barrie replied, thanking them on behalf of Mr. Barrie and herself.

The Chairman then took charge, and the balance of the programme was run off, as follows:

Recitation—J. Batley.
National drill—Mrs. Brown's class.
Dialogue—Mrs. Wright's class.

The presents were then taken off and distributed.

The Sunday School attendance is growing, last Sunday having the largest attendance for years, and any one not attending any other Sunday school will receive a hearty welcome.

MILITARY NEWS

The Examiner has received a very interesting Christmas greeting card from the 39th Battalion, C.E.F., sent by Capt. J. E. R. Munro. Peterborough looms large in the list of officers. Major C. R. Cameron is second in command of the 39th, and Major A. G. Carruthers is quartermaster. Capts. W. G. Hall, Grant D. Mowat, J. H. Eastwood, T. W. B. Marking (Lakefield), and J. M. Bygott (Lakefield), who went overseas with the 93rd Battalion, are each second in command of companies in the 39th. Lt.-Col. T. J. Johnston, Major R. P. Watt, Major K. G. Lech, Hon. Major J. C. Davidson, Hon. Capt. J. H. Burnham, Capt. J. E. R. Munro, Capt. H. S. Neilson, Hon. Capt. Jas. Rollins, Capt. E. C. Thompson, and Capt. C. R. Widdifield appear in the list of attached officers. Lieut. W. W. Armstrong, assistant adjutant of the 93rd Battalion, is a platoon commander with the 39th. Capt. M. H. W. P. Eastwood, Peterborough officers with the Royal Flying Corps, are also attached to the 39th Battalion.

END OF LONDON COUNCIL ROW

Fine of $70 Imposed on Alderman Who Threw Tumbler.

LONDON, Ont., Dec. 21.—When Ald. Adam Palmer picked up a glass tumbler at his desk in the City Council a few months ago and hurled it at a fellow-councillor, Ald. W. A. Wilson, the tumbler wounded Ald. Wilson, and also cost Ald. Palmer just $70, without costs. The case has been pending ever since.

Remember, girls, the season for snarling husbands is still open.

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By Stephen Leacock. Sketches and Satires of the Follies of the day.....$1.25

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TO LIMIT SIZE OF HOUSES.

Toledo, Ohio, Plans to Prevent Congestion of Residences.

Effort will be made in Toledo, Ohio, in revising the city building code to limit the size of buildings that may be placed on lots, says the Blade.

Engineering Commissioner McClure, who is working out the engineering features of the new code, believes a house 28 feet wide should not be built on a 30-foot lot. This is being done every day in Toledo, he says, and it is causing too much congestion.

The new code may be patterned after that of Los Angeles. There no man can build on a lot in the residence district without first consulting 75 per cent. of the property owners on the street. They can dictate the character of residence or flat to be constructed. If there are all residences on the street, the property owners can prevent the construction of a duplex or flat.

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Genuine Leather Hand Bags, newest shapes $1.50 to $8.00
A Leather Music Roll
A Jewell Box in Ivory, Tortois or Leather
A Combination Toilet and Manicure Set in Ivory or Ebony.. from $8.50 to $25.00
A Brush and Comb Set from $1.50 up
A Thermos Coffee Pot or Water Jug
A Fountain Pen, regular or Safety
A Bottle of Toilet Water, etc., etc.

FOR HIM

MAY WE SUGGEST

A Genuine Rubber Set Shaving Brush
A Razor (Old Style or Safety)--Gillette, Auto-Strop, Ever-ready, etc.
A Shaving Mirror, a Shaving Set or a Razor Strop
A Pair of Military Brushes, Ivory or Ebony
An Ebony Hair Brush, Clothes or Hat Brush
A Thermos Bottle or Thermos Kit
A Flashlight
A Chamois Vest or Fountain Pen
A Cigar or Cigarette Case
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Bye-Elections On Jan. 16th

TORONTO, Dec. 21.—Writs have been issued in North Toronto and West Simcoe. The nominations will take place January 9th, and the bye-on the 15th.

WEDDING BELLS

ARMSTRONG—SALTER.

On Thursday, December the fourteenth, a quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Salter, 793 George street, when her daughter, Laura, was united in marriage to Mr. Robert C. Armstrong, of Vars, Ontario.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Robinson, of Lakefield.

The bride was the recipient of many handsome and useful gifts, showing the esteem in which she is held by a large circle of friends.

The happy couple left on an early train for Ottawa and other eastern points, after which they will reside at Vars, Ontario.

OBITUARY

STEPHEN McCARTHY.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCarthy, 274 Woodbine avenue, East City, are to be sympathized with in the death of their son, Stephen McCarthy, aged 13, who passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital at 2:30 on December 20th, 1916, after an illness of two weeks.

The funeral will take place to-morrow, Friday, Dec. 22, from the above address at 9 o'clock; interment at St. Joseph's church, Douro.

BUFFALO BILL BETTER.

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 21.—Col. W. F. Cody (Buffalo Bill), whose father once lived near Embro, Ont., is convalescing from a short but severe illness, following his return from a trip to Wyoming. The colonel's general condition is much better, although he is not yet entirely out of danger, according to Dr. J. H. East, his physician.

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LOST — PARCEL CONTAINING pair slippers. Will the lady who picked them up in Fair's Wednesday, kindly return to Examiner. 2d-145-52f.

PROBABILITIES.

Moderate winds, becoming colder. Friday, fair and colder.

CHOIR PRACTICE.

All Saints' choir will practice to-night. A full turnout of members is expected.

PIANO TUNING.

'Phone 596, The Greene Music Co., Charlotte Street, when your piano requires tuning or regulating. All work guaranteed. dtf

KNOX CHURCH CHOIR.

There will be a rehearsal of Knox church choir to-night.

FINE POST CARDS.

Post Cards of Quaker Oats fine IN COLOURS, 10c each. See the specimens in the show case. Vincent Studio, George Street. 28d-243

FOR ICING.

Ask for Clamico's Almond Paste for Icing for fruit cake. For sale by Porter S. White, Grocer, George street.

TABLE APPLES.

Order a box of Jonathan or McIntosh apples for your Christmas table. —Porter S. White, grocer

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Over 2,000 students and ex-students of Trinity University, Toronto, are already on active service.

A GOOD PURCHASE.

We purchased a complete line of pipes before the advance in prices, real amber, extra good briar. We have also a very large stock for Christmas of cigars and tobaccos. We always give extra good value. Call and see us.—Yeates Bros, 339 George street.

CHRISTMAS MAIL IN.

Three large lock sacks, containing letters alone, were received this morning at the Post Office after having been held up on account of shipping difficulties. The parcel mail has not yet arrived.

E. S. CLEGG & CO.

Furniture purchased now as gifts, will be held until Christmas week if desired. Dining room furniture on sale this week. Some handsome styles to choose from. A collection of colonial art craft and modern style buffets. See our show window. A fine example of the William and Mary style.

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EXPRESS AND BAGGAGE.

E. D. Cooney, a returned soldier, has taken over the express business of Eddie Reid and will give prompt and careful attention to all work entrusted to him. 'Phone 947. E. D. Cooney, 240 Aylmer street.

ST. JOHN'S CHOIR.

St. John's choristers are asked to assemble at 7.45 for the Evensong of St. Thomas, at which the memorial tablet to Lieut. Fife will be unveiled, and to remain for rehearsal of the music to be used at the festival of Christmas.

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FOR THE CHILDREN'S AID.

A special Christmas programme will be given on the New Edison to-morrow (Friday) evening at 8.15, in the Recital Hall of the J. M. Greene Music Co., Ltd., Charlotte street, at which a silver collection will be taken to buy Christmas cheer for the children at the shelter. Complete programme will appear in Friday's issue.

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Social and Personal

Miss Maud Leahy, Charlotte street, left yesterday for Rochester, where she is visiting friends.

A charmingly "Christmas" atmosphere prevaded the tea at the Oriental yesterday afternoon given by the Kitchner League. The tea room was attractively decorated in red, white and blue and Christmas candles reflected great credit on the taste of the hostesses, Mrs. Perry and Mrs. W. F. Hartley who were in charge. Those assisting attired in white, wearing aprons of the colours of the allies were Mrs. Emile Baumer and Mrs. Decker, the Misses Rilling, Stocker Helen Metheral, Gladys Patterson and Nimbethy. Amongst those who came in to tea were Mrs. Fortye, Mrs. Huston, Miss F. Hatton, Mrs. Aylmer, Mr. Rogers, Mr. Howden, Mrs. (Dr.) McNulty, Mrs. Elston, Mrs. McElderry, Miss M. Collins, Miss M. Rush, Mrs. A. E. Meeks, Miss Hallett, Mrs. W. R. Morris, Mrs. A. Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. A. Spence, Mrs. E. J. Patterson, Miss Grace Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Colson Patterson, Mrs. W. H. Dunsford, Mrs. Denne, Mr. Wm. Hartley, Mrs. Wm. Allan, Mrs. P. Fuller, Mrs. Clemens, Miss G. Mowatt, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Smith, Mrs. A. E. Coulthard and Miss M. McGinnis.

Mr. Jack Tully, Queen's University, is the guest of Mr. A. E. Metheral, Reid street for the holidays.

Rev. A. W. MacKenzie, Lakefield was in the city to-day en route for Oshawa to attend the closing of Bishop Bethuen's School of which his daughter, Miss May is a student.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Stanley of Rosetown, Sask., have arrived in the city, and will spent the winter here. They are visiting Mr. Stanley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stanley, Stewart street.

Reeve and Mrs. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Marling and Mrs. F. J. Tate motored into the city from Lakefield to-day.

Mr. A. H. Dickey, special investigator, representing the Fire Marshall's Office, Parliament Buildings, Toronto, was in the city to-day.

Mr. Geo. Cross, Campbellford, was in the city this morning on business.

Mrs. J. R. Stratton and Mrs. Ormond went to Toronto to-day, where they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Archie for Christmas.

Mr. Geo. Lundy returned yesterday to his home in Buffalo.

Mr. Ed. Huff, at present of Detroit, is in the city to spend the Christmas holidays at home, 460 Gilmour street.

The many friends of Mrs. James White, who, a few days ago was prostrated with a paralytic seizure, at her residence, 308 Charlotte street, and removed to Nicholls Hospital, will learn with sorrow that her condition is alarming and that she is not expected to last out the day.

Mrs. H. J. Dean went to Hamilton this afternoon, where she will be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Anderson, for the holidays, thence to Detroit, where she will spend a month the guest of her daughter, Miss Lillian Dean.

Mrs. Claude Rogers and her two children leave to-day for Toronto, where they will visit Mrs. Rogers, mother, Mrs. Wells, for Christmas.

Mrs. Trebilcock and her two sons left to-day for Toronto, where they will spend Christmas and New Years.

Mrs. G. B. Hilliard and Miss Dorothy Hilliard, Lakefield, were guests in the city this morning.

Mr. G. W. White, Toronto and Mr. Earnest White, Manilla are the guests of Rev. Mr. White, the Rectory, East City.

Mrs. Frank Dela Fosse who has been a guest in the city for some weeks has returned to her home in Montreal.

Mr. John Colson, Guelph and Mr. Arthur Cox, Navan, are the guests of Mr. Wm. Colson, the Oriental.

Mr. R. Harstone, Water street, has returned from an extended visit in the North West.

BACHELORS GO A-WOOING.

Chicago, December 20. — Louis W. Hill's 600 North Dakota bachelors, who have arrived in Chicago on three special trains, seeking wives, are having a big time. The chairman of the Board of Directors of the Great Northern Railway, was reported going around Chicago in a automobile signing up ministers who are expected to convert the Cupid Special into the Honeymoon Special of six trains.

The wooing has become in a measure a city problem. A large amount of open air love making has been going on in Grant Park, overlooking the Michigan boulevard. Two policewomen have been assigned to stroll among the fashionable crowds and cast an unobtrusive but watchful eye over the couples grouped on the park benches.

CHARACTER.

We may judge a man's character by what he loves—what pleases him. If a man manifests a delight in low, sordid objects, the vulgar song and debasing language, the misfortunes of his fellows and animals, we may at once determine the complexion of his character. On the contrary, if he loves purity, modesty, truth—if virtuous pursuits engage his heart, and draw out his affections—we are satisfied he is an upright man. When we see a young man fond of fine clothes and making a fop of himself it is a sure sign that he thinks the world consists of outside show and ostentation, and he is certain to make an unstable man, without true affection or friendship, fond of change and excitement, and soon weary of those objects and pursuits which for a time gave him pleasure.

The great charm of marriage, as of life itself, is its unexpectedness. The only way to test a man is to marry him. If you live, it is a mushroom, and if you die, it is a toadstool.

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Omemee Items Of Interest

OMEMEE, Dec. 21.—Mr. Wm. Thompson, of Minneapolis is the guest of his parents, Dr. J. N. and Mrs. Thompson.

Miss Hilda Clarke, nurse-in-training at the Ross Memorial Hospital, Lindsay, visited her mother, Mrs. S. P. Clarke, during the past week.

The many friends of Miss M. Davidson will be sorry to hear she is suffering from an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. T. C. Stephenson was in Lindsay on business last week.

Miss Helen James has gone to Toronto, where she has secured a position.

Mr. Albert Jones of Peterborough, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. A. Stinson, on Monday.

Mr. Fred Taggart of Port Perry, made a business visit in town the beginning of the week.

Mr. R. W. Wilson was a visitor to Lindsay on Tuesday.

Mrs. D. H. Cornell is the guest of friends out of town.

Mr. Ernest Sluggett of Ottawa, is the guest of his brother, Mr. Stanley Sluggett.

Miss Blanche Stinson of the Peterborough Normal school, is spending the vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Stinson.

Mr. D. Stinson has purchased a new Chevrolet car.

Miss M. Thornton of Peterborough, is visiting at the home of Mr. D. H. Cornell.

Messrs. Isaac Fee and Jos. T. Beatty attended the funeral of their cousin, Mr. James Graham, of Lindsay on Tuesday.

Mrs. Kelly of Toronto, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. O. G. Williamson.

Mrs. Joseph Bradley and daughter, Miss Elva were visitors to Peterborough on Saturday.

Mrs. C. L. Motcombe has gone to Whitby to spend the Christmas vacation with her parents.

Mrs. Stanley Sluggett was a visitor to Peterborough on Monday.

Miss Maye Watson of Peterborough, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Kelly Mitchell.

Mr. Will Thompson of the West, is the guest of his parents, Dr. N. N. and Mrs. Thompson.

Brute—It was late afternoon, and time to get her husband's supper, but the woman sitting moodily by the fire never moved. Her heart was breaking. It was her birthday. She had been married only four years, but he had forgotten her birthday already. That morning he had given her no present, not even an extra kiss before rushing off to town. Presently there was the sound of a key turning in the lock. Into the room came her husband. Still she never moved. He bent over her head and whispered as he dropped a tiny parcel in her lap. "Many happy returns, darling!" Her heart was mended. She sprang to her feet and seized him in a frantic grasp as she realized that, after all, he still loved her. Then she opened the parcel. "Pipe-cleaners!" she gasped, as she displayed a little bundle of feathers. "Yes, sweetheart," said the man. "I knew that they'd please you, as you object to me using your hat-pins!"

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KAISER STILL SEEKING PEACE

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 22. — Despatches from Berlin say the Kaiser has asked United States Ambassador Gerard to talk over the United States peace note with him.

WILL MAINTAIN STRICT NEUTRALITY

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22—In a second statement yesterday afternoon, Secretary Lansing declared that the United States had no intention of abandoning strict neutrality.

British Capture German Trenches

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BERLIN, Dec. 23.—War Office admits that the British captured German trenches north of Arras yesterday.

If you use a clean brick for an iron-stand the iron will hold its heat ever so much longer than when an ordinary stand is used

Wilson Peace Note Places Entente On German Level

Says Each Side Desires Safety and Security of the People of the Smaller Nations—Pleads That the United States Has Been Seriously Affected by the War—An Excuse For Haste.

CALLS FOR TERMS

WASHINGTON, December 22.—The text of President Wilson's note to the powers in both the European alliances, in which he makes suggestions in behalf of peace, was given out with this instruction by Secretary Lansing to the American Ambassadors:

"The President directs me to send you the following communication to be presented immediately to the Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Government to which you are accredited."

The text of the notes is the same with this exception—that to the Central Powers contains the phrase that he is embarrassed to offer it at this particular time, because it may now seem to have been prompted by a desire to "play a part in connection with the recent overtures of the Central Powers." This phrase becomes, "It may now seem to have been prompted by the recent overtures of the Central Powers," in the note to the Entente Allies.

ALLEGES UNITED STATES "SERIOUSLY AFFECTED."

The texts of the notes themselves follow.

"The President of the United States has instructed me to suggest to the (here is inserted a designation of the Government addressed) a course of action with regard to the present war which he hopes that the Government will take under consideration as suggested in the most friendly spirit and as coming not only from a friend, but also as coming from the representative of a neutral nation whose interests have been most seriously affected by the war and whose concern for its early conclusion arises out of a manifest necessity to determine how best to safeguard those interests if the war is to continue.

EXPLAINING HIS HASTE.

"The suggestion which I am instructed to make the President has long had it in mind to offer. He is somewhat embarrassed to offer it at this particular time, because it may now seem to have been prompted by a desire to play a part in connection with the recent overtures of the Central Powers.

"It has, in fact, been in no way suggested by them in its origin, and the President would have delayed offering it until those overtures had been independently answered but for the fact that it also concerns the question of peace, and may best be considered in connection with other proposals which have the same end in view. The President can only beg that his suggestions be considered entirely on its own merits, and as if it had been made in other circumstances.

CALLS FOR TERMS.

"The President suggests that an early occasion be sought to call out from all the nations now at war such an avowal of their respective views as to the terms upon which the war might be concluded and the arrangements which would be deemed satisfactory as a guaranty against its renewal or the kindling of any similar conflict in the future as would make it possible frankly to compare them. He is indifferent as to the means taken to accomplish this. He would be happy himself to serve, or even to take the initiative in its accomplishment, in any way that might prove acceptable, but he has no desire to determine the method or the instrumentality

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SAYS WILSON'S NOTE IS AN INSULT

Special to The Examiner.

LONDON, Dec. 22. — Chronicle says that Wilson's note is an insult to the Allies.

Secretary Lansing May Resign

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, Dec 22—Lansing may resign as a result of his "Verge of war" statement yesterday.

HEAVY GAIN FOR RUSSIANS

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, Dec. 21.—War Office reports heavy gains in territory in the wooded Carpathians.

American Peace Note Witheld

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec 22—Publication of the American peace note withheld by the censor for the present.

Fierce Fighting In Dobrudja

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec 22.—Fierce fighting in Dobrudja. Russians are resisting the Teuton advance.

British Advance In Mesopotamia

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

CAIRO, Dec. 22.—British forces have laid siege to Kut-El-Amara.

Fluctuations in Wheat Markets

Wheat Opened With a Break and Closed Several Points Higher—The Cattle Markets

As a result of the latest Wilson episode, the wheat markets were extraordinarily jumpy yesterday going down with a rush at the opening, and later jumping up to 5c or 6c points above Wednesday's close. Winnipeg December showed a range of 11 9-4c between the high and low, and closing 5 7-8c above Wednesday's close. There was said to be heavy buying for foreign account on the early break.

Manitoba wheat, No. 1 Northern, $1.89 3-4, track bay ports; No. 2 $1.86 1-2, No. 3 $1.81 1-2; No. 4 $1.70 1-4; old crop 4c above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W. 68c.

American corn—No. 2 nominal; No. 3, new, none offering owing to embargo.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 60c to 62c, No 3 white 59c to 61c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, per car lot $1.62 to $1.64, No. 3 $1.60 to $1.62.

Peas—No 2, nominal, car lots $2.40.

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Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal; No. 2, new $1.32 to $1.33.

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Ontario flour—New winter $6.70 to $6.80, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered Montreal, shorts, $37; bran, $32 feed flour per bag, $2.80.

Hay—Baled No. 1 track, Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots $12 to $13; No. 2 $9 to $10; straw $6 to $9.50.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Union Stock Yards—Receipts, 671 cattle, 62 calves, 1607 hogs, 320 sheep and lambs.

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do medium	6 25	6 75
Butcher cows, choice	6 25	7 00
do medium	5 75	6 25
Butcher bulls, choice	6 85	7 50
do good	6 50	6 60
do medium	5 00	5 50
Feeders 900 to 1,000 lbs.	6 50	6 75
do bulls	5 25	5 75
Stockers 700 to 900 lbs.	6 50	6 75
do med 650 to 750 lbs.	5 50	6 00
do light 600 to 650 lbs.	5 00	5 75
Canners	4 10	4 40
Cutters	4 50	5 25
Sheep, light	8 50	9 50
do heavy	7 50	8 50
Spring lambs	10 75	38 00
Calves	8 60	12 50
Hogs, fed and watered	12 00	
do weighed off cars	12 25	
do f.o.b	11 15	

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GERMANY'S FINANCIAL CRISIS CAN'T GET RID OF HER NOTES

Allies in Splendid Position Owing to Their Producing Seventy Per Cent of the World's Gold—The Fall of the the German Market

THE ECOMIC SITUATION

(Special Cable By Rene Arcos.)

BERNE, December 22.—A cursory glance at the economic situation of the central empires throws a curious light on the recent peace proposal. Austria's situation may suddenly become desperate, while Germany's cannot but grow worse. It is almost certain that Germany's civil mobilization, designed chiefly to impress the enemy, will precipitate the empire's financial crisis by stopping exportation.

One noteworthy incident which helped the fall of the German mark was the sale of German notes received for agricultural products by Turkey and Bulgaria, which both are in desperate need of gold. The following authentic incident shows the condition of Germany's credit. A German bank recently wished to invest in Switzerland 80,000 marks of German war loan, and requested various Swiss banks to negotiate the deal. All refused except two, which tried to pass the German notes to their clients, who, however, refused to take them. Thus 80,000 marks were returned to Germany.

Leading German capitalists, who are disinclined to invest their fortune permanently in German notes, exchange the latter for stocks, precious jewels, diamonds and silks, of which they have no need, and deposit them in Swiss warehouses, certain, it appears, that they will recover their fortune undepreciated when the war is ended and thus avoid loss of exchange, enormous taxes, and risks of bankruptcy in Germany. Bearers of Austrian notes are now losing fifty per cent. of the income.

In Switzerland the difference between the allies' financial situation and that of the central powers continues to increase, proof of which may be found in the fact that the British Empire last year alone furnished sixty-one per cent. of the world's gold. The allies' entire production represented more than seventy per cent. of the general total, whereas the central powers barely furnished one and one-half per cent. It is easy to understand the importance of this factor from an economic standpoint and its value as a weapon in the hands of the allies in financial warfare. Gold which Great Britain incessantly draws from her vast empire has assisted to maintain the normal rate of exchange. Despite the conquest of Wallachia, the food problem in Germany is still unsolved. "What shall we eat?" asks Taeglische Rundschau. "The potato crop was a disastrous failure and the introduction of public kitchens are indispensible."

Italian Commander Reported Drowned

Examiner Special:

BERLIN, Dec. 22. — It is stated here that Lieut. General Bandons, the Italian commander in Albania, was drowned when his vessel hit a mine in the Adriatic.

New Order For Canadian Units

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec. 22. — Hereafter Canadian Battalions broken up on arrival will only be drafted to units of the same province as they belong.

Sinn Feiners Are Released

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec 22—Six hundred Sinn Feiners in Ireland have been freed to return to their homes.

THREE MORE VESSELS SUNK

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec 22 — Two more British steamers and one from Argentine torpedoed.

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8.30 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
11.40 a.m.—Mid-day express for Toronto, reaching Toronto at 3.15 p.m.
13.30 p.m.—For Lakefield.
11.40 a.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
1.30 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
5.35 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
8.10 p.m.—For Lakefield.
8.35 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
9.05 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Boston.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
CORRECTED JUNE 5, 1916.

*10.30 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*12.05 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N.B., Boston, and New York.
*1.30 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed Perth, Smith's Falls and Ottawa.
*10.15 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and intermediate points, also all points west of Montreal.

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"DESTINY"

By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday)

He found himself often coming with a sort of start to the realisation of a discovery under whose influence he tingled. Theoretically he knew that in this city, in whose varying meeting places of extremes the unexpected was to be expected, one should never be astonished. He knew there were artists who shunned Bohemia, and once he had met a barber whose enthusiasms were all for cuneiform inscriptions. He had heard in a club of a hobo whose nails were clean, whose address was elegant and who had confounded surgeons on surgery, artists on art, poets on verse, and theologues on theology. He knew that the circles which had soothed his artistic snobbery with an admiration as grateful as soft fingers on a cat's back held no letters patent on charm or cultivation and yet his own mind had catalogued women of the stage, off-stage, under a general heading, in some way associated with cabaret places and false gaiety.

Here was one who called upon him to discard preconceived ideas and begin anew. On every topic he broached he encountered intelligent discussion and untrammelled originality of thought. In the back of his brain lurked the feeling that when he had broached all the topics upon which he could talk, he would still have touched on only a part of those at her command.

But between these moments of surprise were others of restful delight when she made him forget everything except that he was talking with a charming woman who saw in the opera a pleasure equal to his own.

And though he did not know it, Marcia Terroll, even this soon, saw in him a nature full of tuneful sweetness but very weak, and realized that he was an instrument upon which a strong hand could play to an end of harmony or discord—an instrument upon which his great brother had already played, and which his great brother did not in the least understand. Paul's frequent allusions, tinged with hero-worship, had given her that understanding.

"I saw you in your box," she told him with a smile.

"And I saw you in yours," he laughed back at her.

The girl raised her brows, and he explained. "I ran away from the chatterboxes and came up to your gallery." They had almost reached the arch when he earnestly said: "I wonder if you will go to the opera with me some evening? It would be wonderful to have someone who really cared for it."

Once more she laughed, but this time it was rather seriously. "We inhabit—rather different worlds, you and I."

"I want you to let me be an explorer into yours—and your guide into mine," he declared. After a moment's hesitation she gravely answered: "It might not hurt you to know something of my world after all. It's rather humanizing for an artist to free himself from a single environment. It is possible to suffocate on incense."

Paul Burton smiled. "But you know," he answered, "until I was twelve I never wore a pair of trousers that had not been bequeathed to me by my older brother—and when they reached me they were always liberally patched."

She was alighting from his car and her smile flashed on him as she held out a small, white-gloved hand. "And I," she retorted, "at that age was being tricked out in Paris finery. Time brings changes, doesn't it?" It was the first flash of self-revelation she had given him. But after that Paul Burton saw Marcia Terrol more than occasionally, and admitted to himself an interest which he did not seek to analyze.

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J. J. Malone returned from the opera that evening for a consultation in his study with Harrison and Meegan.

"On the day after to-morrow," he remined them, "the stock holders' meeting of Coal and Ore is held. By use of the cumulative system of balloting we can concentrate our fire on Burton."

"Do you gather," questioned Meegan anxiously, "that our fears of a Burton raid are founded in fact?"

The older chief spread before his associates several sheets of closely written paper.

"On the contrary, I gather that Burton has not selected this time for his coup. I fancy we have forestalled him."

"Yet," sugested Meegan anxiously "we want to make sure."

Malone nodded. "Unless several men whom we trust prove to be traitors, we may feel sure. Gentlemen, I think we have soon enough, but not too soon, safeguarded ourselves against piracy. I hardly believe that what Gates did to L. and N. will be done to us by Burton.... I have been very busy and for some reason I do not feel quite myself. I think that I shall now beg you to excuse me." The man of mighty resource rose smilingly from the table and then suddenly rested both hands on its polished surface. His ruddy face became pallid and he lifted one hand with a bewildered gesture to his brow.

Harrison and Meegan sprang with a common impulse to his side.

As they helped him to a chair, his step was unsteady. "It will pass," Malone assured them. "It is an attack of indigestion." Yet within the half-hour his powerful frame was being racked by convulsions and two hours later specialists at St. Luke's were making those preparations which precede an operation for appendicitis. To-morrow when the Stock Exchange opened the newspapers would spread the news that J. J. Malone was out of the game and Wall Street would once more mirror an anxiety which any small thing might convert into a perilous situation.

At the same hour a special train with a guaranteed right of way was thundering along its roadbed with a wake of red cinders and black smoke trailing from its stack and a single passenger in its single coach. The Honorable Mr. Ruferton was going to call on the Honorable Mr. Hendricks.

In ignorance of what the morrow held the Honorable Mr. Hendricks was meanwhile sleeping peacefully in the quiet of his country house.

Shafts of sunlight came pleasantly through the dining room windows on the following morning as he breakfasted alone, and still in ignorance. The forests were decked with the first coloring of an early frost, and Mr. Hendricks strolled out for a cigar in the crisp air of his woodland. Physically he was fit and his conscience did not trouble him; since his conscience was both lenient and practical.

Then as he took pleasure in his life and his Havana, he saw a dilapidated buckboard laboring up the rutty trail. It halted at his gate to let out a man of whom chance had, on more than one occasion, made a colleague, and occasionally an adversary.

"Hello, Ruferton," he shouted amiably, "what brings you here?"

Mr. Ruferton's face wore an expression of deep concern. He consulted his watch. "I came on a special train, Hendricks," he bluntly declared, "and it is waiting to take us both back to New York."

Hendricks laughed. "My dear fellow, I've been speech-making until my throat is sore. The final days before election mean more hard work. In the meantime I am resting. It's the doctor's stern command."

Ruferton stood at the gate and faced his host. He spoke impressively. "An election eve scandal threatens you which will probably involve a grand jury investigation. If that is a matter of indifference, stay here, by all means, but if your future is in any degree important to you, pack your bag, and pack it quick."

For an instant the former State senator and present candidate stood bewildered. What traitor had betrayed a false step? His tracks were well covered, he thought. At last he found his tongue. "In God's name, what are you talking about?"

Mr. Ruferton held his portfolio tightly grasped in his hand. In it there were documents to which the other could hardly be indifferent — but unless all other arguments failed, he preferred reserving them for future use. He met the stupefied gaze of his protagonist with one of serious apprehension.

"I might as well be entirely candid with you, Hendricks. I don't know. I was sent by Hamilton Burton to bring you back to New York; with specific orders that you were to be at his house not later than nine-thirty this evening. There he will tell you what you should learn. I have come in person because he did not care to trust to such a message as could be telephoned or telegraphed."

"Hamilton Burton!" The Honorable Hendricks was more than ever at sea. "I have had many dealings with Mr. Burton, but wherefore this sudden and absorbing interest in my welfare?"

Ruferton smiled. "My dear fellow, perhaps you had better go and ask him. If Hamilton Burton has turned things topsy-turvy to act as your saviour in an eleventh-hour crisis, common sense compels me to infer that he has a reason to interesting to ignore."

Mr. Hendricks paced the path for a few minutes in the disquiet of intense nervousness, then he spoke with sharp accusation and distrust.

"You don't know what the matter is! You have come here by special train to warn me that I face ruin, and you pretend that you have no inkling of the nature of my peril! You speak of veiled threats. Are you lying to me, Ruferton?"

"Draw your own conclusions." The time had come for playing the card of offended sensibilities and Mr. Ruferton turned promptly on his heel. "Stay where you are—and read the newspapers. Burton's instructions were to bring you back, but I don't suppose that he expected me to kidnap you on your own behalf. I presume he anticipated your sane realisation that he did not send for you to smoke a cigar with him. He presumed you were interested in avoiding disgrace."

"Don't you understand," demanded Hendricks blankly, "how inconceivable it is that you should come on a mission like this without knowing its exact nature?"

The other nodded. "Burton didn't know that you were out of town. When last night, quite late, he learned of this matter he sent me to find you. There was no time for discussion or explanation."

"Wait until I pack my bag." The Honorable Hendricks, whose dignity on the bench would so honor the judicial ermine, rushed wildly into the house, while Hamilton Burton's envoy stood outside contemplatively kicking about among the fallen leaves.

With the flaming of that morning's headlines announcing J. J. Malone's illness a spirit of nervousness began stalking in the Street. Of this restlessness Hamilton Burton was duly apprised and while he scornfully laughed at blind luck he acknowledged the power of his Star, and gave thanks to his own unnamed gods.

His eye was brilliantly clear and his step resilient, but Paul, whose delicate nature possessed a quality approaching the clairvoyant, divined that his great brother was exalted by some prospect of portentous moment, and that it might mean triumph—or reverse. Timidly the younger questioned the elder.

That afternoon while Hamilton was outlining future and audacious strokes of finance Paul was with him. For hours they sat together, the younger man at the piano and the older listening, being soothed and softened by the magic touch upon the keys.

This was their custom when momentous events were brewing. At last Hamilton interrupted. "Paul," he questioned slowly, "can't you give me something that has the crashing of bugles in it; something like a hymn before action?" Abruptly his voice mounted, and he threw back his head. "By God, little brother, I want that sort of music that goes before the charge of an irresistible phalanx!"

The musician wheeled on the piano bench and his fingers left the keys. He rose impulsively and came over to where Hamilton stood with an unquenchable light blazing in his eyes. The dreamer laid a hand on each of the achiever's strong shoulders and gazed long and searchingly into the confident face. Hamilton read a fear in that gaze and affectionately smiled back his reassurance.

"What is it, little brother?" he asked.

"Hamilton," began the other in an awkward, diffident fashion, "you are planning something a little vaster than usual. I am frightened. Sometimes the end of empire is—St. Helena."

The financier laughed.

"It is not written that I can fail, Paul. It is not in my horoscope. You are right. I am planning something broader than I have done before." He paused only to add in a vibrant voice: "I told you that the day would come when above me there would be no man—that day will be to-morrow."

"Is there no chance of defeat?"

"I admit none. To me the influx of gold, and that attendant power which is its only worth, have become a tidal wave. Nothing can check it!"

"And the end of it all?" questioned the other.

"While there is game to play, Paul, no man has won enough. It is the splendid sense of growing power. It's the thrist that grows with the wine you drink. It's fighting and conquering. It is the magnificent dream of world mastery. The money itself!" He spread his hands contemptuously. "That is a beggar's reward—it's the symbol of Might that counts."

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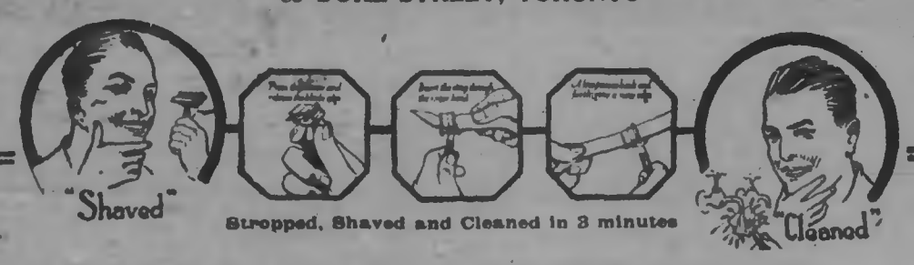

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Young Irish Beauty Loses Aged Banker At Last Moment

Notwithstanding John R. Manning, eighty-three-year-old millionaire, took his fiancee, Miss Honora May O'Brien twenty-eight years old, stenographer pianist, musician, and a pronounced beauty, to visit Cardinald Farley in the Archiepiscopal residence, New York on Sunday, and in the presence of two of the children made arrangements for their wedding early tomorrow (Tuesday), it was announced today (Monday) at his home, No. 81 Riverside Drive, there would be no marriage.

"You may say for me," said Miss Manning, an unmarried daughter of the aged millionaire, to a reporter, "there will be no wedding to-morrow, or any other day. It's all off—completely all off."

The decision of Mr. Manning to heed the advice of the six heirs to the banker's $15,000,000 fortune came after a continuous session of the family, arguing with him in relays, since Saturday afternoon.

It was not until newspapers were thrown to him containing a statement that he had settled $500,000 on Miss O'Brien, or was to do so that he capitulated.

His children at once took him for an automobile ride, and on his return to the house he called up Miss O'Brien, who is staying with her convent schoolmistress, the Misses Amy and Gladys O'Connor at No. 58 Riverside Drive. Miss O'Brien was highly indignant and declined to accept his withdrawal from their romance final.

Miss O'Brien at once called her brother, James S. O'Brien into conference. He has a bakery and cannery business at Newport, R.I., and went to New York on reports that Mr. Manning's children were interfering with the plans of their father and Miss O'Brien.

Miss O'Brien was located by a reporter at her apartment on Riverside Drive. She admitted that the wedding had been declared off, but would not discuss the matter. Miss O'Brien has a mass of golden, red hair and large brown eyes, with wondrous long lashes. Her complexion is pink and white, and her cheeks glow with perfect health. She is about five feet eight inches in height and weighs about 140 pounds.

"Yes," she said, "the marriage has been declared off, for the present, at least. The whole thing has been a terrible shock to me. I may have a statement later."

Earlier in the day, Mr. O'Brien said he had been pleased to learn that his sister did not need any help, as he was sure the marriage would take place as arranged with Cardinal Farley.

"I came here to see that my sister got a square deal after the publicity caused by the issuing of the marriage license," he said, when he was informed of the aged millionaire's change. "It looks as though I were needed. They will find out what it is to trifle with the O'Briens. It doesn't matter to me whether Manning is rich or poor. I have all I need. But he promised to marry my sister, and if he jilts her, the Manning family will regret their part in influencing him. I know nothing of any settlement of $500,000 he is said to have intended to make on my sister."

The statement of some members the Manning family, that Miss O'Brien came to the United States to enter a convent as a nun and changed her mind was untrue. Mr. O'Brien said. His sister was educated in an Irish school and finished at a convent in Ghent, Belgium, according to her brother, and came over the Atlantic with the definite purpose of being a business woman."

MILITARY HOSPITAL PATIENTS.

Lady Paget Stuck to Her Task to the Last Moment.

Wonderful devotion to duty on behalf of the sick and wounded Serbians at Uskub has been shown by Lady Paget, wife of Sir Ralph Spencer Paget, Assistant Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, and His Majesty the King has given his Royal license and authority to her to wear the Grand Cordon of the Order of Saint Sava, conferred by the King of Serbia in recognition of her valuable services.

According to an American correspondent now at Monastir, Lady Paget refused to leave, despite the pleadings of her friends, and even of her husband, who made a dash by automobile from Nish in order to effect her rescue before the capture of the city by the Bulgarians.

Details of her act of self-sacrifice were brought to Monastir by Dr. Edward Stuart, head of the American Sanitary Commission, who, with his wife and the other members of the Commission, left Nish two days before its fall, finally reaching Monastir by way of Albania. "As soon as it became apparent that the Bulgarians would surely capture Uskub," said Doctor Stuart, "Sir Ralph Paget started by automobile from Nish. As it was, he arrived at Uskub only three hours before the Bulgarians entered the city. Although overjoyed to see her husband, Lady Paget absolutely refused to abandon her work in the hospital, saying: 'I am going to stay here to take care of these poor men. It is useless to try to make me leave. I simply must stay.'"

The entire personnel of her staff including Drs. S. H. Osborne and C. E. Fox, of the United States, and Dr. Catherine Travis, of Canada, had gathered in the office of the hospital. They, too, endeavored to persuade her to accompany her husband to safety. But her determination could not be shaken, and all of the staff decided to remain with her.

In recognition of her bravery the retreating Serbians left 200 Austrian prisoners to act as attendants and servants in the hospital, as well as to protect her in the event of trouble with the Bulgarians."

A Princess in the Ranks.

A Petrograd despatch says: The startling discovery has just been made that a Russian "soldier" recently wounded in battle in Volhynia and now lying in a military hospital at Kharkoff is none other than Princess Volonsky.

The Princess is only twenty-two years of age, and her story is a tragic and romantic one.

Her husband, Prince Volonsky, was killed by the Germans early in the war, and not long afterwards her father and brother were killed also.

The Princess, who is sturdy in figure and possesses a character of great determination, thereupon resolved to join the army as a volunteer.

After cutting her hair short and dressing like a man she enlisted as an ordinary soldier.

Not until she had fought for some months on the southwestern front was her identity discovered.

She was then sent to Kieff to be discharged from the army, but the Princess succeeded in eluding the vigilance of her guards, and returned to the fighting line, where she was wounded.

Tender-hearted K. of K.

The popular conception of the late Lord Kitchener as a "man of iron with a heart of ice" is ridiculously wrong and unjust. As a matter of fact, he was one of the greatest and tenderest-hearted of men. Not many years ago his old nurse said: "People tell me that he has no heart and that everybody is afraid of him; but they are wrong. He is really one of the most tender-hearted men in the world; and whenever he comes to see me, as he often does, he is 'my boy,' just as he was in the old days in Ireland when he used to run to me in all his troubles and flies his arms around me and hug me. Ah, there is nobody left who knows the real Master Herbert' as I know him!"

Wants to Be a Soldier.

Samuel Third, a ten-year-old Toronto boy was taken from a Grand Trunk train recently at Windsor by the United States immigration officers because he was not very sure just where he was going. He told Chief Inspector Frick he ran away to be a soldier. He declared his father was a soldier, his grandfather was a soldier, and his father before that was a soldier, so he just simply had to join too. The lad will be given good care here until the Toronto authorities are heard from.

Well Soaped.

Salt boiled beef was the main item on the luncheon menu, and the flavor of this particular joint was so odd that the family laid down their knives and forks in unison.

"General" Mary Jane was sent for.

"There is something wrong with this beef, Mary," said the mistress of the house. "Did you soak it as I told you?"

"Oh, yes, mum," said the maid-of-all-work brightly. "I soaped it well all round."

IMITATED KAISER.

German Officer's Wit Saved Him—A Pre-War Story.

"Among the officers of William II.'s suite a certain young captain has an extraordinary gift for imitation. A few months before the war, this captain was in one of the rooms of the Imperial Palace at Potsdam with other officer friends. He began to amuse himself by imitating the Emperor with amazing exactitude; the timbre of his voice, the tone, the gesture, the demeanor, all were unmistakable.

"Suddenly there was a tense silence; William II. had just burst into the room where his aides-de-camp were. The officers saluted respectfully, and remained motionless.

"'Well! continue,' ordered the Emperor, addressing himself to the captain. 'I did not know that you had this gift.'

"The officer hesitated for a second, then, stretching out his arm, and reproducing the intonation of his Sovereign, he said in a loud voice:

"'Captain, you deserve to be dismissed from the army, but out of consideration for your youth, and because I know you to be a brave and gallant soldier, I forgive you.'

"That day William gave an example of marvelous leniency—he did not punish the captain."

"The Emperor had, until recently, a barber who was an expert at the business, but who always arrived late. In order to cure him of his want of punctuality, the Emperor presented him with a splendid gold chronometer. The barber, however, was no more punctual than before.

"'Have you still my watch?' William, losing patience, asked him at last.

"'Of course, your Majesty.'

"'Well, since it is no good, take this one instead.' And taking from the crestfallen barber the gold chronometer, he gave him in exchange a nickel turnip that may have been worth five marks."—The Two Williams: Studies of the Kaiser and the Crown Prince, by Paul Louis Hervier.

A Bishop's Hymn of Hate.

While official Germany loses no chance of berating England as the arch-enemy, German clericals illustrate their conception of Christianity by applauding murder. For instance, Bishop Kaftan of Kiel offers up the following blasphemous prayer of thanksgiving:

"Let us thank Him who is not only the God of the Germans but the God of other nations, too, for His merciful support, if He allows our submarines to torpedo all American vessels and others carrying supplies to our enemies, quite regardless of how many and how impudent the Americans on board may be. True, it is barbaric to sink merchantmen, but who drives the Germans to do it, and who makes us wish it to continue with still greater success? England. Thank God, England's insular security is gone forever. May a hundred more Zeppelins be visited upon her, and should they ever succeed in dropping bombs on the Bank of England, what a heartfelt cry of jubilation would resound throughout Germany, considering that it was for money that Great Britain started the war."

Nightmare.

Nightmare, according to one theory, is due to a suspension of power in the muscles of inspiration. The weight, the want of breathing and the sense of suffocation seem to prove this, and a still greater proof is that after the sufferer can speak only one syllable the paroxysm is at an end. The word cannot be spoken without breath. Breath cannot come out of the lungs until it is brought in nor brought in without the action of the muscles of the breast and ribs. Nothing can be more simple than the cause. It is the temporary paralysis of the pectoral muscles, through the medium of the nerves which supply them with feeling.

Napoleon's Bible.

An Italian journalist has the copy of the Bible which Napoleon used during his compulsory sojourn in the isle of Elba. It is a copy of a cheap popular edition, illustrated with rough wood-cuts, with the initial "N" and the imperial crown stamped upon its back. A number of texts are underlined, and the inference is that the exiled emperor searched the Scriptures for passages appropriate to his misfortune and his hopes. "I will smite the shepherd, and the sheep shall be scattered," is perhaps the most significant of them. The Bible was discovered in the sanctuary of the Madonna del Monte, in Elba.

British Farm Labor Situation.

The labor situation is quite as acute on farms in the United Kingdom as it is in Canada. Nearly all the sons of British farmers, as well as skilled laborers, have been called to the war and the only sort of labor available requires a lot of supervision. Nearly all the letters from farmers published in The Farmer and Stock Breeder (Eng.) deal with the situation and the general feeling is voiced in this extract from one letter: "Let us hope for an early cessation of hostilities and a quick return to normal conditions."

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(Special Despatch).
LONDON, Saturday.

Broken in spirit and beside himself with grief, John James Gibbons, a youth of seventeen, finds himself in a lonely cell charged with the murder of his father. John, who was always a dutiful son, cries himself to sleep every night. His every thought is of his mother, for whose cause he is now confined in a felon's cell.

The unfortunate condition of the boy had its beginning in a domestic quarrel which ended in a tragedy. John's father, a rather shiftless sort of individual, quarrelled with his wife because the latter had pawned some dress material. In the course of the quarrel the elder Gibbons struck his wife and was about to administer some further punishment when the son intervened and struck his father with something he had in his hand. The irate father turned his attention to his son, but before the enraged man could lay hands on him the youth dashed from the house with his father in pursuit. They had not gone more than ten feet when the father gave a cry and, pitching forward, dropped dead in the yard of their home. The boy bent over his father's lifeless body, begging his forgiveness, and was in this position when the police arrived to lead him away to answer a murder charge.

(Special Despatch)
LIVERPOOL, Saturday.

According to the general officer commanding-in-chief the Western command, who spoke before an assemblage of military men here the other day, it has been decided by the government authorities that all men of thirty years or younger must join the army. Capable young men now sheltered in employment should, the officer declared, be relieved by men who have already served in the army and are incapacitated for the strenuous work at the front, but perfectly able to go into peaceful employment.

(Special Despatch).
BERLIN, Saturday.

Notwithstanding the fact that the government exercises strict control over the need for preserved foods, a very serious form of blood poisoning, called "tin sickness," has attacked thousands of persons in all the large cities of Germany. On account of the shortage of fresh foods the people have been compelled to subsist largely on canned goods, with the result that they have fallen victims of this remarkable disease.

(Special Despatch).
EDINBURGH, Saturday.

David P. Menzies, of Pleau Castle, Bannockburn, was charged with perjury in an interesting case just opened in the High Court. He submitted documents, upon which the charge is based, in a claim to the headship of the Clan Menzies and Menzies baronetcy.

According to evidence presented Mr. Menzies showed documents, mainly bills, dated some 200 years ago, backed with the words "Robert, son of Captain James Menzies, of Comrie." A copper plate engraver who examined the documents through a large magnifying glass said the words were obviously written with a steel pen, which did not come into existence until after 1810. A quill pen left a fine mark, it was testified, while a steel one left a perceptible space between when a wide mark was examined closely.

(Special Despatch).
PARIS, Saturday.—The poor people of France as well as the wealthy are taking advantage of the privilege recently granted by M. Meline, the Minister of Agriculture, to all sportsmen, of high or low degree, to shoot the wild game that since the war has become superabundant, doing great damage to crops. Hares, pheasants and wild ducks have been the chief offenders, and these are being killed in great numbers, thus not only saving growing vegetation but furnishing food for the people.

It was thought at first that the Minister's instructions included only rich sportsmen and owners of game preserves, but he made it clear in a subsequent statement that, in the interest of agriculture, the shooting privilege was extended to everybody in all departments.

(Special Despatch).
ROME, Saturday.

If one seeks evidence of Italy's financial stability he may find it in the announcement just made of an increase of [illegible],000,000, distributed over all departments, in the first three months of the financial year.

(Special Despatch).
LONDON, Saturday.

[illegible] prices have increased enormously since the beginning of the war. The average increase in retail prices is 68 per cent. The greatest increase has been in the price of potatoes, which has gone up 45 per cent.

[illegible] with one year ago the retail [illegible] showed an average increase of [illegible].

(Special Despatch).
LONDON, Saturday.

Of the 5,407 men now employed on the staff of the headquarters of the Ministry of Munitions only 400 are eligible for military service, either for general service or for garrison duty. The Director of Recruiting has appointed a strong committee to examine these men. Those that the committee pronounces "fit" will be released and sent out for military duty.

(Special Despatch).
LONDON, Saturday.—A wild elephant, emerging from the jungle on the island of Ceylon, was struck by a railroad train on its way to Colombo, according to news received here. It is said that the shock of the collision was almost as great as if the train had crashed into an engine or another train. Passengers were nonplussed, windows in the cars were broken and as a result there were many exciting moments.

The unusual accident occurred at night. There was much mystery about what had caused it, for the trainmen and engineer had failed to observe any lights ahead and knew that the locomotive had not ploughed head on into another train. Investigation cleared up the mystery. Lying across the tracks in front of the engine was a dead elephant.

Although able to proceed after a wrecking crew had removed the huge carcass, the train broke down after it had gone several miles beyond the scene of the accident. Several parts of the locomotive, it was discovered, had been misplaced in the collision with the elephant.

(Special Despatch).
LEEDS, Saturday.

Lord and Lady Cowdray have given the University of Leeds $50,000 for the endowment of a chair of Spanish language and literature, to be open to men and women on equal terms. The purpose is to make the new professorship a centre for a school of Spanish studies, to cover the large territory served by the Leeds University.

It is thought that the Leeds University was selected because of family connections of Lord and Lady Cowdray in Yorkshire. His Lordship is extensively interested in business ventures in South Africa, where Spanish is spoken.

A Russian chair has recently been endowed at the university.

(Special Despatch).
LONDON, Saturday.

A new army order has put an end to the compulsory military mustache, making the wearing of facial foliage above the upper lip optional. Needless to say, following this decree many a soldier who has been wearing a misplaced eyebrow to be within the army law is heaving a sigh of relief.

Rigid as was the order to grow a mustache, it still left to the taste and fancy of the wearer great latitude of choice as to the shape and style of mustache. A thousand varieties were grown, the two extremes being the soup-straining and moth-eaten kind.

Young men of artistic tastes were led to cubist and futurist experiments that often failed and eventually became Chaplinistic in appearance. When a mustache did not lie down at command it was pinched severely, being shaved off at the ends. Two single quotation marks of hair have often served as a mustache, bringing a question to the minds of army officers as to what could be done to stop the ferocious custom. Along came the new order, and the problem was solved.

(Special Despatch).
PARIS, Saturday.—"Skyscrapers" are doomed in Paris. Mr. Paul Escudier, Deputy, has issued warning that those builders who violate the dead letter law recently enacted will be dealt with severely. It is proposed by the Deputy that the Council of the Prefecture of the Seine be given full power to stop the construction of any building going above the regulation height. The law is disappointing, in some respects, as many of the residents had hoped for a city that would resemble, in a measure, New York, with its towering structures that seem to pierce the sky.

(Special Despatch).
LONDON, Saturday.

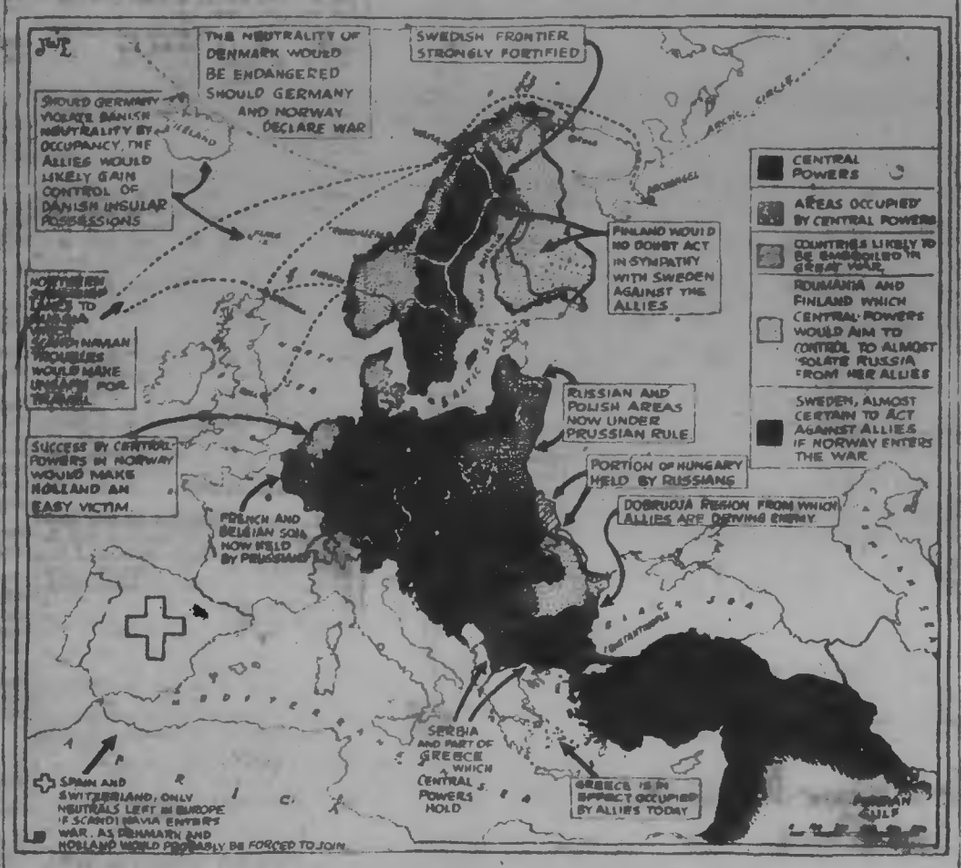
The fear of Zeppelins throughout England is felt not alone by humans, but by animals. So many cows, horses and sheep have been killed by bombs dropped from German airships that the survivors of these slaughters in the pastures will never forget the shock they suffered.

Cows have been affected to a greater extent than any of the other animals. Some farmers declare that the cows are giving poor milk, due to the Zeppelin fright. Three dairymen who were summoned to court for selling milk not up to the standard blamed the nervous condition of their cows. The cases were dismissed.

(Special Despatch).
LONDON, Saturday.—There have been all sorts of tricks resorted to by those who have been anxious to avoid military service, but the height was reached in a police court when two sturdy citizens were charged with falsely representing themselves as persons to whom military exemptions had been granted.

The prisoners pleaded guilty and admitted that they had obtained an unfortunate suffering from locomotor ataxia to represent them before the Medical Board. An effort was made to locate the subject who had offered his services for a paltry sum, but without avail. The two offenders were sentenced to six months at hard labor.

PRUSSIANS SEEK A SCANDINAVIAN BREAK, AIMING A BLOW AT RUSSIA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Rupture with Norway, It Is Believed by Military Observers, Is Sought—Position of Denmark and Sweden Involved—Situation Comparable to That in the Balkans, with Bulgaria and the Present Campaign.

The danger of a rupture between Germany and Norway in consequence of their present submarine crisis has been occasioned, military observers declare, by a determination on the part of the Prussians to block up the principal lines of communication between Russia and the Western World, and in the anticipation that Norway might be occupied after the fashion of Serbia they could force a crescent-shaped barrier against the Allies in the west extending from the Arctic Circle to the Persian Gulf.

Any hostile move between Norway and Germany is bound to bring Sweden, it is believed, into the fray. The Swedes, from the beginning of the war, have been and are now pronouncedly, it is declared, pro-German. The Swedish military system is closely patterned after the German idea, and in thought and business interests the Swedes, it is said, are closely identified with the Germans. It is for these reasons that the German general staff is understood to have every confidence that in the event of a Scandinavian crisis resulting in war the Swedes will be found occupying a similar place in the Scandinavian peninsula to that occupied by the Bulgarians in the Balkans.

With Sweden on the side of Germany the fate of Norway, it is declared, would be sealed. Prussian troops easily could be transported across Finland and Trelleborg over the ferry service that is now maintained, and with Sweden a belligerent country the passage of the Sound would be blocked. This latter contingency would necessitate use of the Great Belt or Little Belt in making a passage between the Kattegat and the Baltic, but since both the Great Belt and the Little Belt are wholly within Danish territory any use of those passages by hostile craft would be a violation of Danish neutrality. The thing could not be done, military men say, any more than could Germany send torpedo boats down the Rhine to the North Sea by way of Holland without violating Holland's neutrality.

Any acquiescence on the part of Denmark would mean in all probability the instant invasion of Danish territory by the Prussians and the extension of Schleswig-Holstein to the Skagens Horn and the absorption of Fünen, Seeland and Laaland. With Denmark in Prussian hands Sweden could be reached by traversing the one and one-third miles between Helsingor and Helsingborg or by following the Copenhagen-Malmo route. This last route is fed by the Rostock ferry line and by the railroad leading up from Prussia through Schleswig-Holstein and across Fünen.

Communication between the Allies in the west and the Russians in the east is either by the Scandinavian route or via Archangel on the north of Vladivostock on the east. Direct access to either Archangel or Vladivostock involves long journeys, and, as in the case of Archangel, there are only five months in the year when ships may enter the White Sea.

It is shown by military observers that the Russians are even now maintaining a full army corps in Finland for the purpose of keeping the Finns quiet. During the present war the Finns have not been compelled to enter the Russian service.

The Swedes for many years have maintained strong defensive positions in the north along the Swedish-Russian frontier, and any attempt on the part of Russian forces to cross would be met by the full resistance of the Swedes.

According to Prussian ideas, Sweden in the event of the Central Powers moving would be the dominant Power in Scandinavia, similar to the contemplated position held out to Bulgaria with relation to the Balkans.

Aside from breaking up the Russian communications with the west, the Prussian idea, it is said, is to confront the Allies, and especially the British, with added difficulties in the shape of a greatly extended coast line to blockade. On the other hand, destroyers and submarine craft of the Prussians, by utilizing the inland waterways of Norway, could, it is declared, practically nullify the Archangel carrying trade.

ROYAL BODYGUARD OF ROUMANIA DRAWN UP IN FRONT OF THE CHALET

The royal bodyguard of Roumania is here seen drawn up in front of the long portico of the royal shooting box. The bodyguard wears a glittering helmet with tall plume. The letters "R. E." figure on the shoulder straps of the tunic.

The Kaiser on the Somme Cheers Wounded Soldiers

Correspondent of Berliner Tageblatt Writes of Tonic Effect Emperor Has on Men in the Hospitals—Says the Ruler Is Looking Remarkably Well and Good Humored.

(Special Despatch).
BERLIN, Saturday.

A graphic description of the Kaiser's recent trip to the Somme is given in an article which Georg Queri, correspondent of the Berliner Tageblatt, contributes to that paper.

"The rain is coming down heavily," writes Herr Queri. "However, there is one consolation—no hostile aeroplanes will be harassing us during the day, as they will be obliged to remain in their hangars. Also, there will be no bombardment of the streets of Bapaume, where the Kaiser desires to make an inspection of the ruins from the recent British fire.

"Everything has been arranged for this day by the officers in clocklike order. The Kaiser will require about seven hours' time for his inspection, with a few hours' leisurely talk with the generals in command.

"The whole town is astir. Even the Frenchman and his wife and his children are looking forward to the Kaiser's coming with some degree of joyful anticipation. Despite the heavy rain the streets are crowded. At the railway station only officers are permitted to congregate. Upon my arrival I find Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria and his staff already there. The train pulls into the station exactly on the minute. It has a new imperial engine driver, the Kaiser's own personal engine driver having been recently killed by a bomb thrown down on the train by a hostile airman.

"The Kaiser steps down from the platform of his private car looking remarkably well. He is in very good humor, and his greeting of the Crown Prince of Bavaria is most cordial. All enter waiting automobiles and are driven to the military hospital.

"As the Kaiser enters the main room he sees to the left of him a young soldier who is seriously wounded. His face has the pallor of death upon it and he lies like one lifeless, but when the Kaiser approaches his cot the wounded man shows his remarkable vitality by rising slightly and grasping the Emperor's extended hand. He answers the Kaiser's questions in a quick and firm voice and appears like a new man. The Kaiser walks on, stopping at the cots of all the wounded men. Some have been shot through the lungs, others have bayonet wounds in the stomach and the back, and all have suffered intensely. The Kaiser's presence acts like a marvellous tonic upon them all. The Kaiser laughs and jokes with them, and one soldier, a giant of a Bavarian, describes the battle in which he was wounded. The Kaiser listened intently to his story and remarked:—

"'Yes, when it comes to war, you Bavarians know your business.'

"After the Kaiser left the hospital he was driven toward Cambrai, where several regiments of men just from the trenches stood at attention. The military band played the Kaiser hymn, and, despite the inclement weather and foreboding skies, the whole made a thrilling picture.

"The Kaiser walked slowly toward a little stand and with uncovered head addressed the soldiers.

"'Comrades:—Following the dictates of my heart, I hastened from the east front to you. I bring you the greetings of your comrades there and the thanks of the Fatherland for your bitter and brave three months' struggle on the Somme, in which you have repeatedly defeated the enemy. The history of the world has no record of any battle that can be compared with this, nor has it any record of bravery equal to yours. For centuries to come the story of this battle on the Somme will stand as a glorious picture of the will to fight to victory by a whole nation. In you this indomitable will of the German people has its practical demonstration, a will that is invincible in the face of everything, a will that will throw back the French and British hordes no matter what happens. From all sections of Germany you have come to battle here, and you constitute a stone wall that will stand till the last breath. Germany is surrounded by enemies and is fighting half the world. And even if the struggle should become more bitter, and should last much longer, the God of all is with you. He has given you the needed strength and will to fight on. Your faith in God shows that you are fighting a worthy cause. I greet you, comrades. Do not falter. God will continue to be with you and give His blessing until the end.'

"After breakfast with Crown Prince Rupprecht the Kaiser made a tour of the trenches and spoke with the men individually, inspiring them with courage. The rain came down in torrents, but the Kaiser tramped through the mud and slush as if he enjoyed the experience. He was delighted when he saw the workings of a battery manned by handsome specimens of young manhood—tall giants of remarkable strength and agility. When he saw the earnestness, the calm and brave demeanor of the men under heavy fire he was overcome with emotion. He could not find words to express his inmost feelings. Only the soft expression in his eyes showed what was going on in his mind. Slowly and quietly he stepped into his automobile and was driven back to the railway station."

Raphael, England's Astrologer, Saw Death of Emperor Francis Joseph

(Special Despatch).
LONDON, Saturday.

England's well known astrologer, Raphael, whose predictions are always awaited with interest, has just issued his almanac for 1917, in which he predicts the end of the war in 1917. He says that the President of the United States will be in danger during the winter, as well as some notable citizens of the States. He predicts a serious naval disaster in the United States during the summer and the inauguration of a religious crusade against places of amusement.

In regard to the war, it is significant that astrologers in the United States have also predicted the end of the war in 1917, the majority of them fixing the date about July 27. Raphael says that in the fall and winter of the present year (1916) there is an ominous direction of Mars and Saturn, which portends the defeat of Germany, the overthrow of kingly power and the establishment of a German republic. 1917 will see the end of the war and the Kaiser, too.

Raphael also sees trouble in Great Britain after the war, and adds:—

"Our King's troubles will not end with the war, for his sun is leaving the place of Mars at birth, which threatens renewed troubles, serious disturbances in the land, strikes and bloodshed. The economic war will be coming on, the battle between capital and labor, or master and man. It will be a most anxious, harassing time, which will continue for some years. Troubles threaten His Majesty on every side."

Raphael also sees trouble for the Russian empire—sinister and seditious influences within the empire—and these will be augmented with the end of the war.

He predicts that the Archduke Charles Francis Joseph will occupy the throne of Austria before many months have passed.

In the horoscope of President Wilson Raphael sees trouble brewing also.

"President Wilson is a clever man," he says, "but trouble awaits him. His Jupiter is in Aries near our King's ascendant, which is decidedly favorable, and he cherishes no ill will against this country, but we must not overlook the fact that his Mars by progressive motion comes over our King's ascendant. There are strong indications that the President will make an effort to secure peace on a footing favorable Germany. We must watch, and give him to understand that we want no outside advice when the day of reckoning comes. It must be no 'give and take' but a clean, decisive job."

COUNTESS OF CARLISLE THROWS AWAY WINE

(Special Despatch)
LONDON, Saturday.

Quite a storm of excitement has been raised on the Castle Howard estates of the Carlisle family by the extraordinary action of Rosalind, Countess of Carlisle, in ordering the whole of the contents of the wine cellars of Castle Howard to be thrown away.

As is well known, the Countess holds strong temperance views, and has been president of the British Women's Temperance Association. During her sojourn at Castle Howard in the lifetime of the late Earl of Carlisle the wine cellars were said to have been walled up.

Last week the wine cellars were opened. A hole was dug in the grounds of the castle and the whole stock of wine, numbering, it is stated, more than one thousand bottles, was emptied therein. Naturally the waste of so much wine has created a sensation among the tenantry, some of whom saw the emptying of the wine.

Rosalind Countess of Carlisle, would not allow a tenant of hers to hold a license. There is a public house on the estate, but it is freehold property, and thus outside her control. She is the grandmother of the present Earl of Carlisle, who is an officer on board the New Zealand. The Earl is unmarried.

Many years ago the father of the late Sir Wilfred Lawson, M. P.—described by Sir Wilfred as "the wickedest old radical ever allowed to get loose"—did a similar thing. On the death of his father he had the family wine cellar at Brayton, near Carlisle, cleared out and all the "whiskey and its kin" poured into a pond.

(Special Despatch).
LONDON, Saturday.

How a corporal of the Eastern Ontario battalion successfully fought off twenty-two German soldiers who tried to recapture a trench is told in the following Canadian communique:—

"The battalion had successfully captured a line of German trenches when a party of the enemy, consisting of two officers and twenty men, began a counter attack. The corporal advanced alone against the whole party, emptied his revolver, picked up first one and then another German rifle, each of which he emptied, accounting for the two officers and sixteen of the men.

"While he was shooting one of the officers attacked him with a bayonet and pierced him in the leg below the knee, but the corporal shot him dead. The rest of the enemy attempted to escape. The corporal shot four of them and made the fifth a prisoner. Although wounded in two places he remained in the trenches until his battalion was relieved.

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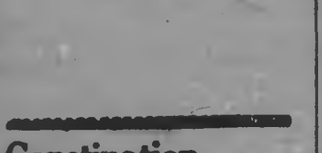

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OUR DAILY SHORT STORY

A Double Elopement

It Ended Differently From What Might Have Been Expected

By F. A. MITCHEL

Walter Jones was standing on the deck of a steamer about to sail for Hongkong intently watching the gangplank. Belated voyagers were elbowing their way up the narrow passage against those who were going ashore in obedience to the call to do so. Jones was watching for Evelyn Smithson. They were lovers. The girl's parents objected to their union on the ground that she was too young to marry. Walter had been offered a position in a branch of the mercantile house he was with in Hongkong. He and Evelyn had agreed to go there together without their parents' knowledge or consent, be married on the steamer and after crossing the Pacific take up their residence in the orient.

The last passenger had hurried down the gangplank, and men were lining up on each side to pull it on to the dock. Jones made a dash to get ashore, but was stopped by a stewardess, who said to him:

"Are you the gentleman who was to meet a lady on the ship?"

"Yes. Where is she?"

The woman led the way to a stateroom, where he found a girl in a high state of excitement, but she was not Evelyn Smithson. The two stood looking at each other for a moment in a paralyzed condition.

"This is not my husband," said the girl to the stewardess.

"Nor my betrothed."

There was a brief explanation. There were two runaway matches, and only half of each couple seemed to have got aboard.

Jones ran up the companionway and found the ship out in open water. To get ashore would require a boat. He spent some time trying to get one, but the officers were so busy that they paid no attention to him. This gave him time to think. After all, wouldn't it be as well for him to make a virtue of necessity and go to China? Perhaps Evelyn had backed out at the last moment. Perhaps her intended flight had been discovered. In any event, the elopement had miscarried, and she would doubtless be prevented from seeing him or communicating with him. Better let the matter rest for a year or two. So he decided upon doing what he could not very well help doing.

The first thing he did after coming to this decision was to go down into the cabin to make inquiries whether the party of the first part in the other elopement had found her husband. She was in a state of terrible distress. He was to have come aboard secretly as she had done—she had been relied—and they were to meet the moment the ship left her moorings. It was now well out in the bay, and he had not appeared.

Here were two disappointed persons suffering from a like cause. Naturally the young bride, having no one else to sympathize with her, turned to Jones. She poured her story into his ears, and he listened to it as a fellow sufferer.

Mrs. Stanley was twenty years old. She had no fortune, but the man she had married an hour before the ship sailed was rich. His parents were opposed to his marrying a poor girl and had forbidden the match. They had decided to be married clandestinely and make a voyage to the Hawaiian Islands. By the time they returned the groom's parents would likely have decided to forgive him. The bride's parents were delighted with the match, and from them no forgiveness was required. Mr. Stanley, Sr., must have got on his son's track in time to prevent his sailing with his bride if not in time to prevent the wedding.

Mrs. Stanley's case was infinitely harder to bear than Jones'. He had not been married; he was going to China to assume a lucrative position and might be reunited in time with the girl of his choice. Mrs. Stanley was a bride separated from her husband immediately after her marriage, obliged to go to an island in the middle of the Pacific ocean where she had not a friend or acquaintance. She had very little money with her, her husband being expected to provide the necessary funds.

There are numerous crossroads in the domain of fate. Sometimes at these crossings there are collisions; sometimes parties expected to meet on one of them fail to connect. In any event, the changes that occur at such points are at times remarkable. The case of these two couples who aimed to sail by the same steamer was one of the most productive of results on record.

Jones and Mrs. Stanley were unexpectedly bound together, the man on the eve of a union with another woman, the woman very shortly after having taken another man as her wedded husband. If ever there was anything to produce sympathetic relations between two persons it was this similar misfortune. Mrs. Stanley was a very attractive woman. Jones was an excellent man, well educated, refined and possessed the faculty of leadership. He was going to China to carry out important plans of the firm with which he was connected. He was just the kind of man a woman distressingly situated would lean on for advice, aid and comfort.

Jones at once offered to supply Mrs. Stanley with all the funds she needed. This was no surprise or risk for him, for the lady told him that the moment she reached Honolulu she would cable back to America for money. But it put her under an obligation to Jones, and she was naturally grateful. The voyage to Honolulu is a long one, and the two, being without other friends or acquaintances on the vessel, spent much time together.

After the first shock at their unfortunate situation was over they subsided into encomiums upon their respective partners. Jones tired of this first and was glad when his companion gave over expatiating upon her husband's noble qualities. It soon seemed like a widow extolling the virtues of her first husband to her second.

The voyage was favored with pleasant weather, and the two, having nothing to do but idle away their time on deck in comfortable steamer chairs, were not long in becoming reconciled to the situation. Then came moments when they felt a shock in realizing that the frightful separation they were enduring was losing its frightfulness. One day when the water was rough and Mrs. Stanley was kept in her room by seasickness Jones walked the deck disconsolate, thinking of her instead of his Evelyn. On another occasion, when Mrs. Stanley, after seeing Jones strolling along the side when the ship was lurching, heard the cry of "Man overboard!" she paled, fearing that it might be Jones.

When the vessel reached Honolulu Jones decided that it would be neglect of a defenseless woman to leave his companion without seeing her comfortably started on her return journey. Since his ship spent but half a day there, to do this he must remain over and take another passage to Hongkong. In any event, Mrs. Stanley determined to wait the arrival of the next steamer from America, which would doubtless bring her advices from her husband and her family. In such a complicated case nothing could be decided upon cablegrams.

When the next mail from San Francisco came in it brought two letters for Mrs. Stanley—the one from her husband, the other from her parents, who had become aware of the contretemps. The latter inclosed a draft for funds and advised her immediate return, which was indeed what was to have been expected. The former letter contained a great shock for the bride.

Joseph Stanley wrote his newly made wife that his father, having suspected something was in the wind, had employed a detective to shadow him. Stanley had avoided the detective so far as to be married, but the detective had caught him just as he was about to enter the dockhouse to board the steamer. This was by way of explanation. The letter went on to say that, being taken to his father, he had been told that unless he consented to an annulment of his marriage the fortune that would be his—a million dollars—would be left to a cousin, Robert Stanley, whom Joseph hated.

Since he had not been brought up to earn his living, a due regard for his bride as well as himself compelled him to submit. His father had held a will he had made in his hands, ready to destroy it, waiting for his son's decision. When it was given he was required to sign an application to the courts for an annulment of his marriage.

Jones received a similar shock in a cablegram intended to intercept his voyage from Evelyn Smithson asking him to await advices at Honolulu. When the advices came they revealed a greater weakness on the part of Evelyn than Joseph Stanley had shown. The morning that Evelyn was to have sailed with Jones her mother, seeing that she was agitated, pressed her to tell her what was on her mind. Evelyn weakened and confessed what she was about to do.

Of course the confession was tantamount to a backdown. Mrs. Smithson, anxious to be rid of a man whom she did not wish her daughter to marry—at least not then—refused to send word to the steamer that Evelyn would not sail.

Jones and Mrs. Stanley having received their letters by the same steamer read them in the latter's private parlor at the hotel where she stopped. Jones finished reading his letter first and waited for his companion to do the same. When she did she handed her letter to him. He read it and looked up at her. Seeing something encouraging in her eye he went to her and—kissed another man's wife.

Now, had Mrs. Stanley not been a married woman Jones might have married her and the two could have continued this double intended wedding journey condensed into a single one. But Mrs. Stanley was tied to another man, and there was nothing for it but to return to America and procure an annulment of her marriage before they could be united.

Making a virtue of necessity, they made the long voyage from Honolulu to New York, contenting themselves with spooning on deck. But on reaching home they found that Stanley had taken time by the forelock, and it was no great interval between their arrival and their marriage.

When the law permitted the union of Jones and Mrs. Stanley they considered the matter of a wedding journey. But having had a courtship journey they concluded that they did not need anything more in that line. The tent had been taken off, and both agreed that they would prefer to go from the church to their own home. This they did, and both declared it preferable to the wedding journeys they had intended under different conditions.

To complete the housewarment narrated in this story Stanley should have married Evelyn Smithson.

Fish, if kept over night should be placed where the moon will not shine on them. The effect is as disastrous as the hot sunshine.

The more you know about coffee—and the more particular you are about aroma and flavour—the more you will appreciate "SEAL BRAND" COFFEE. Once you have tried it, your choice will always be Chase & Sanborn's "SEAL BRAND" COFFEE.

In ½, 1 and 2 pound tins. Whole—ground—pulverized—also fine ground for Percolators. Never sold in bulk. 184

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GIRLS IN SCHOOL OR AT BUSINESS

who are delicately constituted, who have thin blood or pale cheeks, will find in

SCOTT'S EMULSION

a true tonic and a rich food to overcome tiredness, nourish their nerves and feed their blood. Start with SCOTT'S to-day—and say "NO" to substitutes.

Scott & Bowne, Toronto, Ont. 15-20

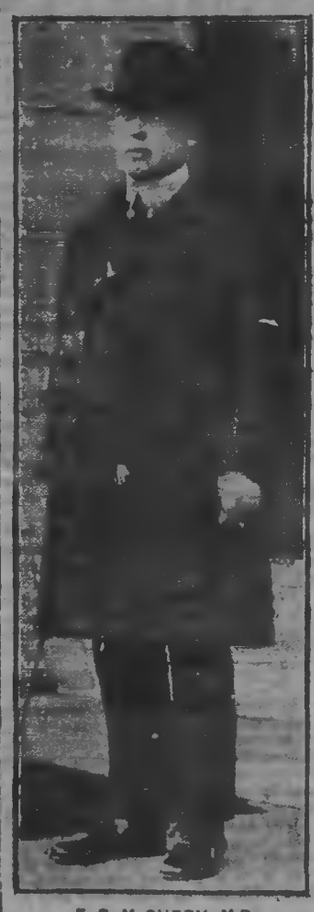
GERMANY IN GREECE

Plans of the Suez Canal in a German's Portmanteau

The Athens Patrie makes some sensational revelations concerning the contents of a portmanteau seized from a German officer at the German Legation at Larissa by secret police. Among the documents was a letter from the Athens Naval Attaché to the Minister of Marine in Berlin, which contained a detailed plan of the fortifications of the Suez Canal. Another envelope contained letters from King Constantine and the Queen to the Kaiser, and a communication from F. Theotopis to his brother, the Greek Minister in Berlin, making violent accusations against and offering gross insults to the allies.

Jack Cornwell's Father

Private E. Cornwell, of the Royal Defence Corps, father of Jack Cornwell, the boy hero of the battle of Jutland, died from bronchial catarrh after a short illness. He was an old soldier, who had been many years in the service and possessed the Egyptian medal and also the Khedive's medal and star. He was 68 years of age when he re-enlisted in April, 1915.



F. B. McCURDY, M.P.

The creation of the post of Parliamentary Under-secretary for the Militia Department, after the British manner, was followed by the selection of this eastern member of the Canadian Commons as first lieutenant. He has done other important war work.

Severe Headaches And Pains in the Back

Resulted From Deranged Kidneys and Constipation of the Bowels

It is in vain to try to regulate and restore the healthful action of the kidneys until the liver and bowels are set right.

And just here is where so many kidney medicines fail. Kidney derangements almost invariably begin with constipation and torpidity of the liver. The whole work of filtering the blood is thrown on the kidneys, and in time they fail to stand the strain. The poison in the system gives rise to severe headaches, pains in the back and tired, depressed feelings.

Because they act directly on the liver and bowels, as well as on the kidneys, Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are eminently successful in the treatment of kidney derangements.

Mr. William Loney, Marysville, N. B., writes:—"I am glad to recommend Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills to anybody who is suffering from kidney trouble or constipation. I suffered for a long time from kidney disease and pains in the back, but have found that by using one pill a week the kidneys and bowels are kept in good order, and I do not have any more pains in the back or head like I used to have. I was also a great sufferer from piles, and could get no relief until I used Dr. Chase's Ointment. This ailment is entirely cured now, and we always keep both the pills and the ointment in the house for use when they are needed."

This statement is endorsed by Mr. F. Saunders, Town Marshal, who writes that Mr. Loney's letter is true and correct.

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one pill a dose, 25 cents a box, all dealers or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

Remember that imitations only disappoint. The genuine bear the portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M.D., the famous Receipt oBok author.

GIRL FARM WORKERS

Doubting Farmer Was Converted by London Experiments

Four London girls, training in milking and general work on a farm where London's long arm reaches northwards, have converted the farmer—erstwhile doubtful—to the opinion that they are really useful. The Middlesex War Agricultural Committee, of which Lady Margaret Boscawen is honorary secretary, persuaded the farmer to allow the girls to train.

"Mr. Sherran," the farmer," said Lady Margaret, "has given the girls the use of a large cottage, with coal and light and vegetables, and has handed over 16 cows to them. The Cornwall County Council have loaned us one of their best instructresses, Miss Treges, for six months. We consider that with our four London girls we have made a splendid start, for, besides having surprised the farmer, the girls like the work and the cows like the girls."

The youngest is a rosy-faced girl of nearly sixteen from a high school, another is from the stationery department at Whiteley's, the third was an under-housemaid, and the fourth came from the middle class. Their day's programme is: 5.30—Get up and bring the cows in from the fields; 6 to 8—Milk the cows and clean the sheds; 8 to 10—Breakfast and housework; 10 to Dinner-time—Work on farm, unloading oilcake, carting manure, and spreading dressing; 1.30 to 3—Cleaning dairies, churns, and buckets (the farmer has 80 cows); 3 to 6—Bringing in cows and milking them until 8, clean up and finish.

PRAYER STOPPED SHELLS

French-Canadian Soldier Had a Hard Experience

Fred Lafrance, an Ottawa French-Canadian lad and one of six brothers who enlisted, had to write to his widowed mother of the death of her favorite son. Now, at Courcelette, Fred's letter to his mother is an intensely interesting on. It was dated from an English hospital. In part he said:

"I am AWAY from France and across in England in hospital. I am not feeling very well to-night, but I am glad to be away from the battlefield. I tell you, mother, we had a pretty hard time and rough fighting. We made attacks on the Germans three times. The first time we went over the parapet we had to take a big village, Courcelette. We had some fierce fighting to do to take it, but we took it all right and came back with 300 men left out of our battalion. We took 900 German prisoners. They certainly put their hands up and got down on their knees crying, 'Don't shoot, Kamerad.'

"When the battalion was relieved at 2 o'clock in the morning, I was lying in a shell hole and could not get out until five hours after the battalion was sent back. I was sick and the high explosives and shells were bursting all around me, millions of them. I tell you I thought I was going to be killed, but I took courage on myself and I was praying to God to protect me, so then the Germans stopped shelling with their big guns. Then I got down a slow as I could and dragged myself in the mud for about 400 yards. Reaching the trenches, I found a little holde to get in and I took a rest for an hour. Then I had to go about ten miles, all under shell fire, before I got back to the battalion."

To prepare horseradish quickly put through the meat chopper.

A WORD OF GRATITUDE.

"In justice to humanity I want to tell you that I was a great sufferer from itching piles, and have found Dr. Chase's Ointment the best treatment obtainable," writes Mr. Fred Hinz, Brodhagen, Ont. "It gave instant relief and I can recommend it to any sufferer from this dreadful disease."

LUMBER

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Taste!

You will heartily enjoy the taste and aroma of Cowan's Perfection Cocoa — and further, it is the most wholesome nourishing Canadian beverage.

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WILSON PEACE NOTE PLACES ENTENTE ON GERMAN LEVEL

1 (Continued from Page 1.)

One way will be as acceptable to him as another, if only the great object he has in mind be attained.

HUN SOLICITUDE FOR WEAK ONES!

"He takes the liberty of calling attention to the fact that the objects which the statesmen of the belligerents on both sides have in mind in this war are virtually the same, as stated in general terms to their own peoples and to the world. Each side desires to make the rights and privileges of weak peoples, and small states as secure against aggression or denial in the future as the rights and privileges of weak peoples and small States now at war. Each wishes itself to be made secure in the future, along with all other nations and peoples, against the recurrence of wars like this and against aggression or selfish interference of any kind.

"Each would be jealous of the formation of any more rival leagues to preserve an uncertain balance of power amidst multiplying suspicions; but each is ready to consider the formation of a league of nations to ensure peace and justice throughout the world. Before that final step can be taken, however, each deems it necessary first to settle the issues of the present war upon terms which will certainly safeguard the independence, the territorial integrity, and the political and commercial freedom of the nations involved.

UNITED STATES INTEREST IN WEAK NATIONS.

"In the measures to be taken to secure the future peace of the world, the people and Government of the United States are as vitally and as directly interested as the Governments now at war. Their interests, moreover, in the means to be adopted to relieve the smaller and weaker peoples of the world of the peril of wrong and violence is as quick and ardent as that of any other people or Government. They stand ready, and even eager, to co-operate in the accomplishment of these ends, when the war is over, with every influence and resources at their command.

"But the war must first be concluded. The terms upon which it is to be concluded they are not at liberty to suggest; but the President does feel that it is his right and his duty to point out their intimate interest in its conclusion, lest it should presently be too late to accomplish the greater things which lie beyond its conclusion, lest the situation of neutral nations, now exceedingly hard to endure, be rendered altogether intolerable, and lest, more than all, an injury be done civilization itself which can never be atoned for or repaired.

PROPOSES COMPARISON OF VIEWS.

"The President, therefore, feels altogether justified in suggesting an immediate opportunity for a comparison of views as to the terms which must precede those ultimate arrangements for the peace of the world which all desire and in which the neutral nations as well as those at war are ready to play their full responsible part. If the contest must continue to proceed towards undefined ends by slow attrition, until the one group of belligerents or the other is exhausted, if million after million of human lives must continue to be offered up until on the one side or the other there are no more to offer, if resentments must be kindled that can never cool and despairs engendered from which there can be no recovery, hopes of peace and of the willing concert of free peoples will be rendered vain and idle.

WHY WAS WAR STARTED?

"The life of the entire world has been profoundly affected. Every part of the great family of mankind has felt the burden and terror of this unprecedented contest of arms. No nation in the civilized world can be said in truth to stand outside its influence or to be safe against is disturbing effects. And yet the concrete objects for which it is being waged have never been definitely stated.

"The leaders of the several belligerents have, as has been said, stated those objects in general terms. But stated in general terms, they seem the same on both sides. Never yet have the authoritative spokesmen of either side avowed the precise objects which would, if attained, satisfy them and their people that the war had been fought out. The world has been left to conjecture what definitive results, what actual exchange of guarantees, what political or territorial changes or readjustments, what stage of military success, even, would bring the war to an end.

DOESN'T OFFER MEDIATION.

"It may be that peace is nearer than we know; that the terms which the belligerents on the one side and on the other would deem it necessary to insist upon are not so irreconcilable as some have feared; that an interchange of view would clear the way at least for conference and make the permanent concord of the nations a hope of the immediate future, a concert of nations immediately practicable.

"The President is not proposing peace; he is not even offering mediation. He is merely proposing that soundings be taken in order that we may learn, the neutral nations with the belligerent, how near the haven of peace may be for which all mankind longs with an intense and increasing longing. He believes that the spirit in which he speaks and the objects which he seeks will be understood by all concerned, and he confidently hopes for a response which will bring a new light into the affairs of the world."

NOTHING LIKE IT FOR COLDS

Mrs. Holland Ferguson, Sheffield, N. B., writes: "Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine has cured my children and myself of severe colds. We are never without it in the house. There is nothing like it for colds and throat troubles and it is so soothing and pleasant to take, my children would drink a whole bottle if they were permitted."

It is what might be termed a "mad trick" to put clothes round the fire to dry and then go to bed and leave them. A spark may easily fly out of the fire and set them alight.

Good deeds speak for themselves, but we do not always hear them.

CHARMING

CHRISTMAS GIFTS

What can be more appropriate for a Christmas present than a manicure or toilet set? Your friends will surely appreciate such a gift.

There are twelve pieces, ivory or ebony, in each set, and the boxes which go with them are works of art in themselves.

If you are looking for military and clothing brushes here is the place to find them.

To be up to date this necessary to use a fountain pen. Look at our stock of "Swans" before you make a choice for Christmas.

Great variety of appropriate gifts for every member of the family.

A dainty Bottle or Box of Rouge, Face Powder or Toilet Water makes a very acceptable gift.

It would be difficult to find a more practical, useful or acceptable gift for a man than a Shaving Set or a Razor.

Christmas Confections are appropriate and desirable gifts.

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Mayor Duffus' Message

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—I have been urged by many representative citizens to become a candidate for the office of Mayor of the City of Peterborough for the coming year, and hereby offer myself for re-election.

My record for the past year is before you, and I am willing to be judged by it as to my qualifications for serving the city's interests another term.

It is becoming that I should express my opinions of policy and the more pressing needs of the city.

CITY FINANCES

The finances of the city have been as carefully safe-guarded during the past year, as was possible under the circumstances. The policy of the new Council must continue to be one of strict retrenchment, and that no large expenditures be undertaken. We met with unforseen and difficult propositions, particularly due to the cancellation of taxes for licenses, together with the withdrawal of certain taxes hitherto forming part of the city's annual assets, as well as unusual heavy expenditures incurred through litigation. It will be found, however, that the city is to be congratulated upon the manner in which its finances have been handled this year, credit for this is due to the care and diligence of the chairman and members of the Finance Committee, and it is a matter of pride to the whole Council that every department has co-operated in the laudable desire of cutting down every possible expense. The details of the financial situation will be issued by the City Treasurer in a few days, and I am assured that when the figures of the year are completed, there will be a balance on the right side.

BOARD OF WORKS DEPARTMENT

During the present exceptional year, it was the policy of the Board of Works to do only such work as was essentially important and urgently necessary to keep faith with ratepayers and prevent undesirable deterioration and disrepair of roads and streets.

The same applies to surface drainage, which will have to be taken up systematically and in a comparatively elaborate manner. But having regard to financial and labour conditions, this is work that as far as at all possible and prudent, should be deferred till after the war. However, a more rigid inspection for the prevention of floods, particularly in spring, will have to be carried out.

Likewise, the matter of permanent pavements seems to be out of the question for the present.

In regard to sewers, I contend that on streets where they may be petitioned for by ratepayers, in the regular way, and where they are required, as on Romaine, Prince and Princess streets, in the south, and other equally needed streets in other sections, they should be built, since they are very largely paid for by the property owners by a frontage tax.

There are some stretches of sidewalk which will have to be built, but as sidewalks add to the debenture debt, only such as are urgently required should be constructed at present.

The foot-bridge to East City, to be attached to the C.P.R. bridge over the river, will be completed the coming year, and will meet a want long felt by the residents of the Southern and Eastern portions of the city, particularly those who live on one side of the river and work on the other.

The oiling of the streets to keep down dust is no longer an experiment. It is effective not only in exterminating the dust nuisance, but an important factor in preserving the street surfaces in good condition, and additional streets will have to be added to the oiled area.

FIRE PROTECTION.

In regard to the Fire Department, a subject that is properly engaging a good deal of public attention, I may say that I am convinced that it is not adequately equipped in every respect for a city of the size and importance of Peterborough. It is evident that the day of horse-drawn apparatus, and the matter of one or more pieces of motor-driven fire-fighting equipment, must be practically considered, more particularly on account of the present horses being unfit for much further useful service.

We have many valuable factories and buildings the loss of any one of which would be a serious one for the city. They are entitled to the most adequate protection from fire the city can provide. The distance of some of these is so great that good service in the matter of fire-fighting cannot be given with our comparatively slow-moving apparatus and equipment.

For the mercantile section of the city, I would favour an inspection even more rigid than the present, of back yards, lanes, alleys, hallways and basements, with a view of securing more prompt and thorough response to the demand to lessen the accumulation of dangerous, combustible material.

With such indicated improvement provided and with the new force main and auxiliary steam pumping unit, installed and completed in 1916 by the Utilities Commission, would provide reasonably complete facilities for dealing with fires, and for better protection to life and property.

HUNTER STREET BRIDGE.

Great as seemed to be the need of a new bridge last year, the need seems to be still growing; the present bridge may be safe enough but its traffic capacity is inadequate to the requirements and demands of the residential and business interests of East City. I am yet strongly of the opinion that one of the first large undertakings to receive attention is the construction of a new bridge, as soon as the financial circumstances of the city warrant.

Next year the city may have to take over the street railway in accordance with the understanding with the Hydro Commission; and then the extension of street car service across the river will inevitably involve the construction of a new bridge. These conditions may, unwilling as we are to face new expenditures, justify practical consideration of the problem.

WATER FOR NORTH SECTION.

The question of city water for fire protection and domestic use in the northern parts of East City, is one I have long been interested in, and one of the requirements spoken of in my message of last year. While this has not been completed a good beginning has been made, and had it not been for the large amount of work on the new force main for the western portion of the city, would have been carried out. Now, however, that a start has been made, no doubt the work will be completed the first thing in the Spring. One hydrant has already been placed and as soon as the Utilities Commission can get to work there will be no cause of complaint.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

It gives me pleasure to congratulate the Board of Health on what it has accomplished during the past year, and, especially, the good services given by the present Health Officer, Dr. Amyot. Cases that have required prompt attention have not been neglected, and the conservation of the general health has received adequate attention. One of the new features in this connection has been the inspection of school children.

NIGHT SOIL COLLECTION.

A satisfactory solution of the collection of night soil is one matter which interests a large portion of the community. This matter was not satisfactorily handled during 1916, owing to certain recommendations and arrangements not working out satisfactorily. It must be taken up vigorously by the new Council and a plan worked out which will ensure satisfaction. I feel confident that the work could be handled efficiently for a sum equal to about twenty cents per month or less.

THE SEWAGE DISPOSAL PROBLEM

The completion of the sewage disposal plant will require the careful consideration of next year's council. During the present year much time has been spent endeavouring to settle the question of a suitable location. The Provincial Board of Health, through its chief engineer, recommended what they claim to be the suitable location, having regard to all the circumstances, and gave the City an order and sufficient authority to take possession. Those living in close proximity to the location offered certain objections and the Council has been taking precautionary steps to overcome the objections, so as not to antagonize any one, at the same time safe-guard the City's interests.

A number of meetings has been held and the sewage question discussed from every angle in order to arrive at a satisfactory solution, which I believe if carefully handled, will terminate satisfactorily and in the best interests of all concerned. If the whole proposition could be deferred for a year or two, looking at it from a financial standpoint, it would be in the interests of the city. However, the present system of depositing sewage in the river is objectionable to the adjoining townships and the Provincial Board of Health, who cannot reasonably allow these conditions to exist much longer.

NEW INDUSTRIES.

The question of securing new industries will need the most careful consideration of the new Council. From now on, this is a matter upon which considerable time and energy must be spent. More advertising of the advantages of the City and all the influences that can be brought to bear should be exercised for the purpose of the City getting its full share of new industries that are likely to locate in Canada, to manufacture goods which were formerly manufactured in United States and in European countries.

Mr. S. B. Armstrong, our Industrial Commissioner, has worked faithfully during the past number of years and a great deal of preliminary work and negotiations with different firms have been going on, which should be followed up, and no stone left unturned to secure as many industries, on as favourable conditions as we possibly can do.

During the past year I have faithfully tried to serve the interests of the city and the citizens, and respectfully submit that in view of my past services, and the fact that my experience of the past year will fit me for giving better service another year, and that, conjoined with my assurance that if given the opportunity, I shall devote my best ability and efforts to giving Peterborough faithful and honourable service, justify me in claiming your vote and support in the coming election.

In wishing the electors and the city a New Year of happiness and prosperity, I trust that you will give me the opportunity to co-operate with you and your city council in giving effect to this wish, as Mayor of the City of Peterborough.

Yours faithfully

JOS. J. DUFFUS
MAYOR

Office of the Mayor
Peterborough, Dec. 21st, 1916

Danish Legislators Approve of Sale

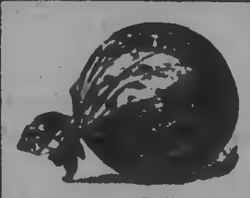
SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 22.—Both Houses of the Danish Parliament now approve the sale of the Danish West Indies to the United States.

A clothespin bag made of bed-ticking, or something stout, in the form of a pocket with a slit on the front side is much easier to get at than a common bag.

Pudding cloths should not be washed with soap, but placed in a pan of cold water with a little soda and allowed to boil for ten minutes. Rinse in cold water.

When a man pays his way in he seldom has to pay his way out.



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THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

Statement of the result of the business of the Bank for the year ending 30th November, 1916

Balance at credit of Profit and Loss Account brought forward from last year		$ 461,892 25
Net Profits for the year ending 30th November, after providing for all bad and doubtful debts		2,439,415 17
		$ 2,901,307 42
This has been appropriated as follows:		
Dividends Nos. 116, 117, 118 and 119 at ten per cent. per annum		$ 1,500,000 00
Bonus of one per cent. payable 1st June		150,000 00
do do do 1st December		150,000 00
War tax on bank-note circulation to 30th November		147,286 83
Transferred to Pension Fund (annual contribution)		80,000 00
Subscriptions:		
Canadian Patriotic Fund	$50,000 00	
British Red Cross Fund	5,000 00	
British Sailors' Relief Fund	5,000 00	
Sundry subscriptions, including Northern Ontario Fire Relief Fund and War Hospitals, etc.	11,700 00	
		71,700 00
Balance carried forward		802,319 09
		$ 2,901,307 42

GENERAL STATEMENT

30th NOVEMBER, 1916

LIABILITIES

TO THE PUBLIC		
Notes of the Bank in circulation		$ 19,299,347 68
Deposits not bearing interest	$ 62,484,072 27	
Deposits bearing interest, including interest accrued to date	167,312,079 88	
		229,896,152 15
Balances due to other Banks in Canada		141,317 12
Balances due to Banks and Banking Correspondents elsewhere than in Canada		5,021,842 49
Bills Payable		2,186,830 68
Acceptances under Letters of Credit		1,092,640 13
		$ 258,598,176 55
TO THE SHAREHOLDERS		
Dividends Unpaid		2,084 12
Dividend No. 119 and bonus, payable 1st December		525,000 00
Capital Paid up	$ 15,000,000 00	
Rest Account	13,500,000 00	
Balance of Profits as per Profit and Loss Account	802,319 09	
		29,302,319 09
		$ 288,427,579 76

ASSETS

Gold and Silver Coin Current	$ 20,973,529 83	
Dominion Notes	19,818,476 00	
Deposit with the Central Gold Reserves	6,500,000 00	
		$ 46,291,005 83
Notes of other Banks	$ 1,630,360 00	
Cheques on other Banks	9,668,098 74	
Balances due by other Banks in Canada	1,389 86	
Balances due by Banks and Banking Correspondents elsewhere than in Canada	7,201,798 13	
		18,501,646 70
Dominion and Provincial Government Securities, not exceeding market value		2,781,960 25
British, Foreign and Colonial Public Securities and Canadian Municipal Securities		17,283,911 96
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks, not exceeding market value		7,810,461 75
Call and Short Loans (not exceeding 30 days) in Canada on Bonds, Debentures and Stocks		14,725,133 07
Call and Short Loans (not exceeding 30 days) elsewhere than in Canada		21,141,335 85
Deposit with the Minister of Finance for the purposes of the Circulation Fund		806,964 47
		$ 129,341,420 42
Other Current Loans and Discounts in Canada (less rebate of interest)		133,718,131 21
Other Current Loans and Discounts elsewhere than in Canada (less rebate of interest)		16,504,418 24
Liabilities of Customers under Letters of Credit, as per contra		1,092,640 13
Overdue Debts (estimated loss provided for)		220,718 30
Real Estate other than Bank Premises (including the unsold balance of former premises of the Eastern Townships Bank)	$ 1,264,458 34	
Less mortgage assumed	100,000 00	
		1,164,458 34
Mortgages on Real Estate sold by the Bank		389,411 54
Bank Premises at cost, less amounts written off	5,139,457 26	
Less mortgage assumed on property purchased	300,000 00	
		4,839,457 26
Other Assets not included in the foregoing		126,904 34
		$ 288,427,579 76

B. E. WALKER, PRESIDENT — JOHN AIRD, GENERAL MANAGER

Report of the Auditors to the Shareholders of The Canadian Bank of Commerce

In accordance with the provisions of sub-sections 19 and 20 of Section 56 of the Bank Act, 1913, we report as follows:

We have audited the above Balance Sheet and compared it with the books and vouchers at Head Office and with the certified returns from the branches. We have obtained all the information and explanations that we have required and are of the opinion that the transactions of the Bank which have come under our notice have been within the powers of the Bank.

We have checked the cash and verified the securities representing the investments of the Bank at go their offices and principal branches at a date other than, and in addition to, the year's close at 30th November, 1916, and found that there were in agreement with the entries in the books of the Bank relating thereto.

In our opinion the Balance Sheet is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the affairs of the Bank according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us, and as shown by the books of the Bank.

T. HARRY WEBB, C.A., of Webb, Kent, Hogan, Callaghan & Co.
JAMES MARWICK, C.A., of Marwick, Mitchell, Peat & Co.
Auditors

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PETERBOROUGH FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1916

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SOLDIERS' WIVES' AND MOTHERS' CLUB FLOWER DAY TO-MORROW

VIGOROUS PROSECUTION OF WAR MUST BE OUR SINGLE ENDEAVOUR UNTIL THE SECURITY OF EUROPE IS ESTABLISHED

King George Adds the Weight of His Words to the Allies' Stern Rejection of Germany-made Peace---"Rights So Ruthlessly Violated By Our Enemies Must Be Vindicated"---President Wilson's Note Strongly Condemned By the British Press---"Has Evoked a Step Which Will Create the Bitterest Resentment of All Those Who Are Fighting, Working and Dying For the Very Principles He Has at Heart."

LONDON, December 22.—Proroguing Parliament to-day, until February 7, King George added the weight of his words to the Allies' stern rejection of German-made peace. "The vigorous prosecution of the war must be our single endeavour,' he declared, "until we have vindicated the rights so ruthlessly violated by our enemies and established the security of Europe on a sure foundation." King George thanked the House of Commons for its "unstinted liberality" in providing funds to cover the burdens of the war. "In this sacred cause," the King declared, "I am assured of the united support of all my people. I pray God may give us his blessing."

"My government," the King continued, after summarizing the nation's aims in the war, "was reconstructed with the sole object of furthering those aims unshaken and unimpaired. I am confident that however long the struggle may be my army and my navy with those of my faithful allies aided by our subjects throughout the Empire, will achieve a victorious consummation of the aims for which I entered the war."

In the House of Commons the King's address proroguing Parliament was read by Speaker Lowther.

LONDON, December 22. — Editorial comment of to-day's evening newspapers followed the trend of public sentiment, condemning Wilson's note. The Evening News' head to the text of the Wilson note was a triple negative, in big type, "No, No, No," with the further caption, "This Is Britain's Answer, Given Without Hesitation to President Wilson's Surprising Note."

"President Wilson's zeal for humanity has evoked a step which will create the bitterest resentment of all those who are fighting, working and dying for the very principles he has at heart," declared the Pall Mall Gazette. "Wilson evidently doesn't realize the insult of suggesting a parallel between the claims of civilized races and the pretensions of the Huns."

Edinburgh Scotsman dismisses the topic of President Wilson by describing him as an "interlocutor for Germany."

The more Britain digests President Wilson's peace the more bitter it feels. That was the conclusion to be drawn from the newspaper editorials in the afternoon papers which went even farther than those of the morning editions in denunciation of the American executive's move. The afternoon press was a unit in its resentfulness. The bitternes was particularly manifested against Wilson's assertion that the objects for which all belligerents were striving were virtually the same. "It is singular indeed," the Evening Standard declared, "that a statesman of Wilson's perspicacity can labour under the delusion that any move of his toward peace would be welcomed by the Allies. The whole facts of the situation should warn him that intervention is not desired. Our feelings against outside action to stop the war before the essential objects have been attained are only that which President Wilson's great predecessor felt when threatened with European intervention in the middle of the Civil war," said the Westminster Gazette.

LONDON, December 22. — The Government's wisdom in allowing President Wilson's note to "soak' twenty-four hours was apparent to-day. It saved a torrent of violent denunciations of the United States. To-day the British press was practically unanimous in declaring President Wilson's intervention. The comments ranged merely from pained surprise to bitter resentment.

WASHINGTON, December 22.—Congress will let the President have a free hand in his attempt to find a common ground upon which European belligerents can meet to formulate plans for a lasting peace.

Both Houses to-day refused to endorse or take any action on the President's action in despatching his now historic notes to Europe's warriors. The Senate for the second time to-day refuse to act on a resolution of approval.

WASHINGTON, December 22.—President Wilson believes this morning that when the Allied nations get over the "first shock" of his peace move, they will feel more inclined to seriously and carefully consider his suggestions. Out of the mass of criticism, at home and abroad, of the President's proposition, this fact stands out clear and plain, the United States Government is determined to remain out of war if possible, but gives warning of the danger o funrestricted activities by belligerents, should the strife continue.

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PROGRAMME

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PROGRAMME.

1. "Oh, Holy Night"—Christmas Song ..... Adam
   Baritone Solo by Thomas Chalmers.
2. "The Dorothy Three-Step" ..... Lampe
   Band
3. "Song of the Chimes" ..... Worrell
   Cornetto Solo, by Brent Collins.
4. "Under the Double Eagle March" ..... Wagner
   Band.
5. "Annie Laurie" ..... Lady John Scott
   Mixed Quartette.
6. "Absent" ..... Metcalf
   Tenor Solo, by Hardy Williamson.
7. "Woodland Songsters" ..... Zeehrer
   American Symphony Orchestra.
8. "Uncle Josh Buys an Automobile" .....
   Monologue by Cal Stewart.
9. "Elma Night" ..... Cruber
   Trio by Spencer, Fish and Chalmers.
10. "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing" ..... Mendelssohn
    Mixed Quartette.
11. "Crown Diamonds Overture" ..... Auber
    Band.
12. "Why do the Nations?" ..... Handel
    Bass Solo by Arthur Middleton.
13. "First Heart Throbs" ..... Eilenberg
    Bells.
14. "Home Sweet Home" ..... Payne
    Mixed Quartette.

GOD SAVE THE KING

HIS WORSHIP MAYOR DUFFUS, Re-elected by Acclamation To-day For 1917.

CAPT. GREER DECORATED

Peterboro' Officer, Son of Dr. T. N. Greer, Receives Military Cross For Attending Wounded Under Fire

OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCED

Another Peterboro officer has won the military cross for bravery at the front. The latest list of Canadian officers to receive decorations, cabled to-day, from London, contains the name of Captain Garnet Greer, of Peterboro, and son of Coorner T. N. Greer, of this city. Captain Greer, who before the war was medical officer of the 3rd Prince of Wales Dragoons, went overseas as medical officer of the 2nd Canadian Battalion, and was after the battle of Ypres transferred to a position with the Army Medical Corps. The official account says: Capt. Greer "attended the wounded for two hours (probably a cable error for two days) and was under fire for eight hours."

Captain Greer is the ninth Peterboro soldier to be decorated in the present war and the third Peterboro officer to receive the military cross. So far Peterboro soldiers have won three military crosses, four military medals, one D.C.M., and one Italian decoration.

CLEVER PICTURES AT THE EMPIRE

Blanche Sweet in "The Dupe" and Two Good Comedies To-night and To-morrow

"The Dupe" is a story of a young country girl who comes to New York seeking a position and is engaged as secretary to Mrs. Strong, a wealthy society woman. Mrs. Strong is involved in a love affair with a young multionaire, Jimmy Regan, who has flirted with her merely as a pastime. She, however, believing he is in love with her is anxious to secure a divorce from her husband but can find no cause.

Jimmy meets the young secretary, and attracted by her sweet, simple manner falls in love with her. He feels that he must have an understanding with Mrs. Strong before he asks Ethel to marry him.

Mrs. Strong gives an entertainment and Ethel who is anxious to look her prettiest before Jimmy and whose simple clothes are old-fashioned, takes money belonging to Mrs. Strong to buy a new dress. The theft is discovered. The girl begs Mrs. Strong not to disgrace her and promises to work until she pays back the money. The thought flashes through Mrs. Strong's mind that this girl can be used to help her get a divorce and promises not to publicly disgrace her if she will help her by permitting herself to be found dining alone with Mr. Strong. The events following form an exciting climax to this interesting story.

A good comedy, "The Detecters," and a special feature comedy "Mutt and Jeff."

TWO 93rd MEN LISTED

Pte. Sidney Allen of Peterboro' and Pte. Wm. Tanner of Apsley Are Officially Reported Wounded—Notes of the 247th Battalion

TO-DAY'S MILITARY NEWS

Two former members of the 93rd Battalion are officially reported wounded to-day, making a total of thirty-eight casualties among the 93rd men since they went overseas.

Mrs. L. Allen, 181 Rubidge street, has received official notice from Ottawa that her husband, Pte. Sidney Ernest Allen, Canadian Infantry, and formerly of the 93rd Battalion, has been admitted to the military hospital at Leicester, on Dec. 13th, suffering from a gun shot wound in the left thigh. Pte. Allen was one of the first half dozen men to join the 93rd Battalion, enlisting in the first week in August, 1915. When the Pioneer Section of the Battalon was formed Pte. Allen was made a member of it and was still in the Pioneers when he went overseas. He went to France in a draft to one of the Canadian battalions at the front. Pte. Allen was born in England, but had been a resident of Peterborough for a long period, and for a number of years was employed by Mr. Walter Stocker. His son joined the 236th Battalion last summer, but has since been discharged as too young for service.

Pte. Wm. Tanner, an Apsley boy, who enlisted in Peterborough in the early autumn of 1915 with the 93rd Battalion, has been wounded and admitted to No. 2 General Hospital, Latreport, on Dec. 15th, according to an official message received by his father, Mr. Chas. Tanner of Chandos to-day. Pte. Tanner was born in Chandos township and had a number of relatives in the ranks of the 93rd Battalion. Pte. Tanner was a member of A. Company, 93rd Battaliqu, and went to France with a draft for the Mounted Rifles.

TO-DAY'S ORDERS.

Peterborough, Dec. 21, 1916

Daily orders by Lieutenant-Colonel Ackerman, commanding 247th Battalion, C. E. F.

Orders for December 22, 1916.

Parade.

All officers, N. C. O's and men, except those specially employed, will parade in the drill hall at 9 a.m. and at 2 p.m.

Duties.

Orderly Officer for Friday, December 22, 1916, Lt. T. Quinn.

Orderly Officer for Saturday, Dec. 23, 1916, Lt. F. J. Hayes.

Next for duty, Lt. C. G. Shaw

Return from B. F. and F. T.

Q. M. Sergeant O'Hara has returned from B. F. and P. T. School, and reported for duty on December 20, 1916.

Recruiting Duty.

Lieutenant Dunsford replaces Lieut. Hayes at Recruiting Room. Lieut. Hayes returns to duty with A Company.

Leave of Absence.

Lieut. Col. C. H. Ackerman is granted leave of absence from Saturday, noon, Dec. 23, 1916, until 8.30 Wednesday morning, Dec. 27, 1916

Lieut. R. G. Johnston is granted leave of absence from reveille, December 23, 1916, until noon, Dec. 27, 1916

Lieut. C. G. Shaw is granted leave of absence from Reveille, Dec. 25, 1916, until taps, Dec. 30, 1916

Lieut. T. Quinn is granted leave of absence from Retreat, Jan. 2, 1917, until reveille Jan. 8th, 1917.

R. B. Brooks,
Lieut. and Acting Adjutant
246th Bn., C. E. F.

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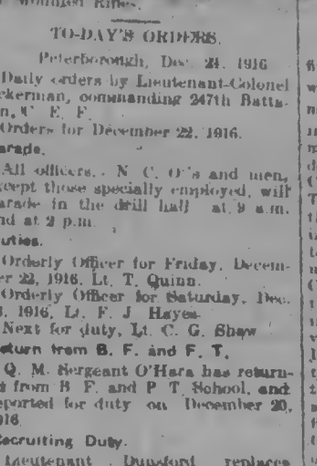

MR. ROBT. HICKS. Re-elected To-day by Acclamation as a Member of the Peterborough Utilities Commission.

Mayor Duffus Re-elected By Acclamation For Second Term

DO NOT OVERLOOK THE CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY

A number of people have responded to the appeal for gifts on behalf of the Children's Shelter. Nine little children are anticipating a Christmas such as will fall to the lot of the majority of children in this city. Whether these children will have a real old-fashioned Christmas accompanied by a generous visit from Santa Claus will depend largely upon the generosity of the citizens of Peterborough. In any case the children will be well looked after, but then there are a lot of little extras which of necessity are outside the scope of the Society. Persons desirous of assisting in this worthy cause are invited to get in touch with the Shelter. The goods will be called for if you are not in a position to deliver them. Donations of money, toys, etc., will be thankfully received.

SIX MEMBERS OF COUNCIL SUPPORT MOTOR APPARATUS

Majority of the Aldermen, Including Mayor Duffus, Endorse a Proposal to Raise the Present Standard of the Fire Department Equipment---Will Ask the Legislature to Authorize the Expenditure of Ten Thousand Dollars ---Mayor Duffus Appreciates the Opinions Expressed in Yesterday's Examiner By the Manufacturers of the City

FIRE, WATER AND LIGHT COMMITTEE

Peterborough's horse and buggy fire equipment" will be threatened with extermination should the recommendation passed at last night's meeting of the Fire, Water and Light Committee, successfully withstand the ordeal of being submitted to the City Council at a meeting to be held on Tuesday evening next. Without any of the bickering that usually characterizes discussions relating to proposals to improve or supplement the equipment of the Fire Department, the Committee unanimously recommended that notice be given of the Council's intention to include in the city's private bill to be submitted to the Ontario Legislature, a request for permission to issue debentures for the sum of ten thousand dollars with which to make an initial purchase of motor driven fire fighting apparatus, unless the Council decide to take the money out of next year's taxes.

ALL HANDS UP

Not one member of the Committee raised a note of protest against the proposed expenditure. The resolution was carried with all hands up. Those present at the meeting were His Worship Mayor Duffus, Ald. Evans (chairman), Ald. Duncan, Ald. Edgar, Ald. Saunders, and Ald. Stratton.

Ald. Dobbin came in toward the close of the meeting and after casting a baleful eye over the strange looking gathering of converts retired to the solitude of the City Clerk's office. Ald. Dobbin is not a member of the Fire, Water and Light Committee and as a member of the City Council in the past is not credited with being very enthusiastic about spending money on motor driven fire apparatus.

Other members of the City Council who have yet to express their opinion of the Committee's action are Aldermen Langford, Weir and McIntyre. However, with the entire membership of the Fire, Water and Light Committee which in itself constitutes a majority of the Council in favour of the proposal and election day drawing near, it is hardly likely that any of the members will sidestep the issue.

VIEWS APPRECIATED.

Mayor Duffus expressed his appreciation of the views expressed by the manufacturers of the city in last night's issue of the Examiner. He did not approve of the method adopted, claiming that the opinions of the manufacturers as expressed in the Examiner would spread over the entire Dominion and not do any good from the standpoint of insurance and prospective industries which might locate here. This tribute to the circulation of the Examiner was not challenged by any other member of the Committee.

A letter was read from Mr. J. W. Worth of the Bonner-Worth Company and Secretary of the Peterborough Manufacturer's Association, urging on behalf of the Association, that steps be taken to motorize the Peterborough Fire Department and bring it up to a more adequate degree of efficiency.

COMMITTEE APPOINTED.

Ald. Edgar moved that a Committee of two be appointed to look into the matter and if necessary visit cities where motor driven apparatus is in use and report back to the Fire, Water and Light Committee. Ald. Edgar blended ignorance of anything pertaining to motor driven fire apparatus and opined that the best interests of the city would be served if a small committee was delegated with the duty of securing the necessary information with the understanding that the Council would back up their report in a practical way. On motion of Ald. Edgar and Ald. Duncan the Mayor and Chairman of the Fire, Water and Light Committee were selected for this task.

SERIOUS RESPONSIBILITY

Mayor Duffus expressed his approval of the formation of a small committee and stated that he was thoroughly convinced that the horses should be replaced at the earliest possible date. The horses at present in use were ready for the bone-yard and would have to be replaced in event of the fire department retaining the present form of propelling power. The Mayor also pointed out that a serious responsibility rests with those whose duty it is to prepare the report on the matter of motor-driven apparatus and that it is essential to purchase apparatus from firms

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A GOOD IDEA

Is to give a pair of glasses to your parents or friends. They are always appreciated. The price is small and the quality as always there; the lenses or mount will be changed if they do not suit. There are also eyeglass chains and auto buttons, magnifyers, opera glasses, pencil, new frames and rose pieces, thermometers, sun glasses, auto goggles, cases readers and many others. Call and see them. Open every evening this week. see Dr Lacey and see better 419 George Street.

Robert Hicks Re-elected Utilities Commissioner and Ald. Dobbin is Unopposed in the Centre Ward—Six Candidates For Board o Education.

THIS MORNING'S ADDRESSES

FOR MAYOR.

Joseph James Duffus, nominated by C. Hewitt, Esqre., M.D., and seconded by Mr. W. H. Moore, K.C.

FOR ALDERMEN.

South Ward.

John Edgar, nominated by Andrew Graham and seconded by Joseph Picard.

William H. Taylor, nominated by H. S. Kingan and seconded by Geo. H. Savigny.

East Ward.

John Smith, nominated by Wm. Scott, seconded by Geo. Record.

George Evans, nominated by Harry Morgan, seconded by John Kylie.

Centre Ward.

F. H. Dobbin, nominated by T. E. Bridgburn, seconded by T. C. Elliott.

North Ward.

Jas. G. Graham, nominated by G. O. Cameron, seconded by Jas. Flynn.

G. Walter Green, nominated by Jos. Wearing, seconded by J. T. Braund.

A. A. McIntyre, nominated by J. J. Hartley, seconded by W. H. Meldrum.

West Ward.

Edgar Worth, nominated by W. G. Morrow, seconded by J. E. L. Goodwill.

G. Walter Green, nominated by R. Hicks, seconded by Wm. Lytle.

FOR UTILITIES COMMISSIONER.

Robert Hicks, nominated by John J. Turner and seconded by W. H. Moore.

FOR BOARD OF EDUCATION.

B. F. Ackerman, nominated by D. D. C. Daw, seconded by Geo. E. Elliott.

Roland Danne, nominated by W. G. Morrow and W. H. Moore.

George N. Gordon, nominated by G. A. Gillespie, M.P.P., seconded by W. G. Morrow.

V. Eastwood, nominated by F. W. Doan and seconded by G. A. Gillespie.

Freemont Walton Doan, nominated by W. H. Bradburn, seconded by R. Hicks.

Albert Allen Fowler, nominated by Wm. Scott and seconded by Daniel Taylor.

The re-election by acclamation of Mayor Duffus this morning was the headliner of the annual nominations for public office. After last year's spirited elections for the Mayoralty the present appointment passed quietly and without the least exciting element. It presents the public appreciation of Mayor Duffus' services and confidence in his administration as Chief Magistrate.

A similar honour was bestowed upon Mr Robert Hicks whose nomination for the vacancy in the Utilities

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Christmas Entertainment

THE ENTERTAINMENT TENDERED TO THE FAMILIES OF MEN ON SERVICE, IN ENGLAND AND AT THE FRONT, WILL BE GIVEN IN THE OPERA HOUSE, AFTERNOON OF CHRISTMAS DAY. DOORS OPEN AT 2.00 O'CLOCK. TO COMMENCE AT 2.30 O'CLOCK. COME EARLY. PRESENT TICKETS AT DOOR. ADMISSION BY THOSE TICKETS ONLY.

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CONGRATULATIONS.

The congratulations the Examiner cordially extends to Mayor Duffus on his unopposed election as Mayor for a second term, include congratulations to the citizens, inasmuch as it is evident that there is popular satisfaction with his past services and popular desire for them for another year. Though deference to the custom that gives a satisfactory Mayor the courtesy of a second term may have operated to a certain extent, yet there is reason to believe that he excellent nature of the services of Mayor Duffus, during the past year, and the feeling that he will give equally good, if not better, service for another term, in very large part explain his election by acclamation. The Examiner wishes Mayor Duffus and the large constituency he represents, a New Year of happiness and prosperity.

The re-election, by acclamation, of Mr. Hicks, as Water Commissioner, is another subject for congratulation, as it is evidence that his work has been satisfactory to the ratepayers, who have had the benefit of his good judgment and business ability, especially demonstrated in the recent improvements of the water supply system, in whose provision and installation he had a large part. The Utilities Commission has large responsibilities confronting it, and the retention of good, sound, business men in its personnel is an obvious essential.

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FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT.

The need of modern, complete, adequate equipment for the fire department of Peterborough is emphasized in many ways. It is expressed in the opinions of those most interested in the material sense, in the best possible machinery, all round, for fighting fire, our manufacturers. It is expressed, in his address, by Mayor Duffus, who in this regard may be taken to represent the ratepayers of the city. It is expressed in the opinion of all who take the pains to give the subject of fire protection fair consideration.

The Examiner, consistently with its attitude in regard to the improvement and reinforcement of water supply facilities joins in the general demand for improvement in fire fighting effectiveness. We advocated the strengthening of the pumping capacity of the Waterworks, by the installation of an auxiliary steam plant. This is now available for any possible emergency; and, so far as the water supply part of the fire fighting problem is concerned, conditions could not be improved. It is logical to demand that the fire hall equipment should correspond in completeness and efficiency of equipment, to give prompt and effective support to the pumps. Without this, the large expenditure in the main object of providing increased pumping capacity will be money wasted. Complementary to this expenditure is expenditure upon the provision of fire hall equipment. This will cost money, and it will be money well invested. It is an obvious banality to urge that money spent in providing virtually perfect, and effective fire protection, is money well spent. To neglect such precaution would be worse than folly, a false economy comparable to that of a farmer saving money by neglecting to replace a leaky roof and exposing his stored crops to rotting and ruin by rains.

It seems to be the general opinion that the fire department force needs being strengthened in number, providing more men. It is also felt that means should be provided for more speedy access to a fire, a saving of time of a few minutes, sometimes even of seconds, making all the difference between an "inspiring blaze" and a disastrous conflagration. This seems to justify the demand of most of the manufacturers who spoke in yesterdays fire fighting symposium in the Examiner. As Mayor Duffus points out, our large factory buildings are nearly all distant from the fire hall, and this makes the need for speedy means of reaching a fire more urgent. The backbone of Peterborough are our industries. The destruction of any one of them by fire would be a civic calamity, and, if it is due to defective and inadequate equipment, it is a reproach and a crime against ourselves.

The question is a large one—in the matter of importance, in the matter of right decision as to the best equipment demanded and in the matter of expense. But if we give earnest attention to the matter, if we get the best advice; if we are willing to provide the best and meet a fairly liberal expenditure to secure it, a satisfactory solution of the problem is easily possible.

It will not do to let the subject grow cold. We must strike while the iron is hot, while the question is obtruded upon us and its importance so generally recognized. The first work of the City Council of 1917 will probably be in dealing with this question.

It appears that immediate action has been taken. At a meeting of the Fire, Water and Light Committee, last night, action was taken in a way that shows that the Aldermen are seized of the importance of the matter of fire protection improvement. Not only was there singular unanimity of sentiment, but it was translated into action. Action was taken to procure the 1,500 feet of hose needed, and, more than that, a proposal was made and adopted without a dissenting voice, to take steps to secure legislation to authorize the issue of debentures to the amount of $10,000 to be used in providing needed firefighting equipment, this, it is understood, to include two motor-driven trucks. This proposal will probably pass the Council at its special meeting on Tuesday night, next, for the six out of the ten comprising the Council voted in favour of it. By the way, the power of publicity was demonstrated. The opinions of leading manufacturers, printed in The Examiner yesterday—unanimous in favour of improved fire-fighting apparatus, evidently had their influence upon aldermanic opinion, one of the aldermen, who were opposed to, or lukewarm in, the matter of incurring large expenditure, being the one to name the substantial figure considered necessary to provide our Fire Department with the needed equipment to put it upon a satisfactory basis.

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PATRIOTIC LEAGUE CALL TO NATIONAL SERVICE IN THE NATIONAL INTEREST

The Speakers' Patriotic League is initiating a campaign, the object being to help in carrying out successfully the project for the National Registration which is to be taken during the first week in January, under the auspices of the Dominion National Service Board. The League is asking for the cooperation of the representative patriotic committees throughout Ontario, and in a letter which is being sent to the officers of these committees the following statement is made:

"While there may be differences of opinion as to the best method of taking the census, there can be no two opinions as to the desirability of its succeeding to the greatest extent possible. Everybody who has the welfare of the country at heart agrees that our great need at present is the organizing of our resources. Some favour one method of accomplishing this and some another, but all wish to attain the same result. We find that the method has already been decided on, and we must, therefore, bend our energies to bring about the best results possible. The crisis is grave, the country needs the information asked for on the cards to be sent out, the Government has required it, and everyone must hope that it will be forthcoming without any further steps. We, therefore, feel that it is incumbent upon us to make as good a showing as possible in our Province, and we trust that the showing will be as good as it was in the campaign for patriotic funds and recruiting. We recognize that as any success attained in reference to these campaigns was only possible through the splendid work done by the local committees, so any success which we may hope for in this campaign can be attained only through the same source. We are, therefore, again calling for your assistance."

The letter goes out under the signature of Sir John S. Hendrie, the Honorary President of the League, Sir John M. Gibson, Hon. W. H. Hearst, Sir Edmund Osler, Mr. N. W. Rowell and Col. C. A. Sweny, Vice-Presidents, and Mr. Justice Masten, Chairman of the Executive.

Canadian Bank of Commerce

Notwithstanding that the institution carried a larger proportion of its liabilities in the form of cash reserve, and in spite of the steadily rising expense of conducting the banking business in general, the directors of the Bank of Commerce have been able to present the stockholders with an annual report showing net profits $87,000 in excess of last year. Net results and appropriations or deductions compare as follows with 1915:

	1916	1915
Net profits	$2,439,000	$2,352,035
P. C. on Capital and Rest	8.56	8.25
Deductions—		
Depreciation		$1,000,000
Circulation Tax	147,288	122,806
Pension Fund	80,000	80,000
Patriotic and other funds	71,700	5,000
	$ 298,988	$1,207,806
Dividends	$1,800,000	1,800,000

After providing for the dividend and bonus and for the various appropriations, there remained in 1916, a surplus of $340,000, which served to bring the profit and loss balance up to $902,000, a figure which has been only once exceeded in the bank's recent history. With reference to the appropriations for the Canadian Patriotic and other relief funds, it should be noted that there was in 1914 an appropriation of $50,000 for Patriotic Fund, the amount presumably being paid over during the fiscal year ended November, 1915. On the present occasion there is also a grant of $50,000; and the items making up the balance of the $71,000 shown in the table were: British Red Cross, $5,000; British Sailors' Relief, $5,000, Northern Ontario Fire Relief and War Hospitals, $11,700.

No appropriation was required in 1916 for depreciation of securities, etc., last year's deduction of $1,000,000 for this purpose apparently bringing the securities down to current values. In this connection it is to be noted that the high prices of agricultural products and the great activity of special lines of industry, have served to put the current loans and discounts of the banks in general on a better footing. Commercial failures are not so much in evidence; the large payments by farmers on account of obligations have improved the position of many classes of borrowers.

During the year just ended the banking power of the Commerce expanded to the extent of roundly $38,000,000, mainly through increase of deposits. The non-interest-bearing deposits rose from $53,900,000 to $62,000,000, and the interest-bearing deposits from $141,500,000 to $167,000,000. That so large a proportion of the total gain occurred in connection with the interest-bearing balances is a satisfactory feature. These deposits as a rule comprise the savings balances and special deposits of corporations, etc., and are generally of a more fixed or permanent nature than the demand deposits. Recognizing the times as peculiarly uncertain and unsettled, the management of the bank wisely reserved the bulk of the new deposit money in the form of cash and immediately available assets. The aggregate of the liquid reserve as at November 30, 1916, was approximately $129,000,000, as against $101,000,000 so carried at the end of the preceding fiscal year. This represents 56 per cent. of the deposit liability, and roundly half of the total liabilities to the public. Included in the quick assets as at the year-end, is the item of $18,500,000 in British treasury bills—representing part of the share of the Bank of Commerce in the credit granted by the associated banks to the Imperial Munitions Board to facilitate settlements for British purchases of war material in the Dominion.

The unusual strength of the cash reserves carried, did not necessitate liquidation of the Bank's commercial loans—commercial loans and discounts in Canada, as at November, 1916, stand at $134,000,000, against $131,000,000 a year ago. Although the marketing at high prices of the huge western wheat crop of 1915 (which was in process during most of the fiscal year) would lead to a very considerable voluntary reduction of customers' liabilities, the new loans and credits granted to other parties have fully offset these payments.

In expert circles the opinion prevails that the current year will offer numerous opportunities of employing bankers' funds at remunerative rates. There will apparently be extensive loans required by the Dominion and British Governments; and the continued activity of the industries specializing in war work should also lead directly and indirectly to large demands for credits. Owing to its strong reserves the Commerce is in good position for participating fully in prospective business of this nature. But notwithstanding the improved outlook bankers generally are very cautious in the matter of predicting higher earnings. Expenses are high and taxation, not only here in the Dominion, but also in England and the United States, shows a strong tendency to increase. Under the circumstances, it is most creditable to maintain profits at the level of the preceding year.

Wholesaler Must Not Dictate Retail Price

This Is Position Taken by the Minister of Labour—Case in Western Ontario.

OTTAWA, Dec. 22.—Hon. T. W. Crothers, Minister of Labour, takes the position that a wholesaler has no right to dictate the price at which a retailer shall sell his commodities. A case in point has arisen in Ottawa. A local dealer was refused a supply of sugar because he lowered the price set. When the matter was reported to the department the producer in western Ontario declared the information "absolutely false." The original letter however, intimated that no more sugar would be supplied because of the cut in price. The Minister has written to the refiners, enclosing the letters and demanding an explanation.

"I do not wish to take further action until you have had an opportunity of explaining the situation while you can," says the Minister.

MAYOR DID NOT OWN THE HORSE

For some time past rumour has connected Mayor Duffus with a horse purchased by the Fire Department, some time ago, and which is alleged to have a speed record of thirty-five miles an hour. At last night's meeting of the Fire, Water and Light Committee the Mayor asserted that he never owned the animal and had nothing whatever to do with the transaction concerning the Fire Department. Mayor Duffus said he was willing to take an affidavit to that effect.

NOTICE

TAXES FOR NORTH MONAGHAN.

NOTICE is hereby given that all taxes due to the Township of North Monaghan will be received on Saturday, Dec. 23rd, without any percentage or costs being added. After that date 5 per cent. will be added to all unpaid taxes.

Taxes may be paid at the Bank of Ottawa on Saturdays, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Norman Mencrief,
Tax Collector.
R. R. No. 3; 'Phone 989 R 2-4
6d-141

Tenders For Ashes

SEALED TENDERS addressed to Ald. J. Saunders, Chairman of the Property Committee," and endorsed "Tender for Ashes," will be received at the office of the undersigned up to 4 o'clock p.m., on Thursday, the 28th day of December, 1916, for the ashes from the incinerator during 1917. Particulars may be obtained from the Sanitary Inspector. A cash deposit or accepted bank cheque for the amount of the tender must accompany each tender. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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SOLDIER'S WIFE LOST A CHEQUE AND purse Wednesday evening. Finder please leave at Examiner or at 63 Victoria st. 3d-145-513

LOST—THURSDAY BETWEEN HARVEY and Simcoe streets on George, a telephone lineman's test set. Finder please communicate with Bell Telephone Co. 3d-146-523

LOST — PARCEL CONTAINING pair slippers. Will the lady who picked them up in Fair's Wednesday, kindly return to Examiner. 2d-145-526

LOST—ON FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15TH, $110 in ten dollar bills rolled in handkerchief, tied with navy blue silk thread. Belonged to a soldier's wife to pay funeral expenses. Reward if either at Examiner or 872 Water street. 3d-144-472

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CANARIES, SINGERS FOR SALE—F. Rathbone, 709 George 3d-144-486

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Ald. Edgar's Scheme Receives Further Impetus at Last Night's Meeting of Fire, Water and Light Committee

At last night's meeting of the Fire, Water and Light Committee it was moved by Ald. Edgar and seconded by Ald. Saunders, that notice be given of the intention of the Council to apply for legislation to authorize the Council or Utilities Commission to advance money for place sanitary plumbing in houses when requested to do so by the owners, or when so requested to have such plumbing installed and to pay for it and with authority to the Council to authorize the issue of debentures to provide the funds necessary, the cost to be repaid with interest or sufficient to pay interest and sinking fund, in quarterly instalments or payments, and to provide such payments shall be a lein on the land in the same manner as taxes, and to be collectable in the same manner as taxes if not paid.

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Should I be elected, I promise to weigh most carefully all matters involving expenditure of the City's finances, and to countenance only strictly business methods in undertaking any work being handled by this Board.

Soliciting the support of every progressive voter, I am,

Yours for progress,

A. A. FOWLER

Mayor Duffus Re-elected By Acclamation

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Commission was unopposed. His election by acclamation is a further testimony of the ratepayers' regard for the faithful, efficient and far-seeing stewardship of the Utilities Commission to which triumvirate Mr. Hicks was elected three years ago.

An Election Here.

Six candidates were nominated for the four vacancies on the Board of Education, and it is expected that all six names will be presented to the electors on New Year's day. Messrs. Ackerman, Donne, Gordon and Eastwood are present members of the Board and Messrs. Doan and Fowler are prospective new blood.

In spite of the first real snow storm of the winter there was a fairly large attendance of ratepayers in the Council Chamber when the nominations for the Mayoralty, Utilities Commission and Board of Education closed at eleven o'clock. They were citizens who have always shown an active interest in public matters the few reliables who exert themselves when the rest of the community is content to cast their ballots on election day and forthwith forget civic matters until another new year rolls around.

Mayor Duffus' Appreciation.

City Clerk Armstrong presiding at this morning's public meeting first called upon Mayor Duffus who expressed his deep appreciation of the honour conferred upon him, and promised that in so far as it lay in his power he would endeavour during the coming year to follow a policy of economy consistent with the best interests of Peterborough. He reviewed the more important civic problems and works that are under way or pending, and particularly dwelt upon the necessity of a more vigorous campaign of advertising the city's resources and and advantages with a view to securing new industries. His Worship discussed the Fire Department, agreeing that its apparent needs should receive careful attention. To motorize two or three pieces of traction apparatus would cost some money, and the Council did not propose to submit this to the ratepayers. Mayor Duffus believed it inadvisable to entirely dispense with horses. In Toronto and other cities he had visited he had noticed that about half the appliances were drawn by horses.

His Worship touched upon the problem of surface drainage which would inevitably have to be dealt with, but might be laid aside for a time. The sewage disposal plant and the phases of its progress were also referred to. The Hunter street bridge might suddenly appear as an immediate problem influenced by the Quaker Oats Company's action, the Street Railway or the Government's aid. Perhaps it would be unfair under existing conditions to ask the Government to spend any money on a new bridge here, but if the city could secure an appropriation this question might be well worth going into.

The footbridge at the C.P.R. would be completed early in the year, a facility that would be appreciated by the South Ward and East City residents.

Mr. Hicks' Address.

After thanking the citizens for his re-election, Mr. Hicks reviewed in an interesting manner the work of the Utilities Commission during the past three years. He had adopted the attitude of assisting the Commission in every way possible and intended to maintain that method in future work. The revenue of the Water Works Department has grown from $62,000, in 1913, to practically $81,000, this year. The figures were submitted as follows:

1913—$59,000.
1914—$55,000.
1915—$66,000.
1916—$81,000.

Three years ago, two particular problems confronted the Commission. One was the provision of an auxiliary pumping plant, the other, the laying of new force mains through the west and south wards. The second problem was first grappled with. At the outset it was decided to install a steam pumping unit of three and one-half million gallons capacity. The Commission questioned whether this was building for the future, and increased the capacity to six million gallons. It has since been installed, costing over $70,000, and is ready for service. At the time of the Quaker Oats fire the Superintendent at the station had 100 pounds of steam pressure up, and had another fire affected the water pumps the auxiliary could have been called into service without any difference noticeable to the people or the firemen. It would have accomodated 12 to 15 lines of hose without any reduction of pressure.

Mr. Hicks then reviewed the work of laying the force main which would doubtless be completed down the Boundary road next year. A beginning has already been made in providing protection to Auburn and this would be extended in the Spring.

Discussing the hydro-electric department of the Commission's responsibilities, Mr. Hicks stated that there was a surplus of $8,170 last year. In addition $7,400 was written off for depreciation of appliances; and $8,000 added to the sinking fund.

The death of Mr. J. C. Anderson and the appointment of Mr. G. Henderson were events mentioned by the Commissioner, who said he hoped that early in the year Mr. Henderson's appointment would be made permanent. It indicated the action of the Commission in advancing one of the staff to the vacancy. The head of each department has the responsibility of appointing his assistants and general staff. Hence, there is nothing to be gained by applicants for such positions approaching the Commissioners.

Street Lighting.

Mr. Hicks finally discussed future improvement of the street lighting system. The Commission has prepared plans for the installment of nitrogen filled lamps, which will be submitted to the Council. It may be laid over on account of the high prices of materials.

If the Commission takes over the street railway and gas plant as public utilities, the Peterborough Commission will be one of the most comprehensive in the Province.

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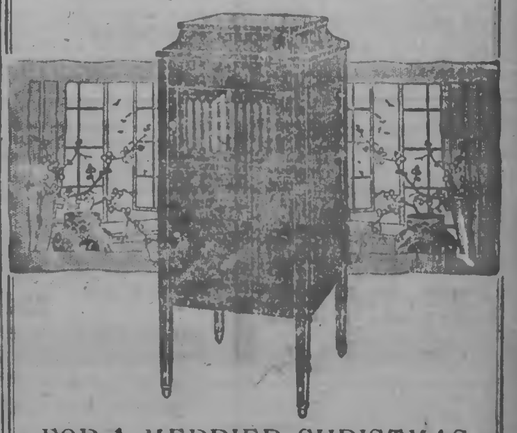

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Mr. John Blanco and youngest son, Hurley, are visiting in Lakefield, the guests of Mr. Blanco's sister, Mrs. Pearson. Senior, after an absence of thirty-two years. Mr. Blanco was born in Smith Township and removed to Kansas, U.S.A., thirty-two years ago. He resided in Kansas for some twelve years, and in North Dakota four years, after which he moved to Sanford, Manitoba, about twenty miles south of Winnipeg, where he and three sons farm eighs hundred and twenty acres of land.

Mr. Blanco will remain in this vicinity about three months. Needless to say he notices a big difference after an absence of thirty-two years.

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The wide-awake proprietor of the Duffus Garage, Simcoe St., doesn't let many opportunities get away from him, so that it is no surprise that orders for Ford cars have recently been booked with delightful frequency.

Mr. Duffus has come through the year in the big civic chair with considerable satisfaction to himself and the ratepayers, but he never relaxed his grip on the Ford car. Conscious of duty properly performed, he keeps on smiling, and declares that no valuable gift can compare with the gift of a Ford car.

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TABLET UNVEILED TO THE MEMORY OF A BRAVE SOLDIER

Impressive Service at St. John's Church Last Night When Mural Tablet Commemorating Death of Lieut. Stanley Fife Was Unveiled

A VERSE FROM BROOKE

The unveiling of the engraved brass mural tablet placed in St. John's church to the memory of Lieutenant Gordon Stanley Fife, P.P.C.L.I., born in Peterborough Feb. 15, 1889, killed in action June 2, 1916, took place last night during the Evensong of St. Thomas, Apostle and Martyr, whose festival is held on December 21. In addition to the name and dates, the following verse from Brooke's poems is inscribed on the tablet:

"These laid the world away, poured out the red
Sweet wine of youth, gave up the years to be
Of work and joy, and that unhoped serene
That men call age, and those that would have been
Their sons, they gave their immortality."

The beautiful liturgical evensong over, a procession of white robed choristers singing Wesley's hymn, "Let saints on earth on concert sing," preceded Canon Cornish to the tablet, who gave an inspiring address, pointing out a lesson from the life and death of Lieut. Fife. At the ascription, "In the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost," Mr. W. F. Johnston unveiled the tablet by removing the Canadian flag.

The dedication prayer was as follows:

O Lord Jesus Christ, Son of the living God, bless what we do in unveiling this tablet to the memory of Gordon Stanley Fife. Thy servants; direct and bless our efforts by Thy divine presence, as we gather together in Thy house of prayer to dedicate this memorial tablet to the honour of Thy great name and service. Accept, O Lord, this service at our hands, and bless it with such success as may most tend to Thy glory, and the inspiration of those who see it, through Jesus Christ, our Blessed Lord and Saviour.

The Benediction was then pronounced and the procession moved to the vestry, while Mr. R. J. Dewey softly played on the organ, "I Know That My Redemer Liveth."

All during the day and immediately after service, people gathered round the tablet, and the inscription thereon appeared to appeal very strongly to them.

DUMMER COUNCIL RE-ELECTED TO-DAY

WARSAW, Dec. 22.—Dummer Council was re-elected by acclamation as the result of this morning's nominations, as follows:

Reeve — C. J. Darling.

Councillors—Albert Webster, Jas. Clifford, Garfield Crowe, David Nixon.

Porter S. White's Holiday Bill-Of-Fare

Good Things to Eat at Moderate Prices. Shop Early. Store Open Evenings. Good Service. Prompt Deliveries.

Seedless Oranges, per doz, 30c., 40c. 30c.
Deliciously Sweet Florida Oranges, 25c. 40c.
Grape Fruit, 3 for 25c. and 4 for 25c.
Choice Malaga Grapes, per lb. 25c.
Tangarines, doz. 30c.
Apples, including Jonathan and McIntosh for table use.
Extra Fine Dates and Figs, per lb. 15c.
Selected Malaga Raisins, per package 30c.
In cluster per lb. 25c.
A special assortment of Mixed Nuts, including Walnuts, Brazils, Almonds, Pecans, Filberts and Peanuts, per lb. 25c.
Special assortment of Christmas Mixed, lb. 15c.
Special assortment of Creams, per lb. 30c.
Extra special mixture of Nut Taffy, Chocolates and Creams, per lb. 25c.
Sharp's Kreemy Toffee, per lb. 40c.
Confections appropriately boxed, of various sizes and prices.
Allan's Sweet Cider, per quart 15c.
Christie's and McVittie & Price's famous Fancy Biscuits.
Christie Brown's Plum Pudding, 1 lb. tin 40c. each, 2 lb. bag, 80c. each.
Christie Brown's Christmas Cake, 1 lb. tin 40c. each, 2 lb. tin, 80c. each.
Choice Scotch Bread, per box, 15c. and 25c.
Imported Superior Preserved Ginger 60c.
Fresh P. F. Short Cake, at, per tin 50c.
Choice Olives at, per bottle, 15c., 15c., 30c. and 75c.

P. S. WHITE
384 George Street
Phone 208

ONLY ONE DAY MORE TO DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

These Good Bargains during the day and after supper To-night will help you.

WOMEN'S FINE WOOL UNDERWEAR
Women's Fine Wool Underwear. With just enough cotton to prevent shrinking. White only. Vests with high neck and long sleeves. Drawers in two styles. Saturday Bargain, garment 1.50

THESE ODD SIZES IN GOOD AXMINSTER RUGS WOULD MAKE A VERY ACCEPTABLE CHRISTMAS GIFT
1 Only Axminster Rug. Seamless. Size 13 ft. 1 in. by 9 ft. 10 in. Regular $47.50. Saturday Bargain 35.00
2 Only Axminster Rugs. Seamless. Size 11 ft. 6 in. by 8 ft. 3 in. Regular $37.50. Saturday Bargain, each .. 29.50
1 Only Axminster Rug. Seamless. Size 11 ft. 6 in. by 8 ft. 3 in. Regular $27.50. Saturday Bargain 19.50

NATURAL SHANTUNG SILK
34-Inch Natural Shantung Silk. Suitable for Waists and Dresses. Used for Men's Fine Shirts. Regular 50c yard. Saturday Bargain, yard 35c

BLACK DUCHESS SATIN
A Rich All Silk Duchess Satin. Used for Waists, Skirts and Dresses. In Black only. Saturday Bargain ..... Regular $2.25. ..... 1.79

INFANTS' CARRIAGE RUGS
Infants' Quilted Carriage Rugs. Made of heavy quality of Jap Silk. Hand embroidered, in a dainty rose pattern. In colours of Sky, White and Pink. ..... Saturday Bargain. 2.00

CAMISOLES
Made of Wash Satin and Fine Val Lace. Trimmed with beading and coloured ribbon. In White only. Saturday Bargain .. 2.00

KNITTED SETS
Women's and Misses' Knitted Sets, consisting of Cap and Scarf or Tam and Scarf. Made of heavy quality of Brushed Wool. Combination colours of Copenhagen and White, Rose and White, Kelly and White, or Scarlet and White. ..... Saturday Bargain.. 2.50

New York Dresses

Made of fine soft quality of Botany Serge. Pleated style. Embroidered in wool and gold thread. Broadcloth collar and cuffs. Saturday Bargain, each 25.00

$4.98 INGRAIN RUGS $3.69
Heavy quality Ingrain Rugs. Size 3 yards by 2½ yards. Several good patterns and colourings to choose from. Saturday Bargain, each 3.69

WOMEN'S COATS
Women's and Misses' Winter Coats. Made of heavy qualities of Zebbeline Tweed and Bolivia Cloth. From several of the latest models. With large collars, belted and flare backs. Body and sleeves well lined. ..... Saturday Bargain. 20.00

KABA CREPE
36-Inch Kaba Crepe. Suitable for Waists and Dresses. A fine Wash Silk. In colours of Ivory, Maize, Pink and Apple Green. Saturday Bargain, yard 1.50

WHITE HABUTAI SILK
36-Inch White Habutai Silk. Suitable for Waists or Dresses. All pure silk. Saturday Bargain 1.00

SKATING CAPS
Made of heavy quality of Brushed Wool. Fastened on the side with buttons. In colours of Copenhagen, Cardinal and White. .. Saturday Bargain .. 50c

We still have an excellent assortment of artistic chairs for the living room or bed room to choose from, something quite out of the ordinary---chairs that will show the artistic taste of the giver and be a pleasure to look at by the one who receives them. House Furnishing Dept., 2nd Floor

COTTON EIDERDOWN
An extra heavy quality of Cotton Eiderdown. 30 inches wide. Suitable for Kimonas, Dressing Sacques and Babies' Underwear. In colours of Cream and Pink. Saturday Bargain, yd. 35c

HUCK TOWELS
Extra heavy quality Pure Linen Huck Towels. Neatly hemmed. Size 22 x 42 inches. Saturday Bargain, pair 75c

BED SPREADS
A good serviceable quality of White Crochet Bed Spreads. Sizes 70 x 90 inches. Saturday Bargain, each 2.50

PILLOW COTTON
An extra heavy quality of Pure White Circular Pillow Cotton. 42 inches wide. Saturday Bargain, yard 25c

BATTENBURG CENTRES
Pure Linen Battenburg 8-inch Centres. In several dainty patterns. Saturday Bargain, each 15c

ROLLER TOWELLING
A heavy quality of Pure Linen Crash Roller Towelling. 20 inches wide. Saturday Bargain, yard .. 15c

LONG WOOL MITTENS
Children's and Girls' Long Wool Mittens. In colours of White, Navy, Scarlet, Cardinal, Grey and Castor. Saturday Bargain, pair 50c

FRENCH KID GLOVES
Women's Fine French Kid Gloves. In all white or white with black points. Or wash cape in shades of tan or Newport, with contrasting points. Saturday Bargain, pair 2.00

SWISS HANDKERCHIEFS
Ladies' Swiss Handkerchiefs, with dainty coloured border. In white with sky, pink or mauve. Saturday Bargain, ... 2 for 25c

TAPESTRY RUGS, $22.50
English Tapestry Rugs. Our best quality, seamless, in a splendid range of good designs and colourings. Sizes 9 ft. by 7 ft. 6 in. Saturday Bargain, ... each 22.50

TAPESTRY CHINTZ CHESTERFIELD, $69.00
Handsome Chesterfield, made throughout by our own expert upholsterers, and covered in a dark Tapestry Chintz to stand hard wear. Saturday Bargain. 69.00

AFTER SUPPER SALE

$3.50 NEW CHRISTMAS WAISTS, $2.69
Made of heavy quality of Jap Silk. In several of the latest styles. With large collars and Jabot or tucked fronts. Reg. $3.50. ..... After-Supper Sale 2.69

$2.00 CRIB COMFORTERS $1.59
Silk Crib Comforters. In Chintz pattern, with plain stripe of contrasting colour. Size 3 ft. by 4 ft. Regular $2.00. ..... After-Supper Sale 1.59

$3 NOVELTY CURTAINS, $1.69
Fine quality Voile and Marquisette Curtains. 2½ yards long. Some are hemstitched and edged with lace; others plain hemstitched. Regular up to $3.00 pair... After-Supper Sale, pr. 1.69

$1.25 CHINTZ DOILY SETS, 85c
22-Piece Daily Sets, comprising 2 large Centres, 8 of the second size and 12 of the small size. In colours of Rose, Blue and Gold. Regular $1.25 set. After-Supper Sale, set ... 85c

$2.50 MEN'S SILK SCARFS $1.50
Fine quality Men's Knitted Scarfs. In all silk or silk and wool mixtures. In fancy stripe or plain colours. Fringed ends. Reg. $2.50. After-Supper Sale. 1.50

$2.50 BASKETS, 98c
Fruit Baskets, Sandwich Baskets, Flower Baskets and Work Baskets. In dark fumed oak reed. Reg. $2.50. After-Supper Sale .. 98c

$1.25 RAG RUGS, 98c
Rag Rugs. Size 24 by 36 in. In several good colours. Regular $1.25 each. After-Supper Sale, each 98c

$4.50 KIMONAS, $1.98
Women's and Misses' Kimonas. Made in plain or floral Crepe and Wool Delaine. Hand embroidered and satin trimmed. Reg. $4.50. After-Supper Sale 1.98

UPHOLSTERED WING CHAIR, $19.50
All-Over Upholstered Wing Chair, covered in Golden Brown Chintz. After-Supper Sale 19.50

RICHARD HALL & SON LIMITED

DEATH FROM NATURAL CAUSES

Enquiry Into the Death of Mrs. Louise Kleemann, Was Concluded Last Evening

"Death from natural causes," was the verdict rendered last evening by a Coroner's Jury at the adjourned inquest to enquire into the death of Mrs. Louise Kleeman, which took place on December 9th, at the home of Mrs. Paul Loescher, 135 Hunter street, east.

The jury was composed of Messrs. R. C. Braund, F. Bowneombe, W. F. Nelson, C. Wood, R. J. G. Sutherland, W. R. Morris, C. Risbor, E. N. McWilliams, E. Evans, C. E. Hubbs and J. R. Bell.

Coroner Dr. Greer, who presided, said that the jury's duties would be very light as the only witnesses called were the doctors who performed the autopsy.

Dr. J. H. Eastwood, who was called, said that he was summoned to the Loescher home, but when he arrived Mrs. Kleemann was dead. He reported the woman's death to Coroner Dr. Greer. The autopsy showed an enlarged condition of the heart, and the brain was also effected. There were no external marks.

Death resulted from natural causes. The evidence of Dr. Eastwood was corroborated by Dr. C. H. Amye.

All house brushes should be soaked in cold water for several hours and laid aside until they are used. This prevents the hairs from coming out, and increases the life of the brush.

As you pack each article for moving make a note of where you put it, and when you want to reach a certain article you can do it without any difficulty.

TELESCOPIC RIFLE SIGHT

It is natural to expect, from any war, the invention and development of all weapons and instruments particularly adapted for warfare. Thus, in the present war a new type of bayonet has developed and, more recently, a really practical and simple telescopic sight. This new sight may be used equally well by the men of long experience and those of little experience. As its name denotes, it is a combination of telescopic and rifle sight, and acts on the same principle as though the sight were placed in a field glass through which the marksman would be looking. In other words, in place of the usual rear sight of the rifle is placed a simple telescope with the cross hairs near the front and the rear rifle sight near the rear. The telescope, of course, magnifies the target so that it appears much larger and, therefore, clearer and nearer, an object hardly discernable to the naked eye at one mile, appearing clear and distinct, and, apparently, about 100 yards distant. The intersection of the cross hairs is just above and in line with the tip of the rear sight. So, it is only necessary to get the magnified target on this intersection in order to make an accurate shot. There is nothing complicated about it, and no delicate parts to get out of order, or make trouble in repairs. It may be easily adapted to any ordinary rifle without appreciable change. It is of exceptional value for big game hunting. Like many other inventions resulting from the requirements of the war, it is also of great value for times of peace.

THE JURYMEN DONATED FEES

The coroner's jury, which was empanelled to investigate the death of Mrs. Louise Kleemann, at the conclusion of the investigation last evening, donated their fees as jurymen to the Children's Aid Society, amounting to two dollars each for eleven men. Each of the doctors present made a similar donation, so that the entire amount donated will be about twenty-five dollars.

CHRISTMAS DINNER

The Empress Hotel will be just like home on Christmas Day and will serve a special Dinner 12.30 to 2.30 p.m. Come and bring the family and give your wife a holiday. Tables may be reserved by Telephoning 121.

THE EMPRESS HOTEL

Now that the winter is before us it is very unwise to let children go about without hats. In fact it is always courting danger to expose sensitive little heads either to scorching heat or bitter winds.

Xmas Dinner at —AT— Oriental Hotel

BILL OF FARE

Club House Olives, Crisp Celery, Salted Almonds

SOUPS
Consommee Celestine, Chicken Printaniere

Blood Tomatoes, Mayonnaise
Oysters, a la D'Uzelles
Narragansett Bay Lobster a la Newburg

Baked Baby Lamb, Puree au Petit Pois
Oriental Cream Puffs

PUNCH APERCOTINE

Braised Crown Spring Chicken, a la Marengo
Stuffed Young Turkey, Cranberry Sauce, Chestnut Gravy
Baked Beef Tenderloin, Au Jus

Long Island Shrimp Salad

Snow Ball Potatoes, Sweet Potatoes Glace
Haricots Vert, Supreme, Spanish Queen Peas

Deep Apple Pie, Whipped Cream, Hot Mince Pie
Old English Plum Pudding, Allen Sauce

Canadian Cheese, Crisp Crackers
California Cluster Raisins, Florida Grapes
Mixed Nuts.

Neapolitan Ice Cream, Christmas Cake de Luxe

Tea, Cafe Noir, Demi-Tasse, Milk
After-Dinner Mints

MERRY XMAS TO ALL

"NEW MODEL" "FOR CHRISTMAS"

Bright Vici Kid Balmoral, eight inch top, small midget eyelets. Leather Louis heels. Goodyear Welt sewn soles: C. and D. Widths.

The Price is $6.00

C. E. Smith

("THE SHOE MAN").

THE BARGAIN ANNEX WILL BE OPEN ALL DAY TO-MORROW

A Few Of The Many Items From That Treasure Trove Of Bargains

Christmas Annex Leader
Dress Goods Mill Ends $1.25 per end

If you are a shrewd buyer these ends will appeal to you. Run in lengths from 1½ to 4 yards, and can be used for a multitude of purposes; the lot includes tweeds and light weight dress materials. Worth regularly up to $3.00 per end. Christmas Annex Leader, per end..... 1.25

Six Day Annex Leader
Two Lines of Great Value Flannelette Blankets

The qualities are the best Canadian makes and are good large sizes. Both lines are exceptional value, and each to be sold during the big Christmas Annex Event at less than to-day's cost of production. A most appreciated useful gift for any home.

Regular $1.40. Christmas Annex, pair..... $1.19
Regular $1.65. Christmas Annex, pair..... $1.49

Christmas Annex Leader
Men's Negligee Shirts 59c or 3 for $1.65

Our Annex buyer has made a fortunate and opportune purchase of shirts. Material is percale, negligee, coat style with deep laundred cuffs and smart stripe patterns. Sizes 14 to 18½. Regular 85c.
Christmas Annex Leader ..... 59c, 3 for 1.65

Christmas Annex Leader
50c Habutai Wash Silk 39c yard

Here is an opportunity to purchase a silk that will serve you in many ways. It will wash splendidly. Can be had in cream, black and white. Regular price is 50c yard. Christmas Annex Leader Price will be, yard 39c

Christmas Annex Leader
Men's and Big Boys' Coat Sweaters 99c

Rarely have we been able to offer such a sweater coat value. They are in grey only, heavy ribbed, storm collars and two pockets; sizes 34 to 42. For the Christmas Annex, and as a leader we are offering them at..... 99c

Christmas Annex Leader
Silk Embroidery Brown Cushion 25c each

A ten dozen shipment of 50c Silk Embroidered Brown Cushions complete with deep frill and back, ready for use. Made of splendid quality brown crash. See these on Saturday. They should be readily snapped up for a gift selection—a gift that will be appreciated because of its usefulness. Christmas Leader 25c

$18.00 CHINCHILLA COATS $9.90
ON SECOND FLOOR SATURDAY ONLY
No Woman Who is in Need of a Warm Winter Coat Should Miss This Opportuntty

Bought at a price that permits us to make this unusual reduction and yet they are in no way inferior to any $18.00 coat that has been on the market this season. They are in heavy soft chinchilla, full length and wide sweep around the bottom, high convertible collar and a good variety of sizes; colour of black and blue. Saturday price will be only..... 9.90

A BLOUSE SPECIAL $1.29

At this price we are showing a beautiful assortment of pretty styles and materials. This is a specially collected lot for the Christmas selling; all sizes You will find the values unusual. Snap price will be..... 1.29

Three Hundred Boxes CHRISTMAS STATIONERY
Saturday Big Annex Leader 11c Box

Six hundred boxes in the selection—fancy boxed Christmas stationery. Each box contains 24 sheets splendid quality linen finish paper and 24 envelopes to match. An excellent gift for young and old. For Saturday's Annex Leader Sale. Away less than regular prices at, box 11c
See window.

Ladies' 99c Japanese Crepe Dressing Sacques, Half Price 49c

A most acceptable ladies' gift at just half price. Excellent quality Japanese Crepe Dressing Sacques. Plain colours of red, sky, pink and mauve, with white crepe trimmings. Brand new garments that regularly sell at 99c.
Annex Leader 49c

Annex Leader. 50c, 65c and 75c Dress Goods 39c yard

Here is your opportunity. The lot contains both plain and fancy weaves and many pretty colourings. To buy them in the regular stock you would pay 50c, 65c and 75c yard. For a Christmas Annex Leader the price will be, yard 39c

Annex Leader. Ladies' and Misses' Tea Aprons 44c

Aprons are ever popular as Christmas Gifts, and this one should be—there is no lack of neatness in the making. Complete over aprons with belted waists; pockets bound with tape; all sizes; Ladies' 36 to 42; misses' 14 to 16. Mostly greys and blue greys. Annex 44c

Leader. "Delayed" Shipment White Flannelette Nightgowns 69c

A twenty-five-dozen shipment white flannelette gowns bought over one year ago, for delivery last August. Just received and are values that we could not begin to duplicate to-day. Two styles for your selection that regularly sell for 98c and $1.00. Great Annex Leader..... 69c

The CRESSMAN Company Limited

Large Quantity of Hose Destroyed in the Big Fire

Fire, Water and Light Committee is Confronted With the Necessity of Purchasing a Thousand or Fifteen Hundred Feet of Hose at Once---Will Reimburse Lindsay Fire Department--Street Lighting.

The destruction of from one thousand to fifteen hundred feet of fire hose at the Quaker Oats fire was reported to the Fire, Water and Light committee at a meeting held last evening. Fire Chief Howard said that he was unable to report the exact amount of hose destroyed owing to the fact that some of the hose was still in use and was intermingled with hose belonging to the Quaker Oats Company.

Ald. Duncan and Ald. Edgar immediately moved that the committee purchase fifteen hundred feet of new hose. Fire hose sells at about one dollar a foot.

Ald. Stratton was of the opinion that the department could get along with a thousand feet. Chief Howard reported that the hose belonging to the Quaker Oats Company had been placed in the fire station, bringing the amount of available hose up to about six thousand feet. Ald. Duncan did not think it was right to use the hose of the Quaker Oats Company. He thought it should be taken care of. Mayor Duffus did not think the Company would mind.

Ald. Stratton moved in amendment that sufficient hose be purchased to bring the amount up to the original quantity. "We are here to do business in a business way and do our duty," said Ald. Stratton with patriotic fervour.

No Delay.

"There should be no delay," put in Ald. Edgar.

Mayor Duffus thought the hose should be purchased at once. It was finally decided to secure prices on sufficient hose to bring the amount on hand up to the standard required by the Fire Underwriters, which is fifty-four hundred feet.

A length of hose belonging to the De Laval Dairy Supply Company was also destroyed in the fire. This will be replaced with a length from the Fire Department. A twenty foot ladder, a couple of pairs of rubber boots and a number of small articles were also lost. The rapidity with which the fire spread and the constant danger from falling walls was responsible for much of the loss.

The matter of reimbursing the Lindsay fire department for coming to Peterborough on the day of the fire was taken up by the committee. Chief Howard was instructed to write to the Lindsay fire chief and ask him to furnish the names of the eighteen or nineteen men that came down from Lindsay, also the name of the man who brought a motor truck with a number of extra firemen. The men who went from Peterborough to assist in the Playelle fire in Lindsay were reimbursed to the extent of ten dollars each. In all probability the Fire, Water and Light committee will take this is a basis rate for remuneration

Returned to Duty.

Fireman John Drummond, who has been laid up with a broken leg, has returned to duty. He will be retained for a month as watchman as his physical condition will not permit to engage in very heavy work

Ald. Duncan suggested that the Bonner-Worth Company be asked to place a fire escape on their building.

A number of changes in the street lighting system formed the subject of a recommendation that eventually will find its way to the Utilities Commission. It is the desire of the committee to have the G.T.R. crossings at Simcoe and Hunter streets better illuminated, and also improve the lighting system in the vicinity of St. Peter's Cathedral.

Agricultural Meeting

West Peterborough Board of Agriculture are holding meetings afternoon and evening at 4th Line Hall, January 4th, and at Bookhorn January 5th, 1917. Good speakers and programme at evening sessions. All interested please arrange to attend.

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FRUIT DEALER SOLD GROCERIES AFTER HOURS

Antonio Strano, a fruit dealer, and sometimes grocer, was fined $2 plus $3.95 costs this morning for selling canned peas, soap, sugar, etc., in contravention of the early closing bylaw. The woman who acted for the police also tried to purchase various articles from D. M. Minnecola who sold her potatoes but drew the line at the other goods.

Magistrate Dumble reserved judgment while he decided whether potatoes were a grocery or not.

NORWOOD NEWS ITEMS

Mr. John Kelly who has been in poor health for a long time wandered from his home on Saturday evening, and after being out all night reached the home of Mr. Miles, near Hastings on Sunday morning. Mr. Miles treated him with great kindness and on Sunday afternoon had him brought home to his anxious friends, who had been eagerly looking for him.

L.O.L. No. 592 South Dummer held their regular meeting on Monday and elected the following officers.

Bros. A. Webster—W. Master, E. McDonald—D. Master, W. McMaster—F. Sec., E. Jenkins—Fin. Sec., B. McVaster—Treasurer, G. Andrews, R. Ferguson—Lecturers, F. Kavanagh Cons. R. Peters—Con., G. Barr Cons. J. Clendale Con., Chas. Brown, D. of C.

A baby was born on Wednesday to Rev. and Mrs. Irwin.

Mrs. John Weir and Miss Pauline Weir were in Peterborough on Saturday.

Mrs. Bruce Puffer of Havelock visited on Saturday at the home of Mrs. I. Puffer.

Miss Loretta Kelly of New York visited Miss Annie McDonnel this week.

A tepid bath is far more refreshing than a really cold one. If you have time to spare, you will find it an excellent plan to get into a warm bath and remain there till the water has dropped in temperature to tepid.

Salt should never remain in anything rubber—for instance, hot water bottles or syringes. Rinse them out thoroughly or the rubber will soon rot.

SIX MEMBERS OF COUNCIL SUPPORT MOTOR APPARATUS

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doing business in that particular line and not consider such a thing as buying a cheap truck from a firm manufacturing pleasure cars and small delivery trucks with the idea of converting it into a fire fighting unit but to deal only with those whose business it is to manufacture the particular line of apparatus required.

Mr. C. Banks submitted a proposal respecting a fire fighting truck manufactured by the General Motors Company of Pontiac, U.S.A. which when equipped would cost in the neighborhood of $3,800 or a little over four thousand dollars for a larger sized truck laid down in Peterborough. That means that the city would be in a position to purchase two or perhaps three pieces of apparatus for a start which is in accordance with the proposal of Mayor Duffus. One small sized piece of motor driven apparatus could be used as a runabout and would carry a good sized chemical tank, the pulmotor and several hundred feet of small sized hose to be used in connection with the chemical tank.

The matter of purchasing a motor driven chemical engine has found a place in Fire Chief Howard's report for the past six or seven years.

Voice of The People

Correspondence under this heading, containing or involving attacks on individuals or violent or extreme statements, must to secure insertion, be signed with writer's real name, the owner of which thus assumes the responsibility.

Editor of The Examiner:

Sir,—A correspondent in your issue of Thursday proposes a Christmas tree for the wives and children of the men on service, instead of the entertainment as planned.

The suggestion is well meant but inconsiderate in view of the appropriation. There are 612 women and 1189 children on the list of the fund that would be entitled to participate from the city alone. To dress a Christmas tree and provide anything worth providing for the 'kids' would cost at least thirty cents individually over $350—and there would be, say, $50, of contingent expense besides.

As the original appropriation provided by the kindness of Captain Burnham, was $50, to have held the tree would have necessitated raising quite a sum and that did not seem to be practicable. However, if the correspondent wishes to carry out the suggestion there is ample time and opportunity during Christmas week, and we will all take a hand to make it a success. Respectfully,

F. H. DOBBIN.

THE WEATHER

The first snowstorm of the season arrived last night and has continued with more or less intensity all day. This should supply sufficient snow to make fair sleighing, and give the sound of tinkling sleigh bells for Christmas Day. Colder weather should follow, and from all appearances winter is now here to stay.—W. P.

When about to clean paint in a kitchen or other rooms where there is a stove heat a boiler of water and allow it to boil without a cover for a long time.

Some men work harder to get even than to earn money.

Let us suggest something nice for your friends for Christmas Gifts, in Fancy Boxed Caps, Handkerchiefs, Collars, Etc. Call and see them.

PETERBORO FANCY GOODS STORE
184 HUNTER STREET
OPEN EVENINGS

OUR CHRISTMAS STOCK

Is now most complete.
We consider this season's selections the choicest we have ever had in all our long experience as jewellers. You will find many unique and unusual gifts as well as all the newest novelties.
A particularly interesting line of new watches and jewellery. The designs are distinctive in character.
Shop early while the assortments are complete.
Any article will be reserved until Christmas.

SCHNEIDER
The Jeweller, George St.

Millinery Bargains

Ladies' newest velvet hat shapes, only 99c
Shapes in black and colors, regular values up to $3.00, only 99c
LADIES' TRIMMED HATS $2.49
A table of very desirable trimmed Hats at about half price, choice for..... $2.49

Miss McGIVERIN, 412 GEORGE ST.

Make Your Xmas Gift Furs

Imagine the pleasure derived from such a gift. Can't you see how proud and happy a gift of furs would make your friends?

Sensible, useful, comfortable. Come at once to us and let us help you make your selection.

You can count on values here.

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Manufacturing Furrier and Hatter
208 GEORGE STREET NEAR SIMCOE ST.

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Special HOUR SALE TO-NIGHT 7.30 to 8.30

Hour Sale on Main Floor
7.30 p.m. to 8.30 p.m.
Turnbull's Special Corsets, all sizes, 500 Pair To-Night **69c**

Hour Sale Ready-to-Wear
7.30 p.m. to 8.30 p.m.
Fancy Tea and Matron Aprons, some 4 in. Hemstitched hem on Border **19c**

Hour Sales in Toyland
7.30 p.m. to 8.30 p.m.
Books, Popular Fiction and Children's Books, & Henty's Books, each **25c**

Hour Sale Carpet Floor
7.30 p.m. to 8.30 p.m.
Nottingham Lace CURTAINS To-Night pair **75c**

Hour Sale in Basement
7:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Fancy Delicate Japanese China, assorted dishes To-Night **12c**

Come and See the Xmas Display of

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AND OTHER CHOICE MEATS
TURKEYS, GEESE & CHICKENS AT

JOPLING'S

Ye Old Time Xmas Beef served up to the Kings and Barons of Old England has nothing to boast of compared with the Prime Quality we have prepared for the Christmas Festival.

What we say about our Beef is true about everything else in the meat line which we display in abundance on our Shambles, Counters and Refrigerators.

We will convince you that ours is the leading Xmas Market in the City and that we live up to our motto—Good Goods, Good Prices and Prompt Delivery. Order early and save the work on Saturday Night.

JOPLING & SON, 340 George Street
Merry Xmas To One and All - Phone 275

GREATEST NEED IS MOTOR-DRIVEN APPARATUS

Peter Hamilton Co. Agree With Other Manufacturers That Motorizing of Equipment in Fire Department is Necessary—Council Not Altogether to Blame—People Turned Down One By-law.

Peterborough, Dec. 21st, 1916

The Peterborough Examiner, City:

Gentlemen,—Replying to yours of the 18th, would say that in our opinion the City of Peterborough certainly needs the best fire fighting apparatus we can get. We have a great many fine buildings in the city, both manufacturing industries and public buildings, which should have the best protection it is possible to provide for them.

The greatest need at the present time seems to be for a motor driven equipment, so that the brigade can get to the fire at the earliest possible moment, because the bulk of the fires start with a small blaze which spreads very rapidly. We do not know that the Council is altogether to blame for not having motor driven apparatus, as we remember the people turned down a by-law providing for motor driven apparatus.

We have had two or three blazes at our plant in the last few years, and the brigade has always responded very promptly, but as far as we are concerned, we certainly would prefer to see the brigade provided with a good motor driven equipment.

Yours truly,
The Peter Hamilton Company, Ltd.
Per. P. Hamilton, Sec.

RESIDENTS OF DOURO PETITION FOR HYDRO POWER AND LIGHT

The Douro Council met at the Town Hall, Douro, on Friday, Dec. 15th. All the members were present.

On motion, the minutes of the two previous meetings were read and confirmed.

By-laws No. 832 and 833, fixing upon the time and place at which the nominations and elections shall be held, were passed.

Mr. R. B. Rodgers made application to the Council, requesting it to obtain from the Hydro Electric Power commission of Ontario a supply of power for lighting, heating and power purposes.

Moved by R. Moloney, seconded by George Hamilton, that the Clerk be authorized to forward the petition signed by R. B. Rodgers and other ratepayers in Ward No. 4 to the Hydro Electric Power Commission of Ontario, and that it is the wish of the Council that an estimate of the cost of furnishing light, heat and power to the parties petitioning be made, in accordance with the regulations of the Commission.—Carried.

Moved by M. Kennedy, seconded by R. Moloney, that the Treasurer's financial statement be received and adopted, and that the Clerk have 150 copies printed for distribution among the ratepayers.—Carried.

The following accounts were passed, viz.: Joseph Curtis, overcharge of statute labour, $2; Joseph Brown, gravel, $6.75; work on side road, $27.50; work on boundary, $4.75; Samuel Stewart work on road, $9.45; repairs to water tank, $1.50; E. W. Chamberlain, gravel, $13.35; R. A. Moloney, cost of wire fence for guard on river road, $8.35; Orin Campbell, placing guard on river road, $6; H. Girven, putting in culverts on river road $10; Joseph Garvey, half cost of wire fence, $8.10; Edward Riel repairing Hynes' bridge $1; Wm. Hayes, repairing culvert, $1.90; Edmund Allen, timber for culvert, $1.30; H. G Fitzgerald, two stone hammers $1.25; Robert Allen, repairing culvert, $1; placing railing on Allen's hill, $4.25; The Examiner Printing Co., printing contract, $80; tickets for drawing contest, $8; Peck, Kerr and McElderry, legal advice, $20.00; Clerk, postage, $2; Wm. H. Allen, repairing culvert, $1.50; Robt. Hicks, cement $12.65; Robt. Heffernan wor on boundary $13, John O'Leary, commissioner on boundary, $40.50; C. W. Garbutt, work on road, $9; Catherine Mahoney, caretaker of town hall, $9; M. Walsh, sessional allowance and commission, $10; M. Kennedy, sessional allowance and commission, $16; Geo. Hamilton, sessional allowance and commission $10, R. A. Moloney, sessional allowance and commission, $10; M. P. Coughlin, sessional allowance and commission, $10; F. W. Leahy, balance of salary as clerk $50; Frank McMurray part salary as collector, $40; George Towns work in connection with basket social $1.50; Mrs. Ann Allen, damages to organ at social, $1.

Moved by R. Moloney, seconded by M. Kennedy, that Council adjourn.

WAR HAS SERIOUS EFFECT ON TEA MARKETS.

Although the far-reaching influences of the war have added enormously to the cost of tea, the recent advance of five cents a pound in the cost of "SALADA" only means that you will now get eight cups for a cent, instead of nine, and then you will get that unique flavor, absolutely unchanged.

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FINAL MEETING OF NORTH MONAGHAN'S 1916 COUNCIL

Reminder to City That it Has Failed to Make Move to Clear Park St. Drain of Sand.

ACCOUNTS PASSED

The North Monaghan Council met in Mr. W. H. Bradburn's office Dec. 15th, all the members being present and the reeve presiding. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

The following communications were read: From Pec, Kerr & McElderry, asking for $100 on account. From F. E. Wilson, application for position of tax collector. The National Sanitarium Association asking for a grant. Dr. T. N. Greer, re salary and duties. British Red Cross Society appealing for a grant from N. Monaghan. Hydro Electric Power Commission, re tax bill. Peck, Kerr & McElderry, re dog tax and sheep act. The City Clerk, re the opening of Park street drain. The Peterborough Review, re election supplies. Peterborough branch of the Red Cross Society, re grant.

The clerk reported that he had been informed by the treasurer that he paid $100 on account. F. E. Wilricultural Society. Mrs. F. A. Thomas complained of an error in her assessment.

On motion, Messrs. Dobbin and Robson, Peck, Kerr & McElderry will be paid $100on account. F. E. Wilson's application was too late.

On motion, Messrs. Rye and Bell, Dr. Greer's salary for 1916 will be $90, and the by-law appointing the M. C. H. will take effect Jan. 1, 1917.

The city clerk's letter re the Park street drain will be replied to as follows: Since receiving your letter a meeting took place between the township council and the city board of works. The township has cut and burned the weeds as agreed to, but as yet the city has not made a move to remove the sand from the drain.

By-law No. 736 was introduced, read, and finally passed.

By-law No. 735, granting one mill on the dollar on the total assessment of the township to the British Red Cross Society was introduced, read, and finally passed.

By-law No. 737, appointing deputy returning officers and poll clerks was then introduced, read and finally passed. The following are the appointments: Wm. B. Anderson, D. R.O.; Walter Byers, P.C., P. S. D. No. 1. Wm. Lang, D. R. O.; James Fowler, P. C., P. S. D. No 2 (town hall). Geo. Evans, D. R. O.; Andrew Kent, P. C., P. S. D. No. 3 (W. J. Grady's store).

The township treasurer read his annual statement for the year from Dec. 15, 1915, to Dec. 15, 1916. It was accepted as read and was ordered to be published.

The following bills were presented for payment:

James O'Keefe, labour on Park St. bridge, $37.11; Fred Levasseur, use of storehouse, $3; J. D. Manley, coal oil, 45c.; James O'Keefe, 9 arches, $9; Thos. A. Rehill, cement, $54.45; George Ward, putting in culverts, $12.38; R. A. Payne, 125 yards gravel, $18.75; J. C. Waldron, 28 yards gravel, $4.20; Taylor & Hall, culvert tile, $64.40; Bruce Johnston, postage and publishing minutes, $30.43; Peck, Kerr & McElderry, law costs, 1916, $27.50; John McIntosh, lumber for crusher, $2; Richard Moncrief, three sheep killed by dogs, $28; K. M. Denoon, two sheep killed by dogs, $20; Robt. Waterman, one sheep killed by dogs, $8. Total, $329.67.

The following salaries and sessional allowances were made:

Wm. Robson, half year's sess. allowance, $15; J. H. Bell, sess. allowance, $15; John McIntosh, sess. allowance, $45; H. B. Rye, sess. allowance, $15; R. A. Dobbin, sess. allowance, $15; Bruce Johnston, half year's salary, clerk, $137.50; W. H. Bradburn, half year's salary, treasurer, $62.50, Dr. T. N. Greer, M. O. H., 1916, $90, W. B. Anderson, sanitary inspector, 1916, $50; Bert Sanderson, caretaker town hall, $7.50; Bert Sanderson, half year's salary, assessor, $62.50, Peck, Kerr & McElderry, solicitors retaining fee, $20. Total, $505.00.

David McRoberts, British Red Cross grant for 1915, loan on note, $945; County Treasurer, county rates, 1916, $5637.42. Treasurer S. S. No. 1, $625, Treasurer S. S. No. 2 $500.00, Treasurer S. S. No. 3, $650, Treasurer S. S. No. 4 $385, Treasurer Separate School Board, Peterborough, $820. Total, $13,274.42.

DENTAL.

Dr. McKenty, Dentist, 370 George Street, on the ground floor, first door north of Peterborough Hardware Company. Nitrous oxide and oxygen administered for painless operations. 283-128

Photographs taken this week finished for New Year's

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THE WORLD OF SPORT

HOCKEY GOSSIP

The 247th Battalion team had another lively practice at Brock Street Rink, last night, and the soldiers are beginning to round into shape. They open their season on January 2nd, with Lindsay and Sergt. Bill Lane should have them in the pink of condition by that time. Coughlin and Thornton worked on the defence in last night's practice, and proved a hard pair to get around. The next 247th practice will be held on Tuesday night next.

Junior hockey players are reminded of the practice to-night at 7 o'clock. The following players are expected out: Murray, Carney, Montgomery, McIntyre, Graham, Cherratt, Bartley, McKee, Frost, Park, Scott, Moore. The Juniors will also practice on Christmas morning, at 9.30 o'clock. Players are requested not to miss either of these practices.

Leo. Dercosher worked out with the 247th Battalion team, last night. Another old Peterborough player, who was out was "Buck" O'Connell, the former Junior right wing player, who has been in New York for some time.

Jerry Coughlin and Jimmy McMartin are looking after the physical condition of the Juniors, while the former is also coaching the players. Grover Halpin is also helping the Juniors along, and took charge of Wednesday's practice.

The Montreal Herald says: — You can't keep a good man down, as instance the fact that Capt. "Coo" Dion will play with Laval in the Quebec City League this season. Capt. Dion went overseas with the second Canadian contingent and one night he headed a bombing party, which reached and "cleaned out" the enemy's trenches. Dion was wounded in several places and his escape from death proved miraculous. His right arm was almost perforated with machine gun slugs and for a long time he had to carry it helpless. He was ordered home, took the Hesperian, and that ship was torpedoed. It was "women and children first." Capt. Dion, though crippled, was one of the last to leave the ship. The lifeboat in which he left the mortally wounded liner, swamped and "Coo" again went down. But he wouldn't stay there. He grabbed something, stayed afloat, helped some companions up and was finally put ashore.

A few years ago, the Ottawas offered Dion $2,500 for one season. Later George Kennedy sent him the following telegram:

"Report to Canadiens and you can name your own terms. The sky is the limit."

But Dion stayed amateur.

The Lindsay Post says: The first hockey practice of the season was held last night at the skating rink. About twenty players turned out. Most of last year's juniors and a number of players who have figured in the O. H. A. were on the ice, and the boys had a good workout. Lindsay has plenty of material for a good Intermediate team and they should make a good showing in the O. H. A.

Hockey fans will be glad to learn that Harold Knapman, the clever little right wing of the Peterborough juniors in the season of 1913-14 and 1914-15, has been promoted Sergeant-Major of the 33rd Battery in France. He is one of the small army of Peterborough hockey players who are making good overseas.

BOWLING

Last night at the Water street alleys, the Canadian General Electric and the Wholesale Grocers, the two teams of the Peterborough Bowling League, played their last match of the year, but will continue their games after the New Year. The Canadian General Electric won two out of the three games, but the Grocers are a team that never say "take it," and in the two games they lost it was only by a few pins that did it. In this game there were two of the bowlers who had to slow down owing to having their fingers badly torn, but they deserve great credit for staying in the game and helping their team along. These gentlemen were Mr. Ross of the Grocers and Mr. Bishop of the Canadian General Electric. There were also two very hard spares pulled off by Mr. Nicholls and Mr. Outram. The high bowlers of the evening were Mr. Nicholls of the C.G.E. with a total of 523 and Mr. Gillespie of the Grocers with 501, with all the others well up together in all. This match caused great excitement and a large crowd turned out to see the game and went home satisfied that both teams will be fighting hard at the finish.

This week so far Mr. Carter and Mr. Fielder have each won the prize for getting nine spares in one game. The turkey goes to Mr. Cairns for Wednesday's and Thursday's three high consecutive games. It will be remembered that Mr. Cairns rolled his record score on Wednesday night and as his total score of 600 pins appears on the score board of the alleys, the other bowlers do not care to look upon it.

To-night's game will be the last for this year, when the Left Overs will play the Printers. This should be the great game of the season, as the Printers are a good team and three of their bowlers have held high scores for the ball. The game will start at 7.30.

Grocers—				
Heard	129	167	150	472
Ross	186	137	158	481
Gillespie	184	175	147	506
Outram	130	153	169	451
Fitzpatrick	161	140	142	443
Totals	798	772	762	2332
G. G. E.—				
Nicholls	154	177	198	529
Langley	156	150	128	442
Jardine	192	172	145	509
Mills	156	143	101	400
Bishop	159	168	101	428
	816	830	673	2330

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MILITARY NEWS

(Continued from Page 7.)

It was announced a short time ago that Mr. W. H. Dunsford, local manager of the Bank of Commerce, was arranging to secure a supply of French five franc notes for the accommodation of local people who wish to send money to their friends at the front. These notes have now arrived and may be secured at the Bank of Commerce at cost price—95c.

Brig.-Gen. Hemming, the General Officer Commanding Military District No. 3, writes as follows on recruiting:

"It is my ambition to raise in Military District No. 3, 10,000 men for all branches of the service before the spring of 1917. To attain that I must express upon all ranks the great necessity of united effort. I am of the opinion that Military District No. 3, can raise the above number provided we all work together for the good of the service. It will require the greatest possible effort and untiring energy on the part of all, nothing must be left to chance. Officers who neglect to play the game to the very best of their ability will be removed without the slightest consideration.

"It must be remembered that a unit on organization is like a new hive of bees. The officers who are the first to be appointed represent the swarm who have been allotted a new hive and are responsible for the filling up of their unit during the season, otherwise they perish for want of nourishment.

"A good motto for all officers to adopt and one that should always be kept fresh in the memory is: 'The Bee that gathers the honey doesn't hang around the hive.'

"It is expected all officers will govern themselves accordingly and better results will follow."

Bandmaster J. W. Chadwick of the 247th, recently composed a snappy march which he has named the "G. O. C." march and which has been dedicated to Brigadier General Hemming, general officer commanding No. 3 District. A copy was sent to General Hemming and Bandmaster Chadwick has received an appreciative letter from Col. Ogilvie, the A.A.G. of the district, accepting the march. Col. Ogilvie writes: "I wish to thank you on behalf of the General Officer Commanding Military District No. 3 for the interest displayed by you."

Mr. J. S. Knapman has received word that his son, Harold, who enlisted in the 33rd Battery, has been promoted in France to the responsible position of battery sergeant-major. Sergt.-Major Knapman is only twenty-one years of age, which makes his promotion the more remarkable.

Two more Apsley boys have joined the ranks of the 247th Battalion, their attestation papers having been received at headquarters to-day. They are Osborne Wm. Edwards and Theodore Luscombe.

Pte. Wm. M. Duncan one of the 93rd boys, who was sent back from England because he was under age, has enlisted with the 253rd Battalion, Queen's Highlanders. He has reached his eighteenth birthday and is, therefore, eligible to re-enlist.

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Brace Sets	50c to $1.50
Handkerchiefs	25c, 50c, 75c
Shirts	$1.00 to $5.00
Silk Reefer Mufflers (Special)	$1.50
Silk Italian Bandana Mufflers	$1.25 to $2.50
Umbrellas	$1.00 & $1.50
Pyjamas	$1.50 & $2.50
Night-Shirts	75c & $1.00
Gloves	$1.00 to $3.50
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M. J. MAHER, MANAGER

TO-DAY'S WAR NEWS

(Continued from page 7.)

PARIS, December 22.—The German submarine U-45 has been sunk by destroyers, according to a Nantes despatch. The U-45 recently sank steamers off St. Nazaire.

LONDON, December 22.—(By Ed. L. Keen)—In midst of a tirade of bitterness against President Wilson as expressed in London evening newspapers is this importantly suggestive paragraph in the Westminster Gazette. "If President Wilson has knowledge hitherto denied us that our enemy is willing to acknowledge our claims he well knows we would be the last to reject his good offices." The London Globe sincerely hopes Wilson is not ill, but says it has grave doubts of his physical well-being.

PETROGRAD, December 22.—The greater part of a Bulgarian detachment advancing eastward to Lake Babadag from Emisal, in Dobrudja, was forced into Lake Ibolota ad many were drowned, to-day's official statement declared. The Russian troops took 115 prisoners.

THE HAGUE, December 22.—Germany will disclose her chief peace terms immediately, if the forthcoming note from the Entente Powers, in reply to Bethmann-Hollweg's peace proposals leaves the peace door open, German despatches said, it was semi-officially announced to-day.

OTTAWA, Ont., December 22.—The permanent boycotting of Germans, Austrians, Bulgarians and Turks by the Canadian Government, was foreshadowed to-day by the announcement that in future no subjects of these nations would be allowed to homestead on Dominion lands.

LONDON, December 22.—The attitude of the British Government on President Wilson's peace note cannot be defined until after England has consulted with the Allies, Chancellor of the Exchequer Bonar Law announced in the House of Commons to-day. He spoke in reply to a question seeking the exact definition of Britain's position on the note.

PARIS (French Official), December 22. — Violent cannonading last night in the region of Louvemont, north of Verdun, was reported in to-day's official statement. Elsewhere along the western front it was quiet. The statement also detailed an artillery duel yesterday north of Monastir, which is still continuing to-day. Patrol engagements on the Struma front were also reported.

LONDON, December 22.—After two years' occupation by the enemy British forces have taken El-Arish, according to a War Office announcement to-day.

El-Arish is a fortified Egyptian town on the Palestine border at the mouth of the River "Wady El Arish" or "River of Egypt," on the Mediterranean sea. It is ninety miles east of the Suez Canal.

Acclamation Also For Douro Council

Douro township council was re-elected by acclamation to-day as follows:

Reeve—M. Walsh.

Councillors—Martin Coughlin, Geo. Hamilton, Michael Kennedy, Roger Maloney.

Otonabee Council Re-elected For 1917

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

KEENE, Dec. 22.—Otonabee Council was re-elected as follows, to-day:

Reeve—W. A. Anderson.

Deputy-Reeve—F. A. Eason.

Councillors — Gilbert, Howson, David Lowrie and John O'Leary.

Throwing Stones ..... sc.

Election Will Be Needed in Ennismore

Ennismore nominations to-day, were as follows:

For Reeve—John Young and John Holland.

For Council—Clayton Telford, J. Sullivan, N. Sullivan, F. Scollard, T. Y. Crowley, M. Perdue.

SMITH TOWNSHIP.

Reeve—Fred McKee by acclamation.

Deputy-Reeve — Geo. Nicholls, by acclamation.

For Council—J. A. Middleton, C. E. Moore, Jas. Grant, Peter Nicholls, (three to be elected). Wm. Brown also was nominated, but withdrew.

TROUBLES FOR TOURISTS.

No more Cheap Continental Trips—War Has Raised Prices.

VIENNA, Dec. 21.—The troubles of the "See Europe" travellers are piling up, according to the opinion of qualified observers. Cheap tours will be out of the question, and the days in which a dollar doubled and trebled in value crossing the border have gone forever. The war has brought high taxes and spread ruin everywhere, and travel in Europe after the war will be more expensive than the United States, it is believed. There is no such thing as an empty room in a Vienna hotel at present and rooms have to be reserved a long time in advance, while the rates are constantly increased.

Constantinople, boasting of but two first-class and three second-class hotels, has become impossible for the ordinary traveller, and the Balkans are practically closed.

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FURS—6 Only Black Wolf Muffs. Regular $10.00 ..... 4.98

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PROBABILITIES.

Fair and colder to-night and on Saturday.

SANTA CLAUS AT KNOX CHURCH.

Santa Claus will visit Knox church lecture hall this evening. All who wish to see him should be present.

FOWL PROBABILITIES.

If this storm continues some farmers who may fight their way to market will want $10 for a Christmas turkey.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr Wm. Kemp and family wish to thank the Canadian Order of Foresters, Quaker Oats Co., Nicholls Hospital staff and others for their kindness and sympathy on the occasion of their recent sad and sudden bereavement in the death of John Kemp, in the Quaker Oats disaster.

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WEDDING BELLS

JONES—BRISBIN

Yesterday at the parsonage of the Park Street Baptist Church, Clarence Melville Jones and Rosamond Irene Brisbin, both of Peterboro, were united in marriage by Rev. D. Brown. The attendants were Neill F. Porter and Miss Gladys Brisbin. The happy young coulpe left for Lindsay after the ceremony. They will return

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GENERAL WANTS RECALL?

Berlin Says British and French Officers Leave Roumania.

BERLIN, via Sayville wireless, Dec. 21.—The French General Berthelot, commanding the allied troops in Roumania, has asked for his recall, according to the newspaper Hamburger Fredemblatt, yesterday. The same paper is authority for the statement that a majority of the British officers attached to the Roumanian general staff have started for England.

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PLEADED GUILTY TO SMUGGLING CHARGE

Tip to Police Results in Capture of One of Gang—Claimed That Much Goods is Brought over River During Night

SARNIA, Dec. 22.—The police received a tip that a number of men were making their way across the river from Port Huron in a rowboat, and surmising the most probable landing place they journeyed there, secreted themselves and waited. Presently the boat hove in sight and a landing was made.

As soon as this was accomplished the officers sprang from their hiding place and confronted the men, of whom there were three, and they immediately took to their heels. Two managed to get away successfully, but the third member of the party, Wm. Syphers, was taken in charge by the officers and appeared in court Tuesday, charged with smuggling dutiable goods into the country. These were found in the boat.

Collector of Customs C. S. Ellis stated that upon payment of a deposit equal to the value of the goods, the customs department would be willing to drop the charge, which might include a term of imprisonment. Syphers was remanded for sentence until the other members of the party, whom he claimed had purchased most of the goods, are located. However, he later pleaded guilty to the charge, and will be released upon payment of the costs of court and making a settlement with the customs officials.

It is stated that this method of evading the customs, by bringing goods across in a boat under cover of darkness, has been going on for some time, but until now the officials have been unable to locate the offenders.

A bag of oatmeal is a good thing to keep by you if you have to wash your hands often and can't always dry them perfectly. Instead, plunge them into your oatmeal bag, and dry them quickly afterwards. They will never chap if you do this

Social and Personal

Great success attended the tea held yesterday at the Masonic Hall by the Mth Chapter I.O.D.E. The rooms were charmingly decorated with huge bunches of holly, Christmas bells and red shaded candles, and in spite of the busy season a large number found time to come in to tea. Among whom were: Mrs. Fred Roy, Mrs. W. J. Green, Mrs. (Dr.) Eastwood, Mrs. (Dr.) Boucher, Montreal; Mrs George Boucher, Miss Belcher, Mrs. Fortye, Miss L. Rubridge, Mrs. Gerald Wood, Mrs. Campazzi, Mr. Abbott, Miss J. Kingan, Mrs. W. H. Hill, Miss Ruth Robertson, Mrs. Northedge Birks, Master Robertson Birks, Miss Powel, Miss F. Routley, Miss Reid, Mrs. H. E. Courthard, Mrs. Goodwill, Mrs. Langford, Miss D. Langford, Mrs. Shooks, Lieut. D. Shooks, Mrs. Arthur Bellaghem, Mrs. Sedgwick, Mrs. Renwick, and Miss Maisie Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. S. Hay and Miss Hay left to-day for Marmora, where they will spend Christmas the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Crawford.

Pte. Cyril Tarte, 235th Battalion, Hamilton, is expected in the city this evening to spend Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rogers are spending the holidays the guests of Mrs. Rogers' parents, Dr. and Mrs. Simmons.

Miss M. Rogers is in Toronto for the holidays visiting Mrs. Wells.

Miss Josephine McNichol of Oshawa, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. W. J. Grady, Lock street.

Miss Hilda Bonnycastle of Campbellford, a well known vocalist and musician, who has been doing a good deal of professional patriotic work in Toronto, was in the city today on her way to her home to spend the Christmas holidays.

Lieut. C. W. McDermid, 227th Battalion, Mrs. N. L. McDermid, Collingwood, and Miss Jean Aitken, Collingwood, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. McDermid, for Christmas.

Mrs. Lithroy Goulet, Weller street, leaves to-morrow for Montreal to spend Christmas.

Mrs. F. M. Dela Fosse, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Frewer, Toronto, returned home last night.

Mr. Core, Bank of Montreal, leaves this evening for Montreal, where he will spend Christmas.

Sergt. W. F. Derry of the 74th Battery, Kingston, is home for the Christmas holidays.

Lieut. A. R. Laing of the Canadian Army Service Corps, Halifax, is home for Christmas.

Mr. W. Curtin of Sandford, Man., is visiting in Peterboro, the guest of Mr. J. H. Morrison, 179 Dublin St.

Cadet Donald Cameron, Royal Medical College, Kingston, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Cameron, Charlotte Street.

The Hearth Association hope that everybody will contribute to the success of the tea, card party and dance to be held at the Empress on Friday, the 29th, by being present. Tables may be reserved for either afternoon or evening by notifying Mrs. Aylmer, Weller Street. The announcement is the only form of invitation to be extended.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Eaton of Toronto, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Eaton, Park street.

Messrs. M. A. Santell and C. H. Moore of Kingston, are guests of the Oriental.

Mrs. E. R. Wood and her family, are spending the winter in California.—Toronto World.

Mr. J. G. Belleghem, Bank of Montreal, Mount Forest, is the guest of his parents, Hunter street.

SUDDEN DEATH OF MR. MACKENZIE

Foreman of C. G. E. Controller Department Dies this Morning

John Mackenzie, 310 Maitland avenue, went to work this morning as usual at seven o'clock and at 8 was pronounced dead from heart failure by Dr. Cameron, the physician of the C.G.E. Such are the facts briefly of the tragic death of Mr. Mackenzie, foreman of the controller department of the C.G.E. He came to Canada forty years ago at the age of 21, from Edinburough and resided in the United States, coming to Peterborough when the Canadian General plant was first brought here. He was a Mason and a consistent member of Knox church. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife, formerly Mary Adams of Montreal, and five daughters, Mrs. T. Clarke of McCrimmon, Helen, Mary Grace and Ruth at home.

The funeral will take place on Sunday at 1.30, under the auspices of the I.O.O.F., of which he was a member.

SALE OF CHURCH IS COMPLETED

Christian Scientists Have New Quarters in Bank of Commerce Building

The Christian Scientists have completed the sale of their property known as First Church of Christ Scientist, 378 Aylmer street, to Mr. G. A. Gillespie, M.P.P., for a garage. This property has been a paying investment for the Christian Scientists. They have now a neatly furnished hall in the Bank of Commerce building, just opposite the post office, with a good Sunday school, library, all accounts paid and a very substantial sum as a building fund for the purpose of getting a lot and building a new church in the near future.

MASCULINE DENTISTRY.

A woman may be a fool, a sleepy fool, a too awfully noxious fool, and she may even be simply stupid But she is never dense. She's never made of wood through and through as some men are. There is in woman, always, somewhere, a spring. Whatever men don't know about women (and it may be a lot or it may be little), men and fathers do know that much. And that is why so many men are afraid of them.

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There's a surprising list of gift suggestions to be found in a well stocked optical establishment, and they are the unusual kind that are always appreciated.

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New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Markets here and in Chicago opened much stronger to-day.

New York Stocks.

Air Brake 104 7-4, 144 3-4; Atch. 102 1-2, 103 5-8; B. and O. 83, 83 3-8; C. P. R. 164, 166; New York Central 103 1-2, 103 3-4; Erie 34 1-2, 34 3-4; Erie Preferred 48 3-4, 49; Pennsylvania 55 7-8, 56 1-4; U. P. 148 1-2, 147 1-2; Rep. Steel 75, 75 3-4; U. S. Steel 104, 106 1-2; Anaconda 79 3-4, 82 1-2; Beth. Steel 500, 506; Loco. 73, 75 1-4; Inter. Nickel 41 1-4, 42 3-8.

Canadian Stocks.

Dom. Steel 65, 65 3-8; Steamers 33, 34; Steel of Can. 61, 62; Smelters 31, 33; Gen. Elec. 110 1-2, 112; Cement 60 1-2, 61 3-4.

Twin Fireplaces.

We peeped through the glass doors. "Two fireplaces! What luxury?" she exclaimed. "You see," said I, "whenever I get tired of reading philosophy at the east fireplace, I'll just come round the corner and read 'Alice in Wonderland' at the west chimney nook." Double fireplaces—twin fireplaces—twin fires! That's it, Twin Fires. That ought to be the name of your house." "You're right," I cried, delighted. "I've never been able to think of a name. That's the inevitable one—that's Flaubert's one right word: — From "The Idyl of Twin Fires," a delightful story by Walter Pritchard Eaton, just published by Hodder & Stoughton.

NOT DELIVERED YET.

"Naturally," said the minister, "I take a deep interest in this force at Salonika. Are you aware, Mrs. X., that these Salonicans are the Thessalonians to whom St. Paul sent a letter?" Mrs. X. looked up. "Well, he may have written there, I'm not saying he didn't. But I'm sorry for him if he sent parcels. I sent two to my boy months since and they haven't been delivered yet."

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Candies, from	15c lb. to 50c lb.
Oranges, Navel, Seedless,	30c, 40c, 45c, 50c doz.
Choice Nuts, all kinds, from	20c lb.
New Dates	15c lb.
Choice Black & Green Teas from	30c lb.
Cooked Ham	45c lb.
Roast Pork	40c lb.
Bologna Sausage	15c lb.
Head Cheese, 1-lb. moulds	13c
Smoked Ham, from	28c lb.
Sugar-Cured York Breakfast Roll Bacon	32c lb.

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Electric Iron $4.00

Christmas Gift

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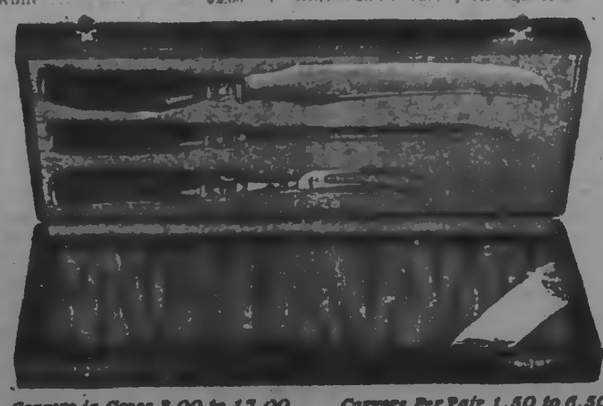
Sugar Shell	$1.00	Tea Spoons, dozen	$4.50
Pickle Fork	$1.00	Dessert Spoons, 1-2 dozen	$4.00
Olive Fork	$1.00	Table Spoons, each	75c
Butter Knife	$1.00	Coffee Spoons, 1-2 dozen	$2.25
Cold Meat Fork	$1.25	Orange Spoons, 1-2 dozen	$2.50
Berry Spoon	$2.00	Fruit Knives, 1-2 dozen	$3.00
Pie Knife	$2.50	Knives and Forks, ¼ doz. case	$5.50

Casseroles $2.50 and $3.00

Brass Goods

Fern Pots, $1.25 to	$2.00
Kettles, $1.50 to	$2.50
Jardinieres, $1.25 to	$6.00
Vases, $1.25 to	$2.50
Candlesticks per pair, $3.50 to	$3.00
Fire Sets, $7.00 to	$11.50
Coal Hods, $13.50 and	$16.00
Ash Trays, 30c to	$2.25
Smoking Sets, $1.25 to	$4.00
Tobacco Jars, $1.25 to	$1.75
Pedestals	$3.50
Umbrella Stands, $4.75 to	$5.75



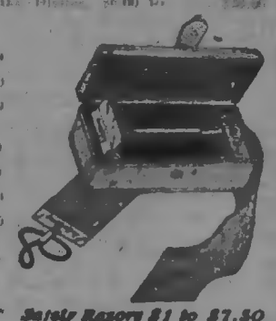
Carvers in Cases 3.00 to 17.00. *Carvers Per Pair 1.50 to 6.50*

Hollow Ware

Pie Plate, $2.50 to	$4.00
Biscuit Jar, $3.50 to	$5.75
Pickle Stand, $2.75 to	$3.00
Butter Dish, $4.00 to	$6.00
Sugar Bowl, $4.50 and	$4.75
Cake Plate, $3.75 and	$4.50
Bread Trays, $3.00, $4.00 and	$4.00
Dessert Set (cream and sugar)	$6.50
Marmalade	$3.50
Gravy Boat and Plate, $6.00 and	$7.00
Bake Dishes, $6.00 to	$10.00

Carpet Sweepers $3.00 to $4.75

Vacuum Sweeper	$11.50	Rayo Hanging Lamp	$4.00
Sad Irons, per set	$1.50	Alarm Clocks, $1.35 to	$2.50
Express Waggons, $1.50 to	$5.00	Spark Guards $1.75 to	$ 2.00
Hand Sleighs, 75c to	$3.00	Wash Machine, New Century Jr.	$12.00
Velocipedes, $4.50 to	$16.00	Wringers, $4.75 to	$6.00
Skates, per pair 50c to	$5.00	Wringer Stands	$2.50
Rayo Lamp	$3.50	O'Cedar Mop, $1.00 to	$1.50
Food Choppers, $1.50, $2.00, $2.75			



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SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

NEW YORK, Dec. 23. — It is rumoured here that the 11,000-ton liner Voltaire, with 140 men, has been sunk by a submarine in the Atlantic.

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To suffer day in and day out with lame back, rheumatism or kidney trouble with the prospect of these diseases becoming chronic, when you can secure a medicine at small cost that will cure you, Dr. Banta's Kidney and Rheumatic Pills are so reliable and satisfactory in the treatment of these diseases, that if you are a sufferer you will be well advised if you secure a box of them at once and give them a trial. We know what the result will be. They are sold and recommended at Lynch's Drug Store, 168 Hunter street, Peterborough.

Lakefield Council In By Acclamation

LAKEFIELD, Dec. 23.—The Lakefield Council was re-elected by acclamation as follows: H. G. Fitzgerald (Reeve), Councillors J. Hull, W. Madill, S Charlton and A. E. Kennedy.

The following three candidates were re-elected to the School Board: C. S. Tanner, J. Redpath, and J. Waldron.

The following three members were already in: Dr. J. R. Fraser, E. Galvin, and Dr. Gibson.

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TAKE ZUTOO

Cardinal Mercier's Stern Protest On Hun Slave Raid

Full Text of Message He Sent to German Authorities on Raids Made on Civilian Belgians and Then Deportation To Germany.

TORN BY FORCE FROM HOME

NEW YORK, December 23.—Cardinal Mercier's protest against the deportation of Belgians to Germany, only brief excerpts of which came in the cable despatches, has been received here in its full text, as follows:

Malines—Every day the military authorties deport from Belgium into Germany thousands of inoffensive citizens to oblige them there to perform forced labour.

As early as October 19 we sent to the Governor-General a protest, a copy of which was handed to the representatives of the Holy See, of Spain, the United States and Holland, in Brussels, but the Governor-General replied to it that nothing could be done.

At the time of our protestation the orders of the occupying power threatened only the unemployed; to-day every able-bodied man is carried off, pellmell, assembled in freight cars, and carried off to unknown parts, like a herd of slaves. The enemy proceeds by regions. Vague rumours had come to our ears that arrests had been made in Tournau, Ghent and Alost, but we were not aware of the conditions under which they had been made. Between October 24 and November 2 it occurred in the region of Mons, Quievran, St. Guislain, Jemappes, in bunches of 800 to 1,200 men a day. The next and the following days it occurred in the Arrondissment of Nivelles. Here is a specimen of the announcement concerning the proceedings.

"By order of the Kreischef every male person over 17 years old shall present himself, Place St. Paul, in Nivelles, on November 6., 1916, at 8 o'clock (Belgian time), 8 o'clock (Central time), bringing with him his identification card and eventually his card from the Meldeamt.

"Only small hand baggage is permitted.

"Those not presenting themselves will be forcibly deported into Germany, and will besides be liable to a heavy fine and to long imprisonment.

"Ecclesiastics, physicians, lawyers, and teachers are exempt from this order.

"The mayors will be held responsible for the proper execution of this order, which must be brought immediately to the knowledge of the inhabitants."

Between the announcement and the deportation there is an interval of only 24 hours.

Under pretext of public works to be performed on Belgian soil, the occupying power had attempted to obtain from the communities the lists of workingmen out of work. Most of the communities proudly refused.

Three decrees from the General Government prepared the way for the execution which is in force to-day.

Under date of August 15, 1915, a first decree imposes, under penalty of imprisonment and fine, forced work on the idle, but adds that the work is to be executed in Belgium, and that non-compliance will be adjudged by Belgian tribunals.

NUMEROUS WAR LEVIES.

A second decree, dated May 2, 1916, reserves the right of the German authorities to supply work to the idle, and threatens a fine of three years' imprisonment and 20,000 marks impossible on anybody executing or ordering to be executed work not approved of by the General Government.

Under the same decree, the right to judge infractions which had remained with the Belgian tribunals passes from the Belgian to the German tribunals.

A third decree, dated May 13, 1916, "authorizes the Governors, the military commanders, and the chiefs of arrondissements to order that the unemployed be conducted by force to the places where they must work." This was already forcible working, although in Belgium.

Now it is no longer a queston of forcible working in Belgium, but in Germany, and for the benefit of the Germans.

To give an appearance of plausibility to these violent measures, the occupying power insisted in the German press, both in Germany and Belgium, on these two pretexts—the unemployed constitute a danger to public order and a burden on official benevolence.

To this we replied in a letter addressed to the Governor-General and to the head of the Political Department on October 16, as follows:

"You are well aware that public order is in no wise threatened, and that all influences, moral and civil, would support you spontaneously were it in danger. The unemployed are not a burden on official benevolence; it is not from your funds that they receive assistance."

In his reply the Governor-General no longer urges these two first considerations, but he alleges that "doles to the unemployed, from whatever source they may come at present, must finally be a charge upon our finances, and that it is the duty of a good administrator to lighten such charges"; he adds that "prolonged unemployment would cause our workmen to lose their technical proficiency, and that in the time of peace to come they would be useless to industry."

True, there were other ways in which our finances might have been protected. We might have been spared those war levies which have now reached the sum of one billion francs, and are still mounting up at the rate of forty millions a month; we might have been spared those requisitions in kind, which amount to several thousands of millions, and are exhausting us."

There are other ways of providing for the maintenance of professional skill among our workpeople such as leaving to Belgium industry; its machinery and accessories, its raw materials, and its manufactured goods, which have passed from Belgium into Germany. And it is neither to the

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"Examiner" of Dec. 14, 1882, Recalls Old Times, Prices and Persons

A copy of The Examiner (Weekly) of Thursday, December 14, 1882, recalls a past that knew little of the high cost of living, judging from the following market quotations, supplied by W. H. Wrighton, general grocer, George Street:

Flour, per cwt.—$3.50.
Beef (hinds) per cwt.—$5 to $6.50.
Beef (fore), per cwt.—$5 to $5.50.
Lamb, per lb.—6c to 8c.
Hogs, per cwt.—$7.50 to $7.75.
Butter, roll, per lb.—20c to 25c.
Butter, tub, per lb.—17c to 20c.
Eggs, per doz.—24c to 25c.
Lard, per lb.—13c to 14c.
Potatoes, per bag—75c to 80c.
Apples, per bag—60c to $1.25.
Turkeys, each—60c to $1.00.
Geese, each—40c to 50c.
Ducks, per pair—40c to 60c.
Chickens, per pair—35c to 50c.
Hay, per ton—$10 to $11.
Hardwood, per load—$3.50 to $4.
Fall wheat—86c to 92c.

Among the Advertisers.

Macfarlane Wilson announced in big type, "direct from Germany" 1,200 pairs of vases and 1,000 fancy cups and saucers.

C. B. Routley's was, even then, the headquarters of Santa Claus.

Alex. Graham conducted an 8 cent store, and Thos. Kelly was a prominent dry goods merchant.

Long Bros. were prominent confectioners and R. W. Errett specialized in pianos and organs. Poussette and Roger were leading barristers, and Thos. E. Pope conducted a store, selling men's and women's dress goods and boots and shoes. 'Quack' medicines were extensively advertised.

W. A. Vanderwood, jeweller, carried a half-page Christmas "ad." Other merchants were T. Dolan & Co., ready-made clothing, overcoats, etc.; Geo. W. Rubidge, cigars and tobaccos; McKee and Davidson, hardware merchants; Mills Bros., furriers; M. McFadden, furniture dealer, Butler's grocery shop; Foot and McWhinnie, boot merchants, and others.

Two columns were devoted to Rev. Wm. Bennett's sermon at the anniversary of Springville Presbyterian Church.

The Grand Jury for the December sessions was composed of John Findlay, Jos. Brodie, Paul Costello, J. Gillespie, W. Millan, J. Hunter, J. Lockhart, D. McNevin, J. Cardwell, J. A. Fife, R. Graham, G. A. Harvey, H. Long, Jos. McKee, John Telford and John Beavis. The jury regretted to see so many stalwart prisoners without employment.

A bazaar at the Convent was announced for Dec. 21 and 22, and reports were given of the election of officers of Diamond Loyal Orange Lodge and McWilliams' Lodge of True Blues.

Local town topics included the following:

The first skating carnival will be held on Dec. 29th.

Work on the Missing Link is progressing in spite of the weather. The steam shovel stops for neither storm nor snow.

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Don't be too hard on the bakers for keeping up the price of bread. Recollect that hops are dear, wood is money and labour demands high wages.

Messrs. A. Elliott and F. G. Birney arrived home from the Northwest on Saturday.

Rev. Father Conway of Toronto arrived on Thursday to take the duties of Rev. Father Lynch at St. Peter's church.

Mr. Wm Cresswell, Antrim street, presented this old copy of the Examiner as a reminder of conditions obtaining 34 years ago.

London Estates With An Annual Rent Roll of $250,000 To Go Under Hammer

LONDON, Dec. 21.—Lord Alington's great London estates, which produce a rent roll of about $250,000 a year, with important reversions in five years' time, are to be put up for auction next spring. Engineering works, factories and wharves on the Regent's Canal off the City road and more than 2,500 houses are included in the sale, which has been intrusted to Messrs. Knight, Frank & Rutley, in conjunction with Messrs. Vigers & Co., agents for the estate.

The sale will end the prospect that the "Mobbs millions" may ever go to any of the "rightful heirs" who have turned up at intervals during the last eighty years.

After the passing of the Real Property Limitation Act in 1847 there never was any prospect of success in the pursuit of the glittering bubble, but when the Alington estate has been sold in market overt the purchasers will be the only persons who will ever enjoy the "Mobbs millions."

John Mobbs was a Northamptonshire coachman, who in 1757 married the daughter of his old master, a rich London distiller, and thus became owner of a large agricultural estate in Hoxton and Islington. Building over this land had long been restricted, because the citizens of London possessed the ancient rights of "free archery" over them, and there were stone "archer's marks" dotted over the fields when John Mobbs became their owner.

The estate which he purported to bequeath by his will ran from Old street to the Rosemary Branch Tavern and Tea Gardens—now in Shepperton road, Islington—and then to Frog farm and Frog lane. The latter is now represented by the populous thoroughfare called Queen's place. Popham road, Rheidol terrace and Danbury street.

The Sturts were descended from a family of London merchants, one of whom, Humphrey Sturt, married in 1756 Miss Mary Pitfield, only daughter and heiress of Mr. Charles Pitfield, of Hoxton. Mr. C. B. Sturt, his grandson, thus became the owner of the land on which Pitfield street was built, and this land adjoined the Mobbs estate.

Building began on the southern part of the Mobbs meadows in 1820, and by 1842 they were all covered with houses except the Rosemary Branch Tea Gardens.

The construction of the Regent's Canal had added to the value of Lumping Will's field, Spice Island field, Botany Bay field and the other grazing lands which John Mobbs owned, and wharves and coal yards and canal basins and timber yards have occupied those acres ever since.

Slums grew up there, too, which the ratepayers had to buy up at high prices in order to replace with more healthful dwellings.

The greater part of the Mobbs meadows fell into the hands of the Sturts, the head of whom is now Lord Alington, and as London increases in value the value of the estate grows up. Various descendants of John Mobbs carried on lawsuits and seized empty houses, but aways failed. Many of the original leases did not fall in until 1870, and there was then a recrudescence of hostilities. Pugilists were employed to garrison the empty houses, but Lord Alington won in the end and the Mobbs meadows are now to be dispersed under the auctioneer's hammer.

THE H-3 TO BE "LOGGED OUT."

Proposal Made to Move Grounded Submarine by Method Used with Big Trees.

EUREKA, Cal., Dec. 23.—The submarine H-3, nine feet deep in sand, where she grounded last Thursday, may be "logged out," just as the giant redwood trees of California are moved.

The Navy Department is considering a proposal for a lumber crew to build a skid road down the beach to the vessel, pull her out with a donkey engine and across half a mile of sand to Humboldt Bay, where she may be overhauled and relaunched. Thirty days would be required for the work, it is said.

Views On The Wilson Note

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Prominent Republicans asserted that the peace moves of President Wilson and Secretary Lansing showed hypocrisy and incompetency.

PARIS, Dec. 23.—French views re Wilson similar to Britain's. There is feeling, however, that he may have the German back-down in his pocket.

CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 23.—Representative Gardner of Massachusetts says President Wilson blunderingly is helping Germany to escape penalty of her wickedness.

FIFTY MILLIONS FOR SHIPPING

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—The United States may spend fifty million for building, purchasing and leasing vessels for merchant marine.

Two Norwegian Steamers Sunk

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 23. — The Norwegian steamers Avona and Murata were both sunk on the way from the United States to Norway.

Premier Gets Big Reception

Examiner Special:

TORONTO, Dec. 23.—Sir Robert Borden and R. B. Bennett, M.P., got big reception here in a plea for national service.

Russians Are On the Offensive

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, Dec. 23.—The Russians continue on the offensive. The Bulgars are being driven back all along the line.

British Very Active at Ypres

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec. 23.—The British are very active in the Ypres-Messines section.

ELECTED BY ACCLAMATION

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

HASTINGS, Dec. 23.—The Hastings Council was re-elected by acclamation.

ACTIVITY ON VERDUN FRONT

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, Dec. 23. —Intense artillery bombardment continued through yesterday on the Verdun front.

GERMANS ARE BEING DISENFRANCHISED

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

KITCHENER, Ont., Dec. 23.—Two hundred and forty-six Germans have been disfranchised.

"Why, Tommy," exclaimed the Sunday school teacher, "don't you say your prayers every night before you go to bed?" "Not any more," replied Tommy. "I used to when I slept in a folding bed, though."

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8.25 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
8.30 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
11.40 a.m.—Mid-day express for Toronto, reaching Toronto at 3.15 p.m.
12.30 p.m.—For Lakefield.
11.00 a.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
1.30 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
3.35 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
5.40 p.m.—For Lakefield.
6.45 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
9.05 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Boston.

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CORRECTED JUNE 5, 1916.

*10.30 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*11.27 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N.B., Boston, and New York.
*1.20 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls and Ottawa.
**11.27 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and intermediate points and all points east of Montreal.

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*8.40 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Galt, Woodstock, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*5.05 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
*7.30 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York, Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
**3.15 p.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port Nelson and Intermediate points
**3.45 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Buffalo, New York, Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, London, Detroit and Chicago.
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(Continued from yesterday)

Their mother entered the room as he spoke and paused at the threshold. Her two sons went forward to meet her, and for a moment, she stood looking into Hamilton's eyes. Under her gaze their heat of conquest softened into tenderness and she brushed back the hair from his forehead as she shook her head and her eyes became misty.

"My egotistical boy," she said in a low voice. "My dear, egotistical boy!"

Yamuro appeared in the doorway, bearing a telegram, which Hamilton Burton swiftly opened.

"I am bringing in the pelt," were the highly informative words. "Hendricks accompanies me. Ruferton."

The financier crumpled the slip in his hand and smiled.

"It's fortunate," he murmured half aloud, "very fortunate for Ruferton that he didn't fail."

CHAPTER XVI

When Mr. Ruferton and Mr. Hendricks presented themselves at the door of Hamilton Burton's house, the clock was striking nine. After divesting himself of his overcoat the politician stood awaiting before the open fire with the manner of one who faces a doubtful half hour and who faces it with grave anxiety.

Ruferton meanwhile made opportunity to slip his portfolio to the butler with the request that Mr. Burton should run through its contents before he came downstairs and that was a request with which his employer fully complied.

Yet within a few minutes the financier entered the library, his face lit with a sunny smile of cordiality. Hendricks took a hasty step forward.

"Mr. Burton," he questioned tensely, "in heaven's name, what is this menace of which you sent me warning?"

"It is grave enough," came the prompt response, "to warrant my asking you to come at whatever inconvenience. But, first may I put to you a question? Will you sell to me your holdings of Coal and Ore stock—at a price well above the market?" The question came casually at a moment when Hendricks burned for personal information and it took him off his feet. Incidentally it informed him subtly that whatever Hamilton Burton was willing to do for him would be predicated on what he was willing to do for Hamilton Burton. Burton bargains were rarely charities.

"My Coal and Ore is not for sale," he answered vaguely.

"Though I offer your own price?"

"No. The question is not one of price, but of loyalty."

"Loyalty to Malone and Harrison?"

Among others, yes. To the heads of the Consolidated group. Now will you please give me the news for which I have come a long distance?"

Hamilton Burton's eyes grew flinty. "Do you not recognize in me one of the heads of Consolidated?" he curtly inquired.

Already the active mind of this successful and tricky manipulator of politics was piecing together fragments and glimpsing the connection between the threatened scandal and Burton's anxiety to buy. He became wary, covering himself with an assumption of boldness.

"To be candid, Mr. Burton, your effort to augment your holdings so largely and suddenly on the eve of the annual meeting might indicate that the interests of yourself and Malone run counter each to each. Why should I antagonize those in supreme power?"

"I shall be equally frank," Hamilton Burton came close and his lips drew themselves in a taunt line. "Tomorrow I shall wrest from the Malone gang this supreme power in which you speak. I mean to force Malone and Harrison to their knees and to assume complete mastery."

The state senator lifted his brows ironically. "It's a large contract," he commented. "So you call on me to ship you the ace you need to fill. Well I can't see it."

"Then I'll ask you. I expect you to remain, as you have shown yourself in the past, a practical man. I expect to realize that you have more to gain by allying yourself with a victorious leader than in walking the plank at the heels of Malone and Harrison."

"I am so practical," the other reminded him, "that I want stronger evidence than mere assertion that you can overthrow these men."

"At all events I can overthrow you." The words were suddenly fierce.

Hamilton Burton stood on the table several sheets of paper, drawn from the breast pocket of his evening coat and previously from Ruferton's portfolio. "That memorandum in the hands of certain civic-reform societies would sound the death knell of your political future. You talk of what evidence you want—that would satisfy a grand jury."

The master schemer glanced hurriedly at the too-familiar contents of the typed pages and gasped.

"A half-million dollars!" he exclaimed weakly.

"Incontrovertible evidence," Hamilton assured him, "as to how you, while a member of the state senate spent five hundred thousand dollars to secure the Coal and Ore charter. Malfeasance, bribery—you know the legal terms in which such conduct might be defined better than I."

For a moment Hendricks laughed—then with a well-simulated coolness he retorted, "A weapon hardly available to your hand, Mr. Burton. You will recall that I acted for you. To accuse me as agent would be to convict yourself as principal."

But Hamilton's laugh was the more confident.

"Think again. I may have erred in granting you to free a hand as an agent, but I left the details to you. My only offense was over-confidence in you. It was not I who debauched a senate. Moreover, this accusation will not come from me—ostensibly. It will come through the press tomorrow morning—and come hot."

Hendricks drew back a step and his face paled.

"By God!" he exclaimed in a voice of betrayed bitterness. "There is only one name for this—sheer blackmail."

"In that case," warned Burton ominously, "I would in your position, refrain from using any name. I have neither the time to bargain nor the inclination to plead. The bill that charges my railroad train must take his chance. The engine will not stop. You can rise with me to power and rely on my stanch friendship, or—well, there won't be much left to go down with Malone."

The two men stood facing each other, one implacably resolute, the other in a torture of quandry. At last, Burton added:

"You may believe me when I tell you that I cannot be legally touched in this matter, and that you can be sent to Sing Sing. Choose your course—and choose quickly. I offer you a fair chance between uniting your fortunes with a rising dynasty and shackling them to one which is tattering."

Hendricks took a step in the direction of the door. "From here," he said, "I go direct to the district attorney."

Burton stretched a hand toward the telephone and smiled as he suggested. "Whom you will find so busy with preparations for prosecuting you that he will not at once find leisure to prosecute for you."

Hendricks sought to veil his terror under a seeming of bluster.

"Will you buy the district attorney, too? Some men are not purchasable."

"That may resolve itself into a matter of price. I am shopping in tenement stores, Mr. Hendricks."

The politician had been thinking fast as he walked. Suppose Burton had the strength of which he boasted? His own interest was to stand with winners, not losers, but before he changed flags he wished to be sure that he jumped toward victory. That determined, the rest was expediency.

"Let's come to a decision." Hamilton Burton showed just a glow of brick red on his cheekbones that argued an early break in his over-strained temper.

"If I am a tyrant at least I do not call myself a lord-protector. Will you sell at your own price and go with me to the top—or refuse and take your chances of substituting the state-prison for the bench?"

An abrupt change came over Mr. Hendricks. He smiled through his pallor. "Are you prepared to show me that if I make common cause with you, there is no chance of defeat?"

"I offer you my personal and positive assurance—and access to my papers within an hour—during which time you will not be bound." The reply was prompt, the voice hypnotic in its persuasiveness.

Hendrick's lighted a cigar, and nodded. "Very well," he announced shortly. "But understand this. If I jump to you I jump with all four feet. It happens that certain other proxies have been put into my hands—by Malone interests. Had I not come to town I should have mailed them today—as it is I still have them. I shall vote them as you direct."

With this chameleon turn of complexion, the astute contriver realized that he had scored. To Hamilton Burton's eyes came a quick flash of gratification and he held out his hand. "If I can be implacable in battle," he said quietly, "I can also be a friend to my friends. I told you that in an hour I could guarantee victory—or release you. I am awaiting two men with whom I have yet to deal. Will you also wait?"

Mr. Hendricks bowed. "This—this evidence—" he questioned suddenly. "Has any other possible enemy access to it?"

Hamilton Burton smiled as he shook his head. "No, it is in my sole keeping. I shall not surrender it to other possible enemies."

With the two bankers, whom Tarring shortly ushered in, Hamilton came even more promptly to conclusions.

"Malone is ill," he began. "Any alarms thrown into the Street just now would start pandemonium. If tomorrow should bring such conditions, would your banks suffer?"

Fairley of the Metallic shook his head gravely. "If a panic developed just now many institutions would go to the wall. As to how many or which ones, I could not answer off-hand."

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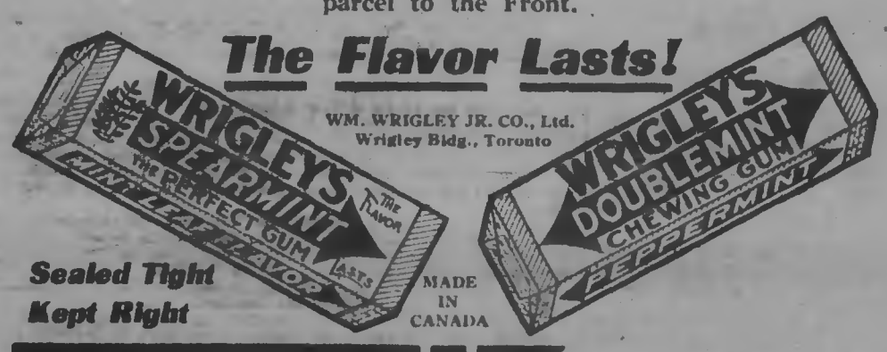

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THE HOME CIRCLE COLUMN

Pleasant Evening Reveries—A Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as They Join the Home Circle at Evening Tide

CRUDE THOUGHTS FROM THE EDITORIAL PEN

consider that your visitors come to see you, and not your pantry.

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Let the children have a good time—childhood does not last long. Age is incapable of the fine enthusiasm of youth.

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A hovel is often more a home than a palace. If the spirit of congenial friendship links not the hearts of the inmates of a dwelling it is not home.

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Times are not near so hard with some men when they want a plug of tobacco as when their wives ask for a pair of shoes.

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In a world where God lets the sun shine, the birds sing and the flowers grow happy love to each other, man should not be the only saddened object.

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Let the path of life start whence it may, and let the way be steep and stony if it must, there are sunny fields far up the heights for those who have faith and resolution to climb them.

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Parents often say, "I live for my children." They should do more than that—they should live with their children, letting their boys and girls feel that their interests are their parents' interests also.

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What is needed most of all in training up children is example. What they see and hear and take in by absorption in their young years, will, in most cases, become the ruling traits of their lives.

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How many hungry hearts there are in the world hungering for recognition, for a word of praise! The hungriest heart in this world is an unmarried woman whose husband never gives her a word of praise.

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A man thinks he knows it all, until a woman begins to enlighten him.

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We often wonder why it is so many young men can be seen loafing upon the streets until a late hour of night. Many of them are from our best homes. The fathers of these young men, many of them at least, are numbered among our best citizens. Is their cow or their horse or even their favourite dog was away from home after dark they would be out in a search, but their own children may roam the town all night with apparently no effort being made to find them.

When young people go into an engagement for life as carelessly as they go to a picnic, they must expect to pay for their folly with their bitter experience. With thousands, a marriage engagement is a matter of boyish or girlish caprice. If wise marriages are made in heaven, then the hasty, loose selfish sort are the handwork of the devil.

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Henry Ward Beecher once said "I think I am more grateful to God for mother and sister of the substantial purity, purity and nobility of womanhood, than for almost anything else in this world. After a long life I can say that I have not lost faith in woman. The longer I live the more invaluable is my regard for [illegible]. I should look upon it as a fatal canker in my soul if I fell from my confidence in the general trustworthiness, honesty, honour and charity of womanhood. Therefore, when I hear young men, or men in middle life, or old men, cast gross aspersions on the character of women, I feel as if I were in a den of hissing serpents.

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Have you noticed how large a number of persons with whom you stop to have a little chat, speak of the dark blotches of human nature in the lives of someone? We will not except the person of the highest moral standing in the community. Nine out of every ten persons in a ten minutes' talk will bring up the defects in some one's life, and one out of a hundred may possibly startle you by speaking of the good that may be found in most every individual. There is no life without its defects, neither without its excellencies, and what a different colouring it would give to humanity if the rule was reversed to what it is. And, reader, it rests with you and us to start the reform, and with such a good start as we may be able to give it, we are sure it will be contagious if we persevere. For when neighbours speak naught of ill and only laud the good that is in us we will not be far from that glorious period dominated the millennium.

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Don't let the sunshine in nature become cloudy since you are growing older.

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The strength of a nation is in the intelligent and well-ordered homes of the people.

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No one is useless in this world who lightens the burdens of it for another.

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How much of your success do you owe to your wife? It is only just to own this fact before her day by day. It will make her happy and keep her youthful.

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He is a selfish being who having trouble in his trade or calling or profession, always brings his troubles home for the purpose of making everyone else miserable.

To Keep Skin Healthy, Youthful, Wrinkleless

Now that the cold season is here, be especially careful to keep your skin in fine condition. You know how conspicuous complexion defects appear under the bright light of the drawing or ball room. Also how very evident are some makeups when similarly illuminated. I have myself discarded cosmetics entirely, using a process which gives far better results, and which leaves no trace on the skin. At night I smear on a thin coat of ordinary mercolized wax, washing it off next morning. This gradually absorbs the devitalized particles of surface skin just as gradually the more youthful skin beneath comes forth providing a complexion as clear, smooth and delicately tinted as a young girl's. Get an ounce of mercolized wax at your druggist's and try this remarkable treatment.

Remember, too, that wrinkles, even the finer lines, are not easily concealed in a brilliantly lighted room. You can quickly obliterate these hateful marks by bathing your face in a solution of powdered saxolite, one ounce, dissolved in witch hazel, one-half pint. And your face won't look sticky, as after using pastes.—Aunt Sally in Woman's Realm.

Tips For The Housewife

Every wise housewife knows that there is a distinction between the processes of "baking" and "roasting" meats. Baking means cooking with indirect heat (in the upper oven of the gas range), while roasting means cooking with direct heat and is done in the broiling oven by placing the meat directly under the flame.

Veal, in contrast with other meats, needs slow baking, but all other meats can be roasted, although for chicken and fresh ham it is well to begin in the broiling oven, searing well, and then finish by baking.

When roasting meat in the lower oven the door should be left open for the circulation of air through the oven. This prevents smoke and odors. Meats, whether roasted or baked, should be tasted occasionally. A little water can be put into the pan when starting to roast fresh ham, but in the searing no other meats. However, a little water can be poured into the pan with chicken after the fowl has been thoroughly seared with the flame.

A piece of meat weighing over six pounds is considered by many good cooks as too big for roasting. The most successful method of cooking a broiler and then bake it in the upper oven.

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An Afternoon Tea

THOUGHTFUL GIFTS.

At this season the wild and frantic giver of gifts hastens abroad to seek what she may purchase. In the mad race to get the most for the least money, to just "complete the list," small thought is given to the needs and wants of the recipients. There is a story running in one of the current magazines called "The Stingy Receiver." It shows the lack of appreciation of the persons who were loaded with gifts, and who thanked the giver en bloc, so to speak instead of appreciatively of the individual objects she had presented. So being an invalid and full of whimsies and with plenty of money, she began to give everybody gifts notoriously inappropriate and unwished for, and then laid back and enjoyed their dismay.

There are no doubt every Christmas many stingy receivers. The reason is not hard to find, there are so many careless givers. The slapdash gift has no worth to it, unless thought and affection go with it, and with how very few gifts any of the last named quality is associated. This year more than any other during the life time of the readers of this page, the Christmas list should be cut down. Those gifts which are merely "give and takes," and which are quickly put in the passalong class should be rigorously cut out. There is such crying need for every penny which can be spared to keep alive and barely covered those sufferers across the ocean that any many that can be devoted to their care should be.

THE INDIVIDUAL TOUCH.

Taking then, the idea that this year it will be wise to put more time and thought into your gifts, and less money, look about for what will give real pleasure. Let there be no stingy receivers on your list. There are to be found, or if you have skillful fingers you can make, charming and artistic things which will make charming gifts. Sofa cushions offer a wide field of decorative interest and many opportunities to achieve individual effects. Sometimes they are absolutely plain, of velvet, corded silk, linen, denun, in bright modern colourings. They may be batiked, block printed or stencilled, or they may be embroidered in wool, in cotton, or silk, but their value lies in their decorative groupings and colourings far more than in their individual conception.

But be sure you select the colouring and design which will go suitably with the room where it is to be placed, which will be a joy, not an eyesore.

Brilliant bits of modern or antique glass lend great interest to a room decoration. One piece of Bristol glass of superb amethyst, deep blue, wine red or Venetian green, has many times more piquancy and distinction if judiciously selected and placed, than the universally coveted art treasures of European loot. Royal purple muslin glass, baccarat glass in red and green and old Dorflinger are standard makes of American glass which can be effectively used and are very moderate in price. They may be used purely decoratively or as receptacles for flowers.

"THE NEW INTERIOR"

A book with this name has recently been published, and gives many helpful hints with regard to the small touches which add so much to the effectiveness of a room. Many of these "touches" will bring beauty to almost any room.

The use of lamps has given a wide range of objects to choose from. Here are some ideas which can be varied to suit taste.

"An interesting table reading lamp had a mirror black pottery base and a dome shaped shade of tightly stretched orange silk outlined and edged with a narrow black cord. Another had a drum shaped shade of thick black paper with a bright modern painted decoration. While the light could not filter through, a brilliant orange-lining forced it strongly downward. It had a slender dark pottery base touched with green and red. Delightful lamp shades may be made on wire frames of shirred silk in two or three colour varieties. The various colours are used individually to form broad stripes, and if one of the colours chosen is yellow the shades need not be lined. Soft rose, blue and yellow, black, green and yellow or yellow, orange and gray give striking effects. Silk fringe composed of the three colours in the shade is an excellent finish. A black and white lamp shade often gives snap to a room, or a deep coral one lined with yellow and touched with black."

FASHION TURNS HER THOUGHTS TO MISSES' CLOTHES

The One-Piece Dress Peculiarly Becoming to Youth

GIRLISH STYLES FOR EVENING

New York, December 22.

The time has long since passed when fashions for misses were of secondary importance in the scheme of things. The fashioning of clothes for young people now receives as much attention as those of their elders, and certain French designers have of late been specially concentrating their efforts on producing modes for young girls and small children.

Whether for school, college or the various social and outdoor activities which enter in the lives of all young people, we find an unlimited variety of styles.

One-Piece Box-Pleated Dress for Misses.

At present there is a distinct relation between the styles for grown-ups and those reaching the grown-up stage. The slim silhouette, to which women have taken with so much zest, is reflected in misses styles, and certainly there is nothing more befitting the slender grace of youthful figures than the modes which now prevail.

THE ONE-PIECE DRESS PECULIARLY ADAPTED TO YOUTH.

In one-piece style are the majority of dresses, whether they are to be slipped over the head or closed at the centre back or front. Especially becoming are those that hang from a deep square yoke, and of these there are many varieties, for below the yoke the material may be side-pleated, box-pleated with groups of large or small pleats, or just simply gathered. To define the waistline, a leather belt, a regulation cloth belt, or a long, narrow girdle is considered correct with this type of frock. The belt being just an important factor, then, it is not surprising to find many novelties in that line. One of the latest is a belt which starts out by being made wide in front, but finally becomes divided into two narrow strips at the sides and the back. The upper halves fasten at the back and the lower halves are knotted loosely and hang down the back. Exceedingly attractive, also, are the pockets which give added charm to these dresses. Pointed, square, draped, gathered or plain, they appear in every conceivable form.

HER PRACTICAL AND FORMAL DRESSES

For practical wear, the young girl wears dresses of the popular wools, such as serge, gabardine velours, broadcloth, checks and plaids. There is little trimming on these frocks; perhaps a touch of bead or wool embroidery, a contrasting collar, soutache braid, or flat braid applied in rows. The large assortment of fashionable colors, including burgundy, plum, taupe, brown and green, has not ousted navy blue, which is still a favorite.

For her social activities, sweet sixteen may have her choice of soft chiffon, velvet, velveteen, taffeta, satin, charmeuse, silk-poplin of Georgette crepe, depending on the occasion for which her dress is intended. For dance frocks, tulle, silk net, chiffon and Georgette are particularly girlish, while for a very elaborate dress nothing is more charming than the silver tissue cloths. Her slippers are of satin to match the color of her dress, or else of silver or gold tissue.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

If the lacquer wears off your brass bedstead it is advisable to scrub the bedstead to be relacquered by a competent man who does this sort of work, because the old lacquer will probably have to be taken off before the new lacquer is put on.

To rectify damp walls strip the wall and give two coats of varnish in which resin has been dissolved; or, better still, though rather expensive, line them with lead-paper or tinfoil. The walls may then with safety be decorated with gold, bronze, or delicately tinted paper.

To remove marks on lavoratory basins caused by water dripping from the taps, nothing is better than powdered chalk mixed with a little liquid ammonia. An old tooth brush is an excellent thing with which to apply it. Rub till these marks disappear, and then well rinse.

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A bought belt is arranged over the joining of the skirt, which has six plaits in each half, arranged to give a panel front.

Tub fabrics are good for play wear when a coat is worn. Among the fabrics are repp, chambray, linen, gingham and St. Nicholas cloth. These, however, are hardly warm enough to be cosy when autumn days grow chill; serge, gabardine and the wool plaids and checks are better for school dresses. To get the maximum of worth, buy the pattern and copy the model.

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Mr. J. Brice, Temperance road, Parry Sound, Ont., writes: "Just a line to praise Dr. Chase's Ointment for what it has done for my wife. She has been suffering from eczema in her head for two years, and has spent no end of money with doctors and for ointments, which did her no good. She had about given up hope of ever being cured, when someone told her to try Dr. Chase's Ointment. By the use of this Ointment the trouble has left her entirely, so we have unbounded faith in it. I have told several people about the Ointment."

Mrs. W. G. Dowden, Greenspond, Bonavista Bay, Nfld., writes: "I suffered with eczema on my hands, and for eighteen months was so bad that I could not use a needle to sew or do anything. I could scarcely dress myself. Though I had lots of salves from doctors, I could never get much benefit from them. Then I sent for a sample of Dr. Chase's Ointment, and found it very different in action. It was not long before my hands began to heal, and four 60c. boxes made them well. I cannot praise Dr. Chase's Ointment too highly, and frequently give some to others to get them using it, for I know that it will cure."

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Wheat Markets Reacted Yesterday

Renewed Buying For Export—Cattle Prices Show a Slight Decline

Wheat markets reacted yesterday with renewed buying on more reassuring talk as to the Wilson note. There was also some buying for export. Manitoba flour, first patents, quoted 20c higher.

Manitoba wheat: No. 1 Northern, $1.80 3-4, track, bay ports; No. 2 $1.87 3-4; No. 3, $1.83 3-4; No. 4, $1.79 3-4; old crop, 4c above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W., 66 3-4c.

American corn — No. 2, nominal; No. 3, new, none offering owing to embargo.

Ontario oats — No. 2 white, 60c to 62c; No. 3 white, 59c to 61c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1.62 to $1.64; No. 3, $1.60 to $1.62.

Peas—No. 2, nominal, car lots, $2.40.

Barley — Good malting, $1.16 to $1.18; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal, $1.35.

Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal. No. 2, new, $1.32 to $1.33.

Manitoba flour — First patents in jute bags, $9.40; second patents, in jute, $8.80; strong bakers, in jute, $8.50, Toronto.

Ontario flour—New winter, $6.70 to $6.80, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered Montreal: Shorts, $37; bran, $32; feed flour, per bag, $2.80.

Hay—Baled, No. 1, track, Toronto. Best grade new hay, car lots, $12 to $13; No. 2, $9 to $10; straw, $9 to $9.50.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Business at the cattle markets this week was not of the same large volume, nor so brisk as last week, when the bulk of the Christmas beef cattle were marketed. Prices eased off slightly in the Monday market, but held steady at the decline for the balance of the week. There were fewer cattle in of the extra choice quality. The larger proportion were of the poor, medium, warmed-up class, and the demand for these was at times decidedly slow. Anything of first quality and well finished found a fairly ready market, but at a little less than the fancy prices for the earlier deliveries. The stocker trade was comparatively quiet.

Sheep and lambs held firm throughout the week at enhanced prices.

Hogs were firm at an early advance to $12 fed and watered and $12.25 off cars.

Cattle Market Receipts.

Union Stock Yards: Total receipts this week, 580 cars, with 7,635 cattle, 1,175 calves, 13,043 hogs, 2,761 sheep and lambs, and 1,341 horses.

City Cattle Market: 60 cars, with 998 cattle, 875 sheep, 443 hogs, 88 calves, and 29 horses.

Toronto latest quotations:

Heavy steers, choice	$8.75 to $9.00
Choice butcher	8.25 8.50
do. good	7.75 8.00
do. medium	6.75 7.00
do. common	6.00 6.25
Heifers, good to choice	7.00 7.25
do. medium	6.25 6.75
Butcher cows, choice	6.25 7.00
do. medium	5.75 6.25
Butcher bulls, choice	6.85 7.50
do. good	6.50 6.60
do. medium	5.60 5.80
Feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs.	6.50 6.75
do. bulls	5.25 5.75
Stockers, 700 to 800 lbs.	6.50 6.75
do. med., 650 to 750 lbs.	5.50 6.00
do. light, 600 to 650 lbs.	5.00 5.75
Canners	4.10 4.40
Cutters	4.60 5.25
Sheep, light	8.50 9.50
do. heavy	7.50 8.00
Spring, lambs	10.75 12.00
Calves	8.00 12.50
Hogs, fed and watered	12.00 ....
do. weighed off cars	12.25 ....

CARDINAL MERCIER'S STERN PROTEST ON HUN SLAVE RAID

(Continued from Page 6)

quarrier nor to the lime kilns to which the Germans themselves declare they will send our unemployed, that our specialists will go to complete their professional education.

The naked truth is that every deprived workman is another soldier for the German army. He will take the place of a German workman, who will be made into a soldier. Thus the situation which we denounce to the civilized world may be reduced to these terms: Four hundred thousand workmen have been thrown out of work by no fault of their own, and largely on account of the regime of the occupation. Sons, husbands, and fathers of families, they bear the unhappy lot without murmuring, respectful of public order; national solidarity provides their most pressing wants; by dint of unselfish thrift and self-denial they escape extreme destitution, and they await with dignity and in a mutual affection which our national sorrows have intensified, the end of our common ordeal.

TORN BY FORCE FROM HOME.

Groups of soldiers introduced themselves forcibly in the homes of these people, tearing the young people out of the arms of their parents, the husband from his wife, the father from his children; at the point of the bayonet they block the entrances to the homes, preventing wives and mothers from rushing out to say a last farewell to them; they align the captives in groups of forty or fifty and push them forcibly into freight cars; the locomotive is under pressure, and as soon as a trainload is ready, an officer gives the signal and they depart. Thus another thousand Belgians reduced to slavery, without previous trial, condemned to the penalty which comes next in cruelty to the death penalty—deportation. They don't know *how long their exile is going to last*, neither do they know where they are going. All they know is that their work will benefit the enemy. Several of them have been brought to sign—by coercion or by threats—an engagement which they dare to call "voluntary."

While they certainly take the unemployed, they also take a large number—in the proportion of one-quarter for the Arrondissement of Mons—of men who were never out of work and belonging to diversified professions—butchers, bakers, tailors, brewery workers, electricians, farmers; they even take the youngest men, college and university students, or young men from other high schools.

This in spite of the fact that two high authorities of the German Empire had formally guaranteed the liberty of our compatriots.

The day after the capitulation of Antwerp the frightened populace asked itself what would become of the Belgians of military age or those which would arrive at that age before the end of the siege. Baron von Huene, military governor of Antwerp, authorized me to reassure in his name the frightened parents. However, as rumours were running that in Antwerp, Liege, Namur and Charlario young men had been seized and forcibly carried off to Germany, I asked Governor von Huene to confirm to me in writing the verbal guarantees which he had given me. He replied that the rumours pertaining to deportations were without hesitancy, the written declaration which was read on Sunday, Oct. 18, 1914, in all the parochial churches of the Arrondissement of Antwerp: "Young men need have no fear of being carried off to Germany, either for enrollment in the army or for forcible employment."

Immediately after the arrival of Baron von der Goltz in the capacity of Governor General of Brussels, I went to ask him to ratify the guarantees given by Governor von Huene to the Province of Antwerp, extending them to the whole country, without any time limit. The Governor General retained my petition in order to consider it at his leisure. The following day he was good enough to come in person to Malines to express his approval and, in the presence of two aides de camp and of my private secretary, to confirm the promise that the liberty of the Belgian citizens would be respected.

In my letter of October 16 last to Baron von Bissing, after reminding him of the undertaking given by his predecessor, I concluded: "Your Excellency will understand how painful the burden of responsibility I should have incurred toward families would be if the confidence they placed in you through me and at my earnest entreaty should be so lamentably disappointed."

GOVERNOR'S EVASIVE REPLY.

The Governor General replied: "The employment of the Belgian unemployed in Germany, which has only been initiated after two years of war, differs essentially from the captivity of men fit for military service. Moreover, the measure is not related to th conduct of the war, properly speaking, but it is determined by social and economic cause."

As if the word of an honest man was terminable at the end of a year or two! As if the declaration confirmed in 1914 did not explicitly exclude both military operations and forced labour! As if, in fine every Belgian workman who takes the place of a German workman did not enable the latter to fill the gap in the German army!

We, the shepherds of these sheep who are torn from us by brutal force, full of anguish at the thought of the moral and religious isolation in which they are about to languish, impotent witnesses of the grief and terror in the numerous homes shattered or threatened, appeal to all souls, believers or unbelievers, in Allied countries, in neutral countries, and even in enemy countries, who have a respect for human dignity.

When Cardinal Lavigerie embarked on his anti-slavery campaign, Pope Leo XIII., as he blessed his mission, remarked: "Opinion is more than ever the queen of the world. It is on this you must work. You will only conquer by means of opinion."

May Divine Providence deign to inspire all who have any authority, all who are masters of speech and pen, to rally around our humble Belgian flag for the abolition of European slavery.

May human conscience triumph over all sophisms and remain steadfastly faithful to the great precept of St. Ambrose: Honour above everything! Nihil praeferendum honestati!

In the name of the Belgian Bishops.

(Signed) D. J. CARDINAL MERCIER,
Archbishop of Malines

PROVES POSSIBILITY OF DEFEATING THE ENEMY

Verdun's Commander Says Great Victory in Unfavourable Circumstances Removes All Doubt.

PARIS Dec. 23.—In an army order addressed to the men of his command after Friday's success, General Mangin, who was in direct command of the troops which forced back the Germans on the Verdun front, said in part:

"After the battles of October 24 and December 15, fought on ground offering exceptional facilities to the defence, with further advantages owing to the weather, none can doubt any longer that it is possible to defeat the enemy. Superior in numbers and disposition of formidable artillery, with minute preparation of the ground by good artillery, and the assistance of vigilant aviation, a brave and well-trained infantry can break through and then manoeuvre under the high command of General Nivelle."

Christmas

As "the time draws near the birth of Christ," the dominating thought is, for the third time, the terrible incongruity between the condition of the world and the spirit of the great festival of the Nativity of the Prince of Peace. How fondly we hoped last year that ere the blessed season again came around the spirit of strife and destruction and slaughter would have passed by, and would have been succeeded by a peace which the war-harried nations would prize as never before in the history of the world! Alas, not only has this hope been disappointed, but, so far as human foresight can pierce the future, there seems but little ground for entertaining it in regard to the season of our Saviour's birth a year hence. Yet we know that He who stilled the heaving waters of Galilee can dispose the minds of men to peace; and we can still hope and pray.

Meanwhile there is for each of the children of His Church who truly seek it, that peace which the world cannot give—nor take away—the true peace of union with Him. The prevalence of strife in the world should but make us, if possible, all the more eager to possess that peace, which is happily possible even to the soldier in the thickest of the conflict.

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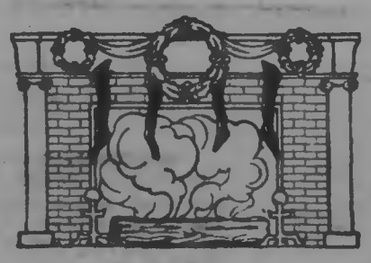
MERRY CHRISTMAS

The night is still, the bells have ceased,
Sweet carols sound afar;
And darkness retreats, for in the east
A new and radiant star!
For 'tis Christmas! Christmas! Christmas!
Breaks again the blessed morn,
While the joyful bells are ringing,
And the children-all are singing:
"Christ is born!"

Deepens the gathering gloom of night
Above the wintry snow;
The frosty stars are all alight,
The fireside is aglow.
For 'tis Christmas, merry Christmas!
Hark! the sound of little feet
Ants our palace all a-tingle
As we hear the sleigh-bells jingle
On the road!

The long year darkness to its close,
The fields are white and bare;
Loud rides the sun, the day is done,
But joy is in the air;
For 'tis Christmas! Christmas! Christmas!
Though the skies be dark and drear;
And in snowy bellries swinging
All the Christmas bells are ringing,
Far and near!

The Significance of Xmas



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Sunday Sermon For Those Who Do Not Go To Church

(By JAMES SUTHERLAND)

St. John, 11th chap., from the 11th to the 16th verses: Our friend Lazarus sleepeth but I go that I may awake him out of sleep.

He calls him friend. True friendship consists of mutual confidence — each willing to sacrifice for the other. We love their society best, we unburden our bosom secrets to them. We enjoy their presence more than anyone else. True friendship continued lasts for life, and what God has formed here will be continued in eternity, if we are His. Enoch was the friend of God, and walked with Him for three hundred years. He held a long fellowship with God, blessed friendship between God and man. Dr. Andrew Bonar, the sainted divine and the author of some most beautiful hymns, when speaking about Enoch and his walking with God, says that he took a long walk one afternoon and never came back. We have the record of Enoch's birth and life on earth recorded in the 5th chapter of Genesis from the 18th to the 24th verses. So God called Abraham His friend. Moses spoke to God face to face, as a man speaketh unto his friend. God said to him: My presence shall go with thee and I will give thee rest. Jesus' disciples were His friends. His beloved disciple leaned on His breast at supper, while He told them of His Father's love and His Father's glory. So he says Our friend Lazarus. He remembered that they had sat beneath the spreading fig tree at the cottage of Bethany, while He had opened up to them the glories of the eternal world. This is what you are invited to, dear friends, to become the friends of Jesus. When men choose friends they seek out the wealthy, the great, the noble, men of influence. They ask those who can ask them back. Jesus makes friends with the poor, the despised, those of whom the world is almost ashamed to own, the outcasts of society, the homeless, the friendless will always find in Him a friend. He knows your circumstances and your wants and waits to help you. He stands knocking at your door. If a rich friend becomes poor or is in adversity, worldly friends like butterflies in rain fly quickly home. But Jesus is the friend that sticketh closer than a brother. Jesus said, Our friend Lazarus, even when dead; death does not separate us from Christ. His love is the same; it is a deathless love. The world soon forgets its dead. The place that knows them now shall know them no more forever. Who remembers the silent graves in desolate countries — Babylon, Assyria and others—where is there one to remember their name or to shed a tear over their memory. Christ's dead are never forgotten and death makes no change in the love of Christ. He remembered His faithful martyr, Antipas, when all the world had forgotten him. He remembers all His sleeping saints and will bring them with Him.

The disciples said: If he sleep he shall do well. Sleep was a common expression in the Old Testament for death. God said to Moses, Thou shalt sleep with thy fathers, and to Daniel. Many of those who sleep in the dust shall awake; to King David, Thou shalt sleep with thy fathers. The disciples were afraid of being stoned, they did not understand Christ. They wanted to have their own way; many are like them. O, pray for a pure heart that you may be filled with the knowledge of His will that you may walk worthy of the Lord, to all pleasing. Jesus explains the reasons of His absence to the disciples thus: I am glad I was not there, for your sakes. Had Christ been there He would have healed Lazarus; had He been there Lazarus had not died.

Christ could not have stood in the cottage of Bethany and looked on the face of His dying friend, and seen the tears of Mary, and heard the imploring words of Martha without granting their desires. See the amazing love of Christ to His own. He cannot deny their prayer. Therefore, He says: I am glad I was not there for your sakes, to the intent that ye might believe." "For your sakes." All things are for your sakes. (2 Cor. 4th chap., 15th verse).

This world was created, the sun to rule the day and the moon to rule the night. Every shining star and bright constellation was made for you, seedtime and harvest, day and night "All for your sakes." O let us learn to show our gratitude to Him who has done all these things for our happiness and comfort. May we help to bear one another's burdens, and so fulfil the law of Christ.

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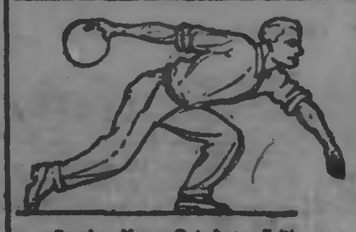

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OUR DAILY SHORT STORY

Samuel the Third

There Was Good Luck In the Name

By CLARISSA MACKIE

There being no schools near their home, the Arnolds concluded to employ a tutor.

The first tutor engaged for the Arnold children was Samuel Warmouth, a divinity student. Mrs. Arnold's sister Anne, who was gifted with an unusual amount of beauty, set off by numerous accomplishments, sent him away in six weeks "with a flea in his ear." Anne declared that it was not her fault; that she could not help the reverend gentleman from falling in love with her, and she could not marry every man who wanted her.

Mrs. Arnold, who, being a woman, was versed in the tricks and manners of her sex, knew better. She saw at once that Anne was as much bent on bringing down Mr. Warmouth as he was willing to be brought down. However, the children must have a tutor, so after the first had departed another was engaged. Mrs. Arnold was opposed to the second one on the ground that his surname was Samuel, and there was bad luck in the name. She had not mentioned to her husband that she blamed his sister for captivating the tutor, and Mr. Arnold naturally considered her reason absurd, and, as he expressed it, "woman's logic."

Whether Mrs. Arnold's reason was the correct one or not, the result was that the second Samuel met with the same fate as the first.

"I told you so," said Mrs. Arnold to her husband.

"Told me what?"

"That there was bad luck for us in the name of Samuel."

"Nonsense! More likely it was because his other name was Green."

"Maybe that's the real reason," replied the lady demurely.

Mr. Green had given as a reason for his going that he had found his studies would require more time than he could spare for his duties as tutor. He had recommended a friend for his successor. Whether he had an object in recommending the man he did, whether he told his friend his real reason for leaving the Arnolds, does not appear. There may have been revenge in his recommendation.

When Mr. Arnold reported to his wife that the new tutor's name was Samuel Newman she was overwhelmed with consternation.

"Not another Samuel?" cried Mrs. Arnold, aghast.

"It's a fact. This makes the third tutor to bear that name. Sounds harmless enough, doesn't it?" returned her husband dryly.

"They are quite inoffensive. It is Anne who makes all the trouble. I shall send her away before Mr. Newman arrives. We simply cannot have her flirting with him. You know when Mr. Green went away he recommended Mr. Newman for the position."

"I know," nodded Mr. Arnold.

"Both the other Samuels resigned broken hearted, and we must keep Mr. Newman during the summer. The boys are not making any progress in their studies. It is settled now. If Anne cannot behave herself she must go away and give the children a chance to absorb a little learning." Mrs. Arnold's plump countenance settled into lines of severity.

"Too much gooseberry," said Mr. Arnold thoughtfully. "Max and Bobby didn't make much headway in their studies with Sam Green murmuring German poetry in Anne's pink ears. I don't know what we shall do, Maud. Your sister is an arrant little flirt, and the only cure is for her to fall violently in love herself."

"I wish she would," sighed Mrs. Arnold, "but she won't. I never saw another girl with her propensity for changing a perfectly agreeable young man into a pestiferous, lovesick ninny."

"Who is a ninny?" inquired Anne's fresh young voice from the doorway. "I hope you and William are not quarreling," she added in a shocked tone.

William Arnold grinned at his sister-in-law.

"You know Maud and I never quarrel unless we are discussing your faults."

"Have I any faults?" inquired Anne saucily. "Well, you may as well mark one for me now. I listened to what you were saying about the Samuels!"

"Anne Cummings!" exclaimed her shocked sister.

"I did. Really, it interested me more than it possibly could either of you."

"In what way?"

"Why, I am likely to fall in love with any one of the tutors. It really is William's fault for selecting such perfectly fascinating tutors, as if it mattered to Max or Bobby what a tutor looked like. Now, Mr. Robinson was chargable looking, and Mr. Green was a poet's dream!" cried enthusiastic Anne. "Now, dear brother William, is the new one nice?"

"I haven't seen him," returned Mr. Arnold, with an amused smile. "As a matter of fact, Anne, I engaged all of these young men by letter. I've engaged Newman for the summer months. In the fall he is to take a secretaryship in Washington. All I ask is that you let the poor fellow alone."

"Of course I shall," said Anne, with dignity.

Mrs. Arnold looked over her eyeglasses. "If you don't, Anne, dear, away you go to Aunt Rebecca's."

"Horrors! I will be good," promised Anne, and she tripped away, only to poke her pretty head inside the door again. "I do hope he is musical," she flashed at them before she disappeared.

That evening the new tutor arrived. He was not very tall and rather stockily built. He had a clean cut face tanned by sun and wind, lighted by keen, dark eyes. Anne liked the way he wore his clothes, and she liked his brown, capable looking hands. She also liked the direct glance of his eyes, but there was nothing softening in his glance when it rested upon her lovely face.

Therein lay the oddity of the new tutor. Mr. Newman was politely indifferent to Anne's charms, even when she played the harp, which was her chief accomplishment. When accompanied by her clear, sweet soprano the results had been disastrous indeed to the other Samuels.

"Well, Anne, how do you like him?" asked her brother-in-law one morning as they stood on the veranda watching Newman and the little boys racing across the lawn to the boathouse. When the three white clad forms had disappeared Anne shrugged her shoulder impatiently.

"He's perfectly hateful!" she flared and then ran away to the rose garden to hide the telltale tears that filled her starry eyes.

Mr. Samuel Newman had been quite frank in explaining to Anne that the rowboat would not safely carry more than three persons, and as he was teaching her nephews how to row and manage a boat, her presence among them would be exceedingly awkward.

Anne had tossed her dark head and turned away, but there was a bewildered look in her pansy brown eyes, for she was not accustomed to receiving rebuffs.

"I wonder why he doesn't like me?" she asked herself for the hundredth time since breakfast. Anne leaned over the artificial pond and stared at her reflection in the still water. "Certainly I am not homely," she smiled vainly, and lost her balance.

She would have tumbled ignominiously into the pond had not a strong hand grasped her arm and drawn her back to safety.

"The mirror in the music room is less hazardous," advised Mr. Newman with a quizzical glance, and Anne blushed hotly.

"Please don't do that again," she said rashly.

"Do what? Rescue you from danger?"

"Yes. I would rather fall in and be drowned than be saved by you!" she cried fiercely.

"I will remember," he said gravely, and passed into the house.

Instantly poor Anne was smitten with shame. She flew to her room and battled with a new, strange misery, for retribution had come upon gay, light hearted Anne Cummings. She had fallen in love with the new tutor, and he evidenced not the slightest interest in her—indeed, appeared to disapprove of her.

Verily, it would appear that the third Samuel was to avenge the wrongs of his predecessors.

Mr. Newman was gracious to Mrs. Arnold, quite chummy with her husband and devoted to his small charges, who adored him in return. But it was apparent to the entire household that he was indifferent to Anne.

The Arnolds were amused at the situation until Maud guessed Anne's pitiful secret. "I am glad he is going next week," she said one September day.

"I believe I will take Anne on that coaching trip Monday," said William, with strange gruffness.

"William, you're a dear," and his wife kissed him.

"Poor little Anne!" he murmured. "It's a pity." I really like Newman better than the other two. He is more manly and independent and has boundless ambition. You never can tell where a chap like that will stop. Not short of the top, anyway. Just the cool, firm hand to guide Anne."

"I suppose it is just as well for Anne to learn that she can't play with fire," sighed Anne's sister, "but these life lessons are so hard and leave such a bitter tang."

The next morning Anne went tiptoeing down to the water's edge. She was a trim figure in her bathing dress. The water was warm and inviting, and Anne was a fearless swimmer.

Max and Bobby were digging in the sand, and Newman and William Arnold were playing tennis.

"I will swim out to the float and rest awhile," she thought.

Her white arms cut the water with long, even strokes. The tide was running swiftly, and Anne felt strangely tired. There came a sudden chill, and then the agonizing cramp that rendered her helpless. Her arms flew up, and she cried out once before she sank. "Samuel!"

When she came to the surface she saw a white clad form plunging madly through the water toward her. Down, down, down she went.

When she came to the surface, weak and helpless, a pair of strong arms were ready to bear her safely to land.

"Dear little Anne!" murmured the third Samuel as he staggered across the lawn with her wet head pressed against his trembling lips.

After awhile, when dry and warm again, they met on the veranda. Samuel Newman took Anne's little hands in his and sought her shy eyes with his own grown very tender. "I tried hard not to fall in love with you," he groaned. "Sam Green warned me."

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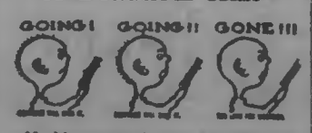

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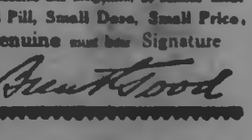

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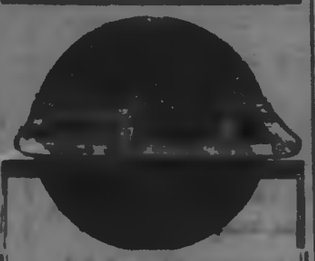

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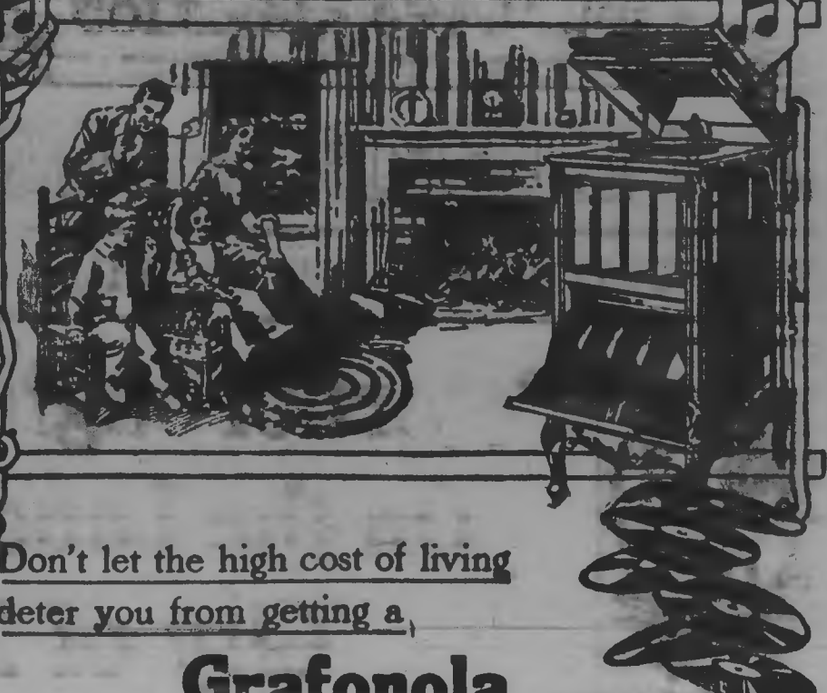

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Peterborough's Transition from a Blot On the Landscape to a Flourishing City of 22,000 Inhabitants

Eighty Years Ago wandering Hordes of Indians Roamed over what is Now Recognized as one of the Best Inland Manufacturing Cities in Ontario. City is surrounded by a Country that Abounds in Natural Resources, many of which are being Developed

THIS flourishing city of Peterborough, now possessing twenty-two thousand inhabitants, stands on a site which, eighty years ago, was an unbroken wilderness. Over its seven hills and the undulating slopes between them, wandering hordes of Indians of the Algonquin and Chippewa tribes once roamed. As late as 1825, the then town of Peterborough was inhabited by but one family, that of Adam Scott, who, with a few workmen, operated a grist mill. It was in the fall of the year mentioned, that Hon. Peter Robinson paid a visit to England, and, while there, was approached by Sir Wilmot Horton as to the advisability of directing a large tide of emigration to this country. This large and important immigration was the true foundation of the city of Peterborough, from which results the prosperity of the surrounding townships.

Charles Rubidge, the noted friend and coadjutor of Peter Robinson, was for many years, one of the chief promoters of the rising interests of the town. In the year 1827, it was resolved to adopt as the name of the future city Peterborough, in well deserved honour of its founder, the Honourable Peter Robinson.

Peterborough Abounds In Natural Resources Which Are Being Developed

Peterborough is surrounded by a richly settled country that is abounding in natural resources. The county of Peterborough is not only one of the largest in Ontario, occupying an almost central position between the eastern and western counties, but is one of the finest agricultural counties in the Province.

In all of its fifteen townships, with the exception of three or four in the south, are found picturesque lakes, large and small. The mineral deposits in the northern section of the county comprise gold, iron, lead, copper ore, mica and white and grey marble. These have been extensively developed, and with the advent of the iron horse into this territory, have become the scene of promising mining industries.

From an agricultural standpoint, Peterborough county is admirably suited to mixed farming, and statistics show that the annual production of dairy products is only equalled by one or two counties in Ontario. To the agricultural interests of the county, Peterborough owes much for what has so far been accomplished.

The City Has Become a Manufacturing Centre of Limitless Proportions

From 1825 to the present is far cry. The city is fast coming to the front, and with an increase in population of sixty-three per cent. for the past ten years, may be very properly called one of the best inland manufacturing cities in Ontario. The facts and figures of the city's growth fully justify such an appellation. Nature has done all and everything for Peterborough, and up to now the money expended upon it, has been a mere bagatelle compared to its growing trade and future possibilities. Peterborough has risen from the status of a small town to a manufacturing centre of limitless proportions. Its natural advantages, mineral wealth and commercial position, all go to substantiate her claim, as an industrial city of great importance.

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Customs House Receipts For the Past Year Show Phenomenal Growth

The Customs House receipts for the past year show a phenomenal growth. The receipts for the year 1915-16 totalled $821,070, or more than double that of the year 1914-15, when the total receipts amounted to $400,765. The year just coming to a close will do even better than that. Contrast the above figures with those of 1893-4, when the total receipts for the year amounted to $57,483. Since that time the Customs receipts have been gradually getting bigger, until last year the receipts reached the high water-mark of $821,070. Last month the receipts totalled $115,192.59, an increase of $35,500.01 over the corresponding month for last year, and a gain of $20,813.03 over the month of October of this year.

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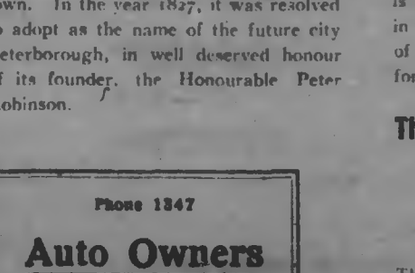
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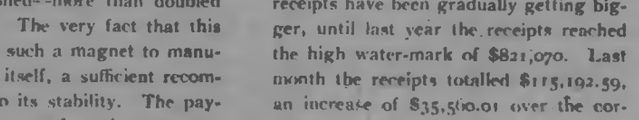
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WITH THE CANADIANS ON THE WESTERN FRONT

1. Canadian troops returning from the trenches pass pack mules loaded with ammunition on their way to the trenches.

2. Canadians carrying a wounded comrade through the mud

3. A Canadian exhibiting his trophy.

4. Canadian Artillery horses on way to water.

5. Watering Canadian Artillery horses at the front.

A Mother of France Pays Tribute to Britain's Indian Soldiers.

When England's colonial troops passed through one of the main streets of Paris a woman sprang out from the crowd of onlookers, and before anyone could interfere, succeeded in fastening a boutonniere in the straps holding a private's haversack. (Upper photo.)

Candling eggs before shipping to war front. (Lower photo.)

On a Mountain Crag Italian Officers Survey the Battle Lines.

Grecian Revolutionary sailors on the "Hydra."

Italian officers observing the enemy.

What War Did Near Verdun -- Back to the Front After Leave

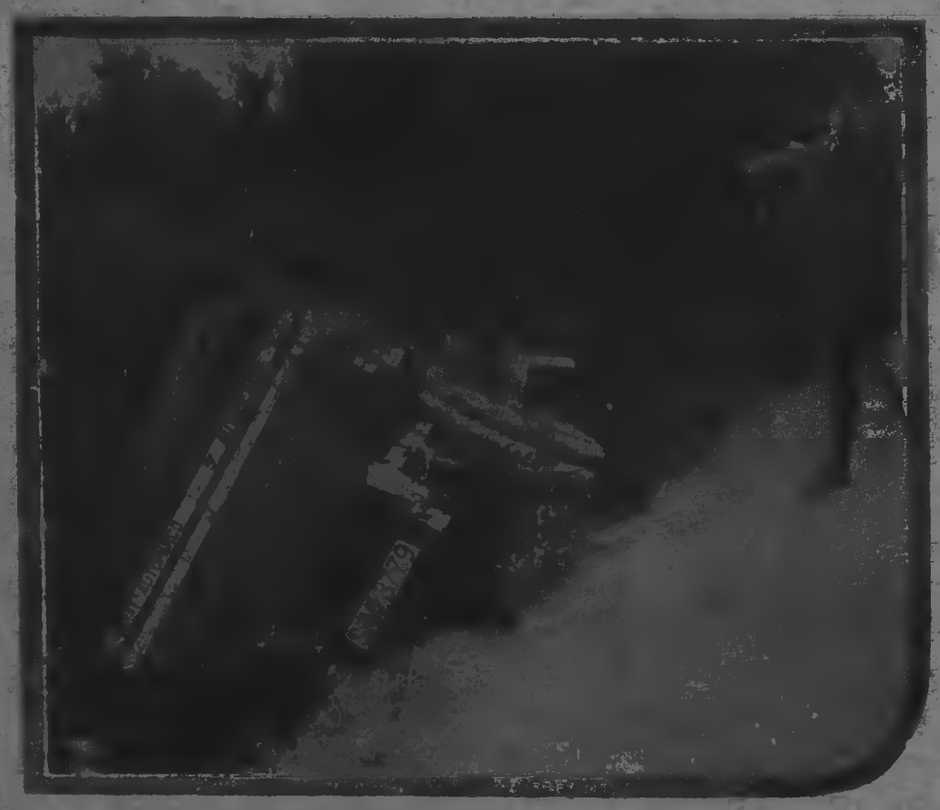
SUPPLY AND AMMUNITION DEPOT NEAR VERDUN. A locality in the Verdun region near the front where are the barracks repair houses and an ammunition depot. The heavy bombardment of the Germans is evident from the shell holes spattered over the roofs.

CROWDS OF "PERMISSIONAIRES" RETURNING TO THE FRONT. Large numbers of "permissionaires" or soldiers on short leave taking train back to the fighting line. The men after their brief vacation eagerly return to their duties feeling quite at home in their trenches.

Camera Glimpses From Scenes of Latest Activities

View of ambulance workshop.

German dead lying in trenches after capture of Combles.



Motor transport upset while transporting troops across the mountains during night.

A column of French 75's passing through village enroute to the Somme front. These guns are doing their share toward holding the lines gained by the great Allied Drive.

Russians in advance trench on western front reading letters from home during lull in fighting.

Russia troops meet poilus for first time in communication trench on French front.

GENERAL VIEW OF NO. 7 CANADIAN GENERAL HOSPITAL, SENT BY QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY, KINGSTON.

VIEW SHOWING OUTDOOR TREATMENT PRACTISED DURING FINE WEATHER.

NURSING SISTERS IN DINING TENT.

IN THE SURGICAL WARD.

GROUP ON THE MEDICAL SIDE, WITH DR. EDWARD KIDD, TRENTON, IN CENTRE

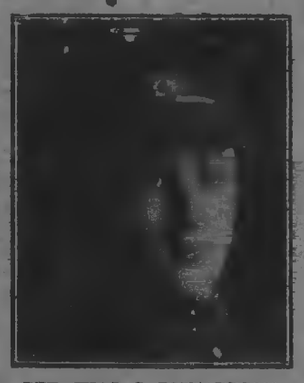
OPERATING ROOM STAFF. Dr. John F. Kidd, Ottawa, in centre. Nursing Sister Annie Bailey, Kingston, on his right.

First row—Capt. W. H. Ballantyne, Kingston; Capt. G. Platt, formerly of Kingston; Capt. Tower. Top row—Sergt.-Major Pilkey; Capt. G. E. Kidd, Kingston; Capt. Grahams.

SAPPER J. B. KENNEDY,
Who went overseas with the 93rd Battalion, and has been transferred to the Signal Co.

PTE. H. COIT,
384 McDonnell St., who was with the C. A. S. C., and Petty Officer Albert Miller, of Peterboro, with the Canadian Navy.

GUNNER FRED LEBAR,
Well known Peterboro boy, who is a prisoner in Germany.



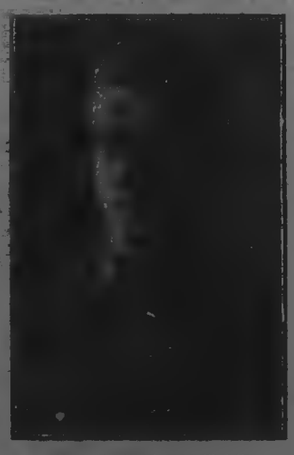
PTE. CHAS. G. RICHARDSON;
Overseas with Queen's Field Ambulance, and son of G. B. Richardson, 580 Aylmer Street.

PTE. THOMAS NEEDHAM,
Of Peterboro, with 223th Forestry Battalion.

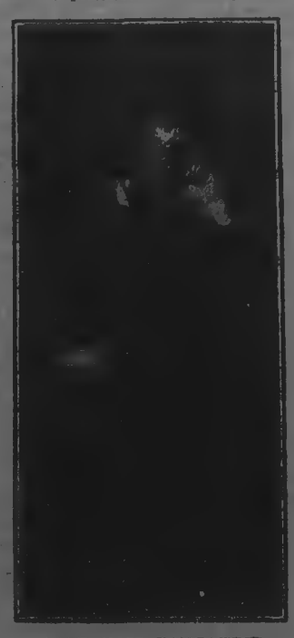
PTE. A. WAGSTAFF,
Now with the 20th Battalion, France. He enlisted with the 59th on June 15, 1915.

PTE. GEORGE CAILE, of the 72nd Royal Highlanders, killed in action somewhere in France.

SERGT. W. WAGSTAFF,
Who enlisted with the 93rd, and is now with the 21st Batt. in France.



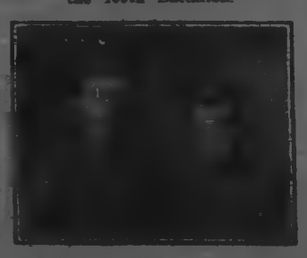
PTE. LEWIS BIGELOW,
A student at the Peterboro Normal School, who went overseas with Queen's Field Ambulance.



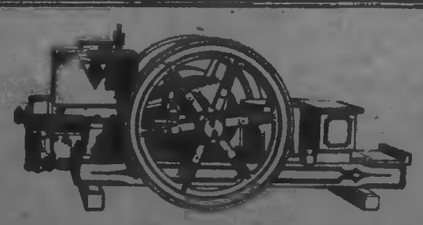
CAPT. V. W. LANCASTER,
A Peterboro officer overseas with the 109th Battalion.

PTE. ROY LITTLE,
Overseas with the 93rd Battalion.

PTE. THOMAS SMAIL,
Who went overseas with the 93rd Battalion, and is now in France with the 1st Battalion.



PTES. J. H. CRIDLAND AND R. GREEN,
Who went overseas with the 93rd Battalion, and are now in France.



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UNITED STATES MAY HAVE TO ENTER AN "ENTANGLING" ALLIANCE

May Link Up With Pan-American Nations as Well as Probably Joining Certain European Countries---Paris Editorial Comment is Almost United in Suggesting Wilson's Note Be Answered in Lincoln's Words.

WASHINGTON, December 23.—The United States may have to enter what has previously been regarded as an "entangling alliance" if the present peace negotiations go down to the point of international enforcement of peace guarantees. The State Department announced this officially to-day for the first time. In the matter of the possible alliance it was held that the United States would naturally link itself with the Pan-American nations, at the same time probably joining with certain European nations in an agreement which this country might have previously considered "entangling."

LONDON, December 23.—The Pall Mall Gazette came out frankly to-day with the suggestion the President withdraw the note. "Whether it was a simple oversight or a case of over subtlety.' The editorial asserted that the President has gravely blundered and unless the blunder is revoked it will bear evil and irrevocable fruit.

PARIS, December 23.—Paris editorial comment is almost united in suggesting M. President Wilson's peace plea be answered in the same words with which President Lincoln rejected European interference in the middle of the Civil War. The Petit Parisien declared to-day that the Entente reply to Germany's peace proposals was nearly completed, being a fairly lengthy document listing the Allies' "Grievances and the heavy responsibilities of the German Powers."

LONDON, December 23.—Serious food riots at Dresden this week in which police and military forces were used by the German authorities to quell the attack of a hundred women were reported in Rotterdam despatches to the Exchange Telegraph Co. The women stoned the shops and marched past the Palace shouting for food.

NEW YORK, December 23.—Terrific storms of recent days have caused apprehension as to the fate of the liner Voltaire, but officials denied the reports, that the company feared the vessel had succumbed to the submarine attack. The Voltaire is two weeks overdue from Liverpool.

Russian Forces Press Back German Invaders

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, December 23.—Russian forces have pressed back the German invaders in Roumania northwest, west and southwest of Kimnikser to-day's official statement declared. Lively battles were reported around advanced posts in the region of Rakovitchino, Vadul and Soressoi.

In the region of Balatchenul, Balatchenul, in the Carpathians, one of our companies penetrated to Rochiaru and damaged four horse artillery guns and bayonetted a sleeping squadron which they surprised.

PRESIDENT MAY HAVE "SOMETHING UP SLEEVE"

LONDON, December 23.—The London press took a new tack to-day in figuring out why President Wilson sent his peace note. The first outburst of indignation having died down somewhat, the editorials to-day began speculating on the belief that the American President has something up his sleeve. All the newspapers expressed the hope that the President's hint that peace may be "just around the corner" might have been based on secret information from Germany.

Canadians and Britishers Cheerful and Optimistic

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Eng., Dec. 23.—(Special cable).—"Christmas finds Britishers and Canadians here and in France cheerful and more optimistic than for many months. Weather both here and in France decidedly unChristmassy when compared with the crisp, bright Canadian climate, but Canadians absolutely refuse to be unhappy despite the rain and mud.

There is a general spirit of "Let's make the best of it this Christmas Day. We have to be here to watch Fritzie. But next Christmas we'll be home in Canada and the war all over." Canadians both here and in France are simply inundated with parcels and letters from home.

MAYOR DUFFUS TAKES ACTION

Mayor Duffus sent a wire to the Militia Department at Ottawa to-day, urging that the home-coming of all Peterborough soldiers who have reached Canada from overseas be facilitated so that they, including the 93rd Band, may be home for Christmas.

Every animal on the place should be your friend. If the critters run when they see you coming you have mistaken you calling.

Christmas Entertainment

THE ENTERTAINMENT TENDERED TO THE FAMILIES OF MEN ON SERVICE, IN ENGLAND AND AT THE FRONT, WILL BE GIVEN IN THE OPERA HOUSE, AFTERNOON OF CHRISTMAS DAY. DOORS OPEN AT 2.00 O'CLOCK. TO COMMENCE AT 2.30 O'CLOCK. COME EARLY. PRESENT TICKETS AT DOOR. ADMISSION BY THOSE TICKETS ONLY.

93rd BAND MAY NOT GET HOME FOR CHRISTMAS AFTER ALL

Officials, Relatives and Citizens Generally Still Anxiously Waiting For News of the Band's Arrival--Peterboro' Bandsman With the 38th Battalion Said to Have Won the D. C. M.---To-day's Military News.

It begins to look as if the 93rd Band may not get home for Christmas Day after all. The musicians are still at Quebec, and apparently will be examined by the Medical Board before they are sent home. If this is the case, it usually means four or five days' delay. It was hoped that with the bandsmen in Halifax on Monday night that they would get home for Christmas, and they may still do so, although no definite word has yet been received of their coming.

Mrs. W. H. Peryer, wife of Bandmaster Peryer, of the 39th Battalion, has received a letter from her husband, in which he stated that while playing at the Beechborough Hospital, he heard that Bandsman Stuart Langford, of Peterborough, had won the Distinguished Conduct Medal for bravery in carrying off wounded during a battle on the Somme front. Bandsman Langford, before enlisting was a member of the Band of the Salvation Army here, and went overseas as a bandsman with the 39th Ottawa Battalion.

The majority of the members of the 93rd Battalion are on Christmas leave.

Among the numerous Christmas greetings received by the Examiner is a very artistic card from Major C. G. Thomson of the Royal Army Medical Corps, and D.A.D.M.S. of the 31st Division, B.E.F. Major Thomson is a Peterborough County boy, who is well known in the city.

Master Dannie Tebarr has received an interesting letter from his brother, Pte. Harold Tebarr, who went overseas with the 93rd Battalion, and is now in France. He says in part "I am well and having a good time. Jack Cavanagh and the rest of the boys are all "jake." You asked me to tell you something of our life out here. Well we do our turn in the front line, then and have a good time. It is very sametime, and then we come back to a small French town about four miles back for a rest. We get a little pay thereand have a good time. It is very quiet on this front. We have hot meals right in the front line. There are bunks in the dugouts and we get a brazier and coalbe coke and it is real comfortable. I am in the Lewis gun section. There are six in a crew. The fellows on our section are fine fellows. The corporal, Russell his name is, is a prince. The rest of the bunch are from the 93rd, Lemay, Manley, Johnston and Stuart. We sure have some great time knocking around. We don't give each other much chance to get homesick.

A member of the Examiner staff has received the following from Lieut. L. J. Stuart, formerly of the 93rd Battalion, and now in France with the 1st Canadian Battalion:

"The following Peterborough boys in my platoon of the 1st Battalion, along with myself, wish you the compliments of the season. Clappinson, Cook, Cridland and the Coates twins.

J. J. (Hed) Stuart, Lieut.
1st Battalion, Canadians,
B.E.F.

Pte C. Robinson, who went overseas with the 93rd Battalion, writes to a

(Continued on page 17).

ARRANGEMENTS ARE COMPLETE FOR THE ENTERTAINMENT

Soldiers' Families Will Be Entertained at the Grand Opera House on Monday Afternoon

BIG TIME EXPECTED

Arrangements have been completed for the entertainment in the Opera House, Christmas afternoon, to the families of the men on service and in England getting ready to take the field. The doors will be open about 1.45 p.m., in order to allow of getting seated in time. The programme will commence at 2.30.

It is expected that Capt. Burnham may reach the city by the afternoon on Christmas Day and if so will be asked to make a brief address to the audience. Mayor Burns, as President of the Patriotic Fund Association will extend a greeting to those present. As the programme of pictures will be extremely interesting and very ample it is not the intention to take up time otherwise.

Miss Bonnycastle, a talented lady of Campbellford, has written a spirited patriotic song "The Recruit." This song she has published and it is being widely used at all patriotic gatherings. Miss Bonnycastle will come here during the afternoon, and it will no doubt add to the interest of the entertainment.

As the proposition to finance the event was handed to the Reception committee of the Council, and as there was no fund from which the expense, outside of Capt. Burnham's contribution, could be taken, the matter has been cheerfully arranged. Messrs. Matthews, Abbott, Hill (W.H.), Gillespie, Hazelton, Halliday, Ackerman, Turner (W.) Hall, (Richard), making up the required amount, and supplementing the acceptable grant of $25.00 from the coroner's jury, as already noted.

A large number of tickets have been issued, quite sufficient to fill the house, and it is hoped all will attend. Baby sleighs and carriages will be checked in Turner's store during the time of the entertainment.

Christmas Mail Reaches the Front

Trucks Fairly Bulging With Presents For Canadian Troops Have Arrived at the Firing Line.

DECORATED WITH HOLLY

With the British Armies in France, Dec. 23.—In these last days before Christmas it is a strange procession, indeed, that winds its way on the travel-scarred roads of northern France, to where the greatest armies the world has ever known are locked in a life and death struggle.

Vieing with the seemingly endless train of motor trucks groaning under capacity weights of powder, shells, and all the varied and sinister material of war, are numberless other trucks fairly bulging with presents and greetings of the Yuletide. Oddly enough both types of truck are decorated gaily with holly and mistletoe. It appears now that no soldier, regardless of how humble his station will be forgotten.

The handling of the vast amount of mail for the English, Canadian and Australian troops is fraught with great difficulties for powder and shell assert their prerogative of preference and the holiday season will bring no lessening of the gun pressure on any part of the front. Despite the complex problems connected with the task the organization behind the British front makes it possible for letters and parcels to reach the men in the front line trenches 48 hours after their posting in London. One reason for this is that the mail is being handled and distributed by "Tommies" who formerly were postal employees.

The Canadians received the bulk of their mail last week, most of the soldiers obeying with childish impatience instructions not to open the parcels until Christmas.

The mail for the Australasian troops, necessarily, was posted six or seven weeks ago and naturally there were many casualties in that period, so that the authorities are confronted with a number of parcels which never will reach their intended owners.

Outgoing Post Heavy.

A feature of the Christmas army mails is that the outgoing post is almost as heavy as the incoming, with a strange cross-current of money orders going home and coming out. Some idea of the army postal problems may be gained from the fact that normally the British army send 1,000,000 letters and postcards and 11,000 parcels daily. This number is being doubled and trebled during the Christmas rush. Another interesting fact is that a soldier receives an average of four letters a week and writes one.

The packages being sent from the front contain all manner of souvenirs, from the battlefields and trenches. Letters and parcels for the men on the very front line are sent to them with their rations. The favourite Christmas card that the "Tommies" are sending home is one on which loving mottoes are woven with vari-coloured silk threads.

DETERMINATION OF THE BRITISH GROWS STRONGER

Evident That Country Has Regained Its Self-Confidence Under the Spell of a Small But United and Energetic Ministry

LLOYD GEORGE'S SPEECH

by T. P. O'Connor

London, December 23rd. The narrow partisans of former Premier Herbert Asquith, who had been denouncing Premier Lloyd George as a selfish intriguer, were grievously disappointed on Tuesday, when Asquith rose in the House of Commons and after congratulating Lloyd George on his address, volunteered the statement that there had never been a personal quarrel between the two men during their long years of association. Further heartbreaks were caused when the former Premier pledged his hearty support to the Lloyd George ministry.

The speech of the new Premier was everywhere regarded as a splendid exposition of England's case, the passage in his address rejecting Germany's overtures being especially applauded, except by a small group of pacifists. There was scarcely even a ripple of excitement when Premier George announced that the Government would take over the control of all the mining and shipping resources of the country, and would proceed to enroll all the civil as well as the military life of Great Britain in one final effort to bring the struggle to a victorious end. It is now perfectly evident that the country has regained its self-confidence under the magic spell wrought by a small but united and energetic Ministry, and that the determination of the British pupblic to go on and on, until victory is won, has grown stronger and stronger with each succeeding day.

THE ONLY MISTAKE.

The only mistake in Premier Lloyd George's speech was the lack of definiteness in his announcement of a determination on the part of the Government to settle the Irish question. The real truth of the situation is that Premier George was more ill than was generally known, and was unable to leave his bed or see anybody for several days. He particularly wanted time to consult with such discordant elements as Sir Edward Carson before making a definite announcement as to the Irish question. Just what form this announcement will take is somewhat obscure but it is believed the next few days will do much to clear the air. In the meantime, in Tory speeches, and in Tory newspapers as well as Liberal, with the single exception of the Morning Post, there is expressed a ferrent wish that a settlement of the question be hastened.

I have already informed you of the curious relations which existed between the two most powerful figures in the Ministry—Mr. Asquith and Mr. Lloyd George. As I anticipated, these relations ended in the Ministerial earthquake which we have had. Up to the last moment—indeed almost up to midnight—on the fateful Sunday which was to decide the fate of the Ministry, the separation of the two seemed inevitable. Lloyd George owes his extraordinary position apart from his gifts as orator, his powers as a negotiator, his instinctive knowledge of political work, Lloyd George owes his position to a courage that is always ready to face any dangers or difficulties, to go out into the wilderness of opposition, if that were necessary. And he had got to such a state of exasperation and despair with regard to the dilatoriness with which the war was being conducted, that if he had not got his way he made up his mind not only to leave office, but also to go to the country, and plead before them for a more vigorous prosecution of the war.

A PECULIAR POSITION

His position in the Cabinet has been peculiar and unhappy for some time. In this particular moment of British history you had one of those paradoxes which so often occur in human history, that is to say, that

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BODY IN CISTERN OF VACANT HOUSE

Special to The Examiner.

KITCHENER, Dec. 23.—The body of James G. Wing, real estate agent, who disappeared mysteriously Dec. 11th, was found in the cistern of a vacant house. His coat, hat and box were found in the cellar. Deceased had been ill for a year and was 60.

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CHRISTMAS.

Another Christmas has come; and the war drums are beating, the war guns roaring in direful chorus as loudly, and more loudly than they did last Christmas and the Christmas before that. This does not seem in tune with the hallowed spirit of peace and good will to men, that the Christmas season represents. But this spirit is with us still. It has been intangibly and pervasively in the air of the past week. It is mighty in the hearts of our people today, animating and inciting to tender and thoughtful manifestations towards our fellow men around us and our defenders in far-away France and Flanders or other points of the far-flung battle lines. The Christmas spirit too, is in the awful areas of war. It heats the heart and nerves the arm of the soldiers, fires the guns that help him win the battle in the interests of all that Christmas and its Christianity stands for. The ways of Providence are beyond our understanding, and lead to the end through ways that are dark and tortuous, by terrific agencies. This good old solid earth was fitted for the use and service of man, ripped up, riven, shaken, kneaded into fertile plain and valley and gold ribbed mountains, by monstrous and destructive or disruptive forces, coordinated to make the firm set earth the abode and instrument of man.

Our Christmas tide this year seems dark, but its recurring presence has brought us nearer victory. The forces ranged under the banners of the King of Christmas, fighting for the great principles he came to establish as the foundation of national and individual human welfare and happiness, are stronger than a year ago; while the enemies of all these things is growing weaker in the resistance which has replaced their aggressing, to the point of suing for peace. The cheer of this Christmas amidst all the lowering gloom, lies in the fact that it holds the promise, in the forerunner, of a brighter, a triumphant Christmas, when the bells ring it in a year from now.

Hope, like a gleaming taper's light
Adorns and cheers our way;
And still as darker grows our night,
Emits a brighter ray.

COLD STORAGE OUTRAGE.

We don't positively know in Canada, but we have a shrewd suspicion, that cold storage accumulation of food supplies — withholding them from market—is one of the causes of the high price of living. In the United States there is an example published of the way in which cold storage is used to commit outrage upon the public—commit robbery by the extortion of artificially swollen profits on a necessity of life. It is stated that John E. Wets, the Chicago "egg king," has 72 million, six million dozen, eggs in cold storage. Six months ago he bought them at, or under 24 cents per dozen. He will not sell a dozen for less than 75 cents per dozen. That is to say, he paid 2 cents a piece for the eggs and will sell them at 6 cents and a quarter each. That is a profit, or a robbery of 300 per cent. in six months and at the rate of 600 per cent. a year. While Wets's investment and manipulation of a staple food article has lessened the intrinsic—food or taste—value of the eggs he has hoarded, he stands to clear two and a half million dollars (allowing half a million as the expense of his piratical enterprise). The community and country that permit the perpetuation of such robbery, such cruelty to humanity has something rotten in its constitution. To think of such a man who has his essential duplicates all through the United States and Canada, recalls the Kaiser, whose mind and soul and spirit are different from those of the cold storage robbers only in degree and capacity of malefident manifestation, and to think of either is to weep for the Christmas spirit. Everybody will say that cold storage Wets of Chicago does not deserve a Christmas box. Those Asiatic hordes and his brigand breed richly deserve a Christmas box of steel—made permanent for the term of their natural or rather, unnatural, lives.

MEN OF THE RIGHT SPIRIT.

There is certainly "some class," as the profane would say, to the freshman class of the Royal College of Dental Surgeons, Toronto. On Monday the whole first year—"freshman" —class, to the number of one hundred, enlisted in a body for overseas service. When the class met on Monday they were wild with war-like enthusiasm. A motion was put, and unanimously carried that the whole class volunteer in a body. It is thought that at least seventy-five will be physically fit.

This is a splendid record and example of patriotic service that is, perhaps, unique, though it had something like a precedent in 1866, on the morning of June 2nd, of that year. A military school was conducted on the old Parliament Building grounds, under the 47th regular regiment, then stationed in Toornto. When the news came of the Fenian invasion, instant mobilization was begun. The commandant of the School paraded the cadets, about seventy-five in number, and asked those who were willing to go to the front to take one pace to the front. The whole two ranks took the step; and though they were not sent to the front, being kept for garrison duty to permit the despatch of the 47th regiment, they did their best. The same spirit was in them as in the Dental College "freshies," types of thousands of young Canadians, some of whom have not yet been seized of the seriousness of the situation, one aspect of which, according to Lloyd George, is the urgent need in the present and immediate future, of men.

One thing that stands in the way of recruiting in Canada is the failure of the Canadian people, especially those by age and physique, eligible for enlistment, to appreciate the tremendous seriousness of the national and imperial situation and the imminence of the dire menace to all the conditions of living that make Canada to-day the most favoured country in the world, and its free citizens the most envied of peoples. We are, it is true, far from the scenes of actual and awful carnage, outrage and suffering; but our danger is none the less real and threatening than if we were across the ocean alongside the war stricken and struggling nations—unless we do our share to avert the danger and destroy the German menace to national autonomy, to human liberty. Its success in its devilish ambition of world-domination would mean the triumph of military autocracy and destruction of all the liberty, all the good that Canadians, and other civilised communities, hold dear. World domination by Germany will come if the spirit is not broken that is behind the force that is arrayed in terrible potency and diabolical ingenuity of organization, against the peace and liberties of the world and humanity.

CIVIC GOVERNMENT BY THE PEOPLE.

Peterborough's civic nominations passed very quietly, as if in sympathy with the peaceful atmosphere of the season. This is all very well from a sentimental point of view, but it is an unhealthy sign—a disquieting indication of the passive attitude of the ratepayers towards the problem of effective city government. These conditions show a lack of interest that would explain—furnish reasons for—ineffective civic service we sometimes complain of.

Elections by acclamation, except, perhaps, in the case of a mayor or alderman of tried and approved service, are unhealthy indications of, public lack of interest in civic affairs. Yesterday, at the city hall nominations, there were present a bare half dozen of ratepayers—if they were, indeed, ratepayers—besides the other half dozen necessary to nominate candidates. As far as personal attendance was concerned the ratepayers of the city took as much interest in the selection of their governing powers during the coming year as the soldiers in the trenches. There seemed to be a disposition to take everything for granted, and no disposition to know how the civic business stood. The excellent address of Mayor Duffus, with its explanation of some of the causes of a high rate of taxation fell on a virtually empty hall; and Commissioner Hick's remarks upon a live topic of public interest, might have been delivered in the tonneau of an auto, which would have held his audience.

These conditions do not, perhaps, indicate as great a lack of public interest as would appear. The fact is, too many other interests, personal and urgent, for the moment, absorb the public attention at the holiday season. This means that the municipal nominations and elections are held at quite the wrong time of year. If, as an ex-Mayor, in comment on yesterday's skeleton platoon at the nominations said, the elections were held a month earlier, say, in November, they would not be overshadowed and dwarfed by the commercial rush and busy-ness of the Christmas week and the New Year season.

Gird Up Your Loins For National Service Week

National Service Week is drawing very near and the fact that the first week of the New Year bears that title is something in which everyone in Canada has an interest. The men are interested because it is obligatory upon each of them, between the ages of 15 and 65 years, to fill out one of the cards which the Government is sending to them through the Post Office authorities. The women are interested because their co-operation is being invited, in seeing that their men-folk attend to this important duty. The children are interested because their school teachers have explained to them the meaning of National Service, and the way in which father and the big brothers at home have to reply to the various questions."

To write in the answers and return the card promptly is a good New Year's resolution for every man throughout the Dominion, and it has the advantage of being easy of fulfilment. It only means a few minutes' careful thought. The postman in the cities gets the hard work to do, for he has not only to deliver the cards; he is responsible also for their proper return. Prompt mailing of the answers will make the postman's work very much easier.

National service means that we are to get into that frame of mind which will cause us to think of the needs of the country, to realize that the interests of the State have a greater claim on us than our self-interest. This applies to everyone, from the highest in the land to the lowest. The Prince of Wales' motto "I serve" may well be the motto of every citizen of the British Empire at this time.

There are many ways of serving the nation besides going to the front. The men on the farm and the mechanic in a workshop may be serving the nation as usefully as the man in the trenches. Every man should be doing the work which represents the most efficient service to his country.

The war is teaching us, or should be teaching us, great lessons. Terrible as are its effects, those who have faith in Canadian manhood hope and believe that the nation will emerge from this experience a stronger and a better people. If the meaning of a National Service is thoroughly grasped and properly understood, if the Government's call for information is responded to in the right spirit, the coming year will be the banner year in Canada's history.

The result of the present conditions is that the public can't or won't take an interest in the selection and election of candidates; that candidates offer themselves and are either elected automatically, by acclamation, or are voted for because there may be, in some cases, nobody else to vote for. In many cases candidates virtually nominate themselves and all the electors have to do is to choose, many times, the least of two or three evils. The evils that people complain of in the matter of the results of government in national, provincial or public matters is not so much the fault of the elected representatives as of the people who elect them, or, in effect, as far as public interest is taken in the matter, allow them to virtually elect themselves. If we, speaking in a general term, wish to secure better civic, provincial, or national government, we must organize public sentiment and personnel in a way to permit of the fact, as we now have the election, of civic and other government by the people.

VARSITY
MAGAZINE SUPPLEMENT

"Varsity" Magazine Supplement is, without doubt, one of the finest publications of its kind ever issued in Ontario. This applies especially to its typographical, illuminated and illustrated features. It is Canadian all through, in art, work and spirit. It consists of 170 large quarto pages, and the quality of paper hints not at all of a paper famine. The front cover page, bears the title, and in the lower foreground a picture in colours of a Canadian soldier, one hand grasping the flag, and the other his raised rifle, with his cap on the muzzle, surrounded by a design of autumn leaves of the maple. Above him and in the back ground is a medallion picture of that grand old Norman pile, the well known and often pictured university buildings.

The supplement is offered "as an humble tribute to those members of our Alma Mater who, at the call of duty, have surrendered their prospects in chosen professions, and left the happy associations of Varsity's old gray tower for the risks and turmoils of war."

The book is studded with portraits, the general class including pictures of the monarchs of the entente allies and of their prominent statesmen and generals, as well as of Canadian men of moment prominent in council and camp.

But the most striking and saddest gallery of pictures is those "of 110 of our valiant men—'Varsity's Honour Roll—dead on the battle fields of France and Flanders," the pages containing them constituting at once a necrology and a cenotaph. Then follow several pages containing approximately two thousand portraits of students and graduates of the University on active service, both at home and abroad.

The letter press of the supplement is composed of splendidly written and splendidly illustrated special articles on themes associated with the war, by British and Canadian cabinet ministers, college professors, military experts, war correspondents, etc. A note explains that two of the contributors to this number, Capt. Edward Kylie, of the History Department, and Capt. T. G. Brodie, of the Medical Faculty, "have since been numbered with the honoured dead."

Altogether the work is one of which "The Editorial and Bureau Board" may very well be proud — with the group of bright, "brainy" pictured faces—Miss Dorothy Ferrier, B.A., Associate Editor, University College; Herbert Turney, B.A., Art Editor, University College; Sidney Childs, B.A., Managing Editor, Trinity College; Colher C. Grant, B.A., Business Manager, University College, and A. R. Wilmott, B.A., Editor in Chief, "Varsity," Victoria College.

The University supplement should be in the hands—to stay, for its intrinsic and souvenir and patriotic value—and in the hands of all those who value the greatness of our collegiate institutions, and would know more, of the part the play in the benefit of all the higher interests, intellectual, martial, patriotic, civic and social, of Canada, and especially Ontario.

THE RECRUIT

The Examiner has received from the publisher, Miss Hilda Bonnycastle, Campbellford, a copy of a most timely and inspiring song, "The Recruit." The words and music are composed by Charlotte Bonnycastle, also of Campbellford, the composer of several popular song successes.

A sample verse of the words, supposed to be spoken by the recruit, reads thus:

Soon to reach the danger zone,
Foes below, above,
My heart will turn to you alone
And the land I dearly love.
And if, perchance, somewhere in France,
Wherever I meet the foe,
You bet I'll hit and do my bit
For Old Ontario.

These stirring words have a splendid setting in the swinging and martial march-time music, with a most fetching refrain that would stir patriotic enthusiasm in the tamest heart, and would make a rousing chorus. Miss Hilda Bonnycastle, the publisher, is a singer of fine voice, and to hear her sing "The Recruit" with catching spirit, would, as has often been the case when she sang it at patriotic gatherings in Toronto, "bring down the house." She sang it there with instant success to the accompaniment of the 48th Highlanders Band. It is harmonized to piano and orchestra and band. It would make a splendid hit at recruiting rallies in Peterborough, and it is understood that Miss Bonnycastle's services can be secured gratis—for the good of the cause. It is written in a mezzo key and is well adapted to voices of average compass, and should have large demand and popularity.

German Women Workers

4,783,472 EMPLOYED IN THE EMPIRE AND THOUSANDS MORE SEEKING JOBS

As the result of the scarcity of male workers in Germany due to war the number of women employed in industries covered by the sick and death benefit societies has risen from 3,606,164 in 1914 to 4,783,472 in 1916, according to data furnished by these organizations. The women now form almost half of the persons covered by the insurance system, as is shown in the following table:

Year	Men	Women
1914	6,160,912	3,606,164
1915	5,254,170	3,889,671
1916	5,388,923	4,783,472

In several branches of industry, including textiles and paper production, there are more men than women at work and the number of women seeking employment is constantly increasing. The latest figures show that the demand for women workers, although large, is only about half as big as the supply. Of 100 women seeking work only 66 were able to find it. Since 1914, the number of women registered at the employment agencies had increased by 60,000, and of the 185,126 women out of work in May, 1916, approximately 100,000 could not be placed.

German newspapers point out that in view of the comparatively small pensions paid by the Imperial Government or its subdivisions, to the survivors of the soldiers who have fallen in battle, there will be hundreds of thousands of widows and female orphans after the war who will be compelled to seek work in order to live at all comfortably. Consequently as the Reichs and Staats-Anzeiger remarks it is only natural that the problem of women in industry after the war is already occupying the serious attention of broad circles of the German people.

In showing the steady increase of the percentage of women in industry before the war began, the Statistical Bureau goes back to 1895, when of the 7,340,739 industrial workers in the Empire, 26.5 per cent. were workmen, and gives figures down to 1907, when 24.6 per cent of the 14,436,738 persons so employed were women.

German papers cite the case of the daughter of Louis Unkel, a boss butcher of the City of Biedenkopf, as an illustration of the way in which women are invading the trades formerly limited to men. Franklin Unkel has just finished her apprenticeship in her father's trade, and has been allowed to take the examination necessary to qualify as a journeyman butcher.

In Munich the women insurance agents have organized a society for the purpose of uniting a union with the existing organizations of German insurance agents.

The Munchner Post says there are now 400 women street car conductors in Munich, and praises the way in which they handle the travelling public. They work six hours a day for 68 cents.

Back to Solid Earth.—The attorneys for the prosecution and defence had been allowed fifteen minutes each to argue the case. The attorney for the defense had begun his arguments with an allusion to the old swimming-hole of his boyhood days. He told in flowery oratory of the balmy air, the singing birds, the joy of youth, the delights of the cool water. And in the midst of it he was interrupted by the drawling voice of the judge. "Come out, Chauncey," he said, "and put on your clothes. Your fifteen minutes are up."

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"Have I Made Good?" Albert Weaver's Proposal of Marriage—Answer Is "You Have."

NEW YORK, Dec 20. — "Excuse me; I'm in a hurry; I'm going to get married."

Reporters who had fired a broadside of questions at Alfred Weaver when he arrived here on board the steamship Munamar, of the Munson line, stepped aside and allowed Mr. Weaver to proceed without further delay to the train for Norristown, Pa., where Miss Mabel Taggart has been waiting his arrival.

She had been waiting for five years—small wonder that Mr. Weaver was in such a hurry! When he went away from Norristown five years ago to work for the Spanish-American Iron Company, at Woodford, near Nipe Bay, Cuba, he told Miss Taggart that he hoped to be able to come back some day and ask her to be his bride.

"I want to make good first," he said, as he set out in quest of fame and fortune.

Recently the Bethlehem Steel Company acquired possession of the Woodford plant, and two weeks ago made Mr. Weaver its general superintendent, in charge of 1,500 men. He immediately wrote to Miss Weaver, telling her of his good fortune, and asked, "Have I made good?"

He begged her to cable if the reply was favourable.

The cabled assurance was, "You have."

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NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to R. S. O. 1914, Chapter 121, Section 56 that all Creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said SARAH FITZGERALD, deceased, who died on or about the ninth day of February, 1916, are required to deliver or send by Post prepaid on or before the Fifth day of January, 1917, to the undersigned Solicitors for James Edgar and E. L. Goodwill the executors of the Estate, their names and addresses and a full description and particulars in writing of their claims and statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them duly verified by statutory declaration.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the said fifth day of January, 1917, the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice and the said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

DATED this 1st day of December, 1916.

BENNETT & GOODWILL,
375 Water Street, Peterborough.
Solicitors for Executors.

2-9-16-23-30

Notice to Creditors

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF THOMAS SHEEHAN, LATE OF THE CITY OF PETERBOROUGH IN THE COUNTY OF PETERBOROUGH, MECHANIC, DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to Chapter 121 of the Revised Statutes of of Ontario 1914, and amendmtes Acts, that all creditors and other persons having claims against the above named THOMAS SHEEHAN, who died on or about the 26th day of September, 1916, are required to send by post prepaid, or delivered to the undersigned Solicitors before the 30th day of December, 1916, full particulars of their claims, their names and addresses, duly verified by Statutory declaration, and the nature of the security (if any), held by each of them, and that after the said 30th day of December, 1916, the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and they will not be liable for any part of the said assets to any person of whose claims they shall not then have had notice.

DATED at Peterborough this 16th day of November, 1916.

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Notice to Creditors

IN THE SURROGATE COURT OF THE COUNTY OF PETERBOROUGH

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE JOHN THROOP, LATE OF THE CITY OF PETERBOROUGH, GENTLEMAN, DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to R. S. O. 1914, Chapter 121, Section 56 that all Creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said JOHN THROOP, deceased, who died on or about the sixth day of November, 1916 are required to deliver or send by Post prepaid on or before the Fifth day of January, 1917, to the undersigned, Solicitors for Cyrus T. Throop and Andrew H. Kent the executors of the Estate, their names and addresses and full descriptions and particulars in writing of their claims and statement of their accounts and the nature of the security (if any), held by them duly verified by Statutory Declaration.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the said Fifth day of January, 1917, the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice and the said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

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NOTICE

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Dated at Peterborough this 15th day of September, 1916.

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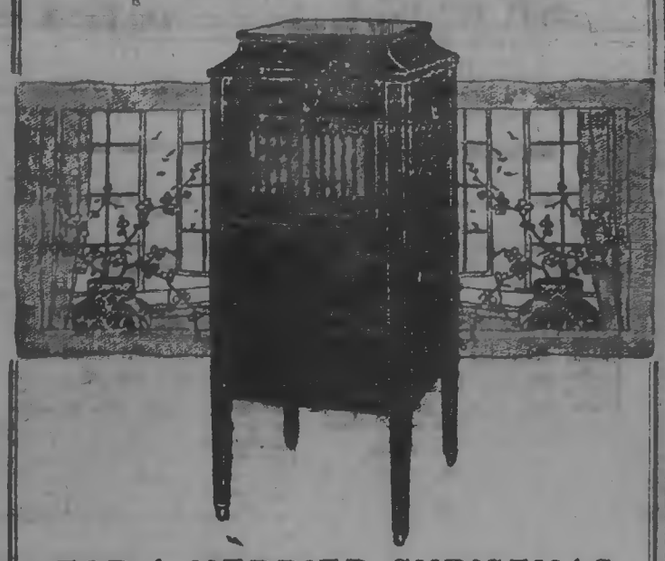

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THE CROWN PRINCE IN TEARS

BY A CANADIAN OVERSEAS

It has long been obvious that the Crown Prince is a simpleton, with brutal instincts. We did not expect him to make a public confession of his folly. But now there is no going back. Through many a long year of peace he was regarded as the hope of the military caste in Prussia. He held a place midway between politics and the army, where neither tact nor respect seemed necessary. He did not hesitate to cheer those who attacked his august father, and he deemed it not inconsistent with his Imperial dignity to congratulate the miserable hero of Zahern.

At manoeuvres he prayed ardently that the sham fight might soon become a reality. He had his way at last, and now finds that the reality is not what he expected. The war for which his father and his nation had sedulously prepared was designed by them to be a short one.

They were to choose the moment of attack, hurl their legions upon an unarmed, unsuspecting world, and to return home before the leaves were off the trees. What pastime, indeed, could be more pleasant than to loot a castle here and there and send the spoils to Berlin, to murder women and children, and to destroy such marvels of architecture as Germany, barren in art, could never boast? To Prussian fancy, the scheme appeared prudent and profitable, and if her enemies had not had the effrontery to oppose her advance the Crown Prince might long ago have been at home, with his wife and family, counting his leisure hours on a French timepiece, the proper spoils of his bow and spear.

Two years of hardship in the field have given him a sad distaste for war. He laments aloud that the battle should cease, that he should be allowed to go back to the manoeuvres which once his ambition found dull and profitless.

"We are all tired of bloodshed," he murmurs. "We want peace." He babbles sadly of green fields, laments that he may not spend next Christmas in the serene happiness of his home, looks back with regret to the days when his chief care was to dance the tango, and displays in the face of the world a futility which history cannot parallel.

In the brave days of his fire-eating, he wanted nothing more than warfare without tears for himself. He cared not how bitterly defenceless Belgium might weep. But eight months of Verdun have proved to him that Germany may not have it all her own way. And so he takes to sobbing in the presence of Mr. Hearst's emissary. "Have you had a chance," he asks in a voice broken by emotion, "to see enough of this dreadful business? Does not your heart already ache enough over the sorrows which have descended upon this region of the earth? What a pity, what a pity it is."

Hypocricy cannot be carried farther than this. Truly it is a pity: but whose is the fault? The Kaiser and his son willed the war. Misled by a superhuman conceit they counted on a walk-over, and now that the tide is turning the Crown Prince has the impudence to murmer in the reporter's ear, "What a pity, what a pity it is!"

The Kaiser's heart bled for Louvain. The Crown Prince bursts into tears when he thinks of the terrible extinction of human life which is "blasting the hope and epectancy of youth." If he could only engage in some peaceful pursuit he would be perfectly happy, and all his soldiers are of one mind with him. "Every general, every officer, every man would far rather see all this labour, skill, education . . . devoted to the task of upbuilding and lengthening life, subduing the common enemies of man—disease and material obstacles to the progress of mankind—than devoted to the destruction of other men."

The Crown Prince's whine comes too late. He should have pondered over these things long ago; he should have forgone the military arrogance which won him the frenzied applause of his comrades. It is too late for him to deplore the waste of life and energy wrought by his own ignorance and ambition.

So in tearful terms, the Crown Prince laments the decay of chivalry. Truly if a spark of humour ever burned in his soul, it is utterly extinguished. "It is a pity," he says, "that all cannot be gentlemen and sportsmen, even if we are enemies." For once we are in complete agreemen with him. It is a pity; yet we cannot assume responsibility for our enemy's dishonour.

The Crown Prince is amiable enough to pretend that he has had, and to hope that he still has, friends in England. Vain is his hope. However heavy a load of years fate puts upon his back, they will not be heavy enough for forgetfulness. Never again shall he call an Englishman a friend. He may weep as he will and he will have no mercy here.

And moreover let not Germany be deceived that it is England alone which is determined to continue the struggle. The Allies are of one mind and one resolution. If truth and justice are not to be extinguished, Germany must be beaten to her knees. It is not for the criminal to shout "peace" when the hour of punishment approaches.

Two years ago, in the pride of his strength, the Crown Prince and his fellow-countrymen demanded war. They have had enough, and now they demand peace with equal insistence. The moment of war was their choice; the moment of peace is ours, and all the tears that the Crown Prince is shedding will not bring him a mile nearer to his peaceful home.

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Owing to the recent fire in our show room, thereby slightly damaging some of our fixtures; we have decided to place our entire stock of Fixtures and Portable Lamps on sale Dec. 18th to Jan. 1st.

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PROSPERITY AND DIVORCE.

Judge Blames High Price of Cotton for Southern Domestic Troubles.

Jackson, Miss., Dec. 21.—Chancellor J. W. Ross, who has 76 divorce cases on his docket, gives it as his opinion that the high price of cotton is responsible in a measure for the unconjugal relations between married couples. The judge says that in most cases this is the first year the parties have had money enough to go into the courts. In some instances unusual prosperity causes a husband to conclude he wants a more attractive wife, while in other instances the abundance of money has caused one or the other of the parties, generally the husband, to seek entertainment elsewhere than at home, and a suit for divorce based on unfaithfulness, is the result.

Millionaire Cop Cleaning Up City Of Detroit, Mich.

DETROIT, Dec. 21.—James Couzons, Detroit's millionaire police chief who is distributing his own money at the rate of $10,000 a year in bonuses for "the good of the service" is credited with working wonders with the force in the clean-up that started with his installation and is still under way.

Some say Henry Ford taught Couzons the Ford standard of efficiency, others say that it was Couzons who taught it to Ford. In all events it is applied to the force. Couzons believes in discipline, the enforcement of every law on the books and in rewards for merit. His $5,000 salary and $5,000 additional out of his own personal fortune will go into those rewards yearly.

That Couzons' system has worked in his own life is apparent when it is recalled that he started his commercial career as $2 a week bookkeeper in a Detroit coal office. Now he is a millionaire. Couzons does not now within one million or so just what his wealth is.

Couzons was appointed just before the recent mayoralty campaign when the cry for a clean-up was strong. His first ukase was at the saloons which had been violating the closing hour law. "Obey the law," was his order, and it went. The closing law is now faithfully obeyed.

Gambling Joints Closed.

Gamblers who behind closed doors, had been violating the law almost at will, were driven out, and gambling joints closed.

"Blind pigs, organized under the guise of social clubs, must go," was another dictum. Thirty of such places were closed at once and have not been reopened.

Couzons listened to thousands of protests when he forbade the parking of automobiles in downtown streets, but he stuck to his guns saying: "We can't sacrifice the safety and convenience of the general public for the mere convenience of automobile owner." His order still stands.

Couzons' philosophy on the bonus system is brief. "Honourable mentions written after an officer's name may be all right, but a reward that will buy shoes for the children or pay the family doctor bill goes a bit further" he says.

Carrying of Flask Still Open Question

TORONTO, Dec. 21.—Darkness still shrouds the question as to the legality or otherwise of carrying a flask with spirituous contents. It was thought to have been settled by the decision of Chief Justice Falconbridge in the case of Rex. v. William Williams, but his Lordship this morning handed out the following memorandum with regard to his judgment, which was published ten days ago:

"As there seems to be some misunderstanding regarding the judgment in this case, it is proper to state that the decision was based on the particular facts appearing in the evidence and that it was not intended to lay down any general rule as to the liability of any person to be prosecuted under Section 41 of the Ontario Temperance Act merely because he was carrying a flask or small bottle of liquor."

The Section.

Sub-section 1 of Section 41, referred to above, reads as follows:

"Except as provided by this Act, no person, by himself, his clerk, servant or agent shall have, or keep, or give liquor in any place whereso ever, other than in the private dwelling house in which he resides, without having first obtained a license under this Act authorizing him so to do, and then only as authorized by such license."

The Former Judgment.

Of this section, Chief Justice Falconbridge said in his judgment confirming the conviction in Rex v. Williams:

"The language of section 41 (e. s. 1) of the Ontario Temperance Act is as wide as language can well be, and by s. 85 the burden of proving the right to have or keep or sell or give liquor shall be on the accused of improperly or unlawfully having, etc., such liquor. This was a question for the magistrate. He has convicted, and it cannot be said that there was no evidence on which he could convict. I was rather anxious to give a judgment on the substantial question argued, so before disposing of the case as above I took the opportunity of consulting some of my brother judges, who agree with the view which I have expressed. Motion dismissed with costs."

Had it for Cramps.

Williams was a resident of Hamilton who was searched on his return from Niagara Falls, N. Y., and was found by the police to have a flask upon him. Attention had been attracted to him by the inebriate condition of a companion whom the police were arresting when Williams endeavoured to smooth things out by explanations. Williams said he had the liquor for cramps.

During the trial in the police court Magistrate G. T. Jelfs said: "The whole question is whether he had a right to have that in his possession." At the conclusion of the trial the magistrate said: "I find that the defendant had no legal excuse or justification under section 43 as a common carrier or otherwise to have intoxicating liquor in his possession in a public place where it is not allowed to be kept under the act, and I find him $200 or three months."

Though the judgment of Sir Glenholme Falconbridge seemed to decide the flask question, the memorandum issued to-day throws doubt on it.

A. A. FOWLER

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Should I be elected, I promise to weigh most carefully all matters involving expenditure of the City's finances, and to countenance only strictly business methods in undertaking any work being handled by this Board.

Soliciting the support of every progressive voter, I am,

Yours for progress,

A. A. FOWLER

Your Vote is Respectfully Solicited by

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For the Board of Education

Science Halts Death March of Bright's Disease

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—A report issued yesterday by the Post Graduate Hospital, at Second avenue and Twentieth street, says that a new method developed by physicians of that institution has made it possible to discover incipient cases of Bright's disease, and that such a discovery, followed by a restricted diet and careful living, will result in greatly prolonging the lives of many persons.

"The importance of any step forward in the battles of science with kidney disease is readily apparent," said a member of the hospital staff yesterday, "when the rapid increase of that malady throughout the United States during the last fifteen years is considered.

"The mortality statistics for 1914, recently issued by the Department of Commerce, show that in 1914, 101 persons to each 100,000 population in the registration area in the United States succumbed to some form of kidney trouble. In 1900 only 80 persons to each 100,000 in this country died from kidney trouble. Since then kidney disease has been causing a rapidly mounting number of deaths. In 1904 the rate per 100,000 population went up to 103.4."

The report, which is published in the Journal of the American Medical Association, says that until an efficient method of blood examination made it possible to determine the exact proportion of certain waste of products in the blood, the chief means of ascertaining whether a patient had Bright's disease was by analysis of the excretions of the kidneys. Those waste products now are known to be present in the blood in excessive quantities when a person is afflicted with kidney disease. Analysis of the kidney's excretions, the report says, did not always disclose the presence of Bright's disease. However, it is stated, the blood almost invariably tells the story of one's physical condition.

The extensive research work which the Post Graduate Hospital laboratories conducted with the blood of sufferers of kidney disease disclosed that when a substance in the blood called creatinine exists in abnormal proportions death invariably follows in a short time. Since blood analysis now also discloses the exact amount of uric acid, it is possible to begin treatment before the patient has developed chronic kidney disease, which generally results in death.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—I have again nominated as a candidate for the Board of Education, and if my services in the past have been satisfactory to you, and it is your desire that I represent you for another two year term, I will deem it a pleasure to give you my very best service on the Board. Wishing you the compliments of the season, I am,

Yours faithfully,

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Ladies and Gentlemen

Please, as ratepayers of the [illegible] Ward of the City, to accept my thanks for the honour done in my election by acclamation. It may not be a wrong assumption to receive it as an indication of confidence. And for that consideration, renewed thanks.

As your representative one may endeavor and yet not accomplish. Honest effort is not invariably successful, for fellow-workers of the Council see with a different eye and other perceptions. The combined effort should, and does, make for the greater good.

But rest assured that for the ensuing term that which makes for the best interests of the city, its people, its welfare, ambitions and progress will have my undivided and earnest attention.

The season brings its expressions of good will, and may with pleasure, determine to all others.

Respectfully and hopefully,

F. H. DOBBS

Just An Old-Time Merry Christmas to You and Yours

Just an old-time Merry Christmas to you and yours we wish.

Just a Merry Christmas, the merriest of them all.

Just the Christmas full of joy, for papa, mama, the girls and boys.

Just the Christmas we all like best—a real old-time Merry Christmas—you know the rest.

May the day be a happy one for each of our patrons, friends and employees, and may the cup of health, happiness and prosperity be filled to the utmost for each and every one of you in the year ahead.

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Mayor Duffus' Xmas Greeting

To The People

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

With the approaching end of the Old Year and before becoming engrossed in the affairs of the New, I desire to thank you all most sincerely for your kind co-operation and good-will and pledge myself to endeavour to prove more worthy of your confidence and support.

Christmas should be a day of gladness. It is the day of reflection as well as realization. To the young and care-free, Christmas is a joy unalloyed. But to those of riper years, in many cases, it invariably brings memories that forbid festivity.

Let me, however, give expression to the wish that the Spirit of Christmas may possess all of us. Your good-will during the passing year has been warmly appreciated, and equally warm and sincere is my wish that the coming year may shine more brightly on all our homes and businesses.

Probably never before in the history of Peterborough was there seen such hearty co-operation between our public-spirited citizens on behalf of the urgent military and patriotic schemes with which they have been confronted during the year. Volunteer workers on behalf of recruiting, patriotic and other funds, have rallied to the work with splendid enthusiasm and devotion. And, if there has been one thing more than another which has made me feel proud of being Mayor of Peterborough, it is the record made by our citizens on behalf of every movement pressed upon them for support. The consciousness of such public service having been so generously bestowed is sufficient reward to me for any service I may have given on behalf of the city.

In the hope, therefore, of encouraging further public service of like character as must still be required from every good citizen during 1917, I desire to make this grateful recognition. We have a right to be proud of what Peterborough has already done. But there must be no halting action, no compromises, no timidity for the future.

While it may be necessary that there shall be a still more economic and clear-sighted civic administration under these war conditions, than last year, the city must not be allowed to retrograde. We should shut down on big expenditures; and my advice to the incoming Board of Aldermen is: to make greater efforts in retrenchment than ever. In view of our heavy responsibilities—Civic, Military, Patriotic—I would urge that only urgently essential expenditures be embarked upon. Let us save our dollars that the war may be won.

I appeal for an all-round co-operation on the part of the citizens for increased interest in Municipal Government, as well as for sacrifices for war purposes. Exert every influence, give every aid to make Peterborough a bigger, broader, better city to live in. Peterborough should attest its deep interest in our civic as well as national affairs, even at this busy Christmas season. We have passed through severe periods during the present year; who knows but we may be called upon to pass through even more severe tests next year.

But why should we not have a joyous Christmas? Why should we restrain our generous impulses? It is the Children's Festival. What do wars and all the haunting fears that lurk in their wake matter to the child with Christmas morning ahead? Give practical gifts—

"Ceasing to give we cease to have
Such is the law of Love."

It is sad—sadder than words can tell—that in this immense strife between the powers of light and darkness, so many homes will keep their Christmas sadly—with many a vacant chair and many a loved one absent. But while our sympathies go out to the hundreds of thousands at home and far away whose family circles have been broken, may we still know that the Star of Bethlehem is the Star of Peterborough, and that "His hand is not shortened that it cannot save."

JOS. J. DUFFUS, Mayor.

Peterborough, Dec. 23, 1916.

DISTRICT NURSES MADE 163 VISITS DURING THE MONTH

Sixteen Were Paid Visits and the Remainder Free Visits

The visiting nurses who operate under the auspices of the Peterborough Health Association made 236 visits during the month of October, and 163 during November.

The general work for October show a list of thirty-one patients. One hundred fifty-nine visits were made in connection with the general work. Sixty-four of these were paid visits, and seventy-five free visits. Apart from the above eighty-seven visits were made to tubercular patients, making a total of 236 visits.

Month of November.

Twenty-seven patients were on the list for November. A total of 163 visits were made during the month made up as follows: Sixteen paid visits, one hundred and forty-seven free visits, and twenty-three visits to tubercular patients.

Deported Belgians Sing National Airs

"We Did Not Sign," Men Shout, to Signify Rebellion Against Prussians.

HAVRE, Dec. 28.—The Belgian government has been advised that deportations have begun at Wôluwe St. Etienne, a short distance northeast of Brussels, but that up to December 4 none had been made from the capital itself.

The advices to the government say that the villages in the province of Luxemburg are being swept of able bodied males. The larger part of the membership of the National Food and Aid Committee at Arion, the chief town of the province of Luxemburg, are declared to have been arrested and deported, although they had certificates given for their protection by the military authorities. It is asserted that the members of the committee deported were not out of work, but, with other men, were engaged in the iron, stone and wood industries.

The government reports say that sorrowful groups of country people were at the railway stations and witnessed the deportation. The men were singing national airs and shouting, "We did not sign," meaning that they had refused to sign the registers averring that they were going willingly.

$400 FOR THE EMPLOYEES OF CRESSMAN CO.

To-day the employees of the Cressman Co. Ltd., each received an extra envelope. Every employee, both regular and those employed as extra help for the holiday season was remembered.

About four hundred dollars was distributed to help make the Christmas season brighter.

CATHEDRAL, PALACE, CONVENT BURNED.

QUEBEC, Dec. 23.—The Roman Cathedral at Clarke City, Seven Islands, on the north shore, with the Bishop's palace and the convent of the French Nuns were destroyed by fire early yesterday after the explosion of a gasoline tank at the bishop's convent. One nun lost her life in the convent. News of the disaster was confirmed yesterday afternoon at the cardinal's palace in this city.

Xmas Dinner at
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Salted Almonds

SOUPS
Consommé Celestine Chicken Printanière

Sliced Tomatoes, Mayonnaise
Oysters, a la D'Uzelles
Narragansett Bay Lobster a la Newburg

Baked Baby Lamb, Puree au Petit Pois
Oriental Cream Puffs

PUNCH APRICOTINE

Braised Creste Spring Chicken, a la Marengo
Stuffed Young Turkey, Cranberry Sauce
Chestnut Gravy
Baked Beef Tenderloin, Au Jus

Long Island Shrimp Salad

Snow Ball Potatoes Sweet Potatoes Glace
Haricots Vert, Supreme Spanish Queen Peas

Deep Apple Pie, Whipped Cream Hot Mince Pie
Old English Plum Pudding, Allies Sauce

Canadian Cheese Crisp Crackers
California Cluster Raisins Florida Grapes
Mixed Nuts.
Neapolitan Ice Cream
Christmas Cake de Luxe

Tea Cafe Noir, Demi-Tasse Milk
After-Dinner Mints
MERRY XMAS TO ALL

LITERARY RAMBLES

(By F. M. DELA FOSSE)

There are very many different classes of readers in the world, just as many in fact, as there are classes of literature. Some read along certain specific lines, such as Philosophy, Theology or Technology, others again read nothing but fiction and the newspapers. But there is a class that indulges in every sort of reading that it can manage to get hold of and devours with as much relish articles on the Higher Criticism or Palaeontology as it does the latest novel by the popular writer of the day. There is no intention to deal in this article with the merits of all these different branches of literature. People are to be found who would say a good deal against every one of them, and against none so acrimoniously perhaps, as against Fiction. We are all very prone to do so with Fiction especially when we find ourselves face to face with a particular rank specimen of a novel. But, if we set ourselves calmly to lay all the good fiction on one side and all the bad fiction on the other, I think we should find that there was a considerable preponderance in favour of the former. We have to remember also, that the reading of fiction, is the best means available of obtaining a true perspective of the age in which we live. There is nothing to be compared with it in this particular. We have the authority of no less a person than the late Robert Louis Stevenson for the statement that the most influential books and the truest in their influence are works of fiction—"they repeat, they rearrange, they clarify the lessons of life, they disengage us from ourselves — and they show us the web of experience." But there is a class of reading that is on a totally different plane, viz., Natural Science. This is a study that brings one face to face always with truth. Nature cannot lie, because, as Longfellow once said, it is a revelation of God. It is a matter that strikes me with the greatest regret, that, having had throughout advantages for many years of studying, Nature under many aspects I allowed such golden opportunities to slip away. It is only within the last few years, when my association with books has brought me so intimately in connection with works dealing with Natural Science that I have realised how much I have missed in life. Take for instance, the study of the habits of birds. Ornithology is only one of many branches of Natural Science and yet how full of interest it is. In one of Nathaniel Hawthorne's works he says that hens are well worthy of study on account of the rich variety of their manners. He was perfectly right, for anybody who has had anything to do with hens will testify that they not only evince great variety, but also considerable individuality in their manners. And if hens are so interesting what shall be said of all the wonderful feathered tribe? How can we account for the wonderful faculty that enables the carrier pigeon to return through the pathless sky hundreds of miles to its proper home? How shall we account for the migration of birds, or for the marvellous skill displayed in the building of the nest or in hiding from a predatory enemy? Years ago, when hunting for partridges I observed one flying from a neighbouring tree to a thick-branched spruce right above my head. In a few seconds it was followed by a hawk which also descended into the tree and commenced a wild attempt to locate the whereabouts of the partridge. He must have hopped on every limb of that spruce-tree peering about for his quarry, but his effort was unsuccessful. The bird had become so much part and parcel of the tree that even the keen eyes of the hawk could not discover it. In a few seconds it flew away, and two or three seconds afterwards I had the satisfaction of seeing the partridge fly off too. My regret was that I had been so interested in seeing the bird-hunt that I had utterly forgotten to shoot the hawk. And what a strong maternal instinct there is in birds! Who that has been engaged in duck hunting has not noticed the beautiful way in which the mother duck will swim right in the way of the hunter to take off his attention from her offspring. Likewise the partridge, when discovered with her young brood will fly right at the intruder and do all she can to draw him away from them. Even the most casual of observers can tell many tales to illustrate the cleverness and instinct of birds.

A very interesting book that has just been added to the library shelves is one by Frank Chapman, the well known American ornithologist. The book is entitled, "The Travels of Birds," and deals in large measure with the migrations of some of the better known American species. It is a book that might well whet the appetite of the bird lover to know something more concerning them than can be learned from his own cursory observations. It tells of how they prepare for their journey and of the dangers that beset them on their way. It also attempts to solve the problem of why birds travel, and gives valuable information about the day fliers and the night fliers. Perhaps the most interesting chapter is on the Bobolink. The unlearned reader will be thunder-struck to learn that the Arctic Tern flies half way round the earth and back again each year, the distance between its winter and summer home being close on eleven thousand miles. It sees more hours of daylight than any animal on the globe. To quote Mr. Chapman, "At the northern nesting site the midnight sun has already appeared before the birds' arrival, and it never sets during the entire stay at the breeding grounds. During the two months of their sojourn in the Antarctic the birds do not see a sunset and for the rest of the time the sun dips only a little way below the horizon and broad daylight is continuous. The birds, therefore, have twenty-four hours of daylight for at least eight months in the year, and during the other four months have considerably more daylight than darkness." But there, enough has been said to show that to anyone interested in birds the book referred to has plenty within its covers to recommend it favourably to his notice.

ELECTION CONTESTS IN HAVELOCK AND BELMONT

Wm. Mathieson Elected Reeve of Havelock by Acclamation

The nominations were held at the Town Hall, Belmont, on Friday at 1 o'clock.

Nominated for Reeve—James Ketchen and Wm. Griffith.

Nominated for Councillors— Gilbert Steemberg Marcenne Rylott, Wm. Anderson, Frank Breckenridge, Coleman Elliott, Jack Scott and Edward Hubble. Mr. Rylott resigned at nomination meeting.

In the year of 1916 the Reeve was James Ketchen and the Councillors were Gilbert Steemberg, Marcenne Rylott, Wm. Anderson and Frank Breckenridge.

The candidates for Reeve will be strongly contested as Wm. Griffith defeated James Ketchen two years ago by a few votes and James Ketchen defeated Wm. Griffith last year by a few votes. This election will also likely be closely contested.

The nominations were held in the Town Hall on Friday evening, Dec. 22 at 7.30. Those nominated were as follows.

For Reeve—Wm. Mathison, nominated by Thos. McMullen, seconded by E. Yeomans.

For Councillors — Alex. Mathison, nominated by E. Yeomans, seconded by T. McMullen.

Harrison Wing— Nominated by E. Yeomans, seconded by T. McMullen.

H. W. Roche—Nominated by I. Barlow, seconded by H. F. McNicholl.

John Howe—Nominated by W. Mathison, seconded by W. H. Jones.

Thos. Wright—Nominated by I. Barlow, seconded by Jas. Barlow.

S. S. Joyce— Nominated by J. W. Stillman, seconded by W. Mathison.

W. H. Jones— Nominated by F. Coon, seconded by H. T. Andrews.

P. Haig —Nominated by W. H. Jones, seconded by H. T. Andrews.

Wm. Davidson— Nominated by F. Coon, seconded by D. Butters.

For Trustee—

Jas. Barlow—Nominated by W. Mathison, seconded by W. H. Jones.

T. Wood—Nominated by John Howe, seconded by Jas. Barlow.

I. Barlow—Nominated by Jas. Barlow, seconded by John Ovenand.

F. J. Squire—Nominated by F. Coon, seconded by D. Butters.

1904-1916

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Voice of The People

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73 Bramblebury Road,
Plumstead,
London, S. E.,
England.
Dec. 6th, 1916.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Sir,—At this season of the year one's thoughts naturally turn to home, although I have only been in Peterborough twelve years, I feel that most I have in life is there, and one's thoughts turn especially to my many friends that I have there. I feel proud to know that our city has done so well for the cause of the Empire, and what's more, for the cause wider and grander than Empire. The efforts we are making on the battle fields and in the workshops to-day will have results which, not only decide where the British and our allies' flags shall fly, but which will decide for many generations, if not as long as the world lasts, what kind of liberty, what kind of freedom people shall enjoy. It's a big price and one's thoughts turn at once to all those families who have been so hardly hit, whose brave boys have answered the call and gave their all in order that we may make this world better by our lives, and if we do not intend to do that, then they have fallen in vain. I think of many Peterborough boys, and my thoughts go to those who are left to mourn their loss. I can assure you I am not here in England because I like it. I feel prouder than ever to-day to know that I am a Canadian. I am sure the future of Canada is something to be proud of. And now is the time to see that our young people are fitted for the great and glorious responsibility which is theirs and on which the future of Canada rests. Nothing is truer in life than whatsoever a man sow that shall he reap. The same applies to nations, so we must be careful of the seed we sow.

With best wishes for Christmas and may New Year's sun bring more cheer

Yours faithfully,
Chas. E. Coleman.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir,—In last night's Examiner I saw a letter signed "A Soldier's Wife," finding fault with the way the Mayor was suggesting to give the soldiers' dependants an entertainment. Surely they don't have to canvass the city with regard to finding a suitable way in which to entertain the soldiers' wives. For my part I know of quite a few ladies who would not care to attend such an entertainment as was suggested in last night's paper.

Hoping that the mayor will stick to his own judgment in the entertainment that he has proposed, and thanking you, Mr. Editor, for your space in your valuable paper, I beg to remain a soldier's wife with two small children. Mother.

Donations To Children's Shelter

A liberal response has been made to the appeal on behalf of the Children's Shelter. A donation of one dollar was received by "K" and one dollar from Miss Edwards. A number of parcels was also received.

CHARGED WITH INTENT TO DEPRIVE LONDONER OF HIS LAWFUL CHILD

CHATHAM, Dec. 23. — Charged with intent to deprive Jacob Fox of London, Ont., of his lawful child, Helen Fox, aged seven, who shortly after birth was placed in the Catholic Orphanage Hospital, in London, and was subsequently adopted by Thos. Woods of this city, the latter appeared in city police court, pleaded not guilty, elected to be tried by a jury, and was sent up for trial.

During the preliminary hearing, W. G. Richards for the crown intimated to the court that the child had been spirited away by the defendant following the first visit of the father to this city a few weeks ago, after he had learned the whereabouts of the infant from the authorities at the London institution.

The child is supposed to be in Chicago, now in the care of a third party. The infant has been in the care of the Woods family for nearly six years, and it is understood they were not aware until recently that their protege was supposedly a daughter of the complainant, Jacob Fox.

CHRISTMAS DINNER

The Empress Hotel will be just like home on Christmas Day and will serve a special Dinner 12.30 to 2.30 p.m. Come and bring the family and give your wife a holiday. Tables may be reserved by Telephoning 121.

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LIEUT. L. J. STUART ENDORSES WORK OF Y. M. C. A. AT FRONT

Peterboro' Officer Also Tells of the Death of Lieut. S. Laing—Was Killed by Stray Machine Gun Bullet

The following interesting letter from Lieut. L. J. Stuart has been received by the General Secretary of the local Y.M.C.A.

France, Dec. 2, 1916

Dear Mr. Meserve,—I have received a few Peterborough papers lately, and I have read with interest the doings at the good old Peterborough 'Y.' I also read an account of the campaign that was being launched to secure funds, and that was what prompted me to write this letter. I just wanted to let you know, in a small way, the great work that the Canadian Y. M. C. A. is doing for the boys out here. Before I came out I had heard much about the 'Y,' but I had no idea of the great amount of good it was doing.

As you know, it is almost impossible for the units to have canteens owing to the fact that they are moving all the time. The Y.M.C.A. takes the place of these. In every village (and these villages are very numerous) throughout the Canadian Corps area there is a branch of the 'Y' usually conducted in a large khaki-coloured tent. Here is sold everything a "Tommy" desires in the way of "eats" and smokes and at remarkably reasonable prices. In connection with all of the larger branches there is a recreation tent where concerts are held almost nightly. In some of them they even manage to produce a movie show or as they are called over here, a cinnema. The recreation tent is also used as a 'writing room,' stationery being supplied free.

The work is not confined to the villages back of the line, but is also carried on to some extent right up under shell fire. On one occasion at least, when we came out we were given a cup of coffee and a cigarette from a 'Y' dugout still within range of the Hun 5.9's. You can imagine what new life it put into all of the fellows who were so tired they could hardly drag one foot past the other, and still had several miles to go. Although I didn't see it, I have been told of a case that happened up in the Ypres Salient, where a shell actually lit in an advanced 'Y' dugout.

In this matter we have left the Imperials very much in the shade. They have the Church army huts, but these are few and far between.

After the war the 'Y' will have many supporters that it never had before. Chaps who were never members before the war are the loudest in their praises of the great work that is being done by the Association out here.

Poor Stuart Laing was killed the other night. I don't now whether you knew him or not, but he was always a great 'Y' worker before the war, and his brother Jack was formerly Boys' Secretary at Peterborough. I believe Jack is in the work now in some part of Canada.

The circumstances surrounding Stuart's death are particularly sad. He had been out here so long and then for him to be caught as he was. He was quite a distance from the line, standing on a piece of high ground, watching a show (the occupying of a crater) that was being put on by the 14th Battalion, when he was hit by a stray machine-gun bullet. These are quite common especially where the land back of the line is level, but most of them just hand out nice "blightys."

Well, Mr. Meserve, it won't be long till Christmas, so I will take this opportunity of wishing you and all of any friends in the Association a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Yours sincerely,
L. J. ('Hod') Stuart,
Lt 1st Bn., Canadians; B.E.F.

Victor Records for Christmas

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May Happiness be Yours This Christmastide and Prosperity and Health Attend You Throughout The Year.

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MANY COUNCILS ARE RETURNED BY ACCLAMATION

NORWOOD, Dec. 23—There will be no municipal elections in Norwood this year. At the nominations last evening Reeve B. W. Squires and Councillors Robert Tedford, Thos. Elliott, Chas. Puffer and J. R. McKelvie were all returned by acclamation. The Board of Education were also re-elected.

MILLBROOK, Dec. 23—Reeve R. J. Doak and this year's Millbrook Council have all been returned to office by acclamation. The councillors are: George Burnham, G. W. Sills, J. H. Bingham, Eascotte.

The Cavan Council Board was also re-elected as follows:

Reeve—A. J. Henderson, Millbrook.

Deputy Reeve — Harold Baptie, Springville.

Councillors—Clarke, Bale, McCamus.

Otonabee—The entire Council of Otonabee has been re-elected by acclamation as follows:—

Reeve—W. A. Anderson

Deputy Reeve—F. A. Eason.

Councillors—John O'Leary, Gilbert Howson, David Laurie.

At the nomination meeting a committee was formed to assist in the National Service registration. The Otonabee Council will assist in the work.

South Monaghan.

There will be a contest for the reeveship in South Monaghan, where Reeve Waterman is being opposed by Mr. John Greer, of Bailieboro.

MUNICIPAL RINKS WILL BE MADE READY AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

Time and again our hopes run in opposite directions. This is shown in the case of those municipal skating places to be fitted up. The endeavor was made to have them ready for the boys and girls to start in on Christmas Day. That was one hope, based on real good, cold freezing weather. The other hope came from people, who at the price of fuel, hoped the weather would be what we call soft. And so far the "softs" have had the better of the circumstances.

Mr. Harry Evans, looking after the rinks, got the places all ready. Ready to pour water on and raise ice. Some water was applied to get a bottom and to cover up the grass and rough places. The weather man seemed indifferent and the water soaked through the ground about as fast as applied. So Mr. Evans gave up that effort in irrigation.

Telephoned last night, he said that if we had a good, sharp freeze, or prospect of one, on Saturday, the rink at the corner of Stewart and Wolfe streets could be ready for Christmas Day. Perhaps it will. Any way the small people can go over and see and if ready get on and slide to heart's content. So soon as the places are in skating order some one will be appointed to see after things, and especially to observe that roughness is suppressed and that the little ones have more than a fair show. In such regard further announcement will be made.

The hardware men tell us that there is a shortage of skates. The hardware men are honest. About the only people who, finding a shortage, do not blame it on the war. Possibly such an explanation would hardly stand up. Say that in American cities, with artificial ice rinks, skating is all the rage and that Canadian shops that formerly made skates are making shells. So get out the old ones. Take them to be sharpened or borrow an old file. The file will put an edge on the skate and Heaven's pity it, but dad will supply a new pair.

Skating for Christmas has, in years past been a national observance. Let us hope for the sake of the winter and Canadian pastime, that it will be the case this time, even if coal is climbing and boards off the neighbour's fence are getting scarce.

CHRISTMAS DAY AT BROCK ST. RINK

An Excellent way to Spend the Holiday—Good Clean Healthy Sport

The probabilities are that there will be good skating weather on the holiday, and with renewed interest in skating the Brock street rink will be open for skaters, with a good band, both afternoon and evening. Afternoon from 2 until 5, and evening 7.30 to 10 o'clock. There is no better way to enjoy the holiday than to attend Brock street rink. Don't forget to-night. Good band in attendance.

CHRISTMAS IN MURRAY ST. BAPTIST CHURCH

Christmas Sunday will be a high day at the Murray Street Baptist church. Both services will be in keeping with the thought of the Saviour's coming into the world. The music promises to be equal to anything that has been presented on such an occasion in our city. The choir committee have had one of the pianos tuned to the pipe organ and both will be used in the services. Among the numbers will be heard "Overture to the Shepherds," "The First Christmas Morn," "For thee my dear, dear country," and a ladies' sextette will give from "The Holy City," "List ye Cherubic Host." At the morning service the Sunday school will join in an early "Echo Hymn," "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing." The pastor will preach at both services, and the expectation is that the day will be one of gracious and helpful influences.

Gym. Party Was a Success

The Gymnasium Class and the different clubs of the Y.W.C.A., held a very successful evening in the "Gym. Room" at the Y., which was appropriately and tastefully decorated with bells, Christmas trees and flags, last night. The evening opened with a waltz in which all took part, and was followed by folk dances and basket ball games. Mrs. Dr. Wilson's violin selections were a feature of the evening and greatly appreciated, Miss Gwen. Smith being her accompanist. The evening was concluded with refreshments provided by the board and broke up at about eleven with the singing of God Save the King.

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THROWING STONES

A Criticism of the Canadian Patriotic Fund That Is Poorly Based

Too extravagant, of course!

These wives of soldiers are living better than when their husbands were at home! They are wearing better clothes! Their children are more warmly clad! They are actually in comfortable circumstances! Clearly, the Canadian Patriotic Fund is at fault. Clearly it is time for us to tighten our purse-strings. Why should we pay to make women comfortable, or their children warm, when their own husbands or fathers did not keep them either comfortable or warm? The idea of helping these people to be extravagant is preposterous! The men who administer the Patriotic Fund have no business judgment.

And so on, and so on. It is the criticism of the Fund most commonly heard. And yet behind it lurks the fact that for every case where a soldier's wife betrays a taste for little things not wholly necessary to existence, there are a score who are saving every cent they can against that day, certainly coming to thousands of them, when the breadwinner is reported dead or wounded, or the day coming to every other one, when he arrives home, and goes out to look for a job.

In every town the workers for the Fund are preaching the gospel of Thrift. In most cases successfully. But they are handicapped, sadly handicapped, by the absolute failure of the richer classes to show any example in this regard. The Fund does not tolerate deliberate and continual extravagance, but it certainly hesitates to withhold assistance from the woman who, by her consent, has placed a man in our firing line, and who may yet be taught to see the wisdom of economy and saving.

But more than this: Are we stay-at-homes, we "gentlemen of Canada now abed"—to paraphrase Shakespeare—in a position to criticize severely the woman whose husband may any hour lose his life fighting our battles in France? Rather should it not be a matter for pride that we have it in our power to keep the wolf from her door and relieve her from all anxiety except that which must be ever with the woman whose man is "Somewhere in France?"

COURCELETTE

Written by a Member of the Elgin Battalion

In front of them the German fire
Rained down upon the way,
And yonder 'neath the evening star
The battered village lay.
The order came for them to start
And so with features set
The pride of Elgin's heart marched on
to Courcellette.

Into the barage they went
(As if upon parade)
Each hero's steady gaze was bent
Beyond the cannonade.
What though he fell upon the way
His pals would not forget
To strike a blow for him that day
In battered Courcellette.

On on they went those noble boys,
Though faster still they fell—
And high above the awful noise
Rang out the British yell.
From trench and dugout came a band
Of Huns, and so they met,
'Twas face to face and hand to hand,
In battered Courcellette.

But never can the foeman fight
Against the British steel,
And so the baffled German might
Began to blanch and reel.
And then the rising harvest moon
Beshed down with but regret
To see the Huns go flying soon
Through battered Courcellette.

Our heroes drove them from the place
And 'neath the hillock's crest
They dug their lines in steady haste.
Then took triumphant rest;
Each soldier was the other's friend,
They vowed with spirits set
That they would hold until the end
The town of Courcellette.

of Commerce have gone to their homes
(But something else is there)
We think of pals like Dicky Brooks,
And others hard to spare.
We think of mothers by the score,
Whose gentle eyes are wet,
For on their hearts are aching sores
Because of Courcelette.

HIGH PRICES BRING FORTUNE TO GROWERS WHO SAVED TOBACCO

BLENHEIM, Dec. 23.—Shipments of tobacco are being made from this point, two days this week. The quantity is not so large as in former years, but the price is better. It is understood that from 11 cents to 16 cents is being paid per pound and some who had a good crop and got it harvested before the frost, have a little fortune coming their way.

RYE AND McINTOSH NOMINATED FOR MONAGHAN'S REEVESHIP AND MUDDLE THREATENS THE COUNCIL

The weather stormed around North Monaghan's town hall yesterday afternoon, and within, the municipal nominations stirred up quite a tempest for the electors who grouped themselves around the old box stove and sank back in an expressive silence that invited the stalwarts to go to it. And they went, especially Robert Dobbin and Harold B. Ryle so 'tis generally reported to-day. And after all the verbal smoke had cleared away it began to dawn upon some of the keener ratepayers that another nomination day might have to be authorized. For in the beginning Mr. Tom Hunter and others had renominated last year's Council to continue its work without an election, but other men who were out for excitement filled up the slate, perhaps not wisely, but too well.

The nominations were as follows:

For Reeve—John McIntosh and H. B. Rye.

For Deputy-reeve — Wm. Robson, Jos. Bell and Robert Dobbin.

For Council—John Williams, Tom Henry, H. B. Rye, Jos. Bell and Robert Dobbin.

Some one noted that John Williams is a servant of the municipality being keeper of the dump it was said, and was thereby eliminated. Then if Mr. Rye, Mr. Bell and Mr. Dobbin contest the deputy's seat that will leave only Mr. Henry as councillor, and three must be elected. There are other possibilities, any of which would require further nominations, and there is considerable criticism among the ratepayers this morning directed at this oversight. At that the weather restrained many of the usual crowd from attending yesterday's affair, and besides the town hall is altogether too convenient for the residents nearer the city. But elections must be held in the town hall, it seems, for the reason that in the long ago they held elections there before Byersville or "Gradyville" were heard of.

But getting back to the doings at the meeting the main fact reported by the farmers was that the debate waxed warm and even decidedly personal at times. All the pent up differences that have been more or less passed in silence during the year's work burst out in the Rye-Dobbin argument, and it is said that the cleavage was simply another expression of the gathering trouble between the two sections of the township, the farmers and the residents who enjoy the industrial advantages of the city, and the assessment advantages of the county. It is evident that most of those who braved the snow storm yesterday to attend the nominations were primed for action and set at half-cock. Hence the reports were probably not exaggerated that Monaghan provided the only semblance of old-time nominations in the municipalities adjacent to the city.

Santa Claus At Protestant Home

Yesterday afternoon was a happy time at the Protestant Home, for Santa Claus was calling there and he did not forget a single person; everybody got gifts from his bountiful hand. He said he was extra busy this year, because there is so much sorrow and sadness all over the world, so he is trying very hard to overlook no one, for Santa is welcomed by one and all. He has to go to all the soldiers, their wives and children as well as the Children's Aid, and the hospitals and lots of other places. God is very good to put it into people's hearts to send Santa lots of money so that he can make every one a little bit happier. Before Santa arrived, Rev. Canon Cornish gave a very helpful address, pointing out how each must live so as to fulfill the best purposes of life, remembering and helping one another, and above all remembering God. This war was caused by forgetting Him, and so we were being purged by suffering in order to attain a higher and nobler conception of life.

Mr. John Allan, organist of St. Paul's Church, provided the musical portion of the programme, which commenced with the grand old hymn, "Hark! the Herald Angels Sing!" which was heartily joined in by all. Mrs. Cameron Wilson, Miss Dorothy Allan, Miss May Nelson and the Rev. Mr. McKenzie contributed violin and vocal numbers.

Mrs. Rodger, Miss Lancaster and every member of the Board did their utmost to make the occasion a bright and happy one for those living at the Home. The proceedings closed with the singing of the National Anthem. —Com.

BOOZE PARADES ITSELF BELLIGERENTLY IN THE EAST OF THE COUNTY

While License Inspector Stewart was in Havelock on Wednesday, serving county police court papers on William Anderson, who will appear before Magistrate Langley in the Village on Thursday, on a charge under the Temperance Act, he gathered in James Hodgins, under the influence of liquor, and brought him to Peterborough. This morning Hodgins was remanded until next Wednesday. The charge against him is of assaulting an officer of the peace.

Mr. Stewart was standing on the sidewalk when along came Hodgins, a former Torontonian, who has been residing in Havelock only a short time, and who, it was stated, had recently received a case of liquor. The Inspector hailed him, and Hodgins replied abusively, and did not change his tone when informed of Mr. Stewart's official duties. Eventually the prisoner was placed under arrest by Constable Hill and the Inspector, but not before he had landed a nasty blow on Mr. Stewart's left eye and several minor clips on the head. The usual black eye thus becomes the Inspector as a badge for duty performed. It is more or less known that in the east end of the county the Temperance Act is openly flaunted, and that drunks are by no means as scarce as Dodo birds or that drinking has disappeared. In short, public opinion has been aroused to the necessity of cleaning up a certain element, and it is felt that county temperance workers who are interested in the effectiveness of the new Act can materially assist in striking at this evil the Havelock and Belmont people complain of.

A LUMBER AN'S OPINION.

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APPEAL WILL BE HEARD ON DECEMBER 28TH

Special to The Examiner.

BUFFALO, Dec. 23. — Justice Wheeler has set December 28 to hear a motion of appeal in the case of John Edward Teiper, prominent locally, who was yesterday found guilty of murder in the second degree, for slaying his mother. The penalty is not less than twenty years, and might be life imprisonment.

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A Flock of Sheep Worried By Dogs

Two Eanismore Farmers Suffer a Severe Loss

Messrs. Michael Perdue and Geo. Boath of the Township of Eanismore, had the misfortune to have, between them, forty-six fine sheep worried by dogs a few days ago. Some of them are dead; others are dying, and the majority will either die or have to be destroyed. One of the dogs (a hound) was caught and shot. The owners of the dogs which are said to live in Smith, will likely be presented with a bill for the sheep. The sheep industry was just beginning to come to the front again in this district, having been practically destroyed by dogs some years ago and unless something is done to protect the farmer in this branch of farming industry it will receive another serious set back.

Large Supply Of Fowl on the Farmers' Market

Never was a more startling Christmas spirit shown than that which the farmers (necessarily) showed when they lowered their prices for turkeys from 38 to 35c per lb. to 25c., as they did before the market closed.

Geese sold at $2.15 to $2.65.

Chickens, $1.25 to $1.45.

Eggs, 55c to 60c per dozen.

Butter, 43c to 45c.

One of the largest fowl markets ever seen in Peterborough was held this morning.

CANDY FOR THE EMPLOYEES OF AUBURN MILLS

Every employee of the Auburn Woollen Company was presented with a box of Edith Cavell chocolates as a Christmas gift yesterday. The appreciation of the recipients has been evidenced by a letter of thanks signed by the employees which is being sent to the office of the company.

The most precious things in the world are those which cannot be bought—the tender touch of a little child's fingers, the light in a woman's eyes, and the love in a woman's heart.

PRIZE-WINNERS AT IMMACULATE CONCEPTION BAZAAR LAST WEEK

The following persons won prizes at the bazaar of the Church of the Immaculate Conception:

$10.00 in gold, presented by the Misses O'Connell, East City, won by Mrs. John Corkery, 487 Gilmour street.

Suit of clothes presented by H. Le Brun & Co., won by Wm. McMahon, Otonabee.

Green plush couch, presented by B. Begley, Water street, won by George Ray, Norwood.

Table, presented by M. McFadden & Sons, won by Mrs. John Kerr, 85 Hunter street.

Chair, presented by Lane & Eano, won by Mary Halpin, 39 George street.

Electric iron, presented by F. R. J. McPherson Co., won by the House of Providence.

Silk umbrella, presented by Merrell & Meredith, won by J. A. Butler, 9½ Dufferin street.

$5.00 in gold, presented by Oak Hall, won by Mrs. Jas. Gordon, 253 Stewart street.

Barrel of flour, presented by Campbell Milling Co., won by Wm. Lynch, 526 Cedar street.

Fancy rug, presented by R. Fair & Co., won by C. T. McCrae, Stayner, Ontario.

Pair of pillows, presented by Mrs. Thos. Moloney, won by Mrs. Guno, Elm street.

Mahogany clock, presented by Mrs. F. J. Daly, won by F. Wittaker, Montreal, Que.

Leather rocking chair presented by Mrs. P. Dwyer won by Mary Ryan, 275 Reid street.

Fancy quilt, presented by Mrs. John Monogue, won by Chas. Edwards R. R. No. 6.

Silver knives and forks, presented by Rev. Father Scott, won by Stephen O'Connor, R. R. No. 9.

Ton of coal, presented by Weir & McCarthy won by J. Jones, Rogers street.

The committee in charge sincerely thank all donors of gifts, and kind friends who so generously assisted them in making the bazaar so great a success.

Toronto Aviator Describes Raid On Enemy Steel Works

Target is Seen Through Trap Door in Bottom of Machine—Ticklish Job To Drop Bombs and Keep Machine on Course

At the front, Dec. 23.—With us who are definitely set aside for bombing raids, every day is not a war day. If we average one suitable day a week it is as much as can be expected. I have known us to wait for two weeks for an opportunity in the meantime occupying our time with enjoying life. For raiding better weather conditions are required than for any other form of air work at the front. We do not go so long as the sky is overcast or even half overcast, since if we flew below the clouds we should be an easy mark for anti-air craft guns, and if we flew above them the chances are we should not find our objective. It frequently happens that the wind blows from a different direction above the clouds to where it is blowing from below them. In such a case we would be blown a great distance off our course.

So it is that if one of us looks out of the window at daybreak and sees it raining or cloudy, he remarks 'Cheer up, no raid to-day," rolls over and goes to sleep again. But should it appear bright, he will shout "Come on now, you chaps, get up, there's a war on." Then a voice from another cabin sings, "I never raised my boy to go to war."

However, along comes word officially from the commanding officer for an early breakfast, and we know what that means. After breakfast all pilots and officers are ordered to report at the C.O.'s office, where we are given maps for a journey over the lines, the particular place to bomb being pointed out.

How Maps Are Made.

If it has not already been done by the map office, we mark the line to be followed from our aerodrome to the objective, also writing the course to be steered going, as well as on the return journey. Other places of interest, such as the position of enemy anti-aircraft guns and enemy aerodromes are clearly known. And next of importance to the objective, the position of the lines or military boundary. The maps we use are ordinary road maps, three miles to the inch, but are particularly good ones, showing in addition to roads, rivers, and railways, the size and shape of all forests and woods, with contour lines showing hills. They are cut eight inches wide to fit our map cases, and of such length as necessary depending on distance between our aerodrome and objective. Our map cases are fitted with two rollers so that the map rolls up or unrolls like a window blind. Only about six inches of the length is exposed to view at any one time.

In addition the exact position of our objective is pointed out on a large scale map, and this position it is best to memorize. In one instance it was some steel works which were on the west side of the town, between the river and the railway, just before the railway crossed the river over a bridge. Having memorized this, it is easy to pick out the exact spot to bomb after reaching the town.

Then the order comes, "A flight; be ready to start in half an hour." Since daybreak the mechanics have been getting the machines out and testing the engines, putting in a new sparkplug here, or an ignition wire there, as the test may show necessary.

When everything else is ready you make sure that the safety pins in the bombs have been removed by insisting on the armorer handing the pins to you. Then the first machine in "A" flight pushes off, quickly followed by the other machines in the flight. After one circuit of the aerodrome, they get into their formation and set off for the objective. The fact that our aerodrome is twenty-five miles behind the lines is no detriment, as it takes that distance to climb to the necessary height.

Five minutes later "B" flight is in the air, followed at a like interval by "C" flight, and so on, the number of flights depending on how many machines are in good order that morning. Each flight of bombing machines has its quota of "fighters," machines which do not carry bombs but an extra gun with gunner.

Keeping together this way in flights, with fighting machines accompanying, in our best protection against enemy machines, for although each bomber has a gun for protection, he is liable to get into difficulties if separated from the rest.

Spread Out If Shelled.

Naturally the thought occurs that keeping together in this way makes an easier mark for the anti air-craft guns. Well, as soon as we are being shelled we tend to spread out, for the gunners are not likely to shell us if any of their own machines are near. And then they naturally spread their shots around among the lot, whereas, if they only had to concentrate on one at a time their fire light be more effective.

Well, here we are at the lines. Suddenly a little black puff appears on the right, but 1,000 feet below, then more; then some up above us and behind. We are being shelled, but as the black little clouds are not near enough for us to hear the noise of the exploding shell, we pay very little attention to them. Then they get on about the same level with us, but still behind. However, you can hear the bark the explosion makes, so you change height, or zig-zag in your course. Presently we are out of range and need expect no more shell fire until we reach objective.

However, this is the time to look out for enemy machines. I see two a couple of miles ahead and higher. Instinctively I edge in toward the machine ahead. They are losing height—no doubt they intend to come at us. I test my gun—it is working smoothly. The enemy machines are now on our level but still losing height. What does it mean? Suddenly it dawns on me that they don't intend to fight, and are going down as fast as they can! I let go a few rounds at one just for fun, not with any thought of hitting him, as he is too far away.

Small Door is Opened.

We keep straight on our course and presently are approaching the objective. At a signal from the leader we form into our positions for bombing.

I am alone in my machine, so have to pilot the machine and drop bombs at the same time. Having opened a small door in the bottom of the machine, I can see the ground directly underneath. Over the side of the machine I see the target ahead. Yes, there is the river, and the bridge, and now I see the railway. The tall chimneys from which smoke is issuing confirm me that there are the steel works to blow up.

Having come far enough I turn up into the wind and over the target, seeing it in the opening in floor. Then I take a look at my instruments to see that the machine is level both ways, and, keeping my eyes glued on the chimneys, wait until they are in the correct position in the sight (which position depends upon the height I am above them) when I pull the bomb release wires. One, two, three, four, just as though I were counting seconds, and the four bombs are gone. The machine takes a jump, the tail going up, giving one the feeling of being on a horse.

All this time, in addition to the above attentions, I have had to keep the machine ahead in view, as now I am supposed to follow it and form up into position again for the return journey. Should I have lost sight of it and cannot find it or any of the others (which not infrequently happens) the enemy machines have their best opportunity of picking me off.

Foe Marksmanship Poor.

However, I have kept my position in the line, but once more we are being shelled. This time they are sending up shrapnel which bursts white in addition to the high explosive shells. But they are coming nowhere near us, so we go on our way rejoicing.

Once back over the lines we seem to lose interest in keeping our formation, and each one hikes for our aerodrome as fast as his machine will take him; losing height on the way in order to increase his speed.

When back on earth again we compare notes. One or two may have lost the others while at objective, and got into a fight. Visible signs of their encounters are not lacking. Bullet holes in the planes or fuselage, and one got a bullet in his engine which "cut out" one cylinder. But all the machines have returned, and the fighters report having seen the damage done by the bombs, and so we consider we have had a successful raid.

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW

ANGLICAN

St. John's Church

REV. J. C. DAVIDSON, RECTOR.

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ADVENT.

8 a.m., Holy Communion.
11 a.m., Matins and Sermon.
Processional 55, Hark, a thrilling Voice is Sounding
Venite 98. Benedicite 34.
Office Hymn 56, Lo, He Comes with Clouds Descending.
Before Sermon 58, The Advent of Our King.
Anthem, O Come let us Worship—Mendelssohn.
God Save the King.
Recessional, Hymn 71, Part 4, At length with Trumpet Sound.
3 p.m., Sunday School and Bible Classes
7 p.m., Choral Evensong and Sermon.
Processional 662, Thy Kingdom Come, O God.
Psalm Chants 123, 127.
Responses to Tallis.
Magnificat 174.
Nunc Dimittis 76.
Office Hymn, 680, Come, O Come Emmanuel.
Before Sermon 527, Joy to the World the Lord is Come.
Anthem, Hark, the Glad Sound—Hall.
God Save the King.
Vesper 564, Be with all the Dear Ones
Recessional Carol 741, Hark, what mean those Holy Voices.
The Rev Canon Cornish will officiate.
Richard J. Dewar, organist and choirmaster.

CHRISTMAS DAY.

8 a.m., Holy Communion.
10.30 a.m., Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon.
Processional 708, Come all ye Faithful.
Venite 98. Te Deum, Woodward in E flat
Jubilate 66. Kyrie, Palmer.
Gloria Tibi 133.
Hymn 73, Hark, the Herald Angels Sing
Anthem, While Shepherds Watched — Turner.
God Save the King.
Hymn 77, God from on High hath Heard
Sursum Corda—Woodward.
Sanctus 139.
Benedictus and Agnus—Woodward.
Gloria in Excelsis 133.
Post Communion 261, Jesu, Gentlest Saviour.
Nunc Dimittis—Barnby.

All Saints' Church

REV. R. B. GROBB, M.A., RECTOR.

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ADVENT.

11 a.m., Morning Prayer and Sermon
Hymn 68, 'The Advent of our King.'
Venite 8. Psalms 28. Benedicite 34.
Benedictus 40.
Anthem, 'Lo, He Comes with Clouds Descending.'
Hymn 622, 'Thine for ever, God of Love.'
Alma Presentation 389.
Hymn 46, 'Hark, the Glad Sound, the Saviour Comes.'
Amen 139.
3 p.m., Sunday School.
Mrs. Stevenson's Bible Class for Ladies.
The Rector's Bible Class for men.
7 p.m., Evening Prayer and sermon.
Hymn 454, 'Fierce Raged the Tempest.'
Psalms 87. Cantate 85. Deus Misereatur 104.
Hymn 463, 'Hark, 'tis the Watchman's Cry.'
Anthem, 'All this Night my Heart Rejoices.'
Alma presentation 389.
Hymn 597, 'Rejoice, all Ye Believers.'
Amen 141; Vesper 44.
Choirmaster, Mr. George B. Chandler.
Organist, Miss Flowers.

There will be two services in All Saints on Christmas Day:
8 a.m., Celebration of the Holy Communion.
11 a.m., Morning Prayer and Holy Communion.

CHRISTMAS DAY.

8 a.m., Holy Communion.
11 a.m., Morning Prayer and Holy Communion.
Hymn 72, 'O, Come all ye Faithful.'
Venite 10. Psalms 61.
De Deum (Jackson).
Jubilate 60.
Anthem, 'Celestial.'
Hymn 75, 'While Shepherds Watched.'
Alma Presentation 389.
Hymn 73, 'Hark, the Herald Angels Sing.'
Amen 139.

St. Luke's Church

ASHBURNHAM—EAST CITY.

REV. W. H. WHITE, M.A., RECTOR.

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ADVENT.

8 a.m., Holy Communion.
11 a.m., Morning Prayer and sermon
3 p.m., Children's Lenten Service.
7 p.m., Evensong and Address.
Carol at Offertory, 'Holy Night.'
Carols after Benediction:
'Carol, Sweetly Carol'
'See amid the winter's snow'
'While shepherds watched'

CHRISTMAS DAY, DEC. 25th.

7 a.m., Holy Communion.
8 a.m., Holy Communion.
11 a.m., Holy Communion.
Processional Hymn 73, 'Hark, the Herald Angels Sing.'
Kyrie 128 by Mendelssohn.
Gloria Tibi 133, Plaine.
Hymn 72, 'Come all ye Faithful.'
Shortened Sermon.
Offertory Anthem, 'Sing, Oh Heaven'—Gounod.
Soprano solo—Miss Ada Norris.
Hymn 238, 'Bread of Heaven.'
Gloria in Excelsis 133.
Nunc Dimittis 99.
Superintendent of Sunday School, J. J. Turner, Jr.
Organist and Choir Leader, Mrs. W. A. Cromelade.

St. George's Church

South Peterboro', Lock and Braidwood

REV. J. PRICE, RECTOR.

11 a.m., Matins and sermon.
3 p.m., Sunday school.
7 p.m., Evensong and sermon.

CHRISTMAS DAY.

8.30 a.m., Holy Communion.
10.30 a.m., Matins and Holy Communion.
Wednesday 8 p.m.—Choir Practice.
Organist and Choirmaster Mr. Turner.

St. Alban's Mission

Church of England, Business Street, Brownton.

Mr. C. A. G. Spence in charge.

11 a.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—Evening Service and Sermon.
Preacher—Mr. C. A. G. Spence.
Tuesday 7 p.m.—Boys' Brigade.
Thursday 7 p.m.—Mission Band.

METHODIST

George Street Methodist

REV. R. G. PREVER, B.D., PASTOR.

10 a.m.—Society Class Meeting and Junior Epworth League.
11 a.m., Morning Service.
Subject, Christmas and Its Guiding Star to Bethlehem.
Prelude, Festival Music—Custer.
Hymn 153, Christ the Light of the World —Rose Stella.
Anthem, It came upon the Midnight Clear, Stralenthal. Solo parts Mrs. J. H. Renwick, Mr Edward Jones.
Hymn 143, Hark, What Means these Holy Voices—Tune Cornell.
Solo, The Gift, Behrend. Miss Emma Worth.
Hymn 69, O, Worship the King—Tune Houghton.
Postlude, Festival March—Calkin.
3 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes
7 p.m., Evening Service.
Subject, The Peace of the Kaiser, or the Peace of Jesus, which will you have?
Prelude, Angelis Vesper—Wely.
Doxology, Benediction.
Hymn 708, Angels from the Realms of Glory—Tune Regent Square.
Anthem, The First Christmas Morn, Newton.
The Lord's Prayer—Chanted.
Solo, O'er Bethlehem's Plain—Adams
Miss Charlotte Hannon.
Duet, Sweetly the Songs of Angel Choirs Pearls.
Miss Rita Kemp, Mr. Edward Jones.
Hymn 144, Come Thou Long Expected Jesus—Tune St. Oswald.
Solo, The Angel's Song—Dressler. Mrs J. H. Renwick. Violin obligato, Miss Mignon Telgmann.
Violin Solo, Berceuse—De Serv. Miss Mignon Telgmann.
Anthem (unaccompanied) There shall be Night No More—Turner.
Hymn 111—Joy to the World—Tune Antipole.
Postlude, March of the Magi—Esterbrook
Good Music. All Welcome
Mr. J. H. Renwick, Organist and Choirmaster.

Trinity Methodist Church

SIMCOE STREET.

REV. J. P. WILSON, B.A., PASTOR.

11 a.m.—Morning Service.
Morning Music:
Voluntary, 'Pastorale,' 'Messiah,' Handel
Anthem, 'Sing O Heavens,' Tours.
Solo, 'Star of the East,' Coombs.
Mrs. George Sherry.
Violin obligato, Mrs. Dr. Wilson
Postlude, 'Hallelujah,' 'Messiah,' Handel.
3.30 p.m.—Sunday School Rally.
7 p.m.—Evening Service.
Evening Music:
Prelude, 'Minuetta,' Thirker
Anthem, 'O, Holy Night,' Adams.
Duet, 'Hark, Hark, My Soul,' Nevin.
Messrs. Lee and Hartshorn.
Violin Solo, 'Salut de Amour,' Elgar
Mrs. Dr. Wilson
Solo, 'I Know that My Redeemer Liveth, Messiah,' Handel. Miss Taylor.
Solo and chorus, 'The Birthday of a King,' Neidlinger Mr. Fred Hartshorn and the choir.
Recessional Anthem, 'First Christmas Morn,' Newton.

St. James' Methodist

REV. R. GREATRIX, PASTOR.

10 a.m.—Fellowship Meeting.
11 a.m., Morning Service.
Subject, Humanity's Cry.
Anthem, Sing, O Heavens (Simper.)
Offertory solo, Miss C. Hanson.
3.30 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes.
7 p.m., Evening service.
Subject, God's Answer
Anthem, Nazareth, (Gounod.)
Quartette, Calm on the Listening Ear of Night (Jeffers.)
Misses E. Young, A. Lee; Messrs. H. Turner, A. Farr.
Anthem, The Anthem Celestial (Adams)
Solo part by H. Turner.
Organist and choirmaster, Mr. H. Hill
Monday—Epworth League.
Wednesday—Prayer Service.
Thursday—Choir Practice.
Friday—Boys' Guild 7.15 p.m.
Everybody Welcome.

Mark Street Methodist

PREACHER, REV. R. A. WHATTAM

11 a.m., Morning Service.
Subject, 'Through War to Peace"
Organ, 'I Know that My Redeemer Liveth,' (From the Messiah)
Solo, 'The Star of Bethlehem.' Mrs. E. Wand.
Anthem, 'The Heavens are Telling,' C Simper. Solo part, Mrs. Wand.
3 p.m., S. S. and Bible classes.
Subject, "A Saviour which is Christ the Lord."
Organ, 'He Shall Feed His Flock,' Messiah.
Solo, 'Thou Shalt Break Them'—Wesdith. Mr Harold Lee.
Postlude, Processional March—Batiste
3 p.m.—Sunday School.
Mr. Waller's Adult Class.
7 p.m. Evening Service.
Prelude, organ and piano, Adoration. — Saul.
Anthem, Celestial, Adams.
Tenor solo part, Mr. Harold Lee.
Carol, While Shepherds Watched, Smart.
Solo part by Miss Clara Kidd.
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PASTOR REV. DOUGALD BROWN.

235 Reid Street.

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11 a.m., Morning Service.
Anthem, 'Christians Awake; Salute the Happy Morn." J. H. Maunder.
Offertory, In the Fields.—J. Farmer.
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One Save Us, Omnone. Miss Dorothy Allan.
Anthem, "Grant us Thy Peace," Emerich.
Solo parts by Miss Allan, Mr H. F. McGowan and Mr. Arthur Milton.
Hymn 31, As with Gladness Men of Old.
Solo (tenor), "Night of Nights," Van der Water. Mr. Arthur Milton.
Carol, "Sleep, Holy Babe," —Pinkells.
Anthem, "Sweetly through the Night," —Shelley
Solo obligato by Miss Allan
Duet and quartette by Mrs Lloyd, Mrs. Ferguson and Miss Mulligan.
Hymn 287, 'God the All-Terrible."
Organ Postlude, 'Folk Song," op. 7 — Wiedo
Organist and choirmaster, Mr John Allan.

St. Andrew's Church.

CAPT. JAMES ROLLINS, MINISTER.

Rev. T. H. Mitchell, Minister in charge.

11 a.m.—Divine Service
Rev. T. H. Mitchell will occupy the pulpit at both services.
3 p.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—Divine Service.
Evening Music:
Prelude, Andante—Salome.
Anthem, Arise, Arise, Shine—Maker.
Offertory—Quiet in the Valley—Engelmann.
Duet, Hark, a Burst of Heavenly Music —Herbert C. Tresser
Misses Helen McLaren and Mr. Walter Evans
Postlude, Triumphal March from Naaman—Costa
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BAPTIST

Murray Street Baptist Church

REV. J. R. WEBB, PASTOR

Residence 104 Louden S.

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Anthem, The First Christmas Morn — Newton.
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Hearty Christmas Greeting For All

May this be the best Christmas, you have ever had and the worst you ever will have.

OAK HALL

M. J. MAHER, Mgr.

DETERMINATION OF THE BRITISH GROWS STRONGER

(Continued from Page 11.)

while the mass of the people of the country were one way, the men who had the control and the power were in another way. Lloyd George is looked upon by all the masses as the embodiment of the energy, the courage and the promptitude with which the war should be carried on; and if it had been left to a plebiscite, there is is little doubt but that he would be the choice of the masses. But on the other hand, he has many enemies among the rulers; and in the House of Commons he is looked upon with some suspicion by many Liberals, especially by the anti-conscriptionist group—by many Labour men, by of course the little knot of pacifists; and the attitude of the Irish toward him, though personally friendly, is one of vigilant observation. With this result (which explains how all his energies have been obstructed and embarrassed) that any policy of his, if opposed by the military or other authorities, was turned down; and he was left helpless.

Anybody outside the inner life of politics might well think such a state of things impossible—especially in the midst of a great war. But human nature with its jealousies, its appetites its narrowness, prevails even in war time; and small men are constantly able to overcome the best efforts of the biggest men. I will give you an extraordinary example from an earlier stage of this war: Within a couple of months after the opening of the war, Lloyd George expressed to me the opinion that this war would be ultimately won by big guns and big shells. He preached the gospel in vain for some months. One morning when I was breakfasting with him he expressed it again with such vehemence, that I went down to my constituency to a St. Patrick's Day banquet, and raised the note of alarm in a speech, the heading of which was "Shells, Shells Shells." The warnings of Lloyd George once again remained without an wer. The little men and the stupid men resisted him.

THE COALITION MINISTRY.

At last there came the Coalition Ministry, which I now believe was brought abons by Lloyd George among others, in order to meet this shells difficulty. The first result was the creation of the Ministry of Munitions. Do you suppose that Lloyd George's difficulties were now at an end? Not a bit of it. As the scheme was originally planned, the Ministry of Munitions had the right to manufacture but not to invent shells or any other weapon of war; they simply awaited the orders of the War Office. Lloyd George wanted this or that kind of weapon, which his instinct for war problems recommended to him; he asked for them in vain; until he again contemplated resigning and consulted his friends as to whether he was not bound to do so. But he gained his way in the end, after weeks, if not months, of unnecessary and perilous delay; and he became master of the whole munitions problem. The thousands of munitions works all over the United Kingdom and the cyclones of shells on the Somme front are the best justification of his action.

It will probably be asked why it is that Lloyd George, being thus the darling of the masses, did not ask for the Premiership. I say sincerely and confidently that I do not believe he wanted the Premiership; and I think he would have been a fool if he had. First, he would have had against him all the friends of Mr. Asquith; and Mr. Asquith has few enemies outside the violent press. Once at a banquet at which Mr. Asquith was present, I made the observation that he and I were always on good terms, because, like Goethe and his mother, we had been young together; for I have known him since he was a slim, fair-haired young man at the junior bar. Everybody who has ever been brought close to Asquith not only respects but loves him; though he is not a man easy to get near; he is aloof; he never sees journalists; he hates deputations; if you seek to penetrate through the thick armour-proof reserve and shyness with which he guards his inner self you cannot penetrate a little bit. I once asked him to write a chapter of autobiography for a publication of mine; he said that he would just as soon run in Adam's vesture before the Fall, through Hyde Park, in words to that effect.

In addition, Lloyd George therefore, if he had striven to force himself into the Premiership, would have been confronted by the feeling—the unjust feeling, doubtless—that he had intrigued to drive out of office one of the most honourable, high-minded and ablest men that ever held the British Premiership. If he could have formed a ministry at all—which is doubtful—he would have had to fight for his life constantly; in short, he would have been so beset and so worried that he could not have given his whole mind to the war.

THE FINEST MIND IN PUBLIC LIFE.

Mr. Asquith has the finest mind in public life to-day. When it comes to weighing arguments there is no brain has such a wondrous power of getting at once to the central issues, and of pronouncing a judgment upon them. In addition, there is no man who has the incomparable gift of reconciling men and opinions, and in a war it is as necessary to maintain a united front as much as on the battlefield. To have substituted for such a man even so powerful a genius as Mr. Lloyd George would have been a very perilous adventure. Thus it was that we had to arrive at the compromise which has eventuated.

Both men are held to be equally indispensable; but each man has been left to the department for which his best gifts suit him, and more or less removed from the department for which his special temperament unfits him. The one man has still the leadership which composes and unites; the other man is given practically dictatorial powers in the active conduct of the war. It is not an ideal arrangement; it is contrary to all the traditions of our methods of government, and our theories of ministerial responsibility; but it is far and away the best settlement that could have ben arrived at in the very difficult conditions.

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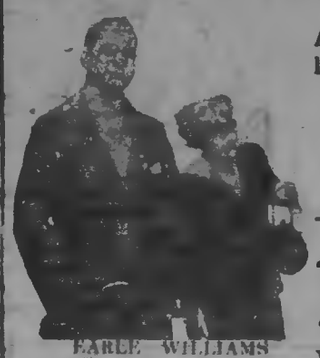
Wishes its many Patrons A Merry Xmas

SPECIAL FOR MONDAY & TUESDAY

CHARLIE CHAPLIN in the "POLICEMAN"



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THE WORLD OF SPORT

Personnel of the Rinks Arranged By Curling Club

The first draft of the rinks for the season's games arranged by the Curling Club has been drawn up, as follows, the names appearing in the order for each rink, as follows, skip, vice, second, and lead:

A. W. Archibald, M. C. Tooley, J. F. Linton, O. A. Moore.

R. P. Best, P. D. Fitzgerald, C. G. Graham.

Thos. Brightman, J. W. Brightman, L. A. Potvin, J. Comstock.

W. D. Campbell, R. L. Dobbin, H. W. Cook, Ira D. Moore.

D. Davidson, G. H. Logie, R. Grant, H. Johnston.

W. H. Denham, W. H. Bradburn, R. Doble, G. A. Macdonald.

F. M. Dela Fosse, Geo. Boucher, R. J. Munro, W. B. Warne.

J. R. Ferguson, W. G. Read, A. MacNab.

W. G. Ferguson, R. Hurston, J. C. Read.

H. F. Foote, W. R. Widdess, A. J. Grant, G. Copping.

Geo. Giroux, W. J. Oke, W. R. Turner, B. F. Ackerman.

Dr. T. N. Greer, Jas. Skinner, C. E. Smith, J. W. Lowes.

Robt. Hicks, E. L. Bowes, W. J. Henry.

Alex. C. Kay, E. G. Patterson, J. T. McCabe.

W. M. Lang, D. E. Eason, A. M. Laidlaw, J. K. Parkins.

T. F. Matthews, W. P. Adamson, A. H. Webb, T. O. Donaldson.

W. G. Morrow, W. J. Thompson, L. A. Turner, R. B. Allen.

J. W. McDermid, J. H. Metheral, F. Brownscombe, G. W. Green.

R. G. Sturgeon, C. J. Seymour, G. A. Benor, J. K. Costain.

W. H. Taylor, C. C. Parsons, M. Counstock, Dr. A. M. Weldon.

R. M. Waddell, C. H. Pennefather, C. C. Abbott, J. H. Parsons.

Dr. H. Wightman, J. Wiley, C. S. Brown, S. J. Graham.

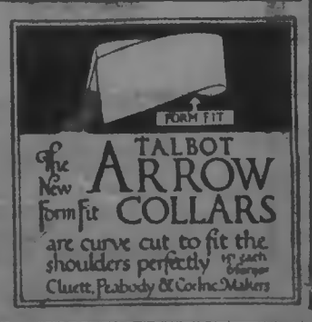
Unattached members—John Crane, J. A. Cameron, J. E. A. Fitzgerald, H. R. H. Kenner, R. Neill, W. J. Thompson.

HOCKEY GOSSIP

Writing from the trenches Sapper "Bill" Crowley, who played on the defence of Peterborough's last champion O. H. A. team, sends Christmas greetings, and says he is alive and well. The old Peterborough defence star is with the Canadian Engineers.

The recruiting sergeants will not find much material in Peterborough's junior O. H. A. team this year. Six of the squad are below the age for military service. Incidentally three of the youngsters have brothers overseas.

Coach Jerry Coughlin chased the Juniors through a hard practice last night. All the regulars were out, including Cherrett, who has been an absentee for a week, through illness. The team is rounding into shape and should be fit for a game in another week. They are not scheduled to play until January 9th, when they tackle Bowmanville, here. The next practice will be on Christmas morning, at 9.30 o'clock, when all players who have received membership tickets are expected out.



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BOWLING

Last night at the Water street alleys, the Left Overs played the Printers in a League game, and it was quite a surprise to all, as the Left Overs succeeded in winning two games out of the three. The Printers were off colour last night and the only reason given for them was that they must have been saving up all their strength to tackle the turkey on Christmas Day. The Left Overs played a good game, also a little off colour, having the same attack as the Printers. Thomas was high man for the Left Overs with a score of 519, Cairns high man for the Printers with a score of 528. Mr. Soloman pulled off a hard spare. In all the match was a good one, and as usual a good crowd attended, as the match ends the League games for the year as nearly all the players will be away for the holiday. Mr. Soloman wishes to thank his many patrons for their patronage in the past and also wishes them all a merry Christmas and a bright and prosperous New Year.

Left Overs—				
Thomas	160	182	168	510
Hughes	144	138	135	417
Ross	144	153	120	417
Routley	129	158	122	409
Soloman	142	212	137	491
Totals	7228	843	682	2363
Printers—				
Henderson	153	151	158	462
Myland	115	110	174	408
Miller	125	121	104	350
Wilson	114	157	137	408
Cairns	167	168	193	528
Total	674	767	710	2151

MILITARY NEWS

(Continued from Page 11)

member of the Examiner staff as follows:

Just a line for the Examiner. I guess it is old news to you about the 93rd being disbanded. It certainly did seem a shame after the people of Peterborough doing what they did for the battalion. But I can assure you the Colonel did everything he could to try and keep us together, and even now he is always ready to do any of the boys a good turn. Another officer of the battalion was Captain Burnham. He was always ready to help any of the boys, financially especially. I have not been to France yet, but hope to go some time before it is over. Of course you remember I was with the 7th Worcesters (Eng.) the first seven months of the war, and after getting hurt was discharged and returned to Peterborough and re-enlisted with the good old 93rd. I may say the accident I got won't allow me to go to France again as a fighting man, but I may go over on base duty. I have been sent to the Canadian Army Service Staff of the Railway Supply Depot. You should see the provisions, etc., we handle. Of course it is the A. S. C. who feed the army. Well, I think this is all I can say this time. But wait, there is one thing this time. But wait, is just to be in Peterborough for Christmas. Believe me,

Yours
C. Robinson.

P.S.—I am in the 'pink' of condition at Shorncliffe. Hope you are the same at Peterborough.

Miss M. Colquhoun, 599 Patterson Street, has received a very interesting letter from her brother, Corp. G. Colquhoun, of the 4th Battery, at present in the Wharncliffe War Hospital, Sheffield, Eng. He says in part:

"The Sister told me that I might be in hospital until after Christmas and I thought I might have Christmas on leave. There is no use in looking at the black side of it. I may have it yet but not in Canada. I may have Christmas in Canada two years from now, if God spares my life to get there. I really don't think the war will end to let me there any sooner. I have seen the pictures of the Somme battle and was there to see it in reality, and would ten times sooner have taken part in the battle that was shown on the screen. When you see what we call a curtain of shell fire, you stop and think, and also say your prayers, for it is shells bursting on a line for a distance of a mile or more, with shells bursting every eight of ten yards on the ground, and some are bursting in the middle of that, so that a rat could not live. We put that ahead of the infantry so that the enemy cannot get men up to help their comrades in the front line. I am sure you did not see that in the pictures."

Pte. Willis Richardson, a former employee of The Examiner, who enlisted with the 84th, and who has been invalided home, is in the city, visiting friends.

To-day's Orders.

Peterborough, Ont., Dec. 23, '16.

Daily orders by Lieut.-Col. C. H. Ackerman, Commanding 247th Batt., C.E.F.:

Orders for Saturday, December 23rd, 1916:

1. **Parade—**

All officers, N.C.O.'s and men, except those specially employed, will parade in drill hall at 9 a.m. and at 2 p.m.

2. **Duties—**

Orderly officer for Saturday, December 23rd, 1916, Lt. F. J. Hayes; orderly officer for Sunday, December 24, 1916, Lt. C. G. Shaw; next for duty, Lt. A. H. Cameron.

3. **Passes—**

In future all passes must bear the Orderly Room stamp.

4. **Promotion—**

No. 1063055, Pte. W. H. Musgrave is struck off "A" Co'y and appointed to Regimental Staff as pioneer corporal with effect from December 22, 1916.

5. **Allotment of Officers—**

All officers except Regimental Staff, when not on duty outside of the city, will be attached for discipline to 'A' Co'y.

R. B. Brooks, Lieut.
And Acting Adutant 247th Bn., C.E.F.

Pte. C. S. Wynne, cousin of Mrs. E. D. Lewis of Peterborough, has been recommended for the Victoria Cross. He is a native of Leamington, and is the son of the late J. B. Wynne, of Alberta Ave., Toronto. He had taken his M.D. and spent a year in the General Hospital as one of the house surgeons before war was declared.

Plant pedigrees are kept with the same exactness as applies to animals and years of the closest study are undertaken to eliminate weakness in habit of growth, or colour in flowers, and impart to them certain favourable features that are presented in others.

BROCK STREET RINK

Skating To-night, 57th Band in attendance. Skating every afternoon and evening this week. Band every night. Admission to skate 15c and 1c war tax. Bring your copper with you.

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Merry Christmas To All

Goes To Ellis Island To Be With Fiance

Baroness Pappenheim Here to Wed After 13,000 Mile Trip From Java Aboard Freighter.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Refusing to be separated from her husband Baroness Constance Theodora Pappenheim, of the Island of Java, who arrived here on board the Dutch freight steamship Madioen, went to Ellis Island voluntarily. Wallace Saunders, the man to whom she is engaged, was sent to the Ellis Island hospital by a Public Health surgeon because he appeared to be suffering from a nervous breakdown.

Mr. Saunders had been employed as chief drill master by the Batavia Oil Company, of Java, and his illness was said to have been caused by heat and overwork. He met Baroness Pappenheim in Java and they were on their way to visit his mother at Watford, Ont., before the wedding.

Baroness Pappenheim told the customs officials that she had lived for thirteen years in Java, where her family has large plantations. The Madioen, she said, left Java on October 21 and had steamed 13,00 miles by the way of Cape Town.

Immigration officials were surprised to learn that the Madioen carried four other passengers. These were American seamen being sent home by United States Consuls.

The best fertilizer for sandy soil is barnyard manure, since the principal thing needed to make such soil productive is organic matter and hydrogen.

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GRAND OPERA HOUSE Christmas Night at 8.15

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Peterboro, Dec. 23, 1916

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Inquest Opened This Morning

Investigation Was Adjourned Until After Christmas

A coroner's jury to enquire into the circumstances surrounding the death of Howard James Clarke was opened this morning in Belleghem's Undertaking Parlours, following a post mortem. After the usual formalities had been disposed of, the inquest was adjourned until Tuesday evening, January 9th. Deceased passed away last evening. He was the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Clarke, 468 Park Street, and was a little over ten years of age.

The funeral will be held on Monday morning from the family residence, Park Street, at eight o'clock, to the G.T.R. Station, thence to Corbyville for interment. A service will be held at the house on Sunday evening at 8.30 o'clock, and will be conducted by the Rev. J. P. Wilson.

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and

A Happy New Year

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

New York Stocks.—During the first half hour the changes showed by the general list were slight, but generally had a downward trend.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Airbrake, 148; Atcheson 104 3-8, 104 1-4; B. and O., 53 3-4, 54; C.P.R. 165, 166 1-2; N.Y.C. 104 1-4, 103 3-4; Erie, 34 1-8, 34 3-8; Reading, 104, 103 3-4; U.P. 147 1-2, 147 3-4; Beth. Steel, 501, 503; Rep. Steel, 77 1-4, 76 3-8; Anaconda 83 1-2, 82 1-2. Int. Nickel 43 1-2, 43 3-4.

Market Opinions of New York Houses.

Post & Flagg—There are many indications that Thursday was about the climax of the great break, temporarily at least.

Edmund and Charles Randolph—I am disposed to look for a rally.— W. W. Price.

J. S. Bache & Co.—We are confident that the coming of peace will be heralded by a peace full movement in stocks of substantial proportions.

Shearson, Hammill & Co. — The money situation is becoming easier. Look for a sharp rally all through the market before the week is out.

Bryant, Dunn & Co.— It is rather unfortunate, just to put it that way at any rate, that Mr. Lansing's explanation or modification, what you like, was several hours forthcoming. Newspapers are full of comment on the great smash. Mr. Schwab is quoted as having stated that the period of depression in this country will not become acute until three years after the war is ended. Mr. Bonar Law's speech is not likely to be regarded as very important. Peace is on the horizon and is almost sure to come after considerable fencing of all kinds. If precedent is worth anything at all, Thursdays' demoralization should be followed by a substantial recovery.

SANTA CLAUS AT THE TEMPLE XMAS NIGHT

Santa Claus will visit the S. A. Temple on Monday evening at 8 o'clock and give presents to all the little kiddies, together with some fruit and candy. The larger boys and girls of the Sabbath School will bring presents for some of the more unfortunate boys and girls of the city, made so by circumstances over which they have no control. A splendid programme has been prepared to precede the arrival of Santa Claus, which no doubt will be enjoyed by all.

Byersville and Brealey will be visited next week.

THE "ARABIA" WAS NOT IN ADMIRALTY SERVICE

Special to The Examiner:

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23. —Contradicting Germany's contentions that the steamer Arabia was a British transport, the British government to-day informed the State Department that the Arabia was not in the Admiralty service when she was submarined nor had she ever been in such service.

S. A. SERVICES, BYERSVILLE.

Sergeant Cunningham will take the Salvation Army services at Byersville to-morrow.

OTONABEE GOT $3,400.00.

In the Otonabee Council's report it should have read that Reeve Anderson secured for the township from the Government $3,400.00, instead of $35.00.

WATCH NIGHT SERVICE.

Brigadier and Mrs. Southall, who are in charge of the new social operations, at Montreal, and an old officer of Peterborough Corps, will visit Peterborough Saturday and Sunday next and conduct the watch-night service.

City and General

Broken auto cylinders, machinery and stoves welded, by the new Oxo Acetelyne Process. Anything in iron, steel or aluminium made as good as new, not patched up. Millard's Bicycle Shop, Hunter street, near Aylmer.

PROBABILITIES.

Fair and cooler to-night and on Sunday.

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'Phone 805, The Greene Music Co., Charlotte Street, when your piano requires tuning or regulating. All work guaranteed. dtf

FINE POST CARDS.

Post Cards of Quaker Oats fire IN COLOURS. 10c each See the specimens in the show case Vincent Studio, George Street. 29d-343

A MERRY CHRISTMAS.

Dr Lacey takes this opportunity of wishing his many patrons the Compliments of the Season, also those who will visit him in the coming year.

DENTAL.

Dr McKenty, Dentist, 370 George Street, on the ground floor, first door north of Peterborough Hardware Company. Nitrous oxide and oxygen administered for painless operations 28d-128

CLEANING, PRESSING AND REPAIRING.

'Phone 1416 for Cleaning, Pressing and Repairing. Goods called for and delivered promptly. Mrs. Read, 159 Rubidge Street. dtf

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES.

Bank of Commerce Building. Entrance Hunter Street, directly opposite Post Office. Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Wednesday, 8 p.m. The public welcome to any of these services. 2d-23-30

EXPRESS AND BAGGAGE.

E. D. Cooney, a returned soldier, has taken over the express business of Eddie Reid and will give prompt and careful attention to all work entrusted to him 'Phone 847. E. D. Cooney, 340 Aylmer stree. 29d-41

COOK BOOK.

The revised and enlarged edition of The Summer Fair Cook Book for sale at Belleghem's, and Alexander and Miller's; at reduced prices, 25c. These make a useful Christmas gift. 4d-12-15-19-22

NOTICE.

Any person having picture frames at M. R. Hoover's framery, 136 Hunter street, if they are not called for by January 1st, they will positively be sold as unclaimed goods.

STREET RAILWAY NOTICE.

To-night the street cars of the Peterborough Radial Railway will run cars until midnight, last car leaves corner George and Charlotte street at 11.40 p.m.

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Furniture purchased now as gifts, will be held until Christmas week if desired. Dining room furniture on sale this week. Some handsome styles to choose from. A collection of colonial art craft and modern style buffets. See our show window. A fine example of the William and Mary style.

NOTICE.

The members of Court Langton No. 344 are requested to meet at the Foresters' Hall, Simcoe street, to-morrow at 1 p.m. sharp to attend the funeral of the late John McKenzie.
W. Stevens, Rec.-Sec. R. Lockie, C.R.

NOTICE.

Will the woman who sent the communication to the Examiner a few days ago remit the amount paid for the pail of lard, together with a sum sufficient to return it and 50c for this advertisement to the Examiner Office it will be handed over to the purchaser who has made this request to the Examiner. 1d-147-1w52

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SUCCESSFUL ENTERTAINMENT

Santa Claus Visited Knox Church Sunday School Last Evening

Knox Sunday School held a very successful Christmas entertainment in the School-Room last evening, Friday, December 22. At the close of the programme, every boy and girl in the audience was treated to candy and oranges by Santa Claus, and even the absentees were not forgotten. The programme was excellent and was as follows:

Opening remarks by the Superintendent, M. N. Clark
Piano solo—Gwen. Donnelly.
Song—Jean McCannan
Cooks' Drill—A number of girls.
Song—Sam Thompson
Dolls' Drill—A number of girls.
Santa Claus Dialogue—Three boys
Recitation—Alvina Welsh.
Vocal duet—Grace McCannan and Margaret McCulloch.
Song—Rev. J. A MacKenzie.
Piano duet—Alex. Seger and John King.
Chorus—The McCannan Family
Dialogue — Boys of Mrs. Watt's Class.
Song—Marion Byers.
Song—Herbie Read.
Violin solo—Kathleen Grose.
Song—Earl Waterman.
Wand Drill—A number of girls.
Distribution of gifts by Santa Claus.
"God Save the King."

WEAVING DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES REMEMBER MR. J. S. HETHERINGTON

The employees of the weaving department of the Auburn Woollen Mills surprised their foreman, Mr. John S. Hetherington, last night, and presented him with an address and a shaving set and clock. Miss Beatrice McGill read the address as follows:

Dear Mr. Hetherington, — Once more we find ourselves at the closing of a year and on the eve of a new one; in the midst of Christmas greetings and happy New Year's. We find no time so opportune as this in which to show you in a tangible way our appreciation of your services among us interwoven with a genial, kindly spirit and an ever-readiness and willingness to help us on all occasions.

We would ask you to accept this shaving set and clock, and may they carry with them our very best wishes for a happy Christmas and mark the beginning of long years of prosperity and happiness for you and yours.

Signed on behalf of the Weave-Room Employees.

Mr. Hetherington expressed his appreciation of the kindly spirit that prompted the remembrance and hoped their friendly relations would continue.

VILLA IS IN POSSESSION OF TORREON NOW

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

EL PASO, Dec. 23.—Villa to-day is in undisputed possession of Horreon, the most important railway centre in Northern Mexico. At one o'clock yesterday his bandit forces marched

A BLAZE ON CHAMBERS ST.

A boy, a match, and a clothes closet were the ingredients in a blaze at the home of Mr. John Watson, 425 Chambers street, at 2.30 o'clock today. The youngster in looking for a pair of hockey boots dropped a lighted match which set fire to a quantity of clothing and the result was a blaze which required the contents of four a five tanks of chemicals to extinguish.

A CANDIDATE WHO SHOULD BE SUPPORTED

One of the likely men in the field for municipal honours this year is A. A. Fowler, who is a candidate for a seat on the Board of Education. Mr. Fowler has proved by his strict attention to and success in his own business, his sterling value as an advisor on a board that has to deal with so much of the city's finances. As a rising young business man, whose success has all been achieved right in our midst he is certainly entitled to strong recognition when he offers himself as a municipal servant.

The city wants its governing done by the strongest men it can procure, and the prospect of gaining such an accession of young, aggressive blood, as the introduction of Mr. Fowler to the Board would mean, is too good to lightly pass by. By all means see that Mr. Fowler is elected with such a safe majority as will show that his complying to the wishes of his friends in coming out for the Board of Education has been appreciated.

Social and Personal

Miss Helen Kearns and Mr. Francis Kearns, of 402 Elm street, are visiting friends in Toronto.

Miss Mary Grady, Kingston, and Mr. Fred Grady, St. Michael's College, Toronto, are home for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wood of Toronto are down from Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Campazzi and family left last evening for Montreal and New York.

Mr. G. T. Chapman and son from Carlton Place are visiting his sister, Mrs. John Bickell until after Christmas.

Messrs. A. E. Lee and Deyell, Bank of Commerce, have gone to their homes in Millbrook for Christmas.

Mr. Jack Stephenson left to-day to spend the holidays at his home in St. John, N.B.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Lundy are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Clarkson, until Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Cross and children are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Aylmer, Weller street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bradburn are in London, the guests of Mrs. Fry for Christmas.

Mrs. M. E. Hartley is spending Christmas in Toronto.

Miss Kathleen Moore of the Civil Service Dept., Ottawa, is at home for the holidays.

Mrs. Chas. Ackerman is spending the holidays as the guest of her parents, Picton.

Mr. Perry Elliott, of the Bank of Commerce, Forest, Ont., is in the city for Christmas.

Miss Dorthy Harstone, nurse-in-training, Toronto General Hospital, is in the city on a two weeks vacation.

Miss Elsie Mowatt, Queen's University, Kingston, is the guest of her parents, George street.

Miss Littlefield, physical director of the Y.W.C.A., left last night to spend Christmas at her home in London.

Miss Douglas, general secretary of the Y.W.C.A., is spending Christmas with friends in Perth.

Miss Kathleen O'Connell and Mr. Gregory O'Connell, Toronto, are spending the holiday, the guest of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan O'Connell, Downie street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morris are the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dench, Toronto.

Mr. L. A. Law left on the 1.28 a.m. train for Watertown, N.Y., to spend the winter with his sister, Mrs. A. F. H. Shearman, accompanied by his father and mother. Mr. and Mrs. John Law, who are going to spend Christmas with their daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Robinson, Toronto, are the guests of Rev. J. P. Wilson.

Mrs. John Barr, Toronto, is a guest of the Trinity Methodist Parsonage for Christmas.

Mrs. Sherry (nee Miss Helen Davies), Winnipeg, will sing at Trinity Methodist Church to-morrow morning.

Mr. T. F. Matthews left on Thursday to meet Mrs. Matthews who arrives in Montreal this morning from England.

Trooper Milton Griffin, of the C. M. R., Hamilton, is spending the holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Griffin, 473 Bolivar street.

Mrs. J. Rodman and Mr. C. Rodman of Toronto are spending the holidays in the city, visiting Mrs. E. Rodman, Sheridan street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wallace Wood of Toronto are in the city over the holiday.

Mrs. J. T. Wright, East City, is spending Christmas in Campbellford.

Miss Dorothy Allan and Mr. John Allan have been engaged to go to Stirling on Christmas Day for a concert.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Clarke and family of 577 Gilmour Street, are spending the Christmas holidays in Toronto.

Mr. Gordon M. Clarke, of the De Laval Office, is spending the Christmas holidays in Toronto.

Mr. W. G. Yelland, of the Land Titles Office, Osgoode Hall, Toronto, is in the city for the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Janet Huycke left to-day for Mitchell, the holiday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Denys.

Miss Lillian Somerville and Mr. Lind Somerville, are the week end guests of Miss Jenkins, Brock street.

Mr. Morton, Bank, of Ottawa, is spending the holidays at his home in Richmond.

Mr and Mrs. Moir are spending Christmas, the guests of friends in London.

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RESTORE THE NATURAL SIGHT

Miss Gertrude Crowley and Miss E. Grady of Midland, are in the city for the holiday.

Mr. Loftus Amys is the guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Amys, Gilmour street.

Dr. Ray Scott, of Peterborough, who recently took his M.D. at Toronto University, has been successful in passing the examinations of the Ontario Medical College of Physicians and Surgeons.

Col. Mills and his two sons, Lieut. Bruce and Sergt. Sam, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Hall.

Mr. Messins, Bank of Montreal, is in Cobourg for Christmas.

Mr. Jack Eastwood, Toronto, is home for Christmas.

Mrs. Widdifield returned last night from Toronto.

Mr. Tom McGrath, who has been in England, employed by the Imperial Government on munitions, is home for a time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Turner, Charlotte street, left to-day to spend Christmas with Mrs. Turner's parents, at Norham, Ont.

Mr. Jack Eastwood is down from Toronto over the holiday.

CHRISTMAS DAY AT THE EMPIRE

A Good Programme—See It Either Afternoon or Evening

On the holiday Myrtle Stedman will appear in the picture "The American Beauty." The following is the story:

In the panic created by the burning of an ocean liner at sea, the Ellsworths become separated from their infant daughter. The babe is rescued and grows to beautiful womanhood as Ruth Cleave—a fisherman's daughter.

Paul Keith, an American artist, is seeking the ideally beautiful woman, whose soul will inspire him to a great picture; this picture is to compete in an international contest of feminine loveliness. Keith paints several disappointing pictures before he discovers in Ruth Cleave, in a most unexpected way, the beauty of soul that he has been seeking.

The love story of the beautiful model and the young aristocratic painter has many tangles and unwonted turns. Ruth becomes enmeshed in the snare of Lorrimer, multi-millionaire art patron, in the latter's Orientally magnificent studio-palace.

This leads Keith to cast aside all the barriers of his aristocratic upbringing and propose to Ruth. Ruth most unexpectedly refuses him.

Why, and of the results—this story relates with a thrilling charm

BAFFLING.

Ezra Haskins, constable of an Eastern Ontario village, had an exalted opinion of his ability as a detective. He read everything that he could find on the career of Sherlock Holmes, until he imagined that he had thereby acquired wonderful deductive abilities.

"Now, gentlemen, said he on one occasion to his assistants in a particular case, "we have traced these cities, the footprints of the horse and the footprints of the man, right here to this stump. From the stump on there is only the footprints of the horse. Now, gentlemen, the question arises, What has become of the man?"

DIED.

OHOWEN.—In Nicholls Hospital, Dec. 22, Richard J. Ohowen, in his [illegible]th year.

The funeral, which will be private, will take place on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Service at the house at 2.30 o'clock. Interment at the Little Lake Cemetery.

EAST WARD

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Vote For J.H.Smith

For Alderman in East Ward for 1917. Wishing you the Compliments of the Season

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ANOTHER VICTORY FOR THE BRITISH FORCES

1130 Turk Prisoners Captured

BRITISH TAKE 1130 PRISONERS

Special to The Examiner.

CAIRO, Dec. 26. — Maghdabah, ninety miles east of the Suez Canal, has been taken by the British with 1,130 Turk prisoners, two guns and large stores.

Ferdinand Confident

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec. 26.—King Ferdinand tells Roumania he looks to the future with absolute confidence.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,— I have again nominated as a candidate for the Board of Education, and if my services in the past have been satisfactory to you, and it is your desire that I represent you for another two year term, I will deem it a pleasure to give you my very best service on the Board. Wishing you the compliments of the season, I am,

Yours faithfully,

B. F. ACKERMAN

A Vote For

F. W. DOAN

Board Of Education

Means Preparedness by Better Technical Training

Eighty Aeroplanes In One Battle On The Western Front

As High as 96 Separate and Distinct Fights In a Single Day —Three British Machines Deliberately Dived Into Formation of Seventeen German 'Planes.

WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES IN FRANCE, December 24. — When the history of aviation in the present war is written it will contain some of the most thrilling chapters of the strange world conflict.. The British Flying Corps, which knew from almost nothing at the beginning of the war, has already established records of daring and attainment which even in the colourless official reports of the corps read like fiction. Recently there have been fights on the British front in which from sixty to eighty machines were engaged. Such fights begin with individual fights and gradually develop into what the aviators term a "general melee" as reinforcements arrive from both sides.

There have been as high as 96 separate and distinct fights in a single day on this front alone. Near the point where the British and French lines join there have been fights in which the French have come to the assistance of the English and the English to the assistance of the French to help defeat the Germans.. There have been numerous engagements in which British aviators have closed within twenty yards of their adversary, firing point blank into him. There have been both English and French instances of aviators, as a last resort, deliberately crashing into a German and sending him down. After one instance of that sort a British aviator brought his machine down with only one wing. He could only effect a landing with his engine going, and had deliberately to collide with a tree, seriously injuring himself.

DIVED INTO SEVENTEEN.

There was one memorable occasion when three British machines deliberately dived into a formation of 17 German machines, destroying two of the hostile planes and themselves escaping unhurt. Another time two British aviators attacked 33 Germans, and once a second lieutenant of the British corps attacked five hostile machines. He in turn was attacked from behind, but turned and got in the rear of the hostile craft and, keeping "on its tail," drove it down.

The British aviators take great satisfaction at the result of a recent fight when they attacked a German bombing squadron which was trying to cross the British lines. In the heat of the aerial combat the Germans let go bombs which well into their own lines.

An aerial battle presents a spectacle which a few years ago could have lived only in the imagination.. One such occurred yesterday. Out at the distance there came early in the day a series of black specks which gradually grew until they took the form of German airplanes. From points of telescopic observation their approach had been signalled long before even the first tiny dots were visible to the naked eye. British guns were ready and British planes were already climbing above the ruins of the shell-torn Flemish town to challenge the invaders.

While the German machines were still over their own lines the British anti-air craft cannon, known as "archies," began to speak. There was a sharp, angry crack. A moment later a shrapnel shell burst into a white puff ball just in the path of the on-coming aeroplanes. At first, the white fleck of powder smoke seemed no larger than a pin-head, but it soon spread until it appeared as an exaggerated toy balloon and floated as lazily against the sky. Then there was another puff, and then another, until it seemed that half a hundred "archies' must be going and the sky became a fret-

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THE TERMS OF THE HUNS

Rome Report Has It That They Were Contained in a Sealed Packet Which Was Handed to Neutrals With Peace Proposals

TO BE FORWARDED

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

ROME, Dec. 26.—Germany handed to the neutral nations whose services she asked in forwarding peace suggestions to her enemies, a sealed packet containing the specific terms upon which she was willing to make peace, according to a report in circulation here to-day.

The report had it that this packet was sent with instructions that it was only to be read and forwarded to Germany's enemies of the Entente in case those powers, answering Germany's proffers,. actually requested terms. Otherwise it was to be returned unopened.

Sir Sam Now In Favour Of Conscription

Special to The Examiner:

LINDSAY, Ont., Dec. 26.—Sir Sam Hughes advocates conscription in Canada and thinks Quebec would respond.

Canadians' Good Work In Trench Raid

Special to The Examiner:

LONDON, Dec. 26.—Canadians did great work in a trench raid near Arras.

AN ECONOMIC CELEBRATION IN ENGLAND

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec. 26.—There was rigid economy in the Xmas celebrations in England

When buttons are taken from an old dress they should be strung on a string before putting them into the button box.

Switzerland Has Endorsed Appeal of The U.S. President

Swiss Federal Council Sends a Note to All the Warring Powers—Wilson's Initiative Will Find a Mighty Echo in Switzerland, Says the Message.

WASHINGTON, December 24.—Switzerland in a note to all the warring powers has announced its support of President Wilson's appeal for a discussion of peace terms, saying "it would consider itself happy if it could act in any, no matter how modest a way, for the rapprochement of the peoples now engaged in the struggle, and for a lasting peace."

The note was sent to the belligerents Friday by the Swiss Federal Council, and Dr. Paul Ritter, Minister of Switzerland here, sent a copy to the White House yesterday. Secretary of State Lansing made it public to-night. The translated text follows:

"The President of the United States of America, with whom the Swiss Federal Council, guided by its warm desire that the hostilities may soon come to an end, had, for a considerable time, been in touch, had the kindness to apprise the Federal Council of the peace note sent to the Governments of Centrol and Entente powers. In this note President Wilson discusses the great desirability of international agreement for the purpose of avoiding more effectively and permanently the occurrence of catastrophes such as the one under which the peoples are suffering to-day. In this connection he lays particular stress on the necessity for bringing about the end of the present war. Without making peace proposals himself or offering mediation, he confines himself to sounding as to whether mankind may hope to have approached the haven of peace.

DEEP LONGING FOR PEACE.

"The most meritorious personal initiative of President Wilson will find a mighty echo in Switzerland. True to the obligations arising from observing the strictest neutrality, united by the same friendship with the States of both warring groups of powers, situated like an island amidst the seething waves of the terrible world war, with its ideal and material interests most seriously jeopardized and violated, our country is filled with a deep longing for peace, and ready to assist by its small means to stop the endless sufferings caused by the war and brought before its eyes by daily contact with the interned, the severely wounded and those expelled, and to establish the foundations for a beneficial co-operation of the peoples.

"The Swiss Federal Council is therefore glad to seize the opportunity to support the efforts of the President of the United States. It would consider itself happy if it could act in any, no matter how modest, a way for the rapprochement of the peoples now engaged in the struggle, and for reaching a lasting peace."

FRANCE WILL NOT NEGOTIATE.

PARIS, December 24.—The unanimous vote of the Senate affirming that France cannot conclude peace with an enemy who occupies French territory, coming at the same times as the peace note of the Swiss Government, has stirred anew the French press and public. The action of the Senate gave further indication of the attitude of the allies towards President Wilson's proposals, while confidence voted in the Briand Ministry was regarded most favourably.

The Foreign Affairs Committee of the Chamber devoted a large part of the session yesterday to an examination of President Wilson's note

The Petit Journal suggests that President Wilson, in sending the note know he would have the support of Switzerland and says: "France pities its neighbour, menaced like Belgium perhaps, but France, which did not want war, knows that there are suggestions that honour and interest prevent it from hearing."

The Petit Parisien says that the Swiss note confirms one of the declarations of President Wilson, referring to discussions engaged in five weeks ago between Berne and Washington. It adds: "The note deserves the same courteous examination and reserve. France will not forget the treatment by the Swiss of the interned and repatriated people, but has a right to recall that as to the war the Entente allies cannot be placed on the same footing as the Central powers."

SWITZERLAND'S DANGER.

The Echo de Paris says: "Our resolution will demonstrate once more that the Federal Council would be mistaken as to the feeling of the allies, and the French in particular, if it believed them disposed to negotiate with Germany. Germany has attempted the same effort in Switzerland as in the other European neutral countries to procure benevolent intervention. Switzerland needs the victory of the allies to prevent her own absorption by Germany."

The Matin says: "It must be remarked that the Federal Council supports the efforts of America without associating herself with regard to the questions. Instead of asking the Governments to make known the objects of the war, it limits itself to the very honourable wish that peace be concluded now, and homage is to be rendered to the sentiments dictating the note."

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Junior III Class—Chalmer Sweeting, Clarence Bell.

Senior II Class—Elsie McConkey, Sherman Sweeting, Olive Preston, Max Tully, Jennie Tully.

Junior II Class—Vera Mellmoyl, Olive Mellmoyl, Clarence Mellmoyl, Velma Mellmoyl, Burwell McConkey, Max Mellmoyl, Everett Nicholls, Clifford Mellmoyl, Stanley Davis, Hazel Nixon, Grace Mellmoyl, Claxton Branch, Gerald Newnham.

I Class—Viola Rossborough, Gordon Davis, Geo. Mellmoyl, Karl Branch.

Senior Primer — Doreen McConkey, Helen McConkey, Audrey Mellmoyl, Clarence Davis, Pearl Newnham, Cora Tully.

Junior Primer — Bertrice McConkey, Pearl Elliott, Marietta Elliott, Walter Mellmoyl, Alice Nichols.

Teacher, E. M. Webster

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The average mark of each pupil is given

Senior IV — Helen Whittington 74, Jim Wood 74, Millie Nurse 68, Mary Wood 65.

Junior IV—Edwena Wedlock 89

Senior III—Luella Pugh 70.

Junior III—Willie Collins 84, May Wood 70, Harold Thorne 69, Clifford Emberson 61.

Senior II — Orville McClelland 73, Junior II—Vincent Powers 79, Lloyd Whittington 73, Joseph Powers 70, Lemuel Pamment 69, Elwood McAlister 68.

E Class — Willan Wood 77, Joe Wood 75, Kingsley Nurse 70

Perfect attendance: Helen Whittington, Millie Nurse, Lloyd Whittington, Lemuel Pamment, Willan Wood, Joe Wood

I. G. Matchett, Teacher

Examination report for Chemong Indian day school Christmas, 1916.

Primer Class — Perry Knott 77, George Irons 74, George McCue 73, Sidney Irons 69, Maria Blaker 58, Ethel Jacobs 56.

First Class—Edna McCue 71, Wiley Taylor 70, Emma Knott 66, Dollea McCue 64, Gertie Taylor 63, Ashley Taylor 60, Viola Johnson 55, Lavina Taylor 46, Walter Blaker 51.

Second Class — Stratford Jacobs 84, Mary Knott 83, Elijah Taylor 81, Bertrain McCue 73, James Johnson 72, Willie McCue 60, Clayton McCue 54.

Third Class —George Wheatung 83.

Fourth Class — Austin McCue 71, Stephen Taylor 70.

Mrs. W. J. Hanes Teacher

Following is the report of Warsaw school for December, the percentage of the total marks taken by each pupil being given

Senior Room.

Class V.—Alice Wason 71

Class Sr. IV.—Arthur Morgan 72, Milton Helps 67, Helen Morgan 67, Birdie Greenstock 66, Lula Ball 66, Hilliard Hamblin 57, Blanch Pollock absent for examinations.

Class Jr. IV.—Helen Rowen (present for only two examinations) 86, Stella Ellis 76, Clifford Selkirk 57, Hilliard Edwards 43.

Class Sr. III.—Hector Munro 71, Elsie Tucker 71, Fred Gunn 67, Frankie Payne 66, John Morgan 55.

Class Jr. III—May MacDonald 73, Margaret Clark 73, Norman Crupp 66, Laura Wilson 62, Gordon Bowen 62, Melville Gunn 62, Russel Payne 59, Elzara Anderson 54, Archie Lonsberry 50.

Average attendance for the month, 26.

Report of Junior Room.

Second Class — Viola McQuaig 80, Evelyn Hawthorne 77, Lily Lonsberry 52, Tommy Harding 47

First Class—George Wilson 92, Florence Clare 91, Donald Davis 81, Beatrice Clifford 81, Laura Bowen 82, Gwendoline McQuaig 80, Donald Anderson 65, Roy Moore 45

Sr. Primer Class—Kenneth Bell 88, Florence Twiford 87, Milton LaRush 81, Marion Payne 67, Leonard Hawthorne 54, Jean Bowen 35

Jr. Primer (no exam. given)—Allan Moore, Leona Gunn, Ruthie Wasson.

No. enrolled—31

Average attendance—30

MARYLAND IS SINKING

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

NEW YORK, Dec. 26. — United States steamship Maryland is reported sinking about 160 miles off Sandy-hook. Several vessels are rushing to her assistance.

May Take Over Liquor Traffic

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8.35 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
8.40 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
11.00 a.m.—Mid-day express for Toronto, reaching Toronto at 3.15 p.m.
17.20 p.m.—For Lakefield.
11.40 a.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line east and west. Close connection at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
1.30 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
5.35 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
5.40 p.m.—For Lakefield.
6.55 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
8.06 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Boston.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
CORRECTED JUNE 8, 1916.

**8.20 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Haysock and Tweed.
*12.12 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N.B., Boston, and New York.
*1.25 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed Perth, Smith's Falls and Ottawa.
**11.17 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and intermediate points, and all points east of Montreal.

GOING WEST.—
*4.38 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Galt, Woodstock, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago
*3.55 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
**7.35 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York. Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
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(Continued from Saturday.)

The young Titan glanced seriously from one to the other. "I know of influences coming to a head to-morrow, which are calculated to throw the Street and Exchange into panic condition unless we devise means of averting that catastrophe. For that reason I asked you to come here to-night."

The bankers stood silent, but upon their faces was stamped the shock of the news. Coming from so authoritative a source, it required no actual proof.

"We may gather then," suggested Henry at last, "that you stand with us in our desire to avert this calamity?"

"Gentlemen," Burton's voice again became compelling and crisp—but very hard. "On certain conditions I shall avert this panic—on others I shall cause it. The alternative is for your decision."

Farley and Henry drew a little closer together by common impulse as if for alliance in danger. A longer silence, weighted with tensity, followed until Farley inquired in a stunned voice: "Please explain."

With the crisp impersonality of a prosecutor Hamilton Burton talked. He outlined his plans, gave a glimpse of his tremendous levers of power; let them see the engines of destruction he controlled and finally made his demand. When he was through neither of his visitors could doubt his might or his intent. At the end he said:

"You hold among the securities of your two banks just the margin of Coal and Ore which I need for complete safety. Turn your proxies over to me to-night and to-morrow will pass quietly. I will support every market depression caused by Malone's efforts. There will be no panic. Fail to do that and ten minutes after the gong sounds on the floor I shall be tipping the entrails out of the Street. Full-page advertisements in every paper in town will feed the general uneasiness into an orgy of terror. Frightened mobs will clamber about the doors of your banks. Other things will happen which it is not now necessary to enumerate. It will be the blackest day in Exchange history and one that will reflect itself in all the bourses of Europe."

After eleven o'clock when Mary Burton and Jefferson Edwards returned from the theatre, the girl caught a glimpse of a strange picture as she passed in the hall.

Six silent men stood or sat about the brightly lighted library with blue wreaths of cigar smoke drifting up ward above them. It was plain that this silence had fallen upon them only as they heard the door slam, and that, like their attitudes, it was strained and artificial.

Hamilton Burton stood before the hearth with his face set as unyielding and immobile as chiseled granite. Burton eyed the two bankers with a defiance stare between drooping lids and Hendricks, at the window, presented to view only his back. But the postures of the bankers themselves were haggard and miserable, like the faces of men making a last desperate stand, yet fronting inevitable defeat. Such faces one might imagine in a nightmare, staring on a passer-by and failing to see him, from a rack of torture.

Mary Burton shuddered a little, though she did not know why, and the eyes of Jefferson Edwardes compressed themselves as he followed her to the *music-room on the second floor.* He had caught the tigerish cruelty and power-lust in the eyes of Mary's brother, and he knew that for their satisfaction someone must pay very dear.

Paul sat at the piano as they entered the music-room and the emotion which he expressed upon the keys were *emotions of deep unrest.* They ran in strains of folklore plaintiveness and rhythmic solo of wailing cadences. When Mary spoke the musician turned with a start. He had not heard their entrance.

"I didn't know we should find you here, Paul."

He nodded as he rose from the instrument. "Hamilton asked me to wait," he explained. "He's having some tremendously important conference—and after a trying fight he always likes me to play for him."

The three sat for a time unaccountably silent. Mary could not forget the impression of those conquered faces, and Edwardes, with the same thought, *forebore from comment.* Within a half-hour Hamilton himself joined them. His eyes were glowing beacons of triumph and his lips wore a smile of victory.

"To-night I have met and defeated Malone's attempt to crush me," he announced with a half-savage elation. "To-morrow the financial world will recognize in me the actual and unchallenged head of Coal and Ore." Then, turning to Jefferson, he added: "You know what that signifies, Edwardes."

The visitor nodded, but no words of enthusiastic congratulations came to his tongue. "It means," he replied slowly, "that you hold a mightier financial power than any other business man in New York."

"And now that you have all that," Mary put the question slowly and gravely, "to what use will you put it?"

Hamilton bent upon her a gaze of tense visioning and his answer came *in rapt eagerness.* "To build a greater structure of power than any man before me has ever reared.

After a moment's pause he went on: "Edwardes, have you no word of congratulation? It was you who first kindled my dreams into a blaze, you know."

The visitor spoke with his eyes fixed *on those of the man who had out* grown him in financial stature and he came a Colossus.

"I was thinking of that," he responded "and I was wondering at what cost you had won this victory."

"Conquest," retorted Hamilton Burton shortly, "can take no thought of cost."

"I wonder!" Edwardes spoke reflectively, then with a straightforward honesty he went on: "It rather seems to me that once in a while there rises in the world a marvel-man. To such a spirit the impossible is possible and opportunity is plinth. He may become the greatest boon or the greatest scourge of his generation—such a man uses or prostitutes his great gifts in just so far as he uses or fails to use a conscience."

For an instant Hamilton's cheeks flamed, then he laughed.

"A very pretty golden rule of finance, Edwardes," he observed quietly, "and since I suppose you feel in a way responsible for me it's a homily you have the right to read. Does it carry a personal implication?"

Edwardes smiled and held out his hand. "You are the best judge of that," he replied. "Good night."

But as the door closed upon him the smiles died on the guest's lips and and a premonition of evil settled upon his mind. No one had ever defied this man and come through unscathed. His power held lashed lightnings that might destroy and Edwardes had been prank to a point which might stir that wrath. To his direct manner of thinking his answer had been unavoidable yet to put Hamilton Burton among his enemies was a dangerous thing. His love for Mary and the very endurance of the business which had stood so long in honor and prosperity might have to suffer for the *over-frankness* of his words. For a moment before entering his car he stood on the curb and looked back at the house he had just left.

"The man is a tyrant—and conscienceless," he exclaimed. "He is as destructive as a sawed-off shot gun!"

CHAPTER XVII

If Hamilton Burton had been one of the most picturesque figures in finance before he was now a flaming meteor of public interest. He had come out of the dark and raided the directorate of a giant corporation and gathering into his strong hands reins that the world believed to be held beyond the possibility of filching. Moreover, this corporation was the key stone and crowning pride in the firmly cemented arch of Consolidated's power.

The world of business was stunned. It went to bed one night, believing certain forces immutable and awoke to find them overthrown and a ministry changed. Along the chasms and canons that debouch from lower Broadway, one question was insistently asked and went unanswered: "What will he do next?" Perhaps the nearest approach to a reply was the prophecy of a cynical curb-broker:—"Whatever he does pleases." One thing was definite. While Hamilton Burton had forced the admiration of the world, he had forced it by the audacity of a strong grip on its throat and by bending it to its knees.

Such admiration is accorded a tyrant and carries scant love. When the long sounded in the Stock Exchange it was an alarm and the faces on the floor were faces that mirrored fear of the day. Yes the first transactions showed Hamilton Burton's brokers standing like pillars under the shaky market. As the day wore on these *same lieutenants* met and stemmed very tendency towards receding prices.

Several banks announced incipient runs and at once from the Burton treasury came a tide of gold, so that reassured depositors turned away smiling.

When the actual meeting of Coal and Ore stockholders was called to order both Burton and Harrison were present in person.

"Before this vote is taken," said Harrison, rising with a face upon which was indelibly stamped the grim determination of one so long victorious that defeat was unspeakably bitter, "I wish to be heard. Though the registry of transfers tells the story in advance, I know as Hamilton Burton knows, that it is a victory for traitors. If there is a chance that some of these may yet turn back from their treason, I want them to listen to me."

Burton glanced about the table, where the mastery was his own.

"When I attend a meeting of this character," he curtly announced, "we vote first, and whoever wishes to talk after I have gone."

Outside as the two men left the room, waited the batteries of reporters. On the threshold, the appearance of each was noted and flashed in first page stories wherever news went. The new One-man-power stood slender and strong, and tigerish; an incarnation of dominant youth and triumph. Harrison might have been passing into exile, but he walked with his head high, and eyes that met every questioning gaze with the forbidding glitter of a newly trapped and caged lion. There was something about the man so suggestive of a broken warrior that the scribes whose duty it was to interrogate refrained and stood respectfully silent as he passed between them.

But they questioned Burton, and Burton smiled. "Gentlemen," he said in that velvety voice that fitted in so charmingly with the winning quality of his smile, "you know my rule. I am never interviewed—but you may announce that the Coal and Ore directorate will be reorganized."

At the curb Paul was waiting in the car and around it pressed an inquisitive mob, which the police were already beginning to push back, and stir into motion. As the cleared a path for him through the idle humanity the man who had come from an abandoned farm went to his machine with an unconcern which took no note of their interest. To his brother, he commented in a low and musical voice: "They aren't so different from Silvers Martin. I bought those lambs for seven and sold them for ten. But it's only the first transaction, Paul, that gives one the real thrill."

When he reached his library he found Mary there. "I have been reading the papers, Hamilton," she said quietly. "As near as I can make it all out, it was a famous victory," but why do all the papers call it a raid?" Her brother looked at her and a flash of pride kindled fondly in his eyes for the face which a shaft of the sun lighted into vivid beauty.

"I told you once," he said, "that we should reign together. This is for me a glorious day. I am glad that you are the woman to whom I come fresh from the field I have won and the frontier I have pushed forward." He turned away from her and stood for a moment at the window in a flood of yellow radiance. The solarity of his eyes and lustre of his dark hair and the hue of his cheeks were all declarations of gladiatorial perfection of condition. His brow was unclouded.

He began to speak at first with a modulated voice that mounted with his words to a fiery eloquence.

"Many marches follow, Mary toward vaster victories. To me a certain memory lives clear in every detail. I see a small girl with her thin little body shaking with sobs because her life seemed doomed to drudgery and emptiness. I see my mother and my aunt and my father suffering like beasts of burden under the goad and the yoke of poverty. I see a boy ragged and rebellious, declaring war on the world and swearing to wrest from it every good thing that those he loved might ever covet—and for himself unparalleled power. He paused and spread his hands apart with a gesture of dismissing the abstract. I have proven myself able to realize my dreams. I shall go on. My aspirations of empire look far ahead; my horizons are limitless. There are few people to whom I can express my ambitions. But you——" He came across and took her hand. "You can understand. Tell me, Mary, if there is anything in the world that you want. Because, by heaven, if there is it shall be yours."

The girl's eyes, as she met his gaze were deeply grave.

"In all this dream of power, Hamilton," she said softly, "you have never spoken of any strain of trust or stewardship, and what you call a victory, the papers call a raid. Has it ever occurred to you, my dear brother, that perhaps you've dreamed after all, one of colossal selfishness?"

The rippling ease of his muscles stiffened and his smile faded.

"Is it selfishness to give back to those one loves the things of which one has robbed them?"

She shook her head. "No—but there is such a thing as suffocating the souls in them with material kindness and bodily luxuries," she answered.

"You have been spending a good deal of time of late with Jefferson Edwardes." The manner of the man underwent one of its swift changes, and grew cold and aged. "Perhaps he has been talking to you as he undertook to talk to me last night."

A light as dominant as that in her brother's came to Mary Burton's pupils.

"Perhaps," she replied.

"I am not at all sure that I care for this intimate association with Mr Edwardes," he curtly announced. "I am not enamored of the vaporings of visionary and self-ordained preachers."

"Possibly it is not necessary that you should be," the girl suggested. "Maybe for the purpose of my own friendships it is enough that I like him. I hardly think you would understand his type, Hamilton."

(To be continued.)

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Naga Worship.

The hooded cobra, or Naga, still has his devotees in Bombay city, and from Kashmir to Nepal in the Deccan and Southern India, and on the West Coast in particular, this curious veneration of snake gods survives, says The Times of India. An interesting account of the worship is given in an annual report of the Archæological Department. The usual form of Naga worship is the vow taken by childless wives to install a snake stone if they are blessed with offspring. Closely allied with this idea is the worship of trees, and pipal and margosa trees planted together—"married," as the saying goes—come in for a share of the devotion paid to the snake stones set up in their shade. It is believed says this account, that women will bear children if they walk round the married trees one hundred and eight times every day for forty-five days consecutively. Unfortunately no authentic case is cited of the efficacy of this prescription, but the offerings brought in gratitude by women to the shrines may be taken as favorable evidence.

What Might Have Been.

Rosemary—Isn't it wonderful how prolific some of the old novelists were when it is taken into consideration that they had to do all their composition with pen and ink?

Thornton—Yes; I shudder to think of what they might have turned out if they could have had the advantage of typewriters.—London Answers.

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A Sacrifice

A Girl Made It Without Being Known

By ETHEL HOLMES

Wilbur Burnes as a scholar was not a success. Two afternoons out of five he was sure to be kept after school for not knowing his lessons. His teachers were all the more severe with him because they knew that if he would study he might be one of the best scholars in his class.

The reason Wilbur did not study was that he possessed a gift for that which absorbed his attention from his lessons. If his teachers had examined his books instead of examining him at the end of the term they would have learned the secret of his failure. The fly-leaves and margins were covered with little sketches. If Wilbur fancied a particular subject there were few pictures on the book; if he disliked it there were many. He detested grammar, and the book from which he studied this subject was literally covered with sketches of faces and figures.

When it was finally proved that no one could beat what is commonly called education into young Burnes and his predilection for art became noticeable he was advised to go to an art school and learn to illustrate books. This was easier said than done, for his mother was a widow, and there was no money in the family to pay his tuition. However, he was so captivated with the idea of being an artist that he concentrated his efforts upon making a sum by hard work and saving to put him through the school. This was the only period in Wilbur Burnes' life in which he ever worked, for, though he afterward spent much time at his easel, he could not be said to be at work. Indeed, so absorbed was he that he often found it difficult to drop his brushes.

In the same town where Wilbur went to school was a girl, Miriam Trask, who seemed to understand him and had a great admiration for him. When he was spoken of as a dunce she would retort that the day would come when those who decried him would be glad to stand in his shoes. When Wilbur was graduated from the art school she wrote him asking if there was not some way by which she might earn money connected with his profession in the city. He replied that the only way he knew of was by being a model. Miriam possessed a beautiful neck—indeed, this feature was considered artistically perfect—and Wilbur suggested that she might earn something by permitting artists to use it for a model, explaining to her that no one person combines perfection in the different parts of the body and artists are obliged to get a hand, a foot, a bust, from different persons.

Miriam concluded to go to the city, and Wilbur soon succeeded in securing her engagements sufficient to give her a bare living. She did not associate with other models, nor did she enter socially into that bohemian life for which artists and those associated with them are famous.

One reason especially that she kept to herself had induced Miriam to go to the city. She was absorbed in Wilbur Burnes and wished to be near him. Wilbur and she had been chums as boy and girl, but when he went to the art school he was so absorbed in his profession that she passed out of his mind. On her arrival in the city this intimacy was renewed. Wilbur could not paint at night and found her companionship just what he wanted. He had little taste for bohemian life and spent many of his evenings with her.

Beauty is one thing, and its recognition is another. There are artists who have produced beautiful things that they have kept unsold for years and then have parted with them for a song, while an ordinary picture or statue or story or poem may secure an enormous fictitious value. Wilbur Burnes modeled in clay, and his works were highly commended by those who knew their value; but, being forced to rely on their intrinsic value, they remained unsold.

Miriam recognized the merit of his productions and wondered why others did not recognise it as well as she. The fact that he could produce such beautiful things heightened her interest in him, and the fact that he could not sell them strengthened her love for him. This sympathy, which was very apparent to Wilbur, drew him toward the girl who gave it, and, while a man's love is not so deep as a woman's, it was generally understood that only the want of the wherewithal to build a home prevented the couple from marrying.

Wilbur Burnes, having a studio full of his art productions that he could not sell, became discouraged. He had so far concentrated his attention upon ordinary work to make money enough to pay his way through the art school, and he began to think that he must drop what he considered a pleasure and take up what was real work in order to avoid starvation. He was really hungry, sometimes not having the wherewithal to pay for a meal. Miriam was making a modest living not only by sitting to have her neck and head copied, but by her needle, and would have been glad to relieve whatever of his wants she might be able to do, but whenever he was hungriest he kept away from her.

One day he told her that he was thinking of giving up art and seeking a position in commercial life. Miriam was aghast at such a proposition and endeavored to prevent its adoption. She told him that he would never permanently succeed in business; that as soon as he had satisfied his immediate wants he would begin to pine for his profession, thus interfering with his business career, but if he would stick to his artistic work he would ultimately succeed.

Whether it was discouragement or the want of proper food, Burnes fell ill. Between a male chum and Miriam he was cared for. Miriam produced the funds that were absolutely necessary, and Wilbur was induced to accept them through Miriam's colleague. He could not bring himself to accept money from a girl, but would take it as a loan from a man. In this way he was kept from being turned out of his room, and what little food he could take was provided.

But his illness lasted too long for Miriam's slender purse. The day came when she was obliged to go hungry and run behind in her rent. This she kept from Wilbur. What she feared was that she would not be able to provide his necessaries.

There was another matter that perplexed Miriam. Even if she were able to provide the needful she knew that if Wilbur became aware of what she was doing he would prevent her doing any more for him on account of pride and an unwillingness that she should deprive herself on his account. Therefore she had managed to persuade him that the sums expended were from his own funds. But this could not go on indefinitely, and there was need for far greater expenditures than before.

One day Wilbur's male chum, Cunningham, brought him a number of articles that had been greatly needed, besides certain delicacies. He told Wilbur that an aunt of his had died and left him a legacy. Wilbur, as usual, protested against the obligation he was incurring, but Cunningham declared that he would soon be up and could make it good if he saw fit, though the lender might some day become the debtor.

But the principal result of this legacy from Cunningham's aunt was a doctor, who was called in and under whose care Burnes began to improve. Miriam continued to nurse him, and, though he was ignorant of the pecuniary obligation he was under to her, he was drawn still closer to her by these attentions. A professional engagement prevented her being with him till after 11 o'clock in the morning, but by noon she was preparing his luncheon. Indeed, all his meals were prepared by her.

Within a few weeks after Cunningham received his legacy Burnes was on his feet again. Miriam had exacted a promise from him that when he got well he would resume his artistic occupation, and after being kept from it for so long an interval he renewed his efforts with a keener interest. Before his illness he had submitted a design for a statuary group to be placed on the facade of a public building. The award had been given by political influence, but while Burnes was on his back a protest had been made by parties interested, and a committee of artists was appointed to select the best intrinsic design. Burnes' group had been selected, and he was to be paid a handsome sum for it.

About this time a painting of St. Cecilia, something after the style of Raphael, was exhibited, which attracted especial attention among lovers of the higher grades of art. Certain artists who were intimate with the producer of the picture, not recognizing the model as that of any of those obtainable and, noticing its remarkable Madonna-like expression, endeavored to learn who had posed for the picture. But the artist refused to satisfy them. Since only he and the model herself knew of her identity the secret never got out. One artist, who was sadly in need of a model for a Madonna, probed the matter so far as to learn that the painter of "St. Cecilia" had given a check for $1,000 to a man named Cunningham. The investigator asked Cunningham what the thousand dollars he got from the artist was for, and he replied that an aunt had died and left him a legacy and that it had been paid through the artist. But the identity of the model for "St. Cecilia" was never discovered.

The selection of Wilbur Burnes' group as the design for the public building made his fortune. Within a week after the fact was announced that he was the successful candidate for the order all the choice bits that had been accumulating in his studio for years were removed by purchasers. There was one statuette that was not sold. It was given to Miriam.

The first thing that Wilbur Burnes did after receiving pay for his successful competition was to reimburse Cunningham for his expenditures while Burnes was ill. Cunningham proposed to turn the amount over to Miriam, but she declined to receive it, and it was given to a charitable fund for destitute artists.

The second occurrence of moment after Burnes' pecuniary good fortune was his marriage with Miriam. On their wedding day Miriam, in the fullness of her love, told Wilbur the whole story of her conspiracy with Cunningham and his great kindness and of how the expenses of his illness had brought her almost to her last cent and despair when by a lucky chance she engaged to pose as St. Cecilia, and earned enough to tide them over all their troubles to health and happiness and prosperity.

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"I had been for a short visit to Rudyard Kipling at Rottingdean and had brought back a bunch of roses from his garden. Seeing that Mrs. Wand was so proud of her celebrities, I thought I would let her know that I, too, knew a celebrity, so when she came to set the breakfast table next morning I pointed to the flowers and said:

"'There, Mrs. Wand, you would never guess where these roses came from. They came from the garden of the great Mr. Kipling.'

"'Mr. Kipling? 'Oo's 'e?'

"'Good gracious!' I exclaimed. 'Surely you know who Mr. Kipling is. Why, his autograph is worth a guinea!'

"Mrs. Wand left the room without replying. She returned a few minutes later with a look of skepticism on her face and, as she put down the toast rack, remarked:

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"That the men who make great medical discoveries and who perform wonderful surgical operations are honored in life and that imposing monuments to their memory are reared when they have passed away seems only fitting," says a writer in the Hamburg Fremdenblatt, "but that a quack whose name as such has for generations been known in Germany should be thus honored is remarkable. There are not many children in Germany who do not know the song which begins thus:

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I cure the people by my art.
Zwillewillewillkomossa!
The blind I treat so that they walk,
And the lame I teach to talk.
Zwillewillewillkam—heirassa,
Zwillewillewillkon—bom!

"A stately monument showing Dr. Eisenbart extracting a tooth from a writhing boy, the work of Professor Eberlein, has been erected at Hannoversch-Munden, where the 'wonder doctor' was born."

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The British Medical Journal announces that a remarkable scientific discovery is now on trial at one of the casualty clearings stations in France. It takes up the task of producing pictures of structures, hidden far below the surface of the body just at the point where X-ray photography ceases to perform it effectively. It is possible in broad daylight to obtain detailed pictures of any organ or body, brain, liver, kidney, and spleen, and to see at a glance by what gross lesions they are affected. In one case a concretion in the appendix was seen clearly.

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HOW TO KEEP WELL

BY JOHN W. S. McCULLOUGH, M.D., D.P.H., CHIEF OFFICER OF THE PROVINCIAL BOARD OF HEALTH.

JEWELS—GOOD TEETH.

ONLY THE RICH can adorn themselves with rare and costly jewels, but the finest, most useful, and most attractive of all jewels—good teeth—are within the reach of everyone. Good teeth are not only a factor of personal adornment, but their value is much greater as a means of protection against disease.

Why does one never see a poor, grouchy dyspeptic with a set of good teeth? Poor, broken-down teeth cannot properly masticate food. If the food is not properly chewed the stomach has too great a burden placed upon it, the digestion is imperfect, the entire system becomes disarranged, and the person becomes nervous, irritable, and dyspeptic.

But this is not all. The ragged roots and the cavities in teeth harbor putrefying food and germs which slowly but surely poison the body, causing **Tonsilitis, Rheumatism, and Heart Disease.**

About 5t per cent. of school children have defective teeth. If a child has an aching tooth, or a painful gumboil do you think it possible that he can learn his lessons or progress in school as he should? Destructive changes in teeth start in early life, long before the child reaches an age where he can realise the value of good teeth.

The responsibility for good teeth is thus placed upon the parent. So the ignorant or careless parent is to blame for this 50 per cent. of children who are hampered physically and mentally because of poor teeth.

Parents must learn the value of good teeth. If they have neglected their own teeth or if their teeth have suffered from their parents neglect, should they not try and do better by their own children? Let the parents realize that a few dollars paid to the dentist early in life will purchase for their children the priceless jewels and ensure their children's health.

Where parents fail in their duty to their children the municipality, the school, the public health authorities, and the state should step in and assume the responsibility! The children are our future citizens, and upon their individual health and efficiency depends the welfare of the nation.

Why are the Greeks degenerated from the intellectual, athletic, and warlike nation of early history, to the miserable people of the present day? Disease such as malaria is said by competent authority to be the cause.

At no former period in the history of the British nation was there greater need of ensuring the mental and physical efficiency of our people. Nothing is of greater importance in this regard than the care of Nature's jewels.

School teachers, school medical inspectors, and school nurses can and do exercise an invaluable good in discovering defects in children's teeth. School dentists can do the rest.

The work of preserving children's teeth should be promoted as follows:

(1) Locate children with defective teeth.
(2) Notify careless and indifferent parents of existing trouble.
(3) Provide dental attention for neglected children.

These lines are not directed so much to the public health departments of well-managed cities, but more particularly to the authorities of towns and rural communities where knowledge of such matters may not be so well disseminated.

Parent and teacher who read this column, will you do your duty?

The early care of the teeth is one of the greatest of public health problems.

Every child should be taught to use a tooth brush in a proper manner. The brush should not be too stiff nor too large. The teeth should be brushed not across their surfaces but up and down, so as to remove substances between the teeth. Any food particle that sticks between the teeth and cannot be reached by the fibres of the brush, may be removed by a thread of silk run between the teeth. The brush should be used at least twice a day: on rising in the morning and on retiring at night. The retention of bits of food between the teeth during the night is most injurious to the teeth. The kind of tooth paste used does not matter. The chief fault with pastes of all kinds is that they are altogether too expensive. A little powdered borax is a cheap and simple substance to use for cleansing the teeth. Do not allow tartar to accumulate on the teeth. It not only promotes decay but is apt, if neglected, to cause destruction of the teeth from pyorrhoea. By all means see a first-class dentist about every six months. It is cheaper and better to prevent decay of the teeth than to cure the results of neglect.

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Fortifications Of Bucharest

Bucharest, the Capital of Roumania, captured by the Germans has a population of about 300,000 and covers, including the outlying parts, about 20 square miles. It lies in a hollow, traversed from the north-west to the south-east by the River Dimbovitsa, and is built mainly on the left bank. A range of low hills affords shelter on the west and south-s ... ns on every other side there are drained through still unhealthy marsh es, stretching away to meet the Walla chian plains.

The city is picturesque through its multitude of gardens, turrets and metal-plated or gilded cupolas of many churches. In the older districts, one-storied antique houses, the brightly colored native dress and pedlars with their doleful street cries render Bucharest unlike any other western Capital. Yet Bucharest is modern.

PLAGUES WERE PREVALENT

Around 1738, 1793 and 1813 plagues were common and in the latter year 70,000 inhabitants died in six weeks. Since 1906 conditions have been improved and where buildings were once composed mostly of wood, through the prevalence of earthquakes, to-day the principal ones are of stone.

Bucharest has been called the "Paris of the East" through supposed social resemblance and its many boulevards and avenues. The main thoroughfares skirt the left bank of the river while the Elisabeth Boulevard and the Calea Victorei or the "Avenue of Victory" which commemorates the Rumanian victory of 1877 radiate east and north. Drives lead to the Banasa race course where autumn and spring meets are held. The city has also botanical and zoological gardens.

THE MANY CHURCHES.

Churches in the city are many but the Greek orthodox churches are small, built of brick and usually surrounded by two or three towers. The main place of worship is the Cathedral or Metropolitan church, which has four entrances and is situated on a high ground overlooking all Bucharest and the Carpathians. Protestants, Armenians and Lipovans worship in their own churches while the Jews have several synagogues. The Roman Catholics though large in number, possess only three churches.

Bucharest is a great educational centre. Besides the ordinary ecclesiastical seminaries, lyceums, gymnasia and elementary schools it possesses schools of commerce, science and art institutes and training colleges for engineers and veterinary surgeons while the university, founded in 1864, has faculties of theology, philosophy, literature, law, science, medicine and pharmacy. Students pay no fees for board.

The national library contains many precious Oriental documents, and with the meeting-hall of the Rumanian senate, is included in the university buildings, which, with the Athenaeum, used for literary conferences and music, and the central girls' school, are regarded as the best example of modern Rumanian architecture. There are also other libraries. There are two theatres, the National and the Lyric, the latter being mainly patronized by foreign players.

SOCIAL PROGRESS.

Socially, the progress of Bucharest has been remarkable, its political, literary and scientific circles being on a level with those of most European capitals. It is the winter residence of the royal family, the meeting place of parliament and the seat of an appeal court, of the supreme court, of the ministries, of the National Bank, the Bank of Roumania and other lesser credit establishments. Railway lines give access to all parts while the telephone system is internally complete and also connects with outside places.

CENTRE OF INDUSTRY.

Bucharest has a large transit trade in petroleum timber and agricultural produce, above all, wheat and maize. Industries include petroleum refining, extraction of vegetables oils, cabinet making, brandy distilling, tanning, manufacture of machinery, wire nails, metalware, cement, soap, starch, paper, leather goods, glucose, army supplies, preserved meats and vegetables, etc., etc. The mercantile community is large, and is composed of Austrians, French, Germans, Greeks and Swiss who form exclusive colonies.

FIRST CLASS FORTRESS.

Bucharest is the headquarters of the II army corps, and is a fortress of the first rank. The fortifications were constructed in 1885-1886 on a project drafted by the Belgian engineer, General Brialmont, 1883. The mean distance of the forts from the city is four miles, and the perimeter of the defences is about 40 miles, this perimeter being defended by 36 armoured forts and batteries. There are barracks for over 30,000 cavalry and infantry, an arsenal, a military hospital, and three military academies.

A skit on "The Conscientious Objector":—The Germans are supposed to have landed at L——s on the Fife coast, and to have captured the village worthy, Jock M'Phee, who had not the sense to make himself scarce. Herr Lieutenant:—"Vot is it dot der brisoner calls himself?" Orderly:—"Vun conscientious objector." H. L.—"Und vot is dot?" Orderly—"He no vlay nor pe slain." H. L.—"Himmel! Go und ask him how he vould like to die, by der bullet, zord, or rope." Orderly—(dragging Jock into the room) —"He say dot if he must die he vould like to pe poisoned mit a pottle of Scotch visky." H. L.—"You pe von dom clever rascal Shock Macafee. (To Orderly)—"Gif him vun good refresher of rum, and see that he goes out of der town.—J. B. F., in the Glasgow Herald.

ROMANCE OF QUININE.

The Drug That Built Up the British Empire.

Nearly three hundred years ago the Countess Chenonta, the young and beautiful wife of the Spanish Viceroy of Peru lay at death's door of a fever.

After the regular doctors had done their best—and worst—by cupping, bleeding and so forth—she was cured by a bitter decoction of the bark of a tree given her by an Indian servant.

She took some of the bark to Spain. Gradually the use of it as a medicine spread throughout Europe and Linnaeus, the great Swedish botanist, named the tree from which it came, Cinchona, in her honor.

The tree is still so called, but the drug prepared from the bark is now known as quinine, from the old Peruvian name, "quina quina," which means "bark of bark."

It is the literal truth that this marvellous medicine built up the British Empire. Quinine won us India, because without its aid in conquering fevers, British troops could not have lived and fought there.

Still more did it win us Africa. There are vast districts in the heart of that continent where even now no white man dare venture without taking with him a plentiful supply of the precious drug. Quinine was almost food and drink to Kitchener's army on the toilsome march to Khartoum. Without it the Sudan could not have been won to civilization.

The reason, of course, is that malarial and other fevers, the curse of most tropical countries, are spread by mosquitoes, and quinine kills the disease germs that the insects introduce into the blood.

The Man Who Came Back.

All England is singing with the story of Lieut.-Colonel John Ford Elkington—one of the strangest romances of this strange world war. It is the ever-appealing human story of another man who "came back." Pinned on his breast are two of the coveted honors of France—the Military Medal and the Military Cross—but most valued possession of all is a bit of paper which wipes out the errors of the past—a proclamation from the official London Gazette announcing that the King has "graciously approved the reinstatement of John Ford Elkington in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel; with his previous seniority, in consequence of his gallant conduct while serving in the ranks of the Foreign Legion of the French army." Not only has Colonel Elkington been restored to the army, but he has been reappointed in his old regiment, the Royal Warwickshires, in which his father served before him.

Colonel Elkington's fighting days are ended. His knees are shattered, and he walks heavily upon his sticks.

"They are just 'fragments from France,'" he said of those wounded knees, and smiled in happy reminiscence of all they meant.

"It is wonderful to feel," he added, "that once again I have the confidence of my King and my country."

"Getting the Wind Up."

This is a common phrase at the Front, and is applied to a soldier who develops jumpiness and alarm in circumstances where coolness and resource are valuable above all things. It is believed to have originated in pre-war days when a soldier had to obtain a certain number of points at musketry practice in order to qualify for proficiency pay. To a highly-strung man, who was also but a medium shot, this implied a genuine nervous strain, which was reflected in somewhat erratic shooting. As drowning men will clutch at straws, so would the soldier keep feverishly adjusting the wind-gauge on his rifle, hoping that the inaccuracy of his shots was due to fitful gusts of wind across the range, and that a slight adjustment of the wind-gauge would put things right. This manoeuvre would be observed by "old hands," who would be watching with sympathetic interest the struggles of a comrade "shooting for his pay." And when the manipulation of the wind-gauge displayed extra agitation, they would mutter anxiously, "He's getting the wind up."

Romance of the Cocoa-Nut.

Cocoa-nuts generally grow at the edge of seas or rivers, and many of the nuts as they become ripe fall into the water. The nuts are covered with a thick husk, which has a waterproof covering, so that they will float. As they float, writes a naturalist, the three eyes, which are all at one end of the nut, are always on top. Once in the water Nature goes to work. From one of the eyes there comes a shoot that sends forth broad leaves that act as sails. The wind catches these sails and wafts the cocoa-nut on a journey that may be many miles long. As it sails the other two eyes send out roots, which at first grow among the fibres of the woody husk. In time the cocoa-nut is swept on another shore, perhaps on another island. The roots embed themselves in the soft earth, the sail becomes the trunk, and very shortly a thrifty cocoa-nut palm is growing where none grew before.

Contraband.

An English lady was taken in to supper at a private party a few nights ago by a young Scotsman who had a high estimate of his own mental capacity. They drifted on the subject of the Scot abroad.

"I've often heard," said the lady, "that Scotsmen who leave their country are, generally speaking, much cleverer than those who stay at home."

"Oh, yes," replied the Scot, with an attempt at wit. "You see, the reason is that at every outlet there are persons stationed who examine all who pass, so that, for the honor of the country, no one is allowed to leave who is not able to uphold his own and his country's dignity."

"Oh, then," she said, with a bright smile, "you were smuggled, were you?"

Mrs. Cuthbred—"Is my husband improving in golf?" Caddie—"Well, I should say so. When he started he used to say 'Oh, fudge,' when he missed. Now he can cuss like a man."

EIGHTY AEROPLANES IN ONE BATTLE

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work of white smoke balls, each one marking a spot where a bursting shell had showered its laden bullets upon the fast travelling Germans.

CLIMBED EAGERLY TO THE FIGHT

Plugging on and out among the exploding shrapnel, the approaching aeroplanes left a trail of these decks and powder puffs in their wake. Up and up, through the danger zone of their own guns, the British aviators climbed eagerly to the fight. The distant hum of the hostile motors could now be heard, mingled with louder, bee-like drone of the English machines and between the scarcely perceptible intervals of the "archies" fire came the staccato notes of the machine guns. The British airmen had opened fire before reaching the level of their adversaries.

Now the British machines began to close in from various directions and the invaders turned suddenly and started for their own lines. Their somewhat precipitate retreat was marked by the same trail of shell-fire as had been their approach. The British aviators pursued, but having in this instance the distinct advantage of height and a diving start for home, the Germans temporarily got away.

This was the first phase of the day's battles in the air—a prelude to the later fighting, when two German machines came crashing to earth in spinning nose-dives.

LIKE FEATHERED WARRIORS.

Aeroplanes are never so much like birds as when they meet in an aerial combat. They dart, dash, circle, turn and swoop like so many feathered warriors and often the battles rage at such high altitudes that the machines become all but invisible. Again there will be a fight among the clouds, when the more daring aviators make startling plunges through the intervening mist to catch their opponents unawares. Always there is great manoeuvring for position, and spectators are filled with wonder at what the modern aeroplane can do, even to excelling the birds in their own element by flying upside down.

Most of the fighting aviators endeavour to "geth on the other fellow's tail." This means a position above and slightly behind the adversary where, one can fire down into him. Others, however, prefer to attack from a position almost directly underneath, thinking they have a steadier firing platform in climbing than in diving.

The latter day machines have such wonderful stability that they can only be brought down by direct hits, killing the pilot or piercing the petrol tank, in which the latter event the aeroplane generally catches fire and falls in a blazing spiral. "Archie" shells often blow aeroplanes out of the line by making many punctures in their wings, but the machines thus damaged generally are brought safely home.

STONEHAM BLEW HIMSELF.

New Yorker Having Made Killing in Panic Passed Some of it on.

A New York despatch says that Charles A. Stoneham, the well-known curb broker in New York, went through the east side Wednesday and Thursday spreading Christmas cheer. It was estimated by his friends that he gave away between $10,000 and $15,000.

With his pockets filled with cash Stoneham began his east side tour at Fourteenth street. He met a man shivering from cold, "I say, my friend, you need an overcoat," said Stoneham. "Come in and have one on me." And so it continued through out the afternoon. Men in need were given money, clothing or shoes. Many little children were bought warm gloves, Stoneham settled the bills for those who were hungry and saw them eat to their fill in restaurants. Going to Jack's restaurant the broker gave cash to a number of his old friends and the old-timers who frequent the place "Jimmy" Keller, once special officer, received $300. A roll of 'greenbacks' was presented to Charlie Davis, an octogenarian.

Stoneham, in recent stock operations is said to have made a fortune. He already was rated as a wealthy man.

Old Gent—"So you want to become by son-in-law?" Youth—"No, I don't; but if I marry your daughter I don't very well see how I can get out of it!"

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Canadians Victorious In New Method Of Trench Raiding

Western Troops Penetrate German Trenches in Broad Daylight, Taking 58 Prisoners, Killing 150 Germans and Destroying Their Dugouts ---Artillery Activity Reported at Several Points on Western Front and Also in the Cerna Region on the Macedonian Front.

A SUMMARY OF TO-DAY'S WAR CABLES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES IN FRANCE, December 24.—(Via London, December 25.)—(From a Staff Correspondent of the Associated Press.)—North of Arras certain Canadian troops have just accomplished what the British officers declare marks a new phase in modern trench warfare. In a raid, which, however, was much more than a raid, they succeeded in putting out of action, temporarily at least, an entire battalion of German infantry. They took fifty-nine prisoners including one commissioned officer, and estimated that they killed 150 Germans in dugouts, which were blown to atoms after their occupants refused to surrender. The Canadian losses were extremely light.

The "raid' took place at three o'clock in the afternoon on a front of 400 yards. The German prisoners admit that they were taken completely by surprise. The officer captured said he was convinced that something was about to happen, but believed that the attack was coming on Christmas Eve. He reported to the higher command, but received no support.

"THEY'RE OFF; THEY'RE IN."

The Canadians, mostly stalwart men from the plains of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, had skilfully established themselves well forward, so that when the artillery had ceased the preparatory fire they were in the German front line trenches in less than two minutes. The officer in command, who was reporting the raid to brigade headquarters by telephone, said that he had hardly uttered the words "They're off" before he had to say "They're in." Consternation reigned among the Germans, who scrabled for the saps and dugouts leading to the rear trenches while the Canadians pelted them with hand granades. Caught absolutely unprepared many Germans in the front line offered no resistance, but threw up their hands with cries of "kamerad." Others were taken as they fled for the second and third lines, for the Canadians pushed on quickly to the second trenches.

TWENTY DUGOUTS DESTROYED.

About twenty dugouts were destroyed by the Canadians, several with bombs captured from the Germans. One of the officers engaged said:

"As we entered the trenches many Germans broke for the dugouts. All who did were subsequently well cared for. Each of our men was given definite instructions for his precise task and a map of the enemy's trenches, which proved absolutely correct. Each man knew every detail of the proposed operation. They were delighted at this and entered the fight with great cheers. When they came out two hours later they were singing and as happy as school boys on a holiday. The neatness and despatch with which the raid was carried out were unique. The artillery co-operation of the British guns was perfection. Beautifully placed curtains of fire prepared our advance, and, creeping forward, protected us as they proceeded to absolutely demolish the enemy trench and dugouts. The programme had given the men an hour and a half for their work, but the clean-up was accomplished in an hour and ten minutes and the raiders signalled they were ready to return to their own trenches."

No attempt was made at a counter-attack until the following night, when the Germans bombarded and raided their own first line, or what was left of it, thinking that the raiders were still there. As a matter of fact the Canadians who carried out the operation were miles away. They were not part of the fighting line but on rest and had gone forward for this particular piece of work which was planned weeks ago.

BRITISH OFFICIAL REPORT.

LONDON, December 25.—Further official details are given in the War Office statement issued under Sunday's date of the daylight raid conducted by British troops on the Franco-Belgian front north of Arras last Wednesday.

"Further particulars regarding the raid by us north of Arras, and reported in the communications of the 20th and 21st, show the operations were more successful than at first reported. The raid took place in the afternoon, in broad daylight, after careful preparation. Two lines of enemy trenches were penetrated on a 400-yard front, and all the objectives aimed at were reached. Our troops remained in the enemy's trenches, which were badly damaged, for a period of half an hour. All his dugouts were methodically searched and blown in before returning. One German officer and fifty-seven men of other ranks were made prisoner."

GERMANY PROPOSES MEETING OF DELEGATES

Formal Reply to American Peace Suggestion Made To-day—Proposal is to Hold an Immediate Meeting of Delegates of the Belligerents at a Neutral Place.

BERLIN, via Sayville, December 26. — Germany to-day proposed a meeting of delegates of belligerents in answer to President Wilson's peace note.

Her formal reply to the American peace suggestion was made in a note handed to United States Ambassador Gerard at Berlin, and at the same time to the American diplomatic representatives at the capitals of the other Central Powers—Vienna, Sofia, Constantinople.

The note also hints that the "great work of the prevention of future wars can be begun after the end of the present struggle of nations," and declares when this moment shall have come, "Germany will be ready with pleasure to collaborate entirely with the United States at this exalted task."

The German note holds the "most appropriate road to reach the desired result is an immediate meeting of delegates of belligerent States at a neutral place."

The text, as transmitted over Sayville wireless by the official press bureau in Berlin, does not contain any peace terms. Whether this is the entire text of the note was not made clear in the wireless despatch.

The text of Germany's latest peace note read: "The high-minded suggestions made by the President of the United States of America in order to create a basis for the establishment of lasting peace has been received and considered by the Imperial Government in the friendly spirit which was expressed in the President's communication.

"The President points out that which he has at heart and leaves open the choice of the road.

"To the Imperial Government the immediate exchange of views seems the most appropriate road in order to reach the desired results. It therefore begs, in the sense of its declaration, made on December 12, which offered its hand for peace negotiations, to propose immediate meeting of delegates of the belligerent States at a neutral place.

"Also the Imperial Government is of the opinion that the great work of prevention of future wars can be begun only after the end of the present struggle of nations.

"It, (namely the German Government), when this moment shall have

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DEATH LIST IN QUAKER OATS FIRE GROWS TO TWENTY

Mr. John Tettro, Who Was Taken Out of the Building Badly Burned Two Weeks Ago, Succumbed to His Injuries in the Hospital

AN OLD RESIDENT

The terrible toll of the Quaker Oats fire was augmented yesterday when William John Tettro died at seven o'clock at St. Joseph's Hospital, after two weeks of patient suffering. Mr. Tettro was born in Kingston fifty-six years ago, where he resided until coming to Peterboro twenty years ago. He was a member of the Ancient Order of Hibernians. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife, formerly Julia Murray, and three brothers, two residing in Kingston, and one in Cleveland; and two sisters, one in Cleveland and one in Kingston.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday morning at 8:30 to St. Peter's church, thence to St. Peter's cemetery

COUNCILLORS FOR MONAGHAN ARE IN BY ACCLAMATION

North Monaghan's councillors are officially reported elected by acclamation as follows; Robert A. Dobbin, John Williams and Thomas Henry, the two latter men being new members, replacing Messrs. Rye and Bell of the 1916 Council. There will be an election on Monday next, however, for Reeve and Deputy-Reeve. The candidates for Reeve are Harold B. Rye and John McIntosh, and for Deputy-Reeve, Joseph Bell and Wm. Robson. Probably Mr. Williams will terminte in his contract with the township, thereby avoiding questions of his future eligibility.

Poultry Show On Jan. 9-11 Near at Hand

The annual exhibition of the Peterborough Poultry Association will be held in the Market Hall on January 9th, 10th and 11th. From the present inquiries for prize lists the directors anticipate a bigger show than ever. Many outside exhibitors have inquired for information, and the interest is developing earlier and broader than in past years.

Miss Yates, of Guelph, will be present to give addresses on the handling of poultry.

Their Lamps Like Those of the Five Foolish Virgins

Stanley Kennedy and John Savage, chauffeurs for J. J. Truner and Sons, and Mr. James Kendry, respectively, recently neglected to have the rear lamps burning on the cars they were driving. Unhappily, this oversight occurred while the police were looking, and this morning the "cheuffs" paid $5 and costs, amounting to $7.60, to the City Treasurer, through Chief Thompson and Magistrate Dumble, this morning.

Contest in Burleigh And Anstruther Tp.

The nominations for Burleigh and Anstruther returned the following candidates, showing that Reeve Lean has a contest on his hands:

For Reeve—D. Brown, merchant, and Norman Lean, farmer.

Councillors—Wm. Earnshaw, Norman Wilson, Jack Tucker, Geo. Mathews, W. C. Seone, and Hilliard Reid.

93rd MEN TO REPORT

All members of the 93rd Battalion Band are ordered to report at 9 o'clock to-morrow morning at the armouries.

CONFIDENT THEY WILL BE HOME NEXT XMAS

WITH THE FRENCH AND BRITISH ARMIES IN TRENCHES, via Paris, December 24.—The soldiers of France and Britain celebrated Christmas with absolute conviction that they will spend December 25th, 1917, at home. They were all certain that their victories along the Ancre, the Somme and at Verdun have established such an ascendency over the enemy that will make for the Allies' "peace on earth, good will to men" a reality next Yuletide. From the humblest private to the highest general there is positive feeling of moral and material superiority over the Teutons.

THE 93rd BATTALION BAND REACHED CITY ON CHRISTMAS MORNING

Warm Welcome For Bandmaster Hughes When They Arrived Home Yesterday---Sailed From England on December 8th---Band Will Be Taken on the Strength of the 247th Battalion---Pte. Oliver White, 21st Battalion is Home From Front--To-day's General Military News

The Band of the 93rd Battalion arrived home in time for Christmas after all, and the result was a number of very happy households throughout the city. Bandmaster Hughes and his musicians, twenty-eight in all, reached the city via the G.T.R. at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, and were very warmly received. An ideal Canadian winter's morning greeted the returning bandsmen, bright sunshine, clear frosty air, and a dazzling mantle of snow over everything. But if the air was cold, the welcome was hot and as they stepped from the train, the khaki-clad musicians were engulfed in a sea of friendly figures. Embraces, handshakes and chorus of "Glad to see you back" and "Merry Christmas" made the returning men realise that every one was glad to see them safely home. The members of the Salvation Army and with Regiment bands played "Home Sweet Home" as the train drew in. Mayor Duffus, Ald. Dobbin, chairman of the Reception Committee, City Clerk Armstrong, Fire Chief Howard, and other city officials, members of the Speakers' Patriotic League, and other organizations, were on hand to greet the band and led a hearty round of cheering after the musicians had reached the platform.

Mayor Duffus realized that the bandsmen would prefer to get home as soon as possible, and after the officials had shaken hands all around, the word was given that the band might disperse instead of proceeding to the Armouries as at first intended. The men lost no time in obeying the order.

The bandsmen who returned yesterday were: Bandmaster W. Hughes, Sergt. F. Barnes, Sergt. R. Naples, Lance-Corp. W. T. Dyer, Bandsmen Fred Walno, H. Payton, T. Blunt, W. Layfield, C. Breadman, F. Foy, J. Miller, Vic. Dallin, P. Grange, R. Dyer, J. French, A. Clarke, D. Loader, H. Loader, R. Wood, W. Badley, J. James, E. Keale, F. Wells, T. Smith, R. Morris, H. Worrall, H. Miles, W. Dyer.

Three other members of the band, Bandsmen J. Blaker, R. A. Browne and A. Briscoe, have been home for some time, and five others, Bandsman H. Gilbert, H. Wood, P. Doughty, W. Harkness and H. Boyler, who were on duty in other camps in England, are still overseas, but are expected home shortly. In addition authority has been given to recruit other bandsmen, and the Peterborough Band will soon be larger than ever. The bandsmen are to report to Lt.-Col. Ackerman at the Armouries at 9 o'clock to-morrow morning, after which it is expected they will be given leave until after the New Year.

The band sailed from England on December 9th and had a stormy passage, the weather being bad nearly all the way over. On the second night out they had an exciting experience when their steamer struck some object off the coast of Ireland. The shock shook the steamer badly, and the scraping of the object along the bottom of the vessel could be plainly felt. The crew of the steamer were of the opinion that they had run down a submarine.

Halifax was reached at the beginning of last week, and then the band came to Quebec where they were medically examined by a board. They arrived in Montreal on Saturday and were very comfortably housed at the Khaki Club on Dorchester street for the night. Leaving Montreal at 10:15 Sunday morning they reached Kingston late in the afternoon and left at midnight for hime. When Belleville was reached the bandsmen found motor cars awaiting them and they were taken up-town to lunch, the little surprise having been arranged by Lt.-Col. Ackerman of the 247th Battalion.

The band has done very little playing since they were moved from Otterpool to West Sandling Camp. A number of the bandsmen were in the Canadian massed band which played several concerts in London, but the 93rd was not represented in the recent trip to Paris, the massed band leaving for France the same day as the 93rd started for home. Some of the 93rd men played with the 39th Band at Sandling, but the majority of the men were on other duties.

Mr. John Kemp, of the C.P.R. Telegraph office staff, has enlisted in the Colbourg Heavy Battery.

Hon. W. H. Hearst, on Saturday cabled the following message to London for transmission to the officers and men of the Ontario forces in England and France:

"The government and people of the Province of Ontario, join with one heart and voice in wishing you a most happy Christmas, a bright and glorious New Year and a speedy and triumphal return home. We unite with you in renewing our pledge of devotion to the cause which you have gone forth to defend. We reverse the memory of those who have fallen and to you who stand to-day at the post of honour we give the assurance of our pride and confidence in your loyalty and achievements. Though separated at this time one sentiment binds us in a common fraternity, looking forward to the day of your homecoming with joy and gratitude for work well done and a reward justly earned.

"W. H. HEARST.
"Prime Minister."

To-day's Orders.

Peterborough, Ont., Dec. 25, '16.

Daily orders by Lieut.-Col. C. H. Ackerman, Commanding 247th Battalion, C.E.F.:

Orders for Tuesday, December 26th, 1916:

1. Parade—

All officers, N.C.O.'s and men except those specially employed will parade in the drill hall at 9 a.m. and at 2 p.m.

2. Duties—

Orderly officer for Tuesday, December 26th—Lieutenant T. Quinn.

Orderly officer for Wednesday, December 27th—Lieutenant F. J. Hayes.

Next for duty— Lieutenant A. H. Cameron.

R. S. Brooks, Lieutenant,
And Acting Adjt. 247th Batt., C.E.F.

Pte. Oliver White, son of Mrs. A. White, Charlotte street, reached Peterborough on Sunday morning, having been invalided home from the front. Pte. White, whose two brothers went overseas with the 2nd Battalion, enlisted in Peterobrough in October, 1914, with the 57th Regiment's quota to the 21st Battalion. Pte. White had been at the front for many months, going through the battle of St. Eloi and other actions, but was finally wounded at Zillibeke in June last, since which time he has been in a hospital in the old country. He was close beside Lance Corp. Robt. Gifford and Pte. Geo. Mehew, of Peterborough, when they were killed.

Lieut. Douglas Huycke is home from Kingston for the Christmas vacation.

Lieut. A. B. Mills and Sergt. S. C. Mills of the 255th Battalion, Belleville, are spending Christmas leave at their home here.

Sergt. Hicks of the School of Signalling, Kingston, was among the Peterborough soldiers home for Christmas.

Pte. Frank Seaton, formerly of the 93rd Battalion, is home from the Kingston Convalescent Home for the holiday season.

Corp. Ernest Watson, formerly of the 93rd Battalion signalling section, is up from the Kingston Convalescent Home for the Christmas vacation.

Lt.-Col. Ackerman, O. C. of the 247th Battalion, and Capt. O'Flynn, second in command, are both away for Christmas, the former at Picton and the latter at Belleville.

Capt. J. M. Thomson, paymaster of the 247th Battalion, is joining the ranks of the Benedicts to-day.

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PETERBORO' HAS OVERDRAFT OF $7,109 IN PATRIOTIC FUND

Sir Herbert Ames, Honorary Treasurer, Appeals to City and County to Immediately Forward Overdue Contributions—Delinquent Subscribers Requested to Heed This Matter.

FUND INSISTS ON PAYMENT

With an overdraft of $7,109 at the head office of the Canadian Patriotic Fund, the Peterboro branch is taking steps to collect unpaid subscriptions, which are needed, and upon which the local branch depended for the balancing of their account with the Ottawa Office.

Mr. J. A. Aylmer, president of the Peterboro Patriotic Association, has received a letter from Sir Herbert Ames, requesting that a special effort be made to forward slightly over $10,000 before Jan. 3rd, the date on which the fund books are closed for 1916.

The letter follows:

Dear Mr. Aylmer:

I have been looking over Peterboro's record in the matter of contributions to the Patriotic Fund, and according to our figures, your branch sent in during 1915 contributions amounting to $46,372 and thus far during 1916 you have sent us further remittances amounting to $42,000, making a total to date of $88,372. I was wondering whether you could bring this up to $100,000, or to a round sum of $90,000 between this and the end of the year.

While we close our books on the 31st of December, any cheque which reaches us by the 3rd of Jan. will be regarded as a 1916 contribution.

I know you are doing your best to get in contributions due, and I thought perhaps if attention were called to the exact figures it might help you with some of the dilatory ones. We would like to have Peterboor standing at, at least, $90,000, when we send our manuscript to the printers.

Yours truly,
HERBERT B. AMES.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

During the past two years, the city and county of Peterboro, have together contributed $112,415.00 to the Patriotic Fund. This money was forwarded to the head office, but Ottawa has distributed through the Peterboro office $119,524.00 as allowances to the wives and the children of soldiers. It has therefore been found necessary by the Finance Committee of the Peterboro branch to insist on the immediate payment of all arrears in subscriptions in order that the existing overdraft may be covered.

It is hoped that these payments will be made without the execution of measures used as a last resort in methods of collection. The fund has depended upon them, has in fact distributed this promised money to soldiers' dependents, and for that reason delinquent subscribers are respectfully requested to respond at once to the fund's earnest appeal.

Sir Herbert Ames mentioned in a postscript that a county contribution for one month was due.

MR. EDGAR WORTH AND ALD. McINTYRE BY ACCLAMATION

Only Two Ward Contests For the City Council—Board of Education Has Six Entries For Four Seats

EX-ALDERMEN HOLD BACK

Elected By Acclamation
North Ward—Ald. McIntyre.
West Ward—Mr. Edgar Worth.

Aldermanic elections by acclamation in two more wards are announced by City Clerk Armstrong from the fact that two nominees in these wards virtually defaulted. Ex-alderman Green was proposed in both these wards, and ex-alderman Graham in the north, but neither took the necessary steps to qualify as candidates.

The 1916 Chairman of the Board of Works thus returns to the Council for a two year period thereby strengthening his position among the patriarchs in civic service. Recent years have developed something of a sentiment that an alderman should finish his work by a term in the Mayor's chair and this unwritten law has been amended with an accepted understanding that the Mayor should reign two years. Following that course Ald. McIntyre will be ready for blooming as a mayoralty candidate probably when his present lease expires. In the meantime George Duncan will be due for consideration. In many quarters he is regarded as a likely successor to Mayor Duffus. This is his second year representing the west ward and he has a long record as a south ward alderman.

Mr. Edgar Worth is a newcomer to the Council but his election is regarded with undiluted satisfaction with the possible exception of the retirement of a candidate of Mr. G. W. Green's ability. Here the ward system operated against the best interests of the city. But Mr. Worth brings a complete business training, the experience of travel and an intimacy with large problems as his passports into the Council. He has also youth in his favor and the broader vision and deeper optimism of his years. Alderman Worth has extensive material and personal interests in Peterborough and will be jealous for the city's future prosperity and advancement.

Two Contests

Thus, two contests remain for Council positions. Alderman John Edgar and Mr. W. H. Taylor are the candidates in the south ward, and Ald. Evans and John Smith in the east ward.

Board of Education.

There have been no scratches from the first town sheet of entries in the Board of Education race. Six candidates have been called and four will be chosen. The six are once more R. F. Ackerman, chairman of the 1916 Board, Mr. Vincent Eastwood, chairman of the Finance committee, Mr. Roland Denne, chairman of the Property committee, Mr. G. N. Gordon, member of the Board, and Mr. A. A. Fowler, optician, and Mr. F. W. Dean, district manager of the Bell Telephone company.

HUSBAND CHARGED WITH NON-SUPPORT

Domestic infelicity was the background to a case of non-support charged against Mr. Thomas McClennan in Police Court this morning. Magistrate Dumble heard the evidence, and finally gave husband and wife a friendly talking to and advised them to make another effort to harmonize their household. Hence, the case against the husband was adjourned for a month.

East City Open Air Rink Has Busy Day

The East City open air rink had a fine sheet of ice yesterday and accommodated a big crowd throughout the day. The rink is located at the corner of Mark and Hunter streets, and has an ice surface of 150 feet by 175 feet.

The Chimes Were Rung

The chimes were rung on Christmas Eve, on Christmas Day, on the arrival of the 93rd Band, and in the afternoon Mr. R. J. Dovey played a selection of Christmas hymns and patriotic airs from 3:30 to 4 o'clock.

A CANDIDATE WHO SHOULD BE SUPPORTED

One of the likely men in the field for municipal honours this year is A. A. Fowler, who is a candidate for a seat on the Board of Education. Mr. Fowler has proved by his strict attention to and success in his own business, his sterling value as an adviser on a board that has to deal with so much of the city's finances. As a rising young business man, whose success has all been achieved right in our midst he is certainly entitled to strong recognition when he offers himself as a municipal servant.

The city wants its governing done by the strongest men it can procure, and the prospect of gaining such an accession of young, aggressive blood, as the introduction of Mr. Fowler to the Board would mean, is too good to lightly pass by. By all means see that Mr. Fowler is elected with such a safe majority as will show that his complying to the wishes of his friends in coming out for the Board of Education has been appreciated.

WHEN IN DOUBT

About your Eyes call and see Dr. Lacey. Bring him your broken lenses to duplicate. This can be done without your prescription. Also have him repair your broken mounts. 410 George street.

Good skating at East City Rink afternoons and evenings. Admission 10c.

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PUBLIC INTERESTS FIRST.

A spirit of rather bitter local journalistic hostility to the re-election of Mr. G. N. Gordon has developed. The Examiner holds no brief for Mr. Gordon, nor needs to come to his defence; he himself is capable of looking after that. But a system of attack, whose animus and object are not perhaps so much inspired by considerations of the public interests as by solicitude for other interests, not at all public, suggests that a candidate for public office should be judged more on his merits than by prejudice. During his term on the School Board, Mr. Gordon has made a good representative. The chief fault urged against him has been in respect of his unprecedented activity in protecting public interests by the establishment of the recognition of a very proper principle in the management of public affairs—a principle broadly described by the phrase, "independence of Parliament." On this action there is no public complaint and it furnishes no plea against Mr. Gordon's re-election. His experience on the board, taken in connection with his other qualifications, should make him an excellent Board member. The Board of Education has always been a good representative body, largely because the public has selected its membership on broad principles, uninfluenced by petty local politics—village politics—and the continuance of this attitude—the selection of men on the grounds of their ability to give faithful and intelligent service, will keep that body up to the high standard.

PARTIZANSHIP AND PATRIOTISM.

In one sense the family troubles of the Conservative party are entirely its own affair, but since the Conservative party has the governing power in the Dominion its fortunes or misfortunes are a matter of concern to all the people. And, especially in view of the fact that the present government is so devoted to the promotion of party interests as apparently the primary, not merely incidental, consideration, do party movements assume a popular interest. It is inevitable, that with this consideration an influence in governmental and administrative activities, individual party coteries or cliques, should become assertive, out of proportion to the general claims of party interests to recognition. It is also inevitable that in a great party containing some of the best minds of the country, some should decline to submit to leading strings; refuse to permit their principles to be put into the party straight-jacket; refuse to subordinate their patriotism and their loyalty to national interests, to a sordid and minor consideration—involving the theory that independence of thought and expression, that does not straitly square itself with the party policy, is a crime.

Mr W. F. Maclean, M.P. for South York, is a conspicuous sinner in the latter regard. While faithful to the principles and policy of his party in other things, he refuses to be ground fine in the party machine. He is a firm believer in the "national policy" of protection the main guy rope of the party standard. In fact he was known to it: his father first suggested and advocated protection as a national policy and panacea. Out of Mr. Maclean's belief in this policy arises his advocacy of the corollary of that policy—Canada for Canadians. Mr. Maclean in the last session of Parliament, "dared to be a Daniel," and with Andrew Broder of Dundas, actually voted against his party and with the Liberals in the matter of the base contract scandals. Mr Maclean's long-time wobbling, his wandering from the well beaten party track were bad enough, but concrete display of it on a division in the House was the last straw. Mr. Maclean's strong and manly stand on the nickel question, in his newspaper, the World, widened the rift—he must be disciplined. On Saturday, Dec. 16th, the South York Conservatives held their annual meeting in Toronto; and they had Mr. Maclean "on the carpet." He stood his ground, and had the best of the argument, for the facts were on his side. He exposed the sophistries of Meighen and Ferguson and Cochrane, who pleaded that "an understanding" binds a company that Mr. Maclean maintains is simply the representative of Germany and the medium through which Canadian nickel finds its way to Germany. Mr Maclean's independence may get him into party hot water, but the temperature will be reduced by the cooler judgment of the people, who are behind him on the nickel question, as they will in the long run, stand by the public man who places national interests above the claims of party and stands for the peoples' rights as against self-seeking politicians.

Mr. Maclean is only one man, but he is a prominent man in his party, and there are evidences that many in the ranks of the party are beginning to think his thoughts, and take kindly to his opinions, even when they are divergent from the official and general party view, and the feeling is gaining ground every day, that partisanship is working the undoing of the party; that the government is too much for party and too little for the state.

When the Borden government came to power it had a narrow margin of straight Conservatives, perhaps ten or a dozen on a division. The government made itself safe in the matter of support by making a bargain for the support of the Nationalist party—the anti-British anti-Imperial party, whose followers the Conservative party had helped elect. The bargain has been faithfully kept by the Borden government. There has always been three or four Nationalists—disloyalists—in the cabinet holding the fattest departmental portfolios. One would have thought that when the war called Canadians to the colours that the cabinet element that didn't believe in Canada helping the Mother country with soldiers or arms, would be kicked out and only loyal advisers of the King given high office. Not at all: party interests first. Nationalist votes on a division counted as much as the votes of loyal members; and party interest—keeping office—involved keeping the votes. One would have also thought that when Canada's whole resources in manhood and material were called for; when there should be only one party — a war party—that partizan interests would have been subordinated to national efficiency—that the Liberal party would, for the purposes of the war, have been taken into partnership. This was done to a limited degree. The Liberals were generously allowed to vote to a man for the immense sums of money needed to prosecute war measures. But when it came to spending the money, the party trough was disregarded. Contracts for war supplies were given out on party lines, appointments were made in party lines, and even the crime of partizanship crept into the official organization of the country's forces; and even in the organization of the national service campaign the party spirit ruled—out of eleven members of the Commission only one is a recognized Liberal. It is indeed, a sad seeming in this agonizing time of Canada, that the party spirit should be so strongly exploited.

The most hopeful outlook is that the evil will cure itself; that the spoils spirit will work its own undoing. When within the party there is quarrelling over the spoils, honest methods may come to their own. Mr. John Stanfield, Colchester, Nova Scotia, the chief Conservative whip, has resigned his office because a cabinet minister interfered with the patronage of the constituency the whip represented—the division of the party spoils. Things must have been pretty bad when the highest custodian of party interests, who guides the votes of the government's followers in the House, who ranks next in importance and influence in the party, to a cabinet minister, takes the bit in his teeth.

The party of partizanship, or, rather, its partizan elements—for the party is loyal and not in sympathy—seems to be writing for a fall.

MILITARY NEWS

Continued from Page 5.

Mrs. Leonard Dunstan, of 216 Woodbine avenue, Peterborough has received the following letter from her husband. Private Leonard Dunstan, formerly of the 83rd Battalion, who is now with the 4th Battalion in France.

My Dear Mary,—Just a few lines to let you know I am in the best of health and hope you are the same. I am sorry I didn't write to you before now but as I have been very busy, and as I have been in a trenches for quite a long spell, and came out without a scratch. I think I sent you an active service card last week. I haven't received any mail from you in a long time. I sent you a registered parcel for Christmas, so you can be expecting it any time now. I think the war is drawing to an end, but it may be some time yet before we get back to Canada. I am not very far away from the Somme. It is very quiet where we are now. I have reserved two boxes of cigars so far since I came to France and I got another big box last night, but don't know who sent it. How is everybody in Peterborough. I suppose everything is just the same as when I left. I am sorry I am not home to spend Christmas with you, but hope to be home by next Christmas. I hope you have a very pleasant Christmas and a happy New Year, and enjoy yourself the very best.

Well, dear Mary, I think I have told you all the news for this time. Hoping to hear from you soon. With best wishes from your loving husband.

Leonard.

OTTAWA, Dec. 25.—General Sir Sam Hughes' advocacy of compulsory military service has created much interest at Ottawa. It is the first public utterance of the ex-Minister of Militia since he donned civilian clothes.

National service directors and government officials here are not inclined to comment upon the declaration at the present time.

THE LOSSES AND THE GAINS OF THE BATTLE OF ARMAGEDDON

Yes, the losses to the world through the war have certainly been appalling. In two years of fighting five or six millions of soldiers have been killed, over eleven millions have been wounded, and there are from three to three and a half millions who have been made invalids; a large proportion of them for life. It is difficult even roughly to estimate the number of the prisoners, because the Teutons always lie about the prisoners they and their Allies have captured. How many women and children and non-combatants have been murdered by the Huns it is hard to say. The damage done to property will have to be calculated in hundreds of millions of dollars. Much of it is irreparable. The injury to the trade, commerce and industry of Germany in particular is incalculable. If Germany were to be victorious to-morrow, the Germans would be a ruined nation, bankrupt in purse, in credit and in honour. The direct losses of some of the neutral nations have been very great, and some of them have lost notably in prestige.

But there is another side to the debtor and creditor account. The United States, chief of the neutral nations, has lost some citizens whose murders are still unavenged, but she has grown fabulously rich in dollars by the war. So rich and so certainly rich by the war, that the vaguest rumour of peace precipitates a crisis on the New York stock market. The somebody who kept our American friends out of the war kept them out of the advantages as well as the disadvantages of war, and are much worse things than war. Character and prestige are more to be desired than much gold. But for what it is worth the United States is incalculably richer in money for the war.

Great Britain, on the other hand, has lost money heavily by the war but her people like those of Belgium, France and Russia, are immeasurably the better for the suffering they have endured, for the sacrifice they have made, and even for the lovers they have lost. For the first time in hundreds of years Great Britain has become sober and thoughtful. Her people have a sense of responsibility of which they never dreamed before the war. It is claimed that the complete suppression of the liquor traffic would save Great Britain $30,000,000 a day, directly and indirectly (more than the war has cost), to say nothing about the loss of thousands of lives, and in Great Britain they are moving rapidly in the direction of sobriety. Certainly there are not half as many convictions for drunkenness as there were before the German devil broke loose.

Women are doing nearly all the work that men should long ago have been ashamed to do, and much work that men might be proud to do if they were not better employed just now at the front. The indications are that when peace is restored Great Britain will become much more nearly self supporting than it is to-day. The reign of extravagance, ostentation and luxury will be greatly weakened if not destroyed. It will be bad form to indulge in ostentation, and the example of the rich will elevate the standard of taste among the poor. There is a more cordial relationship established between the classes; they are less distrustful of each other. The British Empire to-day is one undivided and indivisible. The military and naval prestige of the Empire was never so great. By the end of the war the German peril will be overpast. France has been regenerated. Russia has become sober and free. Belgium will be restored; the Balkans will be emancipated from a reign of terror centuries long. Already Europe has visions of a new heaven and a new earth. Armageddon will not have been fought in vain.—Montreal Herald.

Voice of The People

Correspondence under this heading, containing or implying attacks on individuals or violent or extreme statements, must to secure insertion, be signed with writer's real name, the owner of which thus assumes the responsibility.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir,—I would like to say a few words at this season of the year when we are busily engaged in giving gifts to our friends. I would say that the best friends citizens of this city have at present are those dear brave boys who are now offering up their lives in the bloody battlefields of Flanders and France, that we may enjoy liberty and freedom, and I would say to those fathers and mothers who are holding back their boys from doing their duty, to send them forward to become members of the 207th Battalion under the command of Lt.-Col. Ackerman. And I am sure if you do that it will be a gift which the King of Kings asks of you at this season of the year to defend his Empire not yours. I have noticed the lack of interest our returned soldiers are taking in the interest of recruiting. They must not loose sight of the fact that they are still in the fighting line, and ought to exert every nerve and ounce of energy to support the boys they left behind in the trenches, by standing by Col. Ackerman and the 207th Battalion, and use their influence in the workshop, on the street, and wherever they go. One motto the returned soldier should have in mind at all times when he sees a young men in civilian clothes is: "Why are you not doing your duty?" The slacker is not the soldier's friend. Remember the future of this country now lies in the hands of the men who fought for it, after this great conflict is over. I am a

RETURNED SOLDIER.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir,—Will you kindly give me space in your valuable paper, as I would like to ask those who had charge of the entertainment for the soldiers' wives and children, why the widows and the little fatherless children were not given a ticket of admission as the others, or do they think that they are not worthy of one—those who have given up all that they held dear for their country's sake, and the little kiddies that have no daddy left to send them a letter of cheer, at this time of the year. They are told that they cannot be admitted as they have no ticket, and how can they get one when those in charge did not send them one. Why did they not get one? Thanking you, Mr. Editor, I remain, one who knows and cares for those who are left sad and lonely.

J. B.

Ald. Dobbin, when asked about the above complaint, said that the tickets were given to all the families on the Patriotic Fund list, and the total of all that had turned up was well above the capacity of the house. He also said that the Grand Opera House people had been notified that if there was room available inside no one was to be refused admission whether in possession of a ticket or not.

Peterborough, Ont., Dec. 26, 1916.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

Dear Sir,—In an editorial of the Review it was suggested that Mr. John Smith, at one time a member of the Board of Education, gave me ammunition to fire when I attacked the method of the Board in allowing members of it to deal with it and have business relations with it. Mr. Smith had nothing to do with the matter whatever, so far as I was concerned. I believe his views were that a member of the Board of Education should not have business relations with it or make any money out of it, by reason of any dealings with it, but so far as I know he did nothing more and he certainly was not responsible for the information which I gathered from the books of the Board of Education and from other sources which were available to me. I assume the whole responsibility for the criticism I have offered to certain members of the Board, and the editorial in the Review was not correct, inasmuch as it charges Mr. Smith with being associated with me in launching the criticism I offered.

Mr. Smith has not spoken to me in the matter, and has not suggested I should correct the wrong impression created by the Review editorial, but I think it is my duty to write this letter in justice to Mr. Smith.—Yours truly,

G. N. Gordon.

A creep should be provided in the pasture so that calves may have access to grain without being disturbed by cows, and it is very important to start beef calves on grain before they are needed.

FOUND

FOUND — FOUND IN MY STORE ON Saturday night a sum of money. Will the owner please call and get it and oblige.—S. Fleming, 198 Charlotte street. 3d-146-571

FOUND IN THE VICINITY OF LOCKS Bridge on Saturday, a sum of money. Apply to Thomas E. Rose, R. R. No. 6, Peterboro. 2d-146-565

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—LARGE CANARY BREEDING Cage 70 apprtments. Apply 256 McDonnel Street. 3d146-539

FOR SALE—FOX TERRIER PUPPY DOG Apply 181 River Road, Auburn. 2d147-562

CLEARING OUT SALE OF GENT'S SUITS overcoats, several good coats for sale. JAY'S store, Aylmer street. 6d-6

FOR SALE—CANADA MALLEABLE steel ranges and repairs. 295 Aberbrooke street. Phone 1644. 30d-135-222

FOR SALE—A CLOSED MILK SLEIGH 1 set single harness and 1 cutter. Apply Peterborough Creamery, Aylmer St. 3d-147-566

UNDERWOOD NO. 5 LATEST MODEL, two color ribbon, back spacer. For sale cheap to a quick buyer Apply to Box 556 Examiner. 2d-146-563

CHEAP LOTS—IN BLOCK H, ASHBURNham, on Dalhousie Square. Right situation for lots. $50 down and one quarter $10 paid for. Interest only 7 per cent. Lots dry, sightly, healthy, close to Electric car. Peterborough. Apply to Hunter & Johnson. 30d-141-491

TO RENT

FOR RENT — UNFURNISHED ROOMS — Apply 440 Rogers st. 3d-147-564

GOOD OFFICE OR STORE WITH WATER connections and heated, possession at once. Apply 393 Charlotte St. 4d-146-570

FOR RENT—NO. 387 WATER STREET, suitable for store or office, immediate possession. Apply 49 George street. 4d-6

FOR RENT—STORE No. 224 ALDOUS ST. Apply 49 George St. 3d.

LOST

LOST — SMALL PURSE CONTAINING A Sum of Money, between Oreamuno's and Bentley's, on Thursday night. Finder leave in Examiner. 3d-146-570

LOST—BLACK FUR GAUNTLET IN SATurday, between Weller, Homewood, and Gilmour. Finder please leave at the Examiner Reward. 3d-146-566

LOST—ON SATURDAY IN CENTRE OF the city a Friendship Bracelet. Finder please leave at this office and oblige. 3d-146-567

LOST—WEDDING RING ON SATURDAY evening, between Gilmour and George street. Finder please leave at the Examiner office 3d-146-568

LOST—BLACK LEATHER PURSE, STEEL Chain, containing three $5 bills, and change Charlotte street or Park car. Kindly leave the same at the Examiner office 2d-146-577

LOST—ON SATURDAY, MESH BAG, INfinite S.J.F. inside, on Prudential office steps or on George street. Finder will please leave at the Examiner office. 2d-146-568

HELP WANTED—MALE

DRIVER WANTED TO DRIVE A RIG FOR the Peterboro Laundry. 3d-146-572

HELP WANTED—Female

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THE WORLD OF SPORT

RESULTS OF THE OLD COUNTRY SOCCER GAMES

The English soccer calendar was again upset by weather conditions on Saturday, four games in the Midland League and one in the Lancashire section having to be abandoned. On the Scottish side of the border the full schedule was played and provided at least one big surprise. This was the defeat of the Rangers at Motherwell. The Fir Parkers were not expected to have a look in with the Hampden "Princes," but the results proved once again that the "schemes of mice and men gang aft agley." The defeat of Rangers gives their aspirations to at least keep at the heels of the champion Celtics a nasty setback. Greenock Morton improved their position at the expense of Hamilton Academicals but Airdrieonians lost ground by drawing with Dundee.

In the Lancashire League Blackpool gave Blackburn Rovers a bad jolt and both of the Liverpool clubs climbed up the league table, Everton trouncing Stoke and the Anfielders waltzing away with the game against Burslem. It was a disastrous afternoon for the Sheffield Clubs, Wednesday falling to Birmingham and United to Grimsby Town. Notts County had the honour of taking the polish off Leeds City, and back-seating the leaders of the Midland League, while Notts Forest carried off the spoils at Huddersfield. Appended are the results:

The Scottish League.

Patrick Thistle 0, Celtic 2.
Motherwell 2, Rangers 1.
Falkirk 0, St. Mirren 2.
Hearts 1, Ayr 2.
Queen's Park 4, Hibernians 1.
Clyde 2, Dumbarton 2.
Airdrieonians 2, Dundee 2.
Greenock Morton 3, Hamilton Acad 0.
Aberdeen 0, Third Lanark 1.
Kilmarnock 3, Raith Rovers 0.

The English Combinations.

Lancashire Section.

Blackpool 1, Blackburn Rovers 1.
Burnley 3, Preston N. End., 1.
Bury 1, Rochdale 2.
Liverpool 5, Burslem P. Vale 1
Manchester U., 3, Oldham Athletic 2.
Southport Central 0, Manchester City 0.
Stoke 0, Everton 2.
Stockport County vs. Bolton Wanderers, abandoned.

Midland Section

Grimsby Town 2, Sheffield United 0.
Huddersfield Town, Notts Forest 2.
Lincoln City vs. Hull, abandoned.
Leicester Fosse vs. Bradford City, abandoned.
Notts County 1, Leeds City 0.
Rotherham 2, Barnsley 3.
Sheffield Wed 0, Birmingham 2.
Bradford vs. Chesterfield, abandoned.

London Combination.

Millwall Athletic 3, Tottenham Hots 3.
Fulham 8, Southampton 1.
Watford 1, West Ham Unit 3.
Woolwich Arsenal 2, Chelsea 1
Portsmouth 2, Crystal Palace 2.
Clapton Orient 2, Queen Park R., 1.
Luton Town 5, Brentford 2.

Northern Union.

Hull 10, Batley 0
Hunslet 17, Brighouse Rang 0.
Barrow 13, Broughton Rang., 0.
Rochdale Hornets 0, Halifax 0
Oldham 6, Wigan 3.
Other games were postponed.

HOCKEY GOSSIP

The Peterborough juniors are rounding into good shape and should be right on edge by the time they have to show their wares against Bowmanville here on January 9th. The "kids" worked out yesterday morning with a squad from the 247th intermediates and the two teams had a lively practice. The soldiers got into action better the juniors do as they play their first game here a week from to-night against Lindsay.

McKee, the right wing player of the junior team, will be an absentee from the practices this week, as he is spending the vacation at the home of his parents in New Liskeard. The big youngster from the north looks very promising and will add weight to the junior forward line.

The 247th intermediates will practice at Brock street rink to-night between 7 and 8 o'clock.

The next junior practice will be held to-morrow, Wednesday night, at 7 o'clock.

There were enough "old boys" from the Peterborough juniors home over the week end to form a pretty fair team. Among those who gathered from far and near to participate in the holiday festivities were Leonard Girvin from Winnipeg, Joe Dwyer from Sarnia, Ray Rose from Toronto, Frank Barrie from Cobourg, Art Hall from Rochester, Roy Smyth from Beaton, and Leo Kennealey from St. Michael's College, Toronto. The latter is eligible to play here this season and will be out to practice with the juniors while he is home.

Harold Lees, who once upon a time played goal for Jack Thornbeck's Chieftains and for the Peterborough Collegiate team, is playing in the nets for the Queen's-Ue University team.

Frank Heffernan will play in New York again this winter.

As a fan pointed out yesterday, the Peterborough hockey club representatives who are overseas could turn out a pretty nifty line-up. And when you figure it out a team something like this would be hard to beat:

Goal, Driver "Skid" Janes, 40th Battery; defence, Sergt. Fred Denison, Infantry and Gunner Orme Cavanagh, C.F.A.; rover, Sergt.-Major Harold Knapman, 33rd Battery; centre, Capt. M. H. Park, Royal Flying Corps; right wing, Lieut. W. W. Stratton, Royal Flying Corps; left wing, Gunner Cyril Giroux, Borden Armoured Battery. And with the other Peterborough hockeyists overseas, together with the 83rd Battalion team, there would be plenty of spares available.

MORGAN BACK

Labour's Income More Than Meets Increased Living Cost, According to W. M. Acworth.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—J. Pierpont Morgan, banker and fiscal agent of the British Government, who has been away two months in England and France on a business trip, arrived here on the American liner Finland. He was accompanied by Mrs. Morgan and Miss Frances Tracy Morgan, his daughter, and appeared to be in the best of health.

Beyond remarking that financial conditions in England were very good Mr. Morgan declined to discuss business, but said he might give out a statement at his office in a day or so when he had had time to look things over and consult with his partners. He was very optimistic on the chances of the Allies in the war, and said emphatically:

"There is not a doubt as to the outcome. It is a certainty that the Allies will win. The English people feel that the war is won."

Every one in England and France said Mr. Morgan, was asking when the war would end. He said he did not hear anything about the retirement of General Joffre when he was in Paris and did not think that it was likely.

He denied the report from London that he had been ill in England and said his health was very good and he had enjoyed some pheasant shooting in the Midlands at the time he was supposed to be in bed. He added that he called at Buckingham Palace at the invitation of the King and had a long talk with him. The Ministers of the British and French Governments, he said, were busy men, and there was very little time spent in banqueting these days.

The construction of four twenty-five knot liners for the American Line is a question to be decided by President P. A. S. Franklin, according to Mr. Morgan, but he added that if the liners were built they would have to be constructed in the United States, because there was no room in the shipyards on the other side. These are reserved for British vessels.

Mr. Morgan was met at the pier by his son, Junius Morgan, who went home with his mother and sister, while Mr. Morgan drove downtown to attend a meeting of the directors of the Internation Mercantile Marine Company. He will go to London again next February on the Finland.

Sir William T. White, the Canadian Minister of Finance, was a passenger on the Finland returning from a trip to London on official business which he said he could not discuss. J. W. Flavelle, Canadian Minister of Munitions, who was also on board, was equally uncommunicative.

Wm. M. Acworth, a leading railway expert in Great Britain, arrived from Liverpool as Chairman of the Provincial Royal Commission consisting of three members appointed to investigate the condition of the Canadian railways. The other members are Albert H. Smith, President of the New York Central, and Sir Henry Drayton of Canada. Mr. Acworth explained that he had been sent over in place of Sir George Paish, who had broken down from overwork.

He said the Canadian Northern and the Grand Trunk Railways were not paying and had applied to the Government for assistance. The commission had been appointed to determine the best way to assist the railways.

"There is very little shortage of food in England," Mr. Acworth asserted, "and the working classes receive more than enough to compensate for the increase in the cost of living. The only ones who have really felt the pinch are the old-age pensioners, and the Government has had to increase their allowance. You hear fruit growers in England complain that they cannot get sugar to make jam, but the big manufacturers have it and the jam is served on your table."

George Mcl.. Brown, European manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway, also arrived on the Finland. The ship brought a big consignment of Christmas mail.

T. R. AND A. A. SENIORS PLAY HERE ON THURSDAY

The fans of Peterborough will get an opportunity of seeing the first hockey game of the season, and incidentally to get a line on the 247th Battalion intermediates on Thursday night when the fast senior T.R. and A.A. team of Toronto, will play an exhibition game with the soldiers. The latter have a well balanced team, with some new faces as well as some favourite old time stars to present for public approval, and they should give the well known Toronto seniors a rattling good game. Ack Hunter, Bud McLean and other players well known in Peterborough, will be on the line-up of the T. R. and A. A. team. It will be a fitting opener to what promises to be a good hockey season.

Church League Hockey Meeting At "Y" Thursday

A meeting of all those who are interested in Church League hockey will be held in the Y.M.C.A. on Thursday evening next, when the prospects of organization will be discussed. It is hoped that a League will be immediately formed, and a schedule be run off during the winter months. The League has been quite representative in recent winters and it is hoped that this will be continued during the present season.

Sells Second-Hand Railroad To Allies

New York, December 26. — When Great Britain appealed recently to Canada for supplies of railway rails to be laid behind the firing lines in France, the Canadian railway companies undertook to supply 1,000 miles of track, but according to the announcement of Herman Sonken to the National Association of Waste Material Dealers in the Hotel Astor, it remained for the United States to conceive the shipment of a whole railway, tracks, switches, bridges, locomotives, and cars. Mr. Sonken is the president of the Chicago, Anamoot & Northern Railway, and it is his road which is to be sent abroad.

Mr. Sonken's road is frequently known as the "Can" and the president is quite ready to acknowledge this is a fair designation. In fact its name is about the biggest thing about his road. It is 35.3 miles long and has three locomotives, two combination passenger and baggage cars, and six freight cars. It once has ten freight cars but the four others sort of petered out.

The road was chartered under the laws of Iowa in 1903 to run from Anamosa to Quasqueton, and to connect with the Chicago and Northwestern Railway, the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, and the Illinois Central. Once it made as much as $7568 in one year. That was in 1910 but several passengers quit riding regularly and the profits fell off. In 1914 it showed a dead loss of $876 and a judgment was foreclosed against it. Then President Sonken came into possession of it.

Mr. Sonken said that he had three steel bridges all ready for use, together with his tracks and the rolling and just as soon as he can get his road nicely boxed up he is going to send it abroad. Mr. Sonken is the president also of the Iowa Short Line, which is all of 15 miles long, but has twelve freight cars, although only one locomotive and one caboose.

With the recent advance in the price of old rail material Mr. Sonken could sell his second pocket edition road to advantage by shipping it abroad, but he said regretfully yesterday that it was "practically disposed of" already.

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Pittis, of Plainfield, Saved by Treatment.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—That the eight transfusions of blood which have been made will save the life of Dr. Albert Pittis, of Plainfield, N. J., was the opinion of physicians in charge of the case. Dr. Pittis had been delirious from blood poisoning since Thanksgiving Day, when his left hand became infected. In a final effort to save his life blood transfusions were resorted to and Dr. Edward Lindeman, of this city, was placed in charge.

Transfusions from six persons, four members of Dr. Pittis' family, and two firemen of Plainfield, were made, a total of six quarts being transfused. Yesterday morning, for the first time in nearly three weeks, he showed signs of consciousness, and last night became rational in his speech. It is believed now that his recovery is only a matter of time, as the physicians say that the poison is completely eliminated.

"CHARLEY'S AUNT" IS WELCOMED IN TORONTO

As Amusing as Ever This Ever-green Farce That Maintains Its Appeal

Patrons of the Grand Opera House last night rocked with mirth at the immitable farce, "Charley's Aunt," as presented by the United Producing Company, comments the Toronto World of Dec. 12th. Though not by any means new to Toronto theatre-goers, the play is just as funny as ever and judging by its reception last night, is even more popular. From beginning to end, it was a case of one laugh following another with machine-gun rapidity.

The play is built around the love of two Oxford boys for the wards of a solicitor and anticipating the arrival of the aunt of one from Brazil, the girls are invited to the boys' rooms to meet the aunt. The girls arrive, but the aunt is delayed and a chum, on the spur of the moment, is induced to impersonate the aunt. From then on, one laughable situation follows another without a break until all ends well with everyone but the solicitor engaged and waiting for wedding bells.

Thomas Gilbert as Lord Fancourt Babberley and Charley's Aunt, pro tem, carries his part with an ability that so appeals to the humour of the audience that he gets every possible laugh from the screamingly funny situations. Jack Milton and William Phelps, as the undergraduates in need of an aunt and who find their own creation a difficult one, are pleasing and boyish. Miss Jane Neshfield and Miss Dorothy Mitchell, in the roles of the two girls, are winsome and show ability in their acting.

Miss Ruth Dettin was charming in her portrayal of the orphan friend of the real aunt who, since meeting Lord Fancourt Babberley, has cherished him as her idol. Val Howland, as the father of Jack Chesney, gives a good depiction of a retired officer with broken fortunes. Stephen Spettigue, the crusty solicitor, who is induced to give his consent to his wards' engagements by the wiles of the pseudo aunt, is cleverly presented by Charles Bates.

Miss Gwen. Delany is charming and womanly in the part of the real aunt, who finds in the father of her nephew's chum her girlhood lover.

"Charley's Aunt" is a rapid fire farce that cannot be witnessed without laughter, and is a sure cure for "blues."

DIXIE PROSPEROUS NEGROES BUY GEMS

New York, December 26.—Prosperity throughout the South has extended in a material form to the negroes, according to Oscar F. Uhl, of St. Louis, a member of the firm of Furstenworth-Uhl Company, who is at the Claridge. As a result the purchases of novelty jewelry and "ladies'" novelties, which his firm sells, have about depleted its stock.

Thousands of dollars' worth of orders from the "black belts" of the South for cheap jewelry of a hectic design, which delights the African soul, have been torn up, said Mr. Uhl, because the jewelry has been sold out, and it is impossible to get any more until after the holidays.

"We supply the south, mainly Texas, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Mississippi, and Alabama," said Mr. Uhl, "and the present prosperity has been business so good that it has emptied our warerooms. The negro who has a patch of land on which he grows cotton is indeed a titled person of wealth these days for cotton is selling at unprecedented prices and there is a wild scramble for all that can be purchased.

The negro who works by the day is also fortunate, for the exodus of the negroes to the North has created a demand for labour that even excites the torpid African to steady labour, because of the unusual pay that is received."

St. Louis and all of Missouri are deeply interested in the wet and dry question, he said, and the brewers in St. Louis are doing all in their power to hold off prohibition by demanding strict fealty to the law on the part of the saloon keepers. The brewers themselves, he added, had paid inspectors throughout St. Louis on election day to see that the law regarding closing as observed.

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(Continued from Page 5.)

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WASHINGTON, December 26.—A hasty examination of Germany's reply to-day to President Wilson's peace suggestions, led one of the foremost administration officials to-day to state his belief that the Entente Allies will not be satisfied to meet the Teuton's fresh proposals. He held that Germany had directly dodged the request of the United States for something specific in the way of peace terms.

Italian Patrol Boats Are Sunk

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BERLIN, December 26.—Four Austro-Hungarian destroyers in a raid on the night of December 22, sank two armed patrol boats in the Otranto Straits, and on their way back fought through the enemy destroyers, according to a Vienna official report received here to-day.

Artillery Active On The Somme Front

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, December 26.—Active artillery action on Christmas night, on the Somme front in the Lihons region, was reported in to-day's official statement.

Artillery Duels In German Regon

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, December 26.—Artillery duels, unaccompanied by infantry operations in the Cerna region, at Monastir, was reported in to-day's official statement.

Berlin Reports The British Patrol Active

Special to The Examiner:

BERLIN, via Sayville, December 26.—Repeated repulse of British patrols was reported in to-day's official statement, detailing fighting activity on the western front.

Artillery activity has increased at some sectors of the Ypres front, on both sides of the Canal La Bassee and west of Lens.

War Must Be Fought Out To A Finish

Examiner Special:

PARIS, December 26.—In addresses at the National Congress of the French Socialist party, Arthur Henderson, the British Cabinet Minister, and C. H. Roberts, member of the British Parliament, both affirmed, amidst enthusiastic cheers, that the war must be fought out until full guarantees have been obtained for a lasting peace.

"In my opinion," said Mr. Henderson, "if France and ourselves were to enter into negotiations under existing conditions, we should be nations in bondage. Nothing less than that is the price our enemies would exact for peace to-day."

No Let Up n The Fighting For Christmas

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, December 26.—So far as fighting is concerned, Christmas, 1916, was just December 25, to Britain's warriors. The fighting continued in precisely the same way. German efforts to fraternize were discouraged by grenades and trench mortars. One one occasion the Germans in an opposite trench lifted up over their parapet a Christmas tree—and as the Tommies facing it remarked—"We hung oranges, apples and bon-bons on it," or, in other words, they deluged it with grenades.

Troops resting in billets at the rear had special celebrations. There were amateur theatricals, music, and Christmas trees at the field Y. M. C. A. huts.

LONDON, December 26.—Lieut.-General Sir Sam Hughes, formerly Minister of Militia for Canada, will speak to the Canadian Club, in New York city, on "Preparedness and Mobilization," on January 8th, and at an open meeting under the auspices of Toronto Masons, in Toronto, January 9th, on the same subject.

NEW YORK, December 26.—The crew and sixty pasengers of the Swedish steamer Skiffet were drowned when that vessel was mined off Finland, says Lloyd's to-day. The same message told of the burning and submarining of Norwegian and British ships with a total tonnage of 12,378.

LONDON, December 26.—"Practical destruction of the enemy's force in the engagement Saturday at Maghdabah, Egypt," was specially announced by the War Office to-day, that 1,350 prisoners were taken. Enemy defences at Kitia Pass also were destroyed.

PETROGRAD, December 26.—Fierce fighting is in progress at the sources of the River Sahitza, in the region of Dragostatze, where Roumanian troops, by counter attacks, repelled German advances and captured three machine guns.

At the source of the River Riouik advanced Russian posts were pressed back to main positions.

Evacuation of the Roumanian town of Fillipesci after it had been set on fire by artillery was announced.

THE BELLS OF MALINES.

Henry Van Dyke, in Harper's

The gabled roofs of old Malines
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And o'er them in the sunset hour
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The sweetest bells that ever pealed,
The deepest bells that ever rung
The highest bells that ever sung
Are waiting for the master's hand
To fling their music o'er the land.

And shall they ring to-night, Malines?
In nineteen hundred and fourteen,
The frightful year, the year of woe,
When fire and blood and rapine flow
Across the land from lost Liege,
Storm-driven by the German rage?
The other carillons have ceased:
Fallen is Hasselt, fallen Diest,
From Ghent and Bruge no voices come
Antwerp is silent, Brussels dumb!

But in the belfry, O Malines,
The master of the bells unseen
Has climbed to where the keyboard stands,—
To-night his heart is in his hands!
Once more, before invasion's hell
Breaks round the tower he loves so well,
Once more he strikes the well-known keys,
And sends aerial harmonies
Far-floating through the twilight dim
In patriot song and holy hymn.

O listen, burghers of Malines!
Soldier and workman, pale beguine,
And mother with a trembling flock
Of children clinging to thy frock,—
Look up and listen. Listen all!
What tunes are these that gently fall
Around you like a benison?
"The Flemish Lion," "Brabanconne,"
"O brave Liege,' 'and all the airs
That Belgium in her bosom bears.

O brave bell-music of Malines,
In this dark hour how much you mean!
The dreadful night of blood and tears
Sweeps down on Belgium, but she bears
Deep in her heart the melody
Of songs she learned when she was free.

She will not falter, faint, nor fall
But fight until her rights prevail.
And all her ancient belfries ring
"The Flemish Lion," "God Save the King."

BROCK ST. RINK TO-NIGHT

Grand Ice for Skating. Best of the season so far. Band in attendance. Admission 15c and 1c war tax. Bring a copper please.

SYMPATHY FOR MRS. HALL

The letter-carriers of Peterborough sent a number of gifts to the home of Mrs. Hall, Brownstown, whose husband, Pte. W. W. Hall, of the 92nd Highlanders, was killed in action. Accompanying them was the following letter:

Dear Mrs. Hall,—On behalf of the letter-carriers of this city, I desire to express the deep sympathy of the boys in your hours of trial and trouble. We are very sorry indeed to lose your dear husband from our midst. We assure you he has done his duty nobly, and has died a hero in the cause of justice, liberty and freedom.

As a slight token of our respect for your late husband, we desire to in some way keep his memory green with the carriers. We ask you to accept these small gifts for the children, hoping it will in some way lighten the load which you are called to bear at this time.

Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.—I remain, your friend,

Robt. Reid.

CARD OF THANKS

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE NORTH WARD

Ladies and Gentlemen:—I desire to thank you for for electing me by acclamation for another two year term as your representative in the City Council, and I wish to thank especially my host of friends who came to me and gave their personal assurance of their hearty support. I will do my utmost during the term to serve the City of Peterborough to the very best of my ability.

Wishing you all the compliments of the season, I beg to remain.

Yours faithfully,

A. A. McIntyre

TO THE ELECTORS OF WEST WARD

Let me thank you for my election, and I hope and trust that my record for the next two years will show that your confidence in me has not been misplaced. Wishing you the compliments of the season.

Yours respectfully,

EDGAR WORTH

TO THE ELECTORS OF SOUTH WARD

Ladies and Gentlemen:—For the past two years I have been one of your representatives, and during that time I have endeavored to serve your interests to the best of my ability.

My policy has been to serve the masses rather than the individual, to make no distinction as to race or creed, but to treat and legislate for the benefit of all.

I have given your interests a great deal of time and careful consideration, and have not missed a single meeting either of committee or council. My actions may not suit you all, however I have no regrets to make or apologies to offer, believing that what I did, I did in your interests.

The proposed foot bridge over the Otonabee river in connection with the C.P.R. bridge will mean a great convenience to the residents of the South Ward as well as others. This is something for which I am claiming the whole credit. My action in support in the Bank of Montreal should appeal to every one. Had that financial institution not come to the assistance of the city there would have been no way in which to give employment to the working man, and the depression thus created would have been felt by all.

I have been a strong supporter of proper appliances for the Fire Department, and believe it should be brought to a much higher degree of efficiency by the installment of motor driven appliances. This I am fully prepared to support.

My scheme, endorsed by the Utilities Commission for sanitary plumbing, is something that should appeal to those not in a position to meet the payment in one instalment. Special legislation is being asked for along this line.

As it will be impossible for me to see you all before election day, I ask you for your vote and influence on my behalf and on my past record, assuring you that if elected I will endeavour to serve not only the South Ward, but the citizens generally, to the best of my ability, believing that my experience of two years will very materially assist me in so doing.

Wishing you all the compliments of the season, I have the honour to be,

Your obedient servant,

JOHN EDGAR

Board of Education

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

Ladies and Gentlemen:—I have been again requested to allow my name to go before you as a candidate for your Public School Board.

As a member of the Board I have endeavoured to give as my best services and if my work has been satisfactory and you deem me to act as one of your representatives for a further term, I will be very pleased to give you my best efforts.

With best wishes for a Happy New Year.

Yours faithfully,

Roland Denne

PRESENTATION MADE TO MR. WM. HARTLEY

Superintendent of Auburn Woollen Company Presented With a Gold Watch, Chain and Charm and a Signet Ring.

APPRECIATIVE ADDRESS

Shortly before closing time on Saturday, Dec. 23rd, Mr. Wm. Hartley, Supt. of the Auburn Woolen Co'y, was waited on by the department heads and other employees, when Mr. Jas. Grisdale, electrician, read the following address, and Mr. F. J. Redpath, foreman carpenter, in behalf of the employees, presented Mr. Hartley with a gold watch, chain and charm, and signet ring, suitably engraved.

Mr. Hartley, though taken completely by surprise, in a few well chosen words, thanked the donors for their handsome gifts. He wished also to take the opportunity of expressing to the employees his appreciation of their support in the daily work which, from the heads of departments down, he had at all times found most loyal. Thanking them for their good wishes for the meaning year for himself and family, he wished one and all a merry Christmas and a bright and happy New Year.

The address was as follows.

Dear Mr. Hartley,—We, your fellow employees of Auburn Woollen Mills, feel that we cannot allow this festive season to pass without expressing in some small degree our appreciation of your many kindnesses to us during the closing year. Your genial disposition is never warped nor your temper twisted, and we can assure you that it is a great pleasure to be associated with you day by day. As a slight mark of our gratitude to you, we ask you to accept this watch with our sincere good wishes, and we hope that each hour it ticks off will serve to weave our associations with you still closer and that it will spell only happy hours for you and yours.

In closing, we unite in wishing you and your family a joyous Christmas and the happiest of New Year's.

Signed by the Foremen and Employees of Auburn Woollen Mills.

Peterborough, Dec 23th, 1916.

Men Wanted at Quaker Oats Elevator. Apply at office near elevator. 3d-148

JOURNAL UNDAUNTED BY FINE

Withholds Workers' List Under Penalty of 20,000 Marks a Day.

In the face of a fine of 20,000 marks a day which the German military authorities have imposed on the Belgian city of Tournai for refusing to furnish a list of men able to work, the Tournai municipal authorities have refused to supply that list, according to a cable message received here yesterday by Pierre Mali, Belgian Consul in New York, from the Belgian Government at Havre.

The despatch was made public by the committee of American citizens which is arranging a Carnegie Hall meeting here Friday night in protest against "enslavement of Belgians."

Further details regarding Belgian deportations by the Germans are set forth in the message, which says that a fine of 200,000 marks against Tournai was imposed on Oct. 3, and that the daily fine of 20,000 marks followed. "List was not delivered and will not be delivered," the despatch yesterday asserted.

The German authorities, after seizing men, the despatch continues, "then obliged municipal administrations to post bills almost invariably drawn up in same terms requesting work men and women aged between 17 and 46 to enroll on lists at the work office opened at the Municipal Building, with offers of salaries of 4 francs 50 centimes a day for qualified workmen, and 3 francs 50 centimes a day for others, working hours ten, adding that, if not enough voluntary workers would present themselves, civilians would be obliged to. Coercive measures announced in case of refusal to work were fine and imprisonment, reduced food, and also punishment of the municipalities through limiting trade, fines, etc."

Through military control lists and electoral lists, the despach says, the Germans looked up "a certain number of people," some of whom were deported to Germany or northern France when they still refused to work. From these latter news has been received, says the message, which continues:

"The regime to which they are subject is terrible and they are crying for help. As they still refuse to work, they are being struck or hit with bayonets. They are almost completely deprived of food and are obliged to stay standing during long hours at a time, face turned toward wall."

The despatch concludes by saying that the Germans have prohibited Tournai from conducting important works on which the daily employment of any large number of workmen is required.

WRIT GUARDS BABY CARRIAGE

Albert Reese Gets Injunction Suspending Rule Against Using the Front Entrance.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23 — The daughter of Albert Reese, now four months old, may ride as much as she pleased in her baby carriage through the front entrance of the Roger Morris apartments, No. 400 West 160th street, by reason of a decision by Justice Greenbaum, in the Supreme Court.

Mr. Reese, who is a lawyer, obtained an injunction temporarily setting aside the rule of the apartments that babies in carriages must leave by the second floor "baby carriage exit." He said the exit was on a steep walk, which was dangerous in winter weather. The rule was made after he signed his lease, he said, there being no reference to it in his agreement.

Soldiers' Wives And Children Were Entertained

Hundreds of children and scores of mothers gathered at the Grand Opera House yesterday afternoon for the entertainment arranged for the wives and families of Peterborough soldiers who are overseas. Seldom has the Grand contained so many youngsters as gathered yesterday, and they seemed to enjoy themselves, even if the details of the feature film shown, "The Heart of Maryland," was undoubtedly over their heads. His Worship Mayor Duffus briefly addressed the little folks, while Miss Hilda Bonnycastle, of Campbellford, sang the new patriotic song, "The Recruit," composed by Charlotte Bonnycastle. Tickets were issued to 612 mothers and 1,660 children.

WAS DRUNK AND HAD THREE BLACK BOTTLES BURDENING HIS POCKETS

He took a drink of "G. and W." before leaving home on Saturday, and not long afterwards his mind became woolly and misty, according to his story in the police court this morning, and remembered nothing of having refused to pay the Dominion Cafe Christmas for a meal. But the worst was yet to come for this young man, who quite freely admitted in the police court that he was drunk. When the police arrested him they found three tall black bottles in his pockets, one of them sealed and full, another empty, and the third partly gone. It was another whiskey betrayal. While intoxicated the young man, in refusing to pay for a meal, had attracted the police. Then followed the disclosure of the whiskey bottles. Hence, instead of facing one charge of being drunk in a public place, there is the additional and more serious alleged offence of having liquor in his possession, in a place other than his own home.

The defendant asked for an adjournment until he could engage counsel. Mr. Hattin scanned the last week of his 1916 diary and reported an engagement for every day except Saturday next. Hence both charges will be considered on December 30th.

"It's Confidence That Does It"

If The Pantry

Has been depleted by the Holiday Festivities, our stock of TABLE NEEDS such as Groceries, Fruits, Confectionery etc., is fully prepared to meet the requirements of customers.

Porter S. White

294 George St. Phone 208

VOTE FOR TAYLOR IN THE South Ward

Board Of Education

Peterborough, Ont., December 20th, 1916

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

I am a candidate for the Board of Education, and if elected will give my time and attention to the Board's business as far as I am able to do so. For sometime past I have been handicapped by the fact that my partner, Capt. Widdifield, and my clerk, Lieut. John New, were overseas, having enlisted with Battalions that left Canada many months ago, and I was not able to attend some meetings of the Board when I wished to be present. However, I have made some business arrangements which will give me the necessary time to give to the Board's business.

I still adhere to the policy that no man who is a member of a representative body, should himself sell to that body, or which he is a member, because he has no right to be in a position where he is offering something for sale and fixes the prices, and at the same time orders payment of his own bills out of other people's money. I have been blamed for taking this position, but I stick to it unreservedly, and say that it is unbusinesslike, illegal, and not to be excused, to conduct business in methods of that kind.

I ask the ratepayers to support me in this election for a further term.

Wishing you the compliments of the Season, I remain,

Yours faithfully,

G. N. GORDON

Vincent Eastwood

Respectfully Announces His Candidature for Re-Election to

Board of Education

Industrial Day Schools for Peterboro

582 Bargain Annex Event | Wednesday, Dec. 27, 1916

Rapid Selling Is The Slogan For The New Year's Annex Event--To-Morrow

The Annex Wishes Every Customer a Happy and Prosperous New Year

The New Year's Annex Event—the last Annex Sale of the greatest year's business that this department has ever experienced—business that only remarkably value giving makes possible. The last 1916 event offers an even greater than usual price saving opportunity.

Many Christmas Gift Lines to clear at Remarkable Price Reductions

New Year's Wednesday Annex. Buyers will find many lines of gift specials at a quick clearance far below regular prices, and gifts that will be most suitable to remember a friend at New Years. Selection of Books. Stationery, Basket Wear, Men's Wear, etc.

New Year's Annex Leader. Men's Dollar Scotch Wool Underwear 79c garment

Heavy Scotch knit and nearly all wool. Vests are double breasted. The quality is excellent, and if you seek warmth you will find it in these garments. Sizes in shirts 36 to 46; drawers 34 to 44 ..... New Year's Annex Leader, garment **79c**

New Year's Annex Leader. Last of the Present Lot of Dress Goods "Mill Ends" $1.19 each

These lengths have been found useful by many women in the city. They run in length from 1¾ to 4 yards. The lot includes light weight Dress Materials and Tweeds, and are worth regularly up to $2.50. The price is special for the New Year's Annex. Each **1.19**

New Year's Annex Leader. 27 inch Corduroy Velvets 44c yard

A late arrival shipment of New Corduroy Velvets for the New Year's Annex at less than to-day's cost of production. Splendid quality. Full 27 inches wide. In colours of green, navy, Copenhagen and brown. New Year's Annex Leader, yard **44c**

Women's Fleece Lined Hose 22c pair

A warm Stocking for the cold weather, and one can make great cash savings on this line. Heavy black macco, double fleece lined and deep garter ribbed tops. ..... Wednesday Annex, pair **22c**

Ladies' and Misses' Overall Tea Aprons 44c

Mostly in colours of grey and blue grey. Belted at waist. Edge of pocket bound with tape. All sizes; ladies' 36 to 42; misses' 14 to 16. Overall style, Price **44c**

$1.25 2 & 3 ply Canadian Fac. Yarn 95c lb.

Splendid quality 2 and 3-ply Canadian Factory Yarn. Colours are black, light grey and dark grey. A yarn that is costing more at the mill than the price quoted for Wednesday. Lb. **95c**

Odd Lines 35c Dress Goods 24c

Plain colours and fancies are in this clearing lot. Colours are brown, green, navy, pink, sky, cerise and black; also black and white shepherd's checks ..... New Year's Annex price, yard **24c**

Last of the Men's and Ladies' $1.00 and $1.25 Silk Mufflers, to clear 29c

You will buy them at a great price reduction. They are new Silk Scarfs with shaped necks and lining mostly of contrasting shades. New Year's Annex, each **29c**

30 inch Striped English Flannelette 13¼c

An excellent weight striped Flannelette (English make). 30 inches wide. Light and medium striped patterns. Four hundred yards for Wednesday selling. ..... New Year's Annex, yard **13½c**

Women's 65c Grey Underwear 49c garment

Splendid quality 2 and 3-ply Canadian Factory Yarn. Colours value. A cold weather weight. Worth coming early for on Wednesday. The New Year's Annex price will be, garment **49c**

40c Bleached Table Linen 33c yard

To-day you will not find a linen on the market to equal this line we are offering on Wednesday. Regular 40c value and 52 inches wide. New Year's Annex, yard **33c**

New Year's Annex Leader. 300 yards 15c White Flannelette, 27 inches wide, 10½c yard

This Flannelette to be sold away less than the cost of production. A good strong, substantial cloth. No 'phone orders and not more than 10 yards to a customer. New Year's Annex Leader price will be, yard.. **10½c**

Annex Leader $1.55 Flannelette Blankets $1.33 pair

Eighty pairs only of a splendid quality Blanket. Good size; measures 64 x 76. White only, with pink or blue borders. Worth regularly $1.55. ..... New Year's Annex Leader, pair **1.33**

New Year's Annex Leader. Girls' & Women's $2.50 Hockey Boots $1.98

Our Special Imperial $2.50 Hockey Boot, for Misses and Women. Strong box calf. Full round toe and warm wool lining. Come early while sizes are complete. A Great New Year's Annex Leader **1.98**

Men's & Women's Finest Quality Rubbers

"Shefford Brand" Rubbers for men and women. The quality rubber that we always sell. Fully guaranteed. All sizes.
Men's $1.40 value. Pair 79c
Women's 69c value. Pair 53c

Men's & Big Boys' Coat Sweaters. Annex only 95c

Positively only for the New Year's Annex Leader Sale at this price. Heavy Ribbed Grey Coat Sweaters, with high button storm collars and two side pockets. Sizes for big boys and men. Away less than to-day's cost of production. New Year's Annex Leader **95c**

Men's Negligee Shirts 59c or 3 for $1.65

This lot of Shirts has enjoyed great popularity. Material is Percale, made in coat style, with deep laundered cuffs and smart stripe patterns. Sizes 14 to 16½. Regular 85c. Annex, 59c, ... 3 for **1.65**

The CRESSMAN Company Limited

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE EXPERIMENTAL UNION

Arrangements have been completed for holding the 38th annual meeting of the Ontario Agricultural and Experimental Union at the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, on the 9th and 10th of January.

Owing to the peculiar weather conditions of the past year, the results of the co-operative experiments conducted throughout Ontario on between three and four thousand farms will be of peculiar interest and value. Since the last meeting, co-operative experiments have been conducted throughout Ontario with varieties of farm crops; quantities of seed per acre; mixed grains for grain production and for fodder; farm yard manures and commercial fertilizers with winter wheat, potatoes, mangels and rape; the eradication of weeds; the reforesting of waste places; bee-keeping in Ontario, etc.

Not only will the results of the co-operative experiments be presented, but several agricultural subjects of importance will be discussed at the annual meeting, some of which are as follows: "What Ontario should do in regard to Potato Production," "Potato Growers' Co-operative Associations," "The Farmers' Apple Orchard," "The Home Vegetable Garden," "Best Sources of Seed for 1917." "The Production in Ontario of Foodstuffs, 1, Vegetable Products, 2-Meat Products, and 3, Dairy Products," "Cultivation of the Soil," "Management of Soil Fertility," etc. Some of the speakers are Henry G. Bell, Chicago, Dr. G. C. Creelman, Andrew Elliott, Hon. Nelson Monteith, Prof. James Murray, Prof. H. H. Dean, F. C. Hart, Prof. G. E. Day, R. S. Duncan and A. H. McLennan.

All sessions of the union meeting to be held on Tuesday and Wednesday, January 9th and 10th, are open to any person interested in agriculture, and everyone welcome to take part in the meeting. Cheap railway rates have been arranged on the certificate plan. For further particulars and a copy of the programme apply to G. A. Zavitz, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, Ontario.

Potatoes a Grocery and Tom Minnicola's a Grocery Shop

Potatoes are a grocery, according to Magistrate Dumble's interpretation of the meaning of that term in the statute under which Mr. Tom Minnecola was charged with selling groceries after hours. And this interpretation cost Mr. Minnecola $2 and costs, amounting to $4.60. The Magistrate delivered his judgment this morning another feature of it being the defining of the Minnecola store as a grocery shop, not merely a fruit store.

A female stool pigeon visited Mr. Minnecola in the evening of December 13th, and after being refused canned goods and other generally accepted groceries, was sold a quantity of potatoes, which Mr. Minnecola said he did not regard as a grocery. It was this point that the Magistrate cleared up in his judgment.

"Groceries," he said, "were sugar, tea, coffee, spices, country produce, light household supplies for the table and similar goods.

"I find nothing in the bylaw or the statute limiting the meaning of the word groceries, and I accept the broad word 'supplies for the table,' as a correct definition of 'groceries,' such supplies; the defendant sold to the customer."

Mr. O'Connell urged that the by-law might apply to the other goods but not to the potatoes. The bylaw in question makes no distinction between shelf goods and other goods, as vegetables, commonly sold by grocers, or that permits him to keep his shop open for the sale of one class of goods but closed as to the sale of other goods. Groceries is a very comprehensive word and covers every edible thing that the defendant had in his shop.

"I find that Minnecola's shop was a grocery shop and that it was not closed on the evening of December 13th, within the definition of the word given by the statute, but that it was open for business during the prohibited hours."

MR. P. T. WEARING'S DEATH A LOSS TO BARRIE DISTRICT

The following notice of the death of Mr. Joseph Wearing, father appeared in the Barrie Examiner:

Last Thursday morning Peter Thomas Wearing of the Fifth Concession, Oro Township, passed away quietly after a sudden and severe attack of pneumonia. He had been at a sale with W. Jermey and was unable to proceed further than the latter's home because of the sudden illness.

The services were held at the home of Mr. Jermey, Fourth Line, and at Guthrie Presbyterian church on Saturday, Dec. 16. The Rev. Neil Campbell referred in feeling terms to the activity of the deceased in the church and community.

The family came from Liverpool, England, in 1893, and three years subsequently settled on the Oro farm. Mr. Wearing leaves a wife, three sons; a daughter, and an adopted son and daughter to mourn his loss. The eldest son, Joseph, is practising law at Peterborough. Thomas is in attendance at the University of Chicago, Lily M. lives at home James P. is an N.C.O. with the Canadian Engineers at the Front, Lilian G. is a nurse in the R. V. Hospital, Barrie, and Norman, a B.C.I. boy, is also in France with the Canadian Engineers. Mrs. Wm. Jermey of the Fourth Concession, is a niece.

The bearers at the burial service were neighbours of the deceased, viz., Messrs. T. C. Ross, Alex. Campbell, Andrew Graham, James Stoddart, Henry Gilchrist, all of Guthrie, and Robt. Robertson of Shanty Bay.

Mr. Wearing has left behind him the monument of an active and useful Christian life and his loss is keenly felt in the neighbourhood. Mrs. Wearing and the family have the sincere sympathy of the community in their sorrow.

Cholera Spreads To Korea---Fishing Industry Crippled

Tokio, December 23. — Although cool weather has brought a decrease of the cholera at Tokio, the malady continues to spread at Osaka. Up to October 10, the cases at Tokio had reached 548, at Osaka the total was 2,001, with an increase of twenty each day.

At Tokio there have been 151 deaths already. The authorities believe that by the end of the month the epidemic will be entirely wiped out here. No foreigner has been attacked by the disease so far as known.

The spread of the cholera to Korea has had a serious economic effect there as the authorities have prohibited fishing extending in a zone along 200 miles of coast. Cholera is believed by many physicians to be easily circulated from fish tissue and the fishermen of Korea are said to have failed to comply with the sanitary measures ordered by the health department.

Some 270,000 fishermen, commanding 40,000 boats, are thus thrown out of work at the most fruitful fishing period of the year. Fear of fish as a microbe carrier has reduced the consumption of fish throughout the Japanese Empire, and as fish next to rice is the chief food of the people the ban placed upon it has caused misery among both the fishermen and the distributors.

The One As Bad As the Other.

"My daughter is taking singing lessons, and she keeps up such a terrific row that I never go home except to eat and sleep."

"You're in luck. My daughter is taking cooking lessons, and I don't even dare to eat at home."

Annual Concert of Lakefield Methodist S.S.

Good Programme Rendered Last Night—Visitors Over the Holidays

Mr. R. Gloyn Madill, of Queen's University, is spending the holiday at his home in the village.

Miss C. Park is spending the holiday at her home in Peterborough.

Miss S. MacDonald is spending the holiday at her home in Belleville.

Miss K. Simpson, of Kew Beach, Toronto, has arrived in the village to spend the holiday at her home.

Mr. Alex. Fraser, of McGill University, is spending the holiday at his home here.

Mr. Holton J. Madill, of Belleville, spent Christmas at his home in the village.

Miss Louise Brown, of Toronto University, is spending the holiday at her home here.

Mr. Arthur Murduff, of Hamilton, is spending Christmas at his home here.

Mr. Hilliard Millar, of Port Hope, is spending the holiday at his home here.

Mr. Henry Battan, of Dummer, spent Sunday in the village.

Miss Elsie Sherin, of Dummer, is spending the holiday at her home in the village.

Mr. P. Edwards, of Peterborough, spent Christmas at his home here.

Mr. James Graham, of Peterborough, spent Christmas at his home here.

Mr. John Sabatino spent Monday at his home here.

Messrs. Thomas and Vandal Simpson, of Peterborough, spent the holiday at their home here.

The annual concert given by the children of the Lakefield Methodist Sunday School was held on Monday night, Dec. 25th, in the basement of the church. The following programme was rendered, which was greatly enjoyed by the record audience which attended:

Chairman's address, Rev. C. W. Barrett.
Recitation, Miss Zeta Nixon.
Chorus, Primary Class.
Song, Miss Hannah Webster.
Recitation, Master Elwood Northey.
Song, Master Sam. Spence.
Recitation, Miss Jean Webster.
Recitation, Master Garnet Graham.
Duet, Misses Candie and Mary Kennedy.
Recitation, Master E. Dunsford.
Brownie Chorus, Six Boys.
Recitation, Miss Edna Frankish.
Recitation, Miss Ora Dunsford.
Solo, Miss Maude Nixon.
Recitation, Miss Muriel Boyce.
Motion song, Six Girls.
Recitation, Gordon Barrett.
Trio, Misses Doris Hill, Bessie Madill and Elva Nugent.
Instrumental, Miss Lela Waldon.
Hoop drill, Twelve Girls.
Recitation, Master Frank Erskine.
Chorus, Six Girls.
Recitation, Master H. Dunsford.
Chorus, Eight Girls.
Recitation, Master George Sherin.
Solo, Mr. Henry Battan.
Intermission.
Instrumental, Miss G. Simpson.
Drill, Sixteen Girls.
Dialogue, "Woman's Rights."
Duet, Misses Alice and Mary Hill.
Recitation, Miss Alice Hill.
Recitation, Miss Vera Hendren.
Solo, Mr. H. Batten.
Dialogue, "Interrupted Gossip."
"God Save the King."

Miss G. Everett, of Norwood, is spending the holiday at her home here.

Mr. Fred Graham, of Peterborough, spent Christmas at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Nicholls and children, of Smith, spent Christmas in the village, the guests of Mrs. T. Simpson.

Men Wanted at Quaker Oats Elevator. Apply at office near elevator 3d-148

NEW BOOKS AT THE PUBLIC LIBRARY

The following new books have just been placed on the shelves at the Public Library:

Scylla or Charybois?, Broughton.
Not Wisely But Too Well, Broughton.
Alas! Broughton.
Second Thoughts, Broughton.
A Beginner, Broughton.
The Barbary Coast, Edwards.
Cuba, Wright.
Statesman's Year-Book 1916, Scott, Kettle edition.
Coin Types, Macdonald.
Soul of Russia, Stephens.
Songs in Time's Despite, J. L. Milligan.
Come Out of the Kitchen, Miller.
Ethnology of The Tewa Indians, Smithsonian Institute Pres.
Worn Doorstep, Sherwood.
Rocks of Valpré, Dell.
Lady Connie, Mrs. H. Ward.
Arcadian Adventures of the Idle Rich, Leacock.
Sunshine Sketches of a Little Town, Leacock.
Wild Animals I Have Known, Seton.
Poems, L. M. Montgomery.
Chums.
Empire Annual for Boys.
Chatterbox.
Keeper of the Door, Dell.
Boys' Own Annual.

A. O. H.

Members of div No 1 Ancient Order of Hibernians will meet this evening in their hall at 8 p m to make arrangements for the funeral of Bro. W. J. Tetro

John J. Devlin, President

Ladies' Fur Setts

In case you have failed to remember some of your friends at Christmas, just come and see some of the exquisite styles we are showing in Muffs and Neck Pieces. Nothing can be more acceptable as a Christmas or New Year's Gift.

W. E. LECH Manufacturing Furrier and Hatter
258 GEORGE STREET . . . NEAR SIMCOE ST.

THE WEATHER

The lowest temperature of this winter, up to the present time, was experienced last night, the thermometer being down to 7 degrees below zero. Yesterday was an ideal Christmas day as far as the weather was concerned—sharp and bright, with good sleighing. Lowest temperature 3 above zero, highest 22.—W. P.

Gross Darkness.—Not long ago a local preacher, officiating in that capacity in a mining village not very far from Newcastle, announced as his text: "And gross darkness covered the earth." He proceeded as follows: "My dear friends, we all know the darkness that there is down in the pit, but as may tell ye that that's not the darkness in the pit by fower, that wadden't be it either. Three times fower times fy three, even that wadden't be the darkness mentioned in the text."

Something For Your Table

New Year Presents that look well and WEAR well are a source of lasting satisfaction to the giver as well as to the recipient.

BRITISH-MADE SILVERWARE
The Standard of the World

In this line we offer some specially pleasing articles.

A cheerful welcome to all shoppers whether to look or to buy.

SCHNEIDER The Jeweller, George St.

Holiday Fruits

Sunkist Oranges
California Pears
French Dates
Choice Apples
Pomegranites, Bananas
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Wednesday Bargains

To-morrow will be a day of very special reductions in every department, particularly the deep cuts that have been made in---

Scarfs, Handkerchiefs, Fancy Linens,
Bathrobes, Comforters, Blankets
and all Classes of Knitted Woolen Wear

The most drastic cut in prices will be found in the
READY-TO-WEAR SECTION, 1st FLOOR UP
Every Suit and Coat and Silk Blouse
must be cleared out and the prices we have named on each garment bear evidence of this determination.

While our usual list of bargains do not appear to-day you will find our values very unusual.

City and General

Good skating at East City Rink afternoons and evenings. Admission 10c.

PROBABILITIES.

Strong easterly winds, occasional sleet snow or sleet to-night and on Wednesday. Milder on Wednesday.

Broken auto cylinders, machinery and stoves welded, by the new Oxo Acetelyne Process. Anything in iron, steel or aluminum made as good as new, not patched up. Millard's Bicycle Shop Hunter street, near Aylmer.

ENGLISH MAIL.

A small amount of English mail came in this morning. The parcel post has not yet arrived.

PIANO TUNING.

'Phone 898, The Greene Music Co., Charlotte Street, when your piano requires tuning or regulating. All work guaranteed. dtf

CHRISTMAS TEA AND CONCERT.

Don't forget the Christmas tea and concert in Mark street Methodist church to-night. Songs, dialogues, etc. A good time promised. Admission, 15c.

FINE POST CARDS.

Post Cards of Quaker Oats fire IN COLOURS, 10c. each. See the specimens in the show case. Vincent Studio, George Street. 2nd-24-3

REGULAR MEETING.

The regular monthly meeting of the Canadian Kitchener League will be held on Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 27th, at the Y.W.C.A. at 3.30. Every member is requested to be present.

DENTAL.

Dr. McKenty, Dentist, 370 George Street, on the ground floor, first door north of Peterborough Hardware Company. Nitrous oxide and oxygen administered for painless operations. 26d-128

PURSE WAS STOLEN.

A lady who travelled from Dallis, Texas, and is visiting in East City with friends had the misfortune to have her purse stolen in the intense crowd at St. Louis, Mo.

CLEANING, PRESSING AND REPAIRING.

'Phone 1416 for Cleaning, Pressing and Repairing. Goods called for and delivered promptly. Mrs. Read, 150 Rubidge Street. dtf

EXPRESS AND BAGGAGE.

E. D. Cooney, a returned soldier, has taken over the express business of Eddie Reid and will give prompt and careful attention to all work entrusted to him. Phone 847. E. D. Cooney, 340 Aylmer street. 24d-44

FUNERAL TO-MORROW.

The funeral of the late W. J. Fetro will leave his late residence, 506 Bethune street at 8.30 a.m. on Wednesday, 27th inst., and proceed to St. Peter's Cathedral, thence to St. Peter's cemetery for interment.

YOUR TYPEWRITER'S EFFICIENCY

Is enhanced by co-operation of the typewriter and this can only be, when the machine used is in good condition. A few dollars spent in this renovation of machines will repay you many times over, if you deal at Nelson's Typewriter Co. We sell ribbons, carbons and general office supplies as well as ALL MAKES OF TYPEWRITERS. OPPOSITE ORIENTAL HOTEL.

A GOOD PURCHASE.

We purchased a complete line of pipes before the advance in prices, real amber, extra good briar. We have also a very large stock for Christmas of cigars and tobaccos. We always give extra good value. Call and see us.—Yeates Bros, 339 George street.

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Furniture purchased now as gifts, will be held until Christmas week if desired. Dining room furniture on sale this week. Some handsome styles to choose from. A collection of colonial art craft and modern style buffets. See our show window. A fine example of the William and Mary style.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. J. MacKenzie and Family, 310 Maitland Ave., wish to express their sincere thanks to Court Langton, C.O.F., the employees of the C.G.E. and the many friends generally for the kindness and sympathy extended to them in their recent bereavement, also for the beautiful flowers that were sent.

WEDDING BELLS

DUNK—WILDMAN.

On Friday, Dec. 29, Miss Etta Wildman and Stephen Dunk, both of this city, were united in marriage at St. James' Methodist Parsonage, the Rev. B. Greatrix officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Dunk will reside on Lock street.

FARR—STEWARD.

A pretty wedding was solemnized on Christmas day at the residence of Mr. Thomas Farr, when Miss Caroline Steward became the bride of Mr. Walter Farr, the Rev. Mr. Greatrix performing the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Farr will reside in the city.

FOWLER—HAYTON.

A quiet but very pretty wedding was solemnized on Christmas night, December 25th, at eight o'clock, at the George street parsonage, by Rev. R. G. Peever, when Miss Laura Hayton of 503 Sherbrooke street, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Mr. Elmer Fowler, of 240 Murray street. The bride was attired in a suit of black velvet with hat to match. The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome black muff. Mr. and Mrs. Fowler will reside at 240 Murray street.

SAUNDERS—TULLETT.

On Christmas Day, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Whatley, 20 Stewart Street, a very pretty wedding was solemnized, when Mr. William Saunders and Miss Mary Tullett were united in marriage. The bride, attired in white silk, carried a bouquet of white roses. Miss Carrie Saunders, sister of the groom, who was dressed in pink silk, acted as bridesmaid, while the groom was attended by Mr James Whatley. The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion, while the wedding couple stood under a pretty white arch. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Donald Brown, their pastor, both being active members of the Park Street Baptist Church. The guests numbered about twenty-five, consisting of the intimate friends of the bride and groom. They were the recipients of many beautiful gifts. The young couple will reside temporarily at 20 Stewart St.

THOMPSON—STEER.

A very pretty wedding took place in All Saints Church on December 25th, 1916, when Miss Bertha Amelia Steer, the eldest daughter of Mr. Harry Steer, High Street, Peterboro, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to William James Thompson, eldest son of Mr. Wm. Thompson, of 166 Stewart street, city. The bridal party entered the church to the strains of a popular wedding march played by the organist of All Saints' church. The bride leaning on the arm of her father, was attended by Misses Flora and Ada Steer, sisters of the bride. The groom was supported by Mr. Wm. Wheeler. The bride looked charming in a silver gray suit trimmed with plush with a hat to match, while the bridesmaids wore navy blue suits trimmed with fur and hats to match.

The bride having been presented for marriage by her father the ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Grohl of All Saints' Church. After the ceremony the bridal party proceeded to the home of the bride's parents, where a sumptuous repast was served, the table being beautifully decorated with lilies and brides blossoms. Over 20 guests were present. The groom's gift to the bride was a silver tea set, silver chest, and to the bridesmaids gold wrist watches. The young couple received many costly and beautiful presents showing the high esteem in which they were held. Amid showers of confetti the happy couple left on the 3.38 C.P.R. train for Toronto and points west. The bride's travelling suit included a beautiful Hudson seal coat trimmed with fox fur, with furs to match. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Thompson will reside at 323 Simcoe street.

GROUP PICTURES

Good time now when the visitors are at home for the holidays to have a group Picture taken. Make arrangements to sit at—

374½ George Street — The Moule Studio — Phone No. 46

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

NEW YORK, Dec. 26. — Stocks stronger to-day. U. S. Steel mounted to 107 during the morning.

Chicago Grain—

Wheat 188 3-4, July wheat 178 1-2, December corn 91 1-2.

New York Stocks—

Airbrake, 146, 147 3-4; Atchison, 104, 104 7-8; B. & O., 84, 85 7-8; C.P.R., 167, 167 3-4; N.Y. Central, 104, 104 1-2; Reading, 104 3-4, 105 5-8; U. P., 148, 147 3-4; U. S. Steel, 107 3-8, 107 1-4; Anaconda, 83, 82 3-4; Inter. Nickel, 42 5-8, 44; Amn. Loco., 76 3-4, 76; Rep. Steel, 77 1-2, 78 1-4; Erie, 35, 35 3-8; Erie 1st Pfd, 53 3-4, 56; Pa. Steel, 540.

Canadian Stocks—

Steamers, 35; Steel of Canada, 65, 65 1-2; N. S. Steel, 113; Smelters, 33; Cement, 63 1-4, 63 3-4; Gen. Elec., 111 bid; Can. Loco., 88 bid.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

TORONTO, Dec. 26.—Live stock receipts very light, trade quiet. Choice heavy steers, $8 to $8.50. Hogs, f.o.b. $11.15 and $11.25, others steady.

BIRTH.

CALLADINE—On Friday, Dec. 22, 1916, to Sgt.-Major and Mrs. Calladine, 549 Elm street, a son.

Social and Personal

Mr. Alec. Spence, Downie street, spent Christmas with the guest of his mother, in Ottawa.

Miss Lenore Sanderson, Collingwood, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. W. A. Sanderson, Brock street, for the holidays.

Lieut. Douglas Huycke, Kingston, spent Christmas at his home, East City.

Miss Grace Elston, Toronto University, is spending the holidays in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Perry, American House, spent Christmas with friends in Toronto.

Mrs. A. G. Lawless, Lakefield, is a visitor in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McCluskey, Toronto, came down for over the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. S. Arnott, and daughter Louise, of Otonabee, are spending the Christmas holidays in Port Hope, the guests of Sergeant and Mrs. J. N. Lawrie.

Mr. Jas. S. Arnott spent Sunday in Trenton with his cousin, Mr. A. B. Arnott.

Mr. Jack Kennaley is home from St. Michael's College, Toronto, for the holidays.

Mr. Tom Carson was home from Saginaw, Mich., for Christmas.

Mr. Roy Smyth, of the Royal Bank staff, Beaton, was a Christmas visitor at his home here.

Mr. Harry Hook was down from Toronto for the holiday.

Mr. Arthur Bartley of Toronto, spent the Christmas week-end at his home here.

Messrs. Arthur Primeau and Frank Barrie were up from Cobourg to spend Christmas at home.

Mr. Ray Rose was down from Toronto for the holiday.

Mr. Joe Dwyer, the former Peterborough player, and now goalkeeper for the Sarnia team, spent Christmas at his home here.

Mr. Art Hall of Rochester, N.Y., was in Peterborough on Saturday, going on to Montreal Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Wotten of Belleville, spent Christmas with the former's parents, 175 Rubidge street.

Miss Biggs and Mrs. Howe, of Pembroke, sisters of Mrs. (Rev.) R. G. Peever, are guests at George street Methodist parsonage for the holiday season.

Mr. Will Abraham of the Examiner mechanical staff, has been called away by the death in Toronto of his brother Leonard Abraham, who passed away yesterday from an attack of pneumonia.

Mr. W. G. Cochrane, who is with the Quaker Oats Company at Houston, Texas, is home on a ten day holiday. When Mr. Cochrane left Houston it was 76 in the shade, quite a change in climatic conditions to 5 below here. Mr. Cochrane states that there was an extraordinary Christmas traffic all the way home.

Mrs. F. J. A. Hall has returned from Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Montgomery of Brighton, spent Christmas with friends in the city.

Mr. Norman A. Rae returned to Ottawa this morning, after spending Christmas with his parents, Sherbrooke Street.

Lieut. Gordon Grahame left on Saturday for Morrisburg, where he will report for duty on the canal guard. Mrs. Grahame will join him soon.

Miss Mattie Robertson, Fenelon Falls, was the guest of friends in the city for the week end.

Mr. Lennox McLaren spent the holiday at his home in Renfrew.

Misses Maragret and Agnes Neill and Miss Ethel Morrison spent Christmas in Toronto, the guest of Miss Madeline Morrison nurses-in-training at the Sick Children's Hospital.

Miss Kathleen Baker Lindsay is the guest of Miss Agnes Lynch, Park street.

Mrs. John Coughlin, 466 Rubidge street spent the holiday in Toronto, where she went to say good-bye to her nephew, Lieut. J. G. Murphy of the Canadian Engineers.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. C. Dawe spent the holiday at Napanee.

Mr. Thos. McNamara came up from Marlee to spend Christmas at home.

Sergt. Instructor Lorne L. Hicks of the wireless branch of the training for signallers at Kingston, is spending the holidays with his parents, 411 Downey street. Sergt. Hicks has charge of the only military wireless class in Canada.

Mr. Harry Evans of Detroit, was home for the holiday.

Messrs. Art. Primeau, and Frank Barrie of Cobourg, spent the Christmas week end in the city.

Mr. Kier Galvin of Montreal was among the local boys home for Christmas.

Messrs. J. O'Brien and Herman Wolfe of Belleville, were home for Christmas.

Messrs. T. F. Matthews and Mrs. A. H. Stratton returned on Sunday morning from an extended visit to England.

Mr. F. L. Cross spent Christmas, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Aylmer, Weller street, and returned to Barrie this morning.

Miss Jessie Matthews, Miss Margaret Turner and Miss Rosamond Huycke, Bishop Strachan's School, are in the city for the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Coulson have gone to Peterborough for Christmas.—Mail and Empire.

Mr. Reginald Lockhart has returned from England.—Toronto Mail and Empire.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Waddell have returned from St. Catharines.

Mr. Suckling, Windsor, was in the city for Christmas.

Miss Rosamond Jewell, Toronto, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. F. Curtis, George street, for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Crowe Celebrated Their Golden Wedding

A happy family reunion featured the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Crowe, 45 Sophia Street, Ashburnham. Their ten children were present, as follows: Mrs. J. A. Dodds, Engleburn Avenue; Mr. Wm. Crowe, 43 Sophia Street; Mrs. J. Nelles, Sophia Street; Mrs. F. P. Champion, Burnham Street; Mr. Sidney Crowe, Park Street; Mr. George Crowe, Alfred Street; Mrs. Wm. White, McDonnel Street; Mr. Wesley Crowe, at home, all of Peterborough, and Mrs. E. W. Sager and Miss Bessie Crowe, of Buffalo.

Mr. and Mrs. Crowe's family had grown during the past fifty years to a present total of thirty-three, all of whom, children and grand-children, were present at the Christmas Day celebration. They were married in Dummer in 1866, and with their children have been among the city's well-known residents, especially across the river. Mr. and Mrs. Crowe were married on the 10th of August, but the golden jubilee fete was postponed until Christmas, in order that all the family might be together for the occasion. Dinner was a double feature yesterday, and the usual games and amusements, with music, made the occasion a memorable one for the family. Mr and Mrs. Crowe have the best wishes of their friends that they may be spared for other years of wedded life.

CHRISTMAS AT THE TEMPLE

The Christmas celebration at the S. A. Temple last night was one of the best in every respect held on that occasion, standing room being at a premium. The kiddies enjoyed themselves immensely. Santa Claus did well and the presents for the young children were excellent and appreciated.

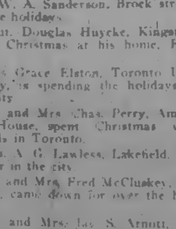
Mrs. Lang and her associates did exceptionally well with the three numbers they rendered, especially that of the Pilgrims.

Santa Claus will visit Bailey's on Thursday evening, together with a special programme, and at Byersville on Thursday night in the same way.

We wish all our many friends a Happy and a Prosperous New Year

Keep Up The Xmas Spirit

You will want to select some suitable Gift for your Friends who were overlooked at Christmas. Excellent chance will be found at this store, notwithstanding the heavy shopping before Christmas.



We will be pleased to show a large assortment of suitable suggestions for New Year's Gifts—such as

Diamonds, Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Rings, Necklaces, Cut Glass, Silverware, Wrist Watches, Military Watches, Boys' Watches, Girls' Watches, Brooches, Fobs, Tie Pins, Crosses, Lockets, Ebony Goods, Ivory Goods and Thousands of Other Articles

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The Season's Greetings

Thanks for the Year's Prosperity and Best Wishes for a Prosperous New Year.

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RESTORE THE NATURAL SIGHT

Flower Day Was a Success

$155 Realized by Soldiers' Wives and Mothers' Club

The Flower Day under the auspices of the Soldiers' Wives' and Mothers' Club on Saturday was very successful, the sum of $155 being realized, which will be used towards buying comforts for the Peterborough boys overseas. The streets were crowded, and the people gave readily. With a larger staff working the amount might have been doubled.

Oxyacetylene Burner To Speed Searching

The Quaker Oats Company have brought an oxyacetylene burner from Toronto to speed the work of removing the debris from the north end of the destroyed plant. With this appliance the heavy girders and other metal work that impedes the work of searching for the bodies that remain in the ruins can be broken into pieces. The company desire to speed up the work as rapidly as possible, and brought in the acetylene plant for that purpose.

A CHAPTER ON CORNS.

Tells How They Are Made and What They Do to Their Owners.

Corns, like corsets, boarding houses, and late hours, are a menace to one's sweet disposition.

Corns are hard growths which occur on the toes or some other part of the feet. They are generally the result of wearing a shoe too small for the foot. They are thickenings of the outer layer of the skin, in the centre of which is a nail-like peg which projects downward and hurts when pressed upon. Soft corns form between the toes, and are only different from others in that they are soaked with perspiration all the time. The corn itself is composed of a lump of the outer part of the skin which is caused by the pressure of the shoe at that spot.

However the corn would not result unless the pressure were taken off at intervals, and this, of course, is done when you take the shoe off. It stands to reason that if the pressure were continuously applied to this spot, the skin, instead of overgrowing at that precise point, would waste away. The overgrowth of the skin is due to the irritation produced by the pressure.—Popular Science Monthly.

Renew your subscription.

THE BRAYLESS MULE A WAR DEVELOPMENT

PARIS, Dec. 26.—The brayless mule is one of the scientific developments of the war. Large numbers of mules have been imported from America for use at the front, but their habit of braying at inconvenient moments had to be remedied before they could be used to the best advantage. The veterinary experts were called in, and after a little experiment they discovered that a slight operation on the nostril had the desired effect, and all the mules sent to the front are now made mute by this process.

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Miss PEARL STEINHOFF, Toronto, Contralto
Miss FLOWERS, Peterboro, Pianist
Mr ALBERT DOWNING, Toronto, Tenor
Mr MARLEY SHERRIS, Toronto, Bass
Mr T. I. PALMER
Mr. JOHN ALLAN, Conductor

Tickets 50c may be had from Messrs Madill, Coleman, Barrie, Smith's Store.

Skates and Hand Sleighs

Notwithstanding the exceptionally large demand for Skates and Hand Sleighs during the past week we still have a complete stock and any one wanting either or both will find it to their advantage to examine our stock before purchasing.

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In selecting your candidates for the Board of Education, keep in mind that the keynote of progress is renewed life and vigor in the executive bodies that have to handle the business of this growing City.

In offering myself as candidate for a position on this board, I do so realizing that only a man's best service will meet the growing need for practical business methods in this most important branch of the City's business. My record as a business man for the last fourteen years and a lifelong resident in Peterborough, residing in East City for twenty-five years, is well known to a large number of our citizens, and I trust is sufficient evidence of my ability to warrant your support in my present candidature.

Should I be elected, I promise to weigh most carefully all matters involving expenditure of the City's finances, and to countenance only strictly business methods in undertaking any work being handled by this Board.

Soliciting the support of every progressive voter, I am,

Yours for progress,

A. A. FOWLER

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Board of Education

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—I have been again requested to allow my name to go before you as a candidate for your Public School Board.

As a member of the Board I have endeavoured to give it my best services and if my work has been satisfactory and you desire me to act as one of your representatives for a further term, I will be very pleased to give you my best efforts.

With best wishes for a Happy New Year.

Yours faithfully,

Roland Denne

BOARD OF EDUCATION

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—I have been again nominated as a candidate for the Board of Education, and if my services in the past have been satisfactory to you, and it is your desire that I represent you for another year term, I will deem it a pleasure to give you my very best service on the Board. Wishing you the compliments of the season, I am,

Yours faithfully,

B. F. ACKERMAN

Renew your subscription.

Germany's Answer Reveals Overwhelming Desire For Peace

Allies Will Not Accept Germany's Proposals

SWEDEN HAS JOINED WITH UNITED STATES IN PEACE SUGGESTIONS

Present Plans Call For No More Note Writing on the Part of President Wilson---Allies Will Definitely Decline to Negotiate Peace on a Basis of "As You Were Before the War."

WILL NOT ACCEPT GERMANY'S PROPOSALS

LONDON, December 27. — Sweden has joined with America and Switzerland in peace suggestions, the Daily Telegraph asserted to-day. According to their information, a Swedish note, identical in terminology to the Swiss peace statement, has been presented to the belligerents.

WASHINGTON, December 27.—One of the highest United States officials here told the United Press to-day that present plans call for no more note writing to Germany.

He added that of the "Marina," "Arabia," and other cases develop a clear-cut violation of Germany's pledges in the Sussex case, or if Germany starts a new submarine campaign in case peace fails, then a break in relations can be the only answer.

He declared that President Wilson's "peace" note and Secretary Lansing's subsequent "verge of war" statement were in a measure educational, so that the country would not wonder what it was all about in event matters came up to the breaking points.

NOT PEACE "AS YOU WERE."

LONDON, December 27.—The Allies will definitely decline to negotiate peace on a basis of "As you were before the war." The Allies certainly will not accept Germany's proposal, in her note to America, for an immediate peace conference. That was entirely clear to-day.

The Teutonic reply to President Wilson's note was hailed here as referring a splendid opportunity for England and her Allies to set before the world a statement which would completely epitomize the ideals and aims of the Entente Powers in the war.

The British public was impressed by the fact that despite what was termed a lack of sincerity in moving for a real peace, the suggestions in Germany's reply nevertheless reveal an overwhelming desire for peace.

WANTS TO FIND IF SOMEBODY MADE MILLIONS BY HAVING HAD A TIP ON PRESIDENT'S NOTE

Representative Wood, of Indiana, Causes a Big Flurry in the House by Introducing a Resolution For an Investigation of Rumours and Suspicions That There Was a Big Stock Jobbing Deal.

TEXT OF RESOLUTION

WASHINGTON, D.C., December 27. — Insinuation that some one "high in the administration of governmental affairs" or relatives of some one "high in the administration of governmental affairs" may have profited financially in the stock market by reason of President Wilson's note to the Powers on the subject of peace is contained in the resolution offered in the House by Representative William R. Wood, republican, of Indiana, authorizing an inquiry into the subject.

The Indiana member without formality dropped his resolution into the basket provided for the purpose on the clerk's desk, but when the fact became known on the floor there was a flurry of excitement and an effort made to ascertain what information had led to the introduction of the resolution. It was possible, however, to obtain only rumours and expressions of the suspicion that some one with probable knowledge of the diplomatic action contemplated by the President had "sold short" in Wall street and made a large sum of money when the market broke in "war brides" and tumbled.

TEXT OF THE RESOLUTION

The Wood resolution reads:

"Resolved, That a committee of five Representatives be appointed by the Speaker of the House, to investigate and make report as to whether or not any one in the administration of governmental affairs in the United States, or any relative of any one high in the administration of governmental affairs in the United States, profited financially, either directly or indirectly, by the fluctuations of the stock market occurring on Thursday, December 21, 1916, following the two contradictory interpretations given to the public from the office of the Secretary of State concerning the note of the president of the United States dated December 20, 1916, to the belligerent Powers."

No names were mentioned either by Representative Wood or those who entertained suspicions that there had been stock jobbing, although there were suggestions made as to persons who might have made use of knowledge they might have possessed.

Representative Wood did not make any statement on the floor of the House, but to a newspaper correspondent he said:—

"There have been rumours around the House all day that millions have been cleaned up in the stock market by persons who received advance information about the peace note and the developments of the last few days.

TO FIND IF THERE WAS A LEAK.

"These reports have been discussed privately here on the floor and in

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A Vote For

F. W. DOAN

Board Of Education

Means Preparedness by Better Technical Training

Big Steamer Is Aground

Special to The Examiner:

Tokio, December 27.—The steamship Sankaku Maru, re-ported off Chosiko, with crew and passengers totaling four hundred. The position of the vessel to-day was said to be "hopeless." Two Americans are among the Sankakau's passengers.

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Joffre Will Be Made Marshall

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

Paris, December 27.—Joffre will be made Marshal of France.

War Conference Of The Allies

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

Ottawa, December 27.—A war conference of Britain and her Colonies is to be held in February.

Sharp Fighting In Dobrudja

Special to The Examiner:

Petrograd, December 27 — There has been some sharp fighting in Dobrudja. The Russians took several hundred Teuton prisoners, also three guns and some stores.

Germany's Reply Very Unsatisfactory

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

Amsterdam, December 27. — Germany's reply to Holland regarding the deportation of Belgians so unsatisfactory it will not be communicated to the Dutch Parliament.

Activity On West Front

Special to The Examiner.

Berlin, December 27.—There is considerable increase in artillery fire on the German lines on the north bank of the Somme river. The British infantry are attacking at some points. The fighting continues. The Turks report intense artillery duels on the Persian and Tigris fronts.

Belgian Steamer "Noble" Disabled

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

Halifax, December 27 — The Belgian steamer Noble, which was disabled on Saturday, was safely towed into port. Several steamers are now stormbound off this port on account of a heavy gale which is raging.

CANADIANS CALLED FOR NAVAL SERVICE

Opportunity to Share in Home Defence.

Commodore Aemilius Jarvis, Naval Recruiting Officer for Ontario, is recruiting Canadians up to the age of 45, with previous naval experience, for home defence.

The renewed U-boat menace to the Canadian shores and the trans-Atlantic trade routes, has made it necessary to largely increase the Northern Atlantic Patrol.

This is an opportunity for Canadians to defend their own shores, and there should be instant response from any men who have had sea-training.

In addition to the men, Commodore Jarvis will enroll a limited number of boys for training in the same service. The ages must be between 15 and 18. Recruiting headquarters for Ontario are in Toronto.

Recruits For Naval Air Service Not Required

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

Ottawa, December 27.—No more recruits are required at present for the naval air service.

Serious Tie-up In Toronto

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

Toronto, December 27.—A serious tie-up of the Hydro Light and Radial system took place this morning as a result of the storm. This city was practically in darkness this morning.

Markets Quiet After Holiday

Grain Market Quotations.— The Cattle Markets

Manitoba wheat— No. 1 Northern $1.90 3-4 track, bay ports. No. 2, $1.87 3-4; No. 3, $1.83 3-4. No. 4, $1.72 3-4; old crop, 4c above new crop.

Manitoba oats— No. 2 C.W., 66 3-4c.

American corn— No. 2, nominal. No. 3, new, none offering owing to embargo.

Ontario oats— No. 2 white, 60c to 62c. No. 3 white, 58c to 60.

Ontario wheat— No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1.82 to $1.84. No. 3, $1.80 to $1.82.

Peas— No. 2, nominal, car lots, $2.40.

Barley — Good malting, $1.16 to $1.18; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat— Nominal, $4.00.

Rye— No. 1 commercial, nominal.

No. 2, new, $1.32 to $1.33.

Manitoba flour — First patents, in jute bags, $9.40; second patents, in jute, $8.90; strong bakers, in jute, $8.60, Toronto.

Ontario flour— New winter, $6.70 to $6.80, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment.

Millfeed— Car lots, delivered Montreal, shorts, $37; bran, $32; feed flour, per bag, $2.80.

Hay— Baled, No. 1, track, Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots, $12 to $13; No. 2, $9 to $10; straw, $5 to $6.50.

Cattle Markets.

Union Stock Yards — Receipts, 42 cars, with 1,00 cattle, 5 calves, 2,463 hogs and 40 sheep and lambs.

Latest quotations:

Heavy steers, choice	$8.10 to	$8.50
Choice butcher	8.25	8.50
do good	7.75	8.00
do medium	6.75	7.00
do common	6.00	6.25
Heifers, good to choice	7.00	7.25
do medium	6.25	6.75
Butcher cows, choice	6.25	7.00
do medium	5.75	6.25
Butcher bulls, choice	6.90	7.50
do good	6.50	6.60
do medium	5.00	5.50
Feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs.	6.50	6.75
do bulls	5.25	5.75
Stockers, 700 to 800 lbs.	6.00	6.75
do med. 600 to 750 lbs.	5.50	6.00
do light, 500 to 600 lbs.	5.00	5.75
Canners	4.10	4.40
Cutters	4.50	5.25
Sheep, light	8.50	9.50
do heavy	7.50	8.50
Spring lambs	10.75	13.00
Calves	9.00	12.50
Hogs, fed and watered	12.00	
do weighed off cars	12.25	
do f.o.b.	11.15	11.25

BIG INCREASE IN INDIAN OCEAN FREIGHTS

Teas, during the past seven weeks, have advanced at the auctions in London, Calcutta and Colombo, from six to ten cents a pound. In addition to this, sea freights have advanced two and a half cents a pound. Inevitably this means dearer tea for the consumer but "SALADA" so far, has only advanced five cents a pound, and whatever the price in any time, the quality will always remain exactly the same.

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TO THE ELECTORS OF SOUTH WARD

Ladies and Gentlemen,—For the past two years I have been one of your representatives, and during that time I have endeavoured to serve your interests to the best of my ability.

My policy has been to serve the municipality rather than the individual, to make no distinction as to race or creed, but to treat and legislate for the benefit of all.

I have given your interests a great deal of time and careful consideration, and have not missed a single meeting, either of committee or council. My actions may not suit you all, however, I have no regrets to make or apologies to offer, believing that what I did, I did in your interests.

The proposed foot bridge over the Otonabee river in connection with the C.P.R. bridge will mean a great convenience to the residents of the South Ward as well as others. This is something for which I am claiming the whole credit. My action in support in the Bank of Montreal should appeal to every one. Had that financial institution not come to the assistance of the city there would have been no way in which to give employment to the working man, and the depression thus created would have been felt by all.

I have been a strong supporter of proper appliances for the Fire Department, and believe it should be brought to a much higher degree of efficiency by the installment of motor driven appliances. This I am fully prepared to support.

My scheme, endorsed by the Utilities Commission for sanitary plumbing is something that should appeal to those not in a position to meet the pavement in one instalment. Special legislation is being asked for along this line.

As it will be impossible for me to see you all before election day, I ask you for your vote and influence in my behalf and on my past record, assuring you that if elected I will endeavour to serve not only the South Ward but the citizens generally to the best of my ability, believing that my experience of two years will very materially assist me in so doing. Wishing you all the compliments of the season, I have the honour to be,

Your obedient servant,

JOHN EDGAR

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SINGLE FARE—Dec. 30-31st, 1916 and Jan. 1st. 1917, valid for return until Jan. 2nd, 1917

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Tickets now on sale at all G. T. R. Ticket Offices.

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Railway Time Tables

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
CORRECTED JUNE 6, 1916.

7.00 a.m.—For Lakefield.
8.10 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg, and points east, connecting at Port Hope for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 11.45 a.m.
8.15 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
8.30 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
11.00 a.m.—Mid-day express for Toronto, reaching Toronto at 3.15 p.m.
12.30 p.m.—For Lakefield.
11.40 a.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
1.30 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
1.35 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
5.00 p.m.—For Lakefield.
5.15 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
5.05 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Boston.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
CORRECTED JUNE 5, 1916.

*8.30 a.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*12.12 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John N.B., Boston, and New York.
*1.38 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed Perth, Smith's Falls and Ottawa.
**11.27 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and intermediate points, and all points east of Montreal.

GOING WEST—
*4.58 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Galt, Woodstock, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*5.45 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
**7.40 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York. Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
**9.15 a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port McNichol and intermediate points.
**3.42 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Buffalo, New York, Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, London, Detroit and Chicago.
**5.45 p.m.—North Toronto and West Toronto and intermediate points.
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By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday.)

Her brother's face reddened dangerously.

"I should call my intelligence human," he declared. "I've been able to make certain use of it."

"Call it superhuman, if you like—or inhuman, yet I hardly thing it can truly gage that type of gallant gentleman who has kept his dreams untainted and his ideals clean."

The man who had found the world a thing upon which he could stamp his hall mark stood for a while without speaking; then his voice came keyed to a satirical coldness.

"Whatever your estimate may be of my ability to understand this peerless gentleman and chevalier, one thing I can do. I can crush him into pulp. If he has poisoned against me the minds of my own family, I swear to you that I both can and will nail him to the cross of utter ruin. You had better warn your knightly friend, Mary, that the days of grail-seeking are ended."

The girl came to her feet and her eyes were stars of scorn as she faced the man who sudden anger had brought out the arteries corded on his temples.

"Such talk," she said, "belongs to the shambles of your cut-throat finance. I have no wish to listen to it."

Gradually the scornful light in Mary's pupils hardened and brightened into the fighting fire that might come into those of a tigress whose den has been threatened. Her delicate nostrils quivered and her cheeks flamed.

"Five minutes ago you were inquiring what costly gifts my heart desired, that you might buy them for me with your money. Well, there is something I want that I haven't got—and your millions can't buy it. I want dear's love. You had me schooled into a Circe and you almost killed my soul. Thank God, someone came in time, some one whose thoughts are above sordid conquest. Some one who wanted to save me from the levalized prostitution of a loveless marriage. And because he has said to your face what all men say on your all-serve you talk of crucifying him." She broke off and her breath came fast."

Hamilton Burton gazed silently for a moment, then he said shortly:

"I'm not such a d—— fool as to try to argue with a woman in a rage. You have too much brain, Mary, and at times you irritate me. Paul is the only one in this family who soothes me. I'll go to him."

"Yes," she retorted contemptuously. "Paul will burn incense to your vanity. Go to him."

She turned to leave the room, but at the door she paused. "Jefferson Edwardes will dine here this evening," she volunteered. "Any discourtesy to him will be an insult to me."

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A little strange it was, perhaps, and yet true, that Hamilton Burton, who feared no man and showed consideration to few, discovered himself standing in something like awe of his imperious sister. At all events his outbreak of wrath subsided and that evening he gave to the man who had aroused it no intimation of its recent upbraiding.

But in the days and weeks that followed, Hamilton Burton saw much of Edwardes and that very directness of gaze, that level glance which concealed nothing and evaded nothing became to him at first a small annoyance, and then a constantly aggravated irritation. His star of destiny rode at its zenith. Every venture turned his Midas hand to gold and increased power. He mounted to succeeding heights until it seemed that like Alexander he must soon brood over the smallness of the world's opportunity. Colossal mergers grouped themselves into structures of stupendous strength. His pride was bloated with successes, yet all the while across his own table he must encounter eyes that withheld reverence and politely masked something like contempt. Some day he knew those clean-souled eyes would goad him to an outbreak.

But impulse is the menace to a strong man's strength, and no one save Hamilton Burton himself suspected that his antipathy was growing into an obsession.

Besides, there were more important matters to consider, and a hundred active enemies to watch. Any such moment of relaxed vigilance as he himself had seized to overthrow the pre-eminence of others would be used to overthrow his own.

While he rode on the highest crest of Fortune's wave the one member of his family who had remained unchanged fell ill. For a week all else was forgotten while the Burton family waited the outcome in Aunt Hannah's bedroom.

That austere old spinster talked in her delirium of other days and deeded that they had altered. In broken rambling words she took them all back with her to a life they had put behind them. The names of cows and horses in whose care Hamilton had so many hundred times taken down and put up the panel of stable-lot bars dwelt on her trembling lips and she smiled contentedly over simple things. Finally, she told them that she was sleepy and would talk no longer, because to-morrow morning she must be up early and give the house a thorough cleaning. With that announcement she turned her seamed face to the wall and slept. It was placid sleep which no clamour of an alarm clock would ever disturb.

Because she had always insisted upon it with the childish pertinacity of the simple-souled, the Burton family went back with her to the rugged slopes of the White Mountains. They saw again, for the first time since they had turned away from their pastocked door, the hills and rocks and rutted roads that had once been their own country.

Jefferson Edwardes went with them, and when the funeral was ended and the little cortege left the church-yard he and Mary Burton remained a while among the graves. Most of the trees were stark and naked, but to one or two still clung shreds of departed autumn brilliancy. A maple still boasted a few scarlet tatters of the banner with which it had done honour to the Frost King. By the decaying wall of the little church a scrub oak rattled its tenacious leafage of russet brown.

About the two lifted and careened the neglected tombstones of those who slept humbly but restfully here. The gaunt hills, too, tilted an dcareened in heaped-up barriers of dilapidation to the distance where the autumn veiled them in a smoky purple. But above them was the glow of crimson and rose-ash, where the sunset burned.

Mary's beautiful eyes were bright with tears and as she stood there slim and straight, the man came close and his arm slipped about her. For a moment she seemed unconscious of his presence, then she turned and her eyes looked steadfastly into his, and, as they looked, they smiled through their mistiness.

"Thank God," she said in a low voice into which a tremor stole, "thank God, you came to me and woke me up—in time."

After a little she spoke again hastily as though in fright.

"Dearest," she declared tensely, "as I stood here to-day a fear came over me; a fear and a premonition. It seemed to me that every hill and every tree was accusing us. Silent voices were calling out, 'Why did you go away?' She broke off, and then, as though from the strength of his embrace, she drew reassurance, she went on: 'Suppose it was all a shameful mistake! Suppose Hamilton's overwhelming ambition with all its vast egotism should totter and fall! What would become of us in that world down there? I have, since we left here, seen only one look of serene and utterly calm peace on any face in our family. It was her face—" The girl nodded toward the grave and shivered.

The man drew her closer.

"Loved faces in death always wear a peace that life does not know," he told her. Then whimsically he smiled as he voiced a fantastic suggestion:

"Maybe, dearest, there's some land beyond the stars where all the mistakes we make here can be remedied where we can take up our married lives and live them afresh, as we have dreamed them. Perhaps in that other world we can go back to the turning of the road where we lost our ways and choose the other path."

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Constancy and fixedness belong to strong characters. The granite crag stands unchanging, but the waters at its base lash themselves into a thousand shapes and colours and reflections. Hamilton had in him the firmness of the hills, but Paul's nature was as fluid as the waters that whirl or lilt along the easiest channels, and that turn aside to avoid obstacles. On his table stood a photograph of Loraine Haswell's in a gold frame. It was a photograph of which here was no duplicate, and one which her husband had not seen. When it had been taken the sitter had selected a pose of graceful age, as though the photographer had ambushed her and caught her in a moment of almost sacred privacy, a moment when she had relaxed into an attitude of inmost and somewhat melancholy thought.

The slender hands rested with fingers loosely interlocked in her lap, holding a drooping rose. The splendid tenderness of her figure was enhanced by the veiling of delicate meshwork, and the face under its mixed-dark profusion of hair looked out wistfully with a sad half-smile on something that her heart chose to hold before her gaze. Certainly, had it not been that such excellence of the photographer's craft could only have been attained by careful posing, one might have said that he had taken an unfair advantage and had permitted his lens to spy upon a lovely lady in the secrecy of her boudoir, who, as sole companions were emotions which must remain locked in her beautiful breast.

She had told Paul when she gave him the picture, and the same ghost of pathos had flickered into her eyes and the droop of her lips, that the flower was one from a box of his giving, and that she had been thinking of him when the camera flicked, forgetting for a moment the pose she had meant to assume. Often, she whispered, she sat like that thinking of him.

So Paul kept flowers on each side of the frame, and made of it a sort of shrine.

And yet, sometimes, when he had said good-bye to her after a luncheon or tea together, he would turn his car southward and find himself driving down the avenue to Washington square and the old house on the south side, to invite Marcia Terroll for a spin beside him. And sometimes he would call her on the telephone and they would meet for a walk.

To himself alone, he confessed his love for Loraine, for a specter of timidity rose often and marred their meetings. How was it to end? He could no more escape the realization of the husband's existence and possible ire than can the quail in the open grain-field forget the shadow of a soaring hawk. And Paul was not the most daring cock quail in the stubble. He saw shadows of proprietary wings where the sky held only wisps of fleecy cloud.

(To be continued.)

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Here is an Actual Conversation in Flanders.—Glasgow Chaplain (to Territorial with a marked local accent)—"I think, my lad, you come from Glasgow?" Territorial—"Aye, sir, true Paisley Road! Do you know my friend, the Rev. Herbert Gray? His church is there." Territorial—"Nay, sir, ye see, I gang tae the White Memorial—Mr. Paiterson's Church, ye ken." The point of this conversation, we are informed, is that "Mr. Paiterson" died some four years ago. But while this may throw doubt upon the regularity of the Territorial's church-going on the other hand the former clergyman may have left such a fragrant and perdurable memory as that which makes people in London still ask their way to "Spurgeon's Tabernacle" and refer to a church near Westminster as "Newman Hall's."

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A NEWSPAPER CABINET.

How Danish Premier Has Made His Colleagues Ministers.

The inclusion of newspaper men or journalists as they are more formally termed, in Governments is no new thing, but the Government of a nation by a Cabinet composed almost entirely of journalists is an innovation. Never before in the world's history has a group of journalists conducted the political governance of a people, though often by their influence they have made and unmade politicians and policies. Denmark is the country with the unique claim to distinction. Its Government, which seems at last somewhat discredited by a Parliamentary defeat in the Landthing, or Upper Chamber, is practically the political staff of the great Copenhagen newspaper, the Politiken. The story of the rise of the editors of this paper to the chief positions in the gift of the Danish people is most interesting. The very composition of the Government is an assurance that the Danish Cabinet is strongly pro-Ally, and would be on general principle, quite apart from dynastic or racial reasons or memories of Schleswig-Holstein.

The Danish Premier, Zahle, is the son of a shoemaker, and worked up to the highest office in the State at the early age of 43. He was born and educated at Roskilde, and took his degree in law in 1890. Instead of taking up law, however, he took up journalism, and became the editor of the Aarhus Amtstidende. In Aarhus, the second town in Denmark, Zahle began that intimate connection between journalism and politics that is so common in Scandinavian countries. In 1891 he joined the Politiken as an associate contributor, and began relations with Edward Brandes, co-editor of the paper. Four years later Zahle was elected to the Folkthing, or popular chamber, and quickly made his mark in budget and other discussions. At that time the old King of Denmark was fighting his last fight against the oncoming tide of democratic sentiment, and Zahle found a most popular place in the people's esteem as the champion of Radical ideas. In 1901 the struggle ended with the capitulation of the king, and with the incoming of the Deuzer Liberal Ministry he was made a member of the Finance Commission. In 1909 Zahle became Prime Minister, but his Cabinet did not last long, and it was not until 1913, when the Radicals and Socialists swept the country, that he again assumed office.

There is nothing out of the ordinary about the elevation of an editor to a Prime Ministership, but when Zahle began to select his Cabinet he adopted peculiar methods. He believed his policies and the good of the country would be best served by co-workers on the Politiken. That important organ of European opinion, by the way, was the leading force in the creation of Danish democracy. It had extraordinary influence. It had a sting and a thrust. It had the best contributors in Denmark, and, indeed, in the whole of Scandinavia. George Brandes favored it often with reviews. Its political staff dominated Danish politics. When in 1913 the Socialists declined office, it was regarded as quite natural that Zahle should seek the sanctums of the Politiken for his Cabinet material. From them he drew Edward Brandes, who is his Minister of Finance; Scavenius, his Foreign Minister; Ove Rode, his Minister of the Interior, and present editor of the Politiken; Munch and other lesser members. The leading members form as striking a group of writers as ever faced each other across a Cabinet Council table.

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By Anabel Worthington.

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The back of the coat is distinctive, differing from the front in being in two sections; the skirt part joins the body at about hip depth. The front is in the straight line effect, joined to side front sections in an attractive manner. Any girl will be delighted with the deep flare collar, which expresses pronounced style note; it is no only new but very becoming. The back view of it shows that it belongs to the "cape" family. The sleeve has a novel cuff developed in contrasting goods to match the collar.

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OUR DAILY SHORT STORY

The Old Speckled Hen

By M. QUAD

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The Thompsons and the Browns, farmers, had been neighbors for ten years, when in the same year Abel Thompson was left a widower and Aunt Martha Brown a widow. Plenty of people said it would be only natural for the two to marry after a year or so, but what the principals in the case thought of it did not come out for over two years. The farmer and the widow saw each other every day during this time. She continued to run her farm by the help of a hired man, but he was more or less interested. They sat together of evenings and talked of everything but what other people were talking about.

It was one evening in winter after the farmer had imbibed a quart of cider and eaten three or four apples and realized the loneliness of his own home that he hitched around on his chair for awhile and then said:

"Widder, there was a windmill man along today. He wants to put up a mill for me in the spring."

"Was, windmill men come along about once in so often," she replied.

"He 'pears to have a purty good mill."

"Yes?"

"And the price is purty reasonable."

"Yes?"

"We wasn't talkin' about windmills all the time," continued Abel, as he motioned for another glass of cider. "We was talkin' about other things."

"They are great folks to gab. I've known 'em to hang around all day and do nothin' but talk."

"That windmill man said folks was wonderin' why I didn't git married agin."

"Well, why don't you go and git married then?"

"Gosh hang it, I will. That's what I come over here this evenin' for. Aunt Martha, we have known each other a long time. I know you are a mighty good woman, and you know I'm a purty good man. Our farms jine, and I can run two farms as well as one. You must be lonesome too. If we jine forces then neither of us need have any more lonesomeness."

"Abel, stop right there," said the widow kindly but emphatically. "I know you to be a good man, but I hain't in love with you. You haven't teched my heart yet. Until you do I don't want to talk about marriage."

"Well," said the suitor as he rose up to go. "I hain't one to drive a woman into marriage as one drives hogs. I'll keep right on and take your word for it, and if you find you can't love me I'll stay single all the rest of my days. I'm kinder sot on you, you see, and I don't want anybody else."

During the next month things went along as usual and there was no further reference to matrimony. Then Abel was sent for, and as he reached the widow's house she said:

"Abel, my sister over at Tompkinsville is sick and has sent for me. I'm goin' over and may be gone three or four days."

"Well, I'll run things the best I can while you're gone," she replied.

"What I want you to look out for in particular is that old speckled hen. You know I've had her for the last ten years, and I've learned to think a good deal of her. She hain't well 'tall just now, and I hate to go away and leave her. She's got signs of the pip, and if I should come back and find her dead it would almost break my heart. Abel, I want you to be kind to her. I want you to sympathize with her. I want you to doctor and nurse her."

"I'll do it, Aunt Martha. I'll jest put in all my time nursin' her up. I'll be jest as kind to her as I would be to a baby."

"That's good of you. She's only a critter, but when one gits use to a critter he can even love an old speckled hen. She ain't laid an egg for these five years past, but she's got a hold on my affections for the eggs she used to lay. Why, she's laid over a hundred with double yolks, and one time she sit and licked a chicken hawk."

"You go right on, widder, and leave it all to me," said the farmer. "I'll do jest as much for that old hen as I would for a brother. I hain't set up a night for the last twenty years, but if she's taken bad I shan't close my eyes till you git back."

The widow departed and half an hour later Abel was carrying the old hen home under his arm. The three days went past, and the widow returned. She had only entered her house when the farmer appeared with the hen in a basket. He had her wrapped in red woolen cloths. She smelled of camphor and various liniments. Her toes had been trimmed and greased, and he had applied salve to her comb. With proud deliberateness he removed wrap after wrap and finally reached the last end and set the hen down on the floor with

"There she is, Aunt Martha, and just as good as she was five years ago. I've worked over her for three days, and I'm tellin' you there hain't a hen in the hull county can come up to her."

"How splendid of you Abel—how splendid!" gasped the widow, and as if to corroborate her words the hen raised her head, swelled out her breast and tried to cackle.

"See that—hear that, widder?" asked Abel.

"Yes, I do, and, oh, Abel"—

"Is your heart teched, widder?"

"It is, and—and"—

"And you'll be mine?"

That was in March, and they were married in May, and the old speckled hen was alive at last accounts and making efforts to return to her duty.

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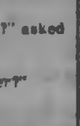

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PRONOUNCING ENGLISH.

Going Astray on the Correct Use of "u" and "ew" Sounds.

A curious feature of the English language as it is spoken in this part of the United States is the prevalence of a dual system of pronunciation. The dictionaries tell us unequivocally that we should pronounce "dew," "knew" and "stew" as we do "few," and that "student," "stupid" and similar words should be enunciated as if they were spelled "stiudent" and "stiupid."

Nobody, apparently, disputes the correctness of this manner of pronouncing "u" and "ew"—yet here is a rule very much more honored in the breach than in the observance. Except for stage folks, the faculties and some of the students of schools and colleges and a few persons who make a point of precise speaking, the academic sound of "u" is disregarded almost universally.

It is by no means through ignorance that people say "stew" and "stoopid." There are worthy persons who seem to feel that a good American really ought to say "stoo" and "stoopid." They think, apparently, that the orthodox "u" and "ew" are Anglicisms and are used in this country only by persons pedantic or "affected."

Of course, for all practical purposes one way of pronouncing is as good as another and usage has made both forms correct. Nevertheless, the right use of "u" and "ew" adds music and euphony to the English language, and the younger generation might do well to pronounce according to the dictionary and gradually overcome an "Americanism" that has no real good excuse for being.—Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

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The "Foreign Devil" Used a College Yell as a Battle Cry.

On board a launch on which I was sailing up the Yangtze river were about thirty Chinese soldiers of such a ragamuffin appearance as to excite my suspicions, but fortunately without their rifles. As evening of the first day came on they crowded around the small deck house and demanded of the native agent to know what the "foreign devil" was doing here. Now, I had been cleaning and oiling the various parts of my sample machine gun during the day.

Before nightfall I drew the blinds of the deckhouse and, quickly assembling the gun, slipped in a loaded belt. I now told the agent, who was white with fear, to tell these fellows that this "foreign devil" "belong crazy" and also "hun lehi" (very fierce) and as a sort of warning to "keep off the grass" I opened the door and let off a string of about fifty shots into the air, at the same time giving the Yale college yell, which was the handiest warcry I could think of at the moment.

Whether it was the information imparted by the agent, Chen, the shots or the Yale cheer I cannot say, but all hands crowded to the other end of the launch and remained at a respectful distance until Nanchang was reached, to the great amusement of the Chinese captain and engineer, who, however, had decreed it good policy to allow the passengers to settle their own disputes without interference. This incident is pleasant to remember, but at the time I was badly scared.—From "Drumming Revolutionary China," by Bartlett G. Yang, in World's Work.

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ECCENTRIC DE QUINCEY.

He Often Greeted Visitors While Half Dressed and Bare Footed.

De Quincey's habits were so simple as to be almost ascetic, and he subsisted upon the lightest possible diet. His digestive trouble and neuralgic suffering, which first led to his taking opium, caused him early to lose his teeth, and from the extreme delicacy of his system he could eat nothing less capable of mastication than bread, so that article with a little soup or coffee was apt to comprise his whole dinner.

In reference to his manner of dress his daughter has said:

"His dress, unfortunately, he neither cared for himself, nor would he let others care for it. I say unfortunately, because his carelessness gave rise among punctilious people, unaccustomed to eccentric habits, to an impression of poverty for which there was no foundation. It might be that a thought occurred to him in the midst of some of his singular processes of dressing or undressing (I should say some thought that generally writes him at that time), and he would stop with his coat just taken off, or not put on, without stockings at all, or with one off and one on, and becoming lost in what grew out of this thought, he would work for hours, hardly even noticing the coffee which was his chief support at such times.

"In the midst of this absorbing work would arrive visitors, of whom there were many, probably from such a distance that they could not be turned back without sight of the object of their long pilgrimage, upon which my father, with the unaffected courtesy which was one of the great charms of his character, would appear at once rather than keep them waiting while he put on his stocking, or whatever may be wanting or which was just handy in the wrong place, giving rise to awful impressions of poverty with some, while those who could withdraw their unaccustomed eyes from the nakedness of the land, as expounded by his feet, might have seen in his commanding signs of scrupulous neatness, sufficient comfort and refinement enough to reassure them on this point.

"His principle at home was the choice for a kernel of beauty, among other things, borrowed Indian and dressing all women were sure of the largest share of the sympathy he reserved for some." — From Caroline Ticknor's "Hawthorne and His Publisher."

Off Guard.

"Your honor," declared the policeman, "I heard an awful yellin' back in the wagon yard, and when I got there this man was beating his wife. They had just drove in from Grant park."

Judge Broyles turned sharply on the prisoner, a tall, gaunt man, with clay colored complexion.

"Is this true? Were you beating your wife, sir?" the judge demanded.

"Yes, yer honor."

"How did you come to it?"

"I don't know, judge. For twenty years she allus was th' one what did th' beatin', but I jes' happened to catch her when she wasn't feelin' right."—Case and Comment.

ARMY POST HAZING

A Very Raw Recruit Who Got a Very Warm Reception.

HIS CLASH WITH "OLD BULL."

After the Quite Informal Introduction to the Colonel Was Effected the Tables Turned and "Corporal Suds" Got a Dose of His Own Medicine.

General E. V. Sumner, who was long colonel in command of the "Fighting Seventh" cavalry, was known to the rank and file of his regiment as "Old Bull." His gruff manners may have had something to do with the nickname, but it came to him fairly by inheritance. His father, General Sumner, bore it before him.

When the Seventh was stationed at Fort Grant, Arizona, a very raw recruit was sent on from Kansas City. As usual, the men pestered him from the start. He returned meekly from the ordnance stores with the information that "left handed rainrods" were all gone; without batting an eyelash he reported that the sergeant in charge of the post exchange swore at him when he applied for his "better checks." They took his last two bits away from him in the careless, incomprehensible game. After supper he was "blanket tossed" until the arms of the tossers grew weary, and those times that night his bunk collapsed amid roars of merriment. The recruit then gave up the struggle and lay shivering upon the floor until morning.

He neither murmured nor complained. In fact, he seemed to be so unsophisticated that when he asked his room corporal where he could have some washing done the corporal, with a jerk of his thumb, indicated the commanding officer's house on the center of the parade. "Go over to that big house," the corporal directed. "Take your bundle with you and ask for Old Bull. He takes in all the washin' at this post."

Grasping his little bundle, the green lad from Kansas City shambled across the parade, mounted the colonel's front stoop and innocently pulled the door-bell. The joke was an old one, as Old Bull had never been known to answer the bell in person, and more than one recruit had learned the way to "Soapsuds row" after a tongue lashing from the commandant's dusky maid of all work. And as she had threatened to scald the next man who bothered her about his washing the lip was poised along from troop to troop, and the men crammed out on the verandas to see the fun.

But just as the recruit pulled the bell who should step out but Old Bull himself, booted and spurred for his morning ride.

"What do you want here?" he thundered, surprised to see an enlisted man at his front door.

"I—I—I wanted to see about gettin' these sh-shirts and socks done up, s-mister," stammered the frightened recruit. "They told me to come over here and ask for Old Bull," he added.

"Well, I'm Old Bull!" roared the colonel. "You come along with me and point out the man that sent you over here," he went on as he grasped the astonished youth and hurried him toward the troop quarters.

The crowds upon the verandas melted away as Colonel Sumner approached, but the guilty corporal was found lurking in the troop barber shop. Some heated language ensued, and then at the end of the painful interview Old Bull delivered himself thus:

"Corporal, I ought to have you court martialed. I would have your stripes taken away if—see that youngster about thirty days into the bargain or I could have you tried. But you've been one of my best bouncers. You're always sober and a good shot, and so I'm not going to take your chevrons, your liberty or your money away from you. But since you're such an expert on laundry matters I order you to do this man's washing on the front porch of these quarters every Monday morning at guard mount.

"And you," he hollowed, turning to the recruit and shaking his gauntlets at him, "you see that you save at least two suits of underclothes and seven pairs of socks for him every week. And if he don't wash 'em clean you report to Old Bull, that's me!"

And thereafter for several months until a band of Ponto Basin Apaches went on a rampage and gave them more serious things to think about, the men of the Seventh looked forward happily to Monday morning guard mount. The noncommissioned laundryman became known as "Corporal Suds" and was tested about the affair until the day a piece of Spanish shrapnel cut short his existence.—Youth's Companion.

Conclusive.

"The people who say that women are inconsistent and inconsiderate," declares the philosopher of Folly, "are dead wrong. A few years ago a girl told me she was just twenty-two and she sticks to the same figures today."—Cleveland Leader.

A Stock Question.

"At what point in life should a man's income be largest?"

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These fogs are sometimes of such a density that the pedestrian can see but a few feet ahead of him. Something over a hundred years ago, it is said, the attacks of thieves and highwaymen in the British capital upon bank messengers and tradesmen going through the streets to settle their bills became so frequent in times of heavy fog as seriously to interfere with the conduct of London's business.

It was easy for the thief to ambush his victim, club him into insensibility, rob him and then disappear into the murky atmosphere, with little likelihood of apprehension or identification or that passersby would witness the commission of the crime or be of any assistance in the chase.

In these circumstances bankers, tradesmen and others set their wits to working, with the result that the bank check was devised for the payment of debts. Soon the highwaymen found that a few pieces of paper were all the booty they were likely to get from a "holdup" of even a wealthy tradesman. Accordingly the activities of the daylight robbers soon came to an end, but the convenience of the bank check proved so great that it survived not only in London, but was adopted throughout the civilized world.—Washington Star.

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BOTH SIGNED THE NOTE.

A Financial Formality That Puzzled Both Clay and Webster.

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"All right," said the studious and thoughtful Webster. "I'll do so, Clay, if you'll make it $1,000 and give me half." Clay agreed to the compact, and the two set out for Banker Riggs, signed the note with due solemnity and secured the proceeds. As they swung across the threshold out again on the avenue and divided the money Webster in his ponderous voice remarked to Clay, "Henry, why do you suppose Mr. Riggs wanted our names on that note?"

"It baffles me, Daniel," responded Clay. "Perhaps he desired some memento to hand down to posterity, for I cannot at this moment conceive how it is going to be paid for the present generation."

The canceled note is today a valued souvenir, worth many times its face, because of the illustrious signers.—Joe Mitchell Chapple in National Magazine.

Twain's Rate.

Mark Twain went to just one automobile show in his life. He went with a Detroit friend. After he had been shown the cars and other sights the friend said: "Come on over here. The greatest salesman in the automobile business is working, and I want you to hear him."

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"Sakes alive," said Twain in his slowest drawl, "if my publishers ever heard me talk as fast as that man does they wouldn't pay me 30 cents a word or even 2 cents. They'd make me produce words about a hundred for a nickel."—Saturday Evening Post.

Scandal.

How is it that the evil which men say spreads so widely and lasts so long, while our good, kind words don't seem somehow to take root and bear blossom? Is it that in the stony hearts of mankind these pretty flowers can't find a place to grow? Certain it is that scandal is good brisk talk, whereas praise of one's neighbor is by no means lively hearing. An acquaintance grilled, seared, devilled and soused with mustard and cayenne pepper excites the appetite, whereas a slice of cold friend with currant jelly is but a sickly, unrelishing meat.—Thackeray.

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R. B. BENNETT,
Director General.

Ottawa, 15th December, 1916.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

NATIONAL SERVICE WEEK : 1st to 7th JANUARY.

Lloyd George Is Working Hard

London. — David Lloyd George may be more imaginative than practical, as alleged by his critics, but he is showing the hardest kind of horse sense in dealing with the big problems which he has suddenly taken upon his shoulders. He is walking with steady step, along a way strewn with difficulties, to his goal. Unless he should encounter some unexpected obstacle, the meeting of parliament next week will find him ready to take up the task of government.

Among the surprises of the Ministerial crisis to a newcomer is the extent to which England is honeycombed with political partisanship. One would think that nearly two years of a war for existence would have loosed the binding quality of party ties, but they seem to be as strong as ever.

Partisanship and intense rivalry between newspaper camps have constituted the chief obstacles to Lloyd George's creation of a new Ministry, but as a strenuous hustler neither the Kaiser nor Roosevelt has "anything on" the new Prime Minister, and he has this quality not possessed by either—he is bland and amiable.

The Asquith press at first acknowledged Lloyd George's abilities though hinting at ingratitude and treachery; then with crocodile sorrowfulness, they found for him an insuperable difficulty—labour support. As indicated in a previous dispatch this was the last trump in the Asquith hand. Well, the new Premier went right up to the labour lion, patted him on the head and apparently has tamed him.

It is amusing to see the Asquith papers metaphorically swallowing their Adam's apples at this exhibition of David's prowess. The same quality of partisanship obtains among all the party hangers-on. These people remind one of a certain breed of politicians at home, whose spellbinders pronounce the word as if spelled "partee," putting the accent on the last syllable.

It is difficult to believe that with Greece and Roumania as they are, there can exist so much pettiness.

PARTISANSHIP DISGUSTS THE PUBLIC.

The success of Lloyd George in organising a Ministry and carrying on the government, if as complete as is now indicated, may lead to a reforming of old party lines and bringing into being a new party with a vigorous war policy as the cornerstone policy. The partisanship which prevails in official circles, and the root of which is patronage, is by no means shared by the people at large. A wave of disgust at the press and political backerings is sweeping over the nation. The general public believes that the new Premier is a winner and want to get behind him.

"Thorough" has been made into a word with fighting meaning in it and is heard on all lips. It looks as if public opinion might break down the party walls and free Lloyd George's hands so that he can pick his lieutenants with more regard for fitness to prosecute the war than for the party and the faction that they represent.

As a matter of fact, the formation of a new party might come about through the operation of natural causes. The two old parties no longer represent a vital difference of principle. They stand more for difference in caste and for possession of official patronage. The war has attenuated the differences almost to the vanishing point.

Lloyd George disregards party lines and makes his Cabinet from the best material available. The chief of democrats draws his principal support from the Tory party. The social reformer is backed by the classes with vested rights and interests. Out of such conditions there might well be born a party that would rule England, at least till the war was over.

The rumoured retention of A. J. Balfour caused a show of teeth by the Northcliffe press, which wants "ginger" from the top to the bottom and rates Balfour as a back number but the new Government can be sure of general press support.

Rival leaders have been eliminated; only Lloyd George is left. If past criticism has been unreasonable and destructive, as the less powerful press contended, it cannot turn on Lloyd George. There is no one to set up against him. It is neck or nothing now. The Premier is in a position of absolute independence so far as former critics of the Government are concerned; and as for the thick-and-thin Asquith organs, there is no other place for them to go, either.

No matter from what side it is viewed, the new Ministry seems to be placed so as to face and fight to the best advantage, the real enemy, Germany.

AMERICAN FOR IMPORTANT POST.

The choice of Sir Albert Stanley as President of the Board of Trade which has charge of transportation and trade, confirms what Lord Northcliffe told me of the ministers that would appeal to America. Stanley though born in Great Britain, was a naturalised American before coming back to England a few years ago. He is regarded as a great street railway expert.

The appointment of a man American born but naturalized here, to another important post, is under consideration.

The American referred to in this despatch may be Henry W. Thornton who gave up the post of General Superintendent of the Long Island Railway in 1914 to become the General Manager of the Great Eastern Railway of England, which has more than 1300 miles of track and the largest passenger traffic of any railway in the world.

Mr. Thornton was born in Indiana and is now in his 47th year. After being graduated from St. Paul's School, he attended the University of Pennsylvania, where he played football on the eleven. He was graduated in 1894 and entered the employ of the Pennsylvania Railroad as a draughtsman. He rose rapidly in that railroad's service, and on Feb. 1st 1911, became the Assistant General Superintendent of the Long Island Railroad. He was advanced to Superintendent on Nov. 14, 1911.

His selection for the Great Eastern, which was chiefly brought about by Lord Claud Hamilton, was bitterly criticised by the English railway men for a time, but Thornton soon became popular. On August 16, 1914, when the war was less than two weeks old he was appointed a member of the executive committee of general managers which took over all the railroads of England for the Government.

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"Get insured this morning?".
"Yes, sir; bright and early."
"Own the house you occupy?"
"No; wish I did."
"Anybody helping keep the family?"
"Why, no—why do you ask that?"
"Any income besides the store?"
"No, not a dollar—why?"
"Does your wife sleep well?"
"Why yes; but what on earth are you driving at, anyway?"

"I was just thinking how she could sleep, for if your life had been snuffed out instead of your neighbour Jones' yesterday, she would be at her 'string's end,' for I happen to know that you have no life insurance and your income is her living."

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SCHOOL REPORT

AUBURN SCHOOL.

The following is the Christmas report for the Auburn School:

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Junior III — Arthur Profit, Rolfe Tedford, Tom Blackwell.

Senior II — Roy Spence, Phyllis Spence, Fred Bell, Bertha Tedford.

I — Bessie Profit, Irene Delong, Cecil Delong, Olive Tedford and Alice Blackwell) equal.

Senior Primer—Greta Delong, Olive Delong.

Junior Primer—Stuart Tedford.

Not ranked—Michael Hindes, Cicely Spence.

Could Get Them Cheap.

A vicar (very deaf) had been getting some new hymn-books, and he wished to sell them. At the morning service the clerk gave out the following notice: "Those who wish to have their babies christened this afternoon may do so by leaving their names at the vestry." "Yes, said the vicar, "and those who have not got them may have them by applying at the vestry door — first size two-pence, second size fourpence, and those with cloth backs sixpence."

U. S. Prediction Of Submarine War To Limit

On What It Claims is Authoritative Information the New York Herald Declares Germans Will Attempt to Sink Everything and Adds President Wilson Knew This and Also Knows War Would Result.

REPORTS MADE TO PRESIDENT

NEW YORK, December 27.—The New York Herald yesterday published the following:

"The Herald is enabled to announce authoritatively that the German people are demanding of their Government a resumption of the campaign of frightfulness even at the cost of war with the United States.

"James W. Gerard, American Ambassador to Berlin, and other diplomatists in Germany, who were recently in America, came for the purpose of discussing the situation in Germany and of effecting some sort of arrangement so that peace between the two countries could still be maintained, according to a high government official.

"On the personal insistance of the German Emperor himself, aided by the influence of Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German Chancellor, has kept an order from German submarine commanders to sink every ship approaching a British port, whether armed or unarmed, whether enemy or neutral.

"In a recent conference with American diplomatists in German stations, the President was told that even the Conservative party in Germany favoured a resumption of the submarine campaign, and not even the Kaiser and the Chancellor would be able to hold in leash the dogs of war beyond the spring. It was this information which caused the President to send out his recent note on the subject of peace which has so puzzled the students of international politics over the world. It was this information which must have been in the mind of Mr. Lansing, the Secretary of State, when he said the United States was 'on the verge of war.'

WOULD STARVE ENGLAND.

"The President has reports to this effect from members of the diplomatic corps in Germany:

"The German people believe if their submarines are permitted free rein, England can be starved.

"They believe that if the submarines are permitted to do so, they can sink every vessel laden with munitions of war to be used against the Fatherland.

"Therefore they demand that Admiral von Tirpitz and his element shall have their way and sink every vessel that approaches a British port."

The official who gave this information to the Herald made further explanations;

"The German people reason that one or more nations against them will make but a slight difference," he said. "They know that not for years could an enemy invade German soil. Therefore they say why not starve England as one of the measure to end the war. They are demanding to know of their government why it permits the United States to ship munitions and to say that such vessels must not be sunk.

"The Chancellar and even the Kaiser has told the people that Germany must keep the friendship of the United States, so that Germany can come here and borrow money for rehabilitation after the war. The answer of the people has been: 'Why not win the war and let our money for rebuilding come in the form of indemnities from the enemies of Germany.' This question those who are friends abroad are trying to answer, and they are trying it very unsuccessfully.

"Recently I made a trip through Germany. Because of a Government connection I was treated with courtesy, but I could see that Americans were hated. Americans living there told me that America was despised even more than the British in some quarters, and that the Briton is the Teuton's arch enemy. Strange to say, the Germans told me that they liked the French."

President Wilson was informed that unless some radical step was taken, the German people would force war with the United States if he did not declare war on Germany. The President received this information slightly more than a month ago. Those who are intimate with affairs in Washington and in New York city expressed the opinion that it was this situation which caused him to send the note to the belligerents asking them to outline what they were fighting for.

"This Government official expressed the emphatic opinion that, after a trip abroad and an intimate knowledge of the present temper of the German people, the United States and Germany will be in a state of war by spring.

"'For I was told on the highest authority that Germany will start her campaign of frightfulness before the spring drive of the Allies begins, and if the campaign of marine terror is waged there is only one thing America can do, and that is—declare war.'"

WANTS TO FIND IF SOMEBODY MADE MILLIONS BY HAVING, Etc.

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the corridors. It was up to some one to introduce a resolution to find out if there was a leak. If it is true that some one had advance information about these things and used it to profit, the world should know it at once. If it is not true it is proper that all suspicion should be removed.

"My resolution speaks rather plainly for itself, and it says all that should be said at this time. It is not difficult to understand what I am seeking to find out."

The resolution was referred to the Committee on Rules.

Representative Bailey, democrat, of Pennsylvania, offered a resolution of indorsement of the President's note. It went to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and reads:—

"Resolved, That the House of Representatives strongly indorses and approves the action taken by the President in sending diplomatic notes, under date of December 20, to the nations now at war, suggesting and recommending the first steps in possible negotiations to arrange the terms of peace.

"Resolved, That in taking this action the President has rendered an invaluable service to a war stricken world. In asking the belligerent nations to set forth the concessions and assurances which they deem necessary to the establishment of a lasting peace he has afforded them an opportunity which it is fervently hoped they may not disregard. It would be a reflection upon the nations at war to doubt that they know the ends for which they are fighting or to assume that they have any purpose which they are unwilling to reveal.

"Resolved, That a definite statement by both sides, no matter how far these statements may be apart, will clear the air and afford a basis for negotiations; and when negotiations begin, we believe they are not likely to terminate until an agreement is reached, because we believe neither side will consent to assume responsibility for continuing the unspeakable horrors of this conflict if any reasonable terms can be secured.

"Resolved, That we congratulate the President on the stand he has taken and that we extend to him our earnest wishes for the complete and speedy success of the great movement which he has had the honour to inaugurate."

The Republican leader, Mr. Mann, referred to the note on the floor of the House Friday and heartily praised President Wilson's action.

"Without regard to partisanship," he said, "I believe the whole people of the country warmly congratulate and commend the President in every effort he has made or may make to restore peace in the world."

It became known during the day that some members of the Diplomatic Corps are worried over their personal status with their home governments, which they have been informing for weeks that the United States would take no action in the European situation. With the arrival of the German proposals and the announced decision of this government not to add any word of its own, most diplomatists became finally convinced, and so reported to their governments, that no step toward peace would be taken here unless a decided change occurred.

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The Dig Inevitable.

The dourest of dour ministers was one day soundly beaten by an athletic young stranger on the links near Falkirk. Surprised that a "Sassenach" should have the impertinence to beat him on his native heath, but admiring the young man's skill, he asked him to the manse for tea, where he found his guest polished, well read and interesting. Half-past six brought the announcement that the visitor must be off to his work. "And where will ye be working this time of the day?" "The theatre, of course; I act." "Act? An actor? Tag think I hae harboged a son of Satan in the house of God!" Probably the worthy man expected to see a blue flame spring up, for he stepped back, hands uplifted. "Have you ever been to a theatre?" "The Lord forbid!" "Then how can you know anything about it?" The minister paused. "Weel, weel, if ye can act as well as ye can gowf ye canna be sic a bad man. I'm minded to come an' speir at ye. I suppose ye can gie me a free ticket?" — Evening Sun, N.Y.

Why He Was Not Saved.—He was one of those officious foremen, one who tried to make those under his charge realize that he was somebody of importance. But one day he met his match. Stepping up to the shop humorist, he said: "You're a minute late this morning." "I know; but there's a reason for it." "Explain." "When I was coming along to work I heard a man in the river yellin' for help. I ran to him, was pullin' him out, but let him drop in again." "But why didn't you save him?" "Not likely," was the dry answer. "Why?" "Cos he was a foreman."

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PARIS REPORTS CALM ON ALL FRONTS

British Ministers' Confer On The International Situation

New York Papers Say That Germany's Answer to President Wilson Completely Evades the Issue and That the Germans Have Turned the Documents to Their Own Ends---Seven French-Canadians Arrested on Charge of Stealing Nickel and Indirectly Aiding the King's Enemies.

A SUMMARY OF TO-DAY'S WAR CABLES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, December 27.—A ministerial conference on the international situation was held at Premier Lloyd George's official residence, 10 Downing street, to-day. First Lord of the Admiralty Balfour made his first appearance in conference since his recent indisposition.

New York Papers on German Answer

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

NEW YORK, December 27.—Regarding Germany's reply to President Wilson's peace note, local papers say editorially:

The World—Germany's answer to President Wilson's note completely evades the issue.

The Sun—In a polite way the German Government refrains from disclosing to President Wilson its idea of the terms upon which peace might be had.

The Tribune—If there was any doubt in anyone's mind as to who would benefit by Mr. Wilson's peace gesture, it should be abolished now. Coolly, skilfully, completely, the Germans in their response to Mr. Wilson's note, have turned that document to their own ends.

Charged With Theft of Canadian Nickel

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

QUEBEC CITY, December 27.—Seven French-Canadians have been arrested, and others are under suspicion, on charges of stealing several tons of cupro nickel from the Dominion Arsenal and indirectly aiding the King's enemies.

It was scrap nickel from cartridges, remelted and rivets made from it. The stolen nickel was sold to local junk dealers, who resold it to a Montreal firm.

For some time suspicion has existed that enemy agents have been at work getting Canadian nickel in various ways for export through United States ports, possibly by the Deutschland submarine route to Germany. The metal, after being taken from the Government Arsenal scrap piles, was packed in whiskey casts. The unearthing of this plot for the exportation of nickel is leading to vigorous military inquiry.

Calm On All Fronts Says Paris Report

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, December 27.—Calm on all fronts was reported by the War Office statement to-day.

LONDON, December 27.—Commenting on the fact that there are many misunderstandings both in Britain and in America as to President Wilson's intentions in his note, the Westminster Gazette declares to-day:

"We should make our position plain. It is to be hoped that our reply to the American note will be a full, careful, and well reasoned statement."

Munition Plants Are Out of Business

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, December 27. — Many big munition plants and other large industries are idle here as a result of the storm which fractured the wires near Cookville about 4 a.m., plunging the city into darkness. A large part of the city arose by candle light to-day.

The storm last night and this morning was general from Jacksonville, Florida to Northern Ontario. Anxiety is great for shipping along the Atlantic coast.

FORMULATING A REPLY

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, December 27.—Britain and her Allies are now formulating a reply to President Wilson's peace note which will probably clearly outline the objects for which they are fighting, it was learned on the best authority to-day.

OTTAWA, December 27.—At the conclusion of a meeting of the Cabinet this morning a carefully worded letter was prepared and sent by Sir Robert Borden to the executive of the Trade and Labour Congress explaining the aims of the National Service Commission, and constituted the reply to the representations mbade by labour men in connection with the matter.

The contents of the letter have not yet been made public.

It is expected that the Congress may issue an appeal for co-operation with the Commission.

It is understood that labour men have been assured that conscription is not contempated in the proposals of the Commission.

Chas. W. Stenson On Pension Board Staff

Mr. Chas. W. Stenson, formerly a private in the 2nd Battalion, C. E. F., has been appointed to the office staff of the Pension Board, Ottawa, and left last night to assume his position. This appointment was made through the local office of the Soldiers' Aid Commission.

Mr Stenson was to act as a polling clerk on election day, and last night Mr. T. Q. Quartermaine was appointed in his place.

BOWLING

Mr. V. Dawson won a turkey on Saturday, with a score of 627.

A bowling match is arranged for Thursday night between Wholesale Grocers and Retail Grocers.

A. H. Fielder has high score for this week's prize, 616.

The Peterborough bowlers are arranging a game with the Brunswick bowlers, of Toronto, holders of the McCallud trophy. The boys will make a try for it about Jan. 15th.

This cup was won from Montreal last season by Toronto's best five men team.

COUNCIL ENDORSES MOVE TO MOTORIZE FIRE APPARATUS

Ald. Langford's the Only Dissenting Voice and He Felt There Was no Need of Immediate Haste

A PREPAREDNESS MEASURE

The motorization of the Fire Department's rolling stock advanced a step last night when the Council passed the Fire, Water and Light committee's recommendation to apply for legislation to authorize the issuance of debentures for an amount not exceeding $10,000 to pay for such apparatus if the money is not provided from this year's taxes.

Ald. Langford offered the only objection. He was surprised at this particular clause. At the last meeting of the Council it was decided that $8,000 was too much to expend on an experiment. He didn't see any more reason to-day for motor apparatus, and moved an amendment that the clause be struck out.

Mayor Duffus stated that this application was made in order that the city would be in a position to improve the Fire Department. It did not necessarily mean that the money would be raised by debentures, but if that means were chosen the city was prepared.

Ald. Langford—It would be a good policy for us to pay as we go.

A previous clause recommended that Mayor Duffus and the chairman of the committee be empowered to investigate the results from motor driven fire apparatus in other cities

Ald. Saunders suggested that Chief Howard should be added to that sub-committee, but Ald. Stratton replied that there was no need of adding extra expense. The Chief was ready to give any information when required.

Ald. Edgar commenting on the former clause, stated that the motion had to be forwarded not later than Thursday, in order to be in time for listing on the Private Bills committee slate. It would be very unwise to defer action, therefore. Ald. Edgar remarked that he did not know what apparatus the Council would buy, but he hoped that the money would be expended to the best advantage.

Ald. Langford's motion was not seconded and the Fire, Water and Light committee report was passed without any amendations

SHORT COURSE AT THE DE LAVAL DAIRY SUPPLY CO.

About Forty Travellers are Participating in a "Short Study" Course in the Company's Local Plant

RECORDS KEPT

What is known as the "travellers' short course," opened this morning in the plant of the De Laval Dairy Supply Company. About forty travellers, representing the various provinces from as far east as Sidney, Nova Scotia to the eastern boundary of Manitoba, are in attendance. The western territory is taken care of by the company's western branch.

The course, which will last for three days, opened with a shop study, and for the next two days, the men will be subjected to an examination embodying all the manufactured products of the company from separators to all kinds of dairy machinery. The examinations comprise an aggregate of over five hundred questions covering the company's business. Records of the number of questions correctly answered by each man are kept and the men graded accordingly. The course will close on Friday evening with a banquet at the Empress hotel.

These courses are held each year, with the result that each man has an opportunity of familiarizing himself with details of the construction of the particular product which he is deputed to sell. This means better salesmanship and satisfied customers.

The Health Association Reception On Friday

The ladies of the Nurses' Supervision Committee of the Health Association, are making every effort to provide for the comfort and enjoyment of their guests during the afternoon and evening of Friday next, December 29th, at the Empress Hotel. Through the kindness of Mrs. Gliddon the full orchestra of the Conservatory of Music will play during the tea hour, and suitable music has been provided for dancing in the evening. The splendid lobby of the hotel will be at the disposal of visitors during the tea hour, and again in the evening for coffee and music. To all visitors a hearty welcome is extended. Come yourself and pass this invitation on to your friends, as the committee is not sending out invitations other than this press notice. Rev Father Phelan, President, will say a few words both afternoon and evening on the work of the Association.

Tables will be provided for Bridge, Euchre and Five Hundred, and the hostess of each table is asked to provide cards, score cards and pencils for her own table. Prizes will be given for the best score of Bridge, Euchre and Five Hundred. To prevent confusion ushers will see that each lady finds her own table on her arrival. The committee wishes to emphasize the informal nature of the reception. It is not intended in any sense to be a full dress function.

Admission for cards or dancing fifty cents. Visitors afternoon or evening twenty-five cents. All ladies taking tables are asked to communicate as soon as possible with Mrs. Aylmer, 'phone 303.

MEMBERS OF 93rd BAND ATTACHED TO 247th BATTALION

Bandsmen Reported This Morning and Were Briefly Addressed by Lt.-Col. Ackerman--Will Be on Leave Until Next Tuesday---Pte. Ed. Doleman in Hospital in London--To-day's Orders and General Military News

The members of the 93rd band have been taken on the strength of the 247th Battalion, and reported at the armouries this morning. Lt.-Col. Ackerman in addressing them, briefly said that he knew they had a pretty hard time and had been driven about from pillar to post. Now, however, they would be attached to the 247th and would carry on the same duties as they had last winter with the 93rd. He asked them for the same assistance they had given to the 93rd Battalion.

Bandmaster Hughes on behalf of the band ,thanked Lt.-Col. Ackerman for his kindness in providing lunch at Belleville for the band, which was greatly appreciated by the members, and promised loyal support for the new battalion.

The band will be given leave until Tuesday morning next, but will likely play for an hour at the Peterborough Health Association's reception at the Empress Hotel on Friday. Five of the bandsmen who live out of the city will get an opportunity to go home. They are Bandsmen F Walno and E. Keale, Hamilton, H. Loader, Campbellford, W Layfield, Millbrook, and A. Clarke, Pickering. All the other bandsmen reside in the city.

Gunner W. H. Frise, 74th Battery, Kingston, spent Christmas at his home, 498 Romaconr street.

Mrs. T. Doleman, 44 Lafayette avenue, has received word this morning to say that her son, Pte. E Doleman, has been sent to the University College Hospital, London, England, suffering from curvature of the spine, the result of a gun shot wound last spring. The doctor thinks he will have a fairly good chance, but says it will take some time.

TO-DAY'S ORDERS.

Peterborough, Ont., Dec. 26, 1916.

Daily Orders by Lieutenant-Colonel C. H Rckerman, Commanding 247th Battalion, C.E.F.

Orders for Wednesday, December 27, 1916:

1—Parade—

All officers, C.O.'s and men, except those specially employed, will parade in the drill hadd at 9 a.m. and 2 p.m.

2—Duties—

Orderly officer for Wednesday, December 27th—Lt. F. J. Hayes.

Orderly officer for Thursday, December 28th—Lt. A. H. Cameron.

Next for duty—Lt. T. Quinn.

3—District Orders—

The following message received from His Majesty the King:

"I send you, my sailors and soldiers, hearty good wishes for Christmas and the New Year. My grateful thoughts are ever with you for victories gained, for hardships endured, and for your unfailing cheerfulness. Another Xmas has come round and we are still at war, but the Empire confident in you, remains determined to win. God bless and protect you."

GEORGE R. I.

General Henning.

4—Taken on the Strength—

The following bandsmen, having returned from overseas, and reported for duty, are taken on the strength of the 247th Battalion, from December the 26th, 1916:

195160—Bandmaster Hughes.
195176—Band Sergeant R. Naples.
195789—Pte. F. Barnes.
195263—Pte. R. Morris.
195354—Pte. W. T. Dyer.
455510—Pte. P. Grange.
195056—Pte. R. Dyer.
195061—Pte. V. Dallin.
195306—Pte. T. Smith.
195315—Pte. E. Keale.
195110—Pte. J. James.
195498—Pte. F. Wells.
195184—Pte. H. Payton.
195523—Pte. F. Walno.
195485—Pte. T. Blunt
195153—Pte. J. Miller.
195085—Pte. A. Bredman.
195075—Pte. J. French.
455515—Pte. H. Loader.
195526—Pte. A. Clark.
195283—Pte. H Worral.
195191—Pte. W. Layfield.
195056—Pte. E. Foy.
195060—Pte. T. Brooks.
195014—Pte. W. Badley.
195246—Pte. R. Wood.
195168—Pte. H. Miles.
195055—Pte. W. Dyer.

5—Strength—

No. 1063069—Pte. Walter Harold Hall, is attested and taken on the strength from December 26, 1916, and is posted to "A' Co!

No. 1063070—Pte. Frank Holton, is attested and taken on the strength as of December 26, 1916, and posted to "A" Co.

R. B BROOKS,
Lieutenant and Acting Adjutant, 247th Battalion, C.E.F.

Police Constable Art. Blade has received an interesting letter from Pte. Geo Cookman, formerly of the local police force, who went overseas with the 93rd Battalion, and is now at the front with the 4th Canadian Battalion Pte Cookman says:

Once again I have the pleasure of writing a few lines to you. I am at present getting a clean up, and getting rid of all the company who get in the trenches. I had the luck to meet Ringer, Clarkson and Charman to-day in my travels. We were at headquarters having a bit of a rub up on different things, too numerous to mention, and that is where we had a shake of the paw together. They are in a different battalion, but the same brigade, so we are not apt to meet often. If we do it is only by chance.

I am doing a bit on the machine gun again, the same old job as before, but I don't know how long it is for.

I believe Henry Smith has given his life for the country. I guess you remember him alsl right. He was game enough to do his bit. I guess a lot of us will cash in our checks over here if this great game continues very long, for I guess we are in for some rough times. Now we are in the game, we will have to see it through, or it will see us through, one of the two. It is a great pleasure to have a few days' rest. We have the opportunity of sleeping on a blanket, but the last sixteen days or more we got down any place, mud

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A NEW YEAR APPEAL TO WOMEN OF PETERBORO'

PTE. E. DOLEMAN, Peterborough soldier, who has been sent to the University College Hospital, London, suffering from curvature of the spine.

Big Six Weeks' Sewing Campaign to Be Inaugurated by Peterborough Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society and Every Woman is Urged to Help.

THE NEED IS GREAT

The following letter has been received by the local branch of the Red Cross Society from the head office in Toronto

Dear Sir or Madam:

The following report from our Assistant Commissioner, Major Harry Blaylock, is of so much interest and importance that the executive has decided that copies of it should be be sent to each Provincial and District Branch

I should like to call your attention specially to the use made of socks in the Red Cross, and also to the nature of supplies which Major Blaylock has ascertained from the French Societies are most necessary in their hospitals. You will see that these are entirely along the lines of bedding and warm garments and not of bandages and dressing.

It has been unfortunately found necessary for us to reduce our gift of five thousand cases a month to France owing to the diminution of stores in reserve in our warehouses. It is impossible for us to allow our supplies to be entirely distributed as we are bound to have a reserve for the use of the Canadian corps in times of emergency, as the Canadian hospitals are the first charge on our supplies.

We trust that you will give the widest possible publicity to this report, and that it will increase the output of the necessary articles.

Adelaide M. Plumptre.

Acting on the advice of our headquarters and in view of the extremely urgent need, as disclosed by the last report of the Commissioner, of almost all kinds of garments, the executive of the local branch of the society has decided to reopen the workroom at the Public Library (formerly used for the making of surgical dressings) on Wednesday next, the 3rd of January, at 2 o'clock prompt.

This is an endeavor to largely increase the shipments now being sent from Peterborough

It is unfortunately too true that the number of those attending and working at the various societies and auxiliaries on supplies for the men who are so splendidly upholding the honor of the British Empire, has decreased.

It is not that we care less for those fighting for us or enduring pain and suffering because they have fought. We are all anxious that neither fighting or disabled men should lack for anything that we can give them.

The reason for the "slackness" is that we have become used not to the war itself, but to the thought that our Empire is in the throes of the most titantic and inhuman struggle known to history. The first feeling of shock and horror caused to us by the terrible casualty lists in the early days of the war, has succumbed to a feeling of sickly numbness and strange wonder as to what the uprooting and attempted overthrowing of all that is best in our civilization really means, and some of us have allowed our early enthusiasm to lose something of its fervour and are in danger of leaving "our bit" to be done by our neighbours.

Never in the history of the world have women had such an opportunity to prove their worth, to show their capability to think and act, as Lord Roseberry once put it, "imperially." Not only to do their duty as wives, mothers and in the home, but also to see as true and logical daughters of the Empire, to build, uphold and sacrifice themselves for those principles which exalt a nation and without which we as a people were better dead.

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REGISTRATION WILL BE DISCUSSED AT MEETING TO-NIGHT

R. B. Bennett's Appeal to Council, Will be Considered at Conference in Patriotic Fund Office.

TO DECIDE ON METHOD

A meeting will be held this evening in the office of the Patriotic Fund for the purpose of discussing the most effective means by which Peterborough may cooperate in the work of registration during National Service week, which opens on New Year's Day. Mayor Duffus stated that he had interviewed Postmaster Edgar, who stated that the Post Office would render whatever assistance it could. The Director General of the National Board of Service, R. B. Bennett, has written the Council requesting them to take the lead in arranging for local registration. At the Council meeting there was only a brief discussion of this problem since it was felt that the details would be determined at to-night's meeting. It was suggested that a committee might be appointed in each ward of citizens who would visit each house and have the registration cards filled out. It was regarded as impracticable to have the postmen take up this work in conjunction with their regular delivery of mail.

SKATING IS POPULAR AGAIN THIS SEASON

The Brock St. Rink is Well Patronized This Year—Bands Every Skating Night

The crowd at the Brock street rink on Christmas day skated a hole in the ice at night. The cold wave yesterday made ice fast and there was an excellent sheet for last night. To-night there will be a band and good ice. There will be a hockey match to-morrow night and as the schedules will be commencing early take advantage of all the good ice available.

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WHEN IN DOUBT

About your Eyes call and see Dr Lacey. Bring him your broken lenses to duplicate. This can be done without your prescription. Also have him repair your broken mounts. 510 George street.

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PATRIOTIC FUND.

The Patriotic Fund should not be allowed to show the bad example of getting into debt, and it appears to be only thoughtlessness that has resulted in the necessity of making large overdrafts to enable the work to be carried on. It seems that there are some subscribers who are in arrears of payment; and it is desirable that this matter should be attended to as promptly as possible. It may be that in a few cases exceptional circumstances have led to a slight slowness in paying up subscription instalments, but, as a general thing, the city was never more prosperous than this year, never more money in circulation. The payment of these overdue instalments is a sacred duty, and it is hoped that prompt payment as possible of delayed instalments will be made. It is not much of a sacrifice, comparatively, some of us are asked to make for those who have made such great sacrifices for us. The custodians of the Patriotic Fund make earnest appeal to meet the present emergency by meeting an obligation voluntarily incurred.

A GOOD CHRISTMAS.

A good Christmas, as if Christmas could be anything else than good: impossible, not in the spiritual way; but in other ways, yes. This Christmas and this Christmas season have been good—ideal in the matter of clear, snowy, crisp, bright weather, an air like the sparkle of bubbling wine. In regard to the season on the lowest count—profit—it has been also an ideal Christmas season. Our merchants have never had a more prosperous business season. Trade has been exceptionally active; a good thing not only for the merchant, but in two or three other ways. The brisk trade means that we have plenty of money in circulation, and that means that the season has been made brighter for many; for more Christmas reminders of good will, more pledges of love and friendship have been distributed, contributing to a wider area of happiness and gratitude. The abundance of money that is evident, has been another good thing. In spite of prohibition, which many predicted meant business ruin, we have almost rampant prosperity, and with that the increased amount of money available for exploitation, has been spent, not in drink and carousal, as was the case a year ago, and other years, but in shoes and stockings for the children, or in something to fill the stockings in hundreds of cases where there were before no stockings for little feet. On all counts, we have had a Merry Christmas, and under conditions that permit us to look forward with confidence to what everybody wishes everybody else, a Happy New Year.

CAN'T SERVE TWO MASTERS.

Hon. G. W. Hanna, who has for eleven years been Provincial Secretary, has resigned his portfolio. He is the last of the old guard of the Whitney Cabinet, except Dr. Pyne; and his retirement does not indicate the cabinet is like wine, gaining new strength and quality by age. Hon. Mr. Hanna was a capable man if he had placed his recognized abilities, had regarded the interests of the province their first interests. The meaning of this is partly explained by the intended eulogy of a Conservative journal, the Ottawa Journal. It says:

"He (Mr. Hanna) is a good public servant captured by demands of private capital, which is always willing to pay ten times as much for a first-class man as the public is."

In this view, Hon. Mr. Hanna's retirement is not only natural but a credit to him, and a good to the public. It is well known that the late Minister was closely associated professionally with a branch of the Standard Oil octopus, even before he took office; and the professional relation was still retained after he held office. In 1904, Mr. Hanna led the opposition to government assistance represented by a million dollar loan, to the "800" industries, that put them on their feet, and but for which they would not have been the splendid item in our national equipment they are today. At that time it was held that Mr. Hanna was acting more as counsel for the Standard Oil interests, which resented the rivalry represented by the 800 industries. No doubt he has found that being a combination Minister, responsible for administration of the public interests, in the public interests, was incompatible with being a legal right hand for an enormous organization that holds the welfare of the public lightly when it might conflict with its money making. There are, however, other cabinet ministers in Ontario and Canada not quite free from the charge that interested relations to a foreign corporation, say, the International Nickel Company, accounts for an attitude that minimises the perils that come to Canada and the Empire through Canadian nickel finding its way to the enemy. Cabinet ministers, even parliamentary representatives, cannot, more than any other men, serve two masters, with diametrically opposite interests to be promoted. Even a government, kept alive—in power—by the support of a party opposed to what is the government's first duty, helping Britain in her wars—the Nationalists — cannot be relieved of the charge of serving two masters, and with the inevitable result

SELF CONTAINED.

Mr. E. S. Montague, Minister of Munitions for the British government, stated in a recent address, that there were employed directly in the Mother Country, in the production of munitions, one million eight hundred and fifty thousand men, and four hundred thousand women. Referring to production possibilities, he hoped that after the war Britain would make it impossible ever again to be dependent upon foreigners for supplies of materials that lay undeveloped within the Empire.

This is in line with the policy the Examiner has advocated, that all our Canadian national resources — all our raw materials, should be manufactured into the virtually finished form within the country, and that nothing possibly avoidable should be exported in a raw state. This is mentioned in connection with the hope of the British Minister of Munitions not to show the parallelism of the trend of great minds, but to emphasize a self-evidently proper policy. We ship nickel in a raw state to a foreign country, and not only miss realising the fullest value and the immense profit value of refinement at home, but make it easy for our nickel to find its way into the enemy's hands, instead of keeping it under our own control.

We allow pulp and pulp wood to go out of the country, when we should keep both at home or only allow the export in the form of paper—under the conditions that even in that form all export should be subject to ample and liberal provision for Canadian home needs.

We permit the export of developed electric energy, when we sadly need it at home to keep up our total of munitions, and for other industries that could be developed. We ship wheat, and other grains, in the raw, when we should promote the employment of capital and labour in the milling industry. We have, if we conserve them—for our own use—abundance of water powers and can conduct an extensive milling industry, that would mean planting big milling industries all over the country. What this would mean would be better understood by Peterborough people when we see, or have seen with our own eyes, what a single plant like the Quaker Oats Company's, means for Peterborough. What they produce, what they do in the way of giving employment and keeping money in the city to be spent in the city, we can see for ourselves. These mills only work up a petty fraction of the oats and wheat we grow. If all we grow, or the bulk of it, were manufactured at home, its value would be immensely added to—millions would be added in the shape of money earned at home—and spent at home—in the shape of wages, and the incidental industrial occupations made co-operative. Besides, the keeping at home for stock feeding purposes of all the offal of food value, would help another great industry.

If we can't get to so desirable conditions at once we can adopt its attainment as a national policy to be worked up to realisation. If that were adopted in Canada and carried to logical conclusions; if such a policy were adopted and applied in all the dependencies of the Empire it would not be long before we should realise the hope of the British Minister of Munitions that Britain would not have to go outside the Empire for the materials she needs in every department of her multiplex industrial and other national activities. Then not only Canada, but the whole Empire, would, while feeding the world with profitably manufactured products, be self-contained from axis to periphery.

AIMS OF BELLIGERENTS RIGHTEOUSLY OPPOSITE

Object of One the Rescue of Humanity---of the Other the Ruin of Humanity

The Dean of Westminster, the Rt. Rev. Herbert Edward Ryle, preaching in the Abbey on Christmas Day said:

"It is our resolve, God helping us, to overthrow military brigandage in Europe, to rescue the liberties and homes of the desolated countries, to obtain for these people reparation for their wrongs, and for humanity lasting securities against a recurrence of aggressive violence and crime.

"It is true that the President of the United States, after two years of study on the question and innumerable notes, seems to believe that the object of the two groups of belligerents is the same. He knows that Germany refused arbitration, declined a conference and rejected every overture to prevent war. He knows that his own countrymen have poured money like water to assist the destitute and outraged remnants of the little Belgian people, whose treaty rights were violated and whose frontiers were invaded before war was declared. He knows of the infractions of The Hague conventions, which the American people have studiously promoted.

"He knows all the details of the organized atrocities reported upon in strict inquiries. He knows of the sinking of unarmed passenger ships, like the Lusitania and Arabia, without notice or warning. He knows of the murder of Capt. Fryatt, of the nocturnal deportations of Belgians and French into slavery. He knows of German connivance at Armenia massacres. And yet he is of the opinion that the nations who are learned to disarm this evil demoniac of national militarism have the same aim in view as the perpetrators of these crimes.

"President Wilson has either in a fit of mental aberration sent the wrong note, or he has entirely misapprehended the European situation.

"These things are black and vile. The very thought of them on Christmas Day makes one shudder. Does anyone suppose that peace would be honourable which regarded the assailants and the defenders of humanity as having in view the same ends? What kind of unity of aim do you expect between wolves and sheep dogs over the fleeces of torn lambs?

"Peace on the basis of such a hypothesis would be only an armistice giving an exhausted foe a much-needed interval for recuperation before renewing his insatiable passion for the hegemony of the world and the destruction of his rivals with a savage war."

INVENTION STIMULATED.

Improvements and Modifications of Artificial Limbs Help Solve One Phase of the Question.

The future of the war cripple already has become a matter of great concern to the authorities of all the European belligerents. The intricacies of the problem and its many aspects are dealt with by the editor of The Lancet of London, who holds the view that in England the ultimate result in providing for these cripples depends in a large measure on the energy and wise administration of the Local Statutory Committees provided for under the War Pensions act.

"The problem of converting the fighting man who has been crippled in this war by sea or by land into a useful citizen again is one of appalling magnitude," says The Lancet. "It is not merely the numbers to be dealt with which constitute the difficulty, but the many-sided nature of the problem, which cannot be effectively dealt with unless the several aspects are adequately studied. To do this without omission and without overlapping in a task which may well claim continuous attention from highly trained intellects.

"To us the difficulties appear to group themselves under three heads—administrative, material, and personal. With the first we are not, as medical men, very intimately engaged. But here one difficulty is both medical and crucial, and concerns the point at which the cripple shall pass from the military organization into the civilian. So long as he remains in the service he is the object of care of the hospital, the convalescent home, or the command depot. As soon as a medical board has decided that he is no longer physically fit for war service, the cripple becomes a civilian entitled to a pension, and under the care of the Statutory Committee, who pays him the pension.

"At this point the difficulty arises. The fact of his metamorphosis from soldier to civilian does not imply the desirability of any change in the cripple's treatment. On the contrary, it is of the utmost importance that the treatment should be continuous. It might conceivably be possible to duplicate all the appliances at present in use at command depots and convalescent homes—the baths, the mechanical apparatus, the workshops, and so forth—but it would unquestionably be impossible to obtain a duplication of the skilled medical staff to supervise the treatment. It is therefore an urgent administrative necessity that the treatment of the war cripple as soldier and as civilian should form a consistent whole.

"The disablement sub-committee of the War Pensions, etc., Statutory Committee has taken this view, and has asked for opportunity to press it upon the Secretary of State for War. The medical profession is also taking action, and the proposal of the Committee of Reference of the English Royal Colleges to extend its purview to these matters was noted in our last issue and is one which we heartily welcome."

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AURA-LEE MAY REPLACE TORONTO

Tomorrow night's game with T. R. and A. A. has been cancelled owing to the Toronto team being unable to get a team together. An effort was being made this afternoon to get the fast Aura Lee Senior O.H.A. team to take the place of the Torontos.

KNOX CHURCH HOCKEY TEAM

Last evening a meeting was called for the purpose of discussing hockey for the coming season. It was decided to enter a team in either Church League or City League. The following officers were elected:

Honorary Pres.—Rev. McKenzie.
President—Mr. M. N. Clark.
Vice-Pres.—Mr. McKenzie.
Secretary—W. Rehill.
Treasurer—G. Clark.
Manager—Mr. O. Cranfield.
Trainer—Rev. McKenzie.
Committee to attend meetings—Rev. McKenzie, Mr. O. Cranfield, W. Jackson.

HOCKEY GOSSIP

Two star goalkeepers of former Peterborough teams were out with the 245th intermediates at their practice at Brock street rink last night. One was Leo Derocher and the other Ernie Wasson the latter goalkeeper for the last Peterborough team that annexed an O.H.A. title. Ernie could not resist the temptation to don a set of pads and see if the "old eye" was as keen as ever.

The Peterborough juniors will practice to-night at 7 o'clock and all players who have tickets are expected out sharp on time.

Joe Dwyer, the Peterborough boy who is playing goal for the Sarnia team, reports that Lornie Rose, captain and left wing of last year's Peterborough juniors, is showing fine form at practice with the Sarnia intermediates. There is hot competition all along the line for places on the Sarnia line-up.

RESULT OF CHRISTMAS EXAMINATIONS AT MAY'S SCHOOL, NORTH MONAGHAN

Following is the Christmas report of May's School, North Monaghan. No. 2.

Senior IV—Bob Allen, Dora Sanders, Janet Houston, Harold Collins, Madeline Bingham.

Junior IV — Dorothy Butler, Annie Houston, Arthur Bishop, Hugh Collins, Jim Webber, Claude Andrews, Hazel Whitfield, Stanley Church, Roland Vass.

Senior III — Edna Foster, Bessie Bishop, Darrel Allen, Fred Andrews, Ada Lloyd, Edith Panter, Grace Crawley, Geraldine Lawless, Winnie Harris, Clinton Wilson, Lorne Bell, Warren Rayner, Isabel Hopkins, Harry Hanson, Ernest Cooper, Frank Dicks, George Strain, Rowland Hazelwood, Cecil Church, Gordon Thomas.

W. L. Fair.

Junior III.

Arthur Jackson 73 per cent., Helen Mowry and Ernest Hortou, 72 per cent., Arthur Martin 68, Gordon Connors and Hazel Patterson 67, Hugh Anderson 65, Florrie Cooper 63, Arthur Bushy 55, Philip Burton 51, George Dodson 50, Genevieve Sabin 42, Helen Stapley 30. Absent, Grace Sabin and Mary Henry.

Senior II

Marjorie Yardley 85, Ethel Robson 80, Madeline Redman and Grace Barnes 79, Mabel Lloyd 77, Wilbert Martin 69, Dorothy Tooms, James Merton and Leslie Moore 67, Earl Rutherford 66, Lillie Learf and Bertha Saunders 65, Garnet Burns 64, Ronald Harris 63, Ruby Byers 61, Alvin Walling 59, Marguerite Cole and Sidney Merton 57, Hettie Doig 55, Clifton Saunders 54, Gordon Panter and Donald Miller 52, Agnes Strain and Muriel Todd 51, Fred Christmas and Harry Palmer 49, Charlie Connors 48; Richard Scrace, Stanley Thompson and Edward Simmons 45, Cyril Barnes 40, Hannah Scott 35.

Absent, Noel Monks, Dorothy Little, Phyllis Turner and Clifford Graham.

Teacher, A. E. Rae.

Junior II.

Ferne Stenton, John Connors, Clifford Smith, Florence Robinson, Reginald Butler, Ralph Portsmith, Dorothy Terry, Viola Tranter, Winnie Evans, Thelma Vass, Richard Evans, Frank Hopkins, Blanche Lawless, Edwin Byers, Albert Warmin, Percy Forster, Delbert Henry, Davie Humber, Gladys Collins, Raymond Millard, May Little, Charley Fredericks, Arthur Vass.

Senior I

Mabel Henry, Beatrice Tooms, Eric Walling, Stella Dog, Violet Underwood, Maudie Sargeant, Hazel Panter, Walter Hall, Hilda Kite, Bertie Hall, George Vass, Douglas Simmons, Leslie Church, George Burns, Mabel Allen, Walter Lloyd, Dorothy Hopkins, Richard Andrews, Rhoda Sargeant, Bertie Millard, Albert Francis, Max Payne.

Junior Book I

Marjorie Adamson, Irene Drummond, Marjorie Jackson, Leslie Steer, Muriel Bonner, Eva Howarth, Irene Rutherford, Howard Collins, Stanley Deal, Eva Scrace, John Bingham, Norman Graham, Charlie Simmons, Garnet Byers, George Pearson.

Senior Primer A.

Clarence Little, Olive Johnston (equal), Edith Jones, Noble Strain, Winnie Christmas, Erroll Burns, Muriel Thomas, Edward Yates, Emma Fredericks, Gladys Thomas, George Snowden, Thelma Hamilton, Rodney Peace, Barbara Simmons, Thelma Todd, Marjorie Turnbull, Edith Wallwork.

Senior Primer B.

Teddy Smith, Dorothy Mortimer, Phyllis Francis, Maude Chard, Cyril Hall, Eric Orbell, Charles Sabin, Leonard Nelson, Eddie Turner, Marjorie Dodson, Inda Nelson, Arthur Jubb, Elsie Cole.

Junior Primer.

Class A — Ethel Thompson, Geraldine Hopkins, Howard Hortou, Jack Turner, Gertie Adamson, Nancy Underwood, Gwen Thompson, Elmer Dicks, George Dicks, Willard Ward, Hilda Evans, Florence Stevens, Winnie Wallwork, Mamie Lawless, Mabel Curtis, Eva Scott.

Class B — Dorothy Robertson, Myrtle Robinson, Ruth Yardley, Helen Robertson, Phyllis Norcliffe, Charlie Allen, Cyril Glover, Louis Hamilton, Edwin Everett, Frank Conners, Kenneth Andrews, Myrtle Lisserve, George Brown, Donnie Little, Willie Needham, Arthur Deal, Phyllis Cole, Mildred Mortimer, Tommy Bushy, Roy Matthews.

Class C — George Martin, John Sabin, Helen Graham, Dickie Howarth, Alfie Johnston, Herbie Payne, Mildred Vass, Willie Snowden, Ernie Sargent, Marjorie Allen, Willie Jubb, Margaret Pierson, Linda Thompson, Maggie Barnes, Harry Miller, Helen Allen, Clarence Hopkins, Margaret Patterson, Rita Turnbell, Lloyd Graham, Mary Way, Vincent Strain, Walter Matthews, Harold Porter, Geo Bishop, Jack Anderton, Raymond Mosher.

A. L. Stilson.

After XMAS SALE of Handled Merchandise

Naturally at the Christmas season goods are handled more than ordinarily. Added to this are the lines of Shirts, etc., we open up for display purposes, as well as broken sizes and lines we will discontinue. These go on sale THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY

Shirts

Men's laundered and soft cuff and collar shirts, made good large size from 14 to 16½. Fast colours. Worth $1.00, for 75c

Men's laundered cuff shirts in best of English and American prints, and some extra good Scotch cloths, standard sizes from 14 to 17. Worth $1.25, for 95c

Men's soft cuff, and some soft collars, broken lines of our best $1.50 and $2.00 shirts. Some silk fronts, for $1.39

Cashmere Sox

Penman's black cashmere socks, pure wool and fast colours. A special line at ..... 35c or 3 for $1.00

An extra special line worth 65c, for 50c

Heavy black union sock. Good heavy weight, at 25c

Men's Pants

Heavy worsted, dark stripe patterns, 5 pockets, cuff bottoms, belt loops. Special $2.95

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Men's Suits $15.00

Broken sizes in our best grade Sovereign Brand suit, dark and medium patterns. Worth up to $20.00, for $15.00

Boys' Ulsters

Heavy diagonal tweed Ulsters, convertible collar. Ages 10 to 18 years. Worth $8.50, for $6.45

Underwear

Penman's flat knit underwear, 70 per cent. wool. Mostly all sizes. A garment well worth $1.00 today. Clearing at 75c

Odd shirts in heavy wool and lambsdown fleece, all previous season's garments. Clearing at old prices. Stanfield's and Watson's, heavy spring needle combinations. All sizes, worth $2.50, for $2.00

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Heavy Scotch wool, knit without seams. Grey and heather. Dent's make. A good warm glove.

Leather Bound at $1.00
Plain Wrist at ..... 50c and 75c
Boys' Plain Wrist at ..... 50c and 60c

Men's Ulsters

Mostly large sizes, in dark tweeds, double breasted. Convertible collar. Worth up to $13.50, for $10.00

Young Men's Overcoats

Smart, nifty young men's coat, in short models, close fitting, Jellicoe, Canadian and Beatty. Worth up to $20.00, for $15.90

Children's Overcoats

Heavy grey, brown, khaki and blue cloths. Double breasted, some with belts. Worth up to $6.00, for ages 2½ to 9 years $3.95

Boy's Suits

Tweed suits in dark and medium cloths. Norfolk styles, full bloomer. Sizes 29 to 35. Worth up to $8.50, for $6.95

Hats

All the newest shapes and shades in soft and hard hats, best English and Canadian make, at $1.95

Heavy winter caps, made with fur bands and without bands. Made of extra heavy tweeds. All odd patterns. Worth $1.25 and $1.50, for $1.00

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Best English worsted jerseys. Brown, grey, blue, green. Sizes from 20 to 30. All pure wool ..... $1.00 and $1.25

Boys' Sweater Coats

A line of Honeycomb Knit worsted coats, in grey and garnet, and garnet and black only. Sizes 26 to 32. Monarch Knit. Worth $2.85, for $2.39

We intend to wind up the old year well. You will profit well by being here any day this week.

Oak Hall

M. J. MAHER, Manager

Voice of The People

Correspondence under this heading, containing or involving attacks on individuals or violent or extreme statements, must to secure insertion, be signed with writer's real name, the owner of which thus assumes the responsibility.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir,—Business ability is what the city needs in its governing bodies, and the citizens have a chance to recognize an opportunity in the candidature of A. A. Fowler for a seat on the Board of Education. A life-long resident of Peterborough, twenty-five years of which he has resided in East City, and a fourteen years successful business career, has brought Mr. Fowler into close touch with a great number of citizens and earned for him general recognition for his aggressive business principles.

When the services of a man of the calibre of Mr. Fowler become available for the city gratuitously, the thing to do is to see to it that he gets ample votes to secure his election. Give him such strong support that he will have the satisfaction of knowing that his willingness to help shoulder a portion of the labour connected with the administration of the city's affairs, is fully appreciated.

Yours for a growing Peterborough,
CITIZEN.

The Editor, Peterborough Examiner:

Dear Sir,—To my mind every citizen should be vitally interested in the investigation as to the cause and progress of the fire at the plant of the Quaker Oats Co. and the discussion as to the best means to prevent a similar catastrophe in the future. The loss of twenty lives cannot but stir us all to an inquiry as to some means of assuring us that we shall be secure from anything like such loss in the years to come. It has been said that "any holocaust is a tragedy; but a repetition is a crime."

It is because I believe that the humblest citizen has a right to speak a word as to the best means to be used for his protection that I venture to make a few observations on my own behalf. I make no pretence to know more than the average citizen of matters pertaining to the fire department, and this letter is not intended to be a criticism of the fire department of our own city.

Three things have impressed me in connection with the fire which we have had. First, large fires in big plants and other buildings are among the possibilities to be reckoned with, though we often delude ourselves into thinking that incipient blazes will be put out without much loss. Second, the force and equipment of our fire department as at present constituted, is not adequate to deal with such a fire as that at the Quaker Oats plant. Third, no portion of the city is safe at the time of such a fire. An east wind would have probably wiped out several blocks of the city, and as it was, a number of roofs were set on fire by flying sparks, and the Court House, a good distance from the fire, was badly damaged.

With the possibility ever before us of large fires, the warning, "safety first," should ring in the ears of those having charge of the erection or management of buildings and especially large buildings. Prevention is infinitely better than cure. Continuous and not intermittent thought should be given to such matters as the installation of sprinkler systems, the multiplying of exits and fire escapes, the removing of obstructions, the correcting of electrical equipment and heating of power plants, the installation of fire appliances and fire alarm systems, the encouraging of fire drills, and the controlling of combustibles. Carelessness takes a deadly toll; vigilance is the price of safety.

With regard to the fire department, there are several elements which are essential to efficiency; superior apparatus, superior organization, and a superior water system. As to the apparatus it is a principle that the value of fire apparatus is determined largely by the speed with which it reaches the fire. Generally speaking a building is doomed if a fire gains much headway and nothing can make up for loss of time in getting the hose upon it. It is for this reason that horses are being replaced by motor driven vehicles in all progressive cities. In Canada and the United States between eight and nine hundred cities have adopted motor vehicles for fighting fires, in some cases horses being retained also for winter work. In my humble opinion there is a very positive demand for an innovation of this kind in Peterborough.

As to our organization of men I have always been highly impressed with them and their chief and have no thought of criticising them. It struck me at the recent fire, however, that the force was inadequate for the task. The job was too big for them in every respect. The question which therefore suggests itself is this, what of the future? For my own part I was impressed with the idea that there ought to be some method of organizing volunteers. There were any number of men at the Quaker Oats fire willing and anxious to help, and with leadership would have been of great assistance. Should the chief not have lieutenants who could act as leaders of groups of volunteers at such a time. More hose, more men, more hydrants; this was the apparent need. On the whole our water system is good and it is unfortunate that conditions in the plant interfered with its efficiency.

The constant danger to a large part of the city from such a fire as we have had materially effects our attitude to the whole situation. It is a question of paying out large insurance premiums or turning our attention to fire prevention and control, this quite apart from the question of loss of life. Someone has said that "locking the barn door after the horse is stolen is not a Canadian weakness; it is an urban habit. This is particularly true with regard to fires. Why should Peterborough in future not be an exception to this rule?

Yours truly,
Joseph Wearing.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

Dear Sir,—As a working man I am pleased to see that G. N. Gordon is a candidate for the Board of Education. He is a man who, in my humble opinion, should be on the Board of Education, because he is approachable and will receive the views of any ratepayer who wishes to consult him about the welfare of the school system in Peterborough.

Not only that, but he is absolutely fearless in his opinions, and a man of that kind is needed in any public body, because nothing will ever be permitted to pass Mr. Gordon if he thinks it should be criticized and discussed. In addition to that, it is not well to have in the control of any public body men who are so friendly to each other that they fear to object to things being done because it may upset the feeling of friendship existing among them. If for no other reason than that some of the old guard do not want to see Mr. Gordon elected, that is a first-class reason why he should be there, because with thorough and complete discussion things will be brought to the light of day which might never see it, and it is in the interest of the ratepayer to have a man there who is not afraid to go into anything that comes up without fear or favour.

It is not very many years ago that Mr. Gordon was consulted by a deputation of the Street Railway employees and asked to act as their arbitrator in the event of a crisis over the rate of wages paid motor-men and conductors.

I know that at this time Mr. Gordon consulted and advised in this matter and never charged a cent for it, and offered his services as an arbitrator without charge or expense to the railway men.

I know very many occasions too where people who were poor and friendless came to Mr. Gordon for assistance in getting their rights or in receiving protection from the Courts, and I have good reason to believe that no person oppressed and in trouble ever appealed to him in vain even if they were without money.

There is no doubt he has stirred up feeling by calling men and the things they do by their right names. He might have done this less frankly and openly, and it would not have been so painful to those he criticised, but that is not his way of doing things, and possibly it is just as well that there are a few men who are fearless enough to know that they will be attacked in turn when they try to prevent these things being done which are contrary to the public interest. For a great many years I have been interested in seeing the rights of labour vindicated with the object that organized labour should be placed in its proper position with the same influence in the community as organized capital, and as every one who requires to labour for himself and his family, and by the sweat of his brow support himself and them, I urge upon all men of independent thought to support a man who is bold and fearless and who has no axe to grind or any private interest to serve.

I believe from the discussion that has taken place Mr. Gordon will receive a large and substantial support from those who are interested in seeing men of independence and ability on the Board of Education. If Mr. Gordon were employed as a lawyer to attend Board meetings and give his time and ability to the business of the Board, it would run up to a pretty big bill in the course of a year, but he is giving his time and ability without remuneration, and that is something of very considerable value to the people of Peterborough.

There may be something in the statement of the Review that the old guard knifed Mr. J. C. Smith because they did not want a workingman on the Board. As to that I do not know, but I do know that the workingmen should get together and support men like Mr. Gordon when it is possible.—Yours truly,

Edward Hayes.

Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir,—I saw in last night's paper Mr. Dobbin's answer to the question about the widows and the motherless not getting a ticket, and Mr. Dobbin said that the gave all on the patriotic list. True, but he knew that the widows were all cut off the patriotic list as soon as they get word that their husbands were killed, and if they got any money after that they had to pay it back to the fund. Is that not correct? Moreover he has all of their addresses, and he could have sent them a ticket.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for your valuable space. From a

Soldier's Widow.

MILITARY NEWS

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or no mud, it is all the same.

The rats are the worst of anything. I could write a book on them. I had a tin box that I keep all my treasures in, such as cheese and bread, when I have any, and one night I had tied up the tin with a string, and when morning came the cheese was gone. (No cheese for George and his mate that day). Bruce Bell, one of the old 93rd boys, with us now here, has three scratches on his nose from one of them. So you see we have a good time trying to sleep among the rats.

Sergt. C. E. Elcombe of the 182nd Batt., Oshawa, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Elcombe, over the holiday. Sergt. Elcombe has just recently passed his examination for Lieut., at the Toronto School of Infantry.

Among the artistic greetings received by the Examiner were artistic cards from Capt. E. M. Best, Y.M.C.A. military representative, Major C. R. Cameron, of the 39th Batt., and B.Q.M. Sergt. R. G. Cottrell, of the 34th Batt., C.E.F., Shoreham-by-sea, formerly quartermaster sergeant of the 93rd Battalion.

OTTAWA, Dec. 26—The Naval Service Department announced today that no more Canadian recruits for the naval air service will be required for some time, probably some months. A large number of Canadians have offered for this service, and enough have been accepted to provide a steady movement overseas for two or three months. In addition there is a lengthy list of eligible men from which recruits may be taken.

The excellent band of the 166th battalion is expected to return to Canada in the near future, and will go to Lindsay and become the band of the 252nd Batt. The band is a good one, and will be a great help to recruiting in Victoria and Haliburton.

The Kingston Standard says: The 93rd Battalion band of Peterborough arrived in the city on Sunday afternoon and reported to the special service company. Their transportation from the coast only carried them as far as Kingston, where they were ordered to report to the S. S. Company. They were kept at artillery park until the evening, and were given transportation to Peterborough where the citizens had organized a reception for the returning bandsmen. There were 77 musicians of the famous band which helped to make the first days of Barriefield camp pleasant last summer. The band will become the musical organization of the 347th Battalion, commanded by Lieut.-Col. Ackerman.

RINGS OF AIR.

How to Blow Out a Lighted Candle Twelve Feet Away.

The distance from which an average man can blow out a candle rarely exceeds three feet. If he is an adept at blowing smoke rings, however, a candle may be extinguished at twelve feet. Of course the smoke isn't necessary. An ordinary air ring will do and has the added advantage of being invisible. Simply pucker the mouth as you would to blow a smoke ring and expel air in a quick, sharp manner. It takes a good deal of practice to do it.

An easier way to show the effect if one is doubtful is to place a sheet of cloth or canvas over the open side of a box otherwise closed, making a small, round hole in another side. Then tap in a sharp manner on the canvas and invisible air rings will be produced. If the hole is pointed at a person's face and the rings are made he will feel them as they strike his face. Only a few trials are necessary to extinguish a candle at twelve feet. To render the rings visible a smudge may be burned in the box, or a small dish of ammonia may be placed side by side with a small dish of hydrochloric acid, the combined fumes of these liquids making a dense smoke.

The explanation why one can put out the candle at twelve feet is that the energy of expulsion is conserved and practically all retained in the smoke ring, while a simple blowing has to set in motion a whole stream of air and is therefore wasteful.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Slow Death.

In a certain literary club there was one of the members in proposing the name of a candidate for membership mentioned among his qualifications that he could speak several dead languages. To this an opponent replied that he never heard the gentleman's question spank but once and he ought to be murdered that he could speak Latin.—San Antonio Express.

ROBBING THE COAL PILE.

Smoke That Goes Up the Chimney Is Fuel Thrown Away.

For the benefit of any one who may not see the analogy between a robbed coal pile and a smoking chimney it may be briefly and simply explained.

The visible part in smoke is nearly all carbon, either as soot or cinder, as carbon is the principal combustible part of coal—i. e., the useful part, the part capable of yielding heat. Carbon completely burned forms an invisible gas, carbon dioxide; therefore whenever the gases from a stack show black they contain carbon, which indicates that complete combustion has not taken place in the boiler furnace.

In other words, all of the available heat in the coal has not been realized. It is the same as though the corresponding part of the coal fed into the furnace had been thrown away, for although it has passed through the furnace, it had been thrown away up the stack beyond recovery. Is this, then, so very different from robbing the coal pile?

The owner who through ignorance allows conditions to exist which are most favorable to the most economical operation of his boiler furnaces, although he is unwittingly robbing himself, is never the less stealing from his own coal pile.—Power.

LEFT HIM IN IGNORANCE.

No Wonder the Shade of Sir Isaac Newton Was Disgusted.

Augustine Birrell, author and statesman, at a newspaper men's dinner told a unique ghost story.

"I have been haunted ever since I was almost a boy," he said, "by the constant repetition of one and the same dream. It comes to me again and again. It is this: I dream I am walking about somewhere in some plain or desert, and I suddenly encounter the agitated ghost of Sir Isaac Newton. He approaches me, his eyes almost starting out of his head; he tells me who he is and how ignorant he is of all that has happened in the world of science since he left.

"'Now,' he says, 'I want you to tell me in a few words, for I have only a quarter of an hour left, all that has happened to the race—the progress. How is it? I know what it was when I left it. What is it now?' My heart sinks, and, covered with confusion, I stumble, I stutter, I stammer. I become more and more involved, my ignorance becomes more and more apparent, and at last the unhappy ghost, throwing up his hands, leaves me with dismay.

"That dream constantly comes to me. The only difference is that the moment the unhappy Sir Isaac Newton sees me now he says, 'Oh, that old ignoramus!' and departs."—Pall Mall Gazette.

BROCK ST. RINK

THIS WEEK

WEDNESDAY — Skating with Band.
THURSDAY — Skating with Band.
FRIDAY — Skating with Band.
SAT. AFTERNOON — Skating.
SAT. EVENING—Skating with Band.

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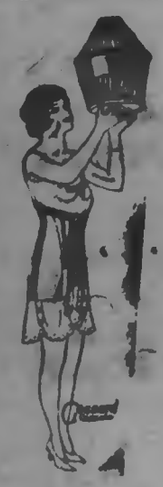

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A NEW YEAR APPEAL TO WOMEN OF PETERBOROUGH

(Continued from Page 5.)

So we purpose having a six weeks whirlwind working campaign, every afternoon of the week (except Saturday), and the whole day on Fridays. There will be a large number of sewing machines and the manager of the local branch of the Singer Company has very kindly offered to keep them all in good running order for us.

Messrs. J. J. Turner & Sons have been good enough to cut thousands of yards of materials into garments for us. The citizens have given money as generously as last year and thus we are able to buy to the best advantage and in such quantities as will keep all busy. The executive wish to state very clearly and definitely that this effort is undertaken in no spirit of opposition to or dissatisfaction with existing societies, in fact it is hoped that this appeal will quicken the members of all the societies to renewed effort and that they will not forsake their own special society days to attend at the Red Cross room.

What we do plead for (and this we do most earnestly) is that the women of the city and county will not be content to give only the one afternoon a week, but that for these six weeks they will do their utmost to attend every day, or as frequently as they possibly can.

If they do this, at the end of that period Peterborough will be able to forward a shipment of well made garments, socks, and other necessities, such as will cause every woman a thrill of satisfaction because of the knowledge in her heart that "she hath done what she could." Our own Canadian men come first, as is only right, and the reserve stock of the Canadian Red Cross is such that there is a grave danger that in case of a heavy and sudden emergency if is not being able to meet the demand. In view of the vital necessity that there should be in the early spring a large stock in reserve that can be drawn upon at any hour, will you because you love your country and Empire, and as a small tribute of thanks to the brave dead, and as an encouragement to the living, who are enduring all the risks and hardships of a relentless war, come and help us to make this sewing campaign one of the events in the history of Peterborough. At the end of that little book, "Aunt Sarah and the War," there are quoted a few beautiful lines of Russell Lowell's, which run thus—

I with uncovered head
Salute the sacred dead,
Who went, and who return not—
say not so.
Virtue treads paths that end not in
the grave,
No ban of endless night exiles the
brave;
And to the saner mind
We rather seem the dead that stayed behind.

So in the name of the "sacred dead" and the brave living will you come filled with zeal and enthusiasm to help in this great work for bleeding and suffering humanity, on Wednesday afternoon at the Public Library at 2 o'clock. Will you be there?

No one must stay away because they are strangers to the room. Every afternoon two ladies will be at the entrance to bid all welcome, to find out which department you wish to work in, and to introduce her to the supervisor of that department, who in her turn will do everything to make her feel she is welcome.

Signed on behalf of the Peterboro Red Cross Society,
Annie Forbes Allen,
1st Vice Pres.,
Laura J. Davidson,
Secretary.

Tank Heroes

The Tank hero appears in the honours list for the first time. One is awarded the D.S.O. and another the Military Cross. The complete list, issued as a supplement to the London Gazette, includes 65 D.S.O., 3 Bar to D.S.O., 264 Military Cross, 6 Bar, 234 D.C.M., 1 2nd Bar to D.C.M., 7 Bar to D.C.M. Mr. Lloyd George's statement that "there as so many heroes in this conflict that it is almost impossible in dispatches to enumerate them; there are so many deeds of valour," is clearly emphasized in this list, and it is impossible to do more than give some of the typical deeds.

The Tank hero who receives the D.S.O. is Capt. Arthur Maculloch Inglis, Gloucster Regiment. He brought his "Tanks" forward over very difficult ground. Although one of the wheels of his own "Tank" was blown off early by a shell, he succeeded in reaching his objective and manoeuvring throughout the whole operation. The other is Second-Lieut. Geordie Osmond Lorne Campbell, Sussex Regiment SpecialReserve (Military Cross.) When his "Tank" broke down he sent the crew back and removed all his guns to his commander's "Tank" remaining with him throughout the entire operation, and personally taking charge of one of the guns.

D.C.M. THREE TIMES.

One man wins the D.C.M. for the third time. He is Sergt. G. Mitchell, Royal Highlanders. Under heavy fire from snipers he went out and searched for wounded on the ground between the enemy and our own front line. He was able to locate four, and at night guided stretcher-bearers to them.

There are several chaplains in the list, and the deed of Rev. John Allan Gray is typical. He often needed wounded men under shell fire, and, after working three days and nights without sleep, went back for one night of rest and then returned to carry on his gallant work. He is awarded the M.C.

Among well-known names are Capt Sir Ian Colquhoun, Bt., Scots Guards (D.S.O.) He led his company with the greatest dash during the day and with a few men reached the enemy's second line, which was full of bombers. He personally accounted for six of them, and knocked over several others with a stick. Temp. Capt. Sir Archibald Richard Dunbar, Bt., W. Yorkshire Regiment (M.C.) led his company in the attack with great dash, and skilfully consolidated his position.

Our airmen again figure in this list of heroes.

Lieut. (Temp. Capt.) Alan Machin Wilkinson, R.F.C., (D.S.O.), has shown great dash in attacking enemy machines, and up to the end of August he had accounted for five On one occasion while fighting a hostile machine he was attacked from behind, but out-manoeuvred the enemy and shot him down. Finally he got back his machine being much damaged by machine-gun fire. Second-Lieut. Euan James Lesiyle Warren Gilchrist, R.F.M. (M.C.), attacked a hostile balloon and brought it down in flames, although under heavy fire and attacked by six hostile machines.

IRISH HEROES.

Many are the feats of heroic endurance and brilliant achievement. Temp. Lieut. (Temp. Capt.) David Rimington Heaton, W. Surrey Regiment (D.S.O.), when his battalion had suffered heavy casualties and was unsupported led a bombing party and drove the enemy up a communication trench. He then cleared the enemy third line trench, taking 168 prisoners. Capt. Edward Henry Kelly, M.C., R.E. (D.S.O.), organised and directed the concentration and deployment of the brigade by night with great skill. When the attack was hung up by uncut wire he personally reconnoitred under very difficult conditions, and organized bombing attacks from both flanks. It was mainly due to his fine work that 1,000 yards of trench were taken and 300 prisoners captured.

Among the Irish heroes are Temp. Lieut.-Col. Edwin Henry Charles Patrick Bellingham, Dublin Fusiliers (D. S. O.) He took command of the two leading battalions when the situation was critical, and displayed the greatest determination under shell and machine-gun fire. The success of the operation was largely due to his quick appreciation of the situation, and his rapid consolidation of the position. Capt. the Hon. Harold Rupert Leofric George Alexander, M.C., Irish Guards (D.S.O.), was the life and soul of the attack, and throughout the day led forward not only his own men, but men of all regiments. He held the trenches gained in spite of heavy machine gun fire.

ON THE PARAPET.

The deed of Temp. Capt. Gordon Byron Brookes, Duke of Cornwall's L. I. (M.C.), recalls that of the Piper of Loos. Prior to the advance our trenches were heavily shelled, but he calmly walked along the parapet encouraging his men. After an advance through heavy fire he captured his objective and consolidated his position. He is a brother of Mr. Warwick Brookes, M.P.

Here and there we have the human touch in the formal official record. Pte. W. H. Brace, Cheshire Regiment (D.C.M.), as C.O.'s runner, carried messages to al parts of the line, When the adjutant, signalling officer, and assistant adjutant became casualties he did splendid work, and though only a boy, knew exactly what was going on all along the line. He was twice blown off his legs during the day close to his C.O. Sergt. J. W. Riordan, Australian Infantry, during an advance in a dense fog, when a doubtful order to retire was passed down, immediately countermanded the order, and by his coolness and the fine example held his men fast.

Corp. F. W. Accleton, R. F. A., when a heavy shell blew him from the saddle and wounded his horse, held on to his horse, steadied the team, and brought the gun into action. Sergt. F. M. Aldcritt, Liverpool Regiment, after an attack got four wounded men into a shell-hole close to the enemy trench, bandaged them, collected water from the dead for them, and finally crawled in with one of the wounded, and, though exhausted, guided a party of volunteers to rescue the remainder.

HARMONY PREVAILS IN YEAR'S WORK SAID MAYOR DUFFUS IN VALEDICTORY TO COUNCIL

Last night the civic ship drew into port with sails furled, oars shipped, and most of the crew with temporary leave ashore while two of the deck hands were seeking renewals of their papers. Mayor Duffus, as master of the craft, took advantage of the occasion to remark that it had been withal a pleasant and and, he hoped, satisfactory voyage. In other words, commenting on the final meeting of the 1916 Council, His Worship said he wished to express his appreciation of the manner in which the aldermen had conducted the year's work. Harmony had prevailed and the aldermen and chairmen of the committees had laboured to give the city's business their best consideration. The meetings had been pleasant and business like and on only two occasions had the usual time limit required extension. The chairmen had done their utmost to keep within their appropriations and at the same time properly conduct the business of the city.

"The appropriations were cut below any of the figures within my experience of seven years in the Council," Mayor Duffus remarked, "and yet the committees were able to keep within the prescribed figures. On the whole we should have a surplus outside of the expenses the recent fire may have caused." The Mayor wished the aldermen a happy New Year, and remarked that the next Council would meet in much the same way. He hoped there would be co-operation during the coming year.

Purchase of Hose.

Ald. Evans reported that following the order of the Fire, Water and Light committee, he had asked for hose tenders, but had received a reply from only one company, the Canadian Consolidated Rubber Company. The Fire Department needed 1,200 feet of hose to replace the quantity lost in the Quaker Oats fire and to bring the supply at the Fire Hall up to the requirements of the Underwriters.

Ald. Duncan suggested that there might be other letters in on Wednesday. It might be therefore advisable to wait a day.

Ald. Evans— I would like to have this settled to-night.

Ald. Stratton remarked that 1,000 feet might be sufficient.

Ald. Edgar moved, seconded by Ald. Saunders, that Ald. Evans be authorized to purchase the required quantity of fire hose from the Canadian Consolidated Rubber Co. at the best figure possible.

Ald. Langford suggested that this question might be left over until it was determined what quantity of hose the Department lacked. His motion to that effect, however, failed to draw a seconder. The motion passed.

Thanks For Loan of Hose.

Ald. Duncan moved, seconded by Ald. Evans, that the Council express its thanks to the De Laval and Bonner-Worth companies for the loan of their fire hose to the city on the day of the Quaker Oats factory fire.

Ald. Duncan stated that on that day members of the North Monaghan Council had told him they had been requested to come into town and render any assistance within their power. No one seemed to know who had sought their aid but that was aside from the Council's consideration.

Monaghan Council Too.

Ald. Stratton moved, seconded by Ald. Weir, that the city's thanks be extended to the North Monaghan Council for their offer of aid and for the help they had given residents in the removal of furniture and in other respects.

50-50 of Drain Cleaning Cost.

Regarding the cleaning out of the Park street drain, Mayor Duffus stated that North Monaghan had removed the weeds as they had promised, and there remained the deepening and broadening of the ditch. It was agreed that some of the sand from the outfall sewer had washed into the course and that the city should bear some of the expense of providing a good outlet for the spring water of which the De Laval Company had complained. The Mayor suggested that the city should assume half the cost. Ald. Duncan estimated that the entire work would cost about two or three hundred dollars.

Ald McIntyre moved, seconded by Ald. Evans, that the city agree to pay fifty per cent. of the deeping of the drain from Lansdowne street to the river, and that arrangements be left with the Board of Works.

Sympathy to Ex-Ald. Johnston.

Ald. Dobbin moved, seconded by Ald. Stratton, that the Council convey to ex-Ald. Johnston a resolution of sympathy in his recent bereavement of his father. The motion was carried with a standing vote.

MR. O'CONNELL LEAVES FOR TORONTO

Well-known Local Lawyer Will Maintain Offices in Peterboro and Toronto

Last evening a farewell social was held in the Knights of Columbus Hall in honour of Mr. D. O'Connell and his wife, who are removing to Toronto, where they will reside in the future. A number of speeches were given, expressing regret at the departure of Mr. and Mrs. O'Connell.

Mr. O'Connell has opened an office in Toronto and in addition will retain his present office in Peterborough. The latter will be in charge of a partner whom Mr. O'Connell will take into the business. It is understood that a well known local lawyer will be Mr. O'Connell's representative in Peterborough.

Mr. O'Connell has worked up an extensive legal practice in Peterborough. Both the Peterborough and Toronto offices will be under the direct supervision of Mr. O'Connell.

Mrs. O'Connell leaves for Toronto to-morrow morning, while Mr. O'Connell will follow towards the end of the week.

EVERYDAY READING

Rest, satisfaction and certainty is what mankind desires in a more or less degree. Religion, so-called, notwithstanding it may be an accepting of seemingly correct creed and theory, a thorough carrying out of forms and ceremonies, a conscientious obedience to rule and regulation or in self sacrifice spending and being spent, with and does not bring to us the deep desire of our being. Our own experience says that it is true and observation of the unrest, dissatisfaction and doubt in others confirm the statement. What is truth? What way shall we take? are questions that should be faced. In the Scripture it is written, "The fool hath said in his own heart, there is no God." The man who believes there is a God, and yet up to the present, has failed to seek, with all the power he is possessed of, to get acquainted with God and to know His will concerning him, surely cannot be called a wise men. Reader, whether you are somewhat of an agnostic, or outwardly indifferent, or all tangled up with creeds and opinions of men; I want to say to you there is a way out into freedom. There is a remedy for sin. I have found deliverance from condemnation and freedom from doubt and fear. I found this in Jesus. What He has done for me He can do for you. Come to Him in faith, full surrender and find in Him, "the way, the truth, the life."

More Anon.

Good skating at East City Rink afternoons and evenings. Band in Attendance To-Night. Admission 10c.

The Sort of Bar He Needed.—A grimy-looking stranger wandered into a certain seaside cafe the other day. He looked about him in an inquiring way for a second or two, and then, turning to the waitress, said rather sharply:—"I say, miss, where's the bar?" "What kind of a bar?" queried the waitress in return, and as lofty as she could. "Why, a liquor bar of course!" he drawled." "What sort of a bar did you suppose I meant?" "Well," she said, and her eyebrows arched slightly, "I didn't know, but I thought perhaps you might mean a bar of soap."

ANCIENT FOES SOON BECAME BEST OF FRIENDS

There are seventy-three infantry regiments in the British Army. Each of these has a record full enough of anecdotes and traditions to fill a book, writes D. L. B., in the London Express. The nicknames of some of them are suggestive of the wildest deeds of daring, of the most impossible accomplishments: the "Saucy Pompadours," a nickname given to a famous regiment whose colonel had more than a passing fancy for the famous Mme. de Pompadour; the "Excellers," a nickname given to the South Lancashire Regiment— doubtless from "XL," the old 40th Foot; but one wonders what attractions Mme. Pompadour found in the bluff old colonel of the 56th Regiment of Foot.

Of this 56th Regiment, now the 2nd Battalion Essex Regiment, an amusing story is told. On their tunic buttons the officers of this regiment wear a French eagle. This eagle was captured at Salamanca from the 62nd French Regiment of Infantry by a subaltern officer of the 1st Battalion Essex Regiment."

Sometime ago, at the beginning of the war, the 2nd Essex were marching back to billets from the trenches. A halt was called at the Wayside, and men and officers flung down their packs and lay by the roadside smoking and talking. A cloud of dust round a bend in the road denoted another regiment on its march back to a well earned rest. The head of the battalion rounded the bend — French regiment. A whistle blew, and in less time than it takes to describe the Frenchmen had their kits off and were fraternising with their British comrades. Present French and English officers were exchanging cigarettes, chatting and joking. One of the French captains seemed fascinated by the buttons on a British subaltern's jacket.

"What is eat little bird?" said he, pointing to the eagle. "Oh! that bird Well, as we are both fighting together now," said the subaltern, "I dont mind telling you. This bird is the eagle of the 62nd French Infantry, which one of our officers captured from you in the Peninsular war. The Frenchman became violently excited. He danced with enthusiasm, and, kissing the subaltern on both cheeks, exclaimed, "Ah, monsieur, wonderful! Wonderful! This regiment which you see before you is the 62nd French Infantry." . . . On the evening of the same day a staff officer watched the two regiments marching into their billeting area. "Funny thing," said he, turning to a companion, "both those battalions seem to have lost all their buttons."

Historic Nicknames.

There is not a regiment of cavalry or infantry that does not possess at least one nickname. Some of them are names which were given to them many years ago, names earned in the four corners of the earth. Most of these nicknames can be accounted for, but there are some for which not even the ablest military historian can give an explanation. Some of them are pretty —— some are coarse and rough. The Manchesters are known as the "Bloodsuckers," the Yorkshires are the "Green Howards." The few regiments whose nicknames are tabulated below possess a fine variety of names, some dating back to the seventeenth century, others bearing titles that might well have come from the lips of Privates Learoyd Mulvaney, and Ortheris themselves:

The Royal Irish Regt.
Paddy's Blackguards.
The Queen's.....The Mutton Lancers
The Devonshire Regt.
The Bloody Eleventh
The Royal Scots.
Pontius Pilate's Bodyguard
Scots Fusiliers.
The Earl of Mar's Grey Breeks
Welsh Fusiliers .....The Nannygoats
The Gloucester Regt.,
The Fore and Afts.
The Dorset Regt...The Green Linnets
The Royal West Kent Regt.,
The Dirty Half-Hundred
The King's Royal Rifles...The Sweeps
The Middlesex Regt.....The Diehards
The Northampton Regt.,
The Talavera Heroes
The Leicester Regt.,
The Bengal Tigers
17th Lancers.
The Death or Glory Boys.

When the war is over there will be still more nicknames to add. The regiments have always room for more. They know that it is not the first time they have fought in Flanders. They are the regiments which fought at Minden and at Malplaquet with Marlborough and who fought in Flanders when Prussia was no more important than Luxemburg.

Council "Should Worry" About the Toboggan Slide

The Council last night rejected Ald. Dobbin's motion seconded by Ald. Stratton, that the management of the toboggan slide at Jackson Park be asked to repair it for use. Ald. Dobbin stated that some of the young people had complained that they missed it greatly.

Ald. Evans stated that the Bonnacord street bridge filling had put an end to the long sweep from the foot of the slide.

Ald. Edgar cautioned against the motion, and Ald. Duncan proposed that the Street Railway Company were able to look after their own affairs. He moved, seconded by Ald. Weir, that no action be taken, and this amendment carried.

"Let her slide," said the irrepressible Ald. Dobbin.

Ald. Edgar moved, seconded by Ald. Saunders, that Ald. Dobbin inquire into the legal aspect of a request for the opening of the slide, but Ald. Stratton came back with a motion, Ald. Duncan seconding it, that no action be taken. And again the amendment carried.

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WAR COSTUMES FOR GIRLS.

New Styles in England Have a Touch of the Picturesque.

Under the heading "How English Girls Dress for War Work," the Official Press Bureau, in London, has authorized the following article:

"Khaki tunic, with loose leather belt; khaki breeches and puttees, and close-fitting cap to match—that was the costume of a sturdy girl on war work. She was met only a few miles out of London, not in one of those rural retreats where feminine farm hands throw aside convention and skirts in order more effectually to tackle tasks which they have pluckily undertaken in releasing men for the army.

"Duty had brought this particular worker, broad-shouldered and rosy-cheeked, to a busy railway station, where she went about her business with matter-of-fact unconcern, covering ground, with free strides, and breaking into an easy sprint when occasion required. Her special job was supervising certain fodder supplies. And in doing so she had not hesitation about clambering atop a wagon load and vigorously handling great bales of hay.

The utilitarian dress of the working girl in town and country continually introduces fresh innovations. Londoners have grown accustomed to the smart and serviceable uniform of the bus conductorette, (short skirt and boots that reach to the knee;) munition workers of every class have adapted their apparel to novel environment, and none have been more photographed than fair stable and farm hands, who dress the part with thoroughness, not for getting a thought for the picturesque.

"All this broadly sets the rule in work-a-day fashion along divers grooves. At the same time the play of individual fancy catches the eye now and again. The girl messenger sets her distinctive cap jauntily, even though it may not be always to her taste.

"'I like the costume,' said one, glancing approvingly at its artistic lines, 'but what I can't stand is this blinking at.' All the same, the most was made of that 'at.

"On their own initiative girl cyclists who have to deliver goods conveyed on pedaled machines, are taking to puttees and leggings, which compensate for the curtailment of skirts. But, perhaps, the shortest of working dresses were two seen in the Strand the other day, the wearers—in the twenties—being quite indifferent to the attention attracted as they strolled arm in arm toward Charing Cross. The garments, of blue serge came barely to the knees, and they revealed blue breeches which, so to speak, were linked to leather leggings by a stretch of closely-fitting stocking.

"At one of London's newer department stores there is one up-to-date Diana of the Chase in felt hat, stately riding habit, and top boots, groomed to perfection; at another place there is the commissionnaire in semi-military uniform, with full-skirted tunic, baggy breeches, and top boots, a tufted shako completing the picture. These are notable types, variations as to details crowding upon one another."

Infantile.

An Englishman touring in the Highlands of Scotland had the misfortune to lose his way. Noticing a small cottage by the roadside he went up, knocked at the door, and when the guidwife came he explained: "I am very sorry to trouble you, madam, but I have lost my bearin's."

"Dae ye tell me that?" was the astounding reply. "I hope their mither's wi' them?"

Not One Like Him.—The late Sir W. S. Gilbert, of Savoy opera fame, met Liebling, the pianist, and the following interchange of courtesies occurred between them Liebling was introduced to Gilbert and Gilbert said "Sir, I have heard Liszt——" Liebling bowed his head in acknowledgment of what he supposed was the coming compliment. "I have Heard Henry Herts," continued Gilbert. Liebling bowed still lower. "I have head Paderewski." Liebling made a genuflexion even unto the ground. "Well, sir," continued Gilbert, in abrupt tones, "not one of them—not one of them, sir, perspired as profusely as you!"

MADAME THEBES, PREDICTER, DEAD

Noted French Clairvoyant and Astrologist Held Secrets of Celebreties

PARIS, Dec. 27.— Madame A. de Thebes, world famous as an astrologist and clairvoyant, who was said to have possessed innumerable secrets of the private lives of the great, died on Sunday at her country home in Meung-sur-Loire, in her seventy-third year. Although known only as Madame de Thebes for years, her real name was Anna Victorine Savigny.

Madame de Thebes' most recent prediction of note was that contained in her almanac published in January, 1914, in which she said that a European war would break out about the middle of 1914, and that it would be preceded by a sensational trial. In addition she said that the Pope would die soon after the outbreak of hostilities and that the Germans would closely approach Paris, but would be unable to take the city. She further predicted that the German Emperor would be killed on September 27, 1914, that the French would enter Germany on October 29, and that the war would end on November 7 of the same year.

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UTILITIES COMMISSION MAY BE ASKED TO ASSUME CONTROL OF STREET RAILWAY AND SEWERS

The suggestion that the Utilities Commission assume contro. of Peterborough's sewerage system and of the Street Railway was broached at the concluding meeting of the Council last night.

Stating that he believed it a step in the right direction, Ald. Edgar proposed the Street Railway idea. The Government had operated the railway for a year and was ready to submit its statement of expenditures and receipts. Mayor Duffus remarked that the business had been paying and, by way of assuring Ald. Langford, said that the Government was ready to turn it over to the city at figure on a paying basis.

The following resolution was moved by Ald. Edgar and seconded by Ald. Saunders, for the purpose of completing the necessary preliminaries should the scheme be favoured by the Council and ratified by the ratepayers:

"That the City Solicitor be authorized to advertise an application for a Private Bill by the Corporation of the City of Peterborough to contain a provision that in the event of the Peterborough Radial Railway plant, property and business being purchased by the Corporation of the City of Peterborough, that the Peterborough Utilities Commission shall have the management and control of the same with the power to maintain, operate, extend and renew the same as required by the said Commission with the consent of the said corporation to borrow monies for the purposes of the said railway, and such other powers as in the opinion of the Council of the City may be required by the said Commission for the above mentioned purposes.

For Next Year's Council.

This public utility of the street railway will doubtless be one of the bequests to the 1917 Council. In the abstract it appears favourable to the Council, but as Ald. Langford tentatively remarked, if it is not a paying business the city does not want it. There was no doubt expressed on this point. However the question was only briefly discussed apart from the subject of the resolution.

Taking Over Sewerage.

Later in the evening Ald. Doblin presented the proposition that it might be in the interests of the city to transfer the control and management of the sewerage system to the Utilities Commission. He moved, seconded by Ald. Edgar that this matter be discussed by the Board of Works and that a report on it be presented to the new Council.

ASKED SMITH COUNCIL TO PAY THE FEES

The members of the Council of Smith met in the County Council Chamber, Peterboro, on Friday, Dec. 15th, at 10 o'clock. All the members were present, with Reeve McKee in the chair. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

Mr. L. Squair addressed the council re taxes which were in arrears when he purchased the lot, and stated he willing to pay the same provided the interest charges were deducted. The clerk was instructed to make suitable arrangements with the collector.

Messrs. Cann and Hancock waited on the council and requested that the lawyers' fees in connection with the recent trial amounting to $20.30, be paid by the township. They pointed out that when the dispute arose Mr. Cann, Jr., was in the employ of the township and was working under the direction of an appointed official. The decision given by the judge was to the interest of the ratepayers and also showed that Mr. Cann was in the right. The matter was referred to the solicitor.

Mr. Jamieson of Howden & Co., addressed the council regarding a number of sheep that had been killed by dogs, the owners unknown.

Moved by Councillor Middleton, seconded by Councillor Moore, that Mr. Howden be paid $93.50. The motion was carried.

The treasurer was instructed to pay the following accounts:

M. Bell, work on road	$ 4 05
Geo. Cockburn, 75 rds. fence	15 00
J. J. Milburn, services as fence viewer	2 00
Geo. Deyell, 90 rds. fence	18 00
Jas. Blewett, 1 sheep killed	12 00
J. H. Fowler, services as fence viewer and sheep valuator	4 00
Emily Township, re Boun. Rd.	6 07
Examiner, printing	57 51
R. A. Garbutt, work on road	8 00
Dr. J. A. Morgan, services as M. H. O.	12 00
Review Printing Co.	58 00
James R. Northey, rebate dog tax	1 00
J. A. Young, 93 rds. 11 ft. fence	18 70
Geo. Milburn, services as fence viewer	2 00
C. J. Hancock, work on road	62 60
S. Blewett, bal. on sheep killed	16 00
J. B. Bickell, 62 rds. fence	12 40
J. J. Bickell, pay sheet	8 35
Geo. Mullen, 1 sheep killed	12 00
A. B. Mann, work on road	7 00
Peterboro Hardware Co., 2 scrapers	13 00
Robt. Carter, work on road	1 75
W. A. Payne, work on road	12 00
A. G. Clysdale, tile (when account is adjusted)	57 90
Thos. Spenser, work on road	5 00
Kelly Lumber Co., lumber	1 20

The council then adjourned.

Mr. James Grant, who was nominated as Councillor, feeling that the northern portion of the township should have a representative, and not wishing to cause the expense of an election, resigned. The following were elected by acclamation:

Reeve, Fred McKee.

Deputy Reeve, G. B. Nichols.

Councillors, Moore, Middleton and Nichols.

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PRESENTATION TO TEACHER

Mrs. J. L. Welbourn is the Recipient of a Handsome Teachers' Bible

In St. James' Methodist church Sunday school on Sunday last, a very interesting event took place when the members of the Cheerful Workers' Bible class presented their teacher, Mrs. J. L. Welbourn, with a very handsome teachers' bible. The presentation was made by Mrs. (Lieut.) Brooks, while Miss Young read the following address:

Peterborough, Dec. 24, 1916.

To Mrs. J. N. Welbourn:

Dear Teacher,—At Christmas time the most joyous time of all the year, when all is festive, bright and gay, and we have been permitted to gather once more in our class room, we look back upon this past year and realise our indebtedness to you, our teacher, for your faithfulness, your uplifting example, your successful teaching of the Sunday school lesson.

Fifty Sundays have you stood in our midst, always ready and willing to impart to your scholars the knowledge you had gleaned from our Saviour's word.

The greatest gift ever given to the world was the gift of Jesus, and we cannot but think this Bible, His Holy Word, will be acceptable to you.

Wishing you a merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

The Cheerful Workers' Bible Class, St. James' Methodist church.

Set Them Right.

Jones' opinion of himself as a golfer was very much greater than his skill warranted, says "London Answers." He was invited to play on a certain Scottish links as a visitor. Armed to the teeth with clubs of all sorts and sizes he set off and, followed by a caddy, proceeded to play. He buried his ball at every bunker, gully and bit of grass on the landscape and muttered naughtily. After half an hour of it he turned to his silent caddy. "Really," he murmured ingratiatingly, "this is the most difficult I have ever played on." "Hoo did ye ken?" replied the lad, in quiet scorn. "Ye havna played on it yet!"

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WEEK OF PRAYER ALL NEXT WEEK

Citizens Are Called Upon to Give the First Week of New Year to Meditation and Prayer—General and Earnest Response is Expected

Our City Churches of all denominations unite in calling upon all citizens to give the first week of the New Year to Meditation and Prayer.

It is hoped that there will be a general and earnest response to this appeal.

The tragedy of the past two and a half years, and the tremendous obstacles that still confront us, alike summon us to humiliation and supplication.

The programme will be as follows:

Monday, January 1st, Park Street Church. Speaker, Rev. James Mackenzie, B.D. Subject, "The Reasonableness and the Power of Prayer."

Tuesday, January 2nd, St. Andrews Church. Speaker, Rev. J. B. Webb. Subject, "Tragedy and the Doctrine of a Divine Providence."

Wednesday, January 3rd, Usual mid week service in each church. Subject, "War, and its Effects on Religion at Home, in the Trenches, and on Mission Fields."

Thursday, January 4th, All Saints' Church. Speaker, Rev. R. G. Peever, B.D. Subject, "Problems of the Community as a Challenge to Christian Heroism."

Friday, January 5th. Trinity Church. Speaker, Rev. R. Pogue. Subject, "Our Preparedness for after the War."

The pastor of the church in which the service is held will preside in each case.

At the concluding service an offering will be taken to defray the expenses.

Sends Blood Red White Feather Back To The Girl

LONDON, Dec. —A white feather, streaked with crimson by a Turk infantryman's bullet, has been sent back to the girl in Melbourne, Australia, who stuck it in a slacker's cap. There is no message with it. The man who sent it guessed she'd put it alongside the casualty list of Australians and draw her own conclusions. The slacker has passed beyond caring what she thinks.

The white feather incident occurred about a year ago.

There was a young clerk in Melbourne who had good prospects in his job, the responsibility of caring for his invalid mother—and a girl. That was load enough for his mind, and he had a hard time keeping the issues separate while making out bills of lading at the office.

Australians were marching away by thousands. Every day saw some of his friends calling around to say "so long" and tell him significantly, "see you in Gallipoli." Then they would clump away in their heavy infantry boots to take ship for the war.

Feared Shot in the Face.

After a while things came to the point where there was no more insinuating. People were asking him why he didn't enlist. He would try to explain that there was the job and his mother—and the girl, but it was no use. Plenty of others had broken away from their jest as strong and had died fighting for the allies.

This man had a conscience and imagination and used to lie awake nights in a cold sweat of horror at having his face shot off. He would keep out of it as long as he could. A man depending on his personality in business might as well throw up the sponge if he has to go through life without a nose, or with only a ghastly hole in his neck for a mouth.

If he could only be sure of getting shot, say in the chest or foot; anywhere but the face. But he couldn't. Every one takes a chance in war.

These things were worrying him one night when he dropped around to call. The girl met him at the door and told him all bets were off till he proved himself a man. She had three brothers at the front. With that she jabbed the white feather in his cap and banged the door.

Of course, he enlisted right away. A few months later back in the reserve trenches he received word that his mother had died.

Tells Story to Comrade.

That night when the gunning had died down to a minimum he opened up to his companion in the dugout; told the whole story in a regular brotherly sob meeting. While his romantic imagination bubbled highest he dug into the upper left pocket of his tunic, right over his heart, and produced the white feather.

Next day he fell, not shot in the face, but drilled clean through his heart.

So the friend fished out the feather, now stained [illegible] and sent it to the girl in Melbourne.

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Furniture purchased now as gifts, will be held until Christmas week if desired. Dining room furniture on sale this week. Some handsome styles to choose from. A collection of colonial art craft and modern style buffets. See our show window. A fine example of the William and Mary style.

City Gives $10 Apieece To Lindsay Firemen For Their Assistance

The Council last night materially recognised the assistance the Lindsay Fire Brigade rendered on the occasion of the Quaker Oats factory fire, by authorizing the payment of ten dollars to each of the two firemen and Chief Bell, and twenty dollars to Phillip Fusco, who transported most of the men on his own motor truck. This made a total of $130. The firemen receiving this grant were H. Cuthbert, A. Gamble, W. Bell, C. Fox, J. Graham E. Beadle, S. Howe, jr., N. Clarke, L. Veitch and L. Skipworth. The motor lorry waggon could not accommodate the entire party and Mr. Fusco's truck was rushed into transportation service.

Ald. Evans read a letter from Chief Bell in which the latter stated that the expenses of the trip had not been heavy. Eight gallons of gasoline were used. Ald. Evans moved, seconded by Ald. Weir, that the Council recognize the services of the Lindsay men as detailed above.

True to form, Ald. Langford commented that it was the best day's work "most of those fellows ever did."

TRIUMPH OF A NEW ART

David W. Griffith's most extraordinary achievement with his new photo-spectacle, "The Birth of a Nation," coming to the Grand on New Year's Day, is that of making history live. He has touched the high peaks of American history—the introduction of slavery, the War of Secession, the surrender at Appomattox, the death of Lincoln, the miseries of Reconstruction, and the restoration of the South to its own. These things, it would have seemed a year ago, were beyond the motion picture camera. The master producer had the faith of an enthusiast. Within 12,000 feet of celluloid film he has successfully combined a thrilling, plausible, and dignified presentment of national upgrowth with a real and human love story based on Thomas Dixon's book-romance, "The Clansman." As it appears to the newspaper and magazine critics, Mr. Griffith has not only surpassed the art of the "indoor" theatre but he has also developed a new art-form far superior to the old style history or historical novel. The best characterization of it so far is that of a very eminent public man who has called it "history by lightning."

Mr. Griffith employed 18,000 people in taking these historical pictures. The battle scenes were actual duplicates of several of the Civil War conflicts, and so were actual duplicates of several of the Civil War conflicts and so were the facsimiles of important events. We see Lincoln among his counsellors issuing the call for volunteers, Grant and Lee shaking hands at Appomattox, the shot that John Wilkes Booth fired, the Freedman's Bureau, the carpet baggers' excesses, and the famous rides of the Ku Klux. The realism is almost uncanny. Often the old war shouts are heard in the audiences from the lips of veterans who momentarily forget that it is only a picture. It is hard to keep one's feet from dancing to the well beloved tunes of the martial music. Scenes in the latter half of the picture are so skilfully managed that often the applause is practically continuous for half to three quarters of an hour.

Full of Grit.

Bertie took his new young lady out for a motor drive one day recently, and thinking that she might regard him as a slacker for not being in uniform determined to show his pluck. If he could not face the Germans he could at least defy the local police, so he set to and made the car travel. "We are doing 65 miles an hour, darling," he shouted presently. "You don't seem very alarmed. You are very brave." "Yes, dear," gasped the little darling, swallowing a few more pecks of dust; "I'm full of grit."

THE CLOSING DAYS OF THE JEWELRY SALE

Many a Christmas stocking has doubtless been filled this season by the gifts secured at the E. V. Warne jewelry sale, which will close with the end of the year. The opportunities afforded for purchasing appropriate gifts have been generously taken advantage of and the auction prices have permitted of many valuable and handsome gifts to be made that Santa Claus could not have afforded at regular prices.

Only three more days remain to clean up this stock. While these unusual auction prices prevail, those who wish to remember forgotten friends, or those who wait for New Years to bestow their holiday favours, will find an excellent array of suitable articles to gratify their generous impulses. The sales commence each day at 2.30, and ladies and gentlemen seeking suitable tokens of friendship, will find a choice so wide, and the prices so rare, that there is practically no uncertainty as to satisfaction.

The intelligent methods of the auctioneer, M. H. H. Harrison, are quite interesting, and always above board. Values have been fairly appraised and nothing misrepresented.

Snipped the Wrong Leg.

A London clothier was never known to acknowledge that he didn't have anything a possible customer might ask for. One day a customer entered the shop and asked if he had any trousers made especially for one-legged man. "Certainly," replied the merchant. "What kind do you want?" "Dress trousers," said the man. "The best you've got." Hurrying into the rear of the shop the enterprising merchant snatched a pair of trousers and snipped off the right leg with a pair of shears. Hastily turning under the edges he presented them to the customer. "That's the kind I want. What's the price?" "Thirty shillings." "Well, give me a pair with the left leg off." A month later the clothier was pronounced convalescent and on the right road to recovery.

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In shades of Paddy, Cadet, Rose, Grey, Cerise. Length 1¾ yards. Regular value $3.50. Sacrifice Sale Price **$2.25**

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No. 3 Lot Brushed Angora Scarfs

1¾ yards long, shades are Paddy, Rose, Navy, Copen. Regular value $4.00. Sacrifice Sale Price **$2.75**

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

Canadian Stocks:

Steamers, 37 1-4, 37 3-4; Steel of Canada, 64 1-2, 67 1-4; Dominion Steel, 67 1-2, 67 3-4; Gen. Electric, 112 1-4, bid.; Cement, 64, 65; N. S. Steel, 115 3-4, 117.

New York Stocks:

Airbrake, 150, 148 3-4; Atcheson, 104 1-2, 104 3-4; B. and O., 83 7-8, 84 1-8; C. P. R., 167 3-4; N.Y.C., 104 1-4, 105 1-4; Erie, 35 1-8; Erie, Ptd., 49 1-2, 49 3-4; Penns, 56 1-2, 56 5-8; Reading, 108 5-8, 104 5-8; U.P., 147 5-8, 148 3-4; Beth. Steel, 510, 505; Rep. Steel, 78 1-2, 78 3-4; U. S. Steel 107 7-8, 108 5-8; Anaconda, 83 7-8, 83 5-8; Am. Loco., 78 1-2, 79; Inter Nickel, 43 1-2, 42 5-8.

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Market Opinions of New York Houses.

Post and Flagg.—There seems to be a general opinion here that the rally is likely to go somewhat further and that then much quieter and more discriminating markets will be the order of the day.

J. S. Bache and Co.—The trading element is now looking for the secondary re-action. Normally this should carry prices about half way back toward the low levels of last week. As fundamental conditions are sound, good stocks look attractive for purchase on further recessions.

Bryant, Dunn & Co.— Sentiment seems to be rather optimistic as to course of prices. What with allowing a fair measure of time for review and survey of the recent market changes and the end of the year approaching, it would seem altogether likely that the balance of this week will be one of rather smaller things.

Shearson, Hammill & Co.— In the stock market after passing through a strenuous week, a quieter time is expected. It is difficult to figure that peace is in sight with the Allies still giving large orders for all kinds of munitions and while there will be continued talk, do not think that peace is near yet. The trading position in the market looks best if the railroad troubles are settled soon. those stocks will be the favourite in the speculation

Edmund and Charles Randolph.— The talk of an unrestricted submarine warfare by Germany grows day by day, and the actions of the British Admiralty make it appear that the Allies expect this. The general feeling is that Washington has known it was coming unless peace came shortly, and that that was the underlying influence of Wilson's peace note. Of course this has a bearish effect on the market, and it is probable in my opinion, that prices will sag off.

NEW BOOKS AT THE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Similia Similibus, a tale in French, written by a French-Canadian for the purpose of stimulating recruiting in Eastern Canada—Barthe.

Seventeen—Tarkington.

Homesteaders—Stead.

Angel Unawares—C. N and A. M. Williamson.

This Way for Christmas—Sawyer.

Pincher Martin, O.D.—Taffrail.

Short Stories from "Life"—Masson.

Incredible Honeymoon—Nesbit.

Bride of a Moment—Wells

Day of Wrath—Tracy.

With the Zionists in Gallipoli—Patterson.

With a Field Ambulance at Ypres—Boyd.

A Soldier of the Legion—Morlee.

God and the War and the Men Who Died in Battle: Some Lessons of the Present Crisis—Paterson Smyth.

Havelock Man Fined $20 For Being Drunk In a Public Place

Jas. Hodgins, of Havelock, was fined $20 and costs by Magistrate Langley this afternoon for being drunk in a public place in the village on December 21st. Inspector Stewart was the principal witness for the prosecution.

City and General

Broken auto cylinders, machinery and stoves welded, by the new Oxo Acetelyne Process. Anything in iron, steel or aluminum made as good as new, not patched up. Millard's Bicycle Shop, Hunter street, near Aylmer.

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POULTRY MEETING.

A special meeting of the Peterborough Poultry Association will be held in the Labour Hall, George street, tomorrow evening, Thursday, Dec. 28th, at 8 o'clock. A. Breault, secretary.

DENTAL.

Dr. McKenty, Dentist, 370 George Street, on the ground floor, first door north of Peterborough Hardware Company. Nitrous oxide and oxygen administered for painless operations. 28d-128

SANTA CLAUS' VISIT.

Santa Claus will be at the Christmas celebration given by the Salvation Army on Thursday evening at Brailey's, and at Byersville Friday night. A special programme will be given at each entertainment.

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'Phone 1416 for Cleaning, Pressing and Repairing. Goods called for and delivered promptly. Mrs. Read, 159 Rubidge Street. dtf

EXPRESS AND BAGGAGE.

E. D. Cooney, a returned soldier, has taken over the express business of Eddie Reid and will give prompt and careful attention to all work entrusted to him 'Phone 847. E. D. Cooney, 340 Aylmer street. 28d-44

PROGRESSIVE CLUB.

This month the Peterborough Progressive Club sent two large packages of magazines to the Y.M.C.A. headquarters in France. They also sent six sweaters and 120 pairs of socks to Miss Plummer, field comforts commissioner.

FUNERAL THIS MORNING.

The funeral of the late John Tetro was held this morning at nine o'clock. A service was held at St. Peter's Church conducted by Rev. Father Phelan before proceeding to St. Peter's cemetery for interment.

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EVANGELIST IRVING AT THE GOSPEL HALL.

Mr. Richard Irving and Mr. F. G. Lockett, of Kingston, will speak in the Gospel Hall on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Mr. Irving, who has devoted himself to gospel work in Canada for some years, has decided to visit the West Indies for an indefinite time, preaching the gospel there. Come and hear him.

WILLIAM WELSH DEAD

William Walsh died at 3.40 p.m. today at St. Joseph's Hospital of the result of burns received in the Quaker Oats factory fire. This increases the fatality list to a total of twenty-one.

OBITUARY

MISS MARY CONWAY.

The death of Miss Mary Conway took place at the home of her parents in Kinmount last week. The deceased was a sister of the late J. Conway, who was a victim of the Quaker Oats fire.

PETER NICHOLLS.

Peter Nicholls died last night at the Nicholls Hospital, from a paralytic stroke, aged 75 years. He was born in Smith township, and lived practically all his life in Bridgenorth. The funeral will be held to-morrow afternoon at Bridgenorth at 2.30. A service will be held at the family residence at 2 p.m.

SAMUEL ENGLISH.

Samuel English, 225 Hunter street, died last night at Nicholls Hospital after a long and painful illness. He was born in Omemee seventy-four years ago and was predeceased by his wife and only son John. The funeral will take place on Friday morning to Omemee, leaving Peterborough by the 9.20 train. A service will be held at Mr. English's late residence on Thursday evening at eight o'clock, conducted by Canon Cornish.

LOTTIE BROOKS.

The following is from the Lindsay Warder: The Warder joins with the numerous friends of Mr. Henry Campbell, St. Paul Street, in extending sympathy to him because of his recent bereavement, his beloved wife having passed away on Sunday last, after an illness of some seven months. The deceased was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs George Brooks, of the north ward, and is survived by her husband, two daughters and one son; also by one sister, Mrs. W. Stone, and two brothers, Messrs. T. J. Brooks of Peterboro and Fred Brooks of Lindsay. In religion the deceased was a member of the Anglican church, Rev. Canon Marsh conducting the funeral service. The pall bearers were: Messrs. Norman Henderson, A. Barisrow, J. Duquette, T. Massau, L. Penrose and H. Abercrombie.

Among the beautiful floral tributes received was a wreath from the staff of Fisher's grocery store; also from the sister and family and from the husband and relatives.

We wish all our many friends a Happy and a Prosperous New Year

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WEDDING BELLS

THICKSON—JOHNSON.

On Dec. 27th, at 12 o'clock noon, the Rev. R. G. Peever united in the holy bonds of matrimony Miss Lilace Mabel Johnson, only daughter of Mr. Ben. Johnson, Fraserville, Ont., and Mr. P. J. Thickson, second son of the late John Thickson, Bowmanville, Ont.

The bride was tastefully attired in her navy serge travelling suit, Georgette crepe blouse, large picture hat of silk and velvet, and wore a corsage bouquet of white sweet peas and carnations, also the groom's gift, a gold sunburst set with pearls and diamond centre. The attendants were Agnes McGee and D. W. Johnson, and they received gold coins from the groom.

After a wedding dinner at the Empress Hotel, the happy couple left on the 1.30 G.T.R. train for a short trip to Belleville and other Eastern points. On their return they will reside in Bowmanville.

The authorities of a Canadian experimental farm say that a good sheep farmer should raise at least 120 per cent of lambs from his breeding ewes.

Do you know a neighbourhood in which farming is the chief reliance of farmers that does not show evidence of prosperity?

The "horseless farm" is a dream? will soon, in the opinion of Thomas' Edison, be realised. Electricity, he says, will furnish the power for ploughing and all other farm work.

Now is the time to study barn plans. Perhaps you may decide to remodel or build. In any case remember how vitally important sunshine fresh air and cleanliness are in the stable.

GERMANY TO ENSLAVE ALL HER "ALLIES"

Berlin-Baghdad Dream is Assyrian—Austrians as "Hewers of Wood" —Exploiting the Orient

The following explanation of German military strategy and political moves is given by Prof. T. G. Masaryk, an Austrian M.P., who was exiled and writes from England: In Austria, the Balkans, and the East Germany has all the elbow room she pretends to need. These countries can stand a German influx on a wide scale. Further, with the exception of Serbia and Roumania the controlling camarilla in each land of the Balkans hastened to prove themselves pliant tools in Germany's grasp.

With the liberal institutions and ideas of this country we are careful to differentiate between colonization and exploitation. Prussian policy regards the two terms as mutually interchangeable. Colonization is exploitation and exploitation is colonization. In a word, Germany aims to colonize Austria-Hungary, the Balkans, and Turkey in Asia in order to exploit these countries. Germany aims to use the peoples of Middle Europe and Asia Minor as her slaves, very much after the fashion the Egyptians used the Israelites. They shall build great cities for her, and as the fruits of their labor they shall have a crust of bread and a cruse of water.

Berlin-Baghdad Plan

Kaiser Charles Francis Joseph, from the window of the throne room, may think he looks out on to a brighter prospect for his 51 million subjects than bondage men to Germany; if so, events will snatch the rose-colored glasses from his eyes. The destiny of the Austrian Empire either is to break up or to become a vast labor exchange for Germany, recruiting the whole of the able-bodied population as hewers of wood and drawers of water for the modern Assyria.

If we work out the Berlin-Baghdad equation in cold arithmetical terms what shall we find? On one side 68 millions of people arbiters of the destiny of 97 other millions of potential workers; on the other side 97 millions of people driven under the virtue of an iron necessity to the acceptance of an existence that is denied all the aspirations to which modern thought reaches out.

Over One Slave Apiece

Germany's population is 68 millions. But she will have to work for her the 51 millions of Austria-Hungary, the 25 millions of the Balkans and the 21 millions of the Turkish Empire. That is her dream. With 97 millions of people to work for them every two of the 68 millions of Germans will have three slaves to amass wealth for them. It may sound all very brutal, but the war, if it has proved anything, has clearly shown that Germany is not handicapped by an ultra-refinement of feeling for others and can view with equanimity the misfortune of others.

SLAUGHTER ALSATIANS

Height of Hun Brutality Reached in France's "Lost" Provinces

A neutral, well known in Germany wrote: A Social Democrat friend told me that the Prussian Government determined at the beginning of the war that they would have no more Alsace-Lorraine problem in the future. They have therefore sent the soldiers from these two provinces to the most dangerous places at the various fronts. One Alsace regiment was hurled again and again at the old British army on the Yser in November, 1914, until at the end of a week only three officers and six men were left alive. Some of the most perilous work at Verdun was forced upon the Alsatians.

The Prussian authorities deliberately retain with the colors Alsatians and Lorrainers unfit for military service, and wounded men are not allowed to return to their homes. In the little circle to which I was introduced in Strassburg I talked with one sorrowing woman who said that her son, obviously in an advanced state of tuberculosis, had been called up in spite of protests. He died within three weeks. Another young man suffering from hemorrhage of the lungs was called up. He was forced to stand for punishment for all one winter's day in the snow. In less than two months a merciful death in a military hospital released him from the Prussian clutch.

BATTLES, NOT DUELS

Airmen in Fleets Fought While Thousands Gazed

The Paris Liberte's correspondent on the Somme gives an account of an aerial battle which took place over the German lines near Bapaume, the fluctuations of which were followed by thousands of anxious spectators. The battle was joined at a height of 9,000 feet. The German fleet consisted of at least 32 Fokkers and Rumplers, while there were only 20 British machines.

The issue hung long in the balance The first to be put out of action was a Fokker. It whirled giddily for a moment, burst into flames, and then crashed to the ground. Soon afterwards a British biplane was badly hit. Next two German aeroplanes came to grief at a short distance from their line. The British airmen displayed very great superiority and in the end remained masters of the air, pursuing the enemy with the utmost daring. The enemy squadrons were completely routed with losses considerably greater than those sustained by the British.

The Bloody Cemetery

Three hundred yards east of Ablaincourt, on the road to the hamlet of Gemiecourt, the enemy had organised outside and inside a cemetery communicating with the serpentine trench a series of defences. Among the tombs the Germans and French fought with ferocity, and when the struggle was over 500 prisoners had been taken by the allies. The cemetery with its shattered gravestones and monuments was a sad and pitiable sight.

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Social and Personal

Mr. Peter Spratt of Lindsay, was a visitor in the city yesterday

Miss Bessie Crowe, who is nursing in Buffalo, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Crowe, Ashburnham, over Christmas.

Miss Lennox, Lakefield, and Mr Jay Knox, Hamilton, are the guests of Mrs. Knox, Gilmour street

Miss Emma Corkery is the guest of her parents, Gilmour street, for the holidays.

Miss Little, Gilmour street, returned yesterday from Fenelon Falls.

Miss Gladys Hunter, Reaboro, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hunter, George street, for the holidays.

Mr. Harry Grubbe returned this morning to Toronto.

Miss Norma Sloane, Toronto, is the guest of Mr and Mrs T. Q. Quartermaine.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Eaton and children, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alec. Eaton, returned yesterday to their home in Toronto.

Mr. Alec Eaton, Park street, is in Toronto on business.

The weekly tea given by the Kitchener Club is postponed on account of the busy season.

Mr Herman Finnie left last Friday to reside in Newark, N.J. Mrs. Finnie and family are spending some time in Kingston before going to their new home.

Mrs Craig of Toronto, is visiting her daughter, Miss Irene Craig, 370 Stewart Street.

Mr. Andrew McGregor, an old Ashburnham boy, who is now farming in Saskatchewan, is in the city on a short holiday. Mr McGregor left here about eighteen years ago and has lived in Dakota, British Columbia and other western States before finally settling in Saskatchewan.

Mr. Matthew Hart, who is ranching in the west, is in Peterborough during the holiday season.

Mr. David Knox, of Saskatoon, formerly of Otonabee, is home for the New Year.

Miss Mabel Brown of Detroit, is home for the Christmas holidays visiting her father on Homewood avenue.

Mr. and Mrs Joe Sullivan and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Sullivan and her son, Johnny, from Toronto, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. Sullivan, 266 Smith street.

Mr. T. P. Connor, of Waupau, Wis., was in the city for a short time to-day renewing old acquaintances.

Have you secured your table for the reception of the Peterboro Health Association on Friday next at the Empress Hotel? If you cannot come for the afternoon come in and have tea from 4.30 to 6.00. We expect to have ample accommodation for all but we would suggest that you make your arrangements as early as possible both for the afternoon and evening.

Signal Sergt. Vaughn Mitchell, Hamilton, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. J. Mitchell, Park street, for the holidays.

Lieut. Geoffrey Hilliard, Stanley Barracks, Toronto, who has been the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs G. B. Hilliard, Lakefield, returned to Toronto this afternoon.

Mr. Alan Rae, Toronto, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rae, College street, for the holidays.

Mrs. Percy Bond and Mrs. Sherry (nee Helen Davies), 306 McDonnel street, will be at home to-morrow, Thursday, December 28th, from 4 to 6.

Mr Harry Belcher, who will be remembered by some of our older citizens as a drug clerk with the late John McKee, of this city has been elected Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Manitoba, A.F. and A.M. Peterborough's young men have made their mark in the ranks of representative organizations of the Northwest in many instances.

Mr. N. Tromblay, of Hamilton, and daughter, Loretta, spent Christmas in this city pjs unun ununnu city, and returned to Hamilton again to-day.

Mr. E. F. Hamblin, of Syracuse, N.Y., spent Christmas in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Fitzgerald, Aylmer Street.

Miss Agnes Sweeney, of Toronto, who was a guest of her sister, Mrs. A. McCall, Aylmer Street, over the holiday, returned to Toronto yesterday afternoon, after having spent a most enjoyable holiday.

Mrs. W. C. Moore and Miss Clara Moore, of Carlow Ave., Toronto, are visiting at the home of the former's brother, Mr. T. W. Meredith, Lansdowne Street.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Godfrey and family, of Toronto, spent Christmas, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Dobbin, North Monaghan

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ENEMY ATTEMPT TO INVADE RUSSIAN SOIL

CZAR TELLS HIS TROOPS THAT TEUTON DEFEAT IS NEAR

CONSTANTINE CANNOT RETAIN THE THRONE

Venizelos Says the King is a Prussianized Vassal, Who Plots to Rule With Mailed Fist---Party Does Not Desire Republic

A REIGN OF TERROR

(Special Cable by Louis Edgar Browne.)

SALONIKA, December 28. — "It will be impossible for King Constantine to retain his position". Thus Eleutheros Venizelos, in an interview granted me, answered the Royalists who instigated the reign of terror in Athens. "King Constantine," he continued, "imposed on Greece a policy criminally contrary to the interests of the nation. He tore up our constitution and led Greece into a path of dissension and ruin. He wishes Germany to win. As a Prussianized vassal he admires German autocracy. Constantine now plots to make himself absolute monarch of Greece, to form here a Balkan Prussia.

GOVERNMENT HAS GONE MAD.

Emperor William, Constantine's brother-in-law, probably gave a pledge that if Germany wins German troops will make it possible for him to rule with a mailed fist or an iron hand, or in any other way he chooses. Selfish ambition led Constantine to support the German cause. By our refusal to keep our treaty obligations to Serbia stigma was placed on Greece. We further dishonoured our country by failing to drive the Bulgars from territories which had in a cowardly way been surrendered by the Athens Government. The Royalist Government has gone mad, or it would not forget that Greece can never progress or exist as an independent nation unless she maintains close relations with the powers that rule the Mediterranean.

"Our struggle was not anti-dynastic. We did not wish to dethrone the King. Even now we limit our activity to the time of international quarrels. Our attention is now devoted to fighting the Bulgars. When the war is ended Greece will again surely be united. It will be a greater democracy than ever, but not a republic. There is absolutely no republican sentiment in Greece. *We are jealous of the constitution, and we have no quarrel with the dynasty.* It matters little who is king as long as he unwaveringly bows to the will of the majority of the people and supports the constitution to the letter.

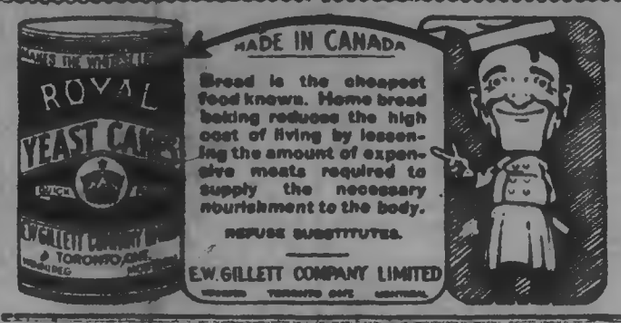
"Constantine is no longer king. He is a despot and tyrant. His rule *is now concentrated Prussianism.*"

In Salonika the national party has been discussing a prospective congress of Greeks to be held after the war to solve the question of a new ruler. The present Crown Prince Georgious, one of the King's brothers, is frequently mentioned in this connection.

A REIGN OF TERROR.

"This matter," said Venizelos, "can only be settled by the free verdict of the people. We expect in the end to assist in securing freedom of expression for the Greek people as a constitutional right. Doubtless that will be to the interest of the entente from a political and moral point of view to recognize it. The King's autocratic regime terminated in a veritable reign of terror. Hundreds of my friends were imprisoned and shot without trial. This ordinarily would be the cause of civil war, but we are too busy fighting the Bulgars to make war on our fellow-countrymen.

"Now we desire the entente to recognize the National Government as the responsible Government of Greece. This Government is supported by the majority of the Greek people. Opposed to it is a minority led by Constantine, and composed largely of the military. We are exponents of what the entente is fighting for, namely, liberty and justice. We have taken our places on the field of battle beside the entente armies. The Royalists are pledged to Germany. Their methods are Prussian. The ententé has recognized our local administration, our Ministers, but unless we are officially recognized as the supreme Government in Greece, we cannot legally call to the colours Greeks residing in foreign territory. A second big thing we want of the entente is the Greek navy, which the entente seized from the Royal Marine. A Nationalist battleship sailing from among the Greek islands and into the ports of old Greece would be more effective in stamping out of remaining boats the Royalist sentiment than years of talk.'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Bulgarian Positions Were Captured

Special to The Examiner:

SALONIKA, Dec. 28.—Bulgarian positions east of Monastir were taken by Serbian-French forces with a number of prisoners. The situation is calm at other points.

CONSCRIPTION A LAST RESORT

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, Dec. 28.—Premier Borden assures labour men that conscription in Canada will only be a last resort to secure the liberties of Canada.

Two-thirds of the feeding value of the alfalfa plant is in the leaves. If the leaves are lost in curing only one-third of the feeding value remains. This makes it important that alfalfa be cured so as to save the leaves.

Five Men Killed In a Collision

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

MONTREAL, Dec. 28.—Five men killed and six injured last night in a rear-end collision on the C.P.R. near here.

One Million Turks Are in the War

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec. 28.—One million Turks are now engaged in the war. Half of them are in the Caucasus fighting the Russians.

If a child swallows any foreign substance—buttons, for instance—do not give an aperient. The correct treatment is to feed the little one for two or three days entirely on soft foods, such as porridge, milk puddings and gruel. If trouble is suspected a doctor should be consulted at once.

The Enemy Will Attempt To Invade Russian Soil

Latest Development in the Enemy's Eastern Offensive—Advance of the Teutonic Columns is Being Opposed by the Russo-Roumanian Troops

BERLIN CLAIMS SUCCESS

Special to The Examiner.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—Attempt to invade Russian soil, north of Dobrudja, or east of Moldavia, is the next development in Field Marshal Von Mackensen's eastern offensive expected here. Advance of the Teutonic columns is being opposed in fierce fighting by the Russo-Roumanian troops.

Very little doubt existed here today in the minds of military experts that Mackensen's objective was Odessa, Russia. They recalled recent despatches from the eastern front, hinting that this was the point beyond Bucharest at which the Teutons were aiming.

BERLIN, Dec. 29 — War Office claims Teutonic armies in Wallachia have pierced Russian lines at many points, taking more than a thousand prisoners.

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Prohibit Import Of Luxuries

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BOMBAY, Dec 28.—Bombay, India prohibits the import of automobiles and other luxuries till the war is over.

CZAR PREDICTS TEUTON DEFEAT

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, Dec. 28. — The Czar tells his troops that Teuton defeat is near.

Wheat Markets Closed Strong

Cash Wheat Again Passes Two Dollar Mark—The Cattle Markets

The wheat markets closed strong, after a generally strong session. Some very heavy buying by several commission houses, presumably for foreign account, gave the market added stimulus at the close. Manitoba cash wheat is again quoted a cent above the two dollar mark. Ontario flour goes up another 10c.

Manitoba wheat — No. 1 northern, $2.01, track, bay ports. No. 2, $1.98; No. 3, $1.96, No. 4, $1.08 1-2; old crop, 4c above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2, C. W., 69 1-2c.

American corn—None offering owing to the embargo.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 82c to 84c; No. 2 white 81c to 83c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1.65 to $1.67; No. 3, $1.63 to $1.65.

Peas—No. 2 nominal, car lots, $2.40.

Barley — good malting, $1.16 to $1.18; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal, $1.20.

Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal; No. 2, new, $1.32 to $1.33.

Manitoba Flour — First patents in Jute bags, $9.40; second patents, in jute, $8.90; strong bakery, in jute, $8.50, Toronto.

Ontario flour — New winter, $6.80 to $6.90, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered Montreal, shorts, $37; bran, $32; feed flour per bag, $2.80.

Hay—Baled, No. 1 track, Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots $12 to $13; No. 2, $9 to $10; straw, $9 to $9.50.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Union Stock Yards—Receipts, 18 cars, with 321 cattle, 52 calves, 659 hogs and 20 sheep and lambs.

The market has not yet got back to normal after the recent heavy buying for the Christmas beef trade. The weather was also against any activity in the market yesterday, the sleet storm holding up the cattle in the country. There were less than a hundred cattle in the market up to about noon when a few belated cars began to arrive, which brought the total for the morning's receipts up to about 200 cattle, besides a small run of hogs and sheep. There were a few transactions at steady prices but it was practically another off day for regular business. Quotations unchanged:

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do medium	6 25 6 75
Butcher cows, choice	6 25 7 00
do medium	5 75 6 25
Butcher bulls, choice	6 85 7 50
do good	6 50 6 60
do medium	5 00 5 50
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Omemee Items Of Interest

OMEMEE, Dec. 27.—Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Bradley, of Dunsford, visited relatives in town over Sunday.

Mr. Dewey Stinson, of Toronto, is spending the Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Stinson.

Miss Lula Bushnell, of Stouffville, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Bushnell, over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. E. MacPherson motored to Peterborough during the past week.

Mrs. Staples, of Lindsay, spent Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Earle.

Capt. Wm. Thorne, of Kingston, is spending a few days with his wife and family in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Horner and family, of Lindsay, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. D. Magee.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Nugent, of Lindsay, spent Christmas with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nugent.

Mrs. W. Montgomery and family, of Uxbridge, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leith Laidley.

Miss Edna Porter of Lindsay spent Christmas with her cousin, Mrs. T. C. Stephenson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Ferguson, of Peterborough, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Pogue, over the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Corneil are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. M. C. Corneil, of Beaton.

Mr. Thomas Shannon was a visitor to Lindsay on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Jones, of Orillia, spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sanderson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Weir were in Peterborough on business last week.

Miss Helen James, of Toronto, is spending a few days with her parents at The Rectory.

Mrs. A. E. Bryson, of Cobalt, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Laidley.

Mrs. Wm. Earle was in Lindsay on business on Saturday.

Mr. C. L. Morcombe spent Christmas with relatives at Whitby.

Dr. and Mrs. Irvine, of Lindsay, spent Christmas in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Earle.

Mr. W. H. Smyth, of Toronto, is spending the vacation with friends in this vicinity.

Miss Ethel Colwell, of Tamworth, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Colwell, over the holidays.

Miss Ida Nugent, of Toronto, spent Sunday and Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nugent.

Misses Hilda and Susie Clarke, of the Ross Memorial Hospital, Lindsay, spent Christmas with their mother, Mrs. N. P. Clarke.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. MacPherson went to Cannington on Tuesday to attend the funeral of his niece.

Miss Annie Blaylock, of Toronto, is visiting under the parental roof.

Miss Ruby Feir, of Peterborough, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Feir.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Day and baby, of Toronto, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Johnson over the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lamb, of Peterborough, were the guests of Mrs. Lamb's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Corneil, over Sunday.

Miss Maude Laidley, of Lindsay, is spending the vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Laidley.

The concert on Christmas night was a splendid success. The programme, which consisted of drills, vocal music, and a play, entitled "Under the Mistletoe," was enjoyed by all, and those who took part, as well as those who drilled, are deserving of great credit. The proceeds, which amounted to about $200, is in aid of the Soldiers' Aid Society.

IMPERIAL MUNITIONS BOARD

OTTAWA

December 27th, 1916.

TO THE MUNITIONS WORKERS OF CANADA.

The Imperial Minister of Munitions has entrusted to the manufacturers of Canada and their work people, the production of an important percentage of the shells which will be used at the front. It is vital to the successful prosecution of the war that these munitions be delivered weekly as promised. The present delivery of shells (save in one size) is below the promised quantity, and the shortage has become so serious that it causes grave anxiety.

If we, who produce munitions at home, are to be worthy of the men who have gone to the front, we must set aside comfort and ease and personal gratification, and give undivided attention to munitions output.

From a personal knowledge of the need, and personal contact with the suffering and the heroism of the men in the trenches, I urge the munitions workers, whether in the steel plant, or in the factory, to devote themselves with increased energy and unstinted time to the task of additional output.

Neither the soldier nor the sailor will have his New Year's Day free from duty. I appeal to the men and to the women engaged in munitions production in Canada, to forego Saturday afternoon, the 30th instant, and Monday, New Year's Day, and to continue at their work. The sacrifice is small, but to those who make it will come the satisfaction of having discharged a clear obligation.

Yours truly,

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Chairman.

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Railway Time Tables

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
CORRECTED JUNE 6, 1916.

7.00 a.m.—For Lakefield.
8.40 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg and points east, connecting at Port Hope for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 11.05 a.m.
8.55 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
9.20 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
11.00 a.m.—Mid-day express for Toronto, reaching Toronto at 3.15 p.m.
12.30 p.m.—For Lakefield.
11.40 a.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connection at Port Hope with "International" Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
1.30 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
5.20 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
5.45 p.m.—For Lakefield.
7.05 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
9.45 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Depths.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
CORRECTED JUNE 5, 1916.

*2.30 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*12.12 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N.B., Boston, and New York.
*1.20 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed Perth, Smith's Falls and Ottawa.
**11.27 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and intermediate points and all points east of Montreal.

GOING WEST.—
*3.30 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Galt, Woodstock, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*3.45 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
**7.20 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York. Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
*10.15 a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port Mc-Nichol and intermediate points
*3.53 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Buffalo, New York, Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, London, Detroit and Chicago.
*10.45 p.m.—North Toronto and West Toronto and intermediate points.
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"DESTINY"

By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday.)

With Marcia, there was the security of safe companionship and a combination of stimulus and soothing.

That this interest was tinctured with an essence of the enthusiastic, which to other eyes than his own—even to her eyes—might seem to hold a stronger personal note, he did not admit to himself. That would have meant another complication and a fresh alarm, so if the idea came he laughed it away as preposterous. But in a fashion those were very good days. He was discovering New York.

There are quaint places about the square, where insurgency reigns and finds expression, where existing conditions are denounced, where freedom is verbally fought for and capital and conventions are vocally annihilated. In some of them food is served at prices which astonished his training at the expensive restaurants. There the musician and the girl went, he as explorer, fastidiously critical, yet enduring what he regarded as squalor and anarchy, for the new experience of feeling that he was penetrating Bohemia.

She acted as guide, and since she knew the world of ease and the world of necessity and could walk alike with the aristocratic and the commonality—and remain equally herself—she sat amused, watching him as he watched the rest. The twinkle that sought to flash into her eye flashed only in her mind, but the play of keen humor and wit quaintly expressed sparkled through her conversation, so that when they were together they laughed a great deal.

Acquaintanceship which is nourished in the sunlight of laughter blooms rapidly into intimacy, and Paul Burton would have been surprised had he known how often his eyes wakened into a tell-tale glow of delight and admiration, and how easily any one looking on might have fallen into the egregious error of construing his attitude into one distinctly loverlike. All this while she continued to pique his curiosity by a sustained reserve as to herself.

She spoke quite frankly of her failures to get employment, making deliciously laughable stories out of disappointing and disheartening experiences, but it was only in incidental comments that she referred to things in the past which made him know that her life had once held in abundance these things which it now lacked.

One day when Paul had selected with real care a mass of roses of a new and particularly exotic variety to be sent to Loraine, the florist inquired, "Will that be all today, Mr. Burton?"

The musician had nodded, then suddenly said, "No. I think there is something else I want." It suddenly came to him that he had never given Marcia any sort of present. Of course she would have no use for a small cartload of expensive flowers. One had to send gifts of that sort to Loraine, because she was herself so gorgeously expensive, but Marcia might like some violets. Violets would look rather well on a blue suit she most often wore. He was to meet her in a half-hour, though he had not mentioned the appointment to Loraine. So he had the violets wrapped up, feeling somehow a sort of diffidence such as he had never felt before when giving flowers to women, and took them with him.

It was crisp afternoon and as he reached the square a small hand waved to him and he saw her walking briskly along by the arch, so he ordered the car stopped, and jumped out.

"I was just coming over for you," he said. "It would have been a disaster to have missed you. Barola is giving a violin recital at Carnegie Hall. Shall we run up? There's just time."

"You weren't going to miss me," she laughed. "I had no intention of letting you, but the afternoon was too utterly delectable to stay indoors, so I waylaid you here." Then after a moment, as she stepped lightly through the car door which he had opened, she added delightedly, "Barola! And I was just crying for some music. Did you hear my wails from the Flatiron building down?"

"I was too busy crying to see you," he laughed back. "My agonized sobs drowned the traffic whistles."

As the car turned, he held out the box, which proclaimed its contents, as violet boxes always do. A man may have a bottle of rum or a chest of stolen gold wrapped up so it looks as innocent as a pair of socks, but no swain bearing violets can deceive the eye of the most casual observer. Marcia was not deceived.

"Violets!" she exclaimed. "Do you mean they are for me?"

"Of course," he answered, and, for no reason at all, coloured like a schoolboy.

Marcia opened the box and sat gazing at the flowers.

Into her face came a sudden gravity and the delicate features seemed almost sad. She said, "Thank you," in a low voice and continued to gaze at her gift. Then she buried her face in their fragrance and for a moment held it there. When she raised it to him again it was smiling, though still gravely.

"They are lovely," she told him. "I'm glad you thought of them."

"You seemed almost sad," Paul spoke with a voice of deep solicitude. "Did I make a mistake? Do violets stand for something you don't want to be reminded of?"

She shook her head and laughed, and this time with the old note of merriment.

"Violets stand for everything that's nice," she assured him. "It was just that—I hardly know—just that it suddenly occurred to me how long a time it's been since anyone gave me flowers."

"Someone is going to often," the words came quickly, and impulsively he laid his hand over hers for just a moment.

"Do you know, I have the instincts of a sybarite?" she informed him. "When I go to sleep to-night, I shall put these violets near the head of my bed, and whenever I wake up I'll smell them."

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Despite his strong defensive preparations and his almost clairvoyant foresight, in Hamilton Burton an insidious change was taking place and the brain which so astutely coordinated many things was totally unconscious of its own transitions. Egotism had made him. A self-faith which took no account of difficulties, had carried him to the apex of his ambitions. Now it was blinding him with its own brilliance. Hamilton Burton was drunk, drunk to the core of his soul, with the strong intoxicant of self confidence. He looked on life through a mirror—and saw only himself.

So, while he entrenched and safeguarded his destiny, he failed to realize that he was being lulled into a reckless faith in the star he believed shone over him and for him. He did not pause to reflect that the wolf, gaunt and powerful, who by the courage in his shaggy breast and the strength of his fanged jaws, runs unchallenged at the pack head, may change.

He took no account of the fact that the wolf forged is the wolf weakened.

As his plans grew his methods became more unscrupulous and his scorn for forms of law increased.

One day he sat in his mother's house showing her, with the enthusiastic glee of a child for new toys, several freshly acquired miniatures of the First Napoleon.

Mrs. Burton turned one of the princesses trinkets over in her hand and gazed at it wonderingly. It was a small thing, wrought on ivory by Jean Baptiste Jacques Augustin and framed in pearls. She thought she had seen more flattering portrayals of the round head which stared out from the jewelled circlet.

"I suppose," she said with such a gift as mothers utter when they fail to understand with full sympathy the enthusiasms of their children, "I ought to rave over this. From your eyes I realize it is treasure-trove and yet to me it is meaningless. Of course," she naively added, "the pearls are very pretty."

Tenderly Hamilton stooped and kissed her forehead, then he took the miniature from her hand and stood looking at the painted face. He stood straight and lithe and he spoke slowly:

"Sometimes I wonder if the belief in reincarnation is not the truest faith, mother. Sometimes, I seem to look back on the career of this man as on something in an unforgotten past. To me it is all more vital than history; more real than chronicle. It is memory!" He paused and his eyes were altogether grave.

"As I reflect on Austerlitz, I find myself saying, 'I did well there,' and for Waterloo and St. Helena my chagrin and misery are personal. Why should I doubt that once my own spirit dwelt in another body—in his, perhaps?" His voice mounted and he continued, "But this time the spirit must go further. It must never taste defeat. Its triumph must grow to the end, and surrender its scepter and baton only to Death."

The mother looked up at the exalted fantasy which glowed in her son's face and her head shook uncomprehendingly. "It seems only yesterday" she said "that I held you a soft little morsel of pink flesh close to my breast. I dreamed of no great triumphs for you. Only goodness and health. Perhaps it was as well that way. I sometimes wonder if any woman could face her responsibilities if she knew she was giving birth to one of the masters of the world. My only vanity was to name you Hamilton. And Paul I named for the great apostle." She laughed very low—and her son knelt beside her chair and drew her into his embrace.

CHAPTER XVIII.

Paul, who was named for the apostle, and Loraine Haswell had drifted further into midstream than either realized. Less keen observers than Norvil Thayre now spoke of their frequent meetings. Club conversation intimated that not only financial stress was responsible for the silencing of Len Haswell's jovial laughter.

Loraine's point of view was shifting dangerously. Paul had at first been a pleasing playmate and a celebrity whose devotion was flattering as a tribute to her charm and beauty. Now a constant comparison asserted itself to her mind between her husband's financial limitations and the pleasing scope of Paul's access to Hamilton's treasury. Discontent had entered her Eden—and it was no longer an Eden.

One morning Paul's telephone rang before he was out of bed.

"I must see you," announced Loraine, and the familiar voice was excitedly urgent. "Len has been odious and I—I want your advice. There's no one else that I can talk to."

Paul Burton hesitated. His timidity balked at facing a moment which might call upon him to take a courageous stand or one fronting possible reprisals. Over his face crept a terror very much like that which had blanched it years ago when the Marquess had threatened him with strictures across the school table. He divined the subject which she wished to discuss and dreaded the interview. The ethical side of the matter gave him no concern; but the same lack of stamina which caused him to shrink made it impossible for him to refuse.

"Where shall I meet you?" he hesitantly inquired, "at Sherry's as usual?"

"No," she hastily objected. "That has become rather too usual." She named a place in lower Fifth avenue which Fashion regards as delightfully Bohemian and Bohemia considers alluringly fashionable. She named an hour when the place would be empty enough for an undisturbed rendezvous.

Now, as Paul Burton sat opposite Loraine Haswell at one of the small and snowy tables, he sought to cloak his nervousness under a guise of debonair ease and soon the woman was embarked upon the recital of her grievances.

"Len has had an utterly intolerable fit of jealousy," she confided; then fell silent while she nibbled at a melon. But her dark eyes were full of beauty's appeal and injured distress. "It's reached a point, Paul——" her voice became very soft, almost tearful —"where I'm afraid I must make a decision; the sort of decision that it's very hard for a woman to make."

"Was he unkind to you?" Her companion sought to speak with indignation, but a note which punctured the assumption with falsity. It was occurring to him that Len Haswell might be particularly unkind to him.

She leaned far over the table and spoke guardedly.

"He has made me promise that I shan't see you again, except where we meet by accident; that all our innocent little parties must end."

"And you promised?"

Slowly and reluctantly she nodded her head. "It was that or——" she broke off.

"Or what?"

"Or a separation. He said I must choose definitely between you." Paul Burton studied his plate in the silence of indecision, and she went on rather haltingly. "When marriage reaches the ultimatum stage, it doesn't offer much chance for happiness, does it?" Then after a pause she added thoughtfullly, "It's not as though there were children to consider."

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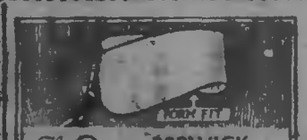
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"I had used this same bowl before classes for several years with violin tones. But on this particular day the students as well as I were surprised at the breaking and unearthly noise.

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An American girl was taking a Liverpool girl home to the States with her and toward the end of the journey remarked: "It is delightful to feel that one is so near home. We ought to fight Sandy Hook this afternoon."

"Shall we?" exclaimed her friend. That will be nice. Don't tell me which one he is. I can always pick a Scotsman out of a crowd."—Chief Steward.

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"Why, don't you remember me?" said the professional cavalier, straightening his beautifully tailored figure. "I was your chauffeur two years ago."—New York Post.

Europe in Africa.

The Africa of today is partitioned off among the following nations: Great Britain, France, Germany, Italy, Portugal, Belgium and Spain. Great Britain has the fairer portions, her South African possessions having a fine climate also being in every way perfectly adapted to the white race. The French and Italian possessions along the Mediterranean are also well enough as regards climate, but are lacking along agricultural and other lines. It is exceedingly doubtful if much of German, Belgium and Portuguese Africa will ever become the seats of white civilization.

Bismarck's Appetite.

Bismarck, the Iron Chancellor, had an enormous capacity for eating and drinking. He once told a friend that the largest number of oysters he ever ate was 175. He first ordered twenty-five; then, as they were very good, fifty more, and, consuming these, determined to eat nothing else and ordered another hundred, to the great amusement of those present. Bismarck was then twenty-six and had just returned from England.

Kindness of the Boss.

Little Tommy, who was about knee high to a half pint, was employed by a busy broker. One afternoon the broker was sitting at his desk trying to collect his thoughts as well as some coin when he suddenly looked up and signaled Tommy to draw near.

"Tommy," said the boss, digging down into his jeans, "here's a fifty cent chunk of silver. Take it and hustle off to some vaudeville show."

"Thank you very much, sir," gratefully responded Tommy, freezing fast to the coin. "That's what I call being some good to a poor kid."

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OUR DAILY SHORT STORY

An Eventful Wedding Journey

By BARBARA PHIPPS

I am one of those American women who have married foreigners. My husband loves me, is kind to me, but I can't help feeling that if the freedom of his people depended upon his taking my life he would nerve himself to do the deed.

There is a story connected with our wedding journey that I am going to tell, though for twenty years whenever I have thought of it my blood has run cold.

I am of a very sympathetic nature and impulsive, and Gustav—as I shall call him—was impassive. I presume it was this difference between us that fascinated me with him. We are prone to admire what we cannot be. He seemed at times to be made of marble. Often when thinking of him I thought at the same time of the sphinx or the pyramids.

"Why do not your people rise and throw off your oppressors?" I asked.

"We would be crushed," was the calm reply.

This was all I could get out of him. I could not discern from what he said and did but that his people expected to live under foreign oppression till the crack of doom. Gustav's only hope seemed wild to me. It was that eventually all the sovereigns in the world would be killed off.

I would not consent to marry Gustav unless he would leave his country and go with me to America. This he declined to do because he was needed by the people of his country. How he could be needed by those who were sunk in a hopeless slavery to an autocrat and were making no effort to throw off the yoke I could not imagine. However, while making my preparations to depart he came to me and said that he would go with me. Circumstances had arisen which might enable him to help his people by going elsewhere.

This would have made me very happy had he given me those circumstances that had brought about the change. But he did not, nor could I cajole him to make an explanation. Did he intend to advocate the cause of his countrymen in other countries? No. He would neither speak nor write a word on the subject. Would he resort to diplomacy? No. He would live a life of seclusion.

I might have been able to drive the matter from my mind had not Gustav become more impassive, if possible, than before. He treated me with unusual tenderness. On the day of our marriage he said to me, "Before the ceremony I wish you to forgive me for any injury I may inflict upon you by making you my wife." I naturally took this as indicating a very tender conscience and gave the desired forgiveness.

Gustav applied for a passport to go on his wedding trip. He was delayed in getting it, and our wedding had to be postponed on this account. Why there should have been any delay he did not explain to me, the wedding being timed to take place an hour before the leaving of the train on which we were to depart. On leaving the house my husband spoke a few words to the driver that I did not hear. We were driven to the station by a roundabout way and stopped at a house in a quiet street, Gustav telling me that he wished to leave something there for a friend.

But when he alighted he carried nothing in his hand. The door was opened by a man apparently of the middle class. Gustav stepped inside. The door was closed, but only for a second. My husband reappeared, and we proceeded on our way.

Somehow it struck me that when this brief visit was over Gustav experienced a great relief. He emerged from the house with the most serious look I have ever seen on a man's face, but on entering the carriage he looked at me with an expression which I could only interpret as indicating that there had been a great danger which had now passed. Taking my hand in his, he pressed it, which I took to express the same emotion as his look.

An hour after our train left the station we had crossed the border. There was as much change in my husband at this time as there was after his brief visit. But one thing I noticed—he seemed eager to put distance between us and his former home. We had intended to stop over night in a large city, but Gustav seemed eager to get on, and I consented to proceed to a little town where there were few people and no telegraph.

The next day we passed out of the country adjoining my husband's fatherland and by evening had traversed another nationality, entering Switzerland. Here my husband bought a paper and scanned it eagerly. Suddenly I saw a look of disappointment pass over his face. Looking over his shoulder, I read that on the night following our wedding an attempt had been made to assassinate the governor of the province in which we were married. He had been badly wounded, but not killed.

All was now plain to me. Gus had probably made and certainly delivered the bomb used in the attempted assassination. Indeed, I finally learned that he had it under his arm when we were married and when we were driving to the station.

All this was a great shock to me and has cast a gloom over my life since it occurred. But I forgave my husband the injury he had done me before we were married.

Sure of Herself.

"Do you think," asked the widower, "you could learn to love my children as you would if they were your own?"

"Oh, yes," replied the anxious maiden. "I think I should care more for them really than if they were my own, because I shouldn't have to worry so much about them if they got hurt or were sick."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Not.

"Shall we marry, darling, or shall we knot?" was the short and witty line an ardent lover dispatched to the idol of his heart.

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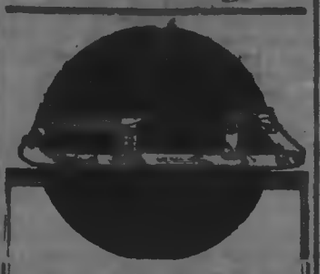

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"I Love My Command"

And I ask you to give a little sympathy to me also, who have commanded you in these battles referred to, who, having come to you as a stranger, now love my command with a depth of feeling I have never known in my life before. When I mention myself, I would also mention the names of the generals under me, whose names are distinguished in the army as leaders of men.

I am speaking to you as I did before, straight from the heart; and, as I say, ask your sympathy for my feelings, having promised you relief on certain dates on the promise of those ordered to relieve us. Not their fault, no doubt—do not think that I blame them. They are giving their lives freely and deserve our gratitude and admiration.

"You Are With Me"

But I want you to help me again as before. I have asked General Aylmer for the next attempt. . . . to bring such numbers as will break down all resistance and leave no doubt of the issue. In order to hold out I am killing a large number of horses, so as to reduce the quantity of grain eaten every day. I have had to reduce your rations. It is necessary to do this in order to keep our flag flying. I am determined to hold out and I know you are all with me in heart and soul. (Signed) Charles Townshend, Major-General, Commanding Garrison at Kut. Kut-el-Amara, 10th March, 1916.

HOT MEALS FOR GIRLS

Specimen Tariff For Canteens in English Munition Works

"Left to herself, a woman always lives upon cake," said Mr. Rowntree, head of the Welfare Department of the Ministry of Munitions. Mr. Rowntree was discussing the case of the munition factory, which has compelled their women workers to feed themselves properly by agreeing with them to provide the meals and to stop the cost off their wages.

"The Canteen Committee, under Sir George Newman," continued Mr. Rowntree, "is fully alive to the importance of giving the girls freshly cooked hot meals. A specimen tariff and weekly menu has been provided for the assistance of canteens." Breakfast, consisting of bacon and egg, cup of tea, coffee, or cocoa, and slice of bread and butter, is sometimes served at an inclusive price of 14c or 16c.

Dinner includes the following: Soup and bread, 6c; cut from the joint and two vegetables, 12c to 16c; steak and kidney pie or pudding, with two vegetables, 12c to 16c; liver and bacon, with two vegetables, 12c to 16c; sausage and mashed potatoes, 6c to 8c; Irish stew, hot pot, curried beef with rice or other made-up dish, 8c to 12c; cold meat and two vegetables, 10c to 14c; bread and cheese, 3c to 4c.

WORKING FOR OTHERS

Pioneers Have That Unique Honor—They "Consolidate"

W. Beach Thomas writes: The organization, the consolidation of captured positions is first and foremost the handiwork of the pioneers. On one occasion—how ancient history—a group of pioneers who pushed up at night to dig trenches found the infantry so exhausted that many could not even talk consecutive sense. Utter weariness of this sort is of the essence of war, and the pioneers, whose weariness was rather less, used their spades all night and their guns a good part of the day. It is all in the day's work.

One company commander and his subaltern, whom I met after many days of work in No Man's Land, were insistent on this one fact: that anyway they had a much easier time than the infantry proper. They came and went. The infantry stayed. And it is that sort of magnanimity and admiration for others' work that is steadily making the present army one of the best in the world. By the nature of their job engineers and pioneers above others spend their time in doing work on behalf of others, and they live up to the standard of this enforced altruism.

Why Highlanders' Spats

Here is the origin of the Highlanders' spats: When the British forces, which were composed for the greater part of Highlanders, were under the leadership of Sir John Moore in Portugal in 1809, they were forced to retreat from Astorga to Corunna. During the famous retreat, which ended in the victory at Corunna, the very boots were cut from the soldiers' feet by the jagged rocks over which they had to climb. In order to save their feet from being lacerated, the soldiers took the skirts from their backs and, tearing them into strips, wound them round their feet. The incident was remembered, and the white spats are the result of this heroic march.

BRITAIN'S MILLIONAIRES.

Lord Joicey is the World's Greatest Coal-Owner.

No fanciful heraldic design adorns the coat of arms of Lord Joicey. The foremost items on his escutcheon are a couple of honest pick-axes and two pit ponies. It was typical of Lord Joicey, the world's largest and richest coal-owner, that when he was raised to the peerage in 1905 he should have chosen this design for a crest, for he is proud of the fact that his immense fortune rests on the pit pony and the pickaxe which his father used to wield in the depths of the mine.

Born in the atmosphere of collieries and brickworks at Tanfield, in Durham, Lord Joicey as a boy grew up in the "black environment." His father, who at one time worked in a Tyneside colliery, was a man of serious thought, foresight, and shrewd common sense. He saw the future of the engineering side of mining, and earned a reputation as a clever engineer. Ultimately his son went to Newcastle, and there are many people in that town who still remember the days when the millionaire could be seen on the quay in his uncle's office, putting up shutters and going for letters.

Thrifty and energetic, young Joicey saved every penny he could while learning all he could; and although for a time he was only earning the modest wage of £2 a week, he was able to save enough to invest in some mining enterprises.

In those days people used to say that "young Joicey would one day own the coal of the kingdom." An exaggeration, of course. But the expression gives some idea of the opinion of the North-country people regarding his capabilities, even in the days before his uncle's death placed him in possession of great wealth.

With the money he inherited from his uncle Lord Joicey judiciously negotiated various deals. Some idea of the extent of his resources may be gathered when it is mentioned that some years ago his firm took a lease of Lord Durham's pits for £1,100,000, the capital expenditure being paid out of the profits within two years.

A further illustration of Lord Joicey's vast interests is contained in the remark which he made in a speech when he was presented with a portrait of himself in 1913 at the Newcastle Chamber of Commerce to celebrate his fifty years of commercial life.

"Business life," he said on that occasion, "is a good life, and to preside over a concern which spends £1,500,000 a year in wages and supports thousands of families is a thing to be proud of."

Outside his business Lord Joicey has many interests. He is fond of outdoor life. He golfs, shoots, cycles, and on occasion plays lawn tennis. He is keenly interested in agriculture and art. Indeed, he is one of the most munificent patrons of art, and to him many a struggling artist has owed the help which has carried him some way up the ladder that leads to fame. Personally Lord Joicey is a man of much geniality, who is known among his friends as "Old King Coal."

No Man's Land.

The term "no man's land" has sprung into prominence during the war. It means, of course, the "dead" ground between any two lines of advanced trenches, the enemy's and ours. There is, however, another kind of no man's land, delimited and guaranteed by treaties. One of these curious strips of neutral territory stretches across the isthmus that connects the Rock of Gibraltar with Spain. It is about half a mile wide, and our sentries and the Spanish sentries face one another by day and by night, year in and year out, from opposite sides. The territory in between these two chains of sentinels belongs neither to Britain nor to Spain.

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FACTORIES AS HOUSES

Munition Factories Where Workers' Welfare Was Forgotten

An Englishman writes: Contrast the since-the-war conditions with those I found in many other factories, and the tribute I would pay to the work of the Welfare Department of the Ministry of Munitions will be appreciated. This work is one aspect of the vast energy displayed by the Ministry of Munitions. I visited factories from small ones employing 200 women to some of the largest, where the number of the female staff ran into thousands in many of them before the war no women at all were employed, others had only a few women, and in others the female staff had been greatly augmented.

In very few of the factories where women had been previously employed had any attempt been made to study the human element. In physical matters only the bare demands of the Factory Acts had been carried out. It was a revelation to me to find how easily satisfied reasonably good employers had been with the conditions under which their factory workers existed.

Those living at a distance from the factory had no mess-rooms. They had their food in the factory itself, which in the case of a cotton mill in normal times was filled with flying dust. The only washing convenience was a corner with a pail under a cold water tap, also in the shop itself. Very rarely was there any accommodation for drying wet outer garments or boots.

The factories, as a matter of fact, were constructed wholly and solely for housing machinery, not human beings. But now that employers generally are seeing how much greater the efficiency is under welfare supervision they are beginning, I think, to kick themselves mentally for having jogged along for so many years without having given the human side a chance.

The five weeds occurring most frequently on the 400 farms visited by the Canadian Conservation Commission in 1916 were Canada thistle, couch grass, wild mustard, ragweed and sow thistle.

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DOGS IN ALASKA.

Carry Great Loads Over Snow That Would Not Hold a Man.

Dogs are surely the real thing for "mushing" in the cold country. To my mind they beat reindeer a mile. Most of them weigh less than 100 pounds, and they distribute their weight over their four feet, so that they can trot over a weak snow crust where a man would sink out of sight by breaking through the crust into the soft snow below. On a good, level, smooth trail ten dogs can trot along with a ton of freight behind them, and 500 or 600 pounds is a fair load on poor trails.

A peculiar thing is that a twelve foot sled, twenty-two to twenty-four inches wide, with runners two and one-quarter inches wide, bearing a load of 600 to 800 pounds, will not sink through a snow crust that will not bear a man. This occurs because two runners two and one-quarter inches wide and twelve feet long give a large area of bearing on the crust. This, coupled with the motion that keeps the sled passing over all the time, accounts for the remarkable fact I am speaking of.

One of the greatest dangers in "mushing" is encountering water under the snow on the river ice in very cold weather or breaking through into hollow places where the stream has sunk away from under the ice. This is the most dangerous of all, and often when it happens a man is frozen to death before he can get to shelter or get up his tent and start a fire.—B. S. Bodey in Albuquerque Herald.

THE STUDY OF WORDS.

It's a Helpful Scheme to Use Your Dictionary Every Day.

Writing an article, "Treasure in Books," in the Woman's Home Companion, Laura Spencer Portor gives the following excellent advice about the advantages to be gained from the study of words:

"The study of words—it may sound to you a dry thing, yet I promise you it is not; very far from it.

"And this brings me to suggest that the habit of one of the great writers of studying carefully from a good dictionary five words each day is one from which we might all of us get a good deal of profit. Or take a good book of synonyms, for instance, and learn from it each day five words somewhat similar, comparing and weighing carefully the meanings and values of them.

"Notice the degrees of force in the following. To dislike, to hate, to loathe, to detest, to abhor. Each note struck is a little stronger, higher, we might say, like an ascending crescendo scale. So to instruct, to teach, to educate, are each quite different in meaning, with a great nicety of difference. So, rebuke, reprimand, censure, blame, are all of one color, but of now umerent shades of meaning. So, too, misfortune, calamity, disaster; so, weak, feeble, decrepit, and what delicate difference between fame and renown or feminine and womanly and womanish."

Napoleon's Power.

General Foy, the French military critic of the time of Napoleon, speaking of Napoleon's strength and his weakness, said: "Only the founders of religion have exercised upon their followers an authority comparable to that which made him the absolute master of his armies. This moral power became to him a fatal gift. He came to believe that he could prevail even against the most powerful material force, and this led him to scorn certain rules, the long continued violation of which could not remain unpunished."

Reincarnated.

The school as a civic center having become overcrowded, it occurred to some bright mind to advocate the use of the home as a civic center.

"The home is vacant so large a part of the day that it would seem that the highest efficiency would put it to some use other than as a possible place to sleep in after midnight."

This was immediately done, and the home began to come back. Thereupon the leading sociological writer wrote an article in which he proved again to the satisfaction of all that everything has a use.—Life.

His Thirst.

Husband—May, just send up some filtered water. Wife—Which was it last night, "Detained at the office" or "A friend at the club?" Husband—Why? Wife—Because I didn't know whether you wanted a tumbler or a pailful.—London Opinion.

Improving Slowly.

"How is your cousin getting on, Jane?"

"Nicely, thank you, ma'am, but he had an awful time. They performed three autopsies on him at the hospital before he began to get better."—Baltimore American.

Didn't Agree With Him.

"You should never take anything that doesn't agree with you," the physician told him.

"If I'd always followed that rule, Maria," he remarked to his wife, "where would you be?"—London Express.

Pike's Peak.

Zebulon Montgomery Pike, an officer in the United States army, discovered the famous peak that bears his name on Nov. 15, 1806.

EXAMINER PATTERN SERVICE

LADIES' ONE-PIECE PLAITED DRESS.

By Anabel Worthington.

There is abundance evidence in the numerous models on display that the one piece frock on long, loose lines will be widely favored throughout the winter. No doubt the elegance of the materials produced has much to do with the vogue.

About the one piece dress illustrated we may say the nicest thing is its sweet simplicity. At back it falls in pleats from a yoke, at front, the novelty of the neck holds attention—just below, the front section is laid in pleats, while at about normal waist line the sides are gathered and braid ornamented. A very pretty collar in contrasting goods and color gives a dainty neck finish and the sleeves are cuffed to correspond. A piece belt of the collar material holds the pleats in very gracefully and adds richness to the model.

A number of satin and serge combinations figure in the one piece frocks, but broadcloth has returned, and because a woman may be correctly gowned in a broadcloth dress from any hour until night, it is likely that this fabric will be much used. Simple in general effect, but with last minute touches, this model is voted a success.

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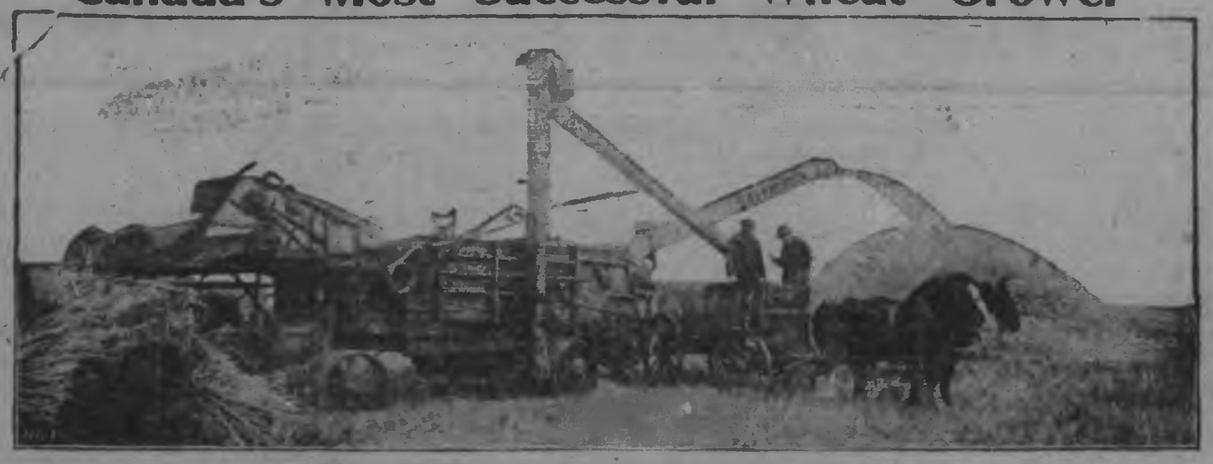

A YIELD of 54,383 bushels of wheat from 1,000 acres of land, or 54 bushels 23 lbs. on the average per acre, seems to appear like an impossibility; but it is a fact that Mr. C. S. Noble, of Nobleford, Alberta, has reaped this marvellous production from his farms in the harvest of 1916. This bountiful gift of nature to man is likely to attract as much attention to this country as any other remarkable incident that has yet been noticed in connection with the progress of the Dominion in the farming or the industrial sphere.

53 men, 78 horses, 3 separators and 2 sheaf loaders did their part in the work of garnering the grain. On September 19th the threshing began, and proceeded merrily for some days, during which time moving pictures of the operations were taken. The grain graded Numbers 1, 2, and 3. All of it was of the Marquis variety, which has been proved to give the best results of any species of wheat yet tried in West Canada. The seed from which the enormous returns sprung was nearly all raised from a one acre field that had been sown with hand picked pedigree Marquis seed.

At a moderate estimate the land from which Mr. Noble has gathered his crop returns him $85 an acre. After paying all expenses this famous grain grower has a huge sum of money as a reward for his exertions. But he well deserves all that has come to him. It is true that a fertile soil and a magnificent climate were bountiful, but the ability with which the agriculturist managed his ground was in no small way responsible for his success. Mr. Noble is a business man, and is possessed of the gift of concentration — that quality which always discovers the right road to the man who perseveres. He has a system of his own for doing everything, and everything he does is done in the most systematic manner. With a staff of 120 men he operates three different farms. On the farms, and at the office where the farm schemes are planned, he is the supervisor. He has taught his employees to be regular in their movements as the wheels of a machine. The office telephone connects him with every one of the different departments, and if there is anything which demands his immediate personal attention while he is at the office his automobile is waiting ready to convey him to the spot. The accounts of the property are all kept with a neatness, accuracy and regularity that would arouse the admiration of the most critical of chartered accountants.

Mr. Noble was born on a farm near State Center, Marshall County, Iowa, in the year 1872. His boyhood was spent largely on the farm. Shortly after reaching his majority he filed on a quarter section of land near Knox, North Dakota, where he lived until 1903. In that year he moved to Clareshsim, Alberta, married Miss Margaret Fraser, of Hawkesbury, Ontario, and, in addition to farming interests, later enjoyed a successful real estate business with his present partner, Mr. T. C. Milnes. From this point his rise in the business world has been rapid. In the year 1909 he moved to his present location at Nobleford, Alberta, where he lives on Grand View Farm, with his family consisting of his wife, two sons and one daughter, giving practically all his attention to the farm. Thus it is seen that his life work has been that of a practical farmer.

His entire career has been marked by energy and foresight of an exceptional quality, his prominent mental characteristics being courage in meeting facts squarely, accuracy in figuring costs, and boldness and originality in making investments. Coupled with the hardest common sense and shrewd insight into human nature, he has a gift of imagination which is constantly leading him on to greater things and to blazing the way for others to follow.

He is a total abstainer from the use of all kinds of narcotics, and takes his place at work with any of his men whenever occasion requires. He is a life long church member and an elder in the Presbyterian Church at Noble.

Banana Crop Destroyed.

Information collected from all parts of the island of Jamaica respecting the damage done by the recent hurricane, indicates that for all practical purposes this year's banana crop has been completely destroyed, the crop for 1917 reduced by fifty per cent., and barring further blows, the full output from all plantations will not be in effect before 1918. The serious nature of the situation which has been brought about will be recognized when it is stated that bananas represent fully sixty per cent. of the island exports.

While the loss in cocoanuts is considerable, due to the blowing down of immature nuts, the loss in growing trees is probably not more than two per cent. on the average. So far as is shown from reports from mountain districts, damage to coffee has been negligible; and the same may be said of other crops. Although the island was practically in the teeth of the storm, the damage done was moderate as compared with that wrought by the "blow" of 1903.

Raw Sponges.

To persons who know sponges only as they appear ready for sale and use the animal as it comes from the sea would be unrecognizable. It is a solid looking, rather slimy, fleshy body, varying in color from light grayish yellow through a range of browns to black and in form it is cup shaped, spheroidal or cake shaped, according to the species, its age or the environment in which it grew. In general, in appearance and consistency and the manner in which it cuts with a knife, a living sheep's wool sponge is not unlike a piece of beef liver perforated with holes and canals. The sponge of the markets is merely the skeleton, the 'supporting' framework which gives strength and form to the soft, gelatinous tissue of the living animal.

Imaginary Whys of Celibacy.

Curious how when a man remains a bachelor people will speculate concerning his celibate state:

"Well, he has had an unfortunate affair some time or other. No man as attractive as he has gone this long without a tender memory to accompany him."

Of a woman:

"Funny she never married. Now, you'd think she'd be attractive to the men, wouldn't you?"—New York Sun.

Good News For Papa.

"Paw?"

"Well?"

"When I promise to marry him do you want him to come and ask your consent?"

"No, not my consent, but I would like to have him trot in and tell me the good news. I sort of feel like I needed cheering up."—Houston Post.

Suddenly Tired.

"Good gracious, what a sight you are! What have you been doing?"

"The barber had just lathered me when some one came in and told him that he had won the big prize in a lottery and he retired at once."—Fliegende Blatter.

Hard Luck.

Hard luck is when a man who does not like oysters eats one for politeness, discovers a $100 pearl and then keeps on eating them indefinitely to find another.—Chicago News.

Man had not a hamper to begin, not a syllabled articulatio. They had it all to make—and they made it.—Carlyle.

ECZEMA AND SORE EYES.

"My boy, Frank, seemed weak chested and took a very severe cold," writes Mrs. D. Stevens, Nisga, Man. "The many medicines used did not seem to benefit him, until we tried Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine, and found it to be exactly what was wanted to cure him." No treatment is so thorough and effective as a cure for coughs and bronchitis.

TRAGIC BRAVERY.

Sublime Act of a Hero Who Went to a Watery Grave.

In the chapel at Glenalmond school in Perthshire, Scotland, there is a marble slab with this stirring story recorded upon it:

There was once in the school a pupil named Alexander Cumine Russell, who became an officer in the Seventy-fourth highlanders when only a lad of seventeen. In connection with the memorable loss of the Birkenhead he won immortal glory. The troopship struck upon a rock; the soldiers were formed in ranks upon the deck to die, the women and children were being saved in boats.

Russell was ordered into one of the boats to command it, and a little way off he watched with dimmed eyes the doomed ship. When she went down he saw creatures of the deep contending for his beloved comrades. Then he saw a sailor's form rise up close to the boat and a hand strive to grasp the side.

A woman in the craft called out in agony: "Save him! Oh, save him, sir! He is my husband," but there was no room for another, and the boat was labouring heavily as it was. Russell looked at the woman and then at her children, then at those beseeching eyes in the deep, and, rising in the stern, he plunged into the water and helped the sailor into what had been his own place. Then amid a chorus of "God bless you" from every one in the boat the brave young officer turned to meet his death.—Pearson's Weekly.

SOME FAMOUS PAINTINGS.

A Tiny Work of Art and Rossi's Transformed Harpsichord.

The smallest painting in the world of distinctive merit was executed on the smooth side of a grain of corn by a Flemish artist. On this limited surface the artist painted in perfect detail a mill, a miller with a sack of grain on his back, a horse and cart and a group of several peasants standing in a road.

The largest picture ever painted is said to be a panorama of the Mississippi river, executed by John Banvard, an artist who died in Watertown, S. D., in 1891. The gigantic canvas was twenty-two feet high and nearly two miles long. It gave a detailed representation of 2,000 miles of the Father of Waters.

The largest of the old masters' canvases is Murillo's "Appearance of the Christ Child to St. Anthony of Padua." The picture is ten feet wide and eighteen feet high.

It is related that a friend called on Salvator Rosa in Florence one day and found him playing on an old harpsichord. The caller asked the artist why he kept such a worthless instrument.

"Why, it is not worth a scudo!" the friend said.

"I will wager," replied Rosa, "that it shall be worth a thousand before you see it again."

A bet was made. Rosa immediately painted a landscape on the lid that not only sold for 1,000 scudi, but was accounted a work of great merit.

Boasted Too Soon.

When the old Grand Duke of Mecklenburg-Strelitz was staying at Holkham with Thomas Coke, then commonly known as "king of Norfolk," he boasted one evening at dinner that no man had ever dared to shoot at him and that if any one had ever attempted such a thing he would have shot the man dead on the spot.

The next day at the court the grand duke suddenly felt a shower of shot peppering his legs and, turning round in a fury to find whence it proceeded, saw William Coke with a gun leveled in his direction.

"I've got another muzzle ready," said William coolly. "Will you" shoot?"—From "The Life of Thomas Coke, Earl of Leicester."

A GREAT DAIRYMAN.

Late Senator Derbyshire was a Builder of the Cheese Industry.

Senator Daniel Derbyshire, who died in Brockville a few days ago following an illness of ten days of paralysis, was one of the most interesting figures in the agricultural world of Ontario.

Born in the heart of one of the great dairying districts of Ontario, at Plum Hollow, Leeds County, December 11, 1846, Mr. Derbyshire was connected during the greater part of his life with the industry which he saw rise to immense proportions. So intimately and to such an extent was he associated with the dairying industry that he became known as the "Eastern Ontario Cheese King," being for twenty-five years President of the Eastern Ontario Dairymen's Association.

What the late Speaker Ballantyne was to the dairy industry of Western Ontario, "Dan" Derbyshire was to the dairy industry of Eastern Ontario. For about a quarter of a century the latter was President of the Eastern Ontario Dairymen's Association; he might almost be said to have been the association during that period. In physical stature, in personality, in enthusiasm, he was the dominating figure of all the annual conventions held during the period of his Presidency. Even after laying down the office of President he was a regular attendant at the annual convention, and always presided at one session at least. His work was not confined to the more or less spectacular duties of convention week. He went up and down the concession lines and urged the formation of syndicates for the building of factories, and largely as a result two-thirds of all the cheese for which Ontario is famous is made in the territory within the limits of his activities. Mr. Derbyshire was also chiefly instrumental in inducing the Eastern Association to take up factory instruction work, and, when the Department of Agriculture assumed the task later on, he loyally aided in making the new departure a success. His activities were not confined, either to the purely factory end of the cheese industry. Everywhere he preached better cows, and corn as the basis of feeding the cows. In short, to Dan Derbyshire more than to any other one man Ontario is indebted for the pre-eminence she has long enjoyed in cheese-making.

He entered the business as a manufacturer in 1874 at Athens. He came to Brockville in 1879, and two years later became local representative of A. A. Ayer & Company. He served as Councillor and was Mayor of Brockville in 1889 and 1890. He was a big man in more ways than one, standing six feet four inches in his stocking feet. After unsuccessfully contesting the riding of Brockville in the Liberal interests in 1891 and 1900, he was elected in 1904, and three years later resigned and was called to the Senate, Hon. G. P. Graham being returned in his stead by acclamation.

Senator Derbyshire was a ready wit, also an authority on agricultural matters in the House and Senate. He was Grand Master for Ontario of the Oddfellows in 1909-1910, and was also a prominent Mason of several degrees. He was a prominent member of the Baptist denomination.

To Advertise Canada.

The Dominion Government is going into the moving picture business. It is not doing so with the idea of making money, but with the object of interesting people, both in and out of Canada, in the natural resources of this Dominion.

Arrangements have, it is understood, been concluded and camera men have already started at work filming scenes from one end of Canada to the other. These will comprise views of the country's scenic beauties and pictures of various of its industrial systems. They will be carefully chosen so as to present the Dominion not only as a garden of nature, but also as a field of opportunity. They represent the application of the most modern and popular of pictorial devices to the work of promoting immigration and interesting capital in this country, and will be of use in a variety of ways and by many different branches of the Government service.

Mr. Francis Holley, Director of the Bureau of Commercial Economics, Washington, now recognized as one of the greatest modern educational institutions in the world, was in Ottawa recently in connection with this matter. It is understood Mr Holley has interested the Canadian Government in the project, and that he has offered to exhibit any views that may be taken free to millions of citizens of the United States throughout the medium of the bureau. The offer is one which, it is likely, will be gratefully accepted by the Government.

The use of moving pictures with a view to promoting immigration and trade is in line with the Government's desire to use every means to prepare now for the development which it is expected will come after the war.

Spoiled Musicians.

Rubinstein disapproved of marriage for musicians. Just before his death he spoke sadly of his Russian lady pupils. "What have I wasted all my time on them for?" he asked irritably. "Every one married! It's too provoking! Here they are, spoiled forever for art life. What did they study for?"

The London Musical World remarks that "those who ask why we have no great lady composers may be left to think of these things."

A Narrow Range of Choice.

Sylvia, supple and slender, and Aunt Bella, bulky and benign, had returned from a shopping tour. Each had been trying to buy a ready made suit.

When they returned home Sylvia was asked what success each had in her efforts to be fitted. "Well," said Sylvia, "I got along pretty well, but Aunt Belle is getting so fat that about all she can get ready made is an umbrella.—Youth's Companion.

A Bit Different.

Towne—There's one thing about my wife—she makes up her mind if she can't afford a thing that she doesn't need it. Bowne—Something like my wife, only she buys it first and makes up her mind afterward.—Philadelphia Press.

But Light.

Cholly — I have something on my mind, Wobart. Robert—Stop a minute! Sure enough, there is a cobweb on top of your head.—Baltimore American.

The Supreme Court.

The supreme court of the United States is supposed to be strictly non-political, free from all parties and above all parties. It was designed by the fathers of the constitution to act as the "governor," or "fly wheel," of our system of government, maintaining justice and right in the midst of the wrangling factions and clashing interests. According to the theory, the supreme court is to know nothing but the constitution and the laws that are made in pursuance thereof and in every matter that is brought up before it to hold the balance even, regardless of everything else.—New York American.

A Golf Outrage.

The Earl of Wemyss was on a Fife golf course on one occasion accompanied by an old caddie. His lordship got his ball on one occasion so near the hole that to play it was, as it appeared to him, superfluous. So he simply tipped it in with the toe of his boot.

The caddie revolted instanter, threw down the clubs and looked horrified. When he found words to speak it was to say, "Hang it, me lord, gowf's gowf!"

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A National Saving Campaign To Be Started

Russo-Roumanians are being Pushed Back

CANADA'S WAR APPROPRIATION FOR NEXT YEAR WILL EXCEED $300,000,000

Further Direct Taxation Measures Calculated to Secure a Greater Proportion of Accumulated Wealth For War Purposes---National Savings Campaign Will Be Inaugurated---Roumanian Oil Fields Destroyed by British Military Mission Before They Fell Into German Hands.

A SUMMARY OF TO-DAY'S WAR CABLES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, Ont., December 28.—When the Canadian Parliament reassembles on January eighteenth after eight months' recess, it promises to be an interesting session. It will be unique in many ways, with forty seats in the Commons vacant, their members having died, resigned or gone overseas to fight for the Empire.

The Speech from the Throne will ask for further tremendous efforts in regard to war, both in money and men. It will also demand a further extension of the life of Parliament.

It is estimated that the war appropriation for the coming fiscal year will exceed three hundred millions, and that further direct taxation measures calculated to secure a greater proportion of accumulated wealth for war purposes will be introduced by the Minister of Finance.

It was officially announced this morning that Sir Thomas White, Minister of Finance, would, after January 1st, inaugurate a national savings campaign all over Canada, with the object of promoting thrift and encouraging Canadians to invest their money in Government securities.

Sir Herbert Ames, M.P., and W. F. Nickle, M.P., will assist Sir Thos. White in his legislative duties during the session.

LONDON, December 28.—A British military mission in Roumania destroyed Roumanian oil fields valued at $150,000,000 before that territory fell into German hands, W. W Rutherford, M.P., announced to-day. He said the property and stock obtained by the Germans was valueless.

Daily Demonstrations in Austria-Hungary

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, December 28. — Daily food demonstrations, in the chief cities of Austro-Hungary, and great misery, with the hundreds of suicides during December, were reported in the Exchange Telegraph despatches from Geneva to-day.

The despatch declared the misery of the workers in Austria and Hungary was appalling and lamentable.

Petrograd Admits the Withdrawal of Russians

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, December 28.—The withdrawal of Russian forces in the region of Rimincu Serat to the River Rimnik, was announced in to-day's official statement as having been due to the pressure of superior hostile forces near the railway. The statement said the withdrawal has been made after stubborn resistance.

Voltaire Captured By a German Sub?

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

NEW YORK, December 28.—That the Lamport & Holt liner Voltaire, long overdue at this port from Liverpool, has been captured by a German submarine, armed, and turned into a Teutonic raider, was the report published here to-day. Nothing has been heard of the Voltaire by the Lamport & Holt Line offices since the vessel left Liverpool.

Germany Is Suffering From Serious Shortage of Food

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, December 28.—The Daily Telegraph publishes the following from its Paris correspondent: I have had private information indirectly from Germany which is decidedly encouraging. A friend of mine, head of an important Paris business firm, has a partner who is Swiss. The latter has just visited Germany and returned to Paris. He is a level-headed business man, and says positively that Germany can scarcely hold out more than six months longer. The shortage of food is more serious than it has ever been, he said. It is literally true that the entire population has long since been unable to eat its fill. He himself saw many persons in various German towns actually fall down in the street exhausted by hunger, and in one case at least a man dropped dead from starvation in the road before his eyes. Such a sight is apparently now not uncommon in Germany.

Braila Within Reach of German Guns

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BERLIN, December 28.—Braila is within reach of the cannon of the German armies in their steady advance in Roumania, an official statement of the German War Office said to-day.

Brings Down His 25th German Plane

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS (French Official Communique), December 28. — Sub-Lieut. Guynemere, France's premier aviator, has brought down his twenty-fifth German aeroplane.

The report detailed considerable aerial activity on the western front, with aerial bombarding expeditions on Romphach, Dillingen, Briey and Hagoindange.

Two French dirigibles bombarded German munition factories at Neurkirchen.

South of The Avre, a German raiding party was dispersed, and in the region of Beauvraignes, the French forces successfully exploded mines against German positions.

German attacks on the eastern slopes of Hill 304 were checked.

TEMPERANCE ACT CAUSES CLOSURE OF CALCUTT'S BREWERY

Brewing and Malting Business Carried on in Peterboro' 55 Years Hard Hit by the Temperance Legislation

ASHBURNHAM INDUSTRY GONE

After 55 years' operations in Peterboro the Calcutt Brewing and Malting Company is discontinuing business as the result of the effects of the Ontario Temperance Act.

This business was first established in Cobourg in 1855 by the late Henry Calcutt, who removed to Peterboro in 1861. In the palmy days of Ashburnham's industrialism the Calcutt Brewery was one of its flourishing factories so called.

Nearby was the McAllister flour mill and Wand's planing mill. There was a considerable hum in that vicinity a few decades ago, and not the least conspicuous in a particular sense was the brewery, which not only built up a flourishing local business, but also had an extensive outside trade

In later years the company was reorganised, the shareholders being the members of the family of the late Mr. Calcutt. Since the temperance wave passed over the province conditions have followed in its wake the effect of which made it apparent that it was only a matter of time until the brewing company would be forced to close its doors.

Whether it will be reopened again as a brewing plant doubtless depends upon the future, probably upon the permanency of the temperance sentiment, that has lead to its present business dissolution. Fortunately a comparatively few employees, it is said, will be effected by this closure.

TORONTO EMPLOYEES OF THE CAN. GENERAL ELECTRIC CO.

Are Under Arrest For Thefts of Electric Goods From Toronto Works

TORONTO, Dec. 28.—Thefts of considerable proportions are charged to William Payne, 109 Garnet Ave., Percy Hardisty, 757 Palmerston Ave., and Daniel Kellar, 305 Augusta Ave., all employees of the Canadian General Electric Company, Toronto, who were taken into custody last night by headquarters detectives, after Kellar had been arrested upon his arrival from Detroit, where he is said to have fled when one Pilgrim was found with several hundred dollars' worth of electric supplies in his possession, which are alleged to have been stolen from the Canadian General Electric Company. Along with the three is Henry Jones, 201 Emerson Ave., who is held as an alleged receiver of stolen property.

Clue to Theft.

A month ago headquarters learned that electric supplies were being disposed of through a store in the Ward, and after watching the place for some time found Pilgrim about to unload a quantity from his waggon. Kellar, who was there at the time, managed to elude the police.

That night many stores were searched by the police and in one place another quantity of goods alleged to have been stolen was uncovered.

Kellar was arrested yesterday by Detective Cronin. He was formerly a chauffeur employed by the electric company, and is said to have implicated Payne, Hardisty and Jones.

EASY.

In the old days when a person suffered with their eyes, they had to go on suffering because science had not made the great strides in optics that it has done in the past few years. Now it is comparatively easy for a person suffering with their eyes or head to obtain relief, by consulting an eye specialist. See Dr. Lacey, and See Better 410 George Street.

MUST CLEAR SLATE ON SUB. SITUATION

WASHINGTON, December 28.—The fear that if the present peace negotiations fail, this nation then must clear its slate on the submarine situation with Germany, grew apace to-day.

But President Wilson intends to push his peace work to the limit to avoid possible subsequent unpleasantness with Germany.

There is now no mistaking, officials believe, that President Wilson's peace notes to the belligerents, and the two subsequent "explanations" by Secretary Lansing, in effect constituted a warning against any unbridled acts of war that would involve American lives or rights.

POSITIONS OPEN AS INSPECTORS OF MUNITIONS FOR RETURNED SOLDIERS

Two Vacancies at Present and Partially Disabled Men Are Asked to Apply at the Office of the Patriotic Fund--More Recruits Taken on by the 247th Battalion--To-day's Orders and General Military News.

Positions are open for two returned partially disabled soldiers, as inspectors of munitions. Men who have had active service in the field will have the preference. The positions are in the city. Application should be made to the office of the Patriotic Fund. Simcoe Street.

KILLED BY A SHELL

Particulars as to how her son, Lance Corp. Horace Stanley, of the 5th C. M. R., was killed, have been received by Mrs. Wm. Stanley, Stewart street, in the following letter from Sergt. C. Gosselin:

France, Dec. 7th.

Dear Mrs. Stanley,—

Your letter received by Pte. McKinlay yesterday, and handed to me. Really I intended writing to you several times myself, but these are subjects that I do not care to write about, but seeing that you asked I'll tell you how "Stan" met his death. He with myself and a few others (ten in all) were ordered to go to a German advanced post and hold it. We got there on the night of October 1, and little did we know what was in store for us, the next day, Oct. 2nd. The night passed quietly and so did the next morning, until the afternoon, about 3 o'clock, and then hell was let loose. Our battalion went over. I certainly don't want to go through it again. The little crowd that was with me in the advanced post did not go over because we were shelled out of our post and had to seek protection in a shell hole. Horace was killed just a few seconds before we decided to leave. He was looking over my shoulder, and let out a cry, calling my name, "Charley, I'm hit; I'm hit!" I swung around to help him, and lowered him to the bottom of the trench, but he was dead. I did not take any personal effects from him, because there was no time to even think. By this time there were only two of us left of the ten that went over the night before. I may add that the shell that killed Stan. got two or three others, and smashed my water bottle to pieces. It was hanging by my side.

Like thousands of others, "Stan" fell like the good boy, friend, and soldier that he was. He and I were pretty good pals. As you know, he and I were lance corporals in the grenade section. After the 15th of Sept. I was made sergeant, and I in turn had him made senior corporal, so you see that I thought a lot of him. His grave is somewhere in No Man's Land, down on the Somme. A cross does not mark his grave. There the shelling is so intense that it makes graves for them. Now, cheer up, my dear Mrs. Stanley, and bear your troubles like "Stan" would like you to, and rest assured there is one here always thinking of him, and you

Yours sincerely,

CHAS. GOSSELIN, Sergt.,
5th C. M. R. Batt'n Bomber,
France

Ptes. R. C. Armstrong and Alfred Flannagan were taken on the strength of the 247th Batt. this morning.

Lt. A. E. Brittain arrived in the city last night and has been appointed adjutant of the 247th Batt., C.E.F. His many friends in Peterboro are glad to welcome him back to the city. Lt. Brittain was at the front for many months with the Princess Pats.

Boarding house keepers are asked to call at the Paymaster's office at the armouries either on Saturday, December 30th, or Tuesday, Jan. 2nd, and board money will be paid them.

Ottawa, Dec. 27.—It is officially announced through the chief press censor's office, that the following troops have arrived safely in England:

The 199th Irish Canadian Rangers, Montreal; 187th and 211th Alberta Battalions; 236th Manitoba Battalion, 239th Railway Construction Battalion.

Drafts Artillery, Engineers, Infantry Army Service Corps, Army Medical Corps and Dental Corps.

To-Day's Orders.

Daily orders by Lieut.-Col. C. H. Ackerman, commanding 247th Battalion, C.E.F.:

Orders for Thursday, Dec 28, 1916:

Parade:

All officers, N.C.O.'s and men except those specially employed, will parade in the Drill Hall at 9 a.m. and at 2 p.m.

Duties:

Orderly officer for Thursday, December 28th—Lt. A. H. Cameron.

Orderly officer for Friday, December 29th—Lt. T. Quinn.

Next for duty—Lt. S. Dunsford.

Addenda:

The following members of the 93rd Band having returned from England, and being omitted from the previous list, are taken on the strength as of December 25, 1916: No. 196018 Pte. A. Briscoe, No. 196029 Pte. J. Bleaker, No. 196015 Pte. R. Browne.

Strength:

No. 1063071 Pte. Wm. Buchanan is attested, taken on the strength from December 27th, 1916, and posted to "A" Company.

District Orders, No. 1608:

The General Officer Commanding Military District No. 3, requests the officers commanding units to convey to all ranks under their command, his best wishes for Christmas, and a happy and prosperous New Year. In doing so, the General wishes to convey to all ranks his congratulations for the good showing made during the past year, and hopes for a still greater success in the coming year.

Leave of Absence:

Lieut. Nugent is granted leave from 6 a.m., Dec 27th, 1916, until Jan 3rd, 1917.

Lieut. F. J. Hayes is granted leave from Reveille, Dec 29th, 1916, until Retreat, Jan 2nd, 1917.

R. B. Brooks,
Lieut & Act. Adjt 247th Bat., C.E.F.

Mr. Taylor is in the Insurance and Not in The Fuel Business

A number of South Ward ratepayers have made enquiry of the identity of W. H. Taylor, who is opposing Ald. Edgar for aldermanic honours. They were associating Mr. Taylor with the coal and wood dealers of the same name on Aylmer Street. Mr. W. H. Taylor is an insurance agent with the Davis-Thompson Co., and is in no way identified with H. B. Taylor and Son, fuel and cement merchants. He is a quiet, unassuming, regular fellow whom the curlers, among whom he is a prominent skip, call "Bill." South-End opinion is that he tackled one of the strongest members of the Council when he qualified to contest with Ald. John Edgar in the South Ward vacancy, and will have a real battle on his hands until New Year's Day.

Letter Carriers To Distribute the Cards

They Will Also Collect the National Service Data and Returns Will Be Made to Ottawa Concerning All Cases Where the Cards Have Not been Filled in.

THE NEW INSTRUCTIONS

On Wednesday evening a meeting was held in the rooms of the Patriotic Fund, called to see what could be done to put forward the distribution, completing and collection of the cards issued in connection with the National Service movement of Canada, just now before the public. Instructions had been forwarded to the city postmaster to set in motion the work, and it was felt that all assistance should be given. It was in mind to put in force some such team work as has been used in the collection of the several patriotic funds during the last two years.

After the meeting convened it was learned, from the Postmaster, that fresh instructions had been received that showed that the work would be wholly in the hands of the local post office, and that if necessary the increased staff of the Christmas rush would be utilized in the work.

Briefly, what is required is this:

The cards contain 28 questions, to which definite answers are to be supplied. All males between the ages of 16 and 65 years are required to observe the instructions. The object is to have a national registration, largely for industrial purposes. The questions range as follows:

1. What is your full name?
2. How old are you?
3. Where do you live, province?
4. Name of city, town, village or post office, street, number.
5. In what county were you born?
6. In what country was your father born?
7. In what country was your mother born?
8. Were you born a British subject?
9. If not, are you naturalized?
10. How much time have you lost in the last 12 months from sickness?
11. Have you full use of your arms?
12. Of your legs?
13. Of your sight?
14. Of your hearing?
15. Which are you? Married, single or a widower?
16. How many persons, besides yourself, do you support?
17. What are you working at, for a living?
18. Whom do you work for?
19. Have you a trade or profession?
20. If so what?
21. Are you working now?
22. If not, why?
23. Would you be willing to change your present work for other necessary work at the same pay, during the war?
24. Are you willing, if your railway fare is paid, to leave where you now live and go to some other place in Canada to do such work?

(Write plainly. Answer correctly every question. Each is important. Cards will be collected by the letter carriers.)

Following are the new instructions:

During the last week in December (present week) each of the letter carriers will deliver to each of the residences on his particular route, at least three cards and three envelopes. If the letter carrier knows, or thinks, that more cards will be required, he will leave a sufficient number. Each letter carrier should, without any difficulty, be able to complete delivery of these cards to every house, residence or office on his route, in two or three days. He will particularly state that these cards are not to be mailed but will be called for on Wednesday, Jan. 3rd, 1917.

On Wednesday and Thursday, Jan. 3rd and 4th, the carrier will collect such cards and will keep particular account of those residents where cards

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TWENTY-ONE IS NOW DEATH TOLL FROM BIG FIRE

Mr. William Walsh, Foreman With Quaker Oats Company Succumbed to His Injuries at St. Joseph's Hospital Yesterday Afternoon

THE FUNERAL TO-MORROW

The death in St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday afternoon of Mr. Wm. Walsh Rogers street, from burns and injuries received in the Quaker Oats Co. fire on December 11th, brought the total death list of the tragedy up to twenty-one. Mr. Walsh was a foreman in the building and had been in the employ of the Quaker Oats Company for many years. He was highly respected by all who knew him and held the regard and affection of those who worked under him.

The deceased is survived by his wife and a family of eight children, Madge Leo, William, Roy, Lillian, Kathleen, Fred and Marion, all residing at home. His mother, Mrs. Wm. Walsh, Sr., and one sister, Mrs. Patrick O'Brien, Douro, are also left to mourn his death. The deceased was a member of the Catholic Order of Foresters.

The funeral will take place on Friday morning at 8.45 o'clock from the family residence, Rogers street, to the Church of the Immaculate Conception, and thence to St. Peter's cemetery for interment.

Studebaker Sales Office in Peterborough

The Studebaker Corporation of Motor Car Manufacturers have appointed Mr. G. A. Gillespie their sales agent for Peterborough. A new garage and show room is being fitted up in the old church building on Aylmer street, opposite the Peterborough Creamery where sample passenger and delivery cars and all accessories will be on sale, with expert mechanics to give instructions and furnish repairs and parts.

Mr. Gillespie has had considerable experience with motor cars, and what he knows from investigation of different machines, has made the Studebaker a favourite with him.

The firm of Messrs. J. J. Turner & Sons has placed their order with Mr. Gillespie for one of the best types of Studebaker commercial motor trucks for express delivery. Successful business men agree that Studebaker delivery cars are big factors in their business to: rapid transit and power service.

Got 15 Days in Jail For Assaulting Mr. Jos. Stewart in Havelock

In addition to the fine of $20 and costs for having been drunk in a public place, James Hodgins, of Havelock, was committed to jail for fifteen days, when he pleaded guilty to assaulting Inspector Joseph Stewart, a Government official. This latter sentence was without a fine. Magistrate Langley, who heard the evidence, made the provision that if Hodgins accepted the two months in jail option to the $20 fine on the first charge, the fifteen days would run concurrently. If the prisoner pays the $20 fine and costs he has the fifteen-day term on the hill to endure.

Urges Government To Make Returned Men Shell Inspectors

Peterborough Council has endorsed the memorial that originated with the Galt Council, memorializing the Government to appoint as shell inspectors returned soldiers instead of able-bodied shirkers. The resolution, moved by Ald. Dobbin and seconded by Ald. Stratton, further urged that this idea be carried out in other branches of public service.

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IMPERIAL MOBILIZATION.

Great Britain is organized to the hilt for prosecuting every measure and utilizing every resource that can contribute to success in the war. There is minute co-ordination of manhood, material, resources and production capacity. While the central power is putting forth every effort, the outlying dominions, splendidly as they have done, have not yet measured up all round to the demands of the time. Late despatches tell us in something of detail of the steps to be taken to convene an Imperial conference to consider and provide for the co-ordinate efforts of the Empire as a whole, the great self-governing dominions, included.

The importance of such a conference is no new discovery, and its meeting has been an evidently desirable thing for many months. The deep insight and broad outlook of Mr. N. W. Rowell, the Liberal leader of Ontario, is demonstrated by the fact that as long as seven months ago, he advocated an Imperial conference in the interest of mobilizing the financial and military resources of the Empire so that all parts may work together by a common system of action and effective coordination of effort. We need in Canada some such inspiration as would doubtless come from such a conference. We need something to bring home to our people the magnitude and importance of the struggle in which the forces of freedom and the custodians of the interests of the democracy are agonizing, in the mightiest war of recorded time. Canada is doing her share in the production of munitions, but with all that, are we doing as much as we can, or as much as is demanded? Canada, on the contrary, is not doing her share or her duty in the matter of the pressing need of men. We need inspiring in this regard; we need something like system; something like the thoroughness that characterizes British methods. Lloyd George has called for a million more men and will get them; but will they be got through the medium of post card correspondence, which the Government of Canada seems to think meets the need of the time? While it must have all parts of the Empire working together in all ways to win the war, we must have all parts, all interests of Canada, similarly co-operating. Have we not need of strong co-operation, of more effective co-ordination? Have we not need of the enlistment of, not only, men but of universal popular sentiment and interest? We have need of the mobilisation of not only our material resources, but also of our moral resources. Individually, we are loyal, but neither individually nor in mass do we realize things, do we see how things stand, see what the titanic struggle in Europe means. An Imperial Conference to enlist the interest of all sections of the Empire, being considered necessary, should impress upon every Canadian the fact that winning this war is "a man's job," and needs the help of every man fit and able and willing to fight. This realization should and will be impressed upon all the other elements of our population—mature men and women of all ages and stations of this feeling could be universally impressed, it would be an influence that would inspire response to the call of duty that is louder to-day than at any time the past two and a half years. Let us by all means have an Imperial Conference, but above all let every man and woman of responding age, have conferences with their consciences.

MAKE IT BUSINESS.

Great Britain is meeting Germany's demand for peace; but not quite in the way the Teutons desire. The peace Great Britain must have is that reached by shot and shell and bayonet. She is calling, and will get more men, and has provided two billions more of money, to pave the pathway to peace. There is no doubt, that with all the warring nations Great Britain is desirous of peace; but, after all the sacrifices made, the lives lost, and the treasure spent, it is folly to talk of a peace that leaves the elements of war-making, the powers of aggression and oppression, capable of repeating the sanguine outrage of the past, two and a half years. The price to be paid for a secure peace is great; but a free people who value freedom are prepared to pay it. We in Canada have no idea whatever of the sacrifices and struggle Britain is making.

At this distance Canada is comparatively untouched. We have, of course, a few homes desolated, a few breadwinners laid low; but otherwise the current of our daily life, flows on evenly and serenely. We don't realize as a people the serious gravity of the situation—the urgent demand for more men. The Canadians troops in the battle line are becoming less Canadian every day. They are not being reinforced by drafts of Canadian soldiers, but by drafts from the British army.

Canada has promised to bring her contingents up to 500,000. There are still a hundred thousand more lacking. It is feared that the young men of the country do not appreciate the serious nature of the situation; do not realize what tremendous national and even individual, interests are at stake. It is also feared that the government itself does not realize the situation—the necessity for men and still more men. The government has not, and does not grasp the nettle firmly. For a long time there has been a lull in recruiting. Months and months ago patriotic citizens united to urge action on the government—urged it to take some systematic efforts to organize recruiting; to make the appeal to the eligible young men of the country more direct, more telling; to classify our citizenship with a view of mobilizing the whole industrial and military forces of the country.

After months of consideration, the government acted or chose to take an attitude which it may regard as action. The proposed campaign was heralded with a good deal of display. The plan the government had been incubating was to meet the situation. But the mountain in labour brought forth a mouse. The government plan resolved itself into a post card propaganda. The inept and, if the situation were not so serous, the farcical plan of distributing through the post office cards bearing a long list of questions, seems to be the height of absurd expectation of results. It was all right for Premier Borden and the director of National Service to tour the country making speeches, but the real part of the National Service campaign, the business part, the desirably effective part, the direct results, was a most lame and impotent conclusion. We want to reach the young man eligible to enlist. This young man has dodged his responsibility so long, and showed himself indifferent to moral, personal and direct appeals, that it is folly to expect that he will voluntarily come forward, quit his work and go to the post office and ask for a card to be filled up as a means of putting a little extra pressure upon him. Does Mr. Bennett, the Director of National Service, does Sir Robert Borden expect to get Canada's 100,000 recruits by this means?

The more this puerile plan is thought over the more the sense of its inadequacy is forced upon us. Mr. Bennett says that he has sent out 150,000 letters to ministers, teachers, etc., asking them to see that the registration cards are put into the hands of those who should fill them in. This seems to be playing with a serious business, leaving the raising of a supplementary army to a few typewriters and teachers.

Something more direct should have been devised. The government has had plenty of time to do something to the point. Registration of Canada's manhood for munition and direct military purpose is too good a thing to be made the sport of frivolously inadequate expedient. If the government wanted to secure a thorough and full registration the means was easy. Every ten years the government takes a census. Enumerators are appointed armed with authority to approach every citizen and compel answers to prescribed questions. Then something is done, the work is not left to a blank registration card distributed with less throughness than a patent medicine almanac. All through this war the work of recruiting has been done mainly through private individuals. These are still interested in it, but they need official backing—authority to supplement the operation of the spirit of voluntarism, which for a time made the work of recruiting virtually automatic.

In every community there are plenty of men who would undertake the work of taking a census if the government would provide the machinery. They could be equipped with government authority to compel answers to the questions on the registration card from young men who will otherwise ignore them. Then something would be done, some tangible work done, some point d'appui established to bring pressure, moral pressure, and the means provided to applying more forcible measures if moral measures failed. We must get our hundred thousand men and more. We cannot do it by the unorganized voluntary registration device. We should try the organized voluntary system, and if that fails, then something else must be done. If we are to succeed we must apply business methods.

MUCH MORE GINGER NEEDED AT OTTAWA IN WAR INTERESTS

The resignation of Mr. Asquith and the elevation of Mr. Lloyd George to the premiership, are said to be due to the activities of a set of English Parliamentarians known as the "Ginger Group," who as the name would imply, favour a more aggressive policy in the conduct of the war.

The press despatches recently to hand lend colour to the report, for among the reforms the new Prime Minister purposes to bring about are the suppression of all work immaterial to the war, the issuance of food tickets for the better control and distribution of food supplies, and the enlistment of men from occupations hitherto exempt." Concurrently with these reforms, the administration has been strengthened by dropping a few more lawyers from the Cabinet and putting tried business men in their places.

England provided herself with a coalition government at the outbreak of the war; Canada has not achieved that progress yet. England had conscription a year ago; Canada will make an appeal for voluntary national service on the first of January. England solved the munition labor problem long ago by enlisting her munition workers and bring them under control and discipline; in Canada thousands of dollars are being spent on newspaper advertising in an effort to alleviate the labour problem of the munition manufacturer by a short-sighted plan that will more likely add to his difficulties than lighten them. England long since took practical steps to enforce thrift; outside a couple of war loans, Canada has so far done nothing but talk. England has taxed every income in excess of $3000, in some cases the levy being over 30 per cent. Canada is apparently satisfied to delegate the major portion of her share of the expense to posterity.

At Ottawa the Ginger Group is conspicuous by its absence. Suggestions pour in by the score, but in nearly every case a good excuse can be supplied why action is impracticable. Conscription is not to be thought of because of the large percentage of foreign born, and the enormous frontier that would have to be patrolled to prevent people from leaving the country. The enlistment of munition workers as munition workers unfeasible, because the labor organizations might object. The high cost of living has to be handled with gloves because one of the prime causes is the high price of agricultural produce, such as wheat, milk, butter and eggs, and of course it would never do to antagonize the farmer. Unnecessary public works cannot be closed down because of a reason that the censor might forbid us to mention.

Canada wants waking up, and wants it badly. The Government is to blame for not adopting measures that will force the people to realize the stern necessities of war, the people are to blame for threatening the Government with their displeasure if such measures are introduced. If the German commerce raider has said to be raving the Atlantic would only bombard a few of our ports, and if some Zeppelins would favour our inland points with the same kind of mementoes they are accustomed to drop in England, their visits might easily prove a blessing in disguise. But as such intervention is not to be hoped for, apparently the only thing to do is to possess our souls in patience and trust to the slow moving machinery that the National Service Board will provide. Industrial Canada.

Mr. Rowell's Plea For the Need of An Imperial Conference

Special to The Examiner:

TORONTO, Dec. 28.—One of the promised acts of the Lloyd George government which when it comes about will be of special interest to Canadians, will be the calling of the Imperial Conference.

There have been a great many people in Canada who have never understood why the Imperial Conference has not been called long ago so that representatives of the Dominions should consult together for the most effective prosecution of the war.

Mr. Rowell has been perhaps the leading spokesman of those who have advocated the Imperial Conference. Early in 1915 when the first announcement came that an Imperial Conference would not likely be called, Mr. Rowell gave his arguments for the calling of such a Conference and repeatedly since then, at meeting after meeting he has urged the course. The arguments may be summed up in Mr. Rowell's speech in Toronto at the third annual dinner of the Liberal Club Federation of Ontario, on May 21st, 1915:

"The very life and future of our Empire is now at stake, and all its resources in men and means must be mobilized to achieve victory. The Governments of Russia, France and Great Britain have held united conferences to discuss how the allies can best mobilize both their finances and military resources, the parliaments of Great Britain and all the self-governing dominions have held their war sessions; but so far, the supreme Council of the Empire—the Imperial Conference, representing all the free nations of the Empire—has not been called together in a war session to consider how we can most effectively mobilize the resources of the whole empire for this life and death struggle in which we are engaged.

Why Not an Imperial Conference?

"The Imperial Conference was called into being for the express purpose of discussing and considering questions of common interest between "His Majesty's Government and his Governments of the Self-Governing Dominions beyond the Seas." When in the history of our Empire has a question arisen of such common and vital interest and of such commanding importance as the one we are now facing? If there ever was a time in our history when such consideration appears both desirable and necessary, it is now.

"I am sure every portion of the Empire would cheerfully and gladly respond to the united appeal of the free nations of the Empire. And what a splendid illustration and demonstration it would be at this hour of solidarity as well as of the flexibility of our free institutions, and the loyalty which springs from liberty. What a demonstration it would be of the determination of the free democracies of the Empire to combine in the performance of the Empire's task and to maintain for democracy and free government their right to a place in the earth."

Unusual.

"There's no end to her debts."

"What makes you think so?"

"Why, she and her mother are the best of friends."

Identified.

"You haven't forgotten me, have you, waiter?"

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BRITISH WAR BADGES

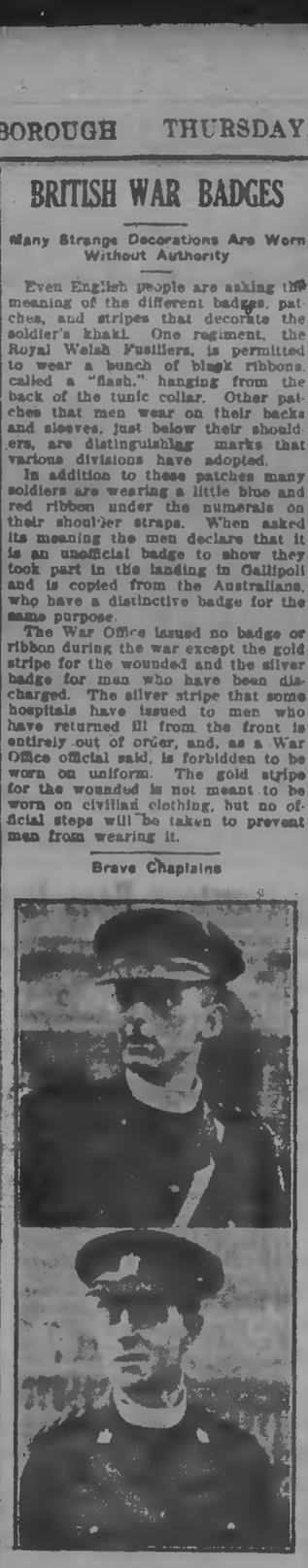
Many Strange Decorations Are Worn Without Authority

Even English people are asking the meaning of the different badges, patches, and stripes that decorate the soldier's khaki. One regiment, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers, is permitted to wear a bunch of black ribbons, called a "flash," hanging from the back of the tunic collar. Other patches that men wear on their backs and sleeves, just below their shoulders, are distinguishing marks that various divisions have adopted.

In addition to these patches many soldiers are wearing a little blue and red ribbon under the numerals on their shoulder straps. When asked its meaning the men declare that it is an unofficial badge to show they took part in the landing in Gallipoli and is copied from the Australians, who have a distinctive badge for the same purpose.

The War Office issued no badge or ribbon during the war except the gold stripe for the wounded and the silver badge for men who have been discharged. The silver stripe that some hospitals have issued to men who have returned ill from the front is entirely out of order, and, as a War Office official said, is forbidden to be worn on uniform. The gold stripe for the wounded is not meant to be worn on civilian clothing, but no official steps will be taken to prevent men from wearing it.

Brave Chaplains



The clergy of all denominations have distinguished themselves for gallantry at the front. Here are two hero British chaplains, both of whom have been awarded the Military Cross and were photographed when leaving Buckingham Palace where they were invested by the King. Rev. Canon Woodward, Canon of Southwark Cathedral, is shown above, and Rev. Hugh Hornby is shown below.

An Artillery "Hell"

An Englishman writes: We shall beat the enemy not by excess of numbers but by excess of freshness. We need men and more men, not to outnumber the enemy on the field but in order that our troops shall not suffer the German ordeal. A German general's order of the day, taken in battle, urged the troops to stand firm under bombardment by the promise of revenge. "We will see to it that we exterminate the British and French armies by such a hell as they have themselves created." His promise also confesses his plight. Our artillery fire is too much.

Identification Discs

The men of the French army wear their identification discs round their wrists. British soldiers wear them round their necks.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

All Saints' Church to do Honour to Memory of Unreturning Brave

A memorial service will be held in All Saints' church next Sunday evening for six members of the congregation who have fallen in battle during the course of the year that is closing. The last evening of the year is a fitting time to do honour to the memory of these men who have laid down their life for the freedom we enjoy. Following are the names of those who will be remembered:

Private Arthur White.
Private George Melhew.
Private William Hall.
Lieutenant Crawford Rush.
Driver Claude Manley.
Private George Willkins.

The friends of these men are invited to attend the service, which will be of a bright, triumphant nature.

Not for Twice as Much.

He was an idle Irish boy, but he had the Irishman's ready wit. He had shipped on board a man-of-war where he annoyed the boatswain by his laziness. Seeing him on the maintop one morning, gazing idly out to sea, the boatswain called to him:

"Come down out of that, ye rascal! Come down out of that, an' I'll give yez a dozen whacks wid a rope!"

"Faith, sorr," replied the boy, "Oi couldn't come if ye offered me two dozen!"

Wants to Get Even.

Some day, when our bank account sits even lower than it is now, we are going to try to arrange to take a year's leave of absence and spend it with our wife's relatives, staying about half as long with each of them as each of them usually stays with us.—Ohio State Journal.

Board of Education

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—I have been again requested to allow my name to go before you as a candidate for your Public School Board.

As a member of the Board I have endeavoured to give it my best services and if my work has been satisfactory and you desire me to act as one of your representatives for a further term, I will be very pleased to give you my best efforts.

With best wishes for a Happy New Year.

Yours faithfully,

Roland Donne

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To the Electors of the City of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen: I have been again nominated as a candidate for the Board of Education, and if my services in the past have been satisfactory to you, and it is your desire that I represent you for another two year term, I will deem it a pleasure to give you my very best service on the Board. Wishing you the compliments of the season, I am,

Yours faithfully,

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In offering myself as candidate for a position on this board, I do so realising that only a man's best service will meet the growing need for practical business methods in this most important branch of the City's business. My record as a business man for the last fourteen years and a lifelong resident in Peterborough, residing in East City for twenty-five years, is well known to a large number of our citizens, and I trust is sufficient evidence of my ability to warrant your support in my present candidature.

Should I be elected, I promise to weigh most carefully all matters involving expenditure of the City's finances, and to countenance only strictly business methods in undertaking any work being handled by this Board.

Soliciting the support of every progressive voter, I am,

Yours for progress,

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Hastings Items Of Interest

Peterborough Talent Represented at Annual Entertainment

HASTINGS, Dec. 27. — The annual entertainment under the auspices of the Methodist Sunday school, given in the Town Hall on Christmas night was, as usual, a grand success, both in numbers and in the high class programme given. The children acquitted themselves very creditably in all of their selections, while the adult numbers were rendered in an excellent manner, while each selection was manner. A splendid patriotic drill was given by sixteen girls. Of very great importance to the program were the readings given by Miss G. Langmaid, graduate of the Whitby Ladies' College and the violin selections by Miss Mignon Telgmann, of Peterborough. Each of these artists were so repeatedly encored that they were obliged to respond. Altogether the entertainment was of a high order, and the committee in charge are to be complimented on its success.

Funeral Thursday.

The funeral of the late Isaac Thompson was held on Thursday afternoon and was well attended. Deceased, who had reached the advanced age of 86 was well and favourably known in this district, where he had spent nearly all his life. In his demise, the Methodist church loses a faithful and consistent member, and the community a man of honesty and integrity. He is survived by his widow one son, William, of Owen Sound, and two daughters, Mrs. Frost of Owen Sound, and Mrs. B. F. Doxsee, town.

Interment was made in the Trent Valley cemetery.

Those who attended the entertainment in Westwood on Friday night, report a very enjoyable evening.

The school closed on Friday night with a pleasing programme given by the pupils.

Sgt. T. Learmouth was present and addressed the school.

The greatest snow storm of the season was felt here on Friday, when high winds and drifting snow made one feel that he dare not venture out.

Mr. and Mrs. John Staples are spending the vacation in Bethany with Mr. Staples' mother and sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Stott of Palmerston, spent Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Hormel, town.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey of Palmerston, are spending vacation week with friends here.

Miss Gertie Hill of Peterborough Bus. College, spent Christmas here with her parents.

Mr. Cecil Doxsee of Barrie, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Doxsee.

Mr. and Mrs. Outrander of Colborne, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. Scriver.

Mrs. F. Moore of Alliston, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. Cook, town.

Mr. R. C. Doxsee and Miss Carrie, spent Christmas with his father and mother at Hoard's Station.

Mr. Harley Ennis spent the holiday at his home in Norwood.

Miss Walker of N. Ontario, is visiting friends in Hastings.

Mr. Archie Thompson of Toronto, spent the holiday under the parental roof.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Atkinson and son of Peterborough, are guests of Mrs. Carter, town.

Miss Mae Huycke of Peterborough, is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Huycke.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Best of Toronto, with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Tyler.

Miss Helen Chapman of Hamilton, is home for the holiday.

Mr. Harry Chapman of Port Hope, spent the week end with his parents here.

Miss Nell Patterson of Napanee, is with her parents in town.

Miss McCutcheon is spending the Christmas vacation at her home in Stirling.

Coal is very scarce and the price of wood very high, causing serious thought on the part of the consumers.

A Dentist!

"In Belgium," said War Correspondent Will Irwin, "I know an artillery blacksmith who carried on the sleeve of his uniform the hammer and pinchers—the insignia of his calling.

"'Wot's them things on your sleeve mean?' a civilian asked him one day.

"'They mean I'm an army dentist,' he said, with a wink at me.

"'Dentist, eh?' said the civilian. 'The pinchers, then, are to pull the teeth out with. But the hammer—wot's the hammer fur?'

"'The hammer,' said the blacksmith, 'is for use in bad cases to chloroform the patients.'"

Auto Museum.

An automobile museum has been established in London, where there are exhibited gasoline cars, made as early as 1895, a steam tricycle made in 1891, and one of the earliest steam cars, made in 1860.

First Farm Paper.

The first farm paper was printed in England in 1681, and dignified itself with the title Collection of Letters for the Improvement of Husbandry and Trade.

To the Electors of North Monaghan

Ladies and Gentlemen,—I have been asked to stand for re-election as Reeve for your township. During the time I have occupied the Reeve's chair I have endeavoured to give the township the very best service I could.

If you see fit to re-elect me, I will continue to have before me always the interests of North Monaghan and its ratepayers.

Wishing you all a Happy New Year, I am,

Yours faithfully,

JOHN McINTOSH

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FOR THE YEAR 1917

His Record as Councillor for the past two years is before the people.

To The Electors of North Monaghan

Ladies and Gentlemen,—I have been nominated as a candidate for the office of Deputy-Reeve of the Township of North Monaghan. I have had two years' experience in the Council, and if elected will give you the very best service I possibly can. Wishing you the compliments of the season, I am,

Yours faithfully,

J. H. BELL

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REPORT OF DEATH WAS VERY MUCH EXAGGERATED

Havelock Man Turns Up in Moosejaw—Was Surprised to Read of His "Untimely End"—Havelock Items of Interest—Many Visitors to Village

HAVELOCK, Dec. 27.—The news of the death of Jas. Bohan, which was rumoured in Havelock last week, is entirely wrong, the said "Jimmie" being well and alive. He is working on the C.P.R. out of Moose Jaw, Sask., and was much surprised on picking up a paper to read of his untimely death.

Pte. Gordon B Kipp, formerly of the Standard staff, Havelock has been reported missing since the fighting on Oct. 8th last. He is a brother of V. M Kipp, Winnipeg representative of the Canadian Press and his home is in Woodstock.

Mrs. Jas. Craig, formerly of town, dropped dead at her home in London on Monday last while packing prior to removal to Syracuse, where her husband had purchased a hotel.

Officers Elected.

The Annual December meeting of Blairton L.O.L. No. 1255, for the election of officers, was held on the 13th inst. Following are the newly elected officers.

W.M.—Bro. D. H. Little
D. M.—Bro. E. Quackenbush.
Chaplain—Bro. J. T. Little.
Rec. Sec.—Bro. H. R. Chase.
Fin. Sec.—Bro. C. Ellis
Treas.—Bro. D Little.
D. of C.—Bro. F. Chase
1st Lecturer—Bro. J F Chase.
2nd Lecturer—Bro. L. Righdy.
1st Com.—Bro. E Clark
2nd Com.—Bro. G Chase.
3rd Com.—Bro. A. Sanders
4th Com.—Bro. Pte. C Toms
O. S. Tyler—Bro. R. Davidson
I. S. Tyler—Bro. H. Riley

Mr. and Mrs. Danard are spending the holidays at their home in Toronto.

Miss Grace Murray at her home in Cayuga.

Miss Thompson at her home in Norwood

Miss Geraldine Shea at her home, Peterborough

Miss Alma Brown of West Toronto, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown.

Mrs. L. Clarke was successfully operated on for appendicitis at Mrs. Campbell's private hospital last week by Dr. Holdcroft, assisted by Dr Sutton of Norwood. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery to health.

Mr. Ward Patterson of Peterborough, was in town last week on business.

Mrs. Campbell has returned home after five weeks' vacation with her daughters, Mrs. Brady, London, and Mrs Graham, West Toronto.

Miss Josephine Barnett of Toronto, is spending a holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs Thos. Barnett.

Miss Lottie Chiles, of Belleville, is the guest of her mother, Mrs R Chiles

Miss Katherine Falkner of Kingston, is the guest of her parents, Mr and Mrs. Harry Falkner.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Young and little son, Master Edwin, of Vantage, Sask., are east on a visit after an absence of four years. They are the guests of Mr. and Mrs Jos Seabrooke at Prenevaux.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Joyce have moved back to town from Sterling. Mr. Joyce has opened up a boot and shoe store in his old stand on George street.

Miss Mary Crowe of town, has been engaged by the School Board to fill the vacancy on the staff caused by the resignation of Miss Paget

Mr. Wm. Menzies of Beatty, Sask., is east on a visit and will spend the next two months with friends in Havelock and Belmont.

The many friends of Mrs. Wm. Westcott will be sorry to learn of her serious illness, suffering from a paralytic stroke.

Pte. Wm. Armstrong of town, has been discharged from the 247th as being medically unfit.

Mr. W. J. McBurney of town, has purchased the grocery business of Mr. Frank Coon and takes possession on Jan. 1st.

Mr. T. P. Lancaster left Friday for London, Ont. to spend the Christmas holidays with his sister, Mrs. Jack Moffatt.

Misses Florence and Stella McWilliams, of Toronto, and Miss Edith McWilliams, of Marmora, were the guests of their sisters, Mrs. L. Clarke and Miss Minnie McWilliams, on Christmas.

Dr. and Mrs. Holdcroft, of town, and son Don, of Kingston, spent Christmas at Tweed with the former's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Carter and family at the former's home in Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Watson and son Earnest with their daughter, Mrs. D. L. Somerville, at Lindsay.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Covert with Mrs. Clarke at Peterborough.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rose and children at the latter's home, Port McNichol.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaudervoort and daughter Blanche and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Phillips with friends in Colborne.

Rev. and Mrs. Patterson and Master Cyril at the latter's home in Toronto.

Miss Seeney, of Tweed, with her sister, Mrs. C. Coon.

Miss Katherine Falkner, of Kingston, and Mr. Wm. Falkner, of Ottawa, with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Falkner.

Miss Birdie Crowe, of Ottawa, with her mother, Mrs. Crowe.

Mr. Wm. Barlow, of Toronto, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Barlow.

Miss Polly Chiles, of Toronto; Miss Flossie Chiles, of Peterborough, and Miss Lottie Chiles, of Belleville, with their mother, Mrs. R. Chiles.

Miss Kathleen Pacy, of Toronto, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Pacy.

Miss Agnes Lynch, of Toronto, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Lynch.

Miss Laura Foley and Mr. Vincent Foley, of Toronto, with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Foley.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Puffer and son Jack at the latter's home in Toronto.

Dr. and Mrs. Russell, of Toronto, with Mr. and Mrs. F. Haig.

Mr F. Haig, of Toronto, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Haig.

Mr. W. J. Bryans, of Toronto, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bryans.

Mrs. W. A. Deumo, of Toronto, with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Bryans.

Mr. Standley Holcombe, of Halifax, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Holcombe.

Mr. T. P. Lancaster, of London, with his sister, Mrs. Jack Moffatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bound and family, of Bowmanville, with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. Brennan, of Gravenhurst, with their son, Mr. Reg. Brennan.

Mr. Earl Laing spent the holiday with friends at Colborne.

Miss Gladys Davidson, of Campbellford, the guest of Miss Bertha Bryans.

Lance-Corporal Elmo Patterson, of the 198th Buffs Battalion, Toronto, the guest of his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilde.

Mrs. Jack Burnett spent the holiday with Mr. Burnett at Trenton.

Miss Mabel Pacey, of Ottawa, with her parents in town.

Mr. and Mrs Squire and son Jimmie with friends in Norwood.

Mrs. Dingman, of Peterborough, with her brother, Mr. J. V. A. Coon.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, of Frankford, with friends in town.

Mr. Jack McGill, of Toronto, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. McGill.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ghent at the latter's home in Madoc.

Miss Stella Voyer, of Toronto, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Voyer.

Mr. Don. Barnett, of Toronto, and Mr. Thos. Barnett, of Peterborough, the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Barnett.

Miss Vera Skene, of Toronto, with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Skene.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Patterson and family, of Peterborough, with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Scott, Trent River.

Miss Luella Crawford, of Toronto, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Crawford.

Mr. Watson, who is attending Queen's University, Kingston, the guest of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Kellar, of Toronto, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Kellar.

Mr. Jack Roche, of Toronto, with his brother, Mr. H. W. Roche.

Scene from "Charley's Aunt," which comes to The Grand next Saturday, December 30, Matinee and Night. Seats now on sale

Letter Carriers to Distribute Cards

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are not ready for delivery. As collected the letter carrier will inquire the name of the person signing the card and note the same on the outside of the envelope in the left hand corner.

On Friday, 5th of January, the carrier will make a second visit,

Again on the 6th, a third call.

At the expiration of that week, Jan. 1st to 6th, the carrier will report to the postmaster what cards have been collected, and those he has been unable to collect. The Postmaster will then forward to Ottawa these statements. For the efficient carrying out of this important work the letter carrier will be held responsible for the proper delivery and collection of the cards.

On sheets, supplied, the carrier shall make a record of cards delivered and on another sheet, names of cards not collected or available, and if any cases where it seems impossible to get the cards, note shall be made of the face for the information of the department.

It is understood that penalties for non-compliance with the objects of the registration have not as yet been prescribed, but the Act, under which the work is being undertaken is permissive in such respect, and the Governor-General is authorized to prescribe, if he is so advised, penalties for non-observance.

It is hoped that all will cheerfully comply with the orders. The result, if faithfully carried out, will give Canada an accurate idea of the available man power in the country. Of the opportunity to change occupations and assist in augmenting productions, there is no doubt that there is a surplus of labour in many occupations that could profitably be turned into other channels, making for the general national good and efficiency.

Good skating at East City Rink afternoons and evenings. Band in Attendance To-Night. Admission 10c.

Fourteen Boys Broke Windows In Old Murray St. Baptist Church

Fourteen small boys, any one of whom might have stepped from the pages of Penrod, were fined $5 each this morning for a total of $70 to cover the estimated cost of $68 of replacing windows they admitted having broken in the old Murray Street Baptist Church building. Literally they appeared in the Juvenile Court, but virtually it was the Police Court, for the Juvenile Court is only a name.

The youngest of the boys was seven years old, and the others ranged in years up to eleven or twelve. Three others pleaded not guilty, and were discharged with a warning. A group of peeved parents followed the hearing of the youngsters, who were distributed about the table in front of the Magistrate's desk. One was a soldier's wife, whose husband is at the front. Her two boys were included among those who admitted breaking the windows and the mother thus had to contribute $10 towards the window fund. Looking over the "gang," their faces wore a cherubic expression, specially employed for parlour or Sunday School situations. Here and there an eye glinted with mischief. They were children of representative homes, and could scarcely be held for lack of home training, although it may have been lax in regard to church windows, for $68 buys an expanse of glass. It was stated that the boys had deliberately stoned the windows, and that there was no element of accident in the results.

Chief of Chemong and His Father Fined $5 For Assault

Dan and Danny Whetung, father and son, of the Chemong Indian village, were each fined $5 and costs, of $8.55 by Magistrate Langley, in the County Police court this morning on a charge of having assaulted W. J. Haines on Thursday, November 30th. Haines is a boat builder in the village, and his wife is the Public school teacher. From the evidence adduced, the assault was apparently the outcome of a misunderstanding of an incident in the school work which seemingly had been misreported to Mr. Whetung, who found it objectionable as he heard it.

Mr. Whetung, senior, is postmaster at the village and when Haines called in the afternoon of Nov. 30th for his mail, the postmaster threw it at him, he stated. Dan told him what he could do to him, but Haines replied that Dan was too old. He left the store and Dan followed him to the sidewalk, saying he would make Haines afraid of him. Continuing his story, Haines said he was struck on the face by Mr Whetung, the blow leaving a small wound that bled freely. Mrs Whetung and daughter Daisy then called Danny, the Chief.

"Danny came on the run," said the plaintiff, "and kicked me severely from behind just as I was going to step into my buggy. He ordered me to get on home as fast as I could. When I was about to get into the buggy Dan, senior, kicked me in the same place, except more severely. It crippled me for two days. I felt the effects of those kicks for two weeks. Danny, junior, said I was crazy and foolish and so were all my relations. He said he would give me forty-eight hours to get off the property or he would get me off."

To Mr. Kerr witness said he had had no previous difficulty with the Whetungs. At the post office Dan, senior, said he did not like the way Mrs. Haines was teaching. Witness denied that he used profane language at the store. He was not accustomed to swearing. Haines said he knew Danny junior, was Chief. He sometimes made himself officious, witness said, to which the latter objected when it was directed to his private affairs.

Mrs. Haines next called, corroborated her husband's account of the assault outside the post office and further explained the incident in school that morning which was materially enlarged as Mr. Whetung senior afterwards related it as reported to him

No Bilingual Difficulty Here.

Willie McCue, an Indian boy of 12 years, was also called for the prosecution. He could speak only a few words in English, although he understood most of what he heard. Mrs. Haines remarked that the teaching at the school was entirely in English, and apparently there is no bilingual problem in the education of the Mississauga children. They are taught the Indian language at home and learn English at school. The boy said he had seen Mr Whetung strike Mr. Haines.

In his defence, Mr Whetung, senior, gave his version of the school incident which had aroused his anger, as it was reported to him, and stated that this was the cause of his feeling against Haines. He did not throw the newspapers at him in the post office, nor kicked him outside. Mr. Whetung said he caught Haines by the collar and twisted him around at the same time giving him a bunt with his knee.

Mr. F. D. Kerr appeared for the defendants and Mr. Daniel O'Connell for the paintiffs. The latter requested that the Whetungs be bound to keep the peace, but Magistrate Langley refused, stating that they were prominent persons at Chemong and that such a step was unnecessary.

County Constable John Jacobs of the village acted as interpreter while the McCue boy was on the stand.

Balfour's Cattle.

The advertisement announcing the sale, on August 31, of Mr. Balfour's shorthorns at Whittingehame, East Lothian, is a reminder that the ex-Premier has been, longest of all, an agriculturist. Years before politics engaged his attention he was a keen farmer, and Scottish papers often stated that "Mr. A. J. Balfour, of Whittingehame, has taken prizes for his agricultural exhibits." Aided by his mother, Lady Blanche Balfour, the later Lord Salisbury's sister, the future statesman devised plans for improving his farms and the comfort of his tenantry. His first speech, made when 12, was in connection with agriculture, and given at an open-air entertainment to his tenants and employees in response to a vote of thanks to himself and mother.

Co-operative Farming.

The Co-operative Wholesale Society is now going in for farming. It has recently purchased farms aggregating 4,500 acres, situated near Goole, Crewe, and Wisbech. Another interesting agricultural development is being undertaken by Mr. Thornton, the general manager of the Great Eastern Railway, who is about to form egg societies and egg-collecting depots in the Eastern Counties. Egg demonstration railway vans and motor omnibuses are to tour the district.

Eat Oysters And Fruit Now

After Christmas, most people feel like enjoying something light and nutritious after the heavy meat and plum pudding dishes.

OYSTERS are a valuable food They are the tenderest of meats and easily digestible, useful in regulating nutrition.

FRUITS contain delicious cooling and refreshing salts, so stimulating and active in regulating the stomach, liver and other organs.

Nothing nicer this week than our Sealshipt Oysters and Foreign and Domestic Fruits and Vegetables.

PRINGLE'S
Sanitary Fruit & Fish Market
Cor. George & Charlotte St.
Phone 197

Renew your subscription.

PRESENTED WITH WRIST WATCH

Last evening at the home of Mr Frederick Cann, second line of Smith township, a presentation and address to Private E. Hopwood took place.

The latter who has resided in the community for the past two years, has joined the medical service. That he was well known and highly esteemed was evidenced by the large number of people who turned out to bid him farewell, and participate in a social hour which followed the presentation.

The address contained the following:

Lily Lake, December 27, 1916.
Pte. E Hopwood,
Dear Ernest,—

Having learned that you were about to leave us, we your friends of Lily Lake, felt that we could not let this opportunity pass without expressing to you in some tangible manner what your association has meant to us.

In the few short years, during which you have been among us we have learned to appreciate your many sterling qualities and in going from us you leave a space in the community hard to fill.

We admire your spirit in determining to take your place and do your part in the cause of Liberty and Justice, and although you were rejected on former occasions you persevered and are now "doing your bit." We, your friends, know that you recognised early the direction in which your path of duty lay, and had you been accepted when you apply before, we would have lost you several months ago.

We ask you to accept this wrist watch as a slight token of appreciation from your friends of Lily Lake. May the wearing of it ever remind you that you have their best wishes for a safe and a speedy return among them.

Signed on behalf of your friends of Lily Lake.

Jessie C. Swinton,
Archie W. Ackison,
John Steinkrauss,
Stanley Cann.

A WEAK CRESTED BOY.

"My daughter suffered from inflamed eyelids and eczema on her head," writes Mr. H. W. Lear, Port Planford, Nfld. "The child was in a bad state and suffered greatly. The doctor failed to help her and on recommendation of a friend I used Dr. Chase's Ointment, which made a complete cure. With a grateful heart write you this letter."

IT PAYS

To watch the Grocery offers of The Peterboro Grocery Store. We are getting more business every week, just as customers find out about our clean, well assorted stock, our business methods and our moderate prices. This week extra values in the following—

Fresh Dairy Butter lb. 44c
Mince Meat New Prunes
Dried Nectarines
Evaporated Apples
2 lbs. 35c
Gal. Cans of Apples .. 24c
Medium Cans Apples 10c
Uncolored Japan Tea
lb. 28c
10 lb. Parcel Japan Tea $2.80
5 lb. Fine Japan Tea $1.00

Peterboro Grocery Co.
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Fred Walker, Mgr. Phone 854

NOTICE!

The undersigned grocers of the City of Peterborough, have placed our orders for grocery stock, in accord with, and are selling to the public, goods that conform to the regulations as set out by the Pure Food Law of Canada. The following stores will be found satisfactory stores at which to buy:

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D. B. NICHOLLS, 209 Stewart St.
MITCHELL'S GROCERY, 239 Reid St.
BERT. HUNTER, 235 McDonnel St.
EDGAR PUTTICK, 531 Park St.
JUBY BROS., 242 Charlotte St.
N. ROUTLEY, 392 Brock St.
W. ROUTLEY, Lake and Aylmer Sts.
A. DAVIDSON, 133 Benson Ave.
BERT. HEARD, 239 George St
GOHEEN & MATCHETT, 196 Rubidge St.
DAWSON BROS., 559 George St.
F. DARLING, 521 George St.
E. J. McDONELL, 233 Lake St.
F. LYNCH, 465 Park St.
R. S. GOHEEN, 481 Aylmer St.

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Ladies' newest velvet hat shapes, only 99c

Shapes in black and colors, regular values up to $3.00, only 99c

LADIES' TRIMMED HATS $2.49

A table of very desirable trimmed Hats at about half price, choice for..... $2.49

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Pre-Inventory Sale Of Linens

Just prior to stock taking we are induced to make these reductions—shrewd buyers will tell you that "this is the season of the year when best values can be procured." Why? Every merchant desires to have his stock at low tide before listing time. See them to-morrow they are well worth while.

Unbleached Table Damask, 65c value. Two Day's Special, yard.....50c

Bleached Damask Table Cloth, bordered all way round, 2 yards square. Two Day's Special.....$1.95

Same as above, only 2½ x 2 yards.....$2.35

Irish Embroidered Pillow Cases, $1.19 and $1.25 value, size 45 x 36 inches. Special.....98c

Store Opens 8.15 a.m. **The GRESSMAN Company Limited** Store Closes 6 p.m.

ST. JOHN'S NIGHT OBSERVED BY THE MASONIC FRATERNITY

Officers Installed and Toast List Honoured at Most Enjoyable Gathering in the Masonic Hall Last Evening.

WAS LARGELY ATTENDED

The members of Corinthian Lodge, No. 101, and Peterborough Lodge No. 155, A. F and A. M., observed the anniversary of St. John the Evangelist, in characteristic fashion last evening, when the annual installation of officers took place, followed by a most enjoyable banquet. Although many members of the Masonic fraternity are away on active service, there was a large turnout last evening, and the occasion was a noteworthy one in the history of the two lodges.

The installation of the officers, which took place in the lodge room, formed the first part of the programme. Rt. Wor. Bro. (Colonel) Duncan Walker, was the installing master.

The officers were as follows:

Corinthian Lodge, No. 101, A. F. & A. M., G.R.C.

Bro. W. B. Morris—W. M.
W. Bro. J. Allan—I.P.M.
Bro. F. H. Dawson—S. W.
Bro. W. T. Holloway—J.W.
V.W. Bro. H. C. Winch—Chap.
Bro. E. F. Mason—Sec'y.
W. Bro. T. A. S. Hay—Treas.
Bro. A. J. Jardine—S.D.
Bro. R. F. Downey—J. D.
Bro. A. Mowat—P. G.
Bro. G. A. Gillespie—S.S.
Bro. G. R. Munro—J.S.
W. Bro. A. L. Killaly—D. of C.
Bro. J. W. Worth—Organist.
W. Bro. W. G. Morrow—Tyler.
W. Bro. E. A. Peck—Trustee.
W. Bro H. W. Morphet and W. Bro. A. L. Killaly—Auditors.

Peterborough Lodge, No. 155, A. F. & A. M., G.R.C.

Bro. G. A. Macdonald—W.M.
W. Bro. J. M. Roesel—I.P.M.
Bro. A. Waddell—S.W.
Bro. S. Taylor—J.W.
W. Bro. Wm. Hill—Chap.
R. W. Bro. W. H. Walkey—Sec'y.
R. W. Bro. A. Gibson—Treas.
Bro. J. Comstock—S.D.
Bro. M. Breckenridge—J.D.
Bro. P. T. Gillespie—I.G.
Bro. R. L. Dobbin—S.S.
Bro. W. D. Campbell—J.S.
W. Bro. J. G. M. Wilson—D. of C.
Bro. R. J. Devey—Organist.
Bro. J. Richardson—Tyler.
W. Bro. Wm. Hill—Trustee.
R. W. Bro. H. Rush and V. W. Bro. R. F. Morrow—Auditors.

The Banquet.

The members then adjourned to the banquet hall where a most appetizing repast was served by Bro. T. H. Hooper, who catered for the occasion in his usual efficient style.

The members the sojourned to the hall was honoured. Interspersed with the speeches were a number of charming musical offerings, including vocal solos by Wor. Bro. H. W. Morphet, Bro. V. R. Henry, Bro. Walter Hutchinson, Bro. J. W. Worth, a violin solo by Bro. Frank Whitehouse, and a piano solo by Bro. R. J. Devey, while Bro. F. Whitehouse also supplied some enjoyable selections on the Aeolian Vocalion.

The toast list was as follows:

The King and the Craft

The Grand Master and the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

"It is not titles that reflect honour on men, but men that reflect honours on titles."

The Army, the Navy, and Volunteers.

Afterwards a very enjoyable toast longer, and the battle-flags were furl'd, in the parliament of man, the federation of the world."

Bro. L. J. Colling.
Bro. (Col.) C. H. Ackerman.
Bro. (Capt.) O'Flynn.

The Absent Brethren.

"Fare thee well! and if for ever,
Still for ever, fare thee well."

Bro. E. B. Fowler.
Bro. Rev. T. H. Mitchell.

Our Visitors.

"Welcome ever smiles and farewell goes out sighing."

Wor. Bro. F. J. Vosden.
Bro. G. O. Cameron.

The Newly Installed Officers.

"Be strong, and quit yourselves like men."

Wor. Bro. A. A. Fowler.
Wor Bro. W. B. Morris.
Wor. Bro. G. A. Macdonald.

The Retiring Officers.

"And all may do what has by man been done."

Bro. W. D. Campbell.
Wor. Bro. J. F. Allin.
Wor. Bro. J. M. Roesel.

The Installing Master

"With eloquence inmate his tongue was armed."

Wor. Bro. H. W. Morphet.
Rt. Wor. Bro. Duncan Walker.

The Junior Warden's Toast.

"Happy to meet, sorry to part,
Happy to meet again."

Rt. Wor. Bro. John Crane was chairman, and Wor. Bro. H. W. Morphet vice-chairman, during the banquet.

RT. WOR BRO (COL.) D. WALKER, who was the Installing Master at last evening's Masonic function.

Donations To The Children's Shelter

Santa Claus Was Very Liberal—Inmates of the Shelter Had a Big Christmas

The Board of Management of the Children's Aid Society gratefully acknowledge the receipt of numerous gifts for the kiddies at the Shelter during Christmas. Santa Claus was very good and made the little orphan children exceptionally happy. The following is the list:

From A.B.H.—A box of toys and candy for each child.
Mrs. Birdsall—Cake.
A Friend—School bag and toys.
Misses Dickson—Two doz. oranges.
Mrs. Borradaile—Dates, candy, oranges and nuts.
A Friend—Two dozen oranges.
Betty Burnham—Toys, candy and books.
Mrs. Wm. Davidson—Nuts, candy, dates, figs, oranges and biscuits.
Mrs. R. Hesderman—Candy, cranberries and clothing.
Mrs. J. M. Brooks — Four mince pies, 1 large basket home-made cookies, large quantity of candy, three jars of preserves and fruit.
Mrs. Chas. Cook—Toys.
Mrs. Adam Hall—Oranges and nuts.
Marathon Candy Kitchen—Large box of candy.
Allen and Max Lush — Toys and candy.
E. F. Mason—Nuts, dates, candy, oranges and fancy biscuits.
Robt. Fair—Box of candy.
Madeline Kelly—Books and toys.
Turnbull & Co.—Stockings, handkerchiefs and toys for every child.
A Friend—Four boxes stockings filled with candy.
A Friend—Two barrels of apples.
A Friend—Toys.
Wm. Stock & Co.—100 lbs. flour.
Mrs. W. J. Green — Tree decorations, fancy boxes and toys.
Helen Fiske—Toys.
Mrs. W. H. Dunsford—Toys.
Mrs. Kendrick—Toys.
Cora and Violet Windover — Toys, games and books.
Willie Mitchell—Drugs and candy.
Mrs. J. Gemmell—Candy and toys.
Mrs. Kendry—Box of toys.
Mrs. R. J. Kidd—Books and toys.
Fred and Billie Trebilcock — Toys and candy canes.
Mrs. Murphy, 398½ Water St.—Cake and fruit.
Mr. F. D. Kerr—Fowl and sausages.
Mr. W. H. Hamilton—Turkey.
Knights Templar Masons—A parcel for each child and $12.
Campbell Flour Mills Co.—$25.
Mr. E. A. Peck—$2.
Chief Howard—$2.
Mr. R. Hicks—$5.
Mrs. Chas. Cook—$1.
Miss Edwards—$1.
Mr. K.—$1.
G. A. Gillespie—$2.
A Friend—$1.

Ladies' Fur Setts

In case you have failed to remember some of your friends at Christmas, just come and see some of the exquisite styles we are showing in Muffs and Neck Pieces. Nothing can be more acceptable as a Christmas or New Year's Gift.

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A cheerful welcome to all shoppers whether to look or to buy.

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The Jeweller, George St.

The Messiah

IN

St. Paul's Church

ON THE EVENING OF

Tuesday,

JANUARY 2nd, 1917

AN OLD CAMPAIGNER IN MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

Mr. J. H. Smith, Still a Young Man but has Been in Nineteen Contests

Mr. J. H. Smith, who is running for aldermanic honour is no stranger to municipal contests. When Ashburnham had her own Village Council Mr. Smith was a member for a number of years and a contest which included Ex-Alderman Harry Morgan, Mr. J. T. Craig, Mr Allan McCarthy, Mr. Frank Adams, the late Robt. Sheridan, the late Henry Calcutt, Ex-Ald. W. J. Johnston and others, was sure to bring about a lively and exciting time.

There are not a few residents of Ashburnham who have no hesitation in saying that it was a mistake when the village lost its identity and that they look back with pleasure and also regret to the good old days when Ashburnham had its own governing bodies. However, the newcomers to the village will shortly be in the majority, and they have no knowledge of the old days in Ashburnham that are so dear to the old residents of the fifth ward.

Mr. Smith has been in nineteen election contests up to the present, has won 15 and lost 4, and at the time of the union of Ashburnham and the city was its Reeve. Since then he has been a member of the Board of Education of the city for two years.

WARSAW NEWS

WARSAW, Dec. 28.—The Christmas tree and entertainment held under the auspices of the Baptist School on Friday, Dec. 22rd, was a splendid success, and was much enjoyed by all present. The programme was as follows:

Chorus—Sunday School Scholars.
Recitation—"When Father Was a Boy," Donald Anderson.
Duet—"Ring Out the Bells," Misses Pickering and Ellis.
Patriotic Recitation—Miss Tressa Crowe.
Reading—"Jack's Christmas Tree," Miss Mabel Kidd.
Duet — "In His Love Abiding," Mrs. Robert and Miss Lonsdale.
Recitation—"When Father Goes to Shave," Gordon Wall.
Solo—"Character Building," Miss Bessie Lonsdale.
Duet — "The Little Stranger," Misses Pickering and Ellis.
Dialogue—"Jack Hayseed in the City," Major and Mrs. Anderson, Mr. Fred Crowe.
Distribution of presents to scholars and teachers by the Superintendent and Mrs. Robert.

Corporal Roland N. Kidd, of the 207th Battalion, Ottawa, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. James Hawthorne, for Christmas.

The Presbyterian Church and Sunday School will hold their annual entertainment and tree on January 3rd.

Mr. and Mrs. William Aylmer, of Fenelon Falls, are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Clifford.

The concert and Christmas tree held in the Methodist Church on Christmas evening was well attended, and the following programme was the result of patience and skill on the part of both teachers and pupils:

School Chorus—"Joys of Christmas."
Acrostic — "Christmas," Eight Girls.
Recitation—Gordon Bowen.
Primary Class Chorus — "Little Flakes of Snow."
Dialogue — "Trouble in Santa Claus Land."
Trio—"Good Old Santa Claus," Margaret, Florence and Ida Clare.
Recitation—Hiram Anderson.
Star Drill—"Star," Class.
Recitation—Birdie Greystock.
Marching Song—"The Rainey Day Brigade."
Recitation—Gwendoline McCuaig.
Patriotic Exercise—"War On the Western Front."
Exercise—"Joy Bells." Five Girls.
Dialogue—"The Queen's Decision."
School Chorus—"Hurrah for the Christmas Tree."
Distribution of Gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Choate and Master Grover Choate, of Toronto, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Choate.

As the Reeve and Councillors were elected by acclamation there will be no municipal election this year.

The Winter Series meeting of the Warsaw Women's Institute will be held on Saturday, January 6th, at 2.30 p.m.

An "At Home" will be held in the Town Hall on Friday evening, Dec. 29th, in aid of the local branch of the Red Cross.

The Health Association Reception On Friday

The ladies of the Nurses' Supervision Committee of the Health Association, are making every effort to provide for the comfort and enjoyment of their guests during the afternoon and evening of Friday next, December 29th, at the Empress Hotel. Through the kindness of Mrs. Gliddon the full orchestra of the Conservatory of Music will play during the tea hour, and suitable music has been provided for dancing in the evening. The splendid lobby of the hotel will be at the disposal of visitors during the tea hour, and again in the evening for coffee and music. To all visitors a hearty welcome is extended. Come yourself and pass this invitation on to your friends, as the committee is not sending out invitations other than this press notice. Rev. Father Phelan, President, will say a few words both afternoon and evening on the work of the Association.

Tables will be provided for Bridge, Euchre and Five Hundred, and the hostess of each table is asked to provide cards, score cards and pencils for her own table. Prizes will be given for the best score of Bridge, Euchre and Five Hundred. To prevent confusion ushers will see that each lady finds her own table on her arrival. The committee wishes to emphasize the informal nature of the reception. It is not intended in any sense to be a full dress function.

Admission for cards or dancing fifty cents. Visitors afternoon or evening twenty-five cents. All ladies taking tables are asked to communicate as soon as possible with Mrs. Aylmer, 'phone 303. 2d

D. W GRIFFITH—The producer of the World's masterpiece, "The Birth of a Nation."

During the previous engagement of "The Birth of a Nation" at The Grand—a great number of patrons were curious to know what selections the orchestra played during the presentation of the picture. Manager Turner has written to the office and has received word that the following selections are included in the orchestration which is used for "The Birth of a Nation":

"Suwanee River," "Seeing Nellie Home," "In the Gloaming," "Dixie," "Turkey in the Straw," "Doo Dah," "The Girl I Left Behind Me," "Home Sweet Home," "Good Night Ladies," "The Mocking Bird," "Hail to the Chief," "The Star Spangled Banner," "My Country 'Tis of Thee," and the selections from The Peer Gynt Suite, Zampa, Freichutz, The Ride of the Valkyres, Liszt's Second Hungarian Rhapsody.

Unusual interest is manifest in the forthcoming return of this wonderful attraction for three days commencing New Year's Day with one matinee only on January 1st, at 2:30.

Most of these selections are carried by the local music houses.

Germany Formally Guarantees Neutrality

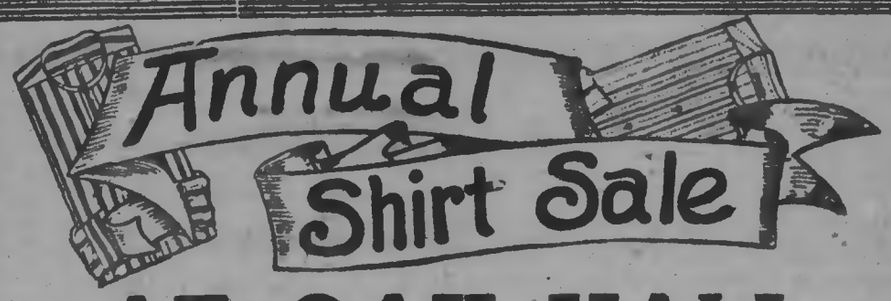
SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, Dec. 28. — Germany has again formally guaranteed the neutrality of Switzerland.

An American farmer sows rye at the corn just before the last cultivation. The sowing is done by hand while walking along every fourth row. The rye is afterwards ploughed under, and adds a lot of humus to the soil.

LET THE PEOPLE TRY IT.

A Gananoque man says that in hotels in Clayton, on the American side of the St. Lawrence, margarine is used in the best hotels, and cannot be distinguished in taste from the best creamery. "It is manufactured uncoloured. Inspected under Government control, it keeps as long as you don't eat it," as they say. That cannot be said of some of our creamery. Merchants here asked 48c to 50c for butter this last week. Oleo sells in Clayton for 25c. The people of Canada ought to be allowed to try this food. It could be imported, or manufactured here. It could be inspected so as to assure its wholesomeness, and then the people could judge of flavour for themselves. The law forbidding its use is senseless and tyrannical.—Toronto Star.



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No man gets too many shirts, so come and buy every Shirt you can use. It means savings to you.

SHIRTS 75c

Stiff cuffs, also soft cuff and collar shirts. Neat hairline and heavier stripes, white fancy cord. Worth $1.00, for 75c

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Stiff cuffs, also soft cuff and collar shirts. Choice patterns in neat stripes and heavier covered patterns. Some with silk fronts. Worth $1.25 and $1.50, for 95c

SHIRTS $1.25

Stiff cuffs, also soft cuffs and collars, large assortment patterns to choose from. Percales, Anderson's and Paton cloths. Worth up to $1.75, for 1.25

COMBINATIONS $1.00

Mercury and Zimmerknit, medium weight combinations. Natural shade, closed crotch. All sizes. Worth $1.25 and $1.50, for 1.00

COMBINATIONS $2.00

Stanfield's and Watson's, spring needle, elastic knit, closed crotch combination underwear. Very special at 2.00

MEN'S HATS $1.95

Men's hard and soft felt hats, in black, nutria, smoke, steel. All latest styles. Worth $2.50 and $3.00, for 1.95

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WINDOW DISPLAY HANDKERCHIEFS, slightly soiled. One Hour..... 11 for 25c

Friday Hour Sale in Basement
4 to 5 P. M.
2 ONLY ROCKINGHAM TEA POTS, 5 and 6 Cups. Worth 30c and 35c. One Hour..... 19c

Main Floor Bargains

BOYS' HEAVY WOOL MITTS, 19c
Made of heavy Scotch Yarns, in black and heather mixtures. Sizes 6, 7 and 8. Best 25c lines. Friday and Saturday Bargain 19c

LADIES' BLACK KID GLOVES, 59c
In sizes 6, 6¼, 6½ and 6¾. Worth today $1.25. Friday and Saturday Bargain 59c

STATIONERY, 14c BOX
150 boxes High-Class Stationery, 24 sheets writing paper and 2 dozen envelopes. Regular 25c. Friday and Saturday Bargain..... 14c

LADIES' UNDERWEAR, 75c SUIT
Ladies' Underwear, winter weight, vest buttoned from high neck, drawers either style. Regular $1.00. Friday and Saturday Bargain, suit..... 75c

Toyland

DOLLS, 33c
Nicely dressed Character Dolls, in costumes as Little Boy Blue, Tipperary Tom, Little Red Riding Hood, Milkmaid, and others. Were 40c. Friday and Saturday Bargain..... 33c

Bargains in Basement Friday & Saturday

KITCHEN UTENSILS
Butter Moulds..... 8c
Granite Cups..... 8c
Granite Spoons..... 8c
Granite Cake Tins.. 8c
Can Openers..... 8c
Dippers..... 8c
Sink Shovels..... 8c
Wire Baskets..... 8c
Nutmeg Graters..... 8c
Flour Sifter 8c
Egg Beater..... 8c

ODD LINES OF DINNERWARE
Various Decorations
Cream Jugs..... 15c
Slop Bowls..... 15c
Gravy Boats..... 23c
Cups and Saucers.... 12c
Dinner Plates..... 15c
Soup Plates..... 12c
Tea Plates..... 8c
Breakfast Plates.... 10c
Nappies 8c
Platters, large..... 69c

GRANITE WARE
Dish Pans..... 48c
Double Boilers..... 59c
Roasting Pans..... 48c
Jugs 48c
Pails 48c
Preserving Kettles, ... 29c, 39c, 59c
Wash Basins..... 29c, 35c
Coffee Pots..... 45c
Tea Pots..... 45c
Pails with covers.... 35c

BLUE WILLOW TUSCAN CHINA
Cups and Saucers..... 23c
Plates, Tea 23c
Bread and Butter Plates..... 19c
Dinner Plates 45c
Cream Pitcher 45c
Soup Plates 23c
Nappies 23c
Egg Cups 9c
Sugar Bowls 45c
Butter Dishes $1.15

Ready-to-wear Floor

$30.00, $35.00 and $40.00 SUITS, $25.00
High-Class Model Suits, mostly one of a kind. Made of best Gabardines, Wools, Poplins and French Serges. In brown, navy and black, some fur trimmed. Were $30.00, $35.00 and $40.00. Friday and Saturday Bargain..... 25.00
See Exhibit in George Street Window.

Carpet Dept. Bargains

WHITE ENAMEL BEDS,
$3.95, $4.95, $5.95
These beds are of good designs, and can be obtained in four sizes, made of best baked white enamel. Some with brass trimmings. Friday and Saturday ..... $3.95, $4.95 and 5.95

CUSHION TOPS, 29c
Silk Tapestry Cushion Tops, 22 inches square. Plain centre, embroidered border design. In green, red and tan mixtures. Best 50c line. Friday and Saturday Bargain..... 29c

LINOLEUM, 4 YDS. WIDE, 69c
Several special designs are offered in this lot for your inspection. Extra heavy quality. Bright clean finish. Friday and Saturday Bargain, square yard 69c

Toyland

BOOKS, 10c
150 cloth bound books, such as Boy Scouts, Alger's, Mary Holmes', etc. Worth up to 20c. Friday and Saturday Bargain 10c

VETERAN SUPERINTENDENT "CANED" BY THE SCHOOL

Christmas Entertainment of the Fraserville Methodist Church Featured by a Presentation to Mr. Joseph Madill.

AN INTERESTING EVENT

The Christmas entertainment in connection with the Sunday School of the Fraserville Methodist Church was held on the evening of December 20, and the programme was carefully prepared and well rendered, both the children and young people doing credit, not only to themselves, but also to those who had charge of the practice and training.

During the evening a very pleasing event took place, when Mr. Joseph Madill, who has been superintendent of the Sunday School of the Methodist Church, Fraserville, for nearly twenty-five years, was presented by the members and adherents of the school with a gold-headed cane, accompanied with the following address, to which Mr. Madill made a very suitable reply:

Mr. Joseph Madill, Superintendent of Fraserville Methodist Sunday School.

Dear Mr. Madill,—

The teachers all and scholars
Are filled with deep regret,
By your absence from us,
For we do not forget.

That you were long our teacher,
In this our Sunday School,
And, that, for many seasons,
It was your faithful rule.

To lead us every Sunday,
Both prayerfully and well,
As many of us remember
And all of us can tell.

No, not for one year only,
Nor yet for two or three,
But nigh a quarter of a century
You've proved your loyalty.

And, like a Christian soldier,
With "Jesus" on your shield,
Right manfully you've battled
And held for Him the field.

And all the little children
Went safely to and fro,
And, by your care, were guarded
Until, as children grow,

To strength, before undreamt of,
They had their buckles too,
And took for theirs your watchword
Of loyal, staunch and true.

And if you grew discouraged,
And if you felt your work
Was overlooked, nor heeded,
And felt inclined to shirk,

Yet still you had the knowledge
Your task was but the Lord's,
And that His approbation
Exceeded earth's rewards.

But just because we're human,
We find that praise is sweet,
And feel our fellows cheering
By gift or word is meet.

So, as a feeble token,
Although it's in arrears
Of loving service rendered
Through many faithful years.

We ask you to permit us
To present this little gift,
And trust, on all occasions,
By it you'll be equipped.

Don't leave it in the corner,
Don't stand it in the hall,
Don't put it in the closet,
Beside a camphor ball.

But take it out and air it,
And use it on the street,
And take it down to Fraserville
On Sundays, friends to greet.

We wish you a Merry Christmas,
Both you and Mrs. Madill.
We wish you Happy New Year's too
And joys that fully fill

Your hearts the whole year through,
Yes, indeed, we do;
Yes, indeed, we do.

Signed on behalf of the School,
W. T. Wickett, Pastor.
James W. White, Asst. Supt.
J. H. Boyell, Secretary.

Voice of The People

Correspondence under this heading containing or involving attacks on individuals or violent or extreme statements, must to secure insertion, be signed with writer's real name, the corner of which thus assumes the responsibility.

Peterborough, Dec. 28, 1916.

Editor of The Examiner

Dear Sir,—Would you kindly convey our thanks, through the medium of your paper, to Capt. Burnham and those others who assisted so ably in making a splendid entertainment for the soldiers' wives and children on Christmas afternoon at the Grand Opera House. There was no doubt a few dissatisfied with the arrangements, but the general opinion, as expressed by those with whom we have conversed since the occasion, is to the effect that the labors of the organizers were greatly appreciated.

Trusting we are not taking up too much of your space in the paper, and once again thanking the Peterborough Patriotic Fund for a pleasant afternoon, we remain,

Yours sincerely,
"Three Soldiers' Wives."

A discarded wire bonnet frame can be bent to any desired shape and fitted in the mouth of a jardiniere or wide vase, forming just the support that certain long stemmed flowers need to keep them in graceful positions.

How "Bobby" Beech Filled the Breach

Reinforced the Cobourg Heavy Battery, "Saved the Situation" and Reaped the Reward

How Mr. R. M. Beech, known among the other good fellows, his friends, as "Bobby," went to the rescue of the 6th draft of the Cobourg Battery, is one story, and how his services were recognized, is another. The Cobourg Heavies were putting on a minstrel show, and at the last moment the tympani end of the orchestra failed. In their emergency they happily thought of Mr. R. M. Beach, Peterborough, recognized as one of the best tympani artists in the province, and wired him. At a moment's notice he went to Cobourg, and of course amply filled the bill.

The minstrel management heartily appreciated both the artistic assistance of Mr. Beach, and the prompt and ready manner in which he came to their rescue, and in recognition of it, presented him, a few days ago, on behalf of the battery, with a silver headed walking stick, with this inscription:

"To R. M. Beach, from 6th Draft, Cobourg Heavy Battery, 1916."

This presentation was accompanied with a cheque for a substantial sum.

This incident is a compliment to Mr. Beach, which those who know him and his obliging disposition, and his skill with the drums, knows he well deserves, and is also a credit to the Batery boys for their handsome recognition of his services.

GROUP PICTURES

Good time now when the visitors are at home for the holidays to have a group Picture taken. Make arrangements to sit at—

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Norwood Correspondence

NORWOOD, Dec. 27.—Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Tremouth are spending their vacation in Bowmanville.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dancey of Toronto were Christmas guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Dancey.

Miss Hattie MacLachlan of Toronto, is home for her Christmas vacation.

Miss Edith Watson is visiting in Peterborough at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. Lees.

Mrs. A. B. Greenbanks, Miss Sadie Greenbanks and Master Ralph were in Peterborough last week.

Miss Ferris of the High school staff is spending her holidays at her home in Campbellford.

Miss Luke has returned to her home in Oshawa.

Misses Flossie and Jean Nicol of Toronto, spent the week end at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Nicol.

The marriage of Mr. Ashton Lillie of Wallaceburg to Miss Annie Bentley of Dresden, took place on December 20th in Wallaceburg.

The many Norwood friends of Mr Lillie will unite in wishing the happy couple many years of wedded bliss.

On November 29th at Mountain, Ont., Miss Annie Rahal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Rahal of Norwood, was married to Mr. Elgin Beecum of Inkerman.

Miss Turner is spending a couple of weeks at her home in Campbellford.

Norwood Council.

The regular meeting of the Norwood Village Council was held on Friday evening with Reeve Squire and councillors Elliott, Puffer, McKelvie and Tedford present.

Moved by Coun. Tedford, seconded by Coun. Elliott, that two hundred copies of the treasurer's financial statement be presented.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Tedford, seconded by Coun. McKelvie, that By-law No. 401 appointing a village solicitor, be repealed and that the clerk notify Mr. Gordon.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Tedford, seconded by Coun. Puffer, that the Reeve be instructed to look into the matter of constable's fees re Martin arrest.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. McKelvie, seconded by Coun. Puffer, that the Council request the Dominion Government to give East Peterborough due consideration in the appointment of a senator.

Moved by Coun. McKelvie, seconded by Coun. Puffer, that the constable be instructed to collect all outstanding taxes within thirty days.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Tedford, seconded by Coun. Puffer, that the matter pertaining to the increase in rates for cemetery plots be laid over for consideration by the 1917 Council.—Carried.

The following accounts, levies, salaries and rebates were ordered to be paid: W. F. Wood, 6 hrs. work with team, $2.40; E. J. Laing, lumber, $14.40; S. Wildman, account, $3.60; D. Butters, posts, $2.25; J. Kelly, rebate taxes, etc.; Mrs. Livingstone, rebate dog tax, $1.60; R. Fennel, rebate taxes, $3.33; J. Doherty, rebate taxes, $2.16; F. M. Glover, rebate taxes, $6.12; A. Stothart, rebate taxes, $2.72; D. McNaughton, rebate taxes, $2.05; E. J. Laing, balance salary and postage, $30.00; J. E. Roxbury, balance salary and postage, $38.00; Dr. Sutton, Medical Health Officer, $5.00; E. J. Laing, sec. Board of Health, $5.00; village solicitor, $10.00; grant to Public Library, $50.00; county levy, war tax and house of refuge, $1,857.11; Board of Education, H. S. levy, $1,124.47; Board of Education, P. S. levy bal., $37.89; Gov. grant to Public school, $65.00; High school deb., $399.30; cement walk and town hall debt., $766.76; Union Bank loans and int., $3,336.10; W. C. Harrison, 4th qr. electric lights, $177.50; I. Puffer, constable's salary, $38.75; Reg. B. M. & D., $19.00; bal. assets and liabilities $46.28.

Personals.

Mr. Richard Andrews spent a few days of last week in Toronto.

Miss Jennie Clydale of Toronto, is spending her vacation with her sister, Miss Cora Clydale.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Burns of Toronto, have been guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. John Marks.

Miss Lillie Scott of Toronto, is spending her Christmas vacation with her sister, Mrs. E. C. Squire.

Mr. Walter Girven of Smith's Falls, spent Christmas here with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Beecum of Inkerman, are guests at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Rahal.

Christmas Tree.

The annual Christmas tree and entertainment of the Baptist church was held on Wednesday evening.

A very interesting programme of dialogues, drills, recitations, etc., was given by the S. S. children, who were delightfully happy and pleased, especially when Santa made his appearance.

The church was filled to the utmost capacity and the proceeds amounted to nearly $40.

Miss Carr has gone to Colborne to spent the winter with friends.

Rev. Mr. Noble conducted a Christmas service in the Church of England, Westwood, on Sunday evening.

Mr. Wm. Andrews was in Toronto last week visiting his daughter, Mrs. (Rev.) Glover.

Miss Lillian Hugill has returned home from Goderich, where she had been visiting Miss Helen Ford.

Mrs. Fred Stewart spent Saturday in Peterborough.

Mr. Harry T. Andrews of Havelock, spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Andrews.

Professor Harry Ford and Mrs. Ford are spending the Christmas holidays at the home of the former's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Ford.

On Wednesday, December 20, a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. Pakenham.

Mr. Earl Cummings of Toronto, was home for Christmas.

Mr. J. Stan Weir of London, was home for Sunday and Monday.

Miss Jean Buck of Peterborough, is home for her Christmas holidays.

Mrs. H. R. Dancey of Toronto, sang very sweetly in the Methodist church on Sunday evening, her selection being: 'Jesus Lover of My Soul' by H. C. MacDougall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Keefer, Mr. Harland Keefer and Mr. W. A. Richardson spent Christmas Day at the home of Mr. John Byram, Lang.

Mr. Arthur Duffield, of Toronto, spent the holidays 'neath the parental roof.

Norwood School Honours.

The pupils of the Norwood School, who won honours during the month of December are:

Primary—Kathleen O'Keefe, Edna Killenbeck, Jean Tedford, Cecil Wopdcock, Una Elliott, Maggie Clapper, James Adams and Meroyn Baptie (equal), Jack Minore, Beatrice Simpson, Madeline Ferguson.

First Class—Ronald Garlick, Nelles Carberry, Ross Irwin, Frederic Beavis and Gordon Rathwell (equal), Lottie Jones, Alma Simpson, Ruth Harper, Glenford Buck.

Jun. Second—Ruby Patterson, Verna Graves, Barbara Foote, Mary Stuart, Nellie Bonds.

Sen. Second—Annie Brethen, Norman McLean and Russel Woodcock (equal), Gertie Gardner and Elsie Frost and Gerald Rogers (equal), Perrin Rork, Lorne Beckett, Jane Slack, Earl Cuthbertson.

Jun. Third — Dean Irwin, Ruth Biggar, Eva Gardner, Lilian Greenbank, Blanch Wildman, Maitland Gardner, Warden Brown.

Sen. Third—Jean Dunham, Ruth Wildman, Erec. Elliott, Vera Hicks, Trevor Johnston, Bessie Chard, Irene Wolland, George Peoples, Myrtle McCracken.

Jr. IV.—60 per cent. or over — Belle Ferguson, Viola Adams, Clive Dean, Geraldine McMaster.

Sr. IV.—75 per cent and over — Mina Jones, Bessie White, Annie Ferguson, Edith Tedford, Gertie Rorabeck, May Walker, Victor McNeely, Mary Patterson, and M. Buchanan (equal). 60 per cent. and over —Jean Roxburgh, Nellie Gardner, and Mabel Puffer (equal), Frank Elliott, Marjory Wildman, Richard Tedford, Frank Bellegham.

Personals.

Mr. Laval, of Galt, spent Monday with his daughter, Mrs. T. Cross.

Mr. Lonergan, of Toronto, spent Xmas at his parents' home.

Mr. Warden Elliott, of Toronto, was home for Christmas.

Mr. Will Hendren, who has been in the West for several years, is visiting at the homes of his brothers, Messrs. John and Stanley Hendren.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Fitzgerald and children, of Tweed, have been Christmas guests of Norwood friends.

Miss Lodemia Johnston, of Toronto, was a guest at Christmas at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Johnston.

Miss Thereso Robson was home from Toronto for Christmas.

Mrs. T. Cross and family are visiting at her parents' home in Galt.

Mrs. Learmouth, of Peterborough, spent Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Robson.

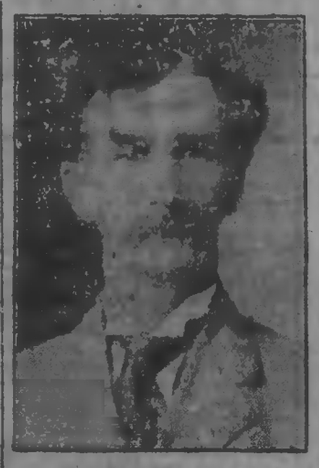
Mr. and Mrs. J. Linton, of Toronto, spent the week-end with the latter's sister, Mrs. W. T. Carberry.

Miss Gertrude MacLachlan, of Toronto, was a guest during the week-end of her sister, Miss MacLachlan.

Mr. A. Frost, of Toronto, has been a guest of his brother, Mr. J. Frost, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Harrison spent Christmas in Havelock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Squire.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Duddon, of Peterborough, spent the week-end at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. J. McMillan, and the latter's sister, Mrs. L. Bell.



REEVE FRED. McKEE,
Elected head of Smith Township for another year. He is chairman of the County Property Committee.

Five Killed By Explosion

Special to The Examiner:

MOUNT HOLLY, N.J., Dec. 28—An acetylene plant in the cellar of the Madison Hotel exploded at 11:30 to-day, destroying the building. It is feared five were killed.

Gross earnings of United States railroads continue to show very satisfactory volume, the total of all roads that have so far reported for November amounting to $37,567,149 an increase of 8.2 per cent. as compared with the corresponding month a year ago.

LAKEFIELD'S REEVE,
Mr. Harry G. Fitzgerald. Has the full confidence of the northern village and is giving Lakefield good management.

Presentation To Mr. G. F. Clarke

Honoured by the Members of Adult Bible Class of Fraserville Methodist Sunday School

The members of the Adult Bible Class of the Methodist Sunday school, Fraserville, recently presented Mr. G. F. Clarke, with a beautiful fountain pen, accompanied by the following address:

Mr. G. F. Clarke:

Our Dear Friend,— We the members of the Adult Bible Class of the Sunday school of Fraserville Methodist church, embrace this opportunity of expressing to you, at least in some degree, our appreciation of your services which you have rendered so efficiently as our teacher.

You may have felt at times that you efforts were of little or no avail, but we wish to assure you that whenever you have taught us, we have been benefitted, helped, and inspired to a higher and nobler life, and we trust that the seed, so carefully sown, will mature and bring forth fruit.

To your scholars you have not only been a careful, painstaking teacher, but a wise councillor and a faithful friend, but we have been and are deeply impressed with the influence of your Christian character and we rejoice in the fact of what you are, a Christian gentleman.

We are sorry that you felt that you should resign as our teacher, but we hope you will again resume your labours and teach us both by precept and example, the way of life.

As members of the class we have great pleasure in presenting you with this fountain pen, which we hope you will accept in the spirit in which it is given, as a slight token of our appreciation of the services you have rendered.

Signed on behalf of the class.
J. H. Degell,
President.
Miss Lila Monerief,
Secretary.

INCREASE IN REVENUE

Special to The Examiner:

OTTAWA, Dec. 28.—Despite the heavy curtailment of liquor consumption throughout the Dominion, inland revenue returns for November show an increase of $200,000 over the same month last year.

HARICOT BEAN SALAD.

If new, to be put in boiling water; if dry, into cold, after soaking for some hours. Boil till tender in plenty of water. When well cooked drain well, place in a dish or salad bowl with a dressing of very finely chopped parsley and a little onion, salt, pepper, oil and vinegar.

THE WORLD OF SPORT

LINDSAY INTERMEDIATES WILL OPEN HOCKEY SEASON HERE TUESDAY

There will be no hockey game tonight. As stated yesterday T. R. and A. A. found themselves unable to get a team together, and although the 247th management tried all day yesterday to secure some other Toronto team to take the place of the T. R. and A. A. they were unable to do so, and to-night's fixture had to be cancelled. The season will, however, open on Tuesday night next, when Peterborough's old rivals, the Lindsay team, will stack up against the 247th in an intermediate O H A. game. The Soldiers will be in good shape by that time as they are practising steadily, while the Lindsay team, with Art and Chuck Carew, McElroy, Read and other former junior stars, including O'Loughlin, the crack goaler of the 1915 team, will form an awkward proposition for any mub's team. A game with any Lindsay team is always a battle and the Scugog bunch have triumphed over Peterborough for several years in the junior series, so that the 247th will have a score to wipe out when they clash with Cap Simpson's seven on Tuesday night.

CURLING ICE NOW READY FOR USE

At the rink on Charlotte street four sheets of ice are now ready to be played on, and several of the members have already had their first work out. The ice is in splendid condition and in another day or so all seven sheets will be ready to curl on.

The draw for the games to be played on New Year's is now on the black board at the rink and the skips are asked to notify each member of their hour they are to play. They are also asked to notify each member of their rink to be on hand.

The telephone has again been hung on the wall, and everything made ready for the first of the schedule games which commence on January 3rd.

HOCKEY GOSSIP

After being sidetracked for a year, the blue and white colours worn by Peterboro hockey clubs for many seasons, will be in evidence at the Brock street rink again this season. These colours have been adopted by the 247th Intermediates, who will wear a white bodied sweater with blue trimmings, a pennant across the breast, bearing the number "247." The Peterboro Juniors will wear the red, white and blue sweaters used last year.

The Peterboro Juniors had their hardest practice of the season last night. The youngsters had thought they were in pretty fair shape but Jerry Coughlin chased them so hard that he had their tongues hanging out before the hour was up, and the bell was sweet music when it finally rang. The Juniors are out in full force and should be in the pink when they are up against Bowmanville here on Jan. 9th. There is a great battle for positions on the forward line.

The 247th Batt. Intermediates will practice at the Brock street rink tonight at 7 o'clock.

All Junior players who have been been given tickets, are expected out to practice at the Brock street rink to-morrow night at 7 o'clock.

Grover Halpin was elected captain of the 247th Batt. team yesterday. The team will practice to-night at 7 o'clock, and the following players are requested to turn out: Legros, Derocher, Halpin, Armstrong, Thornton, Finnagan, Evans, Coughlin and Quinn.

House brooms should be washed occasionally in boiling water to which a handful of soda has been added. First remove all the fluff and pieces from the brushes and move up and down in the water. Will rinse in cold water, shake and leave to dry in the open air. Never have brushes standing on their bristles, as this will rot them.

"It's Confidence That Does It"

If The Pantry

Has been depleted by the Holiday Festivities, our stock of TABLE NEEDS such as Groceries, Fruits, Confectionery etc., is fully prepared to meet the requirements of customers.

Porter S. White
284 George St. Phone 208

BROCK ST. RINK

THIS WEEK

THURSDAY — Skating with Band.

FRIDAY — Skating with Band.

SAT. AFTERNOON — Skating.

SAT. EVENING—Skating with Band.

Admission For Skaters 15c and 1c War Tax

BRING YOUR COPPER

TENDING WOUNDED UNDER HEAVY FIRE

Private of Canadian Field Ambulance Describes Trip to Front Trenches

A private of the Canadian Army Medical Corps in France writes: After walking for miles through this desert covered by our guns and still being torn up at intervals by enemy shells, we arrived at nowhere in particular, where we were informed that we had a dressing station and here we deposited our kits in open trench and shell holes and sat down to await further instructions.

It had commenced to rain and was truly a dismal spot altogether, and the noise and crash of the guns and shells was deafening. Our instructions were not long in coming. We started out across country with a guide to the front trenches. It wasn't far to get there but then the thing commenced —shell and bombs were bursting all round us, in the trench and to the side of it, but we paid no attention and went right ahead.

In Front Trenches

The trenches were full of little dug outs built into the side. In one of them which was fairly big we stopped when we heard groans; one poor fellow with both legs broken was crying to us to take him first, and another man, suffering from a wound in the head staggered out and told us to take the other chap. While getting them out a Fritz jumped out, too, with a broken arm, and with the three of them we started back. A full squad came behind with the other man on a stretcher, and Fritz carried our coats. I was hit twice by shrapnel on the coat and once on the helmet, but a little bruise on my shoulder and a headache was the closest I could get to a "blighty."

White Flag No Protection

The trench we had got into was one which had been taken the day before and it was a long way to our post but at last we got in and sat down in our trench under the rain to wait for the next call, and it was not long in coming. At 2 o'clock we went back again and went through the same performance, only we carried the white flag—I couldn't see that it was very useful though, for the Germans paid no attention to it."

PRAISED LLOYD-GEORGE

His French Colleague, Thomas, Analyzes Reasons For Affection

Albert Thomas, Minister of Munitions, wrote in L'Humanite (Paris Socialist daily): The noble, religious thought animating the English statesman is the defence of the prerogatives that raise man above the beasts of the forests—justice, liberty, and moral law. And it is in this thought that the whole English people is as one with him. In the dug-outs of Verdun, when Lloyd-George, in a speech that drew tears from the most robust, celebrated the heroes fallen at Verdun, it was because they had saved right and civilization that he turned his grateful thoughts with emotion towards them . . . It is a comfort in reading Mr. Lloyd-George to feel that in spite of the difference of temperament and tradition, the same keenness for justice, and for a peace founded on the respect of right, animates the workmen of Sheffield and the Socialists of Paris, the Tommies and the Poilus. Let us not cease to keep constantly in our hearts this high and noble ideal.

Life in Rheims During War

Rheims is a queer but quite an attractive melange, difficult to describe. Almost everyone carries a gas mask; the men keep theirs in compact tin cases slung from the wrist or attached to bicycle handle; the women in various kinds of bags. These masks can be bought at any chemist's, and are so prepared as to need merely dumping with water when required. The preponderance of the remaining native population is, of course, feminine, mostly workgirls, who work in the great champagne caves.

Two brothers named Clarke, of Chobham, have each been twice wounded.

A war sale at Bombay realized £40,000.

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MID-HOLIDAY EVENT

We have Thousands of lbs. of Wool yarn in stock, every kind you need.

We Announce The Most Important Price Reducing Event of the Year

We say this is the most important for several reasons and principally because the character of the goods on sale and the prices which are now in force cannot be duplicated in the wholesale market at this time. It is an event we've set aside to clear our stocks of small lots and to offer to our customers the opportunity to save on desirable, dependable merchandise. In the face of advancing costs this clearance, then, provides the opportunity to save by spending—an event which should not be overlooked by any thrifty inclined woman.

AN OPPORTUNITY TO BUY FURS AT A GREAT SAVING IN PRICE

We Have Towels In Every Quality

In our new towel section we have towels of every quality. The large, full, absorbent kind that have something to them—the kind you like to get hold of when you get out of the bath tub, and right here is the most important towel news. These towels were ordered before the prices began to soar. Lately the prices have been getting higher and the qualities getting lower; but when you look over this towel stock, you will be pleased to see the old prices and better still the good old qualities. Prices—

18c, 25c, 29c, 42c, 59c, 75c, $1, $1.25, $2

New Millinery At The Cost Of Sewing Them Together, for $1.99

Also the Millinery—we wont take up space and your time talking Millinery, suffice it to say that they are all the new styles and sold freely during the season at from $5.00, $8.00 and $10.00. They will all be closed out at our price.

Announcing a Very Important Sale of Linens

Every desirable quality of towel is included. There are cotton huck towels and linen towels and Turkish bath towels in a wide variety of sizes and qualities. A special space has been set aside for the display so so as to make choosing easy and satisfactory.

Union Linen Huck Towels at 25c each

Thoroughly absorbent, the kind of towel that gives unusual service. Have hemmed borders with all white border. Made of splendid quality of union linen, size 18 by 36 inches.

Bleached Huck Towels 15c

A closely woven cotton huck towel with red striped border, hemmed ends, size 17 by inches.

22 x 34 Turkish Towels at 18c each

You know what it is to use a small bath towel in contrast with one that's good and big—one that you can almost wrap yourself in. These are the big, heavy nap Turkish towels that we are making a special price on and which will be taken advantage of immediately by every house-keeper who knows the value of such towels. They can be had with plain white of blue borders.

Cashmere Hose Underpriced

Here is a Plum Worth Picking 50c for 39c

Just a Hose Bargain to give spice to the sale. These Hose cannot be bought in the wholesale market at this price now. Ladies Cashmere 50c Hose for 39c
Two Pairs only to a Customer

THE NEW $1 VOILE BLOUSES for January are here They Show the New Spring Designs.

Every Woman Intending to Purchase a Coat Should Take Advantage of the Opportunity To Buy at These Remarkably Low Prices

The fact that our merchandising season compels us to lower our stocks regardless of the weather conditions brings to you now, desirable and wanted coats at prices that mean savings that no woman could afford to overlook. We want to impress upon you with all the force at our command that all the coats involved at this special price are just as desirable as the day we entered our store and will give you the greatest possible measure of satisfaction and service.

Price reductions range as follows—

Coats from 12.00 to 15.00 at..... 7.50
Coats from 18.00 to 20.00 at..... 13.50
Coats from 25.00 to 35.00 at..... 18.50

We pride ourselves on the large stocks we carry. Test us, we can fill your orders.

Elliots Store

Notwithstanding the scarcity of yarns, underwear and hosiery, we have larger stocks than ever.

OFFICERS ELECTED IN LAKEFIELD

Lakefield, Dec. 27. — At the regular meeting of Court Lakefield, No. 43 Canadian Order of Foresters, held on Thursday evening last, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Bro. J. E. Galvin ..... C.R.
Bro. R. J. Jory ..... V.C.R.
Bro. W. M. Graham ..... R.S.
Bro. W. Sherin ..... R.S.
Bro. G. B. Hilliard ..... Treas.
Bro. James Campbell ..... Chap.
Bro. John Northcott ..... S.W.
Bro. Alex. McDonald ..... J.W.
Bro. J. H. McWilliams ..... S. and J.B.
Bro. Dr. J. R. Fraser ..... Court Phy.
Auditors, Bros. W. H. Casement and B. Q. Dench.
Trustees, Bros. R. J. Jory, J. H. McWilliams and W. G. Morrison.

Mr. R. G. Madill of Queens University, Kingston is spending the Christmas vacation at his home in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Sawyer spent Christmas in Peterborough visiting Mr. and Mrs. McKee.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmunds, of Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., are in the village, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Nixon.

Miss E. White spent the week end visiting friends in Peterborough.

Mr. and Mrs. James Watson and daughter of Port Hope, spent Christmas in the village visiting Mr. Watson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Watson.

Miss A. Sherin of Toronto is spending the Christmas vacation at her home in the village.

Mr. Alex. McDonald returned to the village on Thursday last after spending the past six months at Melfort, Sask.

Mr. R. C. Strickland of Burleigh spent Christmas in the village visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Strickland, at "Harborne."

Mr. Wm. Simpson, government scaler in the Mississauga Reserve, is spending Christmas at his home in the village.

Miss Thompson of Milbrook was the guest of Mrs. Atwood on Saturday last.

Mr. Thomas Kennedy of Spanish Station, Ont., is spending Christmas at his home in the village.

Mr. D. H. Morrison left on Saturday to spent Christmas at Otterville, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kidd of Lang, Sask., arrived in the village on Tuesday last on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kidd.

Lieut. G. C. Hilliard, of the Royal Canadian Dragoons, Toronto, is spending Christmas at his home in the village.

Mr. J. W. Todd returned to the village on Monday, after spending a few days in Millbrook.

Mrs. E. Oliver, of Peterborough, was the guest of Mrs. W. A. Nixon for a few days last week.

Miss Ella Higgins, of Aultman Memorial Hospital, Canton, Ohio, is in the village spending the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Higgins Smith.

Corp. A. Rowe, of the 207th Battalion, Peterborough, spent Christmas in the village.

Mr. C. F. Leonard, of Peterborough, spent Christmas visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. C. Strickland at "Harborne."

Miss K. Simpson, of Kew Beach, is spending the Christmas vacation at her home in the village.

Mr. Allan Clarke, of the 93rd Battalion Band, arrived on Saturday to spend Christmas in the village.

Dr. J. R. Fraser, of Montreal, is spending Christmas at his home in the village.

Mr. Alex. Fraser, of McGill College, is spending the Christmas vacation at his home in the village.

Keene Items Of Interest

KEENE, Dec. 27—Mrs. Wellock returned on Tuesday from Peterborough, where she spent the week end and holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wedlock.

Mr. Joseph McCarthey returned on Tuesday after a pleasant holiday with Keene friends to Newmarket, where he is employed as cashier at the Bank of Toronto.

Miss Irene Downie of Peterborough, spent the week end and Christmas with Keene friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Rev. A. K. Edmison and family spent Christmas with friends in Cavan.

Misses Lillian and Amy Macfarlane of Toronto and sister, Miss Laura, of Peterborough, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Macfarlane.

Mr. William Miller was in Peterborough Saturday.

Miss Iasenia McCarthey is home from Lindsay, where she is attending St. Joseph's Academy for the holidays.

Mr. William Fletcher of Belleville, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fletcher.

Miss Belle Weir was in Peterborough on a shopping expedition.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bryce and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Howson, of Peterborough, spent Christmas at the home of Mr. Archibald Bryce.

Misses Pearl McCann and Josephine Kennealley were in Peterborough shopping on Saturday.

Mrs. William R. Wedlock returned home on Saturday from Peterborough where she spent a few days with friends.

Miss Lola Kempt was in Peterborough last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dougherty and family of Peterborough, spent Monday with Mrs. Dougherty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dorrie.

Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Harrison were in Ottawa over the week end and holiday.

Cyril Moore returned on Tuesday from Gananoque, where he spent the week end with his parents.

Charles Stewart of Swift Current, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bel. Bracken.

Mrs. James Secord is visiting friends at Peterborough this week.

Miss Maude Howson of Peterborough, is a guest at the home of her father, Mr. Thomas Howson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cruickshanks and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Wood of Toronto, spent Christmas with Mrs. Woods parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Campbell.

The teachers and officers of the Methodist Sunday school will hold a social evening at the Town Hall on Friday evening for the scholars and their parents.

Mr. Albert Nelson of Kinmardine, is spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. William Nelson.

Messrs. William Stewart and Stanley Braden were sent as delegates by the Methodist Sunday school to the convention being held at Lindsay this week.

Mrs. Harry Fletcher was in Peterborough on Saturday.

Mr. C. Plunkett of Peterborough, is a guest at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Wm. Nelson.

Miss Mignon Telgman, Peterborough, was the week end and holiday guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs J. Macfarlane.

Quite a large crowd attended the concert and Christmas tree given by the Presbyterian Sunday school on Friday evening. The sum of $40 was realized. The programme was good and much appreciated by the audience.

Mr. Albert Fletcher of Ottawa, spent Christmas at the home of his father, Mr. H. Fletcher.

SCHOOL REPORTS

S. S. NO. 4, ENNISMORE.

The following marks are the average of December examinations:

Form IV—Nora Killen 64, Francis Crough 59, Katie Twomey 59, John Corkery 49, Madeleine Guiry 52, Agnes Killen 47, Eleanor Kennedy 44 John Maloney 40, John Crough 37.

Form III—Celia Maloney 70, Agnes Harrington 68, Anna Scollard 67, Lena Killen 57, Nellie Gifford 54, Freddie Crough 42, Martin Corkery 39, Harold Harrington 37.

Form II—Mary McGuire 75, Margaret McGuire 68, Mary Killen 64, Stafford Crough 55, Eva Gifford 53, E. Twomey 43, E. Gifford 34, Alphonsus Scollard 33, Emmett Guiry 30, Edward Corkery 27, Flora Crough 23, Joseph Kennedy 16, Daniel Crough 10.

Form I — John Kennedy, James Corkery, Patrick J. Killen, Leo Scollard, Francis Carr, Josie Twomey, Eugene Killen.

Vernia Galvin, Teacher.

S. S. NO. 4, DUMMER.

The following is the report of S. S. No. 4, Dummer, for the month of December:

Senior IV—Florence Batten 85, Bessie Bulmer 82.

Junior IV—Gordon Hamblin 78, Ernie Dunsford 65.

Senior III—Hazel Little 76, Walter Hamilton 70.

Junior III—Eva Payne 89, Leona Matthews 82, Winnie Batten 72, Annetta Little 59, Ralph Hamilton 50.

Senior II—Willa Darling 88, Garfield Little 84, Walter Little 73, Cecil Darling 60.

Junior II—Sherwood Payne 95.

Senior I—Kermel Lane 80.

Junior I—Gerald Dodds 82, Leonard Little 74.

Primer—Jennie Batten, Edna McCauley, Velma Payne, Roy Dunsford, Leonard Dunsford, Oswald Bell, Norman Little, Madeleine Little, Kenneth Moore, Ernie Parsons, Irene Darling, Thelma Dodds.

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OBITUARY

MRS JAMES WHITE

Mrs. James White, 308 Charlotte street, passed away in Nicholls Hospital this afternoon. The deceased was a well known resident and formerly lived in Campbellford.

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WEDDING BELLS

SUDDABY—WALLER

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Waller, 494 Sherbrooke street, on December 27th, when their second eldest daughter, Irene May, was united in marriage to Chas. Ford Sullaby, of Kingston, Ont., by the Rev. J. R Webb. The young couple were unattended and left on the evening train for a short trip, the bride wearing a suit of navy blue with mink furs, and hat to match. Mr. and Mrs. Sullaby will reside in Kingston.

DICKSON—McEWEN.

A quiet wedding took place at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. McEwen, Medicine Hat, Alta., on Monday Dec. 18th, 1916, at 5.30 p.m., by the Rev. Mr. Clapton, of Medicine Hat, Alta., when her youngest daughter, Verna, was united in the holy bands of matrimony, to Mr. C. Dickson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dickson, of Peterboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Dickson will reside at Moose Jaw, Sask.

BENNETT—SPENCER.

On Wednesday, Dec. 20th, a very quiet wedding took place at Methodist parsonage, Fraserville, when Walter R. Bennett was united in marriage to Mis Ethel May Spencer, both of Belleville, Rev. W. T. Wickett performing the ceremony. The next day the happy couple left for Detroit and points west. On their return they will reside near Belleville.

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

New York Stocks—

Airbrake, 149 3-4, 146; Atchison 104 1-2, 104; B. and O., 83 7-8; C. P R., 166, 165 1-4; N. Y. Central, 104 1-2; Erie, 34 1-2, 34 5-8; Erie Pfd. 49 1-8, 49; Nor. Pac., 116; Penna, 56 5-8, 56 7-8; U. P., 148, 147 7-8;; Rep. Steel, 78, 77 1-2; U. S. Steel, 107 1-2, 108 1-4; Anaconda, 82 3-4, 71 1-4; Inter. Nickel, 42 1-4, 41 1-2.

Canadian Stocks—

Steel of Can., 66 1-2, 63; Steamers 35 1-2, 35; Dom. Steel, 66, 64; Cement 63 1-2, 62; Smelters, 33 1-2; N. S. Steel, 114, 112.

Chicago Grain—

May Wheat, 172 3-4.
July, 139.
May Corn, 92 1-2.

REEVE W. A. ANDERSON,

Otonabee, returned to Council by acclamation, and Reeve Anderson continues at its head.

Bowlers Never Get Appendicitis

BOWLING FOR HEALTH

THE WATER ST. ALLEYS

J. J. SOLOMON, Prop

City and General

Broken auto cylinders, machinery and stoves welded, by the new Oxo Acetylene Process. Anything in iron, steel, or aluminum made as good as new, not patched up. Millard's Bicycle Shop, Hunter street, near Aylmer.

PROBS.

Fresh northwesterly winds to-day and on Friday; much colder

KNOX CHURCH CHOIR.

Knox church choir will practice to-night at 8 o'clock sharp.

PIANO TUNING.

'Phone 595, The Greene Music Co., Charlotte Street, when your piano requires tuning or regulating. All work guaranteed. dtf

NO PRACTICE.

St. John's Choristers will not meet for practice this week.

FINE POST CARDS.

Post Cards of Quaker Oats fire IN COLOURS, 10c. each. See the specimens in the show case. Vincent Studio, George Street. 284-343

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Clarke wish to thank all those who sent flowers and those who showed such kindness during their recent sad bereavement.

DENTAL.

Dr. McKenty, Dentist, 370 George Street, on the ground floor, first door north of Peterborough Hardware Company. Nitrous oxide and oxygen administered for painless operations. 28d-138

THANKS EXPRESSED.

The Soldiers' Wives' and Mothers' Club desire to thank all those who helped to make the "Flower Day" a success, also to the press for their kindness in advertising it.

CLEANING, PRESSING AND REPAIRING.

'Phone 1416 for Cleaning, Pressing and Repairing. Goods called for and delivered promptly. Mrs. Read, 150 Rubidge Street. dtf

NOTICE.

The members of St. Peter's Court Catholic Order of Foresters, are asked to meet in their hall to-night at 8 o'clock to make arrangements for the funeral of their late brother, Wm. Walsh.—Jas. O'Brien, Secretary.

EXPRESS AND BAGGAGE.

E. D. Cooney, a returned soldier, has taken over the express business of Eddie Reid and will give prompt and careful attention to all work entrusted to him 'Phone 847. E. D. Cooney, 340 Aylmer stree. 28d-44

RECITAL ON THE NEW EDISON.

There will be a recital given on the New Edison in the Recital Hall of the J. M. Green Music Co., Ltd., Charlotte street, to-morrow (Friday) evening at 8.15. Programme will appear in Friday's issue. You are invited.

Pte. C. Keliele Wounded.

Mrs. Keliele, 75 Smith street, has received a field card from her husband, Private Charles Keliele of the 20th Battalion and formerly of the 93rd Battalion, stating that he has been wounded. The nature of Private Keliele's injuries a not known.

A CORRECTION.

In yesterday's issue it was stated that the wife of the late Samuel English was deceased. This was incorrect. Mrs. English still resides at 226 Hunter street.

TEA DAY FRIDAY.

The members of the Soldiers' Wives' and Mothers' Club are reminded that Friday is "Tea Day." The winner of the turkey was H. Watkins, Park Street, the lucky number being 61.

FUNERAL.

The remains of the late Samuel English, who died on Wednesday, will be taken to Omemee on Friday morning. A service will be held at Christ's Church, Omemee before interment at Emily cemetery at 2:30. The funeral will be held under the auspices of the Orange Lodge.

E. B. CLEGG & CO.

Furniture purchased now as gifts, will be held until Christmas week if desired. Dining room furniture on sale this week. Some handsome styles to choose from. A collection of colonial art craft and modern style buffets See our show window. A fine example of the William and Mary style

1916 BROKEN PROMISES.

When retrospection fills you with remorse, remember that your failures may be rectified in 1917. Make a promise to give your office help better facilities for doing your work by securing the BEST TYPEWRITERS — the kind that Nelson sells. We sell all makes manufactured. NELSONS for all office needs. We make a specialty of typewriting letters— while you wait. OPPOSITE ORIENTAL.

NOTICE TO FARMERS.

Supplementary meetings of the Board of Agriculture for West Peterborough, will be held at the Fourth Line, Smith, at 2.30 p.m., on Thursday, Jan. 4th. There will be an evening session also.

On Friday, January 5th, two meetings will be held at Buckhorn. There will be good speakers at each session to discuss topics of interest to farmers. Musical programmes. All are invited.

J. A McGregor, President. Allan B. Mann, Sec.-Treas

SPECIAL PROGRAMME.

The special programme and appearance of Santa Claus at Brackley Sunday School to-night promises to be a great success. Two or three loads of folks are going out from the city, and the children will no doubt enjoy the visit of Santa Claus and his presents to them. On Friday night he will visit Byersville Sunday School at the S.A. Temple. There will be no meeting at the Temple on Simcoe Street either to-night or to-morrow night. All who can attend Brackley to-night will be welcome, and also at Byersville to-morrow night.

We wish all our many friends a Happy and a Prosperous New Year

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You will want to select some suitable Gift for your Friends who were overlooked at Christmas. Excellent chance will be found at this store, notwithstanding the heavy shopping before Christmas.

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Cut this out and keep it.

Sergt. Gordon Keats and Pte. "Red" Briden of the 255th Battalion, C.E.F. members of the Toronto N.H.A. team, are in the city on their way back from Montreal, where they played with Torontos against Canadiens last night, beating the latter 7 to 1. They will work out with the 247th team tonight at Brock street rink.

Social and Personal

Mr. Chester Frouse and wife of Ottawa, spent the holiday with the former's parents, Walton street.

Mr. Eds. Boyle returned to Toronto this morning after spending Christmas at his home, McGill Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmonds of Detroit, are visiting at 219 Simcoe Street.

Mr. Richard Payne of Bobcaygeon also Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gibson, and Miss E. Yonge of Campbellford, spent the Christmas holiday with Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Yonge, Grace Cottage, Park and Lansdowne streets.

Mr. Jos. Guerin of this city, who is at present foreman of a telegraph construction party at Windsor, Ont., is renewing acquaintances with his many friends here.

Lt. Reginald Lockhart of Toronto, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Alexander Robertson for a few days.

Mr. Jack Dynan, St. Michael's College, is the guest of his parents, Dalhousie street.

Mr. Hugh Carmichael, Queen's University, Kingston, is the guest of his parents, Dr and Mrs. Carmichael Water street.

Pte. Stanley O'Brien, Kingston, is at his home on Wolseley street, for a week's leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Coulson have gone to Peterboro for the Christmas holidays.—Toronto Star.

Mr Charles Kingan returned yesterday to Detroit, where he is an inspector of munitions.

Mrs. Howland and two sons, Milton and Russell, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kingan, Aylmer St., returned yesterday to Toronto.

Miss Winnie Connor, daughter of Mrs. J. Connor, who for some years was connected with the Cordage works of this city, was the guest of Miss May Grady, yesterday, en route for Chatham, where her sister, Miss Mamie Connor, takes her last vows before entering the convent in that city.

Mr. "Bobs" Hayes, son of Judge Hayes, Guelph, is the guest of Mrs. Dr. Young, for a few days.

Miss Mabel Rehill of Montreal, was home for the holiday.

Miss Charlotte Hanson has returned to Toronto, after spending the Christmas holidays, the guest of her parents, Braidwood avenue.

Miss Addie Ketcheson of Toronto, is spending the Christmas holidays, the guest of friends in East City.

Corporal Charles Thornton of the Canadian Engineers, Training Depot, St. Johns, Quebec, was the guest of his parents over the holidays.

Mr. Jack Allen, Millbrook, who was been the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Court King, Gilmour street, returned home to-day.

Dr. Court King leaves to-morrow for Logansport, Ind., on a professional visit until Tuesday.

Mr. Leonard Adlam has returned to Wellsboro, Pa., after spending the holiday with his parents here.

Mr. Jos. Dwyer has returned to Sarnia, after spending the holiday at home.

Auburn," the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Hamilton, was the scene of a most successful "Christmas" dance given by Mr. Hamilton's daughter, Miss Seabourne Hamilton. The house was beautifully decorated in evergreen boughs, holly, lanterns and bells. Amongst those present were: Miss Agnes Carmichael, Mrs. Hugh Carmichael, Misses Margaret and Agnes Eastwood, Mr. Bob Hayes, Mr. Jerry McClelland, Miss Georgie, Miss Margaret Stevenson, Mr. Allen Stevenson Miss Jessie Spence, Miss Eemes Alymer, Cadet Donald Cameron, Mr. Menzies, Mr. Cote, Mr. Lennox McLaren, Miss Marian and Mr. Kyle Haratone, the Misses Hatton, Mrs. Alec Fortye, Cadet Geo. Hatton, Cadet and Miss Winnifred MacKennie, Mr. Hal. Crane, Miss Phyllis Young and Mr. Herbert Young, Mr. Bud Patterson, Mr. Lawrence Soden, the Misses McCarthy, Mr. Hague, Miss Celia Dunaford and Lt. Sydney Dunaford and Mr. Penuyfather.

Miss Helen Davidson, Dalhousie Street, is the guest of friends in Toronto until Tuesday.

Miss Dorothy MacDonald, Edmonton, is visiting Judge and Mrs. Huycke.

Miss Winnifred McKenzie, Lakefield, and Cadet Kenneth McKenzie, Royal Naval College, Halifax, were in the city to attend the Hamilton dance last night.

Mr. Donald Denham, Cedar Rapids, Chicago, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Denham, Reid Street, for the holidays.

Mr P. J. White, Lindsay, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A Spence, Downie Street.

Mrs. Fred. Howarth and daughters, Jessie and Lizzie, recently residing on Albert Street, leave on the midnight C.P.R. train to-night for Montreal. Her husband was the late Sergt.-Major Fred Howarth, of the 57th Battalion, and Sergeant of the 2nd Battalion, C.E.F., who was killed in the engagement at Langemarck. Mrs. Howarth has been an active member of the Progressive Club, and will be otherwised missed in Peterborough. With her daughters she will reside in Montreal.

Mrs. Rose, Esterville, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs Samuel English, 226 Hunter street.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller spent Christmas, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ferguson, Melbourne street Lindsay.

Miss M. J. Macdonald, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dashnesu, Lindsay, returned home yesterday.

Sergt. Phillips of the 255th Battalion, returned to Belleville this morning.

LAKEFIELD PERSONALS.

Lakefield, December 28—Mrs. A. G. Lawless, is visiting friends in Peterboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Darling and children, of Peterboro, spent Christmas in the village.

Dr. J. R. Fraser (Jr.), of the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, is spending the holiday at his home in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hunter of Peterboro spent Christmas in the village, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Clydesdale.

Miss Etta Waldon is spending a few days at Gore's Landing, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Thomas Cheyne.

Mr. Aldis Northey of Smith, spent Monday in the village.

Mr. aMrk Lonsbury, of Warsaw, was in the village yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Agnew of Peterboro, spent Christmas in the village, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Millage, Senior.

Miss Alice Sherin of Toronto, is spening the holiday at her home here.

Miss Verna Pearson of Dummer is spending the holiday at her home here.

Miss Brown of Lindsay is visiting in the village, the guest of her sister Mrs. (Rev.) C. W Barrett.

Bandsman A. Clark of the 83rd Battalion Band, is spending a few days leave at his home here.

MILLBROOK ITEMS OF INTEREST

MILLBROOK, Dec. 28. — Postmaster and Mrs. Vance were forty-nine years in Millbrook on Tuesday.

Major Sydney Medd and Mr. F. W Medd were at their old home here, Mrs. Thos. Medd's for Christmas.

James Elliott's house at Cavan was burned last week from a defective flue. The fire was raging upstairs it is said while the owner was sitting warming himself at the stove below.

W. B. Elliott, of Fraserville, is another old Cavan boy who has crossed the ocean for country with the 9th Calgary battalion. Bert was well-known and highly respected by his friends here before he went West.

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CHRISTMAS VISITOR TO LINDSAY FATALLY INJURED AT UXBRIDGE

Uxbridge, Dec. 28.—Miss M. A. Storey, aged about 80 years, and sister of the late Mrs. Andrew Patterson, met a tragic death here on Tuesday. She had spent Christmas at the home of her niece, Mrs. R. M Beal of Lindsay, and was returning home. She was delayed in alighting from the train, as others were crowding in, and as the train started she jumped, and in some way was drawn under the car, the wheels passing over both legs above the knees. She never regained consciousness, and died about four o'clock.

MADE OVER SIXTY MILLION

WASHINGTON, December 28.—Over sixty million dollars was made in Wall Street by those having advance information on President Wilson's peace note, according to a telegram received to-day from Thomas W. Lawson, by Representative Wood, of Indiana.

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CANADIANS MADE BRILLIANT RAID ON WESTERN FRONT

Russians Win a Big Victory in the Caucasus

Berlin Reports That Allies Are Preparing For Another Offensive

In Diplomatic Circles, It Is Believed That the War Will Not End Without the Allies Making Another Gigantic Effort to Break the German Front—Allies Will Accept Von Hindenburg's Challenge For Winter Battle.

ANSWER TO WILSON'S NOTE

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BERLIN, via Wireless to United Press, December 29.—Judging from unofficial reports from the front and diplomatic comment here, the war will not end without the Allies making another gigantic, concentrated effort to break the Germant front. This is indicated by the artillery preparations which are being made.

Britain in the west, her Allies in Greece, Russia and Roumania, apparently expects to accept Von Hindenburg's challenge for winter battle.

When these battles begin peace talk will probably subside to await the outcome of the bitter struggles.

The belief that peace will not come until after the Allies have attempted another gigantic offensive, is voiced by the Vossiche Zeitung, which points out preparations that are being made on all fronts by Germany's enemies.

The above despatch to the United Press is the first definite statement from Berlin that peace is not expected until after another Allied offensive. It is apparent that despite the statements of officials of the American Government that the Wilson note was destined as a warning to Germany, it is regarded there as a move for peace.

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Postmaster-General Died This Morning

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, Dec. 29.—Hon. T. Chase Casgrain, Postmaster-General, died this morning after a brief illness from pneumonia.

Sailors Murdered By Submarine Crew

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec. 29.—British Admiralty officially state that the captain and some of the crew of the freighter Westminster were murdered by a German submarine crew.

Appointment For Major Daly

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, Dec. 29.—Major Daly, a South African veteran, is made secretary of the Pensions Board.

The Suit Has Been Settled

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WINNIPEG, MAN. Dec. 29.—Suit for a million and a half against Thomas Kelley and Sons has been settled. The judges have to fix the amount to be returned to the government.

Irish Settlement Making Progress

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

DUBLIN, Dec. 29.—The Irish settlement is making progress.

British Take Over Section Of the Line

New Batches of Guns Are Going Over to France Every Week—Big Operations in Prospect

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON Dec. 29.—It is officially announced that the British forces have taken over a large slice of line formerly included in the French front. General Maurice says that new batches of guns are going over to France every week. Big operations not likely before March next.

Swedish Office Denies Move

Special to The Examiner:

LONDON, Dec. 29.—The Swedish Foreign Office officially denies taking any part in the peace note.

Canadians Made Brilliant Raid

Special to The Examiner:

LONDON, Dec. 29.—Canadians made a brilliant raid on the western front and temporarily occupied a number of German trenches.

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Million Dollar Fire in Toronto

TORONTO Dec. 29.—Million dollars damage to cars and barns of the Toronto Railway Company by fire.

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Three Hundred Persons Perished In the Wreck

Heavy Death Toll in the Loss of the Sanka Ku Maru Off Chefoo

STORES PLUNDERED

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TOKIO, Dec. 29.—Three hundred persons, mostly Chinese labourers, perished in the wreck of the Sanka Ku Maru, off Chefoo, according to estimates to-day. Some of the victims, survivors, said to-day, were killed by Chinese pirates who boarded the grounded ship, plundered its passengers and stores, and assaulted three aboard. Because of the mountainous seas, all attempts at rescue of those aboard the vessel failed at first.

TEA MARKET STILL RISING

An increase in the ocean freight rates of two and one-half cent a pound added to an advance of from six to ten cents a pound in the cost of tea at the primary markets, has necessitated the recent increase in the cost of tea in Canada. To keep faith with the public and maintain exactly the same high standard of quality as always, "SALADA" has advanced in price, but, as yet, only five cents a pound.

Russians Win Big Victory

Special to The Examiner.

PETROGRAD, Dec. 29.—Russians have won a big victory in the Caucasus.

Russian Fire Stopped Enemy

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, Dec. 29.—Desperate attempt by the enemy to cross the Dneister river in Galicia was stopped by Russian fire.

Grain Markets Hold Steady

Wheat Swung Downward— Foreign Demand Continued.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—Wheat swung downward in value yesterday, chiefly owing to sympathy with declines in the New York Stock Market. There were also authoritative assertions that estimates of very large export business had been exaggerated. On the other hand, foreign demand appeared to be continuing and it was said that country elevator stocks in the Northwest were only one-quarter last year's total at this time. Opening prices, which ranged from 5-8 to 2 3-8 lower with May at 171 to 172 1-2 and July at 140 were followed by a moderate rally, but then a fresh decline.

Yesterday's Prices.

Manitoba Wheat — Track, bay ports, New No. 1 Northern, $2.01; No. 2, $1.98; No. 3, $1.93; No. 4 wheat, $1.31. Old crop trading 4c above new crop.

Manitoba Oats—Track, bay ports, No. 2 C.W., 69c.

American Corn—No sellers owing to embargo.

Ontario Oats — According to freights No. 2 white, nominal, 63c to 64c. No. 3 white, nominal, 61c to 63c.

Ontario wheat — According to freights outside. New No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1.65 to $1.67. No. 3, $1.63 to $1.65.

Peas—According to freights outside, No. 2, $2.40.

Barley—According to freights outside, Malting, $1.15 to $1.18.

Buckwheat—According to freights outside, $1.20.

Rye—According to freights outside, No. 2, $1.30 to $1.33.

Manitoba Flour—Toronto. First patents in jute bags, $9.40. Second patents in jute bags, $8.90. Strong bakers in jute bags, $8.50.

Ontario Flour—In bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment. Winter, according to sample, $6.80 to $6.90.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered Montreal freights bags included. Bran, per ton, $32. Shorts per ton, $37. Good feed flour per bag, $2.70 to $2.80.

Hay—Track, Toronto. No. 1, per ton, $13 to $13.50. No. 2, per ton, $9 to $11.

Straw—Track, Toronto. Car lots, per ton, $6.50 to $10.

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Railway Time Tables

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
CORRECTED JUNE 6, 1916.

7.00 a.m.—For Lakefield.
8.10 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg and points east, connecting at Port Hope for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 11.05 a.m.
8.25 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
8.30 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
11.40 a.m.—Mid-day express for Toronto, reaching Toronto at 3.45 p.m.
12.30 p.m.—For Lakefield.
11.40 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
5.30 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
5.35 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
5.40 p.m.—For Lakefield.
9.55 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
9.05 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Boston.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
CORRECTED JUNE 5, 1916.

*8.20 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*12.17 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N.B., Boston, and New York.
*1.20 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed Perth, Smith's Falls and Ottawa.
**11.17 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and intermediate points and all points east of Montreal.

GOING WEST.—
*2.30 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Galt, Woodstock, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*5.45 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
**7.30 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York. Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
**9.15 a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port Mc-Nichol and intermediate points.
*3.45 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Buffalo, New York, Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, London, Detroit and Chicago.
*4.45 p.m.—North Toronto and West Toronto and intermediate points.
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Her voice trembled with a seeming of repressed emotion of suffering under injustice and of bearing, with fortitude, a life of cumulative injury. Had Paul been bent on persuading her to remedy her alleged mistake, he could hardly have asked a more propitious opportunity.

But this man was capable of no swift and positive decisions. It was not his to cut Gordian knots. Never before had the woman across from him seemed so alluring, so desirable. Never had she so fully stirred his susceptible senses to intoxication as she did at this moment, and never had he felt his fondness for her so genuine. Yet, when she seemed almost to offer him herself and her life—it only he would stretch out his arm and life her across the stream of dilemma—she could not urge, but sat tongue-tied. He could think only of the difficulties; and the thought of them staggered and blinded him. This was no the indecision of a man weighing the responsibilities of a step which might ruin the life of another man; it was merely the futility of "the unlit lamp and the ungirt loin."

"If your husband should hear of this meeting, after your promise of this morning," suggested Paul, "it might have serious results. I mean for you."

She shuddered a little at the thought. "I believe he would become a maniac," she answered, "but this place is safe enough. He would never think of our coming here. It's too far down-town."

"Too far for calling or shopping," Paul reminded her. "So entirely out of your accustomed orbit that if he learned of this, he could construe it only one way—as a clandestine conference."

"But, Paul," she declared, with deep self-pity and a stronger appeal to his instincts of knight-errantry, "I had to talk with you—at any risk. If—if—it does come to a separation, I shall have absolutely nothing." Her voice wath pathetic. "I suppose I should have to go to work."

She looked sadly at him and shook her dark head until he hated himself for not assuring her that she would not have to "go to work," yet he could say nothing.

Then as they sat there in an embarassed silence, the tall figure of Len Haswell appeared in the door the many mirrors of the wall panels multiplied him into a seeming army of giants.

With him was Norvil Thayre. For such a development Paul Burton found himself totally unprepared. No ready phrases came to his lips and his sudden pallor was a seeming confession of guilt. The husband stood for a moment in the door and his face, too pale, but that was only momentary. At once it became fixed in a resolute determination to remain expressionless. The alert mind of Thayre, grasping the situation, addressed itself to averting its awkwardness with artless and inconsequential small talk. He came over to the table and shook hands while Len Haswell stood at his elbow, saying nothing. Paul instinctively offered his hand, but Len ignored it. He heard Loraine declaring with a charming assumed innocence, "Chance brings us into quite a little party. First I happen on Mr. Burton, then on you two."

Suddenly an idea of escape struck Paul, as it had struck him at the school. He, too, laughed, turning to Loraine, "And since you are in better hands, I'll run along. I have an appointment at a studio on the square."

Len Haswell favoured him with a sat ical glance. "You seem," he suggested coolly, "to be only beginning your meal. We are here on business, and won't interrupt." The big man turned on his heel, and, followed by his companion, went to the adjoining dining-room. Loraine Haswell laughed nervously, but Paul's face clouded with deep anxiety.

After he had put Loraine into a taxi the cloud deepened. The same self-accusation that had tortured his childhood with the suffering of self-contempt after each act of cowardice had him again by the throat. Never had it been his plan to urge this woman toward divorce. He had simply drifted with pleasant tides and now he found himself washed seaward with a dragging anchor. It was small compensation to reflect that his fault was less vicious than craven.

The square was bathed in a radiance of frosty sunlight, and the buildings at the south stood diamond-clear under a flawless sky. The monument to the man whose courage and decision had cradled to a nation's birth gleamed in its granite whiteness. But Paul Burton felt small, afraid and besmirched of soul. He hurried to his own house and shut himself in with a thousand weak misgivings, until finally an idea formulated itself. He would go to Hamilton for counsel and strength.

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As far as the clean sweep of mountain wilds differ from the suffocation of a miasma, so far did the thoughts of Mary Burton differ from those of Paul that afternoon.

She and Jefferson Edwardes had been riding in the park, and though their horses had only cantered their hearts had ridden madly on winged steeds. Now, with twilight stealing in and softly blotting out the angles of the room, they sat together, still in saddle-togs, before the great, carven mantel which Hamilton had brought back from a European castle where once Napoleon passed a night. A brave glare from roaring logs of driftwood cheerily flooded with light the hearth and the huge polar bear skin stretched before it. Mary Burton sat in a big chair, also castle-ravished, which swallowed her like a cavern, and as Jefferson Edwardes knelt on the rug beside her, and watched the flames caress into gorgeous vividness the colour of her eyes and lips and cheeks and hair, it pleased him to think of her as seated on a throne, and of himself as at her feet.

They had no light but the firelight and needed none, for they had captured the brightness and joyousness and warmth of June and meant to carry it with them wheresoever they went and through all the meaner months.

Mary's right hand was still gloved, but the left was bare and she kept turning at this way and that, washing with engrossed fascination a diamond on one finger that caught and splintered the firelight. It was the jewel which proclaimed that Mary Burton was to be Mary Edwardes.

When her companion spoke, his voice was softened by a very tender triumph.

"Who am I," he asked wonderingly and humbly, "that life should be so lavish and generous with me? Mary, Mary, I told you once that you were as beautiful as starlight on water, but you are more than that. That is only a beauty to the eye, and you are a miracle to the heart and soul as well."

"Once," she said while her voice trembled happily, "I was satisfied with what beauty I had." She bent forward with a sudden gesture of possession and tenderness, as she caught his head between her two hands. "That was when it was my own. Now that it's yours I wish it were a hundred times greater."

"And you are the girl," he smiled, "who once pretended to think she had no soul, and very little heart."

"If I have either, dearest," she declared, "I owe it to you. You found a poor little spark of soul and fanned it into life—but a heart I have, and it's ablaze and it's yours to keep!" Her voice thrilled as she added: "If I had the world to give, it should all be yours, too—all of it."

"I feel," he assured her, "as though you have given me the universe."

For a while they sat silent; then the girl's eyes danced into sudden mischief as she reminded him, "We have still an ordeal ahead, you know. We have to tell Hamilton."

"A love that feared ordeals," he laughed easily, "would hardly be worth offering you. Does he still dislike me?"

The girl nodded. "He isn't exactly as mad about you as I am," she confessed. "But," her head came up and the remnant pride that seemed inherent there shone from her eyes, "my life is mine to use as I wish, and I have no use for it, dear heart, save to give it to you—for always!"

They heard the door open and close, then Hamilton's clear voice came from the hallway.

"You are a fool, Paul," it announced in a tone which blended irritation and indulgence. "This is the modest sort of whim; nevertheless it it appeals to you—all right." The two did not at once come into the library, but talked in the hall.

Paul answered nervously.

"How can you help me, Hamilton? She's married—it would be impossible."

"Impossibilities are my specialties. You say you want this adorable lady?"

"Yes." The response was faint.

"Very well," came the laconic announcement. "You shall have her, though you are, as I said, a fool. Loraine Haswell is a pretty and an empty-headed doll—"

"Don't!" Paul protested quickly, yet even in defending his lady's name, his voice carried more of weak appeal than command. "You mustn't say that!"

"I repeat, she is an empty-headed doll—but since she's going to be my doll I shall dismiss that feature from consideration."

The colloquy had been so rapid that, as Hamilton and Paul showed themselves in the door, the two unwilling eaves-droppers came to their feet, startled.

Jefferson Edwardes turned toward the fire and stood silent, but his momentary expression of disgust had not escaped the financier and instantly all Hamilton's cumulative dislike burst into passion. From the threshold he demanded, "So you listened, did you!"

The visitor replied slowly and with a level voice: "We had not meant to overhear a private conversation—but we did hear."

I suppose you realize that what you heard in no way concerns you!" The voice was surcharged with challenge, and under its sting Edwardes found self-composure a difficult matter. He had no habit of turning aside from quarrels which were seemingly thrust upon him, yet he realized that at this juncture he must govern his temper. For the moment he ignored the question and, with a gaze that met that of the other man in undeviating directness, he responded:

"I was waiting here to see you, Burton, on a mission which in every way concerns me." He raised the girl's hand to his lips and let his gesture explain his purpose.

But the pent-up animosity of Hamilton Burton could remember only the contemptuous curl he had recognized on the other man's lips. He came forward until he stood confronting Edwardes and as he was about to speak Mary interrupted him. Her voice was vibrant with anger and scorn. "If any one should feel called upon to make explanations and apologies, Hamilton, it is yourself . . . after what we have just heard. It was monstrous." She shuddered.

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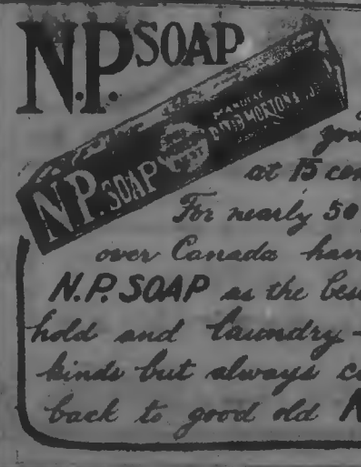

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In 1907 a hailstorm visited a part of Indo-China, and the director of the Central Observatory, M. Cadet, reported afterwards that at first the hailstones were as large as eggs, but as the storm progressed they increased in size. A soldier picked up one "as large as a man's head," and another was placed on the scales and tipped the beam at 12oz. In January, 1911, too, giant hailstones fell at Molepolole, Bechuanaland, of such a size that twenty natives were killed by being struck with them.

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The Admirable Mr. Starkweather

By EDWARD T. STEWART

In the autumn I was invited to visit my friend, Mrs. Swinburne, who never returns to the city till November and sometimes later. I found there Miss Edith Harley, a young lady friend of Mrs. Swinburne. Miss Harley was very attractive, but she seemed to be absorbed in something. It was not long before I discovered that it was a young man. Whenever the family car came from the railway station she would rush to the door, then turn away disappointed.

When she and I were together she was constantly saying: "That reminds me of a friend of mine, who is very clever. He does everything so well. He was graduated at the head of his class in college and at the law school. Not that he is a bookworm or a grind or anything like that; he goes in for athletics. He has taken a lot of champion prizes at tennis and golf and is considered the best billiard player in his club."

"An Admirable Crichton," I put in.

"A what?"

"Did you never hear of the Scotchman of that name who a couple of hundred years or so ago could outjump, outfence, outride any other man in the world?"

I felt much irritated at this fellow who was standing between me and a very pretty girl, and I suppose my words and the tone in which they were spoken indicated a desire to make a supposititious case a real one. Miss Harley made no further remark, and, looking at her face, I saw a faint smile, which I interpreted as indicating something between pity and contempt for one who even hinted that he might in any respect down this remarkable friend of hers.

There was a little room in Mrs. Swinburne's house off the dining room containing a writing desk and materials for correspondence. I went in there one morning to write a letter, and there on the desk was a sheet of note paper with the following words on it:

—Dear Alonzo—When are you coming? We have no end of things to do when you arrive which we are keeping till you—

The note stopped here. It had evidently been left by mistake. Looking down into a wastebasket beside the desk I saw an envelope addressed to Alonzo L. Starkweather, 110 North Walnut street. This, too, was unfinished, but Miss Harley had told me the city which her admirable friend honored by his presence, and I was thus led to believe that the unfinished letter had been intended for him.

If she is too modest to send for her paragon I thought, I will help her out. I wished to get sight of one who was fast becoming my rival, for, though I did not know it, I was falling in love with Miss Harley. I concluded to send the note to Mr. Starkweather, unfinished as it was. Doubtless he would understand that he was pined for, but the piner was too modest to tell him so. There were some envelopes in the desk with the Swinburne address on the corner, and I put the unfinished note in one of them, addressed and mailed it. This was something I had no right to do, but I was mad with love and jealousy and scarcely responsible.

A few days later, after a spat with Miss Harley over her friend's accomplishments, to let off my ire I walked into the village. While there I dropped into the postoffice for the mail. I was handed the letter I had mailed to Mr. Starkweather, returned with a carrier's mark on it, "No such person there."

Slowly there came into my stupid noddle something that was scarcely credible. Mr. Starkweather was a myth. But why had this myth been conjured up? Was it for my benefit, and if so why had he been thus inflicted upon me? I came to no conclusion as to this, but I concluded to conjure up a female myth to match him. I wrote a letter to myself and sent it to town to a friend to mail to me. When I received it I opened it in Miss Harley's presence, read it, put my hand to my forehead and groaned.

"What's happened?" asked my companion anxiously.

"She's very ill."

"Who? Your mother?"

"No."

"Sister?"

"No; a very dear friend."

I cast a glance out of the corner of my eye at Miss Harley and saw a combination of emotions.

"I must go to her at once," I added.

"You have not told me of this very dear friend."

"You gave me no opportunity. You were too [illegible] of your own dear friend."

She looked at me inquiringly, then smiled.

"Do you take the next train?"

"That depends upon when Mr. Starkweather is to arrive."

"Mr. Starkweather is not coming." Her smile was broadening.

"In that case I would not think of going."

"Not even to a dear friend who is ill?"

"I fear she has passed away. The letter says she was dying when it was written."

That was the end of Mr. Starkweather. In time I found I had been invited to visit Mrs. Swinburne for the express purpose of being caught by her very dear friend Miss Harley. They had concocted Mr. Starkweather between them for a bait. The hook is still in my gills.

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"'And what do you think of it?' said his friend to the judge after he had waded through a few pages of 'Epipsychidion.' 'Isn't it beautiful?'

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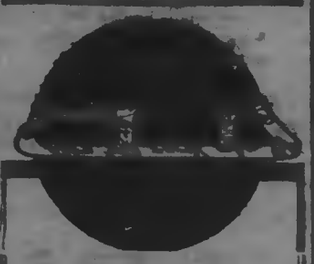

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TWO PARTIES IN GERMANY.

Totally Divergent Views of the Two War Leaders.

The two bitterly contested views about the war in German politics are described in The New Republic by William E. Bullitt, who has just returned from the Central Empires.

"The supporters of the Chancellor still see in the war the same conflict which existed before England came in. To them, this is essentially a struggle between Russia and the Austro-Hungarian-German bloc for predominance in the Balkans and Asia Minor. Their hope is to establish a confederation of Central Europe stretching from Hamburg to Bagdad. As they see it, the war is deciding, chiefly, how wide shall be the boundaries of Central Europe. They are almost ready to give up northern France and the whole of Belgium. They are ready to pay Belgium an indemnity of two billion marks, if Belgium will pretend that it is part of the purchase price of a section of Belgian Congo. Their eyes are on the East. They hope to annex Courland, and to create an independent Poland from Russia's Polish territories, which they expect to take into the German Zollverein. But the most vital piece of territory to them is north-eastern Serbia, which they call 'The dry Suez canal.' For across it, by way of Belgrade and Nish, runs the railway from Buda-Pest to Constantinople, control of which they must have if the Hamburg to Bagdad confederation is to become a reality.

"To the supporters of von Tirpitz, the war essentially is a struggle between England and Germany for control of the sea. They wish to purchase peace with Russia at any price, even at the cost of abandoning their ally Turkey, and to fight on until France and England are crushed. They believe that Germany should annex every foot of French and Belgium territory she can occupy; French territory so that France can never again offer serious resistance; Belgian territory so that she may have a springboard from which to dive at England. Von Tirpitz's notorious postal card puts matters thus: 'We must hold the coast of Belgium as a base from which to operate against our Anglo-American enemies.'"

FELL IN A FAINT.

Mrs. Edwin Martin, Aper's Cliff, Que., writes: "Before using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food I was in a terrible condition. Dizzy spells would come over me and I would fall on the floor. I could not sweep without fainting. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food has so built up my system that I can work and do my housework. Your medicine cured me when doctors had failed."

WAR MEMORIALS.

A New Book Issued on an Interesting Subject.

Many towns just now are anxious to erect monuments to dead heroes who have given their lives for their country. Many hints and designs have been incorporated in a book included in the Country Life Library entitled "Memorials and Monuments," and which is published, to quote the author, "in the hope that it may be useful to people who are considering memorials and that it may lead them to the artist rather than to the trader."

Included in this valuable work are pictures and information about many war memorials and monuments erected throughout the country in memory of campaigns and heroes of the past. The finest public school memorial put up after the South African War is to be seen at Eton. It consists of a large building containing a school hall and library, two huge panels in the former recording the names of Etonians who fell in the war. The panels form a background for a bust of Queen Victoria, while in front is a case with glazed top, in which is treasured the manuscript Roll of Honor.

At Haileybury College there is a magnificent obelisk adorned with sixteen bronze plates, on which are inscribed the sixteen principal battles of the South African War.

It is pointed out that after the Napoleonic Wars sculptors were contented not only to employ emblems such as cannon-balls, standards, etc., in memorials, but also represented their heroes in dying attitudes, and occasionally showed in bas-relief a battle scene or naval action. St. Paul's Cathedral contains some interesting examples of monuments of this kind.

One of the most striking war memorials, however, is the monument in the garden of the Royal Naval Barracks, Chatham, where many prisoners of war were buried a hundred years ago.

A remarkable monument has also been designed at Godalming in honor of J. G. Phillips, the wireless operator whose heroic death on the foundered Titanic was one of the victories of peace. A piece of land was laid out as a paved pool garden, with a roofed cloister round three sides. On the fourth is a screen partly of open arcade and partly of solid wall, in the middle of which is fixed a stone inscription panel. Although in this case only one man is commemorated, the ample wall surfaces give space for a great number of names.

On the Way.

"Why doesn't that dachshund come when I call him? The idea of walking to me!"

"He's coming as fast as he can," said the man's wife. "He's got his front legs started."—Washington Herald.

Considerable Opening.

"What a dear little mouth Peggy has."

"Yes; her last dental bill amounted to $67.50."—Boston Transcript.

Don't throw away your old shoes till you've got new ones.—Dutch Proverb.

LIGHT OF THE SUN

In Its Pure State We on the Earth Have Never Seen It.

SOME RAYS DO NOT REACH US.

If They Did They Would Probably Destroy Life as It Exists on Our Planet. Daylight and Sunlight Differ Almost as Much as Do Wine and Water.

"As clear as daylight" expresses in ordinary language a maximum of plainness and obviousness. Nevertheless daylight is one of the most complicated and capriciously variable of all natural phenomena.

Almost everybody you meet will tell you that daylight and sunlight are different names for the same thing. They think they know that much of astronomy that way. But astronomy does not teach anything of the kind. Astronomy simply tells us that the sun is the primary cause or source of daylight, but it does not say that daylight and sunlight are identical. In fact, they differ almost as much as do water and wine.

But the degree of difference varies. Daylight is a mixture of two kinds of light, and its quality is continually changing, as everybody who has ever had anything to do with photography knows. The proportions of the two kinds of light that make daylight are not the same from hour to hour and hardly from minute to minute.

In clear weather, under an open sky, with the sun high in the heavens, daylight, says Professor Nichols of Cornell, is almost entirely sunlight. A white surface exposed to an unobscured sky receives directly from the sun 85 per cent of the light that illuminates it and only 15 per cent from other parts of the sky dome.

This other part of the illumination is called skylight, and it consists of light, nearly all of which came originally from the sun, but which has been changed in quality by reflection from the earth, from the clouds and from dust and vapor in the air. Many of the rays that characterized the original sunlight have been absorbed by the reflecting substances, so that what remains is no longer the same thing as before.

On a completely overcast day there is no sunlight, properly so called, but only skylight. Whether the sky is overcast or not the intensity of daylight varies with the hour of the day and with the season. This is due to differences in the elevation of the sun. These variations in the intensity of daylight are surprisingly great. The intensity is on the average ten times as great in midsummer as in midwinter, but this average comes far from expressing the utmost difference that can exist, for investigation has shown that between the clearest summer day and the darkest day of winter the ratio of the intensity of daylight may be as great as 300 to 1.

Besides the quality of daylight is continually changing on account of the variations in the relative amounts of the different rays of the spectrum that are mingled in it. The spectrum of light is a gamut of vibrations, and the result of the selective action exercised by the substances and vapors, from which the light has been reflected and through which it has passed is to produce variations of color and of intensity of color, as well as of the quantity of invisible radiations present, and these variations are not the less real and important because the eye is not always fully aware of them.

As to pure sunlight, we never see it on the earth. The light that arrives to us from the sun has neither the color nor the intensity that it possesses before it enters the atmosphere. The ultraviolet rays especially are almost completely screened off by the atmosphere, and if they reached us in their full force it is probable that life as now organized on this planet would be destroyed by them.

Every different world has its own daylight, although all may be illuminated by the same sun. Not only does relative distance affect the intensity of daylight on different planets, but the constitution of their various atmospheres has an equally great effect. Venus has a daylight twice as intense as ours; Mars one-half as intense. On Jupiter the intensity is 1-25 of that on the earth; on Saturn, 1-90; on Neptune, 1-900.

But each of these planets has an atmosphere peculiar to itself, and thus the differences of daylight upon them are made still more remarkable. This is one of the first things to be taken into account in all speculations about the habitability of those other worlds.—Garrett P. Serviss in Spokane Spokesman-Review.

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The Guilty One.

Jobe—Say, that's your new tie, eh! Why on earth did you select such a loud pattern? Joe—I didn't select it. My brother did, and he's slightly deaf.—Judge.

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REJECTED AND MORBID

Strange Tragedy of Wartime in English Family

A dramatic story was told at Surbiton at the inquest on Walter Turrill, thirty-seven, who, with his brother, Pte. Rowland Turrill, twenty-one, of the Oxford and Bucks Light Infantry, was found shot in bed at the residence of their brother-in-law, Mr. A. F. Jepson, of Thames Ditton. Mr. Walter Turrill, the father, of Woodstock road, Oxford, said Walter suffered from insomnia, and took veronal. He was very despondent because he could not take his brother's place at the front. He did not like the idea of his brother returning to France to face the hardships of trench life again. He had attested under the Derby scheme, but was medically rejected.

Private Turrill, his brother, who appeared on crutches, said Walter came up to London with him to see him off to the front. They slept for the night at their brother-in-law's house at Thames Ditton. At 4.45 in the morning he was awakened by the report of firearms and felt a pain in his left foot. He called out, "Walter, what has happened?" but got no reply. Turning on the light, he found his brother huddled up at the foot of the bed with a bullet wound in the heart and a revolver lying by his side. He himself had been shot through the left foot. A verdict of suicide during temporary insanity was returned.

Child Was Nervous, Irritable, Tired Out

She Had No Appetite and Her Complexion Was Pale and Sallow

How many parents realize the strain which going to school means to the child who is naturally nervous and of delicate health?

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Mrs. Stephen Hartman, Italy Cross, Lunenburg Co., N.S., writes: "My little sister at eleven years of age became nervous, irritable and seemed all tired out. She had no appetite, was lifeless and drowsy and her complexion grew pale and sallow. Finally she had to keep her bed and have somebody with her all the time. She was afraid of everything, would get excited and tremble till the bed would shake. As she seemed to be getting worse under the doctor's treatment, mother decided to try Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. After she had used about four boxes, improvement was noticeable and it was wonderful to see how much brighter and stronger she grew week by week. She used ten boxes altogether and they cured her. She got fat and rosy and went to school every day with an ambition that she never seemed to have before. I do not hesitate to recommend Dr. Chase's Nerve Food to anyone, for it was indeed wonderful what it did for her."

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"TANK" COMMANDERS WHO GAINED HONORS

Deeds of Resolution and Daring That Were Rewarded by Britain—Thrilling Times

Conspicuous in a list of war honors containing over twelve hundred names published in the London Gazette were the fine awards of the Military Cross to men in the Tanks. An airman, 2nd Lieutenant S. E. Cowan, was the first officer to win two bars to his Military Cross. Of 2nd Lt. John Allan it is stated that "he manoeuvred his Tank with great skill under heavy shell fire over difficult and unknown ground and brought it into a good position for enfilading the enemy's trenches, which he succeeded in doing with good effect."

Fight With Revolvers

2nd Lt. Francis J. Arnold "commanded his Tank with great courage and determination. Later, the Tank being laid up, he and his crew continued to fight with their revolvers." 2nd Lt. Edward C. K. Colls "fought his Tank with great gallantry, reaching the third objective. Later, on several occasions, he went to the assistance of the infantry, and finally brought his Tank safely out of action." 2nd Lt. Arthur H. Blowers "on several occasions assisted the infantry and enabled them to advance."

Fourteen Hours Ditched

The Tank of Lt. Frederick A. Robinson got ditched, and "he and his crew dug for fourteen hours under heavy fire, eventually getting the Tank out and back to the assembly point." 2nd Lt. William H. Sampson "enfiladed an enemy trench and captured fifteen prisoners." 2nd Lt. Eric L. Purdy "fought his Tank for five and a half hours with great gallantry, beating off continual enemy bombing attacks."

Lt. Arthur E. Arnold "went to the assistance of another Tank. He also rescued a wounded man, and, although himself wounded, brought his Tank safely out of action." 2nd Lt. Herbert G. F. Brown "fought his Tank, which was disabled, with great gallantry, reaching his third objective. He put two machine guns out of action." 2nd Lt. Leonard C. Bond, in his Tank "put a machine gun out of action and captured the team."

DANCING HALL RAID

130 Military Age Men Arrested by Holborn Police

Just before midnight, whilst a dance was in progress at the Holborn Hall, Gray's Inn road, a large force of police surrounded the place and demanded to see documentary evidence from men who appeared to be of military age as to why they were not in the army. About 130 persons were detained and taken to Gray's Inn road police station.

On the arrival of the police a general stampede ensued, but the exits were well guarded. In the majority of cases the men detained were able to satisfy the police authorities and were allowed to return to their homes, but about a score were kept in custody.

SCIENCE AND THE WAR

Canada Will Need to Use All Experts When Peace Comes

Addressing the Empire Club of Toronto, Prof. McLennan, head of the Physics Department of the University of Toronto, and member of one of the English War Inventions Boards, urged similar devotion of scientific energy in Canada for war purposes. Attention was paid by the speaker to conditions after the war, when, he said, the national debt would be very large. He advised that the scientists turn their attention to the development of agriculture as the surest way in which the export industry of Canada might be made to exceed the import industry. To do this he advocated the further development of the natural stands of potash for fertilization found in British Columbia, and the utilization of our water power to make this into fertilizer. Prof. McLennan asked the business men and manufacturers of the city to co-operate with the Royal Canadian Institute, of which he was the president, to further the practical use of science both in the war and in the business life of the nation.

OLWEN LLOYD-GEORGE

This is one of the best portraits of Olwen, the elder daughter of Right Hon. David Lloyd George.

Persecute Alsatians

A neutral, after visiting Alsace-Lorraine during the war, writes: The result of the persecution of the French-speaking portion of the population has been a boomerang for Prussia. The Alsatian-Germans, who never cared much for Prussia, are now bitterly hostile to her, and thus it is that all Alsatians, whether French or German, who go into other parts of Germany are under the same police regulations as alien enemies. If a plebiscite is ever taken in regard to the future in Alsace, France need have no fear of the outcome, if the poll is taken free from coercion."

GERMAN WOMEN BITTER; NEUTRALS AS ENEMIES

Pastors, Professors and Press Deceive Them—Ungrateful to German-Americans—Despise English

Mr. D. Thomas Curtin, after ten months in Germany, wrote: The venom of the German women in regard to the war is quite in contrast with the feelings expressed by English ladies. German women have read a great deal about English and American women, and they cordially detest them. When I have told German women that in many States in my country women have votes their reply is, "How vulgar!" The freedom accorded to English and American girls is misunderstood. It is regarded as a form of laxity of morals. Many of the older-fashioned German folk forbid their daughters to play lawn tennis because they regard it as indecent.

A Fearful Weapon

A Dutch girl who in the presence of some German ladies expressed admiration for certain aspects of English feminine life was fiercely and venomously attacked by that never failing weapon the German woman's tongue. The poor thing who mildly expressed the view that hockey was a good game for girls, and the fine complexions and elegant walk of English women were due to outdoor sports, was reduced almost to tears.

The intolerance of German women is almost impossible to express. I know a case of one young girl, a German-American, whose parents returned to Hamburg, who declined to repeat the ridiculous German formula "Gott strafe England" and stuck to her point, with the result that she was not invited to that circle again.

Gott Strafe Amerika

There is a notion here that the "Gott strafe England" cry has ceased in Germany. I found no sign of its lessening, and to it has been added "Gott strafe Amerika," the latter being even more popular with the German women than the German men. The pastors, professors, and the press have told the German women that their husbands and sons and lovers are being killed by American shells. A man who ought to know better, like Prince Rupert of Bavaria, made a public statement that half of the allies' ammunition is American. At one not fardistant moment the feeling against America on the part of the German women became so intense that the American flag had to be withdrawn from the American hospital at Munich, although that hospital, supported by German-American funds, has done wonderful work for the German wounded.

In the King's Hands

The appointing of field marshals in the British army is entirely in the hands of the King, promotions being made from the lists of general officers.

Mr. Alfred Pearse painted a tank in action for the King.

Lord R. Cecil says the prohibition of spirits and wines greatly stimulated educational saving in Russia.

BOMBING THE HUNS OUT

Dare-devil Adventure of a British Soldier

Your true bomber is born rather than made. He must have the patience and carefulness of a deer stalker, the subtlety of a diplomat, the impudence of a gamin, the speculativeness of a poker player. It was a bomber who played chief part in a little ruse de guerre by which many Germans were discomfited.

The Boches were ensconced in a house ruins. They had a machine gun and were not easy to get at. But after nightfall a British machine gun was trained upon the door. A bomber crept in, and working his way by devious routes came to the back of the house, climbed on to its battered roof, and began a steady little cascade of bombs through holes and chimney upon the startled Germans.

And when they rushed out of the door the machine gun was ready for them. That house held no Germans in the morning. And the only request that bomber had made when he started on this hair-raising adventure was to ask the machine gunner to "Keep it pretty low, old boy, and well towards the front side of the house, or you'll 'get-me,' my buck, not Fritz."

FRENCH BATTLE [illegible]URE

Parisian on new British go Forward Through Mud

The special correspondent of the Petit Journal on the British front sent the following account of the taking of Beaumont: The attack was launched at dawn. The reverberations of the guns cease and for a moment silence reigns. Then comes the short, staccato note of the word of command over a four-mile front. In an instant there rise up suddenly endless ranks of grey phantoms, surging over the plain, leaping into the fog, and over the mud.

But now comes the rattle of the German machine guns. The "Tommies" are obliged to fall flat. But they do no stop. They swim through the mud. Plastered with dirt and stiff with the cold, they yet retain a perfect heroism and that extraordinary dash of theirs.

In 18 minutes our grenade throwers have swept clean the last line. The Germans rush to take refuge in dugouts or other subterranean escapes in Beaumont, but the artillery girdles all retreat, and at the doors or gaps to the underground galleries are our friends. The wild beasts, who have no wish to die in their dens, give themselves up.

Non-Treating a Wife

Cubitt Cooke, licensee of the White Lion, East Finchley, was fined $175 at Highgate, England, for breaches of the no-treating order. His waiter, Sidney Noakes, was fined $1.20, Henry Puddicomb $25 for treating his wife, and the latter $1.20 for drinking the liquor.

Fantastic statistics of Russian losses published in Austria are found to have been quoted from the lists of an insurance bureau.

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James Lynch, Druggist, says: "We recommend Dr. Norvall's Stomach and Tonic Tablets because we get better results from them than from any other similar preparation we keep in stock."

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NORWAY, DENMARK AND SWEDEN ARE TO SEND NOTES TO THE BELLIGERENTS

Other Neutrals Joining With the United States in Making Peace Proposals---Sudden German Offensive on a Two Mile Front Near Verdun Failed ---French Poilus and Machine Gun Fire Turned the Huns Back---British Ambassador at Washington to Be Replaced.

A SUMMARY OF TO-DAY'S WAR CABLES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

COPENHAGEN, December 29.—Norway, Sweden and Denmark are either sending, or soon will send, peace notes to the belligerent European powers, according to the newspaper Politiken.

BOLOGNE, December 29.—President Schulthess, of Switzerland, has explained the part played by his country in the recent steps in favour of peace, in an interview with Signor Qualici, editor of Resto Del Carlino. President Schulthess is quoted as saying: "I cannot conceive that any of the belligerents harbour the idea of passing through our country. It would not be to their advantage. In addition to the great difficulties of terrain they would be confronted with the vigorous resistance of the Swiss army and the whole people. My country knows only one form of neutrality, absolute neutrality.

"Let there be no mistake. In the presence of external danger, no matter from what side it comes, Switzerland will be united notwithstanding the differences in race and language."

PARIS (French Official Communique), December 29.—A sudden German offensive following a violent bombardment, between Hill 304 and Dead Man's Hill, which failed, owing to a French screen of infantry and machine gun fire, was reported in to-day's official statement.

A small number of Germans penetrated to a French trench south of Dead Man's Hill.

The German attack was on a front of approximately two miles, according to the French statement. One other German offensive movement was also reported defeated. This was the repulse by the French forces of a strong German reconnaissance on the right bank of the Meuse near Hardaumont.

British Ambassador is to Be Replaced

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, December 29.—London reports that the British Foreign Office is considering the replacing of Ambassador Sir Cecil Spring-Rice here caused little surprise to-day.

The British Ambassador has not been in good health, and it is an open secret that he has been out-played in the matter of publicity by German Ambassador Von Bernstorff.

It is also well known here that Lord Northcliffe, who opposes Spring-Rice, has suggested an ambassadorial change here.

LONDON, December 29.—Premier David Lloyd George received the American Ambassador, Walter Haines Page, at his official residence to-day. It was announced Page was "merely paying his respects."

BERLIN, via Wireless, December 29.—The capture of the Town of Rachel, in Dobrudja, was announced in to-day's official statement.

Latest Petrograd Official Statement

PETROGRAD, December 29.—The retirement of Roumanian forces before superior enemy pressure north and south of the River Kasino, and west of Govesha, and a continued Teutonic advance, attended by fierce battles east of Sesmeze, was reported in to-day's official statement.

The statement said the Roumanians were forced back about 3,500 feet in the Kasino River section.

"In the region of Kioshdeni and Kostomara, battles are proceeding," the statement continued. "The Roumanian and Russian forces occupying positions on the left bank of the Remnik repulsed all enemy assaults with counter-attacks.

"Along the Moldavian frontier, in the valley of the Oitus, the enemy's advance continues. At several points there are battles in progress for the domination of the heights east of Sesmeze."

LONDON, December 29.—The purchase of the drink trade in Great Britain by the State is believed to be imminent, says the Daily Express to-day.

"The matter has been closely considered by the 'liquor control board during the past fortnight,'" continues the paper. "Several members of the board have long advocated the purchase, and the change in government has brought a renewal of their argument."

A Protest Sent to Germany from Spain

MADRID, via Paris, December 29.—A note of protest addressed to Germany on the submarine question by the Spanish Government reviews at length the policy of Madrid from the time the first Spanish ship, the Isidore, was torpedoed in August, 1915. The note concludes with an announcement that further steps are being taken to avoid or diminish in future the risks to Spanish shipping.

BERLIN, via Sayville, December 29.—French first, second and third line trenches were penetrated around the famous Dead Man's Hill and 222 prisoners taken, to-day's official statement reported. The capture of 1,400 Russian and Roumanian prisoners, 18 machine guns and 3 cannon, on the Transylvanian front, was also announced.

The official statement issued at Petrograd admits violent fighting between Russian troops and Teutonic in Roumania and the Carpathians, and indicated slight retirement after stubborn resistance in some sectors of the eastern battle line. On the whole, however, the line is being well main-

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4. "My Laddie"—Thayer — Soprano Solo by Agnes Cass
5. "On the Beach Medley" — Hawaiian Orchestra
6. "Baby Rose"—Christie Westyn — Tenor solo by Walter Van Brunt
7. "A Call to Arms" — Male Voices, Peerless Quartette
8. "A Neptune Dream"—Goodwin and Brown — Negro Duet by Collins & Harlan
9. "Melody in F"—Rubenstein — Violin solo by Isadore Mashowitz
10. "Quiet Little Evenings at Home"—Jerome — Tenor solo by Walter Van Brunt
11. "When the Twilight Comes to Kiss the Rose Good-night" — Petrie — Helen Clarke and Vernon Archibald.
12. "Juliet's Waltz Song" — Gounod — Soprano solo in French by Lucrezia Bori
13. "Forest Whispers"—Lacey — Band Orchestra
14. "Those Days Gone By"—Klein — Tenor Solo by Walter Van Brunt

GOD SAVE THE KING.

ALD. J. W. WORTH, elected by acclamation as one of the West Ward representative to the City Council.

DOUBLE OUTPUT OF METAL PRODUCTS CO. ENLARGE THE PLANT

Mr. G. N. Gordon Closed Deal at Noon To-day Whereby Factory Passes to Montreal Financiers

MORE MEN NEEDED

The Canadian Metal Products Company passed into the hands of a group of Montreal capitalists to-day, who are behind a string of munition plants up and down the Dominion, and it is understood that immediate steps will be undertaken to increase the output of the plant even to the extent of considerably enlarging it.

Mr. Harold Gagner, who established the company in the old Cordage Factory, is likely to become a member of the Imperial Munitions Board, and because of the prospect of that appointment, desired to dispose of the Metal Products business.

At noon to-day, Mr. G. N. Gordon, representing Mr. Louis A. Gosselin, K.C., of Montreal, and some of the most prominent of capitalists in Eastern Canada, executed the transfer. This group of financiers have important contracts with the Imperial Munitions Board, and as the Canadian munitions output is already behind in deliveries, an effort will be made to double the production of the Metal Products plant. Dormitories will be put in if necessary, and, it is stated, immediate extensions will be made to speed up the work.

A Drop Forge Plant.

It is expected that the new company will eventually erect a drop forge plant, either on the factory property or elsewhere in the city. This phase of the business will be developed here. These new interests have, in addition to other munition factories, an explosive plant at Renfrew.

Will Need More Men.

Referring to this important change in the local factory, Mr. Gordon said he understood that the demand for a greater output would necessitate the employment of a larger number of men, and the general information regarding the transaction promises that the Metal Products will assume in the future even a greater importance than it has held up to the present.

THE RED CROSS APPEAL TO THE WOMEN OF CITY

In response to a very urgent appeal for supplies of warm winter clothing, i.e., dressing-gowns, grey flannel shirts, and pyjamas, the Red Cross Society reopens its work-room in the Assembly Hall of Public Library on Wednesday, January 3rd, at 2 o'clock. The room will be open every afternoon (except Saturday) from 2 to 5:30, and on Friday morning from 9:30 to 12:30. The Society calls upon the women of Peterborough to respond to this call to work. The extra supplies are needed now, not six months hence—it is the supplies that can be made and shipped within the next two months that will be an answer to this appeal. So let every woman, for the next six weeks, do all the Red Cross work that she has already been doing—and then some more.

There will be plenty of hand-sewing for those who cannot use machines.

Cut-out garments will be supplied all those who prefer to sew at home.

Let every woman remember that her work cannot be done by another. Each must do her own part.

SURVIVORS MURDERED IN COLD BLOOD

LONDON, December 28.—The Admiralty has issued the following statement concerning the sinking of the British steamer Westminster, which was reported lost on Dec. 18:

"The degree of savagery the Germans have attained in their submarine policy appears to have reached a climax in the sinking of the Westminster, which was proceeding from Torre Annunziata to Port Said in ballast. On Dec. 14, when 180 miles from the nearest land, the Westminster was attacked by a German submarine without warning, and was struck by two torpedoes in quick succession, which killed four men. The Westminster sank in four minutes.

"This ruthless disregard for the rules of international law was followed by a deliberate attempt to murder the survivors. The officers and men while effecting their escape in boats were shelled by the submarine at a range of 3,000 yards. The master and chief engineer were killed outright. Their boat was sunk. The second and third engineers were not picked up; it is presumed they were drowned.

"The captain of the submarine must have satisfied himself of the effectiveness of his torpedoes, yet he proceeded to carry out in cold blood an act of murder which could not possibly be justified in any urgency of war, and can only be regarded in the eyes of the world as a further proof of the degradation of German honour and morale."

CASUALTIES AMONG 93rd BATTALION MEN TOTAL THIRTY-NINE

Pte. Chas. Keliele is the Latest Addition to the List---Army Service Corps Secures Three Recruits in Peterborough ---Many More Are Needed---To-days Orders and General Military News.

The wounding of Pte. Chas. Keliele of the 93rd Battalion, news of which was received by his wife living at 75 Smith Street on a field card, makes the thirty-ninth casualty in the ranks of the 93rd since the Peterborough unit went overseas. Pte. Keliele enlisted here in the middle of last winter. He originally came from Syria, but had lived in Peterborough for some time. His name appears on the official casualty list to-day.

Captain Walren, who is recruiting in Peterborough for the Canadian Army Service Corps, has secured the following three recruits recently: H. W. Mann, J. H. Hargrave and H. Drummond. The latter, who is a member of the Mechanical Transport, is a well-known steeplejack, and has three brothers overseas, one, Lance-Corp. Charlton Drummond, a prisoner in Germany. Pte. Drummond will remain in Peterborough, assisting Capt. Warren in the recruiting. Men are wanted for all branches of the Army Service Corps. A draft is going overseas next week.

Q.-M.-S. Jack Williams, who went overseas with the 93rd Battalion, and is now with the 39th at West Sandling Camp, writes home to express his deep gratitude to the pupils of the South Central School for their kindness in sending him a parcel of good things.

BROCKVILLE, Dec. 28.—A soldier named Paradis, from near Ottawa, a member of the 230th Battalion here, has developed spinal meningitis, and more than 600 men at the Exhibition Grounds camp were placed in quarantine to-night. "Hard luck," say the boys, as more than 50 per cent. were to leave to-morrow for their homes to spend New Year's.

To-Day's Orders.

Daily orders by Lieut.-Col. C. H. Ackerman, commanding 207th Battalion, C.E.F.

Order for Friday, Dec. 29, 1916.

Parade:

All officers, N.C.O.'s and men, except those specially employed, will parade in the Drill Hall at 9 a.m. and at 2 p.m.

Duties:

Orderly officer for Friday, Dec. 29, 1916—Lieut. T. Quinn.

Orderly officer for Saturday, Dec. 30, 1916—Lieut. R. J. Dunsford.

Next for duty—Lieut. J. F. Strickland.

Strength:

Regimental-Sergeant-Major A. E. Brittain; P.P.C.L.I., is transferred to the 247th Battalion, C.E.F., with the rank of Lieutenant and Adjutant, from Dec. 20, 1916.

No. 1063072 Pte. R. C. Armstrong and No. 1063073 Pte. A. R. Flanagan are taken on the strength as of Dec. 27, 1916, and posted to A Company.

R. B. Brooks, Lieut. & Acting Adjt. 247th Battalion, C.E.F.

NATIONAL SERVICE CARDS.

Any one who finds any difficulty in filling in the answers to the questions on the National Service Cards, will be assisted by applying to Mr. G. W. Hatton, Crown Attorney, at his office—free of charge, of course.

EXPRESS AND BAGGAGE.

E. D. Cooney, a returned soldier, has taken over the express business of Eddie Reid and will give prompt and careful attention to all work entrusted to him. 'Phone 547. E. D. Cooney, 340 Aylmer street. 2844-3

MR. T. J. PALMER—A. R. C. O. and organist of the Metropolitan Church, Toronto, who will be the organist for the presentation of "The Messiah" at St. Paul's Church on Tuesday night next, January 2.

BANQUET TENDERED TO MR. DANIEL O'CONNELL

MR. DANIEL O'CONNELL

Representative Gathering of Citizens Met Last Evening, Evidencing the Esteem in Which Mr. O'Connell is Held in the Community —Stirring Addresses by Well Known Speakers.

THE TOAST LIST

The complimentary banquet given at the Empress Hotel last night to Mr. D. O'Connell, worthily honoured a worthy citizen, whose departure from the city will be a great civic loss. One may well say that the banquet was given by the citizens of Peterborough, for the hundred or so banqueters present, represented the best of every civic element—ecclesiastical, educational, professional, individual, commercial and social. The Peterborough Law Association, of which Mr. O'Connell is a leading member, to make the valedictory to him a real civic tribute, joined with other representative citizens for the splendidly successful and happy occasion.

Judge Huycke was chairman, and associated with him as vice-chairman was Mayor Duffus. The address of Judge Huycke to and of Mr. O'Connell, had the double merit of judicial authority and an eloquent and concise tribute to the honoured guest's ability as a lawyer, his qualities as a man, and his worth as a citizen, and Mr. O'Connell's reply gave a farewell taste of the oratory and breadth and height of sentiment that have given him the reputation of being one of our best public speakers. The tone of the other speeches given during the evening took its note from the dominant spirit and sentiment of the toast list—unity of aim and action—not only in the activities of citizenship, and of discharge of its duties, but in the great war crisis. This naturally led to complimentary references to Mr. O'Connell's interest and activity in every good cause, and especially his energetic and valuable services in promoting the interests and of meeting the demands of the war, and the subsidiary movements, as represented by the Speakers' Patriotic League, and Patriotic Fund, and Red Cross measures.

The merits of the guest, and the happily-voiced appreciation of them by his hosts the prevailing spirit of unity and harmony, and of personal and civic comradeship, made the occasion a successful and memorable one.

The banquet was a complimentary one given by the citizens of Peterboro to Mr. Daniel O'Connell on the occasion of his leaving Peterboro. The Banquet Committee was as follows:

His Honor Judge Hayche, Honorary Chairman; His Worship Mayor Duffus, Honorary Vice-Chairman; Executive Committee: Mr. R. R. Hall, Chairman; Mr. Jos. Wearing, Secretary; Mr. James Kendry, Dr. F. P. McNally, Mr. E. A. Peck, Adj. F. H. Dobbin, Mr. J. A. Aylmer, Mr. G. W. Morrow, Mr. G. A. Gillespie, M.P.P., Mr. R. G. Kingan, Mr. T. F. Matthews, Mr. D. W. Dumble, K.C., Mr. E. G. Patterson, Adj. McElheney, Mr. Robert Ruddy, K.C., Mr. W. H. Denham, Dr. J. V. Sullivan, Mr. G. N. Gordon.

THE MENU.

The excellence of the banquet as provided by the management of the Empress Hotel was referred to by more than one speaker.

The menu was as follows:

Grape Fruit Cocktail.

Bisque of Oyster
Salted Almonds Queen Olives.

Fried Lake Trout, Sauce Meunier.
Julien Potatoes.

Cases of Sweetbread a la King.

Roast Young Turkey Cranberry Sauce
Creamed Mashed Potatoes
French Peas au beurre.

Peach Shortcake Whipped Cream.
Assorted Cake. Chocolate Ice Cream.

McLaren's Cheese
Reception Wafers.

Coffee

THE CITIZENS PRESENT.

Among those present were: Mr. Dan-
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EASY

In the old days when a person suffered with their eyes, they had to go on suffering because science had not made the great strides in optics that it has done in the past few years. Now it is comparatively easy for a person suffering with their eyes or head to obtain relief, by consulting an eye specialist like Dr. Lacey, and Hey Better, 410 George Street.

ANNUAL POULTRY SHOW WILL BE BIGGER THAN EVER

Final Arrangements Were Completed Last Night—One of the Best Judges in the Province Will Judge Local Show Early Next Year

PRIZES TO BE SHOWN

A meeting of the Peterborough Poultry Association was held in the Labour Hall, George Street, last night, to make final arrangements for their coming winter show, January 9, 10, 11, 1917. There was a very large attendance. Letters were read from Miss Yates, who is going to give lectures and demonstrations on the first two days of the show. Miss Yates' equipment for demonstrating has already arrived. It is the same equipment that she used at the Winter Fair at Guelph, Dec. 1 to 8. One of the best judges in the Province, Mr. George Robertson, of Ottawa, is engaged to judge the show. Mr. Geo. Paxman was engaged to superintend the show as in former years. The manufacturers have been asked to assist the association, and a large number of cheques have already been received by the secretary. The enquiries for prize-lists have been greater than in former years, and the directors expect a larger show than ever. The silver cups and other special prizes will be on exhibition in one of the George Street store windows in a few days.

Death Shock To the Capital

Speaker Albert Sevigny May Succeed Postmaster-General Casgrain

Special to The Examiner.

OTTAWA, Dec. 29.—Speaker Albert Sevigny will likely be taken into the government to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Postmaster-General Casgrain.

Should Mr. Sevigny vacate the speakership the date of the opening of Parliament likely will be advanced one day, to January 17, as it is customary when a speaker is elected, for the House to meet on Wednesday.

The sudden death this morning of Hon. T. Chase Casgrain 65, Postmaster General of the Dominion came as a great shock to the capital. Death was due to an attack of pneumonia.

The cause of his illness was a cold which he contracted while on a visit to New York. Mr. Casgrain's last public speech was delivered at the National Service meeting at Quebec, when the Prime Minister spoke.

He was born in Detroit and was twice married, his second and surviving wife being Madame Rene Masson, of Paris, France. One son, a lawyer, resides in Winnipeg.

Premier Borden paid the highest tributes to the ability of his deceased colleague. He said his death was a distinct loss to the country.

New York Stock Market

New York Stocks

Atchison, 105 1-4, 106 and O., 85 1-2, 86; Erie, 35 1-2; Erie pfd., 48 1-4, 48 3-4; C. P. R. not listed; N. Y. C. 105 1-2; U. P., 146 1-4, 147 1-4; Reading, 105 1-2; Ammonia, 69 1-4, 71; Int. Nickel, 41, 41 1-4; U. S. Steel, 103 1-4, 105 1-4; Rep. Steel, 76, 76 1-2.

Canadian Stocks

Brompton, 76 1-4; Dom. Steel, 64 1-4, 65 1-4; Steel of Can., 64, 64 1-2; C. P. R., 166, 166 1-4; Cement, 62 1-4; Shawinigan, 126 1-4; N. S. Steel, 126; Can. Elec., 126 bid.

Markets closed 27th Thursday.

LAST CHANCE THIS YEAR

We have priced a number of extra special bargains in seasonable footwear for the last days' shopping in 1916. Every item means a big saving to the customer at—

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COLLEGE GIRLS' SHOES—Patents with kid or cloth tops, all gun metals, and some Sport Shoes, College heels, laced or buttoned. Worth $5.00. For Saturday selling 3.98, 2.98

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HAIL AND FAREWELL.

The loss Peterborough sustains in its highest professional, manhood and citizen interests in the departure of Mr. D. O'Connell from Peterborough, was strikingly emphasized at the splendid complimentary banquet tendered him at the Empress hotel last night. The character of the gathering in its widely representative nature, was a tribute in which any man could take pride, and the mood of praise given came from the hearts of those who had learned to know Mr. O'Connell from direct contact with him in the numerous activities of citizenship in which he has been engaged during the twenty years of his residence in Peterborough, and in extent to justify the idea that he had two professions, that of the law and that of good citizenship. As a professional man he has been, and is, primus inter pares; as a man and a citizen he has shown a public spirit of service which impelled him to an active, energetic and whole-hearted participation, when leadership did not anticipate it, in all public spheres of good work. The son of a soldier — an officer in the British army — he took, as we have recent and present evidence, an effective part in the promotion of Peterborough's share in waging the war. As a member of the Speakers' Patriotic League, he gave splendid service, making much sacrifice of time in placing his well known eloquence at the disposal. His deep interest in the Patriotic Fund activities contributed greatly to the success of the movement. In many other ways Mr. O'Connell has shown a patriotic spirit of cooperation and service expressed not merely in sentiment, but in action. His habitual attitude to every cause or matter that involved promotion of the welfare of the city and its citizens, was influenced by a broad spirit of tolerance and civic unity. In all relations of citizenship, which his large sense of responsibility made intimate, he filled his place with dignity and devotion, and it is the more pleasing to assert that Mr. O'Connell, the service he gave, the example he set, and the spirit he evinced, will be ranged as factors in promoting the highest interests of the community. A good citizen in the broadest sense, I bid to Peterborough Apostrophe

BUCKLING DOWN TO WORK.

On this page is printed to-day the appeal of Mr. J. D. Flavelle, chairman of the Imperial Munitions Board, urging a greater effort in the production of shells, etc., on the part of Canadian factories, and Canadian workmen. He sets forth the need of munitions. Without an adequate supply, the Canadian soldier cannot do his work—his best work. To a certain extent he exposes his life to danger fruitlessly, if he is not provided with abundance of munition. In the earlier stages of the war much heroic effort was wasted, much valuable life lost, by failure, resulting from lack of munitions, of boldly made attacks. There is nothing more vital than health and strength to the soldier than abundance of munitions, or more mortal than lack of munitions. Deficiency or shortage in one part of the line may cost many valuable lives, not to speak of the success of the enterprise of the moment. Is there a workman in Canada in any munition plant who would sleep soundly o' nights, or eat his food in comfort, if he thought that his neglect, or his taking a day off, resulted in the failure of the supply of munitions that was responsible for a single Canadian life on the battle field, or for even a smart wound?

Yet the saving of life and the winning of victory, is "up to" the munition workers. The appeal made in another column is to the munition workers to put their whole time and energy into the work. They are urged to forego holidays—to forego Saturday afternoon and New Year's Day, and keep pegging away. This is not much to ask, not much of a sacrifice, in view of the sacrifices our soldiers, their doctors and their nurses, are making every day of the year, and every hour of every day. Of course, one man working, or one man "laying off" at these times, wouldn't make much difference, but the hundreds of thousands of workers working these times or taking a holiday, would make a tremendous difference, and represent an output that might decide the issue of a critical engagement, and involve the saving of hundreds of lives or a similar loss.

Asking men and women to continue working these days is not asking very much, especially if we remember that the soldiers in whose interests the workers are asked to work, the soldiers who are fighting and working for the munition workers, and all of us, don't have any Saturday afternoons off—nor Sunday or other holidays. They are under the whip of duty, and may be called upon at any time of the day or night to use the munitions that are to be provided by workers in Canadian munition factories. Every worker, man or woman, is urged to consider the situation and invited to read the appeal of the Chairman of the Imperial Munition Board. Let every one think of the possible fate of a body of Canadian soldiers advancing forward to an attack, relying upon the protection of artillery fire to clear the front of attack, and finding at a critical moment that they are without artillery support through lack of shells—a lack that may be created by munition workers taking even a day off. By working these days the men and women in the factories will not only be earning their wages, but earning the gratitude of the fighting soldiers, the approval of all patriotic citizens, and the approval of their own conscience for the discharge of a solemn duty, and inevitable obligation.

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THE EMINENT NECESSITY FOR GOVERNMENT RECONSTRUCTION

The necessity for reconstruction of the Canadian Government is in the public mind, and cannot be put away. There is dissatisfaction with the Government. It is not a partisan dissatisfaction, not a desire for a change from the rule of one party to the rule of another. It is simply a desire for greater efficiency, greater energy, a more adequate expression and representation of the public desire that Canada shall increase its effort for the common cause.

The Prime Minister and his colleagues will not make any move toward *reconstruction*. The only important change is one forced upon them by the resignation of Sir Sam Hughes. The change made was the least possible change, following the line of least resistance. Mr. Kemp, who was already a member of the Government, was placed at the head of the Militia Department because he was already in the Government, and because his majority in East Toronto was so large that it was believed to be safe to open the constituency.

In these circumstances Parliament will soon be faced with the question of giving the Government an extention of time—for that is what an extension of the life of Parliament means. There is in favour of the proposal, a general dislike of a general election. It is felt that a campaign at this juncture would waste time and energy that ought to be devoted to the common cause, that it would renew and aggravate partisan bitterness, that the conflict would be bad-tempered and violent.

Against the proposal is the obstinate or indolent refusal of the Government to reform itself. It will not allow any infusion of new blood. It will not associate with itself either leading members of the opposite party, or business men who are not active in politics on either side. It asks for a renewal of confidence in men who, as a whole, do not enjoy the confidence of the country and in methods which do not satisfy the country. It asks for the approval of the Government's refusal to reform and reconstruct. This is what the country is unwilling to give.

What is the alternative? A general election, followed by the return either of the present Government, or another party Government of the ordinary kind, would not satisfy the public demand. The country wants a change but not merely a party change. It would require of the leader of the Liberal party that he shall do what Sir Robert Borden refuses to do — form a National Government without regard to party—a Government composed of men who, whether they are now in public life or not, will put party politics in the background and give their hearts and minds solely to the task which now lies before the country. It wants men of energy and organizing ability, men of affairs. It wants also men who command the esteem and affection of all elements of the community, and whose voices will be potent to rally them to the common cause. More than enthusiasm is needed, yet enthusiasm is an asset that must not be ignored.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier would unquestionably be more useful to the country in a Government than in Opposition. The Opposition, whatever its good will, can only assent to what the Government does or criticise. An appeal, for instance, from Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Leader of the Opposition, to Quebec, carries less weight than an appeal from Sir Wilfrid Laurier as head of a Government, or even as a leading member of a Government. For the sake of Quebec itself, as well as for the sake of the common cause, it is earnestly to be desired that Quebec shall do more more than it is doing. With that end in view, a National Government should contain the strongest men in Quebec, the men with the strongest hold on the French-Canadian heart.

No man could arouse Quebec as Sir Wilfrid Laurier could do, but to exercise his full influence he must not be an outsider. He must be a part of the governing body which is making the appeal and organizing the resources and forces of the country.

The same is true of every Province, of every element of the community, of both political ties. A National Government must be one which by its personality appeals to all. Gifts of oratory, power to win affection and thusiasm is needed, yet enthusiasm is tions. The party organizations should be not merely dormant during the war, they should be imbued with far more than their normal enthusiasm; they should show far more than their normal energy and efficiency; but they should work as allies, giving to the National Government a support far stronger than they would give to a party Government.

But the National Government should not only be popular, should not only command public enthusiasm. It should be efficient, every department that is essential to the carrying on of the war headed by a man of energy and organising skill, an alert man of affairs. If the right man, the best man for Minister of Militia, is one who has never been a figure in political life, he should nevertheless be chosen.

We do not care what the Government is called, Conservative or Liberal or Coalition, so long as it fulfils these conditions. We do not care who is at the head of it, so long as he can bring together the needful combination of popular support and efficiency. The country is craving to be led. It will respond to the right leadership. — Toronto Star.

A CORRECTION

Respecting Mr. W. H. Taylor, Candidate For No. 1 Ward

Mr. W. H. Taylor, who is opposing Ald. Edgar for aldermanic honours in Ward No. One, has requested the Examiner to state that he has no business connection whatever with the Davis-Thompson insurance agency, as stated in last evening's issue. Mr. Taylor controls an insurance agency strictly his own, and is no way identified with any other in the city. He wishes to make his position quite clear to the electors.

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Yours truly,
J. D. FLAVELLE,
Chairman

Food Situation Is Serious

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Dec. 29 — Semi-official news from Germany states that the food situation in the Central Empires, especially Austria, is very desperate.

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CLAIMS TO HAVE EARNED RE-ELECTION

Ald. Edgar Feels That Propositions He Has Supported Were For the Public Good

In his card to the electors, Alderman Edgar outlines some of the work he has accomplished and supported in the Council.

He has a record of never having missed a single meeting either Committee or Council. He claims the whole credit of the taking hold of the proposed foot-bridge over the Otonabee at the C.P.R., benefitting the East and South Wards, and the city generally.

He has strongly supported and advocated the placing of the Fire Department in a better position so far as equipment is concerned.

He supported the retention of the Bank of Montreal as the Bankers to handle the city's finances.

His sanitary plumbing scheme has been endorsed by the Public Utilities Commission.

This above are a few of the questions that Alderman Edgar has supported, and together with his policy of serving the masses rather than the individual, without, distinction, he lays claim to support and re-election.

W. H. TAYLOR.

PUT NEW BLOOD IN THE COUNCIL

TAYLOR

Speaks to the Electors of Ward No. One

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Having been nominated as a candidate for Alderman for Ward No. 1, I respectfully solicit your vote and influence to secure my election.

Now that the Street Railway is owned by the Provincial Government there is no reason why this Railway should not be extended, without any expense to the ratepayers, to furnish better accommodation for the ratepayers residing in different parts of Ward No. 1, and if elected I shall use my best endeavours to secure such improved Street Railway accommodation.

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If I am elected I pledge myself to actively assist in seeing that this great public utility is used to the best advantage of our City.

Yours respectfully,
W. H. TAYLOR.

To the Electors of North Monaghan

Ladies and Gentlemen:—I have been asked to stand for re-election as Reeve for your township. During the time I have occupied the Reeve's chair I have endeavoured to give the township the very best service I could.

If you see fit to re-elect me, I will continue to have before me always the interests of North Monaghan and its ratepayers.

Wishing you all a Happy New Year, I am,

Yours faithfully,
JOHN McINTOSH

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His Record as Councillor for the past two years is before the people.

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BOARD of EDUCATION

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In offering myself as candidate for a position on this board, I do so realizing that only a man's best service will meet the growing need for practical business methods in this most important branch of the City's business. My record as a business man for the last fourteen years and a lifelong resident in Peterborough, residing in East City for twenty-five years, is well known to a large number of our citizens, and I trust is sufficient evidence of my ability to warrant your support in my present candidature.

Should I be elected, I promise to weigh most carefully all matters involving expenditure of the City's finances, and to countenance only strictly business methods in undertaking any work being handled by this Board.

Soliciting the support of every progressive voter, I am,

Yours for progress,

A. A. FOWLER

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For the Board of Education

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December 27th, 1916.

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Chairman.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

Ladies and Gentlemen: I have been again nominated as a candidate for the Board of Education, and if my services in the past have been satisfactory to you, and it is your desire that I represent you for another two year term, I will deem it a pleasure to give you my very best service on the Board. Wishing you the compliments of the season, I am,

Yours faithfully,
B. F. ACKERMAN

VOTE FOR EDGAR

AND PROGRESS IN THE SOUTH WARD

Board of Education

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

Ladies and Gentlemen,—I have been again requested to allow my name to go before you as a candidate for your Public School Board.

As a member of the Board I have endeavored to give it my best services and if my work has been satisfactory and you desire me to act as one of your representatives for a further term, I will be very pleased to give you my best effort.

With best wishes for a Happy New Year.

Yours faithfully,
Roland Denne

A Vote For F. W. DOAN

Board Of Education

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THE TOAST LIST.

The toast to the King was proposed by His Honour Judge Hayeke, who

hour, and the need of united effort if the world war is to be brought to a successful and speedy conclusion.

Lt.-Colonel Charles Ackerman, officer commanding the 247th Batt., in replying said that everyone must be up and doing in this crucial period when the Empire is fighting for liberties, such as our forefathers fought for.

"Canada," was the next on the toast list. This was replied to by Mr. James Kendry, ex-M.P., and Mr. R. R. Hall, ex-M.P.. "We have a great deal to be thankful for," said Mr. Kendry. "Take our resources, as represented by our men, money and munitions. All these have been committed to the cause of the Empire, and we are proud of our efforts."

CONCEITED ACTION.

Mr. R. R. Hall, characterised the large gathering as a splendid expression of confidence and esteem towards Mr. O'Connell, the guest of the evening. He concurred in the remarks of Lt.-Col. Ackerman, who said this is a critical hour for the Empire, and the greatest need is unity of purpose and concerted action on the part of all. The same unity of purpose that characterises the city of Peterboro might well be copied elsewhere, said Mr. Hall. "We are fighting for our very existence. If Great Britain goes down in the struggle we go down with her."

"OUR GUEST."

In proposing the toast to "Our Guest," His Honour Judge Hayeke re-echoed the words of Mr. Hall respecting the representative nature of the meeting and the measure of confidence and esteem it implied. "We are here to-night with one object in view, and that is to render respect to the parting guest," said His Honour. All creeds and politics are represented here to-night, and for the time being are submerged. "I am struck by some of the contrasts that are apparent here to-night. I look over to my left and see Father Phelan, and shall I say, 'Father' Peever, sitting side by side, 'cheek by jowl.' Perhaps it will do them both good." (Applause.) Continuing, His Honour said: "It is with regret that I am called upon to record the departure from our midst of Mr. D. O'Connell. In Mr. O'Connell we have a gentleman who is not only a leader of the bar in Peterborough, but also in the province of Ontario. In the courts of this community Mr. O'Connell has presented arguments that would do credit to any leader of the bar anywhere. In a word to the younger members of the bar I would say that when they look at Mr. O'Connell and admire his successes and try to emulate them, they should remember that this success is not due so much to any particular accomplishment that Mr. O'Connell may have, as it is to his unswerving industry. When Mr. O'Connell takes charge of a case, he spares neither time nor effort to bring it to a successful issue. Too many of the younger lawyers when they get a case seem inclined to trust Providence or the judge. What is Peterboro's loss is Toronto's gain. I have none but the kindliest feelings for Mr. O'Connell and I believe great things are in store for him in Toronto. Our thoughts, hopes and best wishes will go with him and his better half—his very much better half—and dear children," said His Honour in conclusion.

MR. O'CONNELL

Upon rising to speak, Mr. O'Connell was asked by Police Magistrate Dumble, to move up to the centre of the banquet hall where he could be better seen and heard. Mr. O'Connell acquiesced, and was led by Mr. Dumble to the spot selected.

"That's not the first time I have obeyed a mandate from that court!" said Mr. O'Connell. Those who laughed the loudest at this remark recalled the occasion when Mr. O'Connell spent a few minutes in confinement at the police station on the authority of Magistrate Dumble for what the latter designated as contempt of court. Mr. O'Connell made a happy reference to this incident during the course of his remarks.

"If I possess the wonderful qualities which I have heard mentioned here to-night, why Peterboro is no place for me!" jocularly remarked Mr. O'Connell. "I should not tarry any longer," he added.

Mr. O'Connell told a story concerning the fateful election of 1911, when an admirer of the late Hon. J. R. Stratton, hearing of the result of the election in Peterboro, said, "Mary, pack up. I would not stay in a town that would be so unmindful of its own interests as to fail to return Mr. Stratton to office." Hearing later of the results from other parts of the province and of the defeat of many well known supporters of the Laurier Government, the man returned to Mary, and said, "You needn't mind packing up; there is no place to go!" "I am not in that position," said Mr. O'Connell. "I have selected a place to go."

HERE TWENTY YEARS.

"It is about twenty years since I came to Peterborough which at that time was credited with a population of about eleven thousand people. It was not the flourishing city that it is to-day. With characteristic enterprise becoming the many sterling qualities of the people of this community, the city has advanced to its present substantial proportions. I have endeavored to keep apace and in doing so have been thrown into contact with nearly all the business men of the community. With me it was like coming into the city at the very budding period of one's life. It was just at a time when all must lay a foundation that at some time in after life will be of some concern to him. All this I must leave behind. As to my associates there is nothing that I could say that would be too good for them. In my twenty years association with the local legal profession I must say that of all the good qualities possessed by the gentlemen with whom I have come in contact, their deep sense of ethics, honour and duty, is one of the greatest.

THE JUDICIARY.

Mr. O'Connell paid an eloquent tribute to the judiciary. "In the loss of the late Judge Weller, whom we all esteemed, we were more fortunate than many communities in that he was succeeded by a gentleman who is painstaking, conscientious and equitable. Peterborough City and County is as free from crime as any district in Canada. This in a large measure is due to the efficient administration."

Mr. O'Connell also referred to the excellent service rendered to the community by Chief of Police Thompson.

In conclusion Mr. O'Connell reviewed some of the outstanding incidents concerning the world conflict and the manner in which the citizens of Peterborough had responded to the cause with both men and money. "We have seen many of the smaller countries of the earth devastated, but we must fight on until we secure a lasting peace," said the speaker amid cheers.

OUR MUNICIPAL INSTITUTIONS.

In proposing the toast of "Our Municipal Institutions," Mr. G. A. Gillespie, M.P.P., remarked that in looking back over the past twenty years and considering the succession of Councils, the city must feel proud of their record and of the work they accomplished. The present Mayor and Council, and the Utilities Commission were maintaining this quality of work and to the members of these public bodies Mr. Gillespie proposed the toast.

In replying for the City Council, Mayor Duffus recalled his fourteen years since he had moved into Peterborough from a nearby township. Referring to his recent re-election by acclamation he wished to take advantage of the opportunity of expressing his heartfelt thanks for the honour thus conferred, and especially for the manner in which the citizens had during the past six days expressed their approval of his return. The Mayor said he felt he had the support of the citizens and that it would be accorded to him during the next twelve months. He had tried to fill the position in a businesslike manner, and would endeavour to carry out the work of the new year in a better manner.

"I ask you men here to-night to give the Council every support in carrying out the business of the city, and in our efforts to make Peterborough even a better place to live in."

Mayor Duffus said he could not sufficiently acknowledge the support the Utilities Commission had rendered the Council, and the work it was doing for the city. He also referred to the Police Commission, the Board of Education and Public Library Board as efficient municipal bodies. Peterborough was perhaps the only city in Canada that had a City Trust Commission whose duty was to see that the city's money was handled to the best advantage and that the finances be safeguarded.

Mr. O'Connell, Mayor Duffus continued, had been a member of the City Council. On many occasions he had otherwise given his assistance and had materially helped to carry out various public undertakings.

It was difficult to see where another man would be obtained to fill Mr. O'Connell's position with the efficiency he had displayed. It was regrettable that the city could not retain a man of his capabilities, and if some other prominent citizens should follow the same inclination the city would soon feel their loss.

Mayor Duffus said he felt he was voicing the sentiments of the citizens in wishing Mr. O'Connell every success and happiness in Toronto.

MR. T. F. MATTHEWS.

Mr. T. F. Matthews replied for the Utilities Commission of which he is chairman. He acknowledged the honour of responding to this toast and thanked Mr. O'Connell for his kind references to the members of the Patriotic Association, "and especially to our boys whom we sent, some of whom will not come back."

Mr. Matthews said he felt himself a patriarch when he heard others tell of their residences of fifteen and twenty years in the city, for he had come to Peterborough thirty years ago when the population was only 6,000.

"I looked with a great deal of pride at the city's growth," Mr. Matthews continued, and briefly sketched the career of the Utilities Commission. In 1908 the Water Commission was formed when the city took over the water works. It was composed of two elected members with the Mayor, Mr. T. H. G. Denne, who looked after the city's interests so well was Mayor when the works were purchased. At the end of the first year the Commission was entirely divorced from the Council. Mr. Denne was a member for one year and was followed by Mr. W. H. Moore, who has remained with the Commission up to the present. The third member was Mr. W. H. Hill, who retired in 1913 and whose place was taken by Mr. Robert Hicks. For fifteen years Mr. Matthews said he has had the honour of being chairman of the Commission. No piece of business was passed without the unanimous assent of the three members, for it was felt that there should be no action unless all three commissioners agreed. The work had been planned and carried out for a population of 50,000.

"I know the work of the Commission has met with your approval, otherwise you would have put others in our place. We have seen Councils come and go and have always been treated courteously by them. I know of no town where politics is left out of municipal affairs as in Peterborough. I feel that the public bodies have striven only for the best interests of the city."

Mr. Matthews said he expressed the regret of the Utilities Commission at the departure of Mr. O'Connell. The city could ill afford to lose such a man as he. Agreeing with Mayor Duffus, Mr. Matthews said he wished some means could be devised to retain men of the character and ability of Mr. O'Connell, and hoped that when Peterborough's population attains 50,000 the city will command the service of such men. Mr. Matthews concluded by expressing the wish that Mr. O'Connell would prosper and be happy in Toronto.

"THE LEARNED PROFESSIONS"

Ald. F. H. Dobbin proposed this toast and referring to the guest said: "We look on Mr. O'Connell as an able jurist and successful barrister, but we like to think of him as the helpful citizen. The helpful citizen is not he who comes in, follows his profession and remains self-centred classed in the Bible as a sojourner, one who proposes to stay and live, but he is the citizen who works for the public good. The really successful community is that which pos-

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HERE IS SOME VERY INTERESTING INFORMATION

W. H. Taylor, Candidate in the South Ward, Calls Attention to Two Important Matters

In a card to the electors to-day Mr. Taylor feels that the Provincial Government should be urged to give the city the Street Railway extensions that the growth of the city demands at the present time. There is no doubt but that extensions are much required in the East Ward, and the South Ward, and the completion of the Charlotte St. line would be an advantage to those in that district.

He also brings out the fact that there is a surplus of 2,500 horse-power in the city that is not being utilized. In face of the shortage of power in other localities the pointing out of the fact that Peterborough has the surplus it has, should be taken hold of and the most made out of it.

Mr. Taylor has brought out two quite important questions as a result of his candidature for election as alderman of the South Ward.

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Voice of The People

Correspondence under this heading, containing or involving attacks on individuals or violent or extreme statements, must to secure insertion, be signed with writer's real name, the owner of which thus assumes the responsibility.

Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir,—I notice that in the list of fire alarm boxes you published yesterday, a box is placed at the corner of Charlotte and St. Joseph's street. There is no box there. The nearest to that point is one at the corner of St. Joseph and Gilmour streets. I hope the rest of the list is more reliable.

Yours truly,
CHARLOTTE STREET.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

Dear Sir,—I would be much obliged if you would print this letter in your paper. I was notified on Tuesday night of this week by a police constable to appear at the Police Court on Thursday morning in connection with a charge laid against my two boys, one aged eleven and the other seven years of age. The charge was of breaking windows in the old Baptist Church, situated on Murray Street, which has been unused for a considerable time, and for which offence, in both cases, a fine of five dollars was imposed. Now, the question is, how am I going to pay these fines? A question I cannot answer myself. I told the Chief of Police that I couldn't possibly pay, to which he answered if I didn't I would be arrested. Now, there are two or three ways in which I might pay this fine. One would be to deprive myself and children of food and necessities of life. Another, to run myself into debt, and in the case of the little boy, who has a bank account of five dollars, saved by himself over a considerable length of time, cent by cent, and of which I am as proud of as the little fellow himself. And to take it to pay this fine would be to nip in the bud a habit which I am all the time trying to instil in his little mind, in the hope of making him a thrifty and worthy subject of this country.

Now, as I have neither the heart nor the mind to do any of these things above mentioned, I suppose the only alternative is to submit myself to arrest, which I will readily do for my children. Only for one thing, and that is if I am arrested and I suppose under the heading of arrested in default of payment, it means imprisonment. Who is to look after my family? I suppose as I am a poor woman, poor in worldly goods, but not in spirit, my family of four children might help themselves as best they could while I myself served a term in the castle on the hill, in default of paying a fine which, as was stated in your paper, was to be used to put in new windows in unused property, but which would still accept money, the taking of which really means the bread out of children's mouths. Now I am not trying to condone the offence for which my children are prosecuted, but I think it is a cruel injustice to impose a fine of that amount upon a woman who has to subsist on the small pay which a soldier's wife receives. I try to raise all my children to respect both people and property, but, as all parents know, when a boy reaches the age of my eldest son, it is hard for a mother to make him mind what she says without the help which a husband can give her, and I certainly do all in my power to make him a good boy. Now I leave it to the people of Peterborough to judge whether I have received justice or not. I don't wish people to think I am writing asking for charity. I am not, as I am not that kind, but am smarting under what I consider an injustice, as these windows have been broken, or most of them, for a year at least to my own knowledge, as I had seen them as I passed along the street. Why was action not taken before they had got to the present stage? I hope I have not imposed too much upon space in your esteemed paper, but I will certainly feel it a favour if you will give my grievance publicity.

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Bal. in treasury Aug. 2	86 04
Sept. coll. and tea	5 43
Oct. coll. (no tea)	2 40
Nov. coll. (and tea)	5 50
Red Cross bag rents	25 50
Dec. coll	75
Remnants and rags	1 15
Red Cross Bags Rents	27 50
	971 26
EXPENSES	
Sept., Crossman, cotton	9 3 15
Sept., Knox, buttons	25
Sept., Knox, buttons	85
Nov. 29, Foster, express	15
Dec. 4, Red Cross, wool	7 50
Dec. 4, Dickson's, thread	20
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One of Them Was Small Boy Whom He Promised to Pay For Driving Cattle and Failed to Do So

HIDES AGAIN DRAGGED FORTH

Electing to be tried summarily, Clarence Sampson of Dummer, appeared before Magistrate Langley this morning in the city police court room on a charge of cattle stealing. He is defended by Mr. E. Gus Porter, K.C., of Belleville, and Crown Attorney Hatton is conducting the prosecution. It is likely that the case will extend into an evening session, and a considerable part of the evidence is similar to that upon which the Hill brothers were convicted upon similar charges. Witnesses were present this morning from far and near, some coming from London, Ont., and others from St. Catherines, Toronto, Campbellford and Dummer. Mr. Arthur E. Carveth was first called, but did not reach the city until after ten o'clock, having been detained by snow drifts along the way.

He told of the disappearance of two of his cattle from a herd of nine in pasture in Dummer and of later identifying their hides in Hyman's tannery, London, Ont. Witness went there with Inspector Boyd, of Toronto, and Mr. Stuart Clysdale, of Dummer, who had also lost some cattle. Carveth said he had a custom of marking each cattle by punching a hole in one ear with a gunwad machine.

"Could you identify those hides now?" asked Crown Attorney Hatton, once more providing the familiar cue for the introduction of five or six coarse worn hides that have been the particular bane of County Constable Moore's affairs since late in the past summer when they were returned from the London tannery. In preliminary and later hearings in the Hill trials the hides have been unpacked, dragged around in their weight of salt, repacked and otherwise exposed to the rarified court atmosphere to which they quickly added an odour that to say the least was high. And these hides were and are getting greasy and heavy. Both county and city policemen have sniffed them in a manner that conveyed a wish that they were far away in a high flavoured tannery or out on the Dummer hills. Thus the court stage hands trotted out the hides again, dumped them from burlap bags and once more exposed them to the court, piled as on a tannery floor.

Mr. Carveth said he identified two of them and maintained his position in the face of a searching cross-examination by Mr. Porter.

Mr. "Brown" Appears.

Richard McKelvie, living near Campbellford, recalled purchasing nine head of cattle on Oct. 4 A Mr. Brown drove to McKelvie's farm and asked him to go to see some cattle. He said his name was Brown. McKelvie, Brown and Hector McArthur drove back in McKelvie's automobile to Mr. Collins' farm near Trent Bridge. McKelvie bought the cattle, paying $2 there, and the balance in Campbellford. Brown said he was not known in town and requested to be paid in cash. McKelvie paid him at the post office.

Witness said he had no hesitation in identifying the prisoner Sampson as the man Brown who had sold him the cattle.

Mr. Hatton inquired about a telephone message McKelvie received at noon on that day. Mr. Porter objected to any question beyond the mere fact of the telephonic message.

Well did you hear what was said on the 'phone?

Yes.

Who was asked for?

"I object to that," said Mr. Porter. "It's a leading question and not evidence."

Mr. Hatton—What did you say to the prisoner after getting the message?

McKelvie—I'm not positive whether I said anything or not.

Witness said he remembered the message, he believed he had conveyed it to Sampson, but was not sure what he had told him. And this lapse slightly riled the Crown Attorney.

To Mr. Porter, witness said he had made mistakes of identity in the past. Referring to the prisoner, he stated that Brown did not have a mourtache. Sampson affects one. McKelvie said that he felt positive that Sampson and Brown were one and the same person, but added under Mr. Porter's pressure that there was the possibility of being mistaken.

A week ago McKelvie said he went to the jail with several police officers but couldn't identify him in the cell. Yesterday he saw him on Water street in charge of a jail official who was taking Sampson out for an exercising walk. Witness said he had been informed that the prisoner would be taken down Water street. He posted himself at the market scales, and observing him, was sure of his identity.

Mr. Porter asked if it were a fact that witness had seen the prisoner four times and only identified him now. McKelvie replied that he was sure of Sampson the second time he saw him and that conviction had grown since that time.

To Mr. Hatton he stated that the time he had seen Sampson after his arrest was a week ago in the cell, where the lighting was not satisfactory.

A Bright Boy.

Hector McArthur of Campbellford, aged 11, was next called and stated that in October he drove cattle for Mr. McKelvie and for Mr. Brown. The latter promised him 50 cents for driving the cattle in from Trent Bridge. On the way the boy got a pain in the side and completed the trip in McKelvie's car. After dinner he went back, met Brown and drove the cattle to McKelvie's. Brown sent the boy home to get a dollar changed to pay him. The youngster ultimately did not get the 50 cents. Brown wore overalls, had a red handkerchief about his neck, and wore a cap. He saw him again a week ago in the lavatory of the police court, where Brown was washing. He had a moustache that he didn't have at Campbellford. Hector said he was sure Sampson was Brown.

"Brown was a pretty mean man for not paying you?" observed Mr. Porter.

"He was," replied the boy who admitted that it was a good chance to get even.

Hector said that Brown not only lied in conspicuously but carried his head bent down and to one side. He added that he particularly remember Brown "because he didn't pay me."

ALD. JOHN EDGAR, one of the South Ward representatives in the City Council, who is seeking re-election.

ILLEGAL MANUFACTURING

U. S. Food and Coal Price Probers Uncover Leads

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Federal food and coal price probers have uncovered leads which indicate illegal manipulating, George W. Anderson, Special Assistant Attorney-General, announced this afternoon, after a meeting of the District Attorneys from Northern and Central Atlantic States. "We have discovered that dealers in some instances are making as high as $150 profit on each carload of coal," he said.

Need Assistance

Mr. C. A. G. Spence has discovered in the course of his work a family that not only were without Christmas comfort, but in a condition that calls for the assistance of the charitably inclined. They need clothing and bedding, and are a deserving case. Those who desire to help them to begin the New Year more comfortably may obtain the family's address at the Examiner Office.

MR. F. W. DOAN, of the Bell Telephone Company, one of the new candidates for the Board of Education.

"It's Confidence That Does It"

To Welcome 1917

During the coming year we are going to continue the same good policy in our store that has gained for us so large a portion of the trade of this City and District. Our New Year's resolution is to please you.

To keep the home table tempting we have all the good family groceries you need. Also—

Seedless Oranges at 20c, 30c, 40c, and 50c dozen

2 doz. of the 20c Oranges for 35c

Grape Fruit 5c, 4 for 25c

Spanish Grapes at 20c and 25c lb.

Apples—Spies, Bellflowers, McIntoshes, etc.

Cranberries 2 qts for 25c

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New Figs and Dates

All kinds of Fresh Nuts

Delicious Cheese

Olives and Pickles

Wholesome Sweetmeats

Scotch Bread in 15c Pkgs

P. & P. Ditto in 30c tin boxes

Christmas Plum Pudding

If you cannot come, telephone 208

Happy New Year To All

Porter S. White

334 George Street

IF You have received any Xmas Gifts that were purchased here, which do not please you in any way, please call and exchange them.

IF You have forgotten some friend at Christmas and you wish to remember him at New Year, we offer you from one of the choicest Stocks in Peterboro, ***Underwear Suits, Overcoats Shirts, Ties & Collars, Gloves & Mitts, Silk Squares, Knitted Scarfs, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, Suspenders, Arm Bands Garters, Umbrellas, Night Robes and Pyjamas, Coat Sweaters & Sweaters,&c***

IF You are in want of any of the above listed articles, underline Pyjamas and bring your list to this Store, look over the article you are seeking and if its just what you want you will find the price just to your liking. Come and Investigate

We desire at this time to thank the public for a generous patronage throughout the year 1916, and we hope to merit more business during 1917.

H. LeBRUN & CO.

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Sunday School Lesson Questions

December 31, 1916.

Review: Christ's Coming, and Coming to Christ. Reading lesson only, Rev. 22:8-14, 16-21.

Golden Text: The Spirit and the bride say come. And he that heareth let him say, Come. And he that is athrist let him come; he that will let him take the water of life freely. Rev. 22:17.

The questions for this week may be used as an original lesson or as a review of the 13 preceding weekly lessons. The date and the title of each lesson, where found, Golden Text, and one question from each lesson follow during the present week.

Oct. 1.—A Plot that failed. Acts 23. Golden Text: They shall fight against thee, but shall not prevail against thee; for I am with thee, saith Jehovah, to deliver thee. Jer. 1:19.

1. Verse 11. What reason is there to believe that God always times his visits to us when we need him the most?

Oct. 8. Paul before Felix. Acts 24. Golden Text: Herein I also exercise myself to have a conscience void of offense toward God and man always. Acts 24:16.

2. Verse 1-9. If a rich unscrupulous man has a law suit against a well known good man, why should a Christian lawyer not accept the case for the prosecution?

15. The appeal to Caesar. Acts 25. Golden text: It is enough for the disciple that he be as his teacher, and the servant as his lord. Matt. 10:25.

3. Verses 1-5. Which and why, according to history, have been the vilest liars and all round knaves, High Priests with out religion, or politicians without moral principle?

Oct. 22. Paul's defense before Agrippa, Acts 26. Golden Text: I was not disobedient unto the heavenly vision Acts 26:19.

4. Verses 1-3. What is the advantage of freedom of speech and of the press in a free country?

Oct. 29. The Voyage. Acts 27:1-38 Golden Text: Commit thy way unto Jehovah; trust also in him, and he will bring it to pass. Ps. 37:5.

5. Verses 12, 13. What special danger are we in when the south wind blows softly, and we are inclined to go with it, and against our inward convictions? (This is one of the questions which may be answered in writing, by the members of the Club.)

Nov. 5. Shipwrecked at Melita. Acts 27:38-28:10. Golden Text: Jehovah redeemeth the soul of his servants and none of those that take refuge in him shall be condemned. Ps. 34:22.

6. Verses 38, 39. When facing a great disaster there are at least two things we can do: wring our hands and bemoan our fate, or be cheerful and work hard to save the ship; what can you say on the merits of either.

Nov. 12. World's Temperance Sunday. Rom. 14:13-15:2. Golden Text: It is good not to eat flesh nor to drink wine nor to do anything whereby thy brother stumbleth. Rom. 14:21.

7. Verse 13. If a good man smokes, and a boy begins to smoke from his example, and the habit leads to bad company, and that leads to drinking, to what extent is the good man responsible?

Nov. 19. From Melita to Rome. Acts 28:11-31. Golden Text: I am not ashamed of the Gospel: for it is the power of God unto salvation to everyone that believeth. Romans 1:16.

8. Verses 17-20. Before Paul's conversion he "breathed out threatenings and slaughter" against the Christians—how is it that he speaks so gently now of those who were his mortal enemies?

Nov. 26. A Living Sacrifice. Rom. 12. Golden Text: Present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your spiritual service. Romans 12:1.

9. Verse 1. What good reasons are there that a man should bind himself forever to the service of God?

Dec. 3. Jesus Christ, the First and the Last. Rev. 1. Golden Text: Fear not, I am the first and the last, and the living one: and I was dead, and behold I am alive for evermore. Rev. 1:17, 18.

10. Verses 7, 8. What do your consider will be some of the scenes on the judgment day?

Dec. 10. Faithful unto death. Rev. 2:1-17. Golden Text. Be thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee the crown of life. Rev. 2:10.

11. Verse 8. What actual or experimental knowledge has a true Christian that Christ is now alive?

Dec. 17. The Holy City. Rev. 21:1-4 9-11, 22-27; 22:1-5. Golden Text: Behold the tabernacle of God is with men and he shall dwell with them and they shall be his peoples. Rev. 21:3.

12. Verse 1. If the present earth should be burned up what improvements would you suggest if a new one were contemplated?

Dec. 24. Christmas Lesson: Unto us a Child is given. Isa. 9:2-7. Golden Text: For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given: and the government shall be upon his shoulder, and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Isa. 9:6.

13. Verse 7. When will the day come when Jesus will reign and rule over the whole world?

Lesson for Sunday, Jan. 7th, 1917. Jesus the Light and the Life of Men. John 1:1-18.

Here's Wishing You A Happy New Year

FEINBERGS'

YOUR SHOEMEN

We take this opportunity of conveying our hearty thanks to all our customers for their very generous patronage during 1916 and bespeak a continuance of your patronage during 1917.

In these days of the high cost of living, and when the price of leather is so high, it will be found good wisdom to buy all your footwear at our Stores, where the expenses are so light we can afford to sell so much closer. This is a boon to all the people

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THE WORLD OF SPORT

SERGT. "AJAX" OF THE 247th, HOCKEY TRAINER AND WEIGHT LIFTER

This is Sergt. William Lane, of the 247th Battalion, better known to vaudeville fans throughout the continent as "Ajax," the professional strong man. Sergt. Lane came to Peterborough several weeks ago to fill a vaudeville engagement, and now is filling the King's uniform in the Canadian Expeditionary Force. A glance over the accompanying picture will show that it is well filled. Sergt. Lane toys with heavy dumb bells as if they were toy balloons, and thinks nothing of lifting 200 lb. men over his head with one hand. When he gets to the front the Huns will have to keep an eye on Ajax or he will be walking away with a 42 centimetre gun under his arm. Sergt. Lane has been installed as trainer of the 247th hockey team in the intermediate series of the O.H.A., a position he is looking after to perfection. He knows how to put an athlete in shape, and besides, is as cheerful as he is strong. He is a big favourite with the players, and will be with the fans as soon as they get a chance to know him. Ajax is a decided acquisition to the ranks of Lt.-Col. Ackerman's battalion.

SERGT. WM. LANE.

LINDSAY TO RUN SPECIAL TRAIN FOR GAME ON TUESDAY

The trip of the 247th Battalion Intermediates to Parry Sound for an exhibition game to-night should round out their training and leave them in good shape for the opening O.H.A. game of the season on Tuesday night next, when Captain Simpson's Lindsay Intermediates will visit Brock Street Rink. Prospects are bright for an old-time battle. The Lindsay team are running a special train here for the game, and will bring down a couple of hundred supporters to cheer them on. It is likely that the band of the 93rd Battalion, which is now attached to the 247th, will be on hand to supply music before the game and between periods. A big crowd is expected for the season's opening O.H.A. fixture.

INTER-CLASS ATHLETIC MEET AN ATTRACTION AT THE "Y" ON NEW YEAR'S

On New Year's afternoon an inter-class athletic meet will be held between the Junior Collegiate class and the Senior Employed Boys in the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium. The events will be 50 and 100 yards, potato races, high and broad jump, fence vault and 8 lb. shot put. Every boy in these two classes may enter, and a prize will be given to the all-round winner. The first five scores of each team in each event will be counted, and all who qualify by securing a place amongst the first five in any event, on the winning team will receive a Y.M.C.A. pin. This event is causing great interest among the boys and the competition between the two groups is sure to be very keen. J. Thirtbeck is in charge of the Collegiate boys, and H. Copp is looking after the Employed boy athletes.

The first event will be run off at 2.30.

HOCKEY GOSSIP

The 247th team left on the 9.15 C.P.R. train this morning for Parry Sound, where they will play an exhibition game with the team of that town to-night. The game was hurriedly arranged yesterday. Parry Sound wanted a game for Moday night, but in view of the soldiers' battle with Lindsay on Tuesday night this was impossible and to-night was decided on instead. The game should put the 247th in good shape for the Lindsay game.

Bride and Keats, the two 228th Battalion soldiers, who are playing with the Toronto team in the N.H.A., were out for a short time with the 247th Battalion Intermediates at Brock street rink last night. They were feeling the effects of the battle at Montreal the night before and did not loosen up much.

This year's Peterborough Junior O.H.A. team is about as genuine a home-brew aggregation as can be found in the O.H.A. Of the ten regulars in the squad, seven have lived practically all their lives in Peterborough. Of the other three, Graham was born in Lakefield and McFee in South Monaghan. Park, the other youngster in the squad, has lived here seven years. The average age of the bunch is under eighteen years.

The Peterborough juniors will practice at Brock street rink to-night at 7 o'clock. All the regulars are expected out sharp on time. There will likely be a practice game New Year's morning with the 247th team.

Fans are advised to keep January 9th open. This is the date of the first junior game, with Bowmanville as the attraction. The Lake Shore bunch have not been seen in action in Peterborough for some time.

BOWLING

There was great excitement at Water street alleys last night when the Retail Grocers and Wholesale Grocers rolled the second match. The Retailers won out in the three games by 105 pins. Routley, for the Retailers, was high count with 468. Fitzpatrick for the Wholesalers with a 511 count.

Retail Grocers—			
Heard	156	136	173
Nichols	148	134	116
Routley	175	163	130
Gillespie	178	124	153
Stewart	146	129	132
	803	686	734

Total—2,222.

Wholesale Grocers—			
Outram	167	130	106
Nodall	169	128	106
Boyd	128	158	127
Fitzpatrick	179	183	169
Rose	168	130	147
	749	710	655

Total—1,114.

Curling Ice Good

All seven ices at the curling rink are in good condition for the annual New Year's competition and already a number of scratch games have been played.

Last night the Club appointed R. M. Waddell and J. E. A. Fitzgerald as the Tankard skips, and Alex. C. Kay and W. D. Campbell are the skips for the District Cup games.

BANQUET TENDERED TO MR. DANIEL O'CONNELL

(Continued from Page 8.)

sesses citizens of this type. We shall miss Mr. O'Connell and think of him as being here. It has been a pleasure to have been asociated with him. We learned to admire his cheerful optimism, his resourcefulness, his industry, and in an extremity we went to him confident that he would point the way out."

REV. J. R. WEBB.

Rev. J. R. Webb, of Murray Street Baptist Church, first congratulated the chairman for his usual sense of justice in giving the ministry of Peterborough an opportunity to be heard at this time. He had no apology to make for being present even until midnight on an occasion such as this. Digressing for the moment, Rev. Mr. Webb said that the day had gone by when a minister wished to be a secluded individual in the community, or to be petted and privileged. He wants nothing the bricklayer, the lawyer, or the merchant does not have, but he wants what they enjoy, especially on the occasion of a farewell to a man who had earned the respect of every minister in the city, as Mr. O'Connell had done. Speaking to the guest, Rev. Mr. Webb said: "I tell you Mr. O'Connell we all like you," and raised a round of laughter, when the added, "Really when I hear you plead a case I covet you for the Baptist ministry. For two reasons when I see you move a jury or a judge, and these qualities we desire for men in the Baptist ministry, in the ministry of all denominations." After speaking of Mr. O'Connell's splendid work in Peterborough, Rev. Mr. Webb said: "We wish Godspeed to Mr. Daniel O'Connell, lawyer, citizen, orator and man."

MR. D. W. DUMBLE.

Police Magistrate Dumble made a characteristically witty speech in replying to the toast. He was sorry that Mr. O'Connell was removing from Peterborough, but not as sorry as if he were going to heaven," because in Toronto we can drop in to see him now and then." Mr. Dumble expressed the hope to be able to say of Mr. O'Connell some day "That judge came from Peterborough."

Rev. C. J. Phelan, rector of St. Peter's Cathedral, said he voiced everything that had been said of Mr. O'Connell. The city was losing a learned man, and following Rev. Mr. Webb's division, Father Phelan remarked that had Mr. O'Connell remained here longer he might have exercised his ability on Rev. Mr. Webb and brought about a conversion.

Besides the loss to the legal profession Father Phelan said that St. Peter's congregation was losing something that would be hard to regain. He commented that he hoped the citizens might meet more freely as on this occasion, and concluded by wishing Godspeed to Mr. O'Connell and future blessings for him and his family.

"THE LADIES."

Mr. Jos. Wearing proposed the toast of "The Ladies," to which Capt. O'Flynn of the 247th Battalion, made a deeply sympathetic reply, touching particularly upon the sacrifices Canadian womanhood had made for the Empire in this war.

It was long past eleven o'clock when the assembly sang "Auld Lang Syne," and the National Anthem.

During the evening several excellent instrumental numbers were supplied by Mr. John Allan. Mr. Douglas Carlisle contributed a number of vocal solos, while Pte. H. Rayton, and Pte. F. J. Walmo, bandsmen with the 247th Battalion, gave a cornet duet. The "hear hears" were provided by Ald. F. H. Dobbin in his usual good form.

With the same Big Symphony Orchestra opens a three-day engagement at "The Grand" Monday next, January 1st. One Matinee New Year's Day only, at 2:30. Seat Sale now open at the box office.

Cook's Mistake.

It was in one of the large cities of Australia. A lady engaged a cook who had just arrived from a country town. She brought with her good recommendations, and was supposed to be a real good kitchen servant. Her mistress ordered sole for dinner, and next morning went as usual to give her instructions for that meal.

"We are to have fish for dinner, Jane. I suppose you know how to cook it?"

"Oh, yes, certainly, ma'am," she replied.

A short time after the fishmonger's boy arrived with the parcel, and on Jane opening it, she gave some horrible screams. Her mistress rushed into the kitchen.

"Whatever is the matter, Jane?" she said.

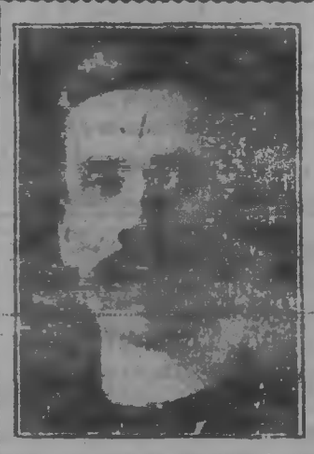
"Oh, ma'am, I thought you said you ordered fish for dinner?" replied Jane.

"Well, so I did," said her mistress.

"Well, ma'am, the fishmonger has sent snakes."

Who Wrote "Old Mother Hubbard"?

Probably very few people could say who wrote the famous "Mother Hubbard" lines, and fewer still know where the writer is buried. The author was Sarah Catherine Martin and she was buried at Loughton, in Essex. Miss Martin was born in January, 1768, and was about three-seven years of age when she wrote the story of the old lady and her dog. Tradition says the original "Old Mother Hubbard" was the home known as Kitley Hall, Yealmpton, the residence of Miss Martin's married sister. At any rate, it was when on a visit to her sister at Kitley that the famous rhyme was penned. The original publication is still at Kitley, and a cupboard is pointed out as the one supposed



MR. J. H. SMITH, candidate in the election for alderman in the East Ward.

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Valencia raisins, choice, pound	15c.
Mixed peel, lemon, orange, citron, pound	35c.
Fresh dates, pound	15c.
Cooking figs, 2 pound	25c.
Allen's famous apple cider, per gal.	40c.
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SPECIAL.

Swift's premium bacon, put up expressly for boys at the front. Packed in sealtite and waterproof paper. Each piece sells at $1.00	
White beans, fancy, picked, 2 pound	25c.
Prunes, large and meaty, 2 pound	25c.
Malaga grapes, pound	20c.
Lemons, large and juicy, dozen	40c.
Auto brand salmon extra value	15c.
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Oranges, large, sweet and juicy. Doz., 30c., 40c. and	50c.

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SHIRTS $1.25

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All Scarfs that sold at $3.75, marked ... $2.60
All Scarfs that sold at $4.00, marked ... $2.75

CHILDREN'S INITIALED HANDKERCHIEFS—Put up 6 in fancy box that sold at 25c. To clear to-morrow at ... 18c, or 2 boxes for **35c**

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HEAVY CREAM FLANNELETTE — Soft heavy thick quality without a particle of dressing. Now worth 20c. Saturday Sale price ... 7 yards for **1.00**

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SEE THE $1.25 GREY SWEATERS AT 89c—All one colour, high roll collar, heavy make, can't be duplicated at $1.25. Saturday Sale price, each ... **89c**

The first 100 customers purchasing $1.00 worth of goods or over on Saturday Morning will be presented with a handsome Japanese Calendar.

No advertisement on any of them to obscure the outer cover.

Presentation To Mr. Yarrow

Local Grand Trunk Officials Remembered by Fellow Employees

On Saturday night the staff of the Grand Trunk station gathered in the office of Mr. Yarrow, the assistant roadmaster, when a presentation was made to him by the members of the staff. The following address was read by Mr. Arthur Jobbit and Mr. Yarrow was the recipient of a handsome gold Masonic ring, and Mrs. Yarrow a beautiful gold and pearl bar brooch. Mr. R. J. Delahey and J. Melbourne made the presentation.

Peterborough, Dec. 23rd, 1916.

Mr. and Mrs. Yarrow.—We, the undersigned, on behalf of the members of the Road Department at Peterborough, Fraserville and Lakefield wish to express our appreciation for your untiring efforts in our interests during the past year.

Of course we all have our little troubles, but at such a time as this one is not at all reluctant in dispelling the thoughts of old feuds. We have tried to serve you and the company to the best of our ability in the past. In the future it is our aim to exceed former efforts and do our work in a more efficient and harmonious manner and trust that with the co-operation of all concerned that this end shall be accomplished.

We wish you and Mrs. Yarrow to accept these small tokens as a slight expression of our appreciation for the assistance you have rendered and the friendly spirit you have created among us.

Also we all join in wishing you and your family a very merry Christmas and a happy and prosperous New Year.

J. S. Chambers.
R. J. Delahey.
T. Jackson.
F. Turner.
J. Welbourn.
G. A. Welbourn.
H. Noyes.

BIRTH.

MONTGOMERY.—In Saskatchewan, on Dec. 24, 1916, the wife of Mr. Wm. Montgomery, formerly of Peterborough, of a son.

We wish all our many friends a Happy and a Prosperous New Year

Keep Up The Xmas Spirit

You will want to select some suitable Gift for your Friends who were overlooked at Christmas. Excellent chance will be found at this store, notwithstanding the heavy shopping before Christmas.

We will be pleased to show a large assortment of suitable suggestions for New Year's Gifts—such as

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Thanks for the Year's Prosperity and Best Wishes for a Prosperous New Year.

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Social and Personal

Mrs. Dan O'Connell and family left yesterday for Toronto, their new home. They will reside at 46 Tyndall Avenue, Parkdale, Toronto.

Miss Lillian Somerville and Mr. Lind Somerville, have returned to Toronto, after spending the past week as the guests of the Misses Jenkins, Brock Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Mahood, of Lorneville, Ont., are spending their honeymoon at the Empress.

Mr. an Mrs. Leo Brooks and baby, Mary, have returned home after spending the holidays in town, the guests of Mr. J. M. Brooks, 199 Dalhousie street, and Mr. Ed. Huff, 280 Gilmour street.

Rev. Bro. Witan, De la Salle, Toronto, was in the city this morning for the reception at St. Joseph's.

Mrs. Edgar Worth who has been the guest of friends in Toronto, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. Barnet, St. Catharines, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Knight, Hunter St., has returned home.

The Misses Jenkins announce the engagement of their niece, Annie Muriel, youngest daughter of the late F. J. Somerville, C.E., of Toronto, to Mr. John W. Gomer, of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, son of Mr. Wm. Gomer, Budlake, Exeter, England. The wedding to take place quietly in January.

Miss Helen Davidson is in Toronto, the guest of Mrs. Yeris Rverson.

Mrs. W. H. Robertson, Fenelon Falls, is the guest of friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Goulais, of Montreal, are visiting relatives in the city.

Mr. Chas. King and Mrs. King, of Swift Current, Sask., are visiting Mr. King's sister, Mrs. Tims, Charlotte Street, for a few days, having made their journey via Minneapolis and Chicago. Mr. King has not been here for eleven years, and notices great changes.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Harvie and son Allin, of Port Colborne, Ont., are the guests, for the holiday season, of Mr. Harvie's sister, Mrs. A. B. Cunningham, 331 Reid Street.

Capt. J. M. Thomson, Paymaster of the 247th Battalion, and his bride, are guests at the Oriental for a short time, after which they will take up residence in Fleming Place.

Dr. Russel Patterson is spending the Xmas vacation at his home, 675 Water street.

BROCK ST. RINK TO-NIGHT

Grand Ice for Skating. Best of the season so far. Band in attendance. Admission 15c and 1c war tax. Bring a copper please

THE RECORD OF OUR NAVY

Sea power has never been employed with such unalloyed success; never before has a maritime country been controlled, as Germany has been controlled, with an iron dominion that has prevented it floating a keel on any of the oceans of the world. Nor is that all. Under the guardianship of the fleet, we have carried out transport operations unprecedented in their character. Seven million soldiers and others have been carried overseas, in many instances making voyages of several thousand miles, apart from 1,250,000 horses, and 7,000,000 tons of supplies and ammunition. This country has also been fed from the sea, and communications with the Dominions and with neutral markets, have been maintained. Above all, the Navy without a day's intermission, has offered a threat to the second greatest sea power, sheltering his ships behind mines and costal defences, and has prevented him from carrying out his widely-advertised design of invading this country. That in brief summary, is the record of the Navy.—London Telegraph.

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PROBABILITIES.

Fair and decidedly cold to-night and on Saturday. Local snow.

DENTAL.

Dr. McKenty, Dentist, 370 George Street, on the ground floor, first door north of Peterborough Hardware Company. Nitrous oxide and oxygen administered for painless operations. 28d-12t

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ANNUAL S. S. FESTIVAL.

The annual Sunday School Festival of the Murray St. Baptist Church, will be held this evening. Tea will be served at 6 o'clock followed by a very fine programme. The parents are all urged to be present.

1916 BROKEN PROMISES.

When retrospection fills you with remorse, remember that your failures may be rectified in 1917. Make a promise to give your office help better facilities for doing your work by securing the BEST TYPEWRITERS — the kind that Nelson sells. We sell all makes, manufactured. NELSONS for all office needs. We make a specialty of typewriting letters—while you wait. OPPOSITE ORIENTAL.

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Good time now when the visitors are at home for the holidays to have a group Picture taken. Make arrangements to sit at—

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OBITUARY

ISABELLA STENSON WHITE.

On Thursday afternoon, December 28th, 1916, a lady who has been a resident of Peterborough for three quarters of a century, passed away—Isabella Stenson White, widow of the late James White. The death took place at the Nicholls Hospital from the effects of a paralytic seizure. Mrs. White, who was 77 years of age, was a native of Monaghan, Ireland, from which place she came to Peterborough with the family of her father, the late Robert Stenson, at the age of two years. She was married to James White, who carried on a manufacturing business in Peterborough, and for some time in Campbellford, and died a few years ago. Mrs. White has lived her life in Peterborough, enjoying universal respect and esteem for her many good qualities of heart and geniality of disposition. It has been the good fortune of few to attract and hold as many warm friends and admirers as Mrs. White did during her long life in Peterborough. She was a faithful member of St. Paul's Church. She leaves behind no immediate relatives, her only brother, the late James Stenson, predecasing her about six years ago.

Funeral from the late residence, 208 Charlotte street, on Saturday afternoon at 2.30 p.m., religious service at the home at 2 o'clock.

Brig. Southall Here For the Week-end

Brigadier and Mrs. Southall will arrive to-morrow on the afternoon train from Montreal, and will spend a busy week-end at the Temple on Sunson Street. A great welcome meeting at 8 o'clock, Saturday night; at 11 o'clock Sunday, a Holiness meeting; at 3 o'clock, a lecture, entitled "Broken Earthenware"; a salvation meeting at 7 o'clock; watch-night service at 10.30, and will leave for Montreal on the midnight.

Both Band and Songsters will be in full attendance, both Saturday and Sunday, and a splendid week-end is expected.

A very special meeting will take place on New Year's night. Announcement made to-morrow.

RECEPTION AT MOUNT ST. JOSEPH

This morning the Chapel of the Sacred Heart was thronged with friends and relations of the eleven young ladies who received the Holy habit of the Order of St. Joseph. His Lordship Rt. Rev. M. J. O'Brien celebrated mass at nine o'clock assisted by Rev. Father Quilty. The Rev. J. V. McCauley of the Sacred Heart preached a beautiful and eloquent sermon. The candidates who were received were:

Miss Gertrude Dorling, Douglas, Ont., in religion Sister Mary St. Desmond.

Miss May Callaghan, Peterborough, Sister Mary Eileen.

Miss Gertrude Ajnew, Douglas, Ont., Sister Mary Blanida.

Miss Mary Crough, Enniskmore, Sister Miriam.

Miss Hattie Crough, Enniskmore, Sister Mary St. Mark.

Miss Irene O'Reilly, Lindsay, Sister Mary Dominica.

Miss Mary Windle, Douglas, Ont., Sister Mary Edwina.

Miss Mary Fitzgerald, Peterborough, Sister Mary St. Redmond.

Miss Agnes Healy, Richmond, Que., Sister Mary St. Lucile.

Mlle Marie Aubry, Montreal, Sister St. Albert.

Miss Gertrude Chamberlain, Ottawa, Sister Mary St. Denis.

The visiting clergy in the Sanctuary were Rt. Rev. Monsignor Casey, Lindsay; Rev. Father McGuire, Enniskmore, Dean McColl, East City, Rev. J. J. Quilty, Douglas, Father Galvin, Derrynville, and Fathers McHugh, John O'Brien, McCauley and Collins of Peterborough.

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Family Re-unions

The picture your friends want to have is the one you see in the mirror on New Year's Morn.

When Family Gathering and Friendships Chums come together is an opportune time to have Group Photos taken, that you may not be able to arrange for again.

If the boy or girl is home get busy and make an appointment by call or phone.

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KITCHENER, ONTARIO, UNDER MARTIAL LAW

Britain Sends Envoy to Venizelos Governm'nt

Great Britain Sends Envoy To Venizelos

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 2.—Great Britain sends an envoy to the Venizelos Government at Saloniki.

Radials and Power By-laws Carried In Toronto

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Jan. 2.—Toronto Radials and power by-laws carried by overwhelming majority. O'Neil, Cameron, Foster and Shaw elected for the Board of Control.

Board Disagrees With Dr. Bruce

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Eng., Jan. 2.—The London Board of Inquiry disagrees with Dr. Bruce regarding the concentration of Canadian sick and wounded.

Activity on the Western Front

Special to The Examiner:

PARIS, Jan. 2.—Severe artillery duel on all parts of the western front. French attack at several points taking some machine guns and prisoners. Weather prevents extensive attacks.

Eating War Bread In Great Britain

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 2.—Britain began eating war bread yesterday. Thousands of previously exempted men don the khaki for the first time yesterday.

Kitchener Under Martial Law

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

KITCHENER, Jan. 2.—Citizens' League sweeps the election and starts riot. The city was under martial law last night.

This Year Will End the War

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 2.—This year will end the war with victory for the Allies say British military critics today.

Roumanian Fort Is In Danger

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 2.—Braila, one of Roumania's greatest grain ports, is probably within range of Mackensen's guns.

AUCTION SALE OF FARM STOCK AND IMPLEMENTS

Ennismore Farmer Will Hold Sale on Wednesday, January 3rd

Mr. Robt. McKee announces that he will sell by public auction on Wednesday, Jan. 3rd on his farm, Lot 1, Con. 2, Ennismore, all his farm stock and implements, without reserve, as he is giving up farming. 2d-1tf

Canadian Prestige Higher Than Ever 1916 A Banner Year

Dominion at Beginning of New Year Enjoys a National Prestige and Material Prosperity That Not Even the Most Optimistic Would Have Prophesied Two Years Ago—Sold $474,863,094 More Than She Bought Last Year.

OTTAWA, Dec. 30.—After two and a half years of war Canada, at the end of 1916 enjoys a national prestige, and material prosperity such as not even the most optimistic would have predicted for her, under like conditions, at the end of 1914. She stands high among the nations as a fighting power; her credit, even after heavy borrowings, is unimpaired; and her people are well-to-do. An unmilitary people when the war commenced, the banners of her troops now bear the names of battles which for intensity, and for gallantry displayed therein will rank with the greatest in history. A nation which before the commencement of the war was wont to look for the capital to the money markets of Europe, she is now finding that capital at home, and has for a year past been financing for Great Britain the great bulk of that country's war purchases within her borders. A country whose imports in former years for exceeded her exports, she now finds herself with a heavy trade balance in her favour.

So far as trade is an indication of prosperity Canada is prosperous at the end of the present year. The total trade figures for the twelve months ended with November are just available. Canada's aggregate trade during that period, exclusive of coin and bullion, amounted to the enormous sum of $1,817,906,945, as against $1,033,991,872 for the corresponding twelve month preceding, or an increase of $773,917,173. Imports for the twelve months totalled $744,403,345, an increase over the preceding period of $309,153,379. Exports totalled $1,073,503,600, an increase of $474,863,094.

Favourable Trade Balance.

During the twelve months ending with November, the Dominion sold $474,863,094 more than she purchased. This represents the extent of her favourable trade balance. For the tremendous increase in exports, manufactured articles (including of course war materials) and agricultural products are chiefly responsible. For the very considerable increase in imports raw materials for war munitions, and other articles must be held patly responsible. An analysis of import statistics, however indicates but little curtailment on the part of Canadians in the purchase of commodities which are now considered as luxuries in the United Kingdom, and banned as such.

The total duty collected during the twelve months was $136,156,221, as against $87,618,645 for the corresponding period preceding, or an increase of $48,540,566.

In the meantime the Dominion has been incurring heavy liabilities as a result of her participation in the war. The net debt of the Dominion at the beginning of the war amounted to something in the neighbourhood of $330,000,000. At the end of November last year it had mounted to $501,688,167, and at the end of November this year it had mounted to $708,128,088. In other words it has just about doubled since the war commenced. The increase since the commencement of the war represents just about the amount of the Dominion's war expenditure from that date. For the first eight months of the present fiscal year a total of $140,527,530 has been recorded as having been spent on war. This, however, does not include amounts spent on behalf of the Dominion's troops overseas by Great Britain an accounting of which must be made later on.

Expropriation for Coming Year.

For the coming fiscal year it is estimated that upwards of $300,000,000 will have to be appropriated for war. In that case the net debt of the Dominion by the end of the coming fiscal year will have pretty well reached the billion-dollar mark. This will mean that the Dominion will be faced with interest charges approximating fifty millions. When pensions and sinking funds are added to the Dominion will have fixed charges to meet amounting to well over seventy-five millions, or over half the revenue of the country in normal years.

At the present time, however, the revenue returns of the Dominion are the greatest in her history. For the first eight months of the current fiscal year here came to the Treasury from the various sources of revenue no less a sum than $144,923,573, as against $104,756,503 for the corresponding period last year. This represents an increase of forty million dollars. For that increase Customs was responsible for 26 millions, excise for two millions, Post-Office for about a million, public work for about four million, public miscellaneous sources for about six millions.

Domestic expenditures have been slightly curtailed. Ordinary or consolidated expenditures for the first eight months of the fiscal year totalled something over 69 millions, which is an increase of about four millions over the expenditures for the corresponding period last year, but expenditures under Capital Account amounted to only about 16 millions, which is a decrease of about seven million dollars. There was thus a retrenchment of something over three million dollars during that period. This, coupled with the increase in revenue, would indicate a net betterment (exclusive of war) of about 43 millions in the Dominion's finances during the period. At the present rate of going Canada should have fifty millions from revenue to be applied to war at the end of the present fiscal year. This will be the first time revenue returns have been applied to war expenditures.

So much for the material and commercial progress of the Dominion during the year.

381,438 Recruits.

From the military standpoint the Dominion during the year has played no mean part. Up to December 15 of this year a total of 381,438 recruits had been raised in Canada since the beginning of the war for service in the expeditionary forces and of those upwards of 250,000 have already gone overseas, over half of whom have seen active service. Of the total number so far recruited, 1916 has been responsible for the very considerable number of 176,020, or nearly half of the total raised since the war commenced. Recruiting, however, has fallen off very considerably during the last few months as may be seen by the fact that the total enlistments for November last were only 6,548, while the enlistments for the first month of the year totalled 20,219.

In the course of the year the Canadian troops have won further renown in the bloody fighting at St. Eloi, and Zillebeke, where they again withstood the hammering of the Prussian hordes along the 'Road to Calais.' In these engagements the Canadians sustained heavy casualties estimated at from 13,000 to 14,000 in July and September the Canadian forces were relieved from the terrible task of defending the Ypres salient, and changed their role from the defensive to the offensive on the Somme. On that now famous front they took their part with the Imperial and French troops, and with their brother colonials, and proved themselves to be as good at taking ground as they had been in holding it. To the credit of the Canadians fell the taking of the sugar factory at Courcelette, the storming of Schwaben Redoubt, and of Regina and Desire trenches, while they won renown in other actions which history will later chronicle.

Casualties Total 70,000.

Canadian casualties to date number about seventy thousand, of these about 11,000 are killed in action and about four thousand died of wounds, and sickness. As an indication of the strenuous nature of the fighting on the Somme it may be noted that 46,000 of the total casualties sustained since the war commenced were recorded since June last. In October alone the Canadians lost fifteen thousand men in killed, wounded and missing.

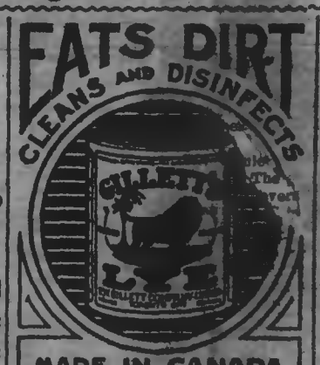
It is now estimated that fifty per cent. of the wounded are being 'reclaimed' for further service, and that about a battalion a month is being sent back to the front from the casualty depots.

A year ago something like 3,000 Canadian soldiers had been turned over to the Dominion Hospital Commission from England as being unfit for further service. Their number has now increased to 8,200. Of these 277 were suffering from tuberculosis, 169 were recorded as insane; 1,540 had been wounded, gassed, or shell-shocked; and 6,410 were suffering from other diseases or disabilities. There are now under treatment in the Convalescent Homes and Sanitoriums in the Dominion about 2,700 men.

Business From the Allies.

Directly connected with the war is the business which Canada has secured from the allied nations. No approximation of the value of this is available, but it is safe to say that it far exceeds the Dominion's actual expenditure on account of the war. The amount being spent on munitions alone is estimated by J. W. Flavelle as being about four times the amount spent by the Federal Government in normal times. In addition to that a large proportion of the money spent on Canada's troops during the year remained in Canada.

No article dealing with the material condition of the Dominion during the past year, or outlining the part which her people are playing in the war would be complete without reference to the $150,000,000 domestic war loan raised in the Dominion last summer.



The Elections In North Monaghan

H. Rye Will Head the 1917 Council —South Monaghan and Ennismore Elections

Mr. Harold Rye of North Monaghan was elected Reeve of that municipality by a majority of six over McIntosh. The vote was as follows:

Poll Sub-Div.	McIntosh	Rye
Grady's	45	141
Town Hall	91	4
May's school house	82	79
Totals	218	294

Majority for Rye, 6.

For Deputy Reeve.

	Bell	Robson
Grady's	151	36
Town Hall	13	69
May's school house	84	73
Totals	248	196

South Monaghan.

The South Monaghan elections resulted in the election of John Greer for reeve and H. BBarnett, S. Robinson, J. McRoberts and M. Wallan for Councillors.

Ennismore.

John Young was elected Reeve of Ennismore by a majority of twenty-one. The Councillors for 1917 are C. Telford, P. Crowley, W. Harrington and J. Sullivan.

Berlin's Peace Hopes Dispersed

Summary of Berlin Press Opinion Respecting the Allies' Note

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BERLIN, Jan. 2.—Berlin's peace hopes are dispersed. Now it is war to the last drop of human blood. The Allies' note is not deserving of a written rejoinder. This is a summary of Berlin press opinion—and it typifies the opinion of the men in the street.

There is apparently a unanimous decision that Germany's only answer to the Allies' rejection of peace must be by force of arms under Hindenburg's leadership.

Privately the editor of Berlin newspapers are even more bitter in their denunciation of the Entente's course than their printed statements.

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Railway Time Tables

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
CORRECTED JUNE 6, 1916.

7.00 a.m.—For Lakefield.
8.10 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg and points east, connecting at Port Hope for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 11.05 a.m.
8.25 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
8.30 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
11.40 a.m.—Mid-day express for Toronto, reaching Toronto at 3.15 p.m.
12.20 p.m.—For Lakefield.
11.40 a.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
1.30 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
3.35 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
5.00 p.m.—For Lakefield.
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CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
CORRECTED JUNE 5, 1916.

**2.50 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*12.12 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N.B., Boston, and New York.
*1.20 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed Perth, Smith's Falls and Ottawa.
**11.27 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and intermediate points and all points east of Montreal.

GOING WEST.—
*4.18 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Galt, Woodstock, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*1.34 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
**7.35 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York, Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
**9.15 a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port McNichol and intermediate points
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"DESTINY"

By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday.)

"Do you suppose," inquired Hamilton Burton, his eyes narrowing until they held a homicidal gleam, "that I shall permit you to leave my house—with him?"

Mary laughed, then suddenly her voice rose fiercely, ignoring his question. "You say, Hamilton, it is to be war. I shall start the war—now. Jefferson, please find Len Haswell's telephone number. I'm going to give him warning."

With an exclamation of incoherent fury Hamilton Burton leaped for the telephone and tore it loose from its wires. He hurled the broken instrument clattering to the floor and the directory into the flames. Then he stood stood above the wreckage with his feet apart and his hands clenching and unclenching in a panting picture of demoniac rage.

Mary laughed as one might laugh at the passion of a child. "After all there are other telephones," she said, then added quietly, "You will find in my rooms all the gifts you have loaded upon me. Unfortunately I should have to go out of your house naked if I left behind me everything that has come from you. Will you ring for my maid?"

For a moment the financier stood glaring and silent; then with a powerful struggle for self-mastery he went over and touched a bell. "I can't use physical force against my sister," he said. "You are of age, and your own mistress, but if you make common cause with my enemies, you become my enemy yourself."

When Harrow responded to the call, only the broken telephone bore evidence of the violence of the past few minutes.

"Please ask Julie," instructed the girl quietly, "to pack a bag for me and one for herself. I shall only need enough things for a day or two. Ask her to hurry."

For several minutes the three stood without further speech, and when the brother broke the silence it was in an altered tone.

"Mary," he said seriously, "your happiness is very dear to me. For nothing else would I let any differences between us amount to an issue. For God's sake, forego this mad idea. You are disrupting a family for whose upbuilding I have fought with a very fierce singleness of purpose."

"And to what end?" she demanded, with blazing eyes. "Of my father you have made an artificial gentleman—and once he was a real man. To my mother you have given luxuries instead of life. Paul you have turned into a society lap-dog, and now by adding your strength to his weakness you are trying to make him a beast of prey."

"Those are very bitter accusations," he answered gravely. His face was set, but shame for his recent outburst safeguarded him for the moment against a second.

Harrow appeared after a short time to announce that the maid was ready, and Mary rose from her seat. "Good-by, Hamilton," she said.

"Will you at least go to my mother's house?" he questioned.

"Mother's house is as much your house as this one. No, I shall go where Jefferson Edwardes chooses to take me."

"Then, by God Almighty, you will not go at all!"

Hamilton Burton took his place at the door, and stood barring their way while a dangerous gleam came into Edwardes' eyes. Mary spoke very coldly.

"Hamilton, please let us pass. It would be a pity to edify your servants with a physical collision."

Over the taut whiteness of the brother's face went a wave of doubt. He recognized confronting him a spirit as indomitable as his own. Somehow his arrogance, under her gaze, withered and shrunk into a cheap bravado, and he realized it as such. He spoke once more and his words came slowly.

"I shall not use force. It is, of course, for you to decide. I have perhaps loved you better than other members of my family. My pride in you has been triumphant. That man who stands at your side came into my house and poisoned your heart against me. He is a traitor and I have marked him for ruin. Decide between us, calmly, Mary, because when I resolve I do not deviate."

"I have already decided," she answered. "Please let us pass."

He drew aside and stood there motionless as the street door opened and closed. Afterward he walked slowly back into the room and stood restlessly on the great bear pelt, gazing into the cavernous hearth. Then he dropped down into the tall Moorish chair where a little while before his sister had been sitting, her eyes brimming with joy. He leaned forward and his hands fell limp from the wrists that rested limp on his knees. Something had gone suddenly out of Hamilton Burton. The eyes that stared into the blaze were, for the first time, a trace of that fatigue and distress which portraits show in the eyes looking out from St. Helena. Mary was gone; gone with his enemy to fight under his enemy's colours! Her motive bewildered him. What was this love that so powerfully impelled her to desert her own blood? Suddenly his mind flashed back to a kitchen tableau of a small girl breaking into a sudden tempest of tears, and a boy saying, "I mean to see that Mary gets whatever she wants out of life." Then quite irrelevantly a fragment of verse leaped into his memory and prickled it with irritation.

"The Emperor there in his box of state,
looked grave as though he had just then seen,
The red flags fly from the city gates,
where his eagles of bronze had been."

His gaze dropped to the white fur of the rug and abstractedly he picked up his sister's riding-crop and one glove. She had dropped them when Jefferson Edwardes placed the ring on her finger. Hamilton turned the things over in his hand a groan escaped him. Then suddenly that mood vanished. He rose and paced the floor like a lion lashing itself into fury, and his eyes were fiercely tawny as he paced.

Well, she had chosen. One thing remained possible. The man responsible for this greatest sorrow and humiliation with which he had ever been visited should pay in full the score of reprisal.

With an abrupt impulse he sent for Paul and he was still pacing the room with quick, nervous strides when his brother arrived. The younger man's face was haggard and he cast a quick glance of trepidation about the room.

"Where's Mary?" he demanded, and Hamilton wheeled on him with eyes that were scarcely sane.

"Gone?" he barked out. "Gone with that rat, Edwardes. That's one of the things your whim has cost so far—your baby-doll—your toy-woman."

With a sudden cry that came from his heart, Paul dropped into a chair and covered his face with his hands. His shoulders shook to his convulsive sobbing, and after a moment Hamilton went over and laid a hand on his shoulder.

"Forgive me, little brother," he said softly. "After all, Edwardes was the real reason. Edwardes with his damned self-righteousness! Mary flew virtuously to his standards. She is no longer my sister, Paul."

But Paul rose with his face full of pleading. He talked rapidly, excitedly, like a frightened child.

"Hamilton, she is our sister. She loves him. . . . You promised her happiness years ago. . . . You can't let her go like this. It will kill us all."

His elder brother thrust him back at arm's length and gazed into his grief-stricken face. "It's not a question of letting her go. She went in spite of me. She went to the enemy." The words came very bitterly and for the first time in his life Paul saw tears in Hamilton's eyes.

The financier rose and passed an unsteady hand over his brow. "I'm thinking about mother," he said brokenly. "I must go up and be with her when she learns."

Hamilton wheeled, speaking quickly. "Yes, do. I shall follow you shortly. Tell mother that I withheld my approval to this marriage, and they took the bit in their teeth."

Within the half-hour Carl Bristoll, Ruferton and Tarring were with their chief and between them lay sheafs of memoranda, and financial data, which littered the table.

"I want to know in exact detail," Hamilton Burton told them as his glance burned into their faces, "everything that it is possible to learn concerning the firm of Edwardes and Edwardes. Most particularly I want to learn their points of greatest vulnerability. I must have lists of those securities in which, directly or indirectly, they are most vitally interested and the exact nature and extent of all their liabilities."

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Outside, Jefferson Edwardes found his car waiting, and the realization came ironically to his mind that it was precisely the hour he had expected to leave Hamilton Burton's house—though his intention had been to leave only long enough to change his evening clothes and return for dinner. To his chauffeur he said in a low voice, "Drive in the park until I tell you to stop." Then as he took his seat beside the girl he turned upon her very serious eyes and said resolutely, "I couldn't debate this with you in his presence, Mary, but I can't marry you to-night."

She turned her face to him and the colour left her cheeks.

"Not marry me?" she questioned in a dazed voice.

"Not yet, dearest. Under other circumstances no time could be too soon, but now——" He raised his hands in a gesture of weariness and sat looking at her with a hunger of the heart.

"Now what?" she prompted.

"Now I am pledged to a life-and-death duel with your brother. Now I must fight not only my fight, but that of many others. It is foolish to treat lightly the threats of Hamilton Burton. His power is incalculable and his implacability is absolute. I can't tear away every family tie that is rooted in your life merely to make you my comrade in ruin. That is not my idea of loving, dearest."

"And if not that—what?" Her chin was raised and her lips parted. Her voice was very soft, almost faint. Never, Edwardes thought, had she been so beautiful. "I have left my brother's house to go with you. I shall not return. Am I, then, to find myself like a beggar woman, with no place to go except the streets of New York?"

With a gasping exclamation of pain in his throat he bent forward and seized her in his arms. The car was now in the park and between the light globes were spaces of darkness.

"For God's sake," he cried, "don't. It is because I love you so!"

"I think, Jefferson," she answered as he held her close with his kisses on her cheeks, "you need me as much as I need you."

"Need you! Because I need you so much, I can't let you do this now."

"You spoke just now," she said, "as though you had no hope of victory in this warfare. If that is true you need me to help you fight. I have no intention of tame submission. You must have a Burton to fight this Burton."

"If I spoke so," he declared, and his voice was far from submissive, "it was because any chance of ruin is too great a chance to subject you to. It is because I mean to defend myself and my clients and my honour to the last breath that I say I can't marry you now. Certainly not until you have considered these new occurrences. I shall take small pleasure in his overthrow, if I overthrow him, because he is your brother."

"I think," her eyes flashed into a fierce animosity, "I shall glory in it. I know that I shall not go back to his support. I offer myself to you. I cannot compel you."

For a long while they talked, she resolved to fight his fight with him or take off his ring; and he, in a torture of soul, refusing so great a gift at so ruinous a cost to herself. At last it was arranged that she should go to her mother's until she had made up her mind, and they should both accept an invitation for a week at the hunting lodge of friends in the Adirondacks. There, except for their host and hostess, they would be alone and Edwardes might have a breathing space before his battle.

There they tramped together on snowshoes over white-mantled hills and forgot that any shadow threatened their happiness. They drank deep of air that was spicy with the fragrance of pines and because to them the present seemed so perfect they refused to borrow fears from the future.

Sometimes the man would see a vagrant shadow of foreboding steal into the mismated eyes, when Mary became aware of its recognition in his own, it was always swiftly banished for one of serene happiness and confidence.

"Dearest," he told her at such a moment—it was the moment of candle-lighting, when dusk brings shadows of fear, "why heed the rumble of the distant drum?" We love each other, and when my fight is over no one shall part us."

And she in the circle of his arms looked up and laughed and they both banished from their hearts all thought of Hamilton Burton.

At her mother's house before she came away, Mary had talked to Paul, and had won his weak promise that he would permit his brother to take no dishonourable step toward freeing Lorraine Haswell. So she had not kept her threat of warning the husband, and after she had returned to town, her mother fell ill, and in the first call of loyalty there Mary remained with her. About this time she read that Lorraine had gone to Europe, and had gone alone.

Days had passed into weeks and Hamilton Burton had struck no blow. Mary had begun to believe that he meant to strike none, and her lover encouraged that view, but he himself knew that it was a phantom hope. He knew that the arch master of financial strategy was building and strengthening every sinew of war, and that the crushing impact of his attack would be only the more terrific because he had curbed his impatience and held his hand until the exact fraction of the psychological moment.

(To be continued.)

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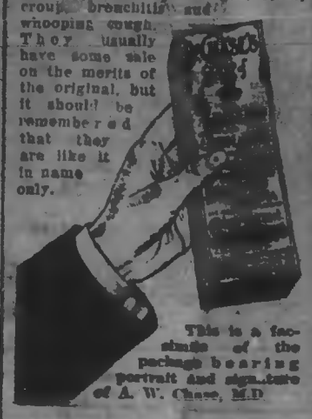

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Once upon a time Edwin Putnam, who lives in the quiet, pretty hamlet of Wendel Depot, Mass., climbed up into a loft to get some building material, just as many another man living in the country must often do. Suddenly he slipped and fell. Ten feet below was a pile of wood; knotted and gnarled it was a nasty tumble, and Mr. Putnam was injured painfully in the back; he was covered with bruises, and was sore from head to foot.

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Trade Opportunities in West Indies.

Mr. James E. Dobbs, who as a representative of the Canada India League, spent ten weeks in the British West Indies and in Trinidad in particular, has returned to Toronto firmly convinced that there are vast opportunities for the development of Canadian trade in the West Indies. There is there, Mr. Dobbs declares, a prevailing opinion that almost all sorts of Canadian products can find a ready market if advertised and sold by competent representatives who would see that the goods were prepared and packed to suit tropical conditions. The Canada India League is interested in bringing about a closer bond of sympathy among the colonies of the Empire and eliminating any social, religious, or racial prejudices which might exist, and Mr. Dobbs spent considerable time in Trinidad, where men from the East Indies form one-third of the population, in studying the social, commercial, and domestic life of the men from the East Indies. Mr. Dobbs formed the opinion that those men after perhaps three years at the outset came to understand that "While in Rome they must do as the Romans do," and adapted themselves to conditions.

Big Guns Bend.

One of the most serious problems of army and navy engineers is the bending of great guns by their own weight, wire wound guns being the worst offenders in this particular.

Ambiguous.

"You remember I missed you several times last year."

"Yes," said the guide.

"Well, I'm a better shot now."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

THE BRUTAL GERMANS.

Men in the Prison Camps Suffer Horrible Cruelties.

In spite of all the efforts of the Germans, revelations of the life in German prison camps occasionally leak out.

The following details of life in the prison camps of X—— and ?—— reached me, writes a correspondent to The Daily Sketch, from very sure sources. This was the daily routine:

"We got up at 6 a.m.," said the informant, "and were given our cup of 'war' coffee—mostly breadcrumbs and bad chickory—no milk, of course, and just a slice of black bread. We were forced then to stay outside until 11.30.

"It was very cold in winter. We used to be soaked through often with the sleet and rain, for the Germans had stolen all our coats; waterproofs, woollen jerseys, etc., when we were captured.

"One man had no shirt for months except a potato sack he had managed to procure.

"Outside in the prison yard we passed our time trying to dig up stray potatoes, for the yard had formerly been a potato field.

"An odd potato was a great find. We used to hunt round for scraps of wood, too, in case we got a chance to light a little fire.

"At 11.30 came the next meal, consisting of potatoes and water or carrots or turnips and water, a very small quantity for each man, and no meat, of course.

"When we had emptied our half-filled dish of this stuff, we used to line up at the cook-house door to see if there was some left over, each man in turn holding up his little dish.

"But we never knew when the cook, instead of pouring a little in, would turn the hose-pipe on the next man—his German way of showing there was no more to be had.

"The afternoon was spent much as the morning had been, and in watching for the bread cart, in the hope of being able to steal a loaf, for we were simply starving men, ready to risk our lives for bread.

"Many of us still bear the scars of bayonet wounds inflicted in the prison camps, sometimes for stealing a piece of bread, but as often for no reason at all.

"It was in another camp where conditions were pretty similar that I heard of a starving Russian soldier who parted with his military medal, his one treasure, the compensation for all he had endured, for a piece of bread.

"It was in this same camp that, moved with pity for the Russian prisoners who were suffering terribly, each British prisoner, as soon as his parcels from home began to arrive, took one Russian under his protection.

"Their sleeping accommodation, like that of the British and other prisoners, was simply a heap of rotten straw on the floor, a blanket, and any amount of lice."

"Worse," said another informant, "the Russians who had been driven out of the camp some time before and forced to work in the German mines had been literally worked to death, occasionally some were sent back, but only when the Germans found there was nothing more to be got out of them.

"A party who came back in 1916 were in a indescribable state, dragging themselves wearily along. We collected all the soap powders, condensed milk, tea—everything we could possibly spare out of our home parcels—for them. They were glad to get it, poor fellows, though many of them died before they could eat a mouthful.

"A favorite punishment was to make a man lie down flat in the dirtiest part of the courtyard on his face for hours at a time; and, of course, there was also the better-known one of tying a man up by his hands to a post—and then kicking away the block of wood beneath his feet on which he had been made to stand."

Tact.

Willie—Paw, what is tact? Paw—Tact is the art of making other people think they know more than you do, my son.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

He that will not be counseled cannot be helped.—German Proverb.

Unreasonable.

Mrs. Henrypeck (looking up from her reading)—This writer says that the widowed make the best wives. Mr. Henrypeck—But really, my dear, you can hardly expect me to die just in order to make a good wife of you.—Stray Stories.

Knew Him.

Howard—A thief got his money and soon parted. Mrs. Howard (clapping her hands)—Oh, John! How much are you going to give me?—Life.

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A BROKEN PROMISE

By WILLARD BLAKEMAN

"Walter, you are falling into a pit."

"How-so?"

"It is a delicate matter for interference. If you were not my chum I would not expose myself to such a thankless job. As it is, I am going to incur your enmity in the hope of saving you."

"Were you not my friend, instead of asking you to proceed I would send you sprawling for an imputation against a lovely woman."

"Very well; since I must enter into particulars, I refer to Miss Wallace."

"Do you mean to accuse her of anything evil?"

"Not as you mean it."

"Then wherein is she at fault? Perhaps you consider her an adventuress?"

"Not that, either."

"Then what do you mean? Speak before I"—

He raised his clinched fist.

"I make no imputation against Miss Wallace except that she has a mania for bringing men to her feet and throwing them over her shoulder."

"And you consider that is what she is trying to do with me?"

"I believe she is, though my belief is based on her record, and the evidence is circumstantial."

"Explain."

"First, I know of several cases where she has infatuated men and turned them down; second, she has no fortune, and her life would be a failure without one. You are unable to take care of her only in the most inexpensive way."

A lover is always a doubter, and Walter Crane was no exception to the rule.

"I will not trouble you for evidence," he said. "I will put the case plainly to her and learn the truth. Should any one malign me to her that is the way I should expect her to meet the charge."

His friend smiled incredulously.

"Shake that sardonic look and speak what you feel like a man."

"Should any one malign you to her she would not take sufficient interest in the matter to investigate."

"Very well, prove the charge you make against her."

"What charge?"

"That she is intending to throw me over her shoulder."

"To prove that would be impossible."

"Then prove that she has treated others as you claim she will treat me."

"That can be done, but it would not suffice. She would make you believe that you are the only one of the lot to whom she has given her heart."

Stanley, who was trying to save his friend, thought for a few moments, then said:

"I am in a position to give you the best of proof in one case. I will bring you a letter from the sister of one of the victims of this woman you love, a victim whom she drove to put a bullet in his brain. The letter will state what I assert. Then I will take you to the grave of that victim, and there you shall renounce this siren, promising me that you will never see her again."

There was a long silence, which was broken by Crane, who seized his friend's hand and pressed it fervently. He was under too great a strain to speak.

"You agree?" asked Stanley.

Crane nodded affirmatively.

Within a couple of days the promised statement was produced. It read simply:

"Isabel Wallace infatuated my brother, and when he proposed to her she laughed at him. A month later he committed suicide. We gave out that he had accidentally shot himself while preparing for a hunting trip."

Walter Crane turned pale as he read the statement. Handing it back to Stanley, he said, "I am ready to perform my part of the agreement." Stanley had come in an auto, and the two went out, and, entering it, the chauffeur was told to drive to the Meadowland cemetery. At the gate they inquired for the location of the grave of Arthur Stanton, drove to it, alighted and entered the lot. There, standing beside the grave, Crane promised his friend that he would never see the siren again.

One week from that day Crane went to Stanley and, after confessing that he had broken his promise, said that Miss Wallace had explained the matter of the suicide to his entire satisfaction. She had nothing whatever to do with it.

Stanley looked at his friend in amazement, but made no reply.

"You think I'm weak," said Crane. "As for you, I know that you're the best friend I ever had; that you have tried to save me from what you consider a misfortune. There's a story within a story about this suicide business. If I could tell it to you you'd see how unjust is the statement of this lady who wrote the letter—indeed, how abominably she treated"—

"Hold on, Walter!" said Stanley. "The lady who wrote that letter is my fiancee. Were she not she would not have given it to me."

"A thousand pardons, dear boy! Not for the world would I"—

"Goodby, Walter!"

"Goodby! It will all be explained in time. I congratulate you on your engagement. Why didn't you tell"—

The rest was lost, for Stanley had passed out of hearing.

One month later Crane's body was found on the grave beside which he had made his promise with a bullet in his heart.

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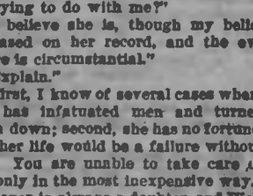
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HUSBANDS IN WILLESDEN.

They Mind the Babies at Home While the Wives Go Out to Work.

Willesden is a perfect paradise for a certain type of husband. There is no need for him to go out to work; his wife will see to that. All he need do is stay at home and mind the baby. He has a job for life and practically nothing to do.

The Gilbertian arrangement is due to the peculiar industrial conditions of Willesden, where there are many laundries and factories and female labor is much in demand. Although it is cheaper than male labor would be at the same class of work, the wages are good, considering that only five days a week are worked in the laundries, the women not being required on Mondays. As much as from 20 to 30 shillings a week can be earned, £1 being a common wage, even for girls.

Consequently the women rule the industrial world of Willesden. The positions of man and wife are reversed. There is no need for the man to go to work. Not only would he be unsuitable for the job, but the labor and the wages would not suit him.

Therefore a working girl, when she has saved sufficient money and thinks of marrying, looks around to find an eligible man, whom it would be her duty to keep in after life. He must know how to bathe, dress and feed a baby; how to amuse it and what to do when it has convulsions other than rolling it on the floor or slapping it on the back. If he can do all this the girl proposes, is accepted (if she is strong enough to work), and the knot is tied.

When the children grow up they are packed off to the laundries or to one of the biscuit, incandescent mantle or cedar pencil factories that abound in the neighborhood, and their wages go to swell the family income. As for father, he continues his congenial task of warming the baby's milk and performing other little duties. — London Cor. Philadelphia Ledger.

HIDING THE JOKER NUGGET.

An Incident of the Early Australian Gold Diggings.

Among the rich finds in the Australian gold diggings the Joker nugget ranks among the chief. It turned the scale at thirty ounces and was sold for $600. In size and shape it resembled a man's hand, thick at the wrist part and tapering off toward the fingers.

The claim had been a good one from the first, and the owner did not have to work hard. One day he was reclining full length idly searching for nuggets when he caught sight of the Joker. He at once covered it with his hand and sat up, rather wondering how he would secure the treasure without being seen. If the find became known every man in the field would tramp to the spot and invade his claim and so prevent his working.

A man in an adjoining claim looked up. "Found anything?" he asked. "No. Seen the color; that's all. Pitch my coat over to me, will you? It's lying near there. I want a smoke." "Here you are, mate. But what's the matter? You look pale. Don't you feel right?" "I'm all right, only the sun is a bit hot."

He was struggling with an insane desire to laugh, but he got his coat over the nugget and seated himself on the top of it. Then laughter overpowered him, and he became hysterical. Those about him wondered, but thought the sun had affected him.

In a little while he gained his composure and decided to go to his tent. In lifting his coat he managed to take up the lump of gold, and no one knew that he had found anything. It was not until ten days had passed that the fact was noised abroad, and even then few knew the claim whence the Joker came.

Malicious Hint.

"Can you tell me where I am most likely to get a good collection of fairy tales?"

"Ask any married man."—Baltimore American.

Rude Boy.

Miss Flirt—Jack told me last night that I was his very life. Her Brother—Jack will soon find out how uncertain life is.—Boston Transcript.

WITH RUSSIAN PEASANT.

Land Belongs to Entire Village, Not to Individuals.

Land belongs not to individual peasants in Russia, but to the village as a whole. It can be redivided every twelve years at the wish of a majority of two-thirds.

This and all other local questions, such as the incidence of taxation, are settled by village meetings, consisting of the heads of houses, where age naturally has a predominance.

A decision which carries a majority of two-thirds is, by law of the Empire, a legal "sentence" of the village.

The village elects its own village elder, who is responsible for the calling of meetings; and at certain seasons, e.g., that of hay-making, these meetings take place as often as once a week.

Many villages are united in a canton, which is ruled by a cantonal elder, similarly elected by the chosen representatives of all the villages of the canton.

He Lost His Case.

Lord Reading—better known to fame as Sir Rufus Isaacs—recently told the story of his first brief.

He had been retained to defend a man, a street trader, who had been summoned for selling bad figs.

Mr. Isaacs, as he then was, expatiated at length on the splendid quality of the fruit, and in this he was, as was only natural, backed up by his client.

Presently the magistrate intervened. Had either of them tasted the fruit? he asked.

They both confessed that they had not. Whereupon the magistrate suggested that either the defendant or his counsel should eat some in court.

Mr. Isaacs turned to his client: "Go on," he whispered, "eat one or two."

"What will happen if I don't?" whispered the other in reply.

"You'll lose the case."

"All right," answered the defendant resignedly, "then lose it I'll have to."

C.P.R. CONSTRUCTION WORK in 1916

Completion of the Longest Tunnel in America

THE year 1916 has been an interesting one in the history of the Canadian Pacific Railway. It has been a year of progress, even though the Dominion is struggling in a great war. As compared with the previous year there has been a tremendous revival of trade. Several important works for which appropriations were made before the war, have been completed, the most important being the Connaught Tunnel through Mount MacDonald, in the Selkirk Mountains. The accomplishment of this task is a triumph of engineering and labor seldom equalled in the world's history. The tunnel is the longest double track tunnel in the Western hemisphere. The length is about 5 miles, the time in which the work was performed, in two and a half years, constituting a world's record. The number of men employed was about 600. The tunnel will mean the elimination of several miles of snow-sheds, will considerably reduce the distance connecting railway points, and affect a big grade reduction. The cost of the tunnel was $6,500,000. The amount of material taken from the bore is approximately 750,000 cubic yards, and weighs considerably over 1,500,000 tons. Much of the centre portion of the bore was through solid rock. The work has been carried out under the supervision of Mr. J. G. Sullivan, chief engineer of the Western Lines of the C. P. R.

Previous to this the longest railway tunnel on the American continent was the Hoosac Tunnel, 41 miles long, on the New York Central Railway line. The work of the Connaught Tunnel began in 1914, and has progressed steadily since that time. The contractors who had the work in hand applied an entirely new method in tunnel piercing, known as the "Pioneer Bore." It consists of an entirely separate tunnel driven in a line fifty feet parallel with the course of the main passage through the mountain.

The tunnel, which is 29 feet wide and 23 feet high, follows a straight line under Mount MacDonald, emerging in the Beaver Valley at a point about 1,000 feet below the present line. The eastern entrance is directly below Hermit, a station just east of Rogers Pass. The highest point reached in the tunnel is 3,795 feet above the sea level and 4,065 feet below the summit of MacDonald Peak. The passage through the mountains will have a grade of 1 per cent. up to the interior summit.

Previous to the war the C. P. R. annually spent from $25,000,000 to $35,000,000 on the development of the West, and the excavation of the Connaught Tunnel during the period of hostilities shows that Canada is strong to advance at home as she is undoubtedly strong to fight abroad.

On July 17th, 1916, his Royal Highness, the Duke of Connaught, paid a visit to the tunnel and complimented the Canadian Pacific on the progress that the company was making. Then he baptised the new work "The Selkirk Tunnel." Some weeks later at the request of Lord Shaughnessy, His Royal Highness consented to have the tunnel called after himself. Henceforth it is to be called "The Connaught Tunnel."

Improvements have been made to several stations along the Canadian Pacific, but the two notables are the new stations erected at Quebec and North Toronto. The latter on upper Yonge Street, was formally opened on June 14, when Mayor Church started the first train running between the new terminal and Montreal, and declared the station to be opened for traffic. Mayor Church congratulated the Canadian Pacific on its foresight and enterprise, dealt with the good relations that existed between Toronto and the company, and referred to the offer of the old station to the city, to be used as a market place. Amongst the speakers was Sir James Carroll, New Zealand, who, in expressing his felicitations, described the C. P. R. as a powerful factor in the Empire.

The new station at Quebec, which was opened on August 19th, is a triumph of modern railway station construction. The building has a central block and two wings, is akin to old French chateau style of architecture, and is admirably adapted to the quaintness of the old French-Canadian city. On the outside of the station building there is a pretty ground which in the summer time, when its shrubs and flowers are abloom, will be a beautiful set-off to the stately edifice. At the banquet, held on the occasion of the opening, Mr. A. D. MacTier, General Manager of the Eastern Lines, presented a silver key bearing the coat of arms of the city of Quebec to Mayor Lavigueur. It is interesting to note that the large window over the main entrance, which helps to light the ticket lobby, contains the arms of the seven great men of Canadian history, viz.:—Montmagny, the first Governor of Canada, 1636-1647; De Tracy, Viceroy of Canada, 1663; Beauharnois, Governor of Canada, 1726-1747; Montcalm and Wolfe, the famous French and English generals, whose names are familiar to all; Frontenac, Governor of Canada, 1672, and Talon, the first Intendant of New France, 1665-1672.

Recently the C. P. R. acquired the Lake Erie and Northern Railway, and by doing so brought their lines into touch with a flourishing and interesting territory in Western Ontario, running from Galt to Port Dover. The new line has connection with the Canadian Pacific main line at Galt and runs in conjunction with the G. P. & H. Railway, which gives access to Kitchener and intermediate points, as well as direct connection with Port Dover, Brantford and intermediate points. The district in which the L. E. & N. runs will benefit much by the new life which the C. P. R. is putting into the train service there. The transportation of the farming produce, so abundant in this part, will be facilitated, and tourists who wish to travel in the beautiful locality will find a convenient and satisfactory service.

During the year a new railway station was built at Brantford, as a result of an agreement between the C. P. R. and the Hamilton Railway. The new station is to be used by both. The building will be a pretty set off to the town, and a convenience to the travelling public, as well as for the business people in the neighborhood.

The Canadian Pacific Ocean Services had a busy and most successful year. On the Pacific the Empress of Russia and the Empress of Asia, two of the biggest C. P. R. vessels, which were released by the Admiralty, have returned to their usual routes between Vancouver and Hongkong.

The Canadian Pacific is spending $1,500,000 on the development of the port of Vancouver. Greater trade with Russia was one of the big ideas expounded in shipping circles during the later parts of the year. It was with a view towards developing trade with Russia that the C. P. R. appointed Mr. Owen as their general agent at Vladivostock, where he will look after the handling of business.

During the summer improvement work has been carried out at the C. P. R. terminal at St. John, N.B., making it possible to handle freight in a more expeditious manner than in the past. The large piers in the course of erection last year have been completed, and many new tracks have been laid down, so that there is accommodation now at Sand Point for about 1,500 cars. Several new shipping berths which had been under construction during the year are now in use and at least 25 more ocean steamships can be handled in excess of the number that was handled at the port last winter.

Never a year passes without some alterations being made to the various hotels constituting the long chain which stretches from coast to coast owned and operated by the Canadian Pacific. The comfort and convenience of its patrons are ever in the minds of the management, and it is these factors which dominate all improvements.

At the Lake Louise a new kitchen has been completed which is one of the finest on the continent.

It is something like thirty years since the Canadian Pacific Ry. built its first hotel in Vancouver. Since that time various extensions and alterations have been made costing tremendous sums of money, and now the Hotel Vancouver stands one of the most magnificent hotels on the American Continent, and is complete with the exception of the new dining room, construction of which has to be postponed for the present.

The Algonquin Hotel, a very popular bostelry on the Atlantic coast, has been slightly altered, the office has been moved to the space formerly used as a drawing room, and the old office now forms an extension of the lounge, so that this splendid large room with its two fireplaces is now devoted exclusively to the comfort of the guests without interruption from the office routine. In 1917 there will be new quarters erected for the staff.

One of the most famous hotels in the world is the Banff Hotel, with its most picturesque surroundings in the heart of the Canadian Pacific Rocky Mountains—the delight of the tourist. Here the C. P. R. has built a new boiler house, and a "Helps' Dormitory." This was quite a large work, and a valuable acquisition to the stately hostelry.

The decision of Lord Shaughnessy to provide, through the department of Natural Resources of the C. P. R., farm homes for many of the returned soldiers, is a further proof of his desire that those who take part in the war will have recognition of their services. The extent and magnitude of the work of preparing 1,000 farms will be realised when it is noted that it involves: Building 1,000 houses, building 1,000 barns, constructing 1,300 miles of fence, digging 1,000 wells, breaking and cultivating 50,000 acres. The buildings will require about 20,000,000 feet of lumber to erect. The preparation of the farms will entail an expenditure of about $5,500,000.

Early in the year Lord Shaughnessy decided that Dominion-wide organization should be formed for scientific research in connection with Canada's vast metal, hydro-electric and chemical resources, which would ultimately result in the practical application to industry of many minerals heretofore neglected or exported to other countries. During the year the C. P. R. proceeded to mobilize the best brains in the country, and to utilize them in the manner which the President, and, indeed, the country at large, deems [illegible] Arthur D. Little, Ltd., the Canadian branch of the well known Boston organization of analytical chemists, have been commissioned to put the idea into practical effect.

The C. P. R. has given more men to the army since the beginning of the war than any other concern in Canada, and large numbers of employees continue to join. The total number of the C. P. R. men enlisted is something like 7,000 and the number of killed who have appeared on the honor roll is 170, the number of wounded 468. Early in the year Colonel F. S. Meighen, a director of the C. P. R., was made a Brigadier-General, and he is now doing invaluable work overseas. Many officials occupy important commands at the front.

Wants to Sell a Battlefield.

One of the most remarkable advertisements ever published is that which appeared in the European edition of the New York Herald a few days ago offering for sale a battlefield in the Somme district, "furrowed by British and Prussian trenches."

It is behind the present British lines, and there can be no doubt about the validity of the title.

Cost of the Irish Mess.

Seven hundred and seventy-nine claims for compensation for property destroyed in the rebellion, amounting to more than £2,500,000, are waiting to be heard.

Army of Girl Clerks.

How women are helping in office work is shown by the fact that while there were 27,000 girl clerks in London before the war, the number now is at least 100,000.

Promoting the Janitor.

They were joint owners of an apartment house and one day the junior partner sought his colleague in some trepidation.

"The janitor wants $10 more a month or he'll leave. I hate to give up the money, but we can't spare him."

The senior partner disappeared and returned in a few moments.

"It's all right," said he, "I've satisfied him, and it didn't cost us anything."

"How's that?"

"The janitor is now the superintendent."

"Good work!" declared the junior partner. "But why didn't you make him superintendent in the first place?"

"Because," answered the senior member, "I knew he'd want a promotion eventually. Every man wants a promotion some time and, to my mind, a good man deserves one."—Judge.

Shipbuilding in B. C.

The Wallace shipyards, at Vancouver, have taken contracts for the construction of three steam vessels in addition to the three wooden vessels already in course of construction. Several other propositions are under consideration. In some of the Pacific States shipbuilding has been booming for some time and the activity is now spreading to the Canadian side of the line.

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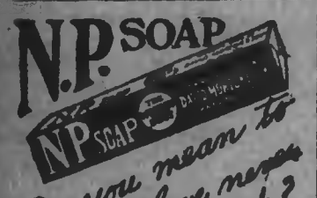

Do you mean to say you have never tried N.P. Soap? It has been on the market since the days of Confederation, pretty near — and it has been the best soap for laundry and household purposes all that time! Better try it — a great big bar for 15 cents

Allies Refuse To Discuss Peace

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Germany was one, Belgium enjoyed before the war a special status, rendering her territory inviolable, and placing her, under the guarantee of the powers, outside all European conflicts. She was, however, in spite of these treaties, the first to suffer the aggression of Germany. For this reason the Belgian Government think it necessary to define the aims which Belgium has never ceased to pursue while fighting side by side with the Entente Powers for right and justice.

Belgium has always scrupulously fulfilled the duties which her neutrality imposed upon her. She has taken up arms to defend her independence and her neutrality violated by Germany and to show that she remains faithful to her international obligations.

On the 4th of August, 1914 in the Reichstag, the German Chancellor admitted that this aggression constituted an injustice, contrary to the laws of nations, and pledged himself in the name of Germany, to repair it. During two and a half years this injustice has been cruelly aggravated by the proceedings of the occupying forces, which have exhausted the resources of the country, ruined its industries, devasted its towns and villages, and have been responsible for innumerable massacres, executions and imprisonments.

At this very moment, while Germany is proclaiming peace and humanity to the world, she is deporting Belgian citizens by thousands and reducing them to slavery.

Belgium before the war asked for nothing but to live in harmony with her neighbours. Her King and her country have but one aim—the re-establishment of peace and justice. But they only desire peace which would assure to their country legitimate reparation, guarantees and safeguards for the future.

A Notable Convert.

The conversion of Lord Northcliffe to the cause of woman suffrage is being heralded as a great victory for the suffrage cause in England. As one of the most powerful men in the Conservative party, owner of The Times, The Mail, and many other publications, Lord Northcliffe had been the uncompromising foe of the enfranchisement of women. Then came the war, and the marvelous transformations which have been brought about under its grim tutelage. In the reorganization of English life, in the most urgent and critical service, British women of all ranks from the highest to the humblest have taken a most conspicuously effective part. This co-operation was not merely a help, but a necessity, and it has grown wide in its scope as the war has gone on.

Now Lord Northcliffe, through The Daily Mail, has gone so far as to say that "at the round table conference," which was to discuss the special register bill, the enfranchisement problem should be included and at least three prominent women should have seats at the round table. He suggested Lady Frances Butler, Lady Selbourne, and Mrs. Pankhurst.

"The old argument," says The Mail, "against giving women the franchise was that they were useless in war. But we could not carry on the war without them. They are running many of our industries and their services may justly be compared with those of the soldier."

An Interesting Smelter.

An interesting and extensive aluminum smelter is being organized at Hoyanfjord, Norway, where there is a waterfall which may provide 60,000 horse-power. It is proposed to develop 30,000 horse-power at once to provide for the production of 4,000 tons of aluminum a year. A number of bauxite beds have been obtained in southern France where the ore will be worked into oxides and shipped in this concentrated form to Norway for the final conversion into metal by electrical furnaces.

THREE NOTCH ROADS.

Their Curious Title Comes From the Name of George III.

In Missouri and some other central western states there are roads that are called "three notch roads." They are public highways as distinguished from the roads that lead to a sawmill, a schoolhouse, a church or an isolated farmhouse. A three notch road "goes somewhere." Proceeding along such a road, the traveler is bound, in time, to reach a town.

There lies behind the curious title an interesting story. It appears that King George III. decreed that all English public roads, as king's highways, should be marked with his name. In the colonies it was often impossible to mark the roads with the care and thoroughness that were used in England, and in the wilderness it was enough to cut three notches on the largest trees along the roads.

After the Revolution, of course, the name of King George was omitted, but the three notches proved useful as a means of marking public roads. Virginia colonists, it is said, carried the practice into Tennessee, Kentucky and Indiana, and their children, in turn, carried it into Missouri.

Originally Missouri had no counties. Later, when they were formed, the state decided that if the task were left to the counties there would be little road building. Accordingly, the state constructed the roads and marked them with three notches. Later, when the counties undertook to build roads, they were designated in the timber country by two notches. Prior to and during the war between the states the distinction was preserved, and three notch roads were always "through roads" that led from one town of importance to another. Two notch roads were less important highways, and roads not notched at all were either rail roads or plank roads. A rail road was a road leading to a camp where men split rails, and a plank road led to a sawmill.—Youth's Companion.

NOT, CERTAIN, BUT HOPEFUL.

Willie Clearly Diagnosed the Case In His Letter to His Aunt.

Dear Aunter—I did not rite to you for a long time now witch is not credibul to me because Henary Begg told me he yoostoo have an aunt very much like you and he did not rite to her for a long time and one day his mother came in very sad and said to Henary your aunt dide yesterday and when he thought of how she dide without getten an answr to her last letter it almost broak his hart and for a long time he could not eat the rest of his dinner.

The trubble is that when we are young and healthy we do not think of how our relitives are old and aptoo die any time at all and so we do not rite as often as we otto and are sorry afterward when it is too late.

Henary Begg was tellen me about his aunt yesterday and how she yoostoo send him presents and sumtimes munney when there was a serkus commen which the nearest one now is two weeks from Wensday.

This makes it all the sadder for Henary. The price of tickets to a serkus is a kworter for boys the sighs of us and Henary's aunt yoostoo always send him fifty sense for two tickets if he should wanto take another boy with him as they often do.

The serkus witch is commen here two weeks from Wensday is Simmons & Sapp's world's greatest nickal plated three rings an plus ultra peerless seareal marvul equine sensasation and zoologicle agergation with the world famous Roamin Hipperdroam and celebrated artnsts in the sublimest spectacles ever staged for the eddification of Man witch I copied from the bills as nearly as possibul, and it looks as if it was goan to be a pretty good show.

I guss all the boys are goan except Henary and me witch are not sorten but hoapful. Two weeks from Wensday.—Saturday Evening Post.

Brief Illness Beneficial.

There are some who confess that they never really read or appreciated their daily paper until they had to stay in bed to read it and suddenly discovered it was rather good reading. And I know men who rent pleasant houses in delightful suburbs, yet scarcely ever see them until a blessed pain occurs and they stay at home for a few days in bed. A few days' "bedding out" might do many human plants a lot of good.—London Chronicle.

Napoleon's Generals.

Many of Napoleon's generals rose from the ranks. Bernadotte, the grandson of a blacksmith; Murat, the son of a tanner; Lannes, the son of a small farmer; Ney, the son of a poor Alsatian cooper; Suchet, the son of a silk weaver; Jourdan, the son of a country leech; Mortier, a brewer's boy; Oudinot, a farmer lad; MacDonald, grandson of a Uist crofter, and Lefebvre, a barrack room brat.

Proud Recollection.

"You seem rather elated this morning."

"I am," replied Mr. Meekton. "Last night my wife mistook me for a burglar. It's the only time in my life that Henrietta was actually afraid of me."—Washington Star.

Domestic Jar.

She—My poor mother begged me not to marry you. He—True! That's the only time she seemed interested in my welfare!—Judge.

Sound common sense without eloquence is better than folly with a fine flow of language.

MATCHMAKING IN INDIA.

One Scheme That Gave a Missionary the Surprise of His Life.

Almost every one who has friends in mission work in India knows that one very important function of the missionary is to play the part of matchmaker to his flock. But few if any have heard of the conditions being reversed and the flock turning matchmaker for their missionary. That does occur, however, as the letter written by a missionary who lives at Tuticorin, south India, tells:

On New Year's day, 1911, as I was seated in my little mud cottage at Tuticorin a number of people entered the veranda and ceremoniously came into my room, bearing trays of flowers, fruits, raisins and sugar, which they placed at my feet like supplicants who desire to gain the hearing of a petition. After all due ceremonial etiquette had been observed and I had indicated my willingness to hear their petition Brother Gnana Draviam, a prominent lawyer in Tuticorin, began reading in Tamil an address to which the others gave strict attention. It ran like this:

"Reverend Sir—You have now for nearly two years bestowed great care and labor upon us, ministering to our spiritual welfare and striving for the health of our souls to such an extent that you have greatly impaired your own physical health, and we feel that you need some one to care for you, since you do not care for yourself. We fear lest your zeal in our behalf may deprive us at once of your life and services. Therefore, with profound humility and sincere respect, we venture to request you to marry a good woman, who will both care for you and help us."

This was naturally a confusing thing to happen, but I was bound to respond to such an eloquent appeal, and when the applause died away I rose and answered with considerable effort:

"Your affectionate regard for my welfare is so overwhelming that I have no words in which to express my appreciation," and sat down, quite faint from the exertion. But the novelty of the situation overcame my fatigue, and, turning to one of the elders, I asked if they had any particular person in mind as one who would be willing to become my helpmeet and be equal to all the responsibilities they had outlined. Immediately Miss W.'s name was mentioned. "But," said I, "I don't believe she would have me." This seemed to me like matchmaking with a vengeance. What a high handed act, to be sure! To order their pastor to marry, and then to choose the girl besides! But the worst was still to come. "We have already seen her and told her she must have you," said Brother Rajappan.

So it was settled. I may add that my wife and I have reason to approve highly of the Indian method of matchmaking, but it should be combined with the western method of courting, as in our case, to secure the best results.—Exchange.

Average American's Taxes.

Somewhere in the United States in a small city lives the average American. He has a family of four, including himself, and earns $517 a year. Some one else in his family, perhaps a stenographer daughter, contributes $330 to the family fund, making the total income of $847. He feels that he pays nothing, or next to nothing, for the privilege of living in a free country, with warships on the sea and street lights in front of his house, with a policeman on his corner, a public service commission looking after his interests and a copy of the Congressional Record coming to him regularly. The truth is that of his $847 a year he pays $140 toward the upkeep of his government.—World's Work.

Circulation of the Blood.

The idea of some sort of movement of the blood in man and the lower animals was possessed by Aristotle and other Greeks and by the physicians of the Alexandrian school as well as by the doctors and surgeons of the middle ages. In fact, even the village barbers knew of such movement. But no one, not even the wisest of men, had any conception of a continuous stream returning to its source—a circulation in the true sense of the word—or of the functions of the heart as the motor power of the movement of the blood until it was demonstrated by Harvey in 1628.

Pilgrims at Benares.

Benares, an Indian holy city, is the victim of pilgrimages. Many of the pilgrims are in the last stage of illness and find their way to the city to have their remains cremated on the banks of the Ganges. A large number of hospitals have to be provided for the reception of the sick, and the distinction of being a holy magnet is not greatly appreciated by the residents of the city.—Exchange.

Brazilian Vessels.

All Brazilian vessels engaged in the coasting trade and carrying passengers, either casually or regularly, and making voyages of more than seventy-two hours between the place of departure and port of destination, must have on board a Brazilian doctor nominated by the minister of the interior.

That's All.

"I did not think you would associate with such a man."

"I shan't associate with him much. I am merely going to marry him."—Houston Post.

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ALGERIANS ARE LIARS.

They May Tell the Truth at Times, but You Are Never Sure.

The chief fault of the native Algerians seems to be a certain predilection for lying. It appears to be an instinctive desire to deceive, not so much for the sake of profit as for the sake of deception. Albert Edwards, in "The Barbary Coast," tells us that he asked his French host why one of his workmen wore green braid on his turbans, since in Persia only those who have made the pilgrimage to Mecca are thus attired.

"Mohammed!" my host called. The tall, dignified native left his plow and came over to us.

"Have you been to Mecca?" M. Gardet asked in Arabic.

"No, Sidi," the Arab said and went back to his work.

"He says 'No,'" M. Gardet translated to me. "But like as not he has been there six times. If they would always lie you could understand them. But sometimes they tell the truth. Perhaps he hasn't been there. If I should ask six of my workmen about it three would say that Mohammed had been to Mecca, three would say he hadn't."

So I stopped asking my host questions about the Arabs. But in all the time I have been in Algeria I have never found a Frenchman who felt differently about it. Guy de Maupassant, whose eyes pierced so deeply through the lies of French life, could not fathom the Arabs. "They are incomprehensible," he writes. "They lie."

THE WORLD'S WATER POWER.

Forces That May Be Utilized When Our Coal Is All Gone.

The following figures may prove of interest to those fearing the exhaustion of the world's coal supply, says the American Machinist. In a summary of the water power of the world the possible horsepower of France is estimated at 4,500,000, of which only 900,000 is utilized. About an equal amount of power is available in Italy, but only 30,000 horsepower is utilized. Falls of 10,000 horsepower are abundant in the Alps.

The estimate in Switzerland is incomplete, but about 800,000 horsepower is in use. Germany has 700,000 horsepower available, with 100,000 applied. Norway has 900,000 horsepower available, with a large part already developed. In Sweden there is 763,000 horsepower available.

The resources of Russia are estimated at 11,000,000 horsepower, of which only 85,000 has been developed. The United States is credited with 1,500,000 horsepower, while Japan has 1,000,000, of which 70,000 has been exploited. In India 50,000 horsepower has already been developed, mostly at a considerable distance from any industrial center. In Great Britain there is 70,000 horsepower already utilized, and an equal amount in Spain.

Being Lucid.

If you wish to achieve a reputation for originality and distinction try being lucid. There is nothing quite like it: "Permit me to thank you for your lucid exposition of" — it matters not what the subject.

What is it to be lucid? It is to write something which the man who compliments you because you have been lucid about it agrees with. No one who disagrees with you ever called you lucid. No woman ever referred to her husband as a lucid husband. No man ever called his wife a lucid wife.—Life.

Something Explained.

Church—What do you think! This paper says that women spend 90 per cent of $10,000,000,000 annually in the United States for food, clothing and shelter. Gotham—Now do you wonder what becomes of your pay envelope?—Yonkers Statesman.

One on the Teacher.

Esther, returning from her first day at school, was asked by her mother, "How do you like school?"

"Oh, school is very nice, but I don't think my teacher knows very much. She could not read my writing."—Indianapolis News.

After Thirty.

"I never saw my daughter economical but once."

"How did that happen?"

"She was buying candles for her birthday cake."—Pittsburgh Post.

A Zoological Freak.

Teacher—Tommy, what is a boomerang? Tommy—I can't describe it exactly, but I know it has a short tail and can climb trees.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

WHO IS BRUSSILOFF?

Cousin Declares That He Is Really Sir Hector Macdonald.

"When a man is dead, then he's done for," runs the old ballad, but there are a few who do not come under this generalization. We have had the famous Dauphin of France, titular King Louis XVII., who is said to have escaped from the deadly Temple, and to have lived in America or elsewhere as various people. And two novelists took the idea as bases for interesting novels. We recall news items how Oscar Wilde did not die in France, but was buried in effigy, and lived to find life anew, hidden away. The mystery of Marshal Ney is an old story. And there was Hector Macdonald, who has reappeared in the person of more than one noted military leader; especially lately, he has been identified with General Brussiloff.

There are, then, men who simply will not stay dead. The story of Brussiloff, while the reverse of probable, is still interesting enough to be reproduced. A writer recently gave out an interview with a resident of Gotham who said she was a cousin of the supposedly dead Macdonald. In this the identity with Brussiloff was put forth. We learn:

The legend of Sir Hector Macdonald is one of the strangest and most romantic in modern history. Charged with immoral conduct in Ceylon in 1903, Sir Hector, then a brigadier-general of the British army, a Knight Commander of the Bath, and a member of the Distinguished Service Order, was reported to have committed suicide in a Paris hotel after visiting London and failing to have the charges dismissed.

Officially, General Sir Hector Macdonald is dead and buried in a little cemetery outside of Edinburgh. His wife remarried many years ago.

Tradition has it, however, that the suicide in the Paris hotel was not Sir Hector, but a traveler in an adjoining room. Seeing at once the opportunity, Sir Hector, according to the story, changed clothes with the corpse, and, in his new identity, departed unsuspected. Like the man in Arnold Bennett's story, Sir Hector went forth into the world with his life to use as he liked.

The legend, which was previously hazy and unconfirmed, takes on new life in the words of this Mrs. Taylor, Macdonald's cousin. The reporter asked a number of questions, trying to shake her belief in the identity of the hero of the eastern front but without any success. The account states:

"I am absolutely certain," she said, "that General Brussiloff is really Sir Hector. While I am only a distant relative, cousins of Sir Hector live in London and Canada and Australia, and I know that they have been in communication with him.

"Sir Hector was a small man, stockily built. Gen. Brussiloff is of the same figure. In his character of Russian general, Sir Hector has grown a moustache, but it does not make his features unrecognizable.

"Many people who did not know of Sir Hector have commented on the queer and extraordinary circumstances connected with the rise of the Russian commander. It is odd, to say the least, they point out, that a man in supreme command of one of the greatest offensives of the war should be of a previous history totally unknown. 'Brussiloff' is not a real Russian name, anyway. And the photographs of the general show he does not look like a Russian."

Smoky Cities Also Foggy.

The relation between smoke and fog is ably set forth in a bulletin issued by the Mellon Institute of Industrial Research, University of Pittsburgh, and written by Dr. Herbert H. Kimball, professor of meteorology, United States weather bureau. He sums up the matter by saying:

"City fogs are more persistent than country fogs, principally because of their increased density due to the smoke that accumulates in them.

"In consequence of the above there are fewer hours of sunshine in the cities than in the surrounding country.

"The sunshine is less intense in the city than in the country, the light of short wave lengths, or the blue light, suffering the greater depletion."

A Free-Handed Prince.

The following is told of the famous Prince of Conde: He left his son, aged nine years, 50 louis d'or to spend while he himself was absent in Paris. On his return the boy came to him triumphantly, saying:

"Papa, here is all the money safe. I have never touched it once."

The prince, without making any reply, took his son to the window and quietly emptied all the money out of the purse into the street. Then he said:

"If you have neither virtue enough to give away your money nor spirit enough to spend it, always do this for the future, that the poor may have a chance of it."

The Armenian Alphabet.

An Armenian girl goes to school at four or five years old, but before that she has probably learned her "letters," which is almost an education in itself, as the Armenian alphabet contains thirty-nine. She learns these letters from a small slab of wood on which they are printed. This slab is fastened to a handle, making it something like a hair-brush in shape. The Armenians boast that their formidable alphabet is so perfect as to give every sound known to any other nation.

Burn Silk Before Buying.

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A Slight Difference.

The globe trotter was telling about the wonders of India.

"The scenery in some portions of the country," he said, with enthusiasm, "is incomparable. Far, far away, the mountains pile up toward the sky, and stretching off to them are beautiful valleys, while close at hand you can get in sight of a man eating tiger"—

"I beg your pardon," interrupted an eager listener, "but did you say inside of a man eating tiger or in sight of one?"

Rain as a Fertilizer.

Rain, especially when accompanied by thunder and lightning, has a fertilizing effect upon the soil. There is almost always ammonia in the air, and this is carried by the rain into the earth. It has been calculated that a quart of rainwater may contain about one-eightieth of a grain of ammonia.

The Woodpecker's Tattoo.

Heard a woodpecker tapping the trees in the high woods. How strangely he is constructed! If we chopped our teeth on a stick loud enough to be heard a hundred feet off, at the end of an hour our jaws and gums would be so sore we could not bear it. But the woodpecker seems to suffer no inconvenience.

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Military Guards Still Encircle Kitchener News Record Block

Editors of the Paper Which Was the Official Organ of the Citizens' League Lay Blame For Last Night's Trouble Upon Members of the 118th Battalion Who Were Home on Leave---Bulgarians Claim Success in Region of Macin Bridgehead

A SUMMARY OF TO-DAY'S WAR CABLES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

KITCHENER, January 2.—Military guards still encircle the block which includes the office of the Daily News Record, which was the centre of the disturbance last night, when following municipal elections, soldiers on leave from London camp, smashed up the News Record office, the organ of the Citizens' League. Major B. Osborne, Assistant Provost Marshall of the London Military District, has charge of the situation. No arrest were made here as soldiers who are said to have done damage, got away to London before the military guard from Galt arrived on the scene. It is understood that instructions have been sent to London to effect the arrests of soldiers responsible. In the meantime troops from Galt, the 122nd Battalion, will remain in charge till Mayor-elect David Gross, Jr., is satisfied that their services to maian order are no longer required. It is expected that they will return to headquarters in Galt, as disturbances were confined largely to the News Record area and leaders of the affair were undoubtedly soldiers. The editors of the News Record say that the soldiers of the 118th Battalion home on leave from London, were entirely responsible for the trouble.

Carrying folded flags two dozen members of the 118th entered the News Record office and asked the city editor why a certain article appeared, and jumping on to the business counter Sergeant Bowded read the item aloud, and with gesticulations fired his followers to action which was a general smash-up from the front to the back of the building.

.... Editor Uttley declares that all men of the 118th home on leave are not to blame for the riotous conduct of a few. Now new developments are expected unless the promise of some members of the 118th Battalion to return to-night is fulfilled. The News Record will publish to-day as usual.

Leaders of the Citizens' League this morning declared themselves absolutely loyal to Britain and the cause of Britain, and said they have no desire to revert the city to the name of Berlin. The issues between the Citizens' League and the British League, they say, were entirely local municipal politics, and many of the men elected are British born and of British parentage. On the other hand leaders of the British League this morning while showing no sympathy for the rioters, declare that the result of the municipal elections would be to make Kitchener uncomfortable for British sympathizers to live in.

Bulgars Claim They Took 1500 Prisoners

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

SOFIA, January 2.—Fifteen hundred men, sixteen officers, four field guns and 19 machine guns were captured by Bulgarian forces in the offensive around the bridgehead of Macin, to-day's official said.

Answer of Entente to President Wilson

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, January 1.—The answer of the Entente powers to President Wilson's note, according to the Matin, will contain a long, detailed account of the origin and objects of the war. It will include also a declaration by the Belgian Government "thanking the generous American nation for the immense services rendered during the last two years," and expressing its "confidence in America's friendly collaboration for the future."

The answer, the Matin says, will contain all the facts justifying in the eyes of actors in, and spectators of, the great struggle, the determination and will of the allies.

The reply of the Entente allies to the peace not of President Wilson will follow the same course on the answer to the Central Powers. Great Britain and France already have agreed on the draft, which has been submitted to the other members of the Entente, and on their approval will be handed to the American Ambassador, William G. Sharp, in Paris, it is officially announced.

The original draft, like the reply to the Central Powers, will be written by the French authorities after consultation with the allies of France.

Only Son of Harry Lauder is Killed

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, January 2.—Capt. John Lauder, of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, only son of Harry Lauder, has been killed in France. In late years all Harry Lauder's hopes and ambitions have centred in his son, who was graduated from Cambridge and was about to begin his training as a lawyer when the war broke out, although Lauder, writing in the Sunday Herald yesterday, said: "When my son comes home from the wars I hope he will take kindly to thoughts of sheep farming and become established a decent Scots laird, growing the nation's meat. That's the life that is a reality ,but most of your doings in town are just a cinema show."

Generally Quiet On the French Battle Front

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

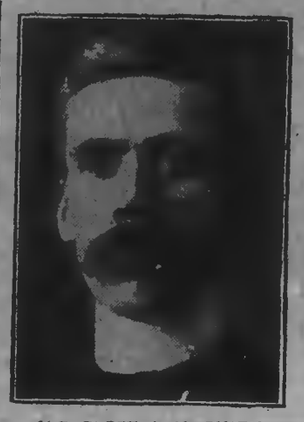
PARIS (French Official), January 2.—Skirmishing around small posts in the woods of Lepretre and Jury northwest of Hiry were the only features of the fighting on the western front. The night was generally calm.

BERLIN, January 2.—"With thanks to God, with pride in Germany's strength and confidence that the coming year will bring new victories we hold on," declared Kaiser Wilhelm in a New Year's message to Empress Augusta Victoria.

Frank Replies To National Service Cards

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, January 2.—This is national registration week, and already the incoming mail bags are filled with cards containing replies to the 24 questions put to all Canadian males between ages of 16 and 65 by the National Service Commission. The replies received so far are from those living within a day's travel of the capital. The replies in practically all cases are frank and open, showing willingness to answer the 24 questions asked. Speaking at the dinner to returned soldiers yesterday, Premier Borden said he realized that the days of voluntary recruiting were practically at an end, and more efficient measures would have to be taken to fill up the ranks of the Canadian expeditionary force.



ALD.-ELECT J. H. SMITH
Winner of the Aldermanic Election in East City, where Ald. Evans was defeated.

MARTIAL LAW IN KITCHENER AFTER ELECTION

British League's Candidates For Municipal Honours Were All Defeated--Squad From Muskoka Battalion Patrols Streets

THE "NAME" AN ISSUE

KITCHENER, Jan. 1.--Instead of the electors of Kitchener celebrating victory for the successful candidate for the Mayoralty to-night the city is under martial law, 100 men of the 122nd Muskoka Battalion, stationed at Galt, parading the streets of the city to preserve order, this state of affairs following the landslide of the Citizens' League, which was organized shortly after the majority of the electors decided that the name of Kitchener should take the place of Berlin. To-day's municipal election resulted in Ald. David Cross, jr., the Citizens' League nominee, for the mayoralty, defeating Ald. W. E. Gallagher, of the British League, by a majority of 754. In addition, the Citizens' League was successful in electing its entire slate of 15 men for the City Council, two members to the Water Commission, two members to the Light Commission, and three out of six to the Public School Board.

Name-Changing Issue.

The municipal fight was waged between the two leagues primarily on the name-changing issue, but during last week the Citizens' Leaguers declared that the name question was not an issue until after the war. Instead the organ of the Citizens' League, the News-Record, appealed to the old-timers to show by their votes to-day who would control this city in future, with the result that the entire German vote in all parts of the city showed its strength and gave their candidate for Mayor, Ald. Cross, who declared at the nomination meeting that "legally the name of the city was Kitchener, but in his heart it was Berlin," a majority of 754 and piled up large votes for the 15 candidates of the City Council, five of whom were members of the Council of last year. Ald. H. Huehnergard headed the list with 1,845 votes.

When the results were being reported and it became known that the Citizens Leaguers were successful, the soldiers of the 118th Battalion formed a parade on King Street and marched to the tune of patriotic airs until they reached the News-Record office, where some unknown person, it is alleged, attempted to grab the Union Jack away from Sergt.-Major Blood. This aroused the anger of the men in khaki and in a very short time the front plate-glass window of the News-Record was smashed and the office was entered by scores of soldiers.

During the melee Ald.-elect H. M. Bowman and N. Asmussen attempted to stop the soldiers and were roughly handled, the former being struck on the head by a chair and the latter was knocked forcibly to the floor. Provost-Marshal Osborne, of London district, was in the city and immediately appeared on the scene and called upon the men to disperse. They did so and shortly after a message was sent to Galt for a

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93RD MAN WOUNDED

Fortieth Casualty Among Members of Peterboro' Battalion Reported —247th Battalion Canvass Begins This Afternoon

TO-DAY'S MILITARY NEWS

Another ex-member of the 93rd Battalion is officially reported wounded, making a total of 40 casualties in the Peterboro unit. Mrs. Theodore E. Kimball, 297 King street, has received official word from Ottawa that Pte. Theodore Kimball, of the 5th C.M.R., late of the 93rd Battalion, has been admitted to hospital on December 10th. Pte. Kimball is a well-known resident of Peterboro, who enlisted with the 93rd Batt.

A letter received by a member of the Examiner staff, from Sergt. L. Millership, formerly of the military police of the 93rd Batt., states that he has been transferred to the 1st Canadian Military Police for duty in France. "I have had to give up one stripe to get into that unit but I can get to France instead of "bumming around" England.

Messages of appreciation and gratitude have been received from Sergt. J. H. Williams, Sergt. Wm. Jones, West Sandling Camp, Sergt. E. Sutherland, Witley Camp, and Sergt. B. J. Palin, Shorncliffe, by Mr. L. J. Colling, Principal of the South Central School, for the Christmas parcels prepared by the pupils for the fathers or brothers or friends of the pupils of the school. Sixty parcels were forwarded from the school and the pupils received great pleasure in their "doing a bit" for the Empire.

The music belonging to the 93rd Batt. Band, which was lost for a few days in the journey from Quebec to Peterboro, has arrived. The band reported for duty this morning and were soon hard at work rehearsing. They will make their first appearance in public since their return, at the hockey game at the Brock street rink to-night.

The 247th Battalion canvas of the eligibles of the city, commenced this morning. Fourteen hundred men of military age, are to be interviewed.

Lt. A. H. Cameron, Sergt. J. C. Gamey, and Corp. A. E. Cole, of the 247th Batt., leave to-night to take a course at the School of Bayonet Fighting and Physical Training at Kingston. Lt. D. Shook, Lt. V. J. Moderry, Sergt. A. C. Cole, Pte. C. G. Pilkey and Pte. D. MacLeod, left this morning to attend the I. S. of I., at Kingston.

A Returned Soldier.

Private Horace Urquhart, of the Royal Canadian Regiment, is in the city after an absence of twenty-one months at the front. Pte. Urquhart is visiting his sister here, and will stay here if he can secure satisfactory employment. Pte. Urquhart was surprised at the reception which he received upon his arrival in the city. He first called at the Empress Hotel where he was cordially welcomed by Mr. George Graham, and later upon calling at Yeotes cigar store failed in an attempt to purchase some cigars. The smokes were given to him by Mr. Yeotes. These and several other similar experiences led Pte. Urquhart has had o strenuous borough is not slow to welcome in a practical way a returned soldier. During the past twenty-one months

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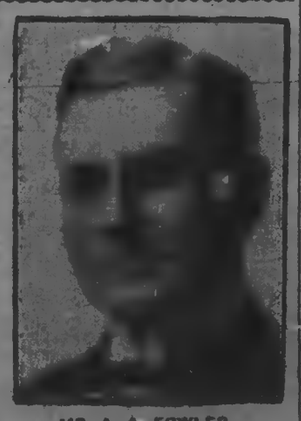
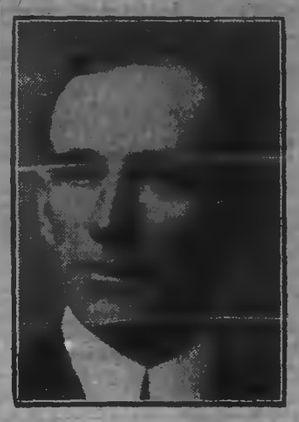


MR. A. A. FOWLER
Who headed the polls in the Board of Education race.

Alderman George Evans Will Demand A Recount



ALD.-ELECT W. H. TAYLOR
Who defeated Ald. Edgar in the South Ward Race.

DISTRICTS AND DAYS FOR COLLECTION OF NAT. SERVICE CARDS

Postal Carriers Will Collect Cards From Entire City and Citizens Are Requested to Co-operate to Fullest Extent

NOTICE THE DATES

The National Service cards are being collected in districts which the citizens are requested to notice. If they will have the cards ready on the particular days of collection and respond to the postal carriers' calls they will materially facilitate the work and assist the letter carriers.

The districts and their dates of collection are as follows:

Tuesday, Jan. 2nd—All East City.

Wednesday, Jan. 3nd—All north of London street west of the river and east of Donegal street.

Regular carriers—G. Stevens and Gilbert Harris.

Thursday, Jan. 4th — All east of Park street to the river from London street south to Brock street; all north of Charlotte street west of Bethune street, and east of Park to Brock street.

Regular carriers—E. Lee and W. Rogers.

Friday, Jan. 5th—All Park street and west to the Boundary from Wolfe street to Smith street; also all Charlotte street.

Regular carriers—G. Davis and C. A. Stenton.

Saturday, Jan. 6th — All north of Lansdowne street and south of Wolfe street; also Reid and Rubidge streets to and including Sherbrooke street and Dalhousie from Stewart to Park street.

Carriers—G. Downer and B. Stevens.

Monday, Jan. 8th—Water street from Brock street south; also north of Wolfe street east of and including Stewart street south of Charlotte; also Rubidge and Reid streets from Sherbrooke to Charlotte street, and King street east of Park street.

Regular carrier—J. Grisdale.

The centre route south of Brock street, west of Water street, east of Bethune and north of Charlotte will be collected by Mr. W. Stewart, the regular carrier during the present week.

EASY.

In the old days when a person suffered with their eyes, they had to go on suffering because science had not made the great strides in optics that it has done in the past few years. Now it is comparatively easy for a person suffering with their eyes or head to obtain relief, by consulting an eye specialist. See Dr. Lacey, and See Better. 410 George Street.

BIG YARN SALE

Thurs., Fri. and Sat., Jan. 4th 5th and 6th.

Donner-Worth Yarns, the biggest value for your money. Reg. $1.60 and $1.75 per lb., now $1.29 in all colours.

82 Hunter St

4d-1 East of St. John's Church

First Returns Gave the Late Chairman of the Fire, Water and Light Committee a Lead of Five Votes While Later Figures Gave His Opponent a Lead of Four Votes--Fowler Heads the List of Successful Candidates For the Board of Education.

RETURNS CAME IN QUICKLY

To start out with a lead of five votes and then lose out by four votes was the experience of Mr. George Evans, candidate for re-election in the East Ward. There was some confusion in one of the polling sub-divisions with the result that at one stage of the evening, the re-election of Mr. Evans was practically assured. Mr. Evans will seek a recount before the County Judge. In the South Ward the result was not quite so close. Mr. W. H. Taylor loped in with the comfortable majority of one hundred and fifty-one over his opponent, Alderman Edgar, who now as a matter of course, will pass to the ex-alderman class. Both men put up a good contest, and many are the conjectures as to the cause.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Mr. A. A. Fowler headed the list of successful candidates for the Board of Education. He was followed by Messrs. Gordon, Eastwood and Denne in the order named. Mr. B. F. Ackermon ran fifth place, while Mr. Doan headed the list from the bottom up. Mr. Ackerman's defeat was a distinct surprise to everybody, as he has given long years of service to the Board, and has always taken a keen interest in educational matters pertaining to this city.

THE FIGURES.

Following ore the figures:—

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Polling Division—	Ackerman	Denne	Doan	Eastwood	Fowler	Gordon
1 Freeburn's Store	38	36	12	31	35	33
2 Braund's Store	18	20	6	21	28	30
3 Halpin's Store	25	19	7	19	24	20
4 Co-Operative Store	38	32	14	35	41	41
5 T. J. Murray's	37	32	5	33	40	40
6 Storey's Office	14	18	12	20	21	19
7 City Council Chamber	13	20	6	15	23	25
8 Bell's Store	3	6	3	6	11	9
9 Rea and Hunter's	15	19	12	16	23	21
10 Matthew's-Blackwell	27	28	9	27	33	34
11 J. E. Lillico's	43	33	16	35	37	28
12 H. Merritt's house	48	51	28	56	62	48
13 H. Routley's	25	22	13	24	26	21
14 J. Lynch's	19	20	7	23	25	19
15 Lee's House	24	26	19	35	32	32
16 Cook's Store	37	28	16	33	39	37
17 Kennedy's Store	13	10	5	13	17	16
18 T. H. Hooper's	14	18	11	18	26	26
19 J. T. Braund's	34	30	14	41	36	29
20 Swanson's	26	39	9	29	56	30
21 T. I. Hill's shop	17	31	12	25	71	44
22 Coon's Store	17	19	7	23	37	20
Totals	529	557	247	576	734	645

Candidates elected: A. A. Fowler, G. N. Gordon, V. Eastwood and R. Denne.

FOR ALDERMEN

SOUTH WARD.

Polling Div.	Edgar	Taylor
1 Freeburn's Store	32	78
2 Braund's Store	27	49
3 Halpin's Store	22	72
4 Co-Operative Store	25	60
5 T. J. Murray's	45	36
	151	296

Maj. for Taylor 151

EAST WARD

	Evans.	Hamilton.
No. 20 Swanson's house	65	48
No. 21 T. I. Hill's shop	80	59
No. 22 Coon's store	34	46
	149	153

CARBOLIC ACID CAUSE OF DEATH

Mrs. Edward Tighe Found Dead in Bed Sunday Morning—Empty Bottle Told the Story

Following a family row on Saturday night, Mrs. John Edward Tighe was found dead in bed of carbolic acid poisoning on Sunday morning at her home, 513 Donegal street. When P. C. Pratt arrived at the house at 10.40 a. m. on Sunday he found an empty bottle of carbolic acid that had been bought at Madill's drug store on Saturday. There were also three empty liquor cases and a half bottle of whiskey. Dr. Amys was present when P. C. Pratt called and stated that death was due to carbolic poisoning.

At a late hour on Saturday night Police Sergt. Reid and Constable Deannard were called to the Tighe home to quell a disturbance which Tighe and his wife were carrying on to the annoyance of the neighbours. According to their report Mrs. Tighe complained that her husband had been drinking and that she and her mother-in-law had been driven out the police left, but when they had and that his wife appeared to be taking the initiative in the disagreement. After restoring a semblance of order gone a short distance they turned to see the two women standing in front of the house.

The late Mrs. Tighe was Mary Anne Heffernan of Douro. The funeral will take place on Wednesday to the Little Lake cemetery.

LINE-UPS FOR TO-NIGHT'S GAME WITH LINDSAY

Although the weather is mild to-day the ice at Brock Street Rink is in good shape for to-night's game between Lindsay and the 247th Battalion, the opening hockey game of the season. The 247th Band will furnish music. Stanley Burgoyne of Toronto will referee the battle and the teams will line up as follows:

Lindsay	247th
Goal.	
O'Loughlin	Leggitt
Right Defence.	
Norton	Thornton
Left Defence	
A. Carew	Halpin
Rover	
G. Carew	Flanagan
Centre	
McElroy	Armstrong
Right Wing	
Griffin	Adams
Left Wing	
Haugh	Evans

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THE LOCAL ELECTIONS.

Our local elections are over. The fact of so many being elected by acclamation concentrated the aldermanic fight and intensified it in two of the wards, with, in one case, close results, and in the other, a sweeping victory for the successful candidate, Mr. W. H. Taylor, Ward No. One is generally a fighting district of the city. In the School Board contest there were six good candidates in the field, and consequently four good men were elected. The retirement of Mr. Ackerman is something of a surprise. As chairman of the Board and a member with large experience, it would have been thought that his implied qualifications would have made larger appeal to the electorate, who, however, have the matter of their representation in their own hands. It seems certain that the gentlemen favoured and returned will give the good services expected of them, in keeping with the generally good character of the administration of the Board of Education as a whole. It may not be amiss to give congratulations to Mr. Gordon, who, in the face of strong opposition, received a vote that represents a large public confidence in his ability and will to give good service; and to Mr. Fowler, the novus homo of the Board, for having achieved the honour of heading the poll. Both bodies, especially the City Council, will have the strength, administration, and direction of important matters the coming year, and we can have reasonable confidence that they will measure up to the responsibility which they will both do if they take a course to enlist the cooperation of the citizens, an important condition of success with any representative body.

THE YEAR AND ITS WORK.

The new year faces us with its benefits, its trials, and its sacrifices; with its responsibilities and its rewards; with its duties and their discharge. And the measure of our happiness and prosperity will, under Divine Providence, rest with the manner in, and extent to, which we meet our responsibilities. The highest object does not consist in material success, not in the satisfaction of our more animal wants, but real happiness, real prosperity, and real success can only come from meeting as adequately as may be the obligations not directly associated with our material prosperity, yet supremely important. We have the higher duty to work for others; for our fellow citizens in city and county, and in country and empire.

The key note of the action the year demands is strenuosity. That is the slogan of our armies in the field, of our allies.

Till the battle is done there is no room for rest. We must all, in the words of the metaphor "get down to our knitting." In this we may well all follow the example of the tireless Red Cross women workers. They have ended a year of strenuous endeavour and fruitful work. Boldly they envisage another year's hard work. The call to service has been sounded and to-morrow they meet to organize anew for an even more energetic campaign than that of the year just closed. Not only must they come prepared to outline work, but they are summoned to begin work, to come to the meeting prepared to work.

The spirit of the Red Cross workers, furnishes a splendid example in its simplicity, directness, and practical character to our governments and all our citizens of the sterner sex. We only adequately see our duty when we resolutely and promptly do it. These splendid women make sacrifices; let their homes, to a certain extent, look after themselves; but it is probable that women who look after their home duties in the same way that they attend to patriotic and national duties, have their homes in such order that they can, for a time, easily take care of themselves. Anyway the Red Cross women—and this includes those of the associated auxiliary organizations—show that where there is a will there is a way. The logical sequence of their attitude is generous support by the rest of the citizens. Willingness to work and working create a demand for materials, and these create a demand for more or less financial support.

This emphasizes the fact that the essence of effective local or national success or accomplishment is cooperation and harmonious coordination of effort. We have now the way clear to give effect to this desideratum. Our Christmas holidays are over; we have elected our civic and educational rulers; and we now are in a position to throw ourselves whole-heartedly and with a minimum of distraction into the work of helping win this war, and provide for the home consequences, as related to our returned soldiers, our fellow citizens, and our industrial and economic interests. With a strong pull and a pull altogether at home and abroad, the forces that stand for civilization and humanity will, we hope, end the terrible conflict before another year rolls away. So may it be.

THE HEALTH ASSOCIATION.

The significance of the existence and activities of the Peterborough Health Association, and its importantly "intimate" relation to the promotion of the prime interest of the city, the public health, was greatly emphasized by the occasion of Friday night last at the Empress hotel. It was at once a reunion and an annual meeting. The character of the gathering, its personnel, as in the case of the O'Connell banquet, showed the catholicity of its objects and service. The spirit of harmony, the inclusion of every class, creed and nationality in the work of the Association and in the promotion of its effectiveness and range, represented the conditions that are essential to the promotion of every worthy public service, whether waging war, or caring for its consequences, or advancing patriotic, national or civic interests—harmony of spirit, cordiality of citizenship, and intensity of cooperation, involving effective co-ordination of effort and the greatest of good results.

The report of Rev. Father Phelan, the president of the Association, though complete as to detail of statement, fell far short of conveying the true idea, except to the thinking, the sophisticated and the sympathetic, of the real meaning and extent of the work of the Association. It could not tell the full story or express the real significance of its work; of the visits of the nurses; of their ministrations; of the comfort they carried; of the joy they brought; of the healing they helped, by the most potent of medication—intelligent, skillful and tender nursing. It could not tell, only by suggestion, of the comfort and hope brought to hundreds of homes, left otherwise, with scant equipment of means, of suitable housing or home comforts or knowledge, to fight alone the grim battle with present disease and menacing death; neither could the report tell only in terms of dollars and cents, the benefits of the nourishing food provided, a luxury in these high price times, for the rich, but inaccessible otherwise, and impossible to, many a patient, whose scanty means were perhaps inadequate to the supply of the crudest food, crudely prepared, perhaps, and unappealing to the appetite of an invalid whose one chief need might be nourishing, palatable and tempting diet.

With all the appeal of the Association, by virtue of its work and the benefits it bestows, with all the claim to liberal support, it is remarkable that it closed its year with a deficit of about $100. It is true the occasion of Friday night considerably strengthened its finances; and happy accident was responsible for unexpected display of generosity. The banqueters of the DeLaval Company meeting the appeal of the occasion with a splendid liberality, in their contribution of the considerable sum of $50, is an example to others. Most of them are newcomers to the city, with naturally less of interest in our domestic affairs than other citizens. If all our other citizens, proportionately, supplemented the funds of the Association as they did, there would be no deficit to report at the end of the year. And if all our other citizens had done as much as the proprietor of the Empress hotel, who made it over to the ladies of the Association—"lock, stock and barrel"—for Friday night, there would be as much of a surplus in the coffers of the Health Association as there was supererogatory generosity in Mr. Graham's largess or privilege.

The claim of the Health Association to public sympathy and support are of the strongest. The sanitary oversight of the city, a responsibility of the Board of Health, is important; but no matter how thoroughly its work is done—and in Peterborough it is fairly well done—there are necessarily shortcomings; cases of poverty, disease and suffering that the application of sanitary principles of the most thorough kind cannot avert, will arise. These conditions must be met. They have the double claim of considerations of the general sanitary welfare and the higher claim of our humanity. Here is where the Health Association comes in. Here its benefactors begin. Here it becomes the help of the helpless, the hope of the unhoping, the Florence Nightingale of the wounded in the hard battle of life. The Association works by means, and that means is furnished by the means of the many.

The work of the Red Cross, the appeal of the Patriotic Fund, must be helped and heeded. They are noble causes, but not more nor most noble. Thes insistence of their claim, please God, will soon cease, and the call to action end. But the Health Association and what justifies its existence, and calls for our help will, like the poor, be with us always. We must keep its machinery in smooth working order and in good repair.

TREMENDOUS DEFEATS THE GERMANS HAVE MET

Self-criticism is one of the inherent characteristics of the British temperament. Doubtless that is one reason why we have heard so much of Allied blunders during this winter's stock-taking of the war, and as relatively little of Allied achievements. Suppose we look upon the other side of the picture for a moment, and make a brief record of the series of tremendous defeats which the Allies have inflicted upon Germany? First, there was the fearful defeat inflicted upon Germany at the Marne—a defeat which shattered into ruins the whole ambitious scheme which Germany started the war to realize. That scheme had been elaborated and planned by over a quarter of a century of careful and systematic preparation. Then there have been the successive defeats of Germany at Ypres, which have definitely blocked their long-cherished march upon Calais; and the terrible defeats they have experienced on the Aisne and the Somme. The defeat of the Germans at Verdun has been nothing short of colossal.

Turning from France to the Russian front, we have seen some terrible punishment inflicted on the Teutons by the Slavs, culminating in a defeat of the Teuton forces by Brusiloff that disposed of over a million of the enemy. The recent defeat of the enemy at Monastir, is another significant achievement for the Allies, while on the Italian front a startling turning of the tables in our favour has been brought about. The enemy offensive against Egypt has been smashed, and the Russian capture of Armenian territory from the Turko-German forces has been a staggering defeat for them. In addition to this we have seen German power absolutely smashed out of existence in the Islands of the Pacific, in China, and in vast portions of the African continent.

On the sea, Germany has suffered even worse. German raiders on the Pacific have been blown to atoms. Von Spee's fleet was annihilated off the Falklands by one of the most brilliant naval victories in history. Germany's Navy suffered another cruel blow by Admiral Beatty's victory off Heligoland, and it met real disaster at the hands of the British in the Jutland battle. In addition to this Germany's merchant fleet has been absolutely driven off the seas, and her whole foreign commerce absolutely destroyed.

All this has been achieved, while the Allies have been preparing and building up the great war machine with which to meet Germany in that vast final clash of arms which is to decide once and for all the fate of civilization. For that cataclysmic event we are now almost ready. Germany's minor victories in the surprise attacks on Belgium and Northern France, and her swoops on small nations, like Serbia, Montenegro, and Rumania, weigh but lightly against the succession of defeats she has suffered. When we talk about blunders, let us ponder on the appalling blunders committed by Germany in the conception and pursuit of her grandiose scheme for the domination of the world, and for the soul-shaking defeats she has suffered. Yet this colossal catalogue of catastrophes is but the preliminary to the final abyssmal defeat which Germany is now draining her manhood to the very dregs to stave off, in the hope that before the great blow falls the hands of the Allies will be arrested by the Judas cry of "Peace."—Montreal Herald.

HINTS FOR SMOKERS.

How To Get the Best Results From Your Favorite Pipe.

A good meerschaum pipe demands plenty of attention. If you carry it loose in your pocket pieces of grit will scratch it. Keep it in a case except when actually smoking it.

If you wish to color a meerschaum, bear these few points in mind. Use a strong tobacco at first, shag for preference. Put a plug at the bottom of the bowl. Ordinarily the bottom of the bowl colors before the upper part, but this plug reverses the process. When the top of the pipe has become an even brown remove the plug.

Don't smoke the meerschaum in a high wind or when out in the rain. The wind may color it unevenly, the rain will spot it. Don't let it get too hot, and be careful not to scratch it with your finger-nails.

The best pipe to smoke is a briar. Clean it out once a week by running a piece of string through the stem, and it will give you just as good a smoke and less trouble than a meerschaum, clay, or calabash. String makes a better pipe-cleaner than a feather, as it goes right through the stem and out at the bowl, whilst the feather comes back the same way as it enters. Whenever possible, scrape out ashes in preference to knocking the bowl against any hard substance, as constant knocking causes the bowl to crack. But don't scrape away all the carbon from inside the bowl—just leave a thin coating.

Some smokers always light their cigarettes with wax vestas and their pipes with wooden matches. The liquid wax drips on to the tobacco and taints it. The unpleasant taste of a brand-new pipe can be banished by burning some grass in it.

Snow and Timber.

Few would imagine that the absence of snow would double the price of timber. The greater part of the world's supply of common timber comes from the forests of Canada, Scandinavia and Russia. All of these countries have a greater or less fall of snow. Snow is one of the best non-conductors of heat or cold in the world, and when the fall is a foot deep a thermometer showing 60 degrees on its surface will, if buried beneath the snow, rise to about 30 degrees. The snow, therefore, is an enormous blanket protecting the roots of the trees from the intense cold, besides covering the warmth of the soil. A full-grown pine can stand almost any degree of cold, but a young tree cannot do so. It might sprout during summer, but a snowless winter would infallibly kill it. If, therefore, snow ceased, the enormous timber supplies of Northern Europe, Asia and America would disappear.

FOR NERVE-SHATTERED MEN.

Ontario Provides a Hospital for Soldiers Suffering From Shock.

Ontario has again come to the front in a most tangible way in connection with the war. This time it is not with a gift of money, but in the equally practical and necessary way of caring for those who are suffering through the stress of battle. Recognizing that the war has produced special conditions among the disabled soldiers, the Canadian Hospitals Commission has arranged with the Ontario Government, through the Department of the Provincial Secretary, to establish a military hospital for the treatment of mental and shock cases.

For this purpose the present hospital for mental diseases at Cobourg is to be converted into a military hospital, with a staff and equipment provided by the present organization of the Department. This means that soldiers from Ontario who are brought back suffering from shock will be received into an institution specially maintained to give them proper treatment. So far as is known, Ontario is the only Province where such an innovation has been attempted, and it is regarded by those who are familiar with the wastage produced by the present war as one of the most needed branches of the medical service.

The Cobourg hospital will be made immediately available by the transfer of some 180 female patients to the new institution at Whitby. Special equipment such as continuous baths, vapor baths, electro-therapeutic baths and other apparatus will be installed at Cobourg, while detached buildings will be erected from time to time to provide for an increased accommodation up to 500 patients. The staff will be selected from the most competent in the various institutions of the Province, and should the demand warrant it, part of the new hospital at Whitby can also be used.

In making use of the facilities of the Province for this work the Canadian Hospitals Commission is not divesting itself of any responsibility. The arrangement with the Ontario Government provides for a fixed allowance per day for each patient. In this way a large capital expenditure is avoided on the one hand for the Dominion, and there will be no delay in commencing treatment for those men who are now on their way to Canada or will be immediately sent here.

Settlers' Loans Prove Popular.

Applications for loans under the settlers' loan legislation of last session, already amount to $92,790 for the District of Timiskaming alone, and others are still coming in.

"A substantial amount has already been paid over to the settlers and the bulk of the amount applied for is in process of going to them," stated the Government Loan Commissioner, Mr. Fred Dane.

"We have given precedence to applications from Timiskaming, because we thought the need there more urgent than in other districts on account of the fires," said Commissioner Dane. "One effect of the burning of so much standing timber has been to give an impetus to clearing. With the bush burned off settlers are looking for loans to help them get more land cleaned up and in cultivation, and to get cattle to pasture in the burned areas."

The New Liskeard, Englehart, Matheson, and Cochrane agencies contribute the bulk of the applications. Cochrane has 82 settlers applying for a total of $35,300; Matheson, 52 for $26,100; Englehart, 48 for $16,550, and New Liskeard, 49 for $18,500.

In the Hearst agency away out on the Transcontinental, nine settlers want $2,940; in the North Bay district, five settlers ask for $3,100, and at Haileybury, three want to divide up $1,000. While the legislation under which loans are made permits the Commissioner making a loan up to $500, secured by the settler's property, comparatively few men have asked for so much, the average running around $350.

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FLAG OF BRITAIN FIRST.

Since the Time of the Commonwealth —Naval Term Explained.

When did Britain first assert her supremacy on the Narrow Seas? It is possible that this may have been first done in the time of the Edwards, when the English Kings, ruling possessions on both sides of the Channel, would naturally claim sovereignty over the waters between England and France; and it is quite certain the French and also the Flemish so that this right was admitted by both early as 1330, for in a petition of certain Flemish traders to the English King for punishment of English pirates, he is distinctly alluded to as "Lord of the Narrow Seas"—in fact, they were commonly spoken of about this time as the "English Seas."

Even earlier than this, however, after the great battle of Damme, King John caused it to be proclaimed that all foreign ships refusing to salute English men-of-war were to be treated as enemies, and either destroyed or confiscated, and instructions to this effect were actually issued to the fleet down to the end of the eighteenth century.

In the time of the Commonwealth this sovereignty of the seas was strongly resisted by the Dutch, but Admiral Blake's great victory over Van Tromp and De Ruyter finally settled the matter, and since then every ship of another nationality salutes a British one first. This, however, has now come to be regarded as merely a piece of naval etiquette, and does not convey any idea of inferiority or submission.

Saving Time.

"Say," exclaimed the excited young man with the discolored optics, "I want you to strike me off a few thousand cards!"

"All right, sir," responded the printer. "What shall I put on them?"

"Just print 'None of your business' in big type. Then when the next person asks me how I got this black eye I can just hand him a card and save words."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Ethan Allen's Foundry.

Ethan Allen prior to the American Revolution operated an iron furnace and foundry in Litchfield county, Conn. His iron foundry subsequently furnished much of the shot and shell that was used in the Revolution.—Magazine of American History.

There is no grace in a benefit that sticks to the fingers.—Seneca.

NOTICE!

The undersigned grocers of the City of Peterborough, have placed our orders for grocery stock, in accord with, and are selling to the public, goods that conform to the regulations as set out by the Pure Food Law of Canada. The following stores will be found satisfactory stores at which to buy:

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D. B. NICHOLLS, 209 Stewart St.
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BERT. HUNTER, 235 McDonnel St.
EDGAR PUTTICK, 531 Park St.
JUBY BROS., 242 Charlotte St.
N. ROUTLEY, 392 Brock St.
W. ROUTLEY, Lake and Aylmer Sts.
A. DAVIDSON, 133 Benson Ave.
BERT. HEARD, 239 George St
GOHEEN & MATCHETT, 196 Rubidge St.
DAWSON BROS., 559 George St.
F. DARLING, 521 George St.
E. J. McDONELL, 233 Lake St.
F. LYNCH, 465 Park St.
R. S. GOHEEN, 481 Aylmer St.

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The Peasantry of a Little Known Land

(By the Queen of Roumania)

Roumania is fruitful, of vast plains, waving corn, deep forests, rocky mountains, and rivers turbulent in spring, but sluggish in summer, of scorching suns, icy winters and burning summers. It is a link between the East and the West.

Twenty-three years I have now spent in this country. I have moved amongst the most humble. I have entered their cottages, asked them questions, taken their new-born in my arms.

They are poor, they are ignorant, these peasants, neglected and superstitious, but there is a grand nobility in their race. They are frugal and sober; the one great dream each man cherishes is to possess the ground that he tills and to call it his own. The small houses have a door in the middle, a tiny window on each side, and smoke curls out of the heavily thatched roof. In the evening the women sit with their distaffs spinning on the door-steps, whilst the herds tramp home through the dust and the dogs bark furiously.

The Roumanian peasant is never in a hurry. In summer the carts, in winter the sledges, move along the endless roads, slowly and resignedly. Drawn by lean horses, the wooden sledges bump over the uneven snow; the peasant sits half-hidden amongst his stacks of wood, hay or maize-stalks. He is as picturesque in his rough sheepskin coat as he is in summer in his white shirt and broad felt hat. The Roumanian road is wide, dusty and straight, and the peasants' carts crawl along it, one after an other, in an endless file.

If night overtakes them on the way the oxen are unyoked and the carts are drawn up beside the ditch until dawn. Roumania is not a country of violent colours. It is only the sunsets that turn all its shadowy tints into a sudden marvel of colour.

Very different are the mountain villages from those of the plain.

The cottages are less miserable, less small, the roofs are of shingle and shine like silver. Richer and more varied are the peasants' costumes; the colours are brighter and often a flower-filled garden surrounds the house. Autumn is the season in which to visit the villages amongst the hills, when the trees are a flaming glory. Many a hearty welcome has been given me in them, the peasants receiving me with flower-filled hands. Rustic riders gallop out to meet me, scampering helter-skelter on their shaggy little horses, bearing banners of flowering branches, shouting with delight. The bells ring and gaily-clad women and children flock out of the houses to strew flowers before their Queen.

The church generally stands in the middle of the village; here the Sovereign must leave her carriage, and is led to the sanctuary, where the priest receives her at the door, cross in hand. There is no awkwardness, no shyness, neither is there any pushing or crushing; the Roumanian peasant remains dignified; he is seldom rowdy in his joy. Mostly their expression remains serious, and their children stare at one with grave faces and huge impressive eyes. There are some strange customs among the peasants, curious superstitions.

Roumania being a dry country, it is lucky to arrive with rain; it means abundance, fertility, the hope of a fine harvest — wealth. Sometimes the peasant women put large wooden buckets full of water before their threshold; a full vessel is a sign of good luck. They will even sprinkle water before one's feet, because water is abundance. I have seen tall, handsome girls step out to meet me with overflowing water jars on their heads; on my approach they stood quite still, the drops splashing over their faces so as to prove that their pitchers were full. It is lucky to meet a cart full of corn or straw coming towards one, but an empty cart is a sure sign of ill-luck.

Many a time the inhabitants have crowded around me, kissing my hands, the hem of my dress, falling down to kiss my feet, and more than once they have brought me their children, who made the sign of the cross before me. It is impossible to describe all I have seen, heard and felt.

On forlorn sea-shores I have discovered humble hamlets, where Turks dwelt in solitary aloofness; near the broad Danube I have strayed amongst tiny boroughs inhabited by Russian fisher-folk, whose type is so different from that of the Roumanian peasant.

At first sight one recognizes their nationality—tall, fair-bearded giants, with blue eyes, their red shirts visible from a great way off. It is especially in the Dobrudja that these different nationalities jostle together. Besides Russians, Roumanians, Bulgarians, Turks, Tartars, in places even Germans live peacefully side by side. I have seen a village in the Dobrudja which was part Roumanian, part Russian, part Turk and part German. I went from one side to the other, visiting many a cottage, entering each church, ending my round in the tiny rustic mosque hung with faded carpets and there amongst a crowd of lowly Turks, I listened to their curious service, of which I understood naught.

On a burning summer's day I came once to a tiny town almost entirely inhabited by Turks. I distributed money amongst the poor and forsaken. Excited women in strange attire called me Sultana, and wanted to touch me; they fingered by clothes, patted me on the back; one old hag even chucked me under the chin. They drew me with them from hut to hut, from court to court. Like a swarm of crows, they jabbered and fought over me, overwhelming me with kind wishes. The poorre Musulman women wear wide cotton trousers and over these a sort of mantle which they hold together under the nose. The shape of these mantles gives them that indescribable line, so agreeable to the eye, which alone belongs to the East.

The songs of the Roumanians are sad, their dances slow, their amusements are seldom boisterous, their voices rarely loud. On festive days they don their gayest apparel, and, crowded together in the dust of the road, they will dance in groups or in wide circles, tirelessly, for many an hour; but even then they are not often joyful or loud; they are solemn and dignified, seeming to take their amusement demurely, without passion, without haste. Their love songs are long complaints; the tunes they play on their flutes wail out endlessly their longing and desire that appear to remain eternally unsatisfied.

Few very old houses exist; there is hardly a castle or a great monument remaining from out the past. One or two strange old constructions have been preserved from those times of invasion; square, high buildings, with an open gallery round the top, formed by stout short columns, and here and there in the immense thickness of the walls tiny windows as look-outs. Primitive strongholds, half-tower, half peasant house, they generally stand isolated.

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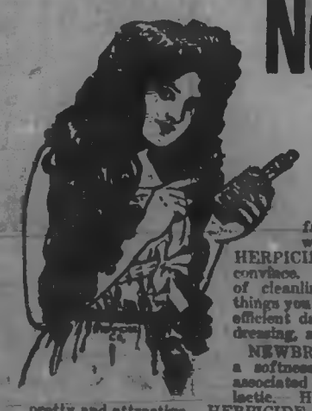

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Third Member of Cattle Thieving Trio Sentenced by Magistate Langley Saturday Night

On Saturday night Clarence Sampson, of Dummer township, was found guilty of stealing cattle from A. E. Carveth, also ofo Dummer, and sentenced by County Magistrate Langley to three years in the Kingston penitentiary.

Mr. E. Gus Porter, solicitor for the prisoner, stated that he would appeal the judgment.

On Tuesday, December 5th, Judge Huycke sentenced William and Davis Hill, Sampson's brothers-in-law, to terms of two and five years respectively, for practically the same crime. Davis Hill was found guilty and William pleaded guilty. Thus the trio of cattle thieves who stripped a Dummer pasture of a small herd of cattle have been finally disposed of, and their experience since early in October when the crime was committed proved to them the bitterness of the lot of the transgressor.

Magistrate Langley reviewed at some length the evidence presented to him and on which he found the prisoner Sampson, guilty. It was nine o'clock on Saturday evening before the trial was concluded, and the eve of the New Year witnessed the last act of the dramatic unfolding and rebuilding of the interesting episodes of this crime. The evidence has been given fairly minutely in the several trials of the Hills and Sampson.

The round-up and disposition of this trio of law-breakers in the Dummer community is in itself a testimony to the vigilance and industry of the County officials. Crown Attorney Hatton has been the pivotal force in the case, particularly handling the legal work and arranging and linking up the evidence. The outside work was performed by County Constable Moore and his staff, assisted by some of Chief Thompson's men, including Detectives Newhall and Meagher and Inspector Boyd of Toronto.

Voice of The People

Correspondence under this heading, containing or involving attacks on individuals or violent or extreme statements, must to secure insertion, be signed with writer's real name, the owner of which thus assumes the responsibility.

To the Editor of The Examiner,

Dear Sir: I saw a letter in your paper on Friday evening that a soldier's wife had said she could not afford to pay her fine for the harm her two little boys had done to those church windows. To tell the truth I don't see where she could find the money, which I understand is ten dollars. I know for my part, that if it was ten dollars that I had this morning I would feel a rich woman. Here I am stuck with no wood and not enough coal to tide me over Sunday, and hardly a cent in the house—not much more than would buy a loaf of bread—and let me tell you, dear sir, that I have not wasted my money either, because it just keeps me busy scraping and saving to make both ends meet. Why is it, when all the men's wages are raised that the soldier's pay isn't raised? Things keep going up but still the soldier's pay never goes up. It is a funny thing to me and I don't quite understand it. I know some men who are making as much as seven dollars and a half a day. How much does that amount to, and seven days a week? Why, it is fifty two dollars and fifty cents — even more than some soldier's wives are getting in a whole month. And I know of some soldier's wives who are getting favored too. They get their patriotic money the same as the rest of us, and they get their wood and coal free, too, because I have had it from their own mouths. Do you think there is justice in that? No, I guess there is not, and I can't see why the soldiers' wives are getting imposed upon either. If they want a few stove pipes put up or a bit of wood cut, the man who does it knows how to charge his 50 cents or a dollar. They think that the soldiers' wives are getting a small fortune instead of the paltry sum they do get. Is it enough recompensation for the loss of their husbands, who are doing their bit? No! No!! No!!! I would not take a million dollars a day from the Government to let my husband leave me again, and go to war. Hoping that you will publish my letter, dear sir, and thanking you kindly for your valuable space, I beg to remain,

A Soldier's Wife in Need.

To the Editor of The Examiner,

Dear Sir,—Allow me, through your paper, to correct the report presented to the Property Committee by the Plumbing Inspector in regard to a test that was made a short time ago:

Now, in the first place, he states that I, in his company, found everything satisfactory. Now, that is erroneous, and that I did not show up is a misleading statement.

The test was to take place at nine o'clock. I was there in company with the Chairman of the Committee (Mr. Saunders), and a witness I had invited to be present. No one but us showed up. We left at 10 o'clock, and the test was started between 10 and 12 o'clock, and was not completed till long after dinner.

I would like to ask if the gave an explanation why he was not there on this and two other occasions that I was officially notified to be present, when no one else showed up. Why he did not mention these other instances that were pointed out to him that are contrary to the plumbing by-law.

Why I was not notified by letter to attend the meeting on Friday night; when I was notified to be there the night previous.

It appears to me that I was not wanted and my presence would be too disastrous to certain parties.

One more item has caused me to wonder why this matter was brought before a practically defunct committee, some of whom may never attend another meeting. Just a little wire pulling and the fares goes on.

Yours respectfully,

Wesley Ross.

SCHOOL REPORT

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Government House,
Ottawa, 20th December, 1916.

Devonshire

National Service Week, 1st to 7th January.

Only Four Blinded Canadians.

A statement issued by the Military Hospitals' Commission recently calls attention to the fact that an entirely erroneous idea prevails regarding the number of the members of the Canadian expeditionary force who have lost their eyesight as a result of their war service. Various agencies have been started for the collection of money in order to provide homes and special training for blinded Canadian soldiers, and unauthorized persons are making collections for this purpose.

"It should be distinctly understood," said Secretary Scammell, "that these collections are quite unnecessary."

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"Up to the present four blinded soldiers have returned to Canada, four only: not four hundred or four thousand, as some people imagine. Of these one was trained at St. Dunstans, England, and is now earning his livelihood as an insurance agent in his home town; his typewritten letters are a model for many sighted typists. Another lives on a farm with his friends, who are well to do. A third is suffering from shock blindness, and may regain his sight. This man returned from Liverpool on the Hesperian, and when thrown into the water after the ship was torpedoed he regained his sight temporarily, but has since had a relapse.

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"The question was, what is the relation of the Church to the great conflict? What is the greatest service that I, as a minister of the Gospel, can render the State just now? If I could raise an army of half a million men by the wave of my hand, or by the same means liberate the moral and spiritual forces of the great Empire of which I am a part, which would it be the better for me to do?

Duty of Everyone.

At any rate it was the duty of everyone to do everything in their power to assist in this national service campaign. We may or may not approve of what has been done thus far. But now that the Government has taken this step—and they should have taken a longer one—by which it proposes to marshall all its resources, and take drastic action if need be to bring them into operation, then we must support this thing with passionate loyalty. We have been fighting up to the present with only one hand, and at that only fighting with one hand for a short time. If we must support this thing with pleading hands, and this was the objective of the National Service week. Among other things the National Service campaign should reveal three things. Firstly, the number of men between 16 and 65 years of age who are fit for the firing line. Secondly, those who may be employed in other ways. Thirdly, the position of all others with regard to the war." This looks like conscription," said the speaker. "Well, let it come to that." As a minister of the Gospel it was his duty to influence the community to acquiesce peacefully to any radical change.

He must continue to encourage and guide those in his ministry to trust in divine Providence. Many of late have lost faith. Many had asked why has not God interfered to bring victory to the Allies if their cause was a good one. Many wondered why He had not interfered to smite the murderers of the Lusitania victims. Others had prayed unceasingly day and night that the lives of their loved ones at the front would be spared, but in spite of it all they had been taken. Some of these had come to doubt the reality of prayer and the existence of a Divine Being.

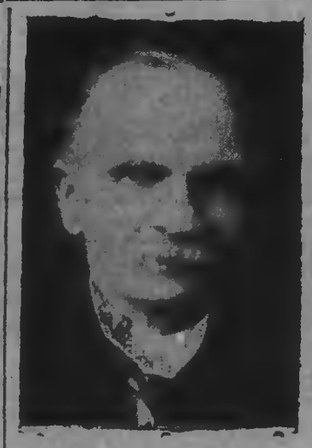
But God is still on His throne. He has not given the world over unto the government of Satan. God is not only over the world, He is in the world, directing and controlling it towards a glorious destiny. He rules righteously, piteously and tenderly—knows all things from the beginning, and is just in all His ways. The God we are asked to believe in is the Father who revealed Himself in Christ. From the Cross we see that His thoughts for us are higher even than our thought for ourselves. The Church has risen to a period of greater vitality than ever before. Some claimed that in the war Christianity had received its death blow. "But I say that there never was a time when Christianity was doing all that it is doing to-day! God reigns, the Church is His church and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it."

Pray as Never Before.

Secondly, it was the speaker's duty as minister, to point to prayer at this time and to pray himself. We must pray because God is God and nothing that is evil shall finally triumph in this world. "I ask you to pray again, from now until the closing of the war as you have never prayed before. Some asked why we had not won in this war. But England would not win until she was on her knees before God. She will not win as long as from her shores come the stories of vice and immorality that are coming now. Were it not for a remnant that is godly she would long ago have vanished out of the national life of the world. The spirit of England to-day is that of self-reliance and self-help, and the people are asking why should they pray when we can get all we need by our own actions. Our whole attitude on this question of prayer in regard to the war has been wrong. We have lacked leadership, and, perhaps in this the ministers of the Gospel have been somewhat to blame. It is prayer that wins because it is prayer that makes us one with the power of God.

Concluding, the Pastor announced that from now until the conclusion of the war he would meet with every one who wished to come to wait upon God on behalf of the Empire at 10.15 every Sunday morning in the Sunday School room of the Church.

MR. G. N. GORDON
Who Polled a large vote for the School Board elections.



ALD. F. H. DOBBIN
Centre Ward Representative of the City Council.

"If you love the Empire; if you love your sons, and desire to see them victorious on the fields of Flanders, if you believe that God reigns and answers prayer," pleaded the Pastor, "come every Sunday morning as I have announced and wait upon God in regard to the war."

AFTER THE GRIPPE

Vinol Restored Mr. Martin's Health.

Wapakoneta, Ohio.—"I am a farmer by occupation, and the grippe left me with a bad cough and in a nervous, weak, run-down condition, and I could not seem to get anything to do me any good until I took Vinol, which built me up, and my cough and nervousness are all gone, and I can truly say that Vinol is all that is claimed for it."—James Martin.

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One-third of the fools in this country think they can beat the lawyer in expounding the law, one-half think they can beat the doctor at healing the sick, two-thirds of them think they can beat the minister in preaching the gospel, and all of them know that they can beat the editor in running the newspaper.—London Tit-Bits.

English Club In Paris.

A new club for English residents in Paris, to be called the Imperial British Club, is to be opened in Paris by King George. The new club, with a subscription of only $10 yearly, will appeal to the 30,000 British residents of Paris.

Good Shot.

Wigg—So young Goldie has become a benedict. What was his wife's maiden name?

Wagg—Her maiden aim seems to have been to marry Goldie, and she proved an unusually good shot for a woman.

A YEAR INDOORS.

"For thirteen months I was so bad with chronic indigestion that I could not go out of doors. Nerves were unstrung, the heart bad, and smothering feelings came on till I thought that I would choke. Doctors' treatment failed me so I began the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, which I thank for my present good health. I am now doing my housework and have a family of ten.

A BENEFICIAL BURGLARY

By ALAN HINSDALE

I am an auto enthusiast because I am especially fond of roying, and I can rove to better advantage in a car than in any other way. Touring in the autumn, when the leaves are turning, I find delightful.

One evening in October about sunset I passed a cozy place a short distance off the road and determined to ask to be housed for the night. Finding the gates locked, I left my auto in the road and, climbing the fence, walked up to the house. There was an ominous silence. Not a dog, not a chicken, not even a cat, gave evidence of life. The nearer view showed me that the window shades were drawn. One shade had not been entirely pulled down, and I could look into the living room. What gives some rooms an air of comfort that others do not possess, unless it is the taste of the furnisher, I don't know. This room was especially inviting, so inviting that I yielded to a temptation to force an entrance.

I made a burglar of myself and with an iron bar found on the place jimmied the window and went inside. There was a well filled wood basket beside the fireplace, and I lighted a fire and sat down in a big easy chair before it.

I dreamed all sorts of dreams about the place, but they all connected me with it, and they were all dependent upon a lovely imaginary girl who was to make me happy in it. After awhile, hearing a step on the porch without, I turned and saw the object of my dreams looking in through the window. At my rate, a girl was there and evidently interested in the person within. I arose and went to the window, the girl retreating before my advance.

"Don't be frightened," I said reassuringly. "I'm not a burglar." And I explained to her how I happened to be there. She heard me through, then told me that the place belonged to her. She would not come inside, but after some hesitancy told me a bit of a story. She had been born and lived near by. She became engaged, and her fiance had built the house with the intention of their making a nest together in it when they were married. It was all ready for their occupancy, and they were to have been married in a few days, when her lover sickened and died. She had never been in it since a few days before his death. Having seen a light in the window, she had come from her home to discover what it meant. I apologized for trespassing and offered to vacate immediately.

"No," she said; "I wish you would remain as long as you like. You have broken a melancholy spell. I live where I can see this house all the while, and I think that it has kept me in an abnormal condition. The moment I saw the light in it that spell seemed to snap."

She asked me to go to her home with her for the evening. I did so, and she introduced me to her mother, a sister and a brother. I passed a pleasant evening with intelligent and refined persons, and when bedtime came I was offered a room for the night.

"No," I said, looking at the girl who had told me her story, "I think it would be better for you that some one should sleep in your house."

She made no reply to this, but asked me to come to her home for breakfast the next morning. I proposed that the family come to the other house for breakfast. Her mother urged this, and I left them expecting them to come to me the next morning.

I slept in the best bedroom, which was in readiness, and the next morning arose early to make a few necessary preparations. In due time my hosts appeared, and all except the bereaved girl took on the merriment of a picnic. But I was happy to find that before the meal was over she had lost much of her sadness. Before I left my newly made friends she said to me:

"If at any time while you are touring you find yourself in this neighborhood please feel welcome to remain overnight here."

I accepted the offer, intending to do that very thing. The next month I rode out to the place, called on my hosts of my first visit, and we all spent the evening together in the vacant house. I asked permission to use the premises for a few friends at Christmas time, and it was granted. I had a special object in this, which was to get the bereaved girl used to merry-making there. I told my friends her story and that I proposed to make her one of the party if possible. They all endeavored to make her forget her grief, and one night we persuaded her to sleep in the house.

This did more than anything else to break the ice, and before the party broke up she had entirely thrown off her abnormal condition.

When the spring opened I began my touring and never failed to spend at least one night in the vacant house. Of course I always visited the owner. It was my object to make her the center figure of my dreams when sitting before the fire the night I had burglarized her house. In this I succeeded, though I was a long while about it. At the end of a courtship she consented to be my wife. There was a wedding, and she and I are now occupying the house together.

The place is singularly pleasing to me, remembering how I came to occupy it permanently, and I think that nature has kindly obliterated from my wife the sadness that once attached to it. This has largely been accomplished by the advent of children.

Behind the Procession.

Hopkins (to his wife)—You might tell Susan that this steak isn't done enough. Mrs. Hopkins—You are three girls behind, Charles; this one's name is Rollnia!

ALD. A. H. STRATTON
Who has another year in the City Council

MAYOR J. J. DUFFUS
Who will head the 1917 City Council

Schools To Re-open On Wednesday

The Public schools re-open to-morrow morning, Wednesday, Jan. 3rd. Parents having children about to commence school in the Kindergarten or Primer classes should see that they start on the opening day.

ST. PETER'S PATRIOTIC CLUB

The members of St. Peter's Patriotic Club are reminded that the work room at St. Alphonsus Lyceum, will re-open on Thursday, January 4th. On account of the appeal to the local branch of the Canadian Red Cross, of which St. Peter's Club is an auxiliary, the members are requested to turn out in large numbers every Thursday afternoon and evening, and do their share to help replenish the supplies which are so badly needed. The work room will be open from 2 till 9 p.m. and there will be work for everyone, so please be punctual and come prepared to work.

The tea room on Thursday will be in charge of the Young Ladies' Sodality and tea will be served from 5 to 7. All are invited to tea. Proceeds of the tea room are used to buy yarn and other comforts for the boys at the front.

A PRESENTATION TO MISS PERDUE

On December 22nd a concert was held in school section No. 7. After the lengthy programme was finished the presents from the Christmas tree were distributed. Among the many presents was a manicure set and work box to Miss Perdue, accompanied by the following address:

Dear Miss Perdue,— We thought it would show a lack of gratitude not to display our appreciation for your kind interest in our welfare.

It is but four short months since we began our year with you to guide and direct us along the path of knowledge. During that period you have always shown a keen interest not only in our ordinary school work, but also in preparing this entertainment. Many precious hours you have spent in practising in order that we might be efficient.

No doubt we have often been a source of annoyance to you by our misconduct, nevertheless we ask you to forget such misgivings in our conduct. In behalf of the pupils I ask you to accept this little gift as a remembrance of the pupils of S. S. No. 7. Signed—

Agnes O'Brien.
Lillie O'Brien.
Francis Sullivan,
Francis Ryan.
Margaret Welsh.

Although taken by surprise, Miss Perdue briefly replied, in which she thanked the children for their kind remembrance.

350 CUPS FROM A POUND OF THIS TEA.

The increased cost of tea in the country of origin and enormously advanced ocean freight rates, have forced up the price of "SALADA," but only five cents a pound as yet. However as "SALADA" will yield 350 cups of delicious tea to the pound, it is still far and away the cheapest of all beverages, and more than that, possesses a unique flavour of unequalled quality.

No Damage Was Done

An explosion of the coal in the furnace at the De Laval Company's factory on Saturday night was responsible for the calling out of the fire brigade. No damage was done.

"It's Confidence That Does It"

Ready For 1917

Every housewife desires to present an appetizing table spread to her family and friends the first week of the New Year.

We have reinforced our stock of Family Groceries, Fruits, Vegetables, Biscuits, Canned Goods, Cereals, Nuts, Figs, Cooking Needs, and an excellent assortment awaits your choice. Telephone if you can not come.

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583 Bargain Annex Event — Wednesday, Jan. 3rd, 1917

Bargain Annex
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Annex Leader. Women's and Misses' Coats Away Less than Half-Price $2.95

Winter coats in blacks, grey and browns. Both women's and misses' sizes 16 to 18. Coats that formerly sold from two to four times the Wednesday Annex Leader price of 2.95
Come early for this line.

15c White Flannelette 11½c yard

A genuine flannelette value, a good heavy quality and nap. 27 inches wide. Any person in need of flannelette will do well to purchase on Wednesday in the Annex. Price, yard 11½c

Extra Heavy 12½c Factory Cotton 9½c

A splendid heavy weight English Factory Cotton—36 inches wide and sells regularly at 12½c yard. An exceptional cotton value. Wednesday Annex, yard 9½c

Women's "Sample" Blouses $1.00 Lines 69c

A new lot of factory "samples" ladies' blouses—styles for spring. Sell regularly at $1.00. As they were samples some need pressing, but are not soiled. Annex 69c

Annex Leader. 48c Brown Terry Bath Towels 33c pair

A new Annex shipment of brown Terry bath towels—red and white centres and borders—fringed ends. Sizes 18 x 40 inches. Regular value 48c. Wednesday Annex Leader price will be only, pair 33c

Men's and Women's High Grade Rubbers 79c and 53c

"Shefford Brand," a good quality rubber. Two lines, one for men and the other for women:—
Men's $1.00 value, pair 79c. Women's 69c value, pair 53c

Annex Leader. Women's Splendid Quality Winter-Weight Underwear 24c gar.

"Watson Made" women's winter weight vests and drawers—splendid quality in white or natural grey—exactly the same quality we have bought to sell next season at 40c garment. Decidedly worth while buying your requirements for at least the next twelve months. Annex, garment 24c

One Hundred Ends. Coatings, Dress Goods, Skirtings and Waistings, reg. up to $4. Leader $1.95 ends

The great Christmas rush left us many short lengths of coatings, waistings, silk poplins, tweeds, etc. A big selection of over one hundred ends in lengths up to 5 yards, and would sell regularly up to $4.00 for the piece. All at one price for the Wednesday Annex Leader at, end 1.95
We strongly advise an early selection.

Annex Leader. Women's $1.95 Satin Underskirts To Clear 69c

The manufacturer made these skirts to sell at $1.95. Excellent quality English satin—are cut slightly narrower than to-day's style demands, but very easily altered; selection of ten colours. Wednesday Annex Leader price 69c

30 inch Striped English Flannelette 13½c yard

Striped English flannelette, 30 inches wide—light and medium striped patterns. This is an exceptional line and is indeed worth a good deal more. Wednesday Annex, yard 13½c

Curtain Scrim, "Sample Ends" 10c each or 3 for 25c

About one yard in each end, white, cream and ecru curtain scrim samples—regular values up to 25c yard. Wednesday Annex rush price ..... 10c each, 3 for 25c

Yard wide 18c Floral Curtain Muslins 13c yard

A new "Annex" spring arrival, coloured floral curtain muslin, in blue, green and yellow with cream grounds—36 inches wide. Regular 18c yard. Wednesday Annex, yard 13c

60c Value Black and White Shepherd's Check Dress Goods 39c yard

Fifty inches wide, a special quality, black and white Shepherd's check dress goods—two size checks. Can be used for many purposes. Wednesday Annex price, yard 39c

Annex Leader. New Shipment, 35 doz., Ladies' Overall Aprons 44c

Worth to-day at least 65c—complete overall aprons with belted waists; pockets have tape bound edges; all sizes 36 to 42 and misses 14 to 18—colours are mostly greys and blues. Annex Leader price will be 44c

27 inch CORDUROY VELVETS 47c yard

Velvets that we are selling at an astoundingly low price—in fact less than the cost of production. Full 27 inches wide, in colours of green, navy, Copenhagen and brown. One of the most popular lines in the Annex. Price, yard 47c

Annex Leader. Women's Dollar White Flannelette Night Gowns 79c

Made of splendid quality soft combed pure bleached flannelette in good generous sizes, with self-embroidery trimming. The Wednesday Annex price is actually less than to-day's cost of production. Annex Leader price will be 79c

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Special Service in Memory of the Soldiers' Who Have Gone Out From the Church and Given Their Lives at the Front During the Past Year—"The Great Tragedy of the War"

GERMANY'S PEACE PROPOSAL

Very cleverly and impressively did the Rev. R. B. Grobb, rector of All Saints' church, blend two great sentiments in his sermon on Sunday evening. The service was one in memory of the soldiers who have gone out from the All Saints' church and given their lives at the front during the past year, and the evening sermon not only paid tribute to those brave boys, but called upon the congregation to lend itself at the beginning of the New Year to the business of winning the war. The great tragedy of the war so far, said the speaker, is not that so many young men have faced death and given their lives, but that so many held back and were afraid of death.

Mr. Grobb took his text from the 2nd verse of the 8th chapter of Deuteronomy, which reads, "And thou shalt remember all the way which the Lord thy God led thee these forty years in the wilderness. "What a marvellous thing it is that we are able to remember! The human memory is something which the wisest man in the world cannot explain. The mere fact that to-night the members of the congregation gathered together with all the wonderful memories of everything they had experienced was proof that we are not earth born. The memory is an everyday evidence of our immortality. The storing up of memories—the carrying of them onward into the next world—this is life. But while we meet to do honour to the memory of those who are gone, we should realize that they too are thinking of us. Death is just one incident in life. We must not think of those who are gone as being cut off in the prime of life, for there is no waste in the economy of God. The giving up of these splendid lives is no tragedy—the great tragedy is that so many are holding back and are afraid to face the thing that we call death.

Past Events.

God wants us to remember the events of the past as a demonstration of God's character, and in order that we may have confidence and faith in the future. The past is a guarantee of the future. The Bible is nine-tenths history. It is history interpreted. God speaks to us not in words, but in what He has done. God's yesterday is the guarantee of His to-morrow.

"To-night," said Mr. Grobb, "let us do a little remembering, first in a national way, and secondly in an individual way. Let us think of what he has done for the Empire and then what he has done for us."

The war cloud hangs very very heavily to-day and we are inclined sometimes to be a little discouraged. History spells the gradual coming into light of those things for which the British Empire is fighting to-day, Democracy, Liberty, the Might of Right, the Survival of the Unfit. In the events since the creation of the world God has shown his hand, his mind, his plan. He has revealed his ideal. Surely God's hand has been demonstrated in the past two years. In this day of rampant materialism it has shown that there are spiritual forces in this world that cannot be crushed Remember the Marne. Remember the retreat from Mons. Remember that Germany is not a whit nearer her goal than she was two and a half years ago. For Germany's goal is not Roumania It is not Greece. It is not even France—these are but side issues. The main issue is between Germany and the British Empire. And Britain is fighting for things for which the centuries have fought.

Germany's Peace.

Germany has asked for peace because she knows she has done what she can. She knows that time is against her. She dreads the year 1917. And we know that time it with us, for time is always with those who are in the right.

Then let us do a little remembering in a personal way. Thank God for these memories—memories of God's goodness to us in the past. For those who mourn a father, son, husband or brother, God's great compensation is "Remember." God didn't intend that these memories should serve only to tear the heart. If that was so he would have made like the animals and given us the balm of forgetting. Let us remember that the cause for which they laid down their lives is a righteous cause. Let us remember that history proves to us that everything of any permanent value that has been gained for the world has been gained along the highway of suffering and self-sacrifice. Only give God time. Let us not be sad on this New Year's eve. The march of years spells the defeat of all that is wrong—tyranny, opression, evil, and the coming in of the good. The march of years spelsl the passing of hatreds and pains and sorrow and the coming in of joy—the passing of war and the coming in of peace.

Fallen Heroes.

Those in whose memory the service was held were:
Private George Wilkins.
Private George Mehew.
Private William Hall.
Lieut. Crawford Rush.
Driver Claude Manley.
Private Arthur White.

The music of the evening was very appropriate and splendidly rendered under the direction of Mr. Geo. E. Chandler, organist and choir master.

The Messiah
IN
St. Paul's Church
ON THE EVENING OF
Tuesday,
JANUARY 2nd, 1917

The Story of The "Messiah"

To Be Presented in St. Paul's Church To-night

The immortal oratorio The Messiah was composed by Geo. Frederick Handel in 1741 and the first performance was given in Dublin under Handel's own direction. Handel was English in everything but the accident of birth. He had himself naturalised as an Englishman and he wrote nearly every one of his notable works in England and to English words.

English oratorio is one of the most successful branches of musical art. There is nothing in existence that can be called an oratorio before Handel, and if it was necessary for us blindly to bow the knee to one single work, no doubt The Messiah would be our wisest choice.

No musical work has had such continuous and enduring popularity as The Messiah. Much of the veneration with which it is regarded is doubtless owing to the subject, but much also must be attributed to the splendid music, some of which—The Hallelujah Chorus, Glory to God, and Amen—are not for an age, but for all time. After all possible allowances have been made for associations, the Hallelujah Chorus remains one of the most colossal things in art. The effect on the London audience (on its early production) of the unison passage in the chorus, "For the Lord God omnipotent reigneth," was electrical; the whole audience, along with the King, rose to its feet and remained standing. This custom has been kept up ever since, and wherever the chorus is sung the audience all rise.

While writing the Hallelujah Chorus Handel said, "I see all Heaven open before me, and the Great God Himself." He knewv his Bible so well that for several of his oratorios he was his own librettist.

No composer has ever understood so well how to extract from a body of voices such massive effects by means so simple and yet so skilfully conceived.

In oratorio at least Handel is the people's composer, and such he must remain so long as oratorio holds its place with the public.

Handel possessed a mastery over a particular kind of choral technique and no one but he has been able to procure that extraordinary balanced clearness of sound. His chords ring out like bells and he can hurl himself straight through the rules of professional orthodoxy with an effect astonishing in its brilliance.

The Messiah is the great Christmas oratorio and embodies the promise of the Messiah, the preparation for His advent. His titles and character, His birth, passion, death, resurrection and ascension, and concludes with the triumphant song of the redeemed Heaven.

The Peterborough Choral Society will render this immortal masterpiece in St. Paul's church at 8 o'clock to-night.

FIFTY DOLLARS FOR THE RED CROSS

On the evening of December 12th, the young people of Lakehurst held a bazaar which netted the promoters fifty dollars. This amount has been turned over to the Red Cross Auxiliary.

Havelock Items Of Interest

Many Visitors to the Village Over the Holiday

Havelock, Dec. 29. — Mr. A. J. Copp of Windsor is at his home here.

C. P. R. Supt. Melrose is visiting with friends in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hart are visiting with friends at Guelph.

Mr. John Miligan of Oshawa is on a visit to his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cook are on a visit with friends in Peterboro.

Miss Gertrude Parcels of Toronto is at her home here.

Miss Thressa Houghton of Toronto is home on a visit.

Mrs. W. J. Andrews of Toronto, is staying with friends in town.

Mrs. Frank Parcels is staying with friends in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Grey and daughter Evelyn of Trenton, and Mr. and Mrs. Penrose of Toronto, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Beatty.

Mr. T. J. Dineen of Toronto, with his uncle, Wm. Dineen.

Mr. and Mrs. William Buchanan and son of Trenton, are with Mrs. A. Copp.

Mr. Clifford Bullied of Toronto, is with his sister, Mrs. S. Higley.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Masters are with relatives at Lasswade.

Mr. Stan. Holcombe of the Union Bank staff, Halifax, is with his parents in town.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Munroe of Campbellford, are with Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Munroe.

Ptes. Acker and Kelly of Queen's Ambulance Corps, Kingston, are at home on a visit.

Miss Grace Primrose of Toronto is with Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Primrose.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Stocks of Toronto, are with their daughter, Mrs. H. F. D. Dreyer.

ELECTION RESULTS.

The Havelock council is in by acclamation.

Reeve Matheson was returned by acclamation.

Next year's aldermen are: Messrs. William Jones (of the old council), Alex. Matheson, Wm. Davidson and Peter Haig. Messrs. Harrison Wing, H. W. Roche, John Howe, Thomas Wright, and S. B. Joyce, were nominated, but withdrew.

For the school board the newly-elected by acclamation trustees, are: Messrs. I. Barlow, Jas. Barlow, and Thomas Wood, the former two being re-elected.

Belmont township will have an election.

William E. Griffith is out in opposition to Reeve Ketchen and the contest promises to be a warm one.

Anderson, Brackenridge and Steinburgh of the old council are seeking re-election, Rylott having dropped out. Colman Elliott and Edwin Hubble are also in the field. Mr. John Scott was nominated but resigned later.

WEDDING BELLS.

At the home of Mr. James McCutcheon at Round Lake, on Wednesday, December 20th, their only daughter, Ella Mae, was united in marriage to Mr. George Albert Harrington, C. P. R. fireman of town. The bride was prettily attired in white silk and all-over lace and was attended by Miss Jeanie Wright, of Round Lake who wore white voile with lace trimmings. The groom was assisted by Mr. Joseph McCutcheon brother of the bride, and Mrs. Hattie Cousens of town, played the wedding march. The groom's gift to the bride was a grey fox mug, to the bridesmaid a pearl brooch, to the groomsman gold cuff links. The young couple left on the 28rd for a trip to eastern points, the bride travelling in a navy blue suit, with hat to match. On their return they will reside in Windsor.

PUBLIC SCHOOL REPORT.

Promoted from Senior II to Junior III—J. Wide, R. Peters, M. Brennan J. Kelly, H. Hooper, I. Matheson, E. Clarke.

On trial: J. Davidson, D. Curtis, H. Long.

Promoted from Junior II to Senior II—D. Carter, H. Fenwell, W. Barlow, P. Plunkett, H. Poupard, L. Jack, F. Barlow, A. Kennedy, M. Clark.

On trial—B. Wood, E. White, Z. Paget, teacher.

Home Health Club

(Edited by Dr. David H. Reeder, Chicago, Ill.

The Benefit of Right Thinking.—One of the least regarded and yet the best of Biblical sayings is the one I have so often quoted, "As a man thinketh in his heart, so is he." You cannot constantly talk about and think about your physical well being with fear in your heart and keep well. You cannot constantly think health, talk health and believe in your health and keep sick.

At a recent meeting of the American Association of Progressive Medicine, I listened patiently to two long technical papers, one of them by a young German scientist, telling all about the actions of certain very interesting germs and what they do to the poor little rabbits and guinea pigs and the other by a very ambitious American scientist, telling of his interesting experiments with non-toxic virus vaccines. The presiding officer heartily commended both papers as he had a perfect right to do for they were really wonderful and showed a tremendous amount of careful research work done in the interest of humanity and for which about the only compensation the doctors will receive will be to see their names referred to in other scientific works.

The presiding officer then said that he wanted to introduce a physician who was his instructor during his medical college days over 30 years ago and who was the author of several standard medical text books. A very vigorous and white haired old gentleman then threw a bomb shell into all the doctors present by declaring that the great majority of all cases of sickness and suffering was mental and not physical. That he no longer found it necessary to use medicine or surgery in many cases and many times when he did use either, it was for the psychic effect.

Here is a paragraph from Edward B. Warman's article in the December Nautilus:

"There is nothing in this world more convincing than the practical demonstration of one's theory. Work of some kind for both body and mind, is a strong factor toward attaining long life.

A man in one of the Eastern states, a farm hand, rounded out the celebration of his one hundred and fourth anniversary by eating a half section of a juicy cherry pie. But when you read the record of the amount of work he does daily—does not did—you will quite agree with me that he could have eaten the whole pie without any ill effect.

Here is his daily programme at 104 years of age: 4 a.m., gets up; 4.15, feed the horses; 4.25, start the milking; 5.30, breakfast; 5.45, curry the horses; 6 o'clock, hook up for the milk train, plough or take out a load of hay; 9.10, chores; 12 o'clock, knock off for dinner; 1 p.m., fix waggon and other odd jobs; 4 o'clock take the cows in to be milked; 5 o'clock, clean the horses; 6 o'clock, supper; 6.30 o'clock, load around; 8 o'clock, go to bed.

Evidently he is not an I.W.W. for he has held his present job for 81 years and, what is still more to his credit, he says he has never tired of his job. Surely it is not work but worry that kills."

I presume most of you have heard of Captain Diamond, who died recently in California at the age of 118 years. I remember telling you something about him when he was 111 years, and we thought he was pretty old then.

Keep smiling, cheerful, don't worry, don't overeat. Keep clear, keep faith in God and in yourself and you will win health, happiness and long life.

Club Notes.

I will gladly answer all inquiries for information on health subjects from readers of this publication if same are addressed to Home Health Club, 5089 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago Ill. Send full name and address with 4 cents postage.

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For the remainder of this week we are offering large reductions in all lines of boys' and girls' hats. As our reputation, in this particular department, is well-known, you are assured of getting absolutely new and high-class goods, at genuine bargains.
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New Year Presents that look well and WEAR well are a source of lasting satisfaction to the giver as well as to the recipient.
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In this line we offer some specially pleasing articles.
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They are always sure of delicious, wholesome food, daintily served, in an atmosphere of pleasant quiet. It is an excellent way to spend a half hour.
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9c CLEARANCE SALE WEDNESDAY

The excellence of the bargains offered for our Wednesday 9c Clearance Sale leads all values ever offered before. Read the list carefully as many of the items are bound to interest you. See the window display of these Goods Tuesday Evening

MAIN FLOOR 9c CLEARANCE SALE

Toweling, Linen, 16 inches wide	9c	Queen Hair Nets	3 for 9c
Towels, Huck, each	9c	Mending Wool	7 Cards 9c
Toweling, Dish, 2 Yards for	9c	Shoe Laces	6 Pair 9c
Toweling, Turkish, Bath	9c	Writing Pads, each	9c
Doylies, various patterns	6 for 9c	Linen Envelopes	4 Pkgs. 9c
Centre Pieces, each	9c	String Beads, string	9c
Ginghams, yard	9c	Brooches, each	9c
Val Lace	4 Yards for 9c	Elastic, White	3 Yards for 9c
Flouncing, yard	9c	Tape	6 Bunches for 9c
Embroidery Edging, with insertion to match, yard	9c	Darning Cotton	2 Spools 9c
Factory Cotton, 34 inches wide, yard	9c	Small Skeins Wool	9c
Flannelette, White or Striped, yard	9c	Bottle Perfume	9c
Pears Soap, cake	9c	Vaseline	2 Bottles for 9c
Hand Scrub Brushes	4 for 9c	Chamois	9c
Face Cloths	2 for 9c	Puff Pins	9c
Tooth Brushes, each	9c	Ribbon, all colours	9c
Toilet Soap	7 Cakes 9c	Handkerchief, Khaki	9c
Castile Soap	2 Cakes 9c	Pure Linen Table Napkins, each	9c
Handkerchiefs, Ladies	3 for 9c		

BASEMENT 9c CLEARANCE SALE

Knives, "Bread"	9c	Fancy Decorated Chips Plates	9c
Re-Nu-All Polish, large size	9c	Fancy Decorated Sauce Dishes	9c
Vegetable Dish, plain	9c	Butter Moulds for 1-lb. Prints	9c
Egg Cups	4 for 9c	Dinner Plates, plain, each	9c
Coal Shovels, each	9c	Bread and Butter Plates, each	9c
Mirrors, in frame, 8 x 10 inches	9c	Cups and Saucers	9c
Granite Sauce Pans	9c	Pitchers, Plain or blue border	9c
Granite Spoons	9c	Cereal Bowls, blue border	9c
Granite Soap Dish	9c	Glass Cream Pitchers, large or small	9c
Granite Cups	9c	Glass Sugar Bowls, small	9c
Granite Pie Plates	9c	Glass Cake Plates, large	9c
Granite Cake Plates	9c	Whisk Brooms	9c
Granite Pudding Dishes	9c	Jelly Moulds, Aluminum	2 for 9c
Granite Wash Basins	9c	Shawl Straps	9c
Egg Beaters	9c	Clothes' Pegs, wire tipped	2 doz. for 9c
Mouse Traps	9c	Clothes' Pins	5 doz. for 9c
Flour Sifters	9c	Laundry Soap	3 Cakes 9c
Toasters	9c	Clothes' Lines	9c
Coat Hangers	9c	Cream Whippers	9c
Sink Shovels	9c	Salt and Peppers, Aluminum, pair	9c
Large Craters	9c	Knives, Carving	9c

9c Clearance Sale

CARPET DEPARTMENT

Curtain Scrim, yard	9c	Wagons, Carts and Wheelbarrows	9c
Cretonnes, various patterns, yard	9c	Books—Algers' and Girls' Books	9c

9c Clearance Sale

Voice of the People

To the Editor of The Examiner.

Dear Sir,—The campaign in the City of Peterborough indicates two things; firstly, that men who put up a good, clean, aggressive fight are almost sure of success. Secondly, no one newspaper can hope to dominate municipal affairs in this city. The attack made upon Mr. Gordon and Mr. J. H. Smith by the Review, no doubt got them a great many votes, and the fact that the Review was wabbling in the South Ward election and neither supported Alderman Edgar, who had an extremely good record, or his opponent, Mr. Taylor, who is a well-known young insurance man, left the Review on the fence. Some good men have gone down in the election, but it will always be so, and although hardships may take place, we are bound by our democratic form of government to accept the verdict of the people, and to assist in the government of the city's affairs those who have been entrusted with that duty and care.

Yours truly,
Junius.

To-Night

PETERBOROUGH CHORAL SOCIETY

Presents

"The Messiah"

St. Paul's Church

TUESDAY, 2nd Jan., at 8 o'clock

SOLOISTS

Miss DOROTHY ALLAN
Peterboro, Soprano
Miss PEARL STEINHOFF
Toronto, Contralto
Miss FLOWERS
Peterboro, Pianist
Mr ALBERT DOWNING
Toronto, Tenor
Mr MARLEY SHERRIS
Toronto, Bass
Mr T. I. PALMER
Toronto, Organist
Mr. JOHN ALLAN, Conductor

Tickets 50c may be had from Messrs Mason, Coleman, Barrie, Smith's Store.

GROUP PICTURES

Good time now when the visitors are at home for the holidays to have a group Picture taken. Make arrangements to sit at—

374½ George Street — The Moule Studio — Phone No. 46

ALD. G. DUNCAN
West Ward representative and mentioned as prospective candidate for Mayor in 1918.

MILITARY LAW IN KITCHENER AFTER ELECTION

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guard of 100 men of the 122nd Muskoka Battalion, which arrived at 10.30, and are now guarding King street. Before their arrival, however, the soldiers made another raid on the News-Record Office and did considerable damage. Martial law was proclaimed by Marshal Osborne and peace was restored.

Took Liquor to Cafe Fined $200 in Court

A young man was fined $200 in police court this morning for having liquor in his possession in a Chinese cafe on Saturday, Dec. 23rd. While drunk he refused to pay for a meal, and when Sergt. Kidd and P. C. Pratt were called they found three bottles in his pockets. Thus the more serious charge of having liquor in his possession elsewhere than in his own private dwelling was taken up, and on Sergt. Kidd's testimony Magistrate Dumble found the man guilty and imposed a fine of $200 or three months in jail.

Bowlers Never Get Appendicitis

BOWLING FOR HEALTH

THE WATER ST. ALLEYS
J. J. SOLOMON, Prop

Anniversary Services At Zion Church

Anniversary services were held in the Zion Methodist Church, Otonabee, on Dec. 31st. Rev. W. P. Wilson, of Belleville, a former popular pastor of Keene circuit, preached at 10.30 and 7:30. The church being crowded to the doors, a thank-offering was taken up which exceeded all expectations. Miss Margaret Lancashire of Toronto, sang very acceptably at both services.

LAKEFIELD PERSONALS

Lakefield, Dec. 30th.

Mrs. Harold Kidd and daughter of Toronto, are visiting in the village, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Kidd.

Mrs. C. S. Carter spent Saturday morning in Peterboro.

Miss Violet McCaul is spending the week-end in Peterboro.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hendren and children, Mrs. Walter Nugent and Miss Elva, and Miss A. Hunter drove to Peterboro on Friday, where they spent the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Watson of Detroit, Mich., are visiting at the village, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Watson.

Mr. Elwood Northey attended the Boys' Convention held in Lindsay this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery of Stirling, Ont., are the guests of Mrs. J. M. Bygott.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gillman have left for Toronto, where they will spend a month visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bullock of Young's Point, spent Saturday in the village.

Mr. Sherman Garbutt, who has been confined to his home for some time, through illness, has left for Montreal, where he will undergo treatment at the Royal Victoria Hospital.

ALD. EDGAR WORTH
elected by acclamation in the West Ward—A new member of the City Council.

A SOUVENIR FROM THE FRONT

Miss Hilliard, Lakefield, has received a book which has an interesting history. A "News from Home," made up by the members of the Patriotic Society of Lakefield, and containing her name, was sent in 1915 to France. During the big drive it was left in a dug-out near St. Eloi and picked up by a private in an English regiment, who returned it to Lakefield, a delapidated but priceless souvenir.

CONSTABLE GOT BALANCE OF FINE

Lindsay, January 2. — High County Constable Cesquergood returned from Bowmanville, where he went to bring back a man who was fined $100 and costs for an infraction of the Temperance Act. He did not secure the man, but he got something substantial, $195, the balance of the fine unpaid. The military authorities at Cobourg are now interested in the man, who enlisted in that town.

Studying Timber Problems.

The laboratories situated on University street, Toronto, in which extensive work is now being carried on towards the better knowledge of Canada's timber resources has a total staff of about thirty, with a technical staff of about twenty-four, eight of whom had enlisted up to date. In addition to the division of administration there are four technical divisions; timber physics, timber tests, pulp and paper and food preservation.

Timber physics is concerned with the study of the physical properties of wood, such as weights, moisture contents, conditions of growth, minute cell structure, and so forth. All the microscopic and photo-micrographic work of wood and pulp fibres is done in this division. In the division of timber physics the mechanical strength of wood is determined to give architects and engineers a basis for design when structural timbers aroused. Now that the Dominion Government and certain private corporations in Canada have decided to use only Canadian wood in construction, reliable tests are valuable in pointing out the relative merits of Canadian woods. Tests have been made on Douglas fir for structural purposes; they have also been made on timber suitable for the mines of Nova Scotia.

"Diogenes the Wise."

With all his faults, the old philosopher of Athens was often called Diogenes the Wise. Whether his wisdom was really so great as to deserve that title may be doubted, but his worst faults seem to have been good qualities carried to excess. In opposing too much luxury he cut himself off from the comforts of life; in his eagerness to make life simple he lost sight of its gentilities; he was saving at the expense of neatness, truthful at the cost of courtesy and plain spoken even to rudeness. One would say that he was coarse grained by nature, but he showed signs of tenderness and even refinement, which proved that the grain was not entirely coarse and which makes us wonder at an age that could produce two men so wise and yet so different as Diogenes, the rude, "walking philosophy" of his time, and Plato, the polished and aristocratic gentleman.—St. Nicholas.

ALD. A. A. McINTYRE
re-elected by acclamation to the 1917 City Council.

Opening Service

Week of Prayer Will Commence in St. Andrew's Church To-night

All citizens of Peterborough are urged to attend the opening session of the week of prayer services which will be held in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church to-night. Rev. J. MacKenzie of Knox church will be the preacher, and the service will commence at 8 o'clock sharp. The Protestant churches of the city are uniting in these services.

MILITARY NEWS

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Pte. Urquhart has had a strenuous career and has participated in a number of engagements.

Pte. J. Monks of the 93rd Battalion, has written to his wife here asking her thank the girls of the Canadian General Electric Co., for the Christmas parcel sent him.

Music & Drama

THE BIRTH OF A NATION.

Once again the famous motion picture, "The Birth of a Nation," is the attraction at the Grand Opera House. David Griffith's wonderful film production, with its vividly drawn portrayal of conditions in the United States just before, during and immediately after the civil war, drew two large audiences at matinee and evening performances yesterday. Last evening's audience was a particularly enthusiastic one and applauded and cheered wildly as the Klu Klux Klan rode to the rescue. The splendid symphony orchestra which accompanies the picture, played even more charmingly than ever yesterday.

Owing to the number that were turned away yesterday a special matinee has been arranged for on Wednesday afternoon at two thirty o'clock. Prices twenty-five and fifty cents.

The advertiser who is deceived as to newspaper circulation is not entitled to much sympathy."

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. F. W. Doan desires to thank all those who supported him in the recent contest for the Board of Education. He appreciates the services of those who in any way assisted in the campaign and to the general public, extends the compliments of the season.

F. W. Doan

CARD OF THANKS

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough:

It affords me pleasure to publicly thank you for your continued confidence by re-electing me a member of the Board of Education. I trust I may be able to satisfy you that your confidence has not been misplaced. Promising that the educational interests of the city will continue to have my careful attention, and wishing you one and all a happy New Year, I remain,

Yours sincerely,

Roland Denne

Card to the Electors

I desire to convey my thanks for the renewal of your confidence, as expressed by your votes yesterday, in again electing me a member of the Board of Education.

Sincerely yours,

Vincent Eastwood

CARD OF THANKS

To the Electors of North Monaghan.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—I wish you to please accept my thanks for the support given in electing me as Deputy-Reeve of the Township of North Monaghan.

I will give all matters in which the Township is interested my very best attention.

Again thanking you, I beg to remain,

Yours faithfully,

Id-1w J. H. Bell.

CARD OF THANKS

Peterborough, January 2nd, 1917.

I beg to thank the ratepayers for giving me such a substantial vote in my election to the Board of Education. I appreciate very much the time spent by my friends in canvassing for me, and their efforts to make my election sure. I was unable to conduct a personal canvass on account of the absence of my partner and another member of my firm, but nevertheless, my friends probably did more than I could have done.

Wishing you a happy New Year, I remain,

Yours truly,

G. N. GORDON

Card of Thanks

ELECTORS EAST WARD.

Ladies and Gentlemen:—

I wish to thank all those who supported and worked for me, in my election for alderman yesterday. Although my majority was small, still the vote all over the city was only about half the normal vote. I also wish to say I have no complaint to make, as both my opponent and myself put up a clean gentlemanly fight.

Wishing all a prosperous year.

J. H. Smith

Card of Thanks

To the Electors of North Monaghan:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—I desire to thank all those who supported and voted for me in yesterday's contest for the Reeveship of North Monaghan.

While defeated, I have no regrets as to my past actions or attitude on questions pertaining to the Township, and I heartily wish the very best results from those elected.

Yours faithfully,

John McIntosh

Card of Thanks

I desire to publicly thank the electors of Number One Ward and my friends generally, for the cordial support that resulted in my election yesterday.

I shall make it my earnest care by honest and industrious endeavour in promoting the best interests of the ward and of the city generally, to justify the confidence reposed in me.

Wishing all the citizens a Happy and prosperous New Year, I remain,

Yours, very faithfully,

W. H. TAYLOR

Peterborough, Jan. 2, 1917.

Card of Thanks

I wish to express my appreciation of the magnificent support of my friends in placing me at the head of the poll for the Board of Education. Such an expression of confidence tends to greatly strengthen my determination to give my best services to the affairs of the Board to which you have elected me, and is a source of extreme personal gratification to myself.

My cordial thanks are extended to all who assisted my candidature in any way, to those whose votes gave me such a substantial majority, and to the many who, while obliged to be out of the city, expressed regret at not being able to help me with their votes.

With hearty good wishes for a prosperous year to all my friends, and hoping you will not find your confidence in me misplaced, I am,

Faithfully yours,

A. A. FOWLER

THE WORLD OF SPORT

GREAT INTEREST IN TO-NIGHT'S O. H. A. GAME AT BROCK ST. RINK

Lindsay Will Clash With the 247th Intermediates and Big Crowd Will See Battle With Peterboro's Old Rivals—Special Train From Lindsay Will Carry Many Fans.

To-night will see a new hockey season ushered in when the last Lindsay team will battle with the 247th Battalion intermediates at the Brock St. Rink. The game will be called at 8.15 o'clock and is the first appearance of the 247th in an O.H.A. game. The Lindsay team, with a sweeping victory over Cobourg to their credit, and a record of a number of wins over Peterboro clubs in recent years, are coming down full of confidence that they will get the edge in the group race by earning a decision over the soldiers to-night. The 247th team have however been showing good form in practice, and Cap. Simpson's band of speed artists will know they have been in a hockey game before the final gong sounds to-night. The 247th team finished their training for to-night's game with a snappy practice game with the Peterboro Juniors yesterday morning, and Grover Halpin's gang are in good shape, and ready for the fray.

A special G. T. R. train will bring several hundred Lindsay rooters here for the battle and there will be some of the old time excitement around the Brock street arena. The crowd promises to be large.

The 247th Band will be on hand to provide music.

JUNIORS OPEN THEIR SEASON HERE ONE WEEK FROM TO-NIGHT

January 9th is a date that the hockey fans of Peterborough, have marked with red ink on their calendars—the date of the opening Junior O.H.A. game at Brock St. Rink.

Funny what a difference there is in the attitude of fans to Junior hockey at the present time compared to that of a few years back. There was a time when the Junior brand could not draw enough people to pay for the sticks they were using. Last year the biggest crowd of the season saw the Lindsay-Peterborough Junior game.

People have begun to realize that the snappiest hockey is to be found in the junior ranks because the youngsters are keen and enthusiastic, able to go a full hour at top speed, and always ready to give the last ounce in them for victory. The result is that a game between two well matched Junior teams is always a sensational battle. Old players save themselves as much as possible, use their top speed only in the pinches as it were, but the Juniors are always out to the last link and there is never anything tame about a Junior game.

Peterborough 1917 Juniors make their bow to the public a week from to-night at Brock St. Rink with Bowmanville as their guests. It will be the first appearance of the Bowmanville Juniors in Peterborough, and the fixture will draw a big crowd.

President's Rinks Won Annual New Year's Curling Feature

President J. H. Ferguson of the Curling Club celebrated New Year's by defeating Vice-President W. D. Campbell's rink with a narrow but sufficient margin of 121 to 116. The ice was good and the curling in most cases of mid-season form. Many of the games provided close finishes and several were tied. The results were as follows:

Morning Draw.

President.		Vice-President.
J. H. Ferguson		W. D. Campbell
Skip	8	Skip 15
T. Brightman		W. Davidson
Skip	12	Skip 7
F. M. Dela Fosse		W. H. Dunham
Skip	10	Skip 10
G. H. Giroux		H. P. Coote
Skip	11	Skip 6
A. W. Archibald		R. P. Best
Skip	10	Skip 8
	49	46

Afternoon Draw.

W. M. Laing		W. G. Morrow	
Skip	14	Skip	13
T. F. Matthews		W. G. Ferguson	
Skip	10	Skip	11
J. W. McDermid		Dr. Grant	
Skip	10	Skip	10
"Ald." Taylor		R. Hicks	
Skip	12	Skip	7
R. M. Waddell		A. C. Kay	
Skip	18	Skip	13
R. G. Sturgeon		Dr. Wightman	
Skip	6	Skip	16
	79		70

Schedule Games.

The scheduled games begin on Wednesday night when the following skips will meet:

Matthews vs. Dela Fosse.
Waddell vs. Campbell.
McDermid vs. Taylor.
Giroux vs. Brightman.
Laing vs. Best.

Mr. J. E. A. Fitzgerald finds business interfering with his Tankard appointment and reversing the usual order is cutting out the Tankard. A meeting is being held to-night to appoint another skip.

HOCKEY GOSSIP

Writing from "Somewhere in France" to a member of the Examiner staff, Pte. Percy Windsor, the clever centre player of the 93rd Batt. Intermediate O.H.A. team last season, says that the 93rd boys who were drafted to the 52nd Canadians, are all well and doing fine. Pte. Windsor says that all the 93rd machine gun section are together, except Sergts. O. Heron and Anderson. The majority are on the Lewis gun section while Pte. Windsor and Pte. Bill Russell are operating a Colt gun. Pte. Windsor says that the men received the socks, tobacco and cigarettes sent by the ladies of Peterboro. "They were sure welcome," adds the hockey player soldier in sending holiday greetings from the 93rd Machine gun section.

Lorne Rose, captain of last year's Peterboro juniors, played left wing for the Sarnia Seniors in their game against Toronto Riversides on Saturday night. Sarnia won the game by 7 to 5.

Gunner Bill Moore, who played with the Y.M.C.A. City League team in 1914, when they were runners up for the championship, is in town for New Year's. He is now a member of the 64th Battery team at Guelph. The Y.M.C.A. team of that year may only have been runners up as far as hockey was concerned, but they were winners by a mile when it came to answering the call of Empire. Of the Y team of that year, Lieut. Barney Quinn, back after many months in France, Lieut. R. Stevenson, and Sergt.-Major Harold Knapman, both at the front, Pte. Edgar Smythe, in England with the Queen's Field Ambulance, and Gunner Bill Moore, are all in khaki, as is Gunner Clare Stuart, who played in some of the games, while the manager of the Y team, Pte. Walter Flowers, has been in France for a long time with the Canadian Mounted Rifles.

The Peterborough juniors will practice at Brock street rink to-morrow night at 7 o'clock and every regular is expected out sharp on time.

Hockey fans are reminded of the war tax. They will save much time at the gate if they will bring two coppers with them to to-night's and all other games.

With Norton and Art and Chuck Carew on their line up the Lindsay team which plays here to-night has not much claim on the title "Midgets" of which they are so fond.

BROCK ST. RINK

Program For This Week

TO-NIGHT

Hockey Match

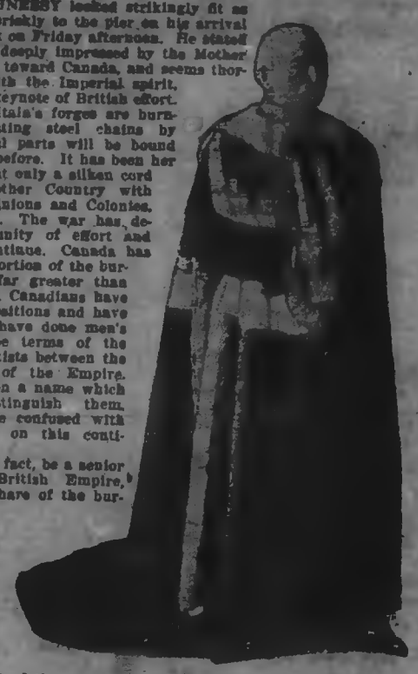
247th Batt. vs. Lindsay
Intermediate Serie s O. H. A.
247th Band in Attendance

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday

Skating with Band

Admission For Skaters
15c and 1c War Tax
BRING YOUR COPPER

Canada As Senior Partner



LORD SHAUGHNESSY looked strikingly fit as he stepped briskly to the pier on his arrival in New York on Friday afternoon. He stated that he had been deeply impressed by the Mother Country's attitude toward Canada, and seems thoroughly imbued with the Imperial spirit, which is now the keynote of British effort. He went on: "Britain's forges are burning fiercely, creating steel chains by which her integral parts will be bound together as never before. It has been her boast for years that only a silken cord connected the Mother Country with her overseas Dominions and Colonies. That time is past. The war has demonstrated that unity of effort and direction must continue. Canada has assumed a heavy portion of the burden of the war—far greater than anyone anticipated. Canadians have stood in critical positions and have held them. They have done men's work, fulfilling the terms of the partnership that exists between the various members of the Empire. Canadians have won a name which will forever distinguish them. Never will they be confused with other nationalities on this continent.

"Canada will, in fact, be a senior partner in the British Empire, bearing an equal share of the burdens; reaping an equal, proportionate share of the profits and filling a prominent seat at the council table. Lloyd George's elevation to the premiership, undoubtedly is the outcome of a desire on the part of the more aggressive party in the House of Commons to have a Government that will prosecute the war with more vigor. The change merely indicates that the people of Great Britain wish to utilize every resource and every force at their command to ensure victory. Britain wants peace just as soon as the demands made by her and her allies are won from Germany. Anything less is not victory. The masterful way in which Britain is financing the war is no less impressive than the achievements at the front. Her wealth and resources are almost limitless and are being freely and gladly pledged. This war is developing the individual. Every man, woman and child must do a share. Women in the United Kingdom are taking the men's places at home. They have demonstrated that they can do the work heretofore done by men and just as efficiently. They work on the railways, manufacture munitions, do the farm work, in fact, there is nothing except the actual fighting in the trenches that they are not doing. Every woman at man's work, puts another rifle on the firing line.

"As to Canada's future, I have always been certain. The war has only hastened development. With a population nearly equivalent to that of New York State, and a territory larger than the United States, her possibilities are vast. The quality of her fighting and her share in the war has carried her fame to remote corners. Before the war immigration was rapid but not a measure to what it will be when peace is declared. I firmly believe that Canada will have an influx of population not unlike that in the United States about fifty years ago. A great deal of money and many thousands of settlers have already gone to Canada from the United States. The investor finds there a good field for his wealth, and the settler a fertile soil for his plow. Rewards have come quickly to both. Canada looks to the United States more than ever she did before for two reasons, money and men are plentiful here and the supply from overseas is cut off."

J. THIRNBECK WON THE ALL-ROUND TITLE

Athletic Meet at Y. M. C. A. Was a Splendid Success—Three Records Broken by Hubert Martin—Junior Collegiate Class Beat Employed Boys

The athletic meet at the Y.M.C.A. yesterday afternoon between the Junior Collegiate class and the Senior Employed Boys was a splendid success, both from the standpoint of interest and performances. Three records were broken by Hubert Martin, and the new marks are very close to the Hexathlon 100-point standard. The new records are: 60 yards, 15 seconds, 100 points; 160 yards, 44 2-5 seconds, 97 points; fence vault, 6 feet, 82 points. J. Thirnbeck won the all-round title for the contest with a margin of 25 points over H. Martin. By making a great put in the shot-putting event he overcame Martin's lead, scoring 512 points out of a possible 600, a fine performance. G. Thorndyke again sprung a surprise by clearing 5 ft. 10 ins. in the fence vault, and by jumping 4 ft. 7 ins., the highest mark cleared yesterday. The Junior Collegiate class won the biggest number of points, scoring 2148 against 1978 made by the Employed Boys. The following boys qualified on the Junior Collegiate Team: J. Thirnbeck, H. Martin, F. Rutherford, K. Kirn, R. Meserve, R. Pogue R. Cowan and G. Yeaman.

SUMMARY.

60-yard Potato Race.

H. Martin, 15 secs., 100 pts.
J. Thirnbeck, 15 1-5 secs., 95 pts.
F. Rutherford, 15 2-5 secs., 85 pts.
H. Copp, 15 4-5 secs., 80 pts.

160-yard Potato Race.

H. Martin, 44 2-5 secs., 97 pts.
J. Thirnbeck, 45 4-5 secs., 91 pts.
F. Rutherford, 46 secs., 90 pts.
N. Foote, 46 3-5 secs., 87 pts.

High Jump.

G. Thorndyke, 4 ft. 7 ins., 82 pts.
H. Tudhope, 4 ft. 7 ins., 82 pts.
F. Green, 4 ft. 7 ins., 82 pts.
J. Thirnbeck, 4 ft. 6 ins., 78 pts.

Broad Jump.

J. Thirnbeck, 8 ft. 4½ ins., 80 pts.
M. Martin, 8 ft. 1 in., 66 pts.
R. Cavanagh, 7 ft. 11 ins., 58 pts.
F. Rutherford, 7 ft. 10½ ins., 56 pts.

Fence Vault.

H. Martin, 6 ft., 92 pts.
G. Thorndyke, 5 ft. 10 ins., 84 pts.
J. Thirnbeck, 5 ft. 10 ins., 84 pts.
F. Rutherford, 5 ft. 6 ins., 66 pts.

Shot Put.

J. Thirnbeck, 38 ft. 6 ins., 66 pts.
F. Green, 33 ft., 44 pts.
R. Cavanagh, 33 ft., 64 pts.
H. Martin, 31 ft. 6 ins., 60 pts.

Team Scores.

60 yards—Jr. Collegiate 399, Sr. Employed 326.
160 yards—Jr. Collegiate 460, Sr. Employed 418.
High Jump—Jr. Collegiate 354, Sr. Employed 330.
Broad Jump—Jr. Collegiate 306, Sr. Employed 242.
Fence Vault—Jr. Collegiate 364, Sr. Employed 300.
Shot Put—Jr. Collegiate 304, Sr. Employed 302.
Total—Jr. Collegiate 2148, Sr. Employed 1978.

THE GOLD TEST.

Its Use in Diagnosing Diseases of the Brain and Nerves.

Like the weird remedies and tests of medicine in the middle ages are some of the latest means science has devised to detect and classify forms of insanity and brain affections. Salts of gold in solution, drops of spinal fluid, bits of the tissue from the covering of a normal person's brain and various other similar materials are the means employed.

The gold test, for instance, is used to prove definitely the existence of paresis, meningitis and several other forms of nervous diseases, though in practice it is used mostly as corroborative proof rather than the only proof. Solutions of salt of gold of carefully graduated strength are put into test tubes, with the weakest solutions at one end of the row grading up to the strongest at the other end.

Fluid from the spinal column of the person who is being examined is then dropped into the tubes. The presence of certain kinds of brain or nervous trouble is then indicated by the colors produced in some of the tubes. The particular color produced and the strength of the solution that shows the color strongest give the clew to the kind of disease.

Another peculiar test for certain other kinds of brain trouble is to take a drop of blood from the person examined and place in it a prepared solution from a tiny particle of brain covering of a normal person. Epilepsy causes an easily detected reaction on the combined solution, while other brain disturbances are detected by a similar process, using other materials in the same way.—Saturday Evening Post.

Spiteful.

Belle—I don't see why you call her spiteful. I thought she was paying you a compliment. Clara—Oh, you don't know her. Belle—Why, didn't she tell you you were looking quite yourself again? Clara—She said quite my "old self."—London Fit-Bits.

EUROPEAN POLICEMEN.

Clever in London, "Sloppy" in Paris and Polite in Berlin.

In humor, in urbanity, as in perfect control of his district, the London policeman is the nearest approach to perfection, writes Percival Pollard, who in "Vagabond Journeys" has a word to say of the various policemen of the world. He adds that in looks only our American policemen equal those of London.

To the stranger the policeman seems the politest of all Londoners. Chiefly, however, it is in his control of traffic, awheel and afoot, that he is unrivaled. When you consider the narrowness of the streets you constantly marvel at the easy skill with which he solves his problem.

The Paris policeman never looks anything but "sloppy," and his notion of controlling traffic at crowded street crossings is enough to make the observer shout with laughter. No one minds him, and his attempts to regulate the speed of the Parisian cabby only result in a slanging match. Observation of Parisian street traffic is all that is really necessary to impress you with the belief that in case of need the Paris policeman would always, with much noise and misdirection, arrest the wrong person.

The police of Berlin are vastly better than those of Paris. They do not look as well, according to our notions, as the English "constables," but they are fairly smart. The men are polite, control traffic inexorably and see to it that Berlin is one of the cleanest and most orderly of cities. But as reasoning individuals the Berlin policemen are hardly to be counted at all. When anything happens to you more serious than crossing a congested street or losing your way you are fairly certain of running hard against a city ordinance, mechanically enforced by the man on the beat.

No argument or persuasion prevails. There is the regulation, and here the instrument to enforce it. The human element is entirely absent. Both Italy and France are as to their police more human.

Origin of Some Slang.

A great many people use slang terms and expressions without knowing their real meaning or their origin. Ninety-nine out of every hundred, when their health is good, say they are "first rate." Why? "First rate" is a seafaring term and was originally used in the classification of the old wooden line of battleships.

"Sailing under false colors"—a term applied to a person who pretends to be other than he is—is a survival of the same period. This latter expression, like "to throw overboard"—to get rid of something—obviously nautical, but few people know that "skyscraper" was originally sailors' slang.

"Close quarters" is another very common expression. This like "first rate" and its accompanying expressions, "second rate," "third rate" and so on, come from the days of wooden fighting ships. The "quarters" were projections erected along the bulwarks, behind which sailors could lie low, and which were used to help repel boarders.

"To sail against the wind"—to be very much in the minority—and "to lower your sail"—to confess yourself conquered—are both terms borrowed from the sea, and the same may be said of "high and dry," and "laid up" and "spliced," the slang term for getting married.

When we talk of a person being "knocked into a cocked hat" we mean that he was limp enough to be doubled up and carried under the arm like the cocked hat of a naval officer. And we say that so and so will be "on the rocks" if he does not "steer clear" of the money lenders.

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PRINTED DUCKLING FLEECE WRAPPERETTE — Designs suitable for kimonas, dressing jackets, house dresses and wrappers; also for children's wear. See window display Tuesday. Regular price 85c. Wednesday Bargain, Sale price, per yard 15c

BLEACHED LONG CLOTH—An extra good quality, free from dressing, a suitable weave for general household use. 36 inches wide. A 13c special, for.....6 yards for 1.00

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BEST QUALITY FLANNELETTE BLANKETS—Being shown today in all white or grey. The full 11/4 size, heavily napped. What is being sold at $1.75. For, per pair 1.59

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WHITE WOOL BLANKETS—To-morrow the day to buy warm wool blankets. We will place on sale the $6.25, $5.50, $5.75 and $6.00, in sizes 60 x 80, 64 x 84 inches. All at, per pair..... 5.00

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WE HAVE 36 SWEATERS AT $1.25 for 89c EACH — The biggest bargain of the season. They are all grey with high roll collar, heavy winter weight. Regular $1.25. Wednesday Bargain..... 89c

FLEECEDOWN FLANNELETTE—A heavy soft fleecy make, very dainty stripe designs. A quality you are sure to be pleased with. Regular value 16c. Sale price, ... 7 yards for 1.00

36-INCH PURE WHITE FLANNELETTE—This extra wide width cuts up to better advantage, heavy make, no dressing. Regular price 22c. Sale price ..... 7 yards for 1.25

HEMMED PILLOW CASES —Size 40 inches, made from a good cotton, neatly hemmed ready for use. 18c value, for, each..... 15c

BLACK CASHMERE HOSE —A very superior quality that is worth 35c. As a Wednesday special we offer ..... 4 pair for 1.00

20-INCH PURE WHITE CRASH—A good heavy weave, suitable for hand or dish towels. Note the wide width. Regular price 20c. Sale price..3 yards for 50c

BLACK FLEECE LINED HOSE—An excellent make, good and warm. The regular 25c line. On sale at, per pair 9c

CHILDREN'S RIB UNDERWEAR—Grey only. All sizes. What we sell at 25c. Tomorrow either garment.... 19c

HEAVY CARDINAL HOSE OR OVERSTOCKINGS—Rib knit, seamless. All sizes. Regular 75c and 85c. All one price, per pair.... 59c

A ONE-DAY SALE OF EMBROIDERY — As this is the great sewing month you should be interested in embroidery and insertions. Here are both insertions and embroideries that are worth 12½c and 15c, for, per yard..... 10c

KNITTERS ATTENTION!
WE MAKE A SPECIALTY OF YARNS.

BONNER-WORTH YARN—In grey, khaki, white or black. Now selling at $1.75. Our special price, per lb. 1.60

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BEST CANADIAN WOOL FACTORY YARN—2 and 3 ply, in two shades of grey and grey and white mixed. Regular $1.25, for, per lb. 1.10

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY TO-NIGHT OF LADIES', MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S COATS
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This season's suits of all-wool serges, tweeds, cheviots, and corded velvet. All man-tailored, in very latest styles. The principal shades are black, copen, navy, brown and tweed effects. Come early and get best choice of these suits. Worth $20.00, for just 11.00

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Only a few left of the most popular garments of the season. This fine sold at $25.00. Special sale price..... 15.00

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Very handsome coats, plain plush collar and wide band at bottom. Guaranteed satin lining. Regular price $25.00. Sale price 17.50

LADIES' QUILTED SILK KIMONAS
An after Christmas sale of a few we have left in navy only, with garnet and copen silk lining. Collar, cuffs and pocket nicely embroidered in colours. Regular price $7.50. Sale price..... 5.00

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A collection of beautiful all-wool serge dresses that sold up to $10.00. Your choice for 4.50

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WEDDING BELLS

FORTUNE—PORTSMOUTH.
The marriage of Miss Mabel Ethel Portsmith, youngest daughter of Mrs. M. Portsmith, 576 Stewart street of this city, to Mr. Wm. Fortune, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. John Fortune, of Hindville, Alberta, took place at the Methodist manse, Vermilion, Alberta, on Dec. 20th. Rev. A. H. Argus officiating.

LOESCHER—CRESSWELL.
A pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Storey, 619 Union street, yesterday, New Year's afternoon, when Miss Florence Hazel Cresswell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cresswell, 91 Roach avenue, Toronto, was married to Mr. Hans Ludwig Loescher, of Peterborough. The ceremony was performed bby Rev. R. G. Peever, B.D., pastor George street Methodist church, in the presence of the immediate friends. Mrs. Gladys Calder was bridesmaid, and Miss M. Storey maid of honour, while Mr. A. Storey, of Millertown, N.D., was best man. The bride wore a pretty dress of white satin trimmed with pearl and lace and carried a bouquet of white carnations tied with a white bow. The bridesmaid was attired in pink satin with pearl trimmings, while the maid of honour wore pale blue silk with pale blue satin trimming both carrying pink carnations. A wedding repast was served at 5 o'clock. The bride was the recipient of numerous presents. Mr. and Mrs. Loescher will reside at 619 Union street.

DOWNER—RICHARDSON.
On Wednesday evening, December 27th, a pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. John Richardson, Otonabee, when his only sister, Annie Pearl, was united in mariage to Mr. Lewis S. Downer, Otonabee. The bride who was given away by her brother, entered the drawing room as the strains of the wedding march were played by Mrs. John Johnson, sister of the groom. The bride was tastefully attired in blue silk, trimmed with lace and white fur, and carried a bouquet of pink roses. Miss Olive Richardson, cousin of the bride, who was dressed in white silk, acted as flower girl. She carried pink and white carnations. The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion, while the wedding couple stood under a pretty arch.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. A. K. Edmison, pastor of the Methodist church, Keene. After the ceremony was over, the bride led the way to the dining room, where a wedding repast was served. The guests numbered about forty, consisting of the intimate friends of the contracting parties. The bride and groom received many useful and valuable presents. The groom's gift to the bride was a muskrat coat; to the flower girl a bracelet. Mr. and Mrs. Downer will reside in Otonabee.

REED—DAVIS.
A pretty wedding was solemnized on New Year's Day at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reed, Townsend street, when Miss Georgina Davis was united in marriage to Corporal Herbert H. Reed.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dongald Brown, in the presence of a number of their immediate friends. After the ceremony all sat down to a full course dinner, which was enjoyed by all. During the absence of Corporal Reed with his battalion, Mrs. Reed will reside at 312 Townsend Street.

SIMMONS—SHEPHERDSON.
On January 2, 1917, at the Baptist parsonage, 295 Reid street, a quiet wedding took place at 10 o'clock, when Mr. John Simmons, 33 Gladstone Avenue, and Miss Minnie Shepherdson, 154 Harte avenue, were united in marriage. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dongald Brown. The happy couple left on the afternoon train for Toronto where they will reside.

OBITUARY

The friends of Mrs. Charles H. Huffman, 297 Boswell Avenue, were greatly shocked to learn on New Year's morning of her death during the night. The deceased had visited members of her family on Sunday, and appeared in the best of health, and retired without any signs of the disposition. During the night, however, her heart troubled her, and within a short space of time she had expired.

The late Mrs. Huffman was born at Glastings on March 7th, 1858, but had spent most of her life in this city. As Mary Hattie Fisher she married Mr. C. H. Huffman, in Rochester, N.Y., June 26th, 1882, who survives her, together with three sisters and two brothers in Rochester, N.Y., and one sister in Syracuse, N.Y., also two daughters, Mrs. F. Pearson, Edmonton, Alta., and Mrs. T. H. Glover, of this city, two sons, Harry and Sheldon, city.

The deceased took a great interest in her home and family and was much beloved by them, in return, as well as by all the friends of her acquaintance. She was an earnest member of Trinity Methodist church. The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon from the family residence, 297 Boswell Avenue, to the Little Lake Cemetery.

WM. GIFFORD.
Wm. H. Gifford died yesterday at St. Joseph's Hospital, aged 60 years. Mr. Gifford came to the city some time ago to visit P. C. F. Pratt, 33 McGill street, to recuperate after a long illness, and was to have returned to his home last week. However, he had a relapse which proved fatal. He was a member of the Anglican church. He leaves to mourn his loss his mother, Mrs. Jane Gifford residing in Peterborough and two brothers, Alfred of Peroria, Ill., and Robert of Rochester. The remains will be taken this afternoon to Logansport, Ind., where interment will take place.

MRS. WESLEY FOSTER.
The funeral of the late Mrs. Wesley Foster ,who died on New Year's Day after a short illness, was held yesterday from the family residence, lot 1, concession 1, Smith, to the Emily cemetery. Mrs. Foster was born in Cavan 51 years ago and resided in Smith the greater part of her life. The Rev. Mr. Crawl, pastor of the Presbyterian church, Emily, conducted the service.

BIRTH.
MOORE.—To Mr. and Mrs. Gordon R. Moore, 560 Romaine street, on January 1st, 1917, a son.

DIED.
TIGHE.—At the family residence, 513 Donegal street, Mrs. Edward Tighe. Funeral on Wednesday afternoon at 1.30 p.m. Service at 1.15 o'clock by Canon Cornish. Interment at Little Lake cemetery.

City and General

Broken auto cylinders, machinery and stoves welded, by the new Oxo Acetelyne Process. Anything in iron, steel or aluminum made as good as new, not patched up. Millard's Bicycle Shop, Hunter street, near Aylmer.

PROBABILITIES.
Moderate winds, mostly fair and mild. Wednesday, Increasing southeast winds, to be followed by snow or rain.

EXPRESS AND BAGGAGE.
E. D. Cooney, a returned soldier, has taken over the express business of Eddie Reid and will give prompt and careful attention to all work entrusted to him. 'Phone 847. E. D. Cooney, 340 Aylmer stree. 28d-243

FINE POST CARDS.
Post Cards of Quaker Oats fire IN COLOURS, 10c. each. See the specimens in the show case. Vincent Studio, George Street. 28d-243

WOMEN'S PATRIOTIC LEAGUE.
The monthly business meeting of the Women's Patriotic League of Ashburnham will be held in the work room on Wednesday Jan. 3rd, at 4 o'clock.

PIANO TUNING.
'Phone 595, The Greene Music Co., Charlotte Street, when your piano requires tuning or regulating. All work guaranteed. dtf

BOARD OF EDUCATION.
A regular meeting of the Board of Education will take place at the Secretary's Office, 437 George street, tonight at 7.45.

FUNERAL SUNDAY.
The funeral of the late Joseph Houlihan, took place on Sunday afternoon under the auspices of the Ancient Order of Hibernians. The Rev. Father Phelan officiated.

POTATOES FOR SALE.
Car load New Brunswick, white, mealy potatoes, for sale, price $2.30 in five bag lots, delivered. Single bags $2.35. S. Fisher, 'phone 1068, or Munro House, 'phone 44. May be seen at Munro House.

CARD OF THANKS.
Mrs. Geo. Wilkins and family, 147 Lake street, desire to thank the Daughters of the Empire and other friends for many kindnesses since the official announcement on Dec. 12 of the death of her husband, killed in action.

LOST TWO FINGERS OF HIS RIGHT HAND
On Saturday Mr. A. J. Donald, had the misfortune to lose two fingers of the right hand in an accident at the Wm. Hamilton Company. Dr. Harvey dressed the wounds at the Nicholls Hospital.

CLEANING, PRESSING AND REPAIRING.
'Phone 1416 for Cleaning, Pressing and Repairing. Goods called for and delivered promptly. Mrs. Read, 150 Rubidge Street. dtf

BE ON HAND EARLY.
The audience attending the "Messiah" performance to-night in St. Paul's church are requested to be seated by 8 o'clock, as late comers will only be admitted between items.

PRISONERS WELL FED.
A substantial repast in keeping with the season, was provided on Christmas day by Gaoler H. Nesbitt for the inmates of the county gaol. No provision is made for this in the maintenance account of the institution, so that Mr. Nesbitt followed out his usual custom of providing the extras at his own expense.

1916 BROKEN PROMISES.
When retrospection fills you with remorse, remember that your failures may be rectified in 1917. Make a promise to give your office help better facilities for doing your work by securing the BEST TYPEWRITERS — the kind that Nelson sells. We sell all makes manufactured. NELSONS for all office needs. We make a specialty of typewriting letters— while you wait. OPPOSITE ORIENTAL.

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Furniture purchased now as gifts, will be held until Christmas week if desired. Dining room furniture on sale this week. Some handsome styles to choose from. A collection of colonial art craft and modern style buffets See our show window. A fine example of the William and Mary style

FOWLER'S PEBLO GLASSES
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Social and Personal

Mr. Lyman Ball, of North Bay, has returned home after spending a few holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ball, Bridgenorth.

Mr. Jack Hanrahan is visiting friends in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Thornton and family of Perth, Ont., spent New Year's in the city.

Mr. Edgar Galvin of Detroit, returned home this morning after spending the holiday week with his grandmother, Mrs. J. K. Galvin, Charlotte street.

Mr. D. Harvie of Port Colborne, is spending a few days in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shorten and children of Toronto are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leo Krout, 435 Roger street, for the New Year's holidays.

Mr. A. W. Cressman received today a letter from his son, Lieut. Fred Cressman of the R.F.C., saying that he had gone over to France on the 16th for active service.

Mr. Coleman, the local confectioner, has received word that a fifth member of his family has now engaged in war work, his sister Miss Janet Coleman, having been added to the 16,000 women munition workers in the Woolwich arsenal.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. McKay are the guests of Mr. W. J. Morrow, 484 Weller street.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Gough spent the holiday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Morrow, Water street.

Mrs. Albert Dixon spent the week-end visiting friends in Toronto.

Mr. Wm. Hall, Weller street, spent New Year's in Toronto.

Mr. John Allan entertained Messrs. Albert Downing, Marley Sherris and T. J. Palmer, the soloists of "The Messiah," at dinner at the Oriental Hotel, to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Stevenson, Miss Norah Stevenson, Mr. Marley Sherris and Mr. T. J. Palmer, all of Toronto, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Allan.

Mr. Frank Montgomery spent New Year's Day in Toronto.

Pte. E. R. Hodges of Campbellford, was a guest at the Oriental hotel this morning.

Mr. Thos. McNamara, of Madoc, a former local dry goods man, was renewing acquaintances with friends here to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Sullivan, Stewart street, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Evelyn, to Mr. Ray Donaghue, son of Mr. Dan Donaghue, Simcoe street, the wedding to take place in the near future.

Mr. B. A. Rose, G.T.R. ticket agent at Windsor, is in the city.

Miss Madeleine Parnell of the office staff of the T. Eaton Co. has returned to Toronto after spending her holidays at her home, 726 Harvey street.

Mr. and Mrs. Nagle Phelan, Rubidge street, spent New Year's in Rochester, N.Y.

The ladies of the Canadian Kitchener League will hold their New Year's tea on Wednesday, Jan. 3rd in the Oriental tea rooms, Hunter street. Tea will be served from 3 to 9 o'clock p.m. Drop in and enjoy a pleasant cup of tea and help along the good work of the Canadian Kitchener League.

The dance given by the Rugby Club of the P. C. I. last night was one of the greatest successes of the year. The hall, gaily decorated with flag and pennants, presented a most attractive appearance and the floor was never in better shape. The patronesses of the evening were Mrs. W. H. Bradburn, Mrs. G. N. Gordon, Mrs. C. S. McClelland, Mrs. R. Gliddon, Mrs. V. Eastwood, Mrs. W. C. Austin, Mrs. (Dr.) Carmichael Mrs. C. E. Jamieson and Mrs. S. D. Hall, and the committee, Messrs. D. Canniff, H. Skuce H. Austin, O. Gliddon, and G. McClelland. The music supplied by Messrs Wm. Moher and Frank Lynch was greatly appreciated. The actual financial results could not be obtained to-day, but will be about thirty dollars, which will be devoted to patriotic purposes.

Mrs. F. L. Cross, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Aylmer, returned this morning to her home in Barrie.

Miss Lenore Sanderson, who spent the holidays in the city returned today to Collingwood.

Miss Mona Sloane, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. Q. Quartermaine, returned to Toronto to-day.

Mrs. (Dr.) Boucher and Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Dela Fosse, are in Lakefield to-day, the guests of Mrs. F. J. Tate.

The Misses Jenkins, Peterborough, announce the engagement of their niece, Annie Muriel, youngest daughter of the late F. L. Somerville, C.E., of Toronto, to Mr. John W. Gomer, of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Peterborough, son of Mr. Wm. Gomer, Exeter, England. The wedding will take place quietly in Peterborough on January 20th.

Mrs. B. Spilsbury, Peterborough, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. R. Martyn, 78 Waverley road.—Toronto Star.

Mr. W. Battle and son, Master Talbert Battle, 346 Stewart street, are visiting Mr. Battle's sister, Mrs. W. Austin, Port Hope.

Mrs. Brethour, Regina, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Donald Shook, during the absence of Lieut. Shook, who left to-day to take a course at Kingston.

Rev. F. J. Sawers, Cobourg, is the guest of friends in the city.

Mrs. T. B. Marling, Lakefield, was the guest of Mrs. Grieve to-day.

New York Stock Market

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—The Stock Market opened with an upward bound to-day, Wall Street registering belief that the couse of peace has been set by the Allies, replying to Germany's peace proposal. First sales showed gainst of 2 to 5 points in speculative leaders.

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Family Re-unions

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The Heads of Central Powers To Hold Important Meeting

Important Meeting Of Central Powers

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 3.—Important meeting of the heads of Central Powers' parliaments to be held in Berlin.

FIRE DESTROYS ALASKAN TOWN

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TACOMA, Jan. 3.—The town of Valdez, Alaska, entirely destroyed by fire.

WAR HAS SERIOUS EFFECT ON TEA MARKETS.

Although the far-reaching influences of the war have added enormously to the cost of tea, the recent advance of five cents a pound, in the price of "SALADA" only means that you will now get eight cups for a cent instead of nine, and then you get that unique flavour, absolutely unchanged.

Voice of The People

Correspondence under this heading, containing or involving attacks on individuals or violent or extreme statements, must in order to secure insertion, be signed with writer's real name, the names of which, when necessary, will be regarded as confidential.

To the Editor of The Examiner.

Dear Sir,—Up to four years ago last fall I was a farmer and took very little notice of hens, although I think there were over 100 dozen eggs taken away from our home at one time, at 7 or 8 cents per dozen; but since coming to Peterborough I have tried to learn to take care of fowl. We keep about forty hens, and as we believe the first year is the best, they vary or change a good deal in number, but I think, never under 35, and never over 45; thirty-eight at the present time. Those fowl, chickens and all, have cost us during last year, $80.61. They have laid 4,752 eggs. Those eggs have never sold under 20 cents per dozen, nor over 50 cents per dozen. Now we sold seven pairs of chickens in October to a butcher, to be taken away by the first week in November. We also sold a good many other fowl, or hens dressed, but if a fowl went on the table it was charged the same price as if sold. Our family has always consisted of four, sometimes five persons. Once only I said spare the eggs; except that, use as you like. Those eggs and fowl have brought $130.46, leaving a balance to the good of about $1.00 on each fowl. If you see fit to publish this in your wonderful paper some person may learn from this experience or may teach me some. How memory flies back at this season of the year When I was a boy, 13 years old, there was a comet out in the North West for weeks and exceeded in grandeur anything that I ever saw. I have been reading two books on astronomy lately. I have learned that the sun is 93 or 95,000,000 away from earth that it takes full travelling 185,000 miles every second of time takes about eight minutes to reach our earth. But astronomers make out there are stars so far away fom earth that it takes full forty years for light, travelling at this terrible speed, to reach our earth and although He is so terribly great, and I am so very small yet I am permitted to call Him my Father. And He says, ask and you shall receive.

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Accuracy of French Gun Fire Shown On Somme In Destroyed Trenches

Captain Henry J. Reilly Describes Effect of Shells Made for Tearing Barbed Wire Entanglements, None of the Force Being Wasted on Making Craters in Ground.

STUMPS OF FORESTS LEFT

PARIS, January 3.—The day of our visit to the French Somme front trenches was a quiet one, that is, except for the snipers. The infantry was not firing or throwing hand grenades and the machine guns were still, while the artillery only fired here and there a few guns at a time.

A short distance from headquarters the beginning of the artillery zone was reached, as was evident by the lack of traffic on the road, the villages more or less masked by shell fire and the fields and roads here and there pitted with shell holes, to say nothing of the occasional discharge to the right or left of guns, successfully hidden from view.

Finally, the beginning of a communicating trench was reached at the edge of a muddy road, on the other side of which is the remnant of a shot torn wood.

TRENCHES IN ZIGZAG LINE.

A communicating trench is simply a ditch from three to four feet wide and from seven to nine feet deep, which runs to the front by a series of zigzags, which present the enemy from being able to fire down it.

In rainy weather it naturally collects a good deal of water and mud. The French have largely overcome this by making narrow grating literally by the mile, which is shipped from the rear in lengths of about six feet.

As there are many of these communicating trenches and as they connect with line after line of trenches and bombproofs which go to make up a position, and as, due to modern long range projectiles, they must start several miles in the rear of the front line trench, it is easy to become confused and even lost in them. For this reason they are all named and have sign boards posted at all intersections; also the officer who serves as a guide has a map showing the whole labyrinth of trenches of the particular section.

REPAIR WORK IS CONSTANT

As even on quiet days occasional shells burst in or on the edges of these trenches and as it is necessary to keep them drained and in shape work is constantly going on in them. This work is usually done by the territorials, who are organized from the men too old for the most active military service. Occasionally these trenches pass through the ruins of villages destroyed by shell fire.

After some distance the trench, which was the first line French trench before the recent successful assault carried the French over the first two German lines, was reached. This trench has been connected with the old first line German trench by communicating trenches. From them on the old German communicating trenches have been put in shape and are now used by the French.

Climbing out of the trenches, there is every evidence of the excellence of the French artillery fire and the fierceness of the fight which took place. The entanglements in front of both German lines though made of three strand heavily barbed wire, fastened to iron posts, has been literally torn to pieces by the high explosive shell fire.

The French shells made for this particular purpose burst just before entering the ground, with the result that the full force of the explosive is exerted against the entanglement and none of it is wasted in making a shell crater in the ground. The accuracy of the French fire is shown by the fact that the ground along which is scattered the remnants of the wire entanglement has practically no shell craters in it, while the trenches just beyond and the ground all around them is literally pitted with shell craters.

In many places the German trenches have been so completely destroyed that it is difficult, if not impossible to distinguish them. Progress can only be made by slowly walking along the slippery, muddy ridges between craters. The ground is strewn with torn pieces of clothing, pieces of shell, unexploded shells of various calibres, hand grenades of different shapes and aerial torpedoes.

STUMPS OF FOREST LEFT.

Here and there what have been little French woods are represented by torn stumps of trees. A few hundred yards beyond is the new French line, with the new German first line about five hundred yards in front of it.

Except for the discharge here and there of guns of various calibres, the whistling noise of those projectiles which come the nearest and the occasional burst of a German six inch high explosive shell sending up clouds of black smoke mixed with chunks of earth, there is not a sign of life in any direction, so well dug in below the surface of the earth are the two opposing armies.

BIG CAPTURE OF PRISONERS

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, Jan. 3.—Nearly six hundred thousand prisoners were captured during 1916 by the Entente Allies.

SUBTLE, MERRY CADORNA

Italy's Generalissimo Who Devised the Gorizia Surprise

When Lord Northcliffe talks about Cadorna there is a hint of a very merry luncheon at which the Italian generalissimo kept the table amused all the time. Here is the description of the cheerful general: A short, lithe, quick-moving man of sixty-six. General Cadorna is the most humorous of all the generals in the Great War. He has a glitter in his grey eyes that reminded me of those of the late Pierpont Morgan. He is a general who believes in seeing for himself. He took personal part in the direction of the final battle for Gorizia, climbing the ghastly hill of Podgora with the vigor of an Alpini. He is a close student of war, and he has all the subtlety of the Italian. In the long story of the war he is almost the only general who devised a surprise.

Lieutenant-Colonel Russell Kerr, of Newnham-on-Severn, has been elected to the court of verderers in the Forest of Dean, an office 800 years old.

Each year Sir Edward Grey leaves London for a week to mark the anniversary of his wife's death ten years ago. No Foreign Office despatch boxes are forwarded to him while he is away.

Honor Redeemed

"A burglar has won the Victoria Cross, seventy other burglars have laid down their lives for their country, and more than 700 persons listed in police records are now fighting for Great Britain," said the Bishop of Sheffield at Richmond, Yorkshire.

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Germany May Define Views To the Neutrals

Lengthy Report From Berlin Cabled to President Wilson To-day—Conference With the German Chancellor

THE ALLIES' REPLY

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BERLIN, Jan. 3.—A lengthy report was cabled President Wilson today by the American Ambassador Gerard following a conference with the Imperial Chancellor, Von Bethmann Hollweg. It was authoritatively understood, that the American diplomat and Germany's Chancellor talked, among other things, of the Allies' unfavourable reply to Germany's peace proffers.

"It is not yet decided what the Government will do," says the Cologne Gazette, "but it is probable that Germany will again precisely define its views in direct messages to neutrals."

"Troops Should Be Recalled"

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 3. — The Daily Mail declares that troops at Salonika should be recalled at once.

Bulgaria Faces A Revolution

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

SALONIKA, Jan. 3. — Bulgaria faces revolution, has promised that the war would end by January 14.

Appointment Has Been Cancelled

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 3.—Sir Geo. Perley cancels Dr. Bruce's appointment as inspector-general.

Fears For Safety Of Two Steamers

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 3.—The Leyland liner Necterian is ashore and breaking up. Will probably be a total loss. Some of the crew lost.

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Fears are expressed here for the eight-thousand-ton steamer Georgic, overdue two weeks.

TEUTONS MADE FRESH ADVANCE

Special to The Examiner.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 3.—The Teutons made a fresh advance and the Russo-Roumanians have taken up new positions on the Moldavian front

The Swedes Are Disappointed

Special to The Examiner:

STOCKHOLM, Jan. 3.—Swedish newspapers expressed great disappointment at the Allies' reply to the German peace proposal

HEAVY ARTILLERY FIRE IN PROGRESS

Special to The Examiner:

ROME, Jan. 3.—Heavy artillery fire is in progress along the Austro-Italian front.

BELGIAN GRENADIERS

London Honors For Bandsmen Who Fought at Loos

The Belgian Grenadiers' Band visited London for a provincial tour. The band, which holds a position in Belgium similar to that of the British Guards' Bands, consists of 70 highly skilled players. The men came from near Loos, where they assisted in holding an important part of the line.

Mrs. Lloyd-George

Mrs. Lloyd-George is the most practical of housewives and believes in personal supervision in the house. She very often goes to market herself, and both her daughters have been taught the home arts and can cook exceedingly well. When the family goes to Wales on holiday Miss Megan takes the greatest delight in going into the kitchen and preparing her father's favorite dishes.

Encouraging Marriage

To afford facilities to soldiers home on short leave from the front to get married during their stay, Southwark Council are setting aside apartments at the town hall for the purpose. The war weddings will be solemnized on Sundays as well as week days.

Overworked Doctors

Owing to the scarcity of doctors brought about by the war, medical men in the great industrial centre of Bradford, Eng., are pooling their services. Many physicians are seriously overworking and have not had a vacation since the war started.

MADE THE CAPTAIN HELP BLOW UP SHIP

German U-Boat Surprised the Briardene in a Mist Near British Channel Entrance—Sent Bombs By Ship's Boat—These Were Placed in the Hold, Sinking the Vessel

CREW PICKED UP BY STEAMER

NEW YORK, January 3.—An interesting account of the methods employed by German submarine commanders in sinking British merchantmen was related by Captain Joseph Faulkner of Nova Scotia, formerly commander of the steamship Briardene, who arrived in New York Sunday from Liverpool on the American liner St. Louis.

His vessel sailed from Baltimore Stores, South Brooklyn, on Nov. 16 with 3,900 tons of general cargo for London and was sunk on Dec. 1 near the Wolf Rock Light, about eleven miles from land, at the mouth of the English Channel. His crew of twenty-seven men were picked up by the Dutch steamship Luna, which had kept company nearly all the voyage from New York with the Briardene, and were landed at Falmouth.

"If the weather had been clear," said Captain Faulkner, "we should have seen the submarine and got away from her, because there were patrol vessels and destroyers all around us which would have responded to an S. O. S. call.

"The submarine was painted a bluish gray, and as she lay awash on the sea in a big western swell it was almost impossible to distinguish her in the haze that hung over the water. I had left the bridge for a moment in charge of of the second officer at 9 o'clock in the afternoon, when a shot boomed on the starboard bow somewhere in the mist and passed ahead of the ship. Two minutes later a second shot whizzed over the fo'c's'le head, followed by a third, which also missed us, although by that time the Briardene was broadside to the submarine.

"By that time I had got on the bridge and stopped the ship, and the crew were all on deck ready to take to the boats. The submarine was half a mile away, and hoisted some signal that I did not understand, but I supposed it was for us to abandon the ship, which we did in two of the lifeboats. There was a sharp southeast wind blowing, which blew the tops of the waves rolling in from the western ocean into whitecaps and hid the submarine from view at times. I pulled oved to the German craft in my boat, and the commander, in parrotlike sentences, asked me what ship it was, what cargo there was on board, and where I was bound. The submarine was quite small, and was one of the older class of U-boats, but had no identification marks on her sides.

"The German commander ordered three of his crew into my boat and signified to me that he wished them to be taken over to the Briardene and I was virtually compelled to assist in the sinking of my own vessel. Several bombs about the size of tomato cans were handed over the side of the submarine, which my men passed along very gingerly and they were stowed in the stern of the lifeboat.

"When we arrived alongside of our ship we were astonished to see the German sailors toss the bombs up onto the deck as if they really had been canned tomatoes. The time fuses were not set and there was no danger of their exploding. These fuses, by the way, do not allow any too much time; the first bomb exploded while the German sailors were getting back into my boat after placing the bombs in the hold.

The Briardene had 800 tons of apples in boxes in the foreheld and as she sank the hatch blew off and the sea was covered for over an acre with boxes of apples floating so close together that it would have been easy to walk on them."

The Dutch steamship Luna had been held up that morning by a British cruiser to show her papers as she was not near the Briardene when the submarine stopped her but arrived after that vessel had been sunk. The German commander went alongside and ordered an officer to come to him with the ship's papers, which were made out for Roterdam direct. This was fortunate for the Captain, as he was really instructed to call at Falmouth for orders. After examining the papers the Luna was allowed to proceed, and her Captain was ordered to pick up the Briarden's crew. The submarine towed the two boats over to the Dutch steamship and then disappeared.

The St. Louis, when she came in yesterday, was coated with ice from the water line to the top of her bridge, and had to bring over to the Liverpool pilot, Josephus Evans, on account of the weather being too severe in the Irish Channel for him to disembark in his boat.

GOING INTO BATTLE

France Notes Splendid Calm of British Soldiers

The Petit Journal's correspondent on the British front relates that, after having traversed part of the battlefield, he entered a dug-out, where he found British soldiers who, he says, in another moment would be dashing in a wave of assault upon one of the trenches which the Germans still held near Beaucourt. "I look at these soldiers," he continues. "It must not be said that a soldier before rushing to death does not think of death. No! Their faces reveal their seriousness. They are contemplating the probable fate which awaits them. Thus are tragedies beautiful! These men are talking very low to one another, with the intonations of the confessional, with slow, very infrequent gesture.

"One says: 'You will send that letter to my mother'; another, 'You will write and tell my wife so-and-so. What magnificent sang-froid! All think they may be going to their death; all are making their last will and testament.

"The hour of departure approaches. An officer makes a sign; the men gather under their officers, who explain the ground which the assailants have to cross. Now they are ready in Indian file. Slowly they ascend to the communication trench. The dugout empties. That is how British soldiers leave for battle."

Flowers For Horses

When detachments of British soldiers wounded in the taking of Beaumont-Hamel arrived at Charing Cross, flower "girls" threw the greater part of their stock into the cars as they left the station yard, and handkerchiefs were waved. The men were very cheerful.

"When peace arrives," said Sir D. Burnett at the meeting of the Crystal Palace Trustees, "I hope that the Crystal Palace will be the scene of a great rejoicing eclipsing anything that has taken place there."

Salvation Army attire is officially recognized by the order that all workers in military camps shall wear uniform.

With the exception of officers, wounded and a few others, all [illegible] captured by the British in Russian are retained there.

Notorious Monk Was Murdered

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 3.—Rasputin, the notorious monk, was murdered in Petrograd by high society men.

"ENGLAND" THE ENEMY

Germans Admit That Her Strength Was Underestimated

The Leipziger Neueste Nachrichten says: When, in August, 1914, Lord Kitchener coined the phrase "For England the war will only begin in 1916," we smiled at him; since we believed that long before then we should have resumed our peaceful occupations. But in the meantime we had to learn that we gravely underestimated the English as a nation. We know now that our real enemy sits upon the islands, and that he will ruthlessly employ every means to bring us to the ground. The English will fill all gaps and store up new and colossal supplies, which will enable them to expend many times more ammunition than they have now at their disposal. What we have to do is to turn all Germany into one colossal munitions factory.

QUEER SCOTCH SAW MILL

Canadian Bushmen-soldiers Amazed at Miniature Outfit

A Canadian thrasher describes the mills used in Scotland by the 144th Forestry Battalion: The Canadian mills in use are semi-portable ones, cutting from 20 to 30 thousand feet B.M. per day. A Scotch mill, with a capacity of from 3 to 5 thousand feet B.M. per day, is utilized from some operations. These Scotch mills are a source of amusing interest to the Canadian lumber jack. The engine sits on top of the boiler, and the mill is driven by a fly wheel. The logs are fed to the saw on a platform which lies on rollers. These rollers are forced to turn by a man turning a crank, and the platform is pushed forward, thus [illegible] the log to go forward against the saw. Some mill!

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Wheat Prices Went Up With a Rush Yesterday—The Cattle Markets

Wheat prices went up with a rush yesterday, the reply of the allies to the peace proposals acting as a spur to the bull side market. The visible also showed a decrease of 2 1-2 million bushels, and this gave a strong tone to the market at the close. Cash prices are up, and Ontario flour is advanced 30c.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern, $2.07, track, bay ports; No. 2 $2.04; No. 3 $1.99; No. 4 $1.89; old crop 4c above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W. 70 1-2c. American corn—No. 3 $1.09 subject to embargo.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white 63c to 64c; No. 3 white, 62c to 63c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter per car lot, $1.72 to $1.74; No. 3 $1.70 to $1.72.

Peas—No. 2 nominal, car lots $2.30.

Barley—Good malting, $1.10 to $1.18; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal $1.25.

Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal; No. 2, new, $1.32 to $1.33.

Manitoba flour—First patents in jute bags, $9.40; second patents in jute, $8.90; strong bakers, in jute $8.50 Toronto.

Ontario flour—New winter, $7.10 to $7.20, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered Montreal; shorts $37; bran $32; feed flour per bag, $2.80.

Hay—Baled, No. 1, track, Toronto best grade new hay, car lots, $12 to $13.50; No. 2 $9 to $11; straw $6.50 to 10.

CATTLE MARKETS

Union Stock Yards—Receipts yesterday, 20 cars, with 402 cattle, 11 calves, 190 hogs, and 68 sheep and lambs.

With Monday election day all over Ontario, and the railways establishing a partial but temporary embargo on cattle and other stock, caused a big shortage of supplies in yesterday's market. These conditions, in the face of a brisk demand, sent prices soaring abnormally high. Choice butcher cattle sold up to as high as $10, one load of steers selling at that price, while other good loads of butcher sold strong around $9.50 to $9. Sheep and lambs were correspondingly high, and hogs are quoted higher.

Latest quotations:

Heavy steers, choice	$9 40 to	$10 00
Choice butcher	8 50	9 00
do good	8 00	8 25
do medium	7 75	8 00
do common	7 00	7 50
Heifers, good to choice	8 00	8 50
do medium	7 00	7 50
Butcher cows, choice	6 25	7 00
do medium	5 75	6 25
Butcher bulls, choice	6 85	7 50
do good	6 50	6 60
do medium	5 00	5 50
Feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs	6 50	6 75
do bulls	5 25	5 75
Stockers, 700 to 800 lbs.	6 50	6 75
do med. 650 to 750 lbs.	5 50	6 00
do light 600 to 650 lbs.	5 00	5 75
Canners	4 10	4 40
Cutters	4 50	5 25
Sheep light	8 50	9 50
do heavy	7 50	8 50
Spring lambs	10 75	13 75
Calves	9 00	12 50
Hogs, fed and watered	13 25	.....
do weighed off cars	13 50	.....
do f.o.b.	11 75	.....

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8.25 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Stirling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
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5.40 p.m.—For Lakefield.
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*12.12 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N.B., Boston, and New York.
*1.20 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed Perth, Smith's Falls and Ottawa.
**11.27 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and intermediate points and all points east of Montreal.

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*5.54 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
**7.35 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York, Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
**9.15 a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port Mc-Nichol and intermediate points.
**1.45 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Buffalo, New York, Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, London, Detroit and Chicago.
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(Continued from yesterday.)

CHAPTER XX.

Len Haswell carried a stricken face about the clubs where once he had been the centre of jovial gatherings, when he appeared there—which was not often. Old associates who read the signs avoided him out of kindliness save those who like Thayre could be with him without reminding him of his hurt. Thayre, with all his seeming of bluff and noisy gaiety, had an underlying tenderness of heart and delicacy of perception which made him a friend of troubled hours. He knew how to remain silent as well as how to be loquacious and he could radiate an unspoken sympathy.

One evening the Englishman chanced on Haswell in the otherwise deserted reading-room of the National Union Club. Because it was a club chiefly dedicated to the elder generation Thayre came infrequently and it surprised him to find the other there. The big man was sitting with an unread paper on his knee and his eyes were brooding as he gazed out through the Fifth-avenue window on the twilight tide of motors and 'buses and hansoms that passed in an endless and unresting flow.

"I had the idea, Haswell," remarked Thayre as he plumped himself down on the leather arm of the other's chair and grinned his meeting, "that you came to this place once a year—when they held the annual meeting."

"And you?" countered Len in a dull voice. "I didn't regard you as a habitue either."

"Right-o!" The Englishman stretched out one gaitered foot and lighted a cigarette. "I'll tell you a secret. When I grow savage in mood—" his clear-eyed smile belied that state of mind—"I just run in here for a bit of bear-baiting—rather good sport—bear-baiting. This is a den of bears you know. Oh, yes, rather! They are all elderly bears, very crabbed and self-absorbed and very quiet and immaculate—but bears none the less. Each has his particular chair, which to his own self-centred mind is his private pedestal. They sit here with their manicured hands resting idly on their robust, waistcoat tummies and stare out on the world like day gods." He saw that the other man was following him with a forced and uninterested attention, yet he went on, not like Larry Kirk, but because he was leading up to a purpose of friendship.

"Well, old chap, I just pop in here and squat on one of these pedestals, d'ye see? Presently its proper occupant comes in and glares at me from the door, puffing with indignation. Inwardly he is saying, 'How dare you trespass, you bally young cub!' and I pretend to be quite unconscious of his baleful gaze. I know there's really nothing he can do about it. If he were in London, I expect he'd write to the Times."

Thayre glanced up and started to add: "There's one now glaring at you" but he quickly bit off the words, for he recognized the stout frock-coated figure of old Tom Burton. Old Tom was progressing, for now before the lights were switched on something in his face told that the afternoon rubbers had not progressed without their libations.

After along pause Haswell said in a heavy voice; "I come here because I don't meet men who insist on talking to me."

"Oh, I beg pardon, old chap," Thayre hastily rose, "I'm sure I didn't mean—" But before he could finish the big fellow put out a hand and gripped his arm until a pain shot to the elbow.

"You are the one man I do want to see, Norvil. Even a miserable devil like me can talk to you, and there's a thing I want you to do for me, if you will."

"Name it."

Haswell glanced wearily about the big room and assured himself that no one was near enough to overhear his unbosoming. He still spoke in the dulled voice of a dulled heart. His utterance like his movements, was slow and laboured.

"There are times when you've got to talk—or get feeling giddy and wrong in the head. I've about cut most of my clubs, but I can't cut out meeting the men—down-town."

The Englishman nodded, but he said nothing.

"I'm getting rather sick of being asked—" Len halted, then forced the words doggedly—"how Loraine is and when I expect her back. I—well, I don't expect her back, and it hurts like hell to say so."

Norvil met the other's eyes and read in them a fulness of dumb suffering, and as might come into those of a great, faithful dog. His own question followed with a softness of assured sympathy. "And, of course, you want her back?"

A paroxysm of pain distorted his companion's face and his head flinched back as though it had been heavily struck.

"God! yes, like a struggling man wants breath," he said.

It was a misery for which there was no aid so Thayre satisfied himself with the inquiry, "What is this thing you want me to do?"

"Just intimate to these men that they stop asking those questions, that's all."

"Is there any one you particularly blame?"

Haswell shook his head. "No. There was at first but the principal point is that she has decided she can't be happy with me. If I try to hold her after knowing that I become her jailer. I treat her as my property. I hope I'm not that sort. I had my chance and have failed."

"I say I don't want to be impertinent you know." Thayre bent forward and spoke earnestly. "There are things a man doesn't like to have put up to him. But you aren't letting this knock you off your line are you? You aren't going to let it bowl you over?"

Again the tall man shook his head. "No I'm quite all right" he said, "I'm going fairly straight—so far."

Late that night a wet snow was falling and Madison square was almost deserted. Here and there in the Metropolitan and Flatiron building shone an isolated and belated window light. At the Garden a Wild West show with sing door, outwardly labeled, "ladies' ago disgorged its crowds and quieted its pandemonium of brass bands. Len Haswell had been walking with the aimlessness of insomnia, and asking himself over and over one question: "What changed it all?". In answer he accused himself and argued the case for the woman without whom he was too lonely to go home and face an empty house.

It was after one o'clock and the saloon doors were barred, but as he passed a small place not far from the square, he saw a side door flap and he entered it. It was an unprepossessing door, outwardly labelled, "ladies entrance."

Haswell called for whiskey, and was served by awaiter in a spotted apron, whose dank hair fell over a sallow and oily face. Save for himself, there were only four other customers. In a corner partition a slovenly woman in bedraggled finery berated the man who sat with bloated eyes across from her. The waiter looked on sardonically. At another table were two derelicts from one of the Garden side shows. A truculent and beady-eyed dwarf whose face hardly showed above the boards was browbeating a cringing giant of unbelievable immensity. "You crabbed my act, you big stiff," shrilled the midget truculently—and his huge visa-vis fell into a volume of excuse and apology.

Haswell set down his glass half-empty. "No good," he muttered as he rose and went out again into the streets. "One can't be alone." Yet he felt very much alone.

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In these days Paul Burton found his thoughts turning often to Marcia Terroll and himself becoming more dependent on her companionship. In her sunny courage and sparkle of repartee he found a tonic exhilaration for his own jaded spirits and an antidote for growing morbidness. He knew that her daily rounds of the managers' offices were fruitless, and that she walked long distances to save nickels, and in his man's ignorance he marveled because her white gloves were always spotless and her appearance unmarked by poverty. With more money than he could use his impulse clamoured to volunteer assistance and his judgment forbade the liberty. These days of growing intimacy were troubled days for him, too.

Loraine Haswell was away and her letters kept him reminded that the purpose of her exile was ridding herself of those encumbrances which stood between them. Yet in her absence, there was also the absence of her personal fascination, the daily renewal of her hold on his senses, and, strangely enough, he began to feel that instead of having barriers swept from the path of his love, he was being bound to a future marred by intervals of clouded misgivings.

The thought of Mary also brought him distress. There was no policy of ostrich-blind self-discomfort by which he could escape from the realization that he was indirectly a party to responsibility for the destructive measure that hung over her happiness. His few attempts to discuss the subject with Hamilton had not been hopeful or pleasant, and he could not doubt that Hamilton would ultimately be swept into a chaos of ruin because he had opposed the irresistible onrush of his brother's power. He sought to reconcile himself to Hamilton's infallible wisdom and Mary's folly of infatuation, but the only certain conviction was that of a bruised and heavy heart in his own breast. Paul was pitiably weak, but, also, he was sensitively tender. Love he gave and commanded with the uncalculating quality of a child.

To Marcia he had not confided any word of his status with Mrs. Haswell, but her quick tuition told her he was deeply troubled—and her quicker sympathy responded. Sometimes Paul longed to see Loraine, but after each visit to the tiny apartment where Marcia Terroll and a girl who drew fashion illustrations had set up their household goods, the vision of his far-away Cleopatra grew a shade dimmer and a trifle more impersonal.

Bit by bit he had pieced together a few sketchy fragments of Miss Terroll's biography, just enough to make the wish for fuller knowledge tantalizing. That was her maiden name, also used as a stage name, but she had been married when just out of Wellesley. She spoke little of that episode. Her girlhood was a pleasanter theme and its environment had been that of his own world—full of the gaiety and sunshine that is girlhood's inalienable right. All these scraps of personal history filtered into their conversation; rather as incidentals than as direct information. This young woman was not of the type that gratuitously relates a life-story. That she had been left resourceless with a young daughter and had fought the world unaided and unembittered, herself retaining the seeming of a child, Paul now knew, but he knew all too little to satisfy his interest. She had been secretary in a business house and an interpreter of German and Spanish. Now she was the only actress he knew—untypical and unemployed.

Paul felt that in the presence of her superior mind and larger education he ought to be abashed, yet he was not, because when she laughed it was with the merriment of a gay child and when she was serious she was sweetly grave. Sometimes he played for her and sometimes she sang for him, and both did what they did so well that the critic in the other found no disappointment.

Unpremeditated and very naturally they had struck the basis of a dependable comradeship. She saw the occasional flash of genius in his musical creativeness and his need of practical attributes. To him she was something of a mystery. To her, save for his well-kept secret of loving Loraine, he was an easily read human document. She told him of her broader experiences, always tinging with a delicious humour in the recital, which twisted into comedy what might have been related as little tragedies, and because she had seen so much of life, where he had been seen so little, she was willing to recognize his lovable qualities and overlook his weaknesses.

But just as Paul did no talk much to her of his own affairs and the people of his set, so he did not talk with them of her.

At first she had interested him as an experiment; then as affording the possibility for a new type of adventure in friendship, and when he came to know her in that degree which represented their present association, he ceased to ask why she interested him and only knew that she did.

Of late she had been usually gay because of revival of hope. A part which she knew she could play had been half-promised her which would bring Broadway recognition and the chance to be judged on her merits. More than that it would mean the possibility of bringing her small daughter back from the relatives who were playing parents in these days of uncertainty.

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A Woman Magistrate

THE appointment this week of Mrs. Arthur Murphy ("Janey Canuck"), as a police magistrate for Edmonton, with jurisdiction over all cases in which women and girls are concerned, is another striking recognition of the unusual qualities possessed by this quite wonderful Canadian woman. The West has produced many women imbued with the frank and buoyant spirit of that big, new land, and several of them have succeeded as authors in expressing that spirit in such a way as to compel interest not only in Canada but far beyond it. Of all these Mrs. Murphy strikes one as being most truly western of all—keen and joyous, with a big, broad mind and a generous, expansive personality. Physically as well as mentally she radiates the most refreshing human qualities. Her writing naturally has these qualities, too, but it is also exceedingly admirable from a technical standpoint. Little wonder that Mrs. Murphy's influence is constantly increasing in broadening fields.

This exceptional woman was born at Cookstown—the South Simcoe village famous as the birthplace and present home of Hon. J. S. Duff, Ontario's Minister of Agriculture. She is quite frank in telling you that the date was 1868. Emily Ferguson was her name and she came of a noted Simcoe County family of Tory politicians, being a niece of the late Col. T. R. Ferguson, and a granddaughter of the late Col. O. R. Gowan, both of whom were members of Parliament. Sir John A. Macdonald was a guest at the wedding of her parents.

Yet, in spite of all this, in one of her books on the West she defended the cost of construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific, pointing out that while it was more expensively built it was sound and solid, "not cobwebs strung on a muskeg."

"Janey Canuck" believes in fair play in all things. In the same book, "Open Trails," she had a word to say for the French nuns at St. Albert, who have on their monastery windows, not a cross and the lilies of France, but a cross and maple leaves. Also she had something to say about a matter which we have now forgotten about—the notice, "No Englishman need apply"! She said (this was long before the war, of course): "I delight in that Englishman who, on seeing such a notice, raised his eyebrows and said: 'By Jove! Copied off the gates of hell!'"

Mrs. Murphy was educated in Toronto, at Bishop Strachan school, winning the Alex. Manning medal for general proficiency. In 1887 she married Rev. Arthur Murphy, a Church of England clergyman, and for many years has lived in Edmonton. Latterly Mr. Murphy became interested in mining and farming as well as in church work, and Mrs. Murphy took a hand at both and at a hundred other things. She knows all about mining, a lot about timber and farming, can ride a broncho with anybody, is a considerable traveler, a cyclist, and a collector of Canadian fossils.

An extraordinary variety of work has been done in the West by Mrs. Murphy, including an organization of district nurses, women's clubs, hospitals, improved law regarding dowers, etc. She was organizer and first president of the Women's Canadian Club at Edmonton. She is a magnetic platform speaker and a charming, genial conversationalist.

"Janey Canuck's" books include "Janey Canuck Abroad," "Janey Canuck in the West," and "Open Trails." They are not stories in the ordinary sense, but impressions of a penetrating, sympathetic observer of Western life, skilfully and charmingly recorded. Robust is the best word to describe her work as a whole, for it is all strong, sane, and refreshing. Agnes Deans Cameron, the noted Canadian Western writer, now living in the United States, has a keen admiration for Mrs. Murphy.

Toronto women were once described by Mrs. Murphy as wearing "a cross between the English and American modes; good material in good style." She also said that "Toronto takes its new jokes from the theatres," but adds: "The city is very fair, resourceful, tireless, and unafraid; a city worthy to be greatly loved."

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Canning Without Sugar.

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This can be made possible by the use of boiling water when sugar syrup is beyond one's means. Any fruit, they say, may be successfully sterilized and retained in the pack by simply adding boiling water instead of the hot syrup. Most fruits canned alone in water do not retain their flavor, texture, and color as do those canned in sugar, and must be sweetened when used for sauces or deserts.

In order to can without sugar the product must be canned on the same day that it is picked. It should be prepared for canning in the ordinary way. Then the containers should be placed in a sterilizing vat such as a wash boiler with a false bottom, and completely covered with boiling water. The sterilization process may extend from 10 to 30 minutes, according to the process used. After sterilization the packs should be removed, the glass jars sealed and wrapped in paper to prevent bleaching and stored in a dry, cool place.—Hartford Times.

Ontario's Edible Fungi.

Forty-five varieties of edible fungi from Toronto and vicinity were exhibited at the first meeting of the Mycological Society in the Botanical Building of the University of Toronto a few days ago.

Surprising the Doctor.

Scottish shrewdness is occasionally overmatched by Irish wit. The handful of people who inhabit a certain little island in the Atlantic, off the coast of Donegal, enjoy so much health and so little wealth that there is no doctor on the spot. In rare cases of emergency a physician is brought in a boat from the nearest village on the mainland.

On one occasion some islanders who were obliged to summon the doctor found that he had gone to Dublin on business. As the case was urgent, they invoked the services of another practitioner. This gentleman was a Scotsman, with the proverbial canniness of his race, and he declined to undertake the voyage unless he received his fee, a golden sovereign, in advance.

There was no help for it, and the money was paid. The physician went to the island and attended to the case. But when he inquired for a boat to take him away he found that not a boatman on the island would ferry him back again for any less consideration than £2, paid in advance.

The doctor had to part with the money and to admit that he had been beaten at his own game.

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LONDON, Saturday.

Captain D. D. Sheehan, M. P., writes for the Daily Express this account of how in a trench raid a Victoria Cross was won:—

The other day I read that among the list of new V. C.'s was the following:—"Lieutenant Arthur Hugh Batten-Pooll, Royal Munster Fusiliers, for most conspicuous bravery while in command of a raiding party. At the moment of entry into the enemy's lines he was severely wounded by a bomb, which broke and mutilated all the fingers of his right hand. In spite of this he continued to direct operations with unflinching courage, his voice being clearly heard cheering on and directing his men.

"He was urged, but refused, to retire. Half an hour later, during the withdrawal, while personally assisting in the rescue of other wounded men, he received two further wounds. Still refusing assistance, he walked unaided to within one hundred yards of our lines, when he fainted and was carried in by the covering party."

I well recall the incident in connection with which Lieutenant Batten-Pooll won the highest decoration that can be awarded for valor in the field. We were up somewhere in the north of France preparing those series of preliminary bombardments which paved the way for the grand offensive later, and which I imagine worried the life and soul out of the Prussian Headquarters Staff. Many will probably remember that in one of the official despatches of the time special mention was made of the successful raids made by the Munsters and the Anzacs, precedence being given to the former, and right well they deserved it.

Romance of the War.

The story of that raid will yet constitute one of the romances of the war—how carefully it had to be prepared, how thoroughly every detail had to be thought out, how well practised the men had to become in the duties assigned to them and how perfectly the co-operation of artillery and infantry had to be arranged.

It is of the more human side of the story, however, that I would write. Though it was toward the end of June the rain was continuous, and I have seldom seen the trenches in a worse condition of slush and mud. The men cracked jokes at one another as they endeavored to negotiate some particularly deep pool, and, as is their way, treated the worst side of life in the most good humored manner.

We had completed our reliefs and made all our dispositions in good time, leaving some hours on our hands before the raiding party were to advance to their dangerous adventure.

Eight officers were to go out on the raid—this will give some idea of its magnitude and importance—and Lieutenant Batten-Pooll was one of them. He belonged to our company, and he looked to us at our dugout in the casual kind of way that is the fashion out there. Very little was spoken about the prospects of the raid, Lieutenant Batten-Pooll himself being a most modest and unassuming young fellow—a most sweet and admirable gentleman, though I say it who had but very brief acquaintance with him. There is not one of his comrades who will not rejoice at the signal honor that has come his way.

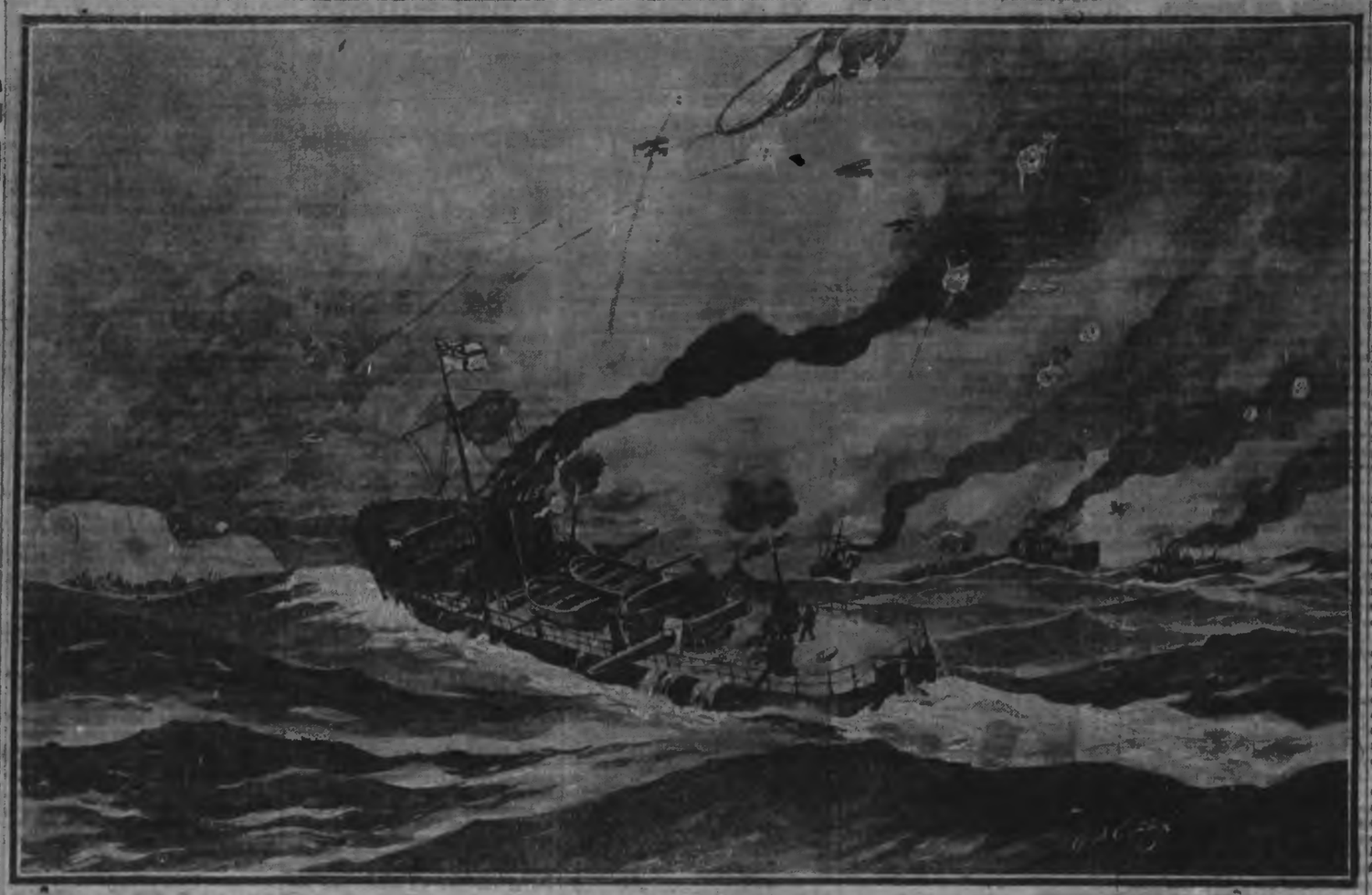
Thoughts for His Men.

Some refreshments were sparingly discussed, and just before leaving Batten-Pooll remarked to his company commander, Captain Humphreys:—"By the way, here is £5 which my mother sent me to be spent on the men of our company. I only got it to-day. Will you take charge of it?"

There was no pessimism about him then. He knew he was engaged on a desperate hazard, but it was not his way to talk about it. He only wanted to see that the gift intended for the men of his company should not fail in the worst event. His last thought before going over the parapet was one of consideration for the troops. Yes, Batten-Pooll deserved that Providence should be kind to him.

And what about the raid itself? Well, the Munsters once again covered themselves with glory. While our men were out in No Man's Land at the point of assembly our artillery at a given moment trickled forth such a fury of shot and shell as I had never seen before. I have seen worse since, but this was the beginning of those great demonstrations of our artillery superiority which will finally, I feel, decide anything else, determine the issue of this war.

Back came our men into the enemy's trenches with irresistible dash. They met with a stout resistance. There was no stopping or stemming the dash of the men of Munster. They rushed the Prussians off their feet. They bombed and they bludgeoned them. Indeed, the most deadly instrument of destruction in this encounter was the short, heavy bludgeon in the shape of a shillalah, the use of which, we are loth to believe, is the prescriptive and hereditary right of all Irishmen.



The Channel coast of England is almost daily visited by German aeroplanes and Zeppelins. Artist Coffin, the noted delineator of marine subjects, has drawn a picture of one of these attacks. It shows torpedo boats and batteries on the cliffs repelling an aerial bombardment. In a recent raid one of the Zeppelins was brought down in flames. The total number of Zeppelins lost by the Germans in the war is uncertain, but probably aggregates thirty.

WARNS SOLDIERS TO BEWARE SPIES

Writer in German Troops' Publication Says Missives Home May Give Advance Information.

(Special Dispatch.)
BERLIN, Saturday.

In the Liller Kriegszeitung, published by Prussian troops in the occupied French city, is an article by G. Pesch in which he gives some idea of how soldiers often unwittingly and unconsciously aid spies.

"The damage a spy can do," says Mr. Pesch, "may often require weeks and months of fighting by a whole army to overcome. Therefore it behooves every soldier to be on the lookout and to do everything to make the work of the spy difficult and dangerous.

"In this, comrade, we must have your help. No doubt you will say, 'Why, there is no chance in a thousand of my ever meeting with a spy. And if I ever do, well, my bayonet will be at his breast and I will march him in short order to headquarters.'

"Well, comrade there's where you are entirely wrong. You are not likely to meet a spy on the battlefield or among the ranks. A spy is a pretty clever chap. You will usually find him comfortably ensconced at home while you are in the trenches fighting for your life and country. Perhaps the spy is at this moment sitting in the café in your home city, sipping coffee or cognac, smoking cigars and congratulating your uncle or your father on the good news just received from you that you had received the Iron Cross. This you have yourself written to your uncle or your father, and this letter is proudly exhibited in the café. In it you state that you received the Iron Cross for bravery at the battle of N., that you belong to the Tenth Army Corps and that your troops are still located at N. Your father or your uncle's friend is also glad to hear through your letter that you have met an old school comrade belonging now to the Tenth Uhlans, formerly at the front in Russia, but that the corps will start for Russia again within a few days; that the Eleventh corps is on its way to Serbia, and so on. And so amid the social conversation in a comfortable café the spy sits and absorbs a great deal of military information from letters written by soldiers to parents or relatives at home.

"Just imagine for a moment what harm that spy can do. Now, if there also is in every big city and town the same mild mannered, polite and cultured gentleman all our work and bravery and efficiency are of no use. Then whatever move we make this harmless looking individual at once learns and makes the best use of. You know what it means when you are about to make an attack, supposed to be known to nobody but yourselves. He find that the enemy has known all about it for days and is ready to meet the attack with all its forces.

"Therefore, comrades, be careful of what you write home. Say nothing about military movements. Remember, in this big war everything is at stake—our country, our homes, our cities. We must win and will win, but be careful not to play into the hands of the spy, who is everywhere in the Fatherland and who can do us so much harm. Don't give him that chance."

War and the Influence of Mind Over Body

By JAMES J. WALSH, M. D., Ph. D.

There are many phases of the psychology of a great war like this which illustrate very well how much more influence man's mind has over his body than is usually presumed. Ordinarily it is supposed when suffering is lessened or disabilities removed or capacities to do things greatly enlarged by merely mental factors that those affected thus favorably were rather imaginative beings, usually women or rather effeminate men suffering from imaginary ills or dreads or inhibitions consequent upon overoccupation with self and the morbid tendency to introspection which modern self-consciousness fosters.

It scarcely would be expected that soldiers hardened now in body by the course of a long war, rendered practical in their outlook on life by the trials of many months of campaigning and with their physical powers reduced to the utmost by the calls made on them, would exhibit not only traces but very definite demonstrations of how much the influence of mind over body means for human accomplishment and the power to stand even the severest of hardships.

No Time To Be Ill.

Perhaps one of the most interesting testimonies to the influence of mind over body in the war was given not long since by Wilfrid Grenfell, whom we know best in this country as the medical missionary to the Newfoundland fishermen. He described some of his experiences at General Medical Headquarters during a visit to France. On a chart was shown the total ill and wounded for every day of the war. The wounded were represented by a red line, the ailing by a blue line. Elevations in these lines told their own story. A big red rise meant the battle of Loos, another meant the attack at Ypres, a third the advance at Hooge. In fine weather the blue line, indicating the number of purely medical cases, became level, and there was not much sickness among the soldiers.

The strange thing to Dr. Grenfell, whose own experiences as a medical missionary among the fisher folk along the northern shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence make his point of view of special significance, was that illness "showed always nearly twice as much wastage of soldier material as wounds (except in cases of big attacks), and this in spite of all the advances of hygiene."

The curiously interesting thing, however, was that when fighting was most severe illness grew less. Every case treated by the army physician was reported to G. M. H., the soldier's familiar abbreviation for General Medical Headquarters, and physicians in charge of men actively engaged apparently did not have nearly so many cases of illness to report as among the same men at other times, even just before and after active engagements. The General Medical Headquarters' explanation of this fact was laconic enough and distinctly to the point. "No time to take notice of it." Pains and aches, disturbances of various kinds, conditions for which a physician would surely be consulted, fade into insignificance and are allowed to take care of themselves when men are getting ready for an advance or are being actively engaged by the enemy, or when they are occupied with caring for the wounded, burying the dead or intrenching themselves anew after an advance or a retirement.

In a word occupation of mind keeps men from disturbing themselves over ailments which prove to be self limited when their attention is diverted from them and concentrated on other and much more serious consideration. It is practically the same thing as is noted with regard to men in the woods during the summer at a considerable distance from where medical advice can be readily obtained. They refuse to give in to their disturbing physical conditions unless some very serious infection has taken place, and in nine cases out of ten the prescription to "forget it" proves to be as valuable as would much more elaborate prescriptions that might be obtained from their regular medical attendant.

Building Up Men.

The war, however, has had its effect not only on the powers of men to resist disease and ill health, but above all in developing their capacities to stand fatigue, irregular eating and sleeping, with the added serious disturbances of the nervous system and the worries of an active campaign which would ordinarily be expected to bring about serious deterioration of their health and ability to keep up with the accomplishment of any great purpose. We hear very little of "nervous breakdowns," considering the immense numbers of men who are engaged. They are so common in what we call the strenuous civil life as to be a commonplace. There are probably 25,000,000 of men, surely more than 20,000,000, in actual service, and probably more than 10,000,000 in the trenches. Nervous exhaustion occurs in a certain number, but practically without exception in those who have a history of distinct nervous or mental symptoms before enlistment.

Most persons would have said that it would be quite impossible for the young fellows of twenty to twenty-five, picked up in the streets of large cities, either thin and flat chested and scrawny from lack of proper air, exercise and nutrition, or soft and mollycoddish from inactivity and the eating of the carbohydrates, sweets and soft cereal foods in too great profusion, to stand month after month of trench life, with all its severities and all its call for the strongest qualities of human nature. Chosen men might live up to such pioneer existence but not the general run of mankind, above all from our modern cities.

Not only have just the average young city dwellers proved able to stand it, however, but they have actually developed under it into men quite different from what they were. A day of hard work with fasting would have sent most of them to bed with a stinging headache, but now, after thirty-six hours in which perhaps they have had very little to eat or drink, they are ready to take up the problem of helping comrades who are in a difficult position, or to take their turn in moving the wounded until hours pass over them without heeding their plight.

They have learned the lesson of how much more of power to do and stand things they have than they ever dreamed of before. Besides, they have found that much less of sleep and rest is necessary for the recuperation of their energies than they were persuaded was indispensable before the war. In a word, they have discovered in themselves sources of energy of whose possession they had no idea until they were actually compelled to develop powers which were latent yet present, though they might never have been revealed only for the emergencies of war that have called them forth. The revelation has been accompanied by that supreme satisfaction which the consciousness of finding new powers in one's self always brings with it.

Developing Human Energies.

Professor William James, of Harvard, in his well known essay on "The Energies of Men," written not long before his death, insisted that men can do ever so much more than they think when placed under the necessity of doing it and that very few live up to the maximum of energy, and that, indeed, a great many people exist merely on the surface of such powers as they possess.

He illustrated what he meant by the figure of the athlete and his second wind. A runner, for instance, after proceeding for a certain distance at his top speed finds himself gradually more and more hampered to continue his movements. His breath comes fast and quick, there is a tight feeling about his chest, his feet get heavier so that it is hard to carry them forward, his legs get stiffer, so that he is under greater and greater stress to lift them, and while the physiologist would explain that his internal respiration is proving insufficient, to oxidize his muscular tissues and enable him to go on the runner knows that he is just tired and probably will soon have to stop from sheer inability to keep up his movements.

If he pushes on, however, being in reasonably good health to begin with, a very curious phenomenon takes place. His breath begins to come easier, his feet get lighter, his legs move more readily, above all the tightness around his chest relaxes and he feels ever so much better than before. This is the experience known as getting his second wind. It occurs just when the runner as a rule has about come to the conclusion, unless he has had considerable experience with himself, that he shall have to give up.

There are some who get not only second wind and even third winds and even as athletic trainers know fourth reliefs of this kind. These latter are very rare, but Professor James has taken the illustration from athletics to suggest that in every mode of physical endurance and also of human work of all kinds incidents similar to this phenomena in running have been noticed. People can do ever so much more, people can stand ever so much more than they think they can. Training enables the athlete to tap successive layers of energy and thus to do ever so much more than he thought possible. Persistence against other forms of tiredness will accomplish like results.

The curious thing is that such persistence and training instead of leading to exhaustion and breakdown is absolutely necessary to enable the athlete and the worker of any kind to develop his own powers up to their proper limit. Instead of proving exhausting such forced continuance, if properly regulated, gives satisfaction and actually new power and the tiredness is readily relieved by what actually seems no more rest than was required after the more superficial activities of life before.

With this in mind it is easier to understand the expression of a British officer in a well known magazine not long ago. "For every Englishman killed in the war," he said, "two will be created." What he meant was that two hundredthousand men living as merely on the surface of things that what they were able to do with their dormant superficial energies meant very little would be lifted up to do real men's work.

After all, this is not a new experience in war, and, on the contrary, has often been noted before. France at the time of the Napoleonic wars was for twenty years in conflict with most of the rest of Europe and lost the flower of its young manhood, so that it might be expected that the French people would be almost a dead letter in the intellectual, artistic and political life of Europe afterward, especially as defeat came at the end, and they were without its stimulus of victory to act as an incentive to other men.

RUSSIAN OFFENSIVE COSTLY, HE SAYS

Swedish Writer Gives His Impressions of Recent Fighting on Eastern Front.

(Special Dispatch.)
STOCKHOLM, Saturday.

Nils Lago Lenquist, a Swedish writer, who was on the Austro-Hungarian front during the recent Russian offensive, has returned to Stockholm and gives his impressions and observations of the recent terrific fighting in an article in the Aftonbladet.

"The Russian offensive," he writes, "did not find the Austro-Hungarian troops unprepared. They were aware that Russia was massing new troops, and Austrian deserters, Russian prisoners and Russian deserters kept the Austrians thoroughly informed of everything that was going on. Russia had massed not only thousands of new troops but had numerous guns of large calibre and an almost inexhaustible supply of ammunition. Yet despite all this the Russians did not break through the Austro-Hungarian front and their offensive was not so successful as they led the world to believe.

"In Volhynia and vicinity the Russians in twenty days gained only seventy kilometres of ground. The Austro-Hungarian troops had the choice of fighting either on level ground, exposing themselves to heavy Russian fire and suffering great losses, or they could fall back and take up their positions in the mountains. They chose the latter. As a result the Russians advanced along the plain and their losses were enormous. To watch them being mowed down by the Austro-Hungarian fire was heartrending. To expose their men was idiotic and brutal on the part of the Russian leaders. Not since the beginning of the war has such slaughter been witnessed.

"In Volhynia alone the offensive cost the Russians at least 250,000 men killed, and the number of wounded cannot be estimated. Regiment after regiment was sacrificed, and without success, for the situation now is what it was a few months ago."

ROUMANIA LIMITS MEAT CONSUMPTION

Charles J. Vopicka, American Minister at Bucharest, reports to the Department of Commerce at Washington that Roumania has found it necessary to restrict the use of meat, particularly during the warm months, and in July the Minister of the Interior addressed instructions to the prefects of departments and mayors of communities in Roumania prohibiting the use of meat throughout the kingdom on three days each week during summer, this prohibition applying to restaurants and railway stations as well as to the various health resorts. The circular of the Minister of the Interior is as follows:

"In view of the fact that during summer the consumption of meat is not as frequent, and that on the other hand fresh vegetables are to be found in abundance at this time of the year and constitute a nutriment which can very well replace meat, the Ministry of the Interior, upon the advice of the Central Commission for Food Supplies, has decided that the number of days on which no meat is to be consumed will be three a week, and not two as heretofore. We therefore beg you to take the necessary measures in order to prevent the sale and consumption of meat on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, and consequently not to allow the slaughtering of cattle in abattoirs on the eve of these days. You will see that the measures are applied in restaurants and railway stations as well as in health resorts.

"For certain invalids an exception can be made in order to permit them to consume poultry."

PRUSSIAN ORDER TO ECONOMIZE IN WAR SHOWS PINCH

Documents Captured by British Reveal Straits of Army at Front.

(Special Dispatch.)
LONDON, Saturday.

The following is a translation of a document captured from the enemy by British military forces:—

"The victorious termination of the war depends, in no small degree, upon our economy in all those things which are necessary for carrying on the war, so that, in the course of time, we may not be hampered by the shortage of some important war material.

"The necessity for care in the use of food has been dealt with several times recently.

"Equally important, though in many cases less heeded, is the careful use of our stocks of war supplies and raw material of all sorts, because, even if we have no shortage at present, the supplies and the money are limited, whereas the length of the war cannot yet be foreseen.

"If we wish to insure that the stocks and supplies are used to the greatest advantage every one in his own sphere must help to see that all stocks of clothing, equipment and war material of all sorts are spared as far as exigencies of war allow, and that new orders are sent in only for that which is absolutely lacking or entirely unfit for use.

"When deciding whether an article is capable of further service the same standard cannot be maintained as in peace time or on mobilization. Material is worn out or unfit for service only when it can no longer fulfil its proper purpose. A shabby appearance alone can never justify a new issue.

"It is the duty of all forwarding offices to make certain that the things ordered are really necessary before they pass the order on. Skilful adjustment or repair can often make good a deficiency and so effect a great saving.

"Demands have been sent in recently of a magnitude that was not in keeping with an economical and orderly administration. It is hardly possible, except in special cases, that a formation really needs at one time a complete set of fittings. It often happens that small repairs are not undertaken soon enough or that demands in excess of what is strictly necessary are made for the sake of obtaining an even appearance.

"From to-day, in order to insure that all unserviceable articles are sent back, so that they may be put to some use, a new issue will not be made from the office concerned until the worn out articles have been returned. If this is impossible for any reason, such as fire or destruction by bombardment, such reason must be stated on the indent.

"In case of articles of consumption it must be certified that the previous stock is completely exhausted. The O. C. of all units have been instructed to refer any orders which are in excess of the normal to army headquarters. All indents for replacements should be accompanied by a statement that as far as possible the unserviceable articles will be returned; the place where they will be given up should also be indicated."

Translation of another captured document follows:—

"Res. Inf. Regt. 99.

"Regt. H. Qrs., 18, 8, '16.

"Whilst our enemies obtain their food, clothing and material from all countries our own untiring industry has succeeded unaided in supplying from Germany the enormous needs of our army.

"It is your duty to be economical, not only with food, but also with all those things which are used in warfare. Take care of your clothing.

"A well patched tunic or pair of boots becomes a soldier, because it shows that in small matters he is helping to accomplish great things.

"Just as the small saver contributed to the great success of our war loans, so the soldier in the trenches contributes toward our economic victory by taking care of things that are intrusted to him.

"Take care of your arms. A sensible wastage of arms at the front lessens the equipment of new formations and saves labor at home, which is set free for other purposes.

"Be economical with all material and tools that are issued. Throw nothing carelessly away that might be of further use, however unimportant it may appear.

Remember that a wooden lining frame costs twenty marks, a complete dugout 1,000 marks."

"The less we use, the less the war will cost, and the easier it will be for our fighters at home to supply us out here with everything that we require for the final victory.

"Watch your comrades and encourage one another to be economical.

"V. BALMBACH."

"Extract from Divisional Order of 18, 8, '16."

GREAT SCARCITY OF PAPER IN GERMANY

(Special Dispatch.)
BERLIN, Saturday.

Owing to the scarcity of print paper in Germany and the consequent high price, many of the smaller papers throughout the empire have found it necessary to suspend publication, temporarily at least, while other papers have greatly reduced their output and number of pages. The newspaper publishers of Wurttemburg called a special session to consider the situation and have passed resolutions calling upon the government to place a fixed price on print paper in order to protect the smaller newspapers.

In Austria the government has already taken hold of the matter, dividing papers into first and second class and fixing them to a certain number of pages each day and also fixing the price at which they can be sold. In this manner it is hoped to prevent any further increase, for no matter what exigencies arise newspapers cannot publish any more pages than the number to which they have been limited. The scheme has proved successful thus far, and as a result no more increases in the price of print paper are expected.

FAMILY DOCTOR'S GOOD ADVICE.

To Go On Taking "Fruit-a-tives" Because They Did Her Good

Rouses, P. Q., Jan. 14th, 1915.

"I suffered for many years with terrible Indigestion and Constipation. I had frequent dizzy spells and became greatly run down. A neighbor advised me to try "Fruit-a-tives". I did so and to the surprise of my doctor, I began to improve, and he advised me to go on with "Fruit-a-tives".

I consider that I owe my life to "Fruit-a-tives" and I want to say to those who suffer from Indigestion, Constipation or Headaches—try Fruit-a-tives and you will get well". CORINE GAUDREAU.

50c. a box, 6 for $2.50, trial size, 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

Anzac Slang.

The vocabulary of some of the Australian and New Zealand troops would puzzle Solomon himself, judging by some of the specimens given in that entertaining periodical, The Gazette of the 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth. The following dialogue is quoted by a transport officer lately in Gallipoli:

"Hallos, chum! I've just heard some bonza news."

"What! Another fatigue?"

"No, dinkum oil this time; the boys have imahied the Turks on the right and got fifty prisoners, who say they have had mafeesh tucker for two days."

Bonza corresponds with our "ripping" or "topsole." Aafurfie is a rumor, dinkum means "genuine," and dinkum oil "authenticated news." Imahi is Gippy for "clear out," and mafeesh, which is borrowed from the same tongue, means "nothing."

When an Australian wishes to acquire something he "shakes it," whereas the British Tommy either "makes it" or "scrounges it." Tommy's slang is largely derived from Hindustani, and includes such words as "chipperew" for "shut up," "put some jildi into it," meaning "hurry up," and "let's have a dekke," when he wants to have a look at something.

Posey is jam—cherb, beer—rooty, bread—dough, money—dippo, gravy—muckim, butter — shar, tea. "Swinging the lead" is pretending or deceiving. When an article is "spare" it means that it is not wanted.

Russia's Senate.

The Russian Senate has been in existence since 1711.

WHOOPING COUGH.

Mrs. Charles Lovell, Agassiz, B.C., writes: "Seven of our nine children had whooping cough the same winter, and we attribute their cure to Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine. We always have it in the house and recommend it as the king of all medicines. I was formerly entirely cured of protruding piles by using Dr. Chase's Ointment."

FOR YOUNG FOLKS

A Sleepy Time Story That Is Both Interesting and Instructive.

DISCOVERY OF TREE PRUNING.

How a Wise and Hungry Old Animal Performed a Good Deed and at the Same Time Acquired a Square Meal. Interesting Items For Small People.

I am going to tell you tonight, said Uncle Ben to Polly Ann and little Ned, a story about

THE WISE DONKEY.

There was once a farmer who had a donkey, and, like most people who own donkeys, his master did not have a great deal of respect for his wisdom. One day the donkey showed him that he knew a great deal more than he was given credit for. At any rate, after this occasion the farmer thought him far wiser than a whole forest full of owls, who have ever been regarded as the wisest of feathered folk. But to begin at the beginning:

The hero of this tale—the donkey—was very hungry. His master, thinking him only a donkey, thought he did not know the difference between eating prickly thistles and something better. The donkey was very tired of thistles, and his stomach felt like the "old scratch" because of them. He gave a loud bray and before he got to the end of it—not farther than b-b-r, in fact—he saw the gate into the orchard was open. The donkey had always longed to go into this forbidden place, but the gate had been kept securely locked. His master could not lock the smell of the apples and pears from reaching the donkey's nose, though, and this smell made the donkey long more and more after the good things which grew there.

The donkey could scarcely believe his eyes or nose either, but the second glance showed him that his eyes had not deceived him. The gate was open; consequently the donkey was invited into the orchard. Once inside, he lost no time in sampling the fruit of a fine apple tree. You know how fond your pet pony is of a nice juicy apple. Well, you can imagine how a donkey who had been raised on thistles would regard a tree full of them. He ate and ate until no pig would have recognized him. Branch after branch came off the tree in Mr. Donkey's attempt to get the delicious apples. All went well until his master returned. When he saw what the donkey had done, poor donkey got the worst whipping that he had ever received in his life. The master almost cried, for his tree was ruined, and the apples were the finest ones he owned.

The year following, what was his surprise to see that the tree he had looked upon as ruined bore double as many apples as any other tree in the orchard. Besides this, the apples were finer and larger than any he had ever grown. He was ashamed of the way he had treated the donkey for his part in the scheme. He gathered a large basket of the apples and himself carried it to the poor donkey. Ever after this the farmer pruned all the trees in the orchard, and from so stupid an animal as a donkey the valuable process of pruning trees was discovered.

Jumbled Dinner.

"Oh," said Ruth, "I know what we will have at grandma's. There will be pigpen, hulpmup and cemni pies; yetruk, of course, with plenty of gyary; reeky and skiecoo, with ocfefe and drice to drink."

Answer.—Apples, pumpkin, mince, turkey, gravy, celery, cookies, coffee, cider.

One Summer Day.

Little rabbits in a row.
All dressed up, no place to go.
Said the tiny, frisky one:
"Let us go and take a run."

"Let's sit still," said t'other rabbit,
He who had the lazy habit.
"I know what to do," said Creepy,
"Sweet be our dreams, I'm sleepy."

A Pair of Pretty Boys.

The two young lads in the picture were snapped at the Piping Rock horse show, on Long Island, New York.

Photo by American Press Association.

JOHN AND KEMBLE TUCKER.

They are Masters John and Kemble Tucker of Newport, R. I., and they were gazing at a horse race when the photograph was taken.

Length of Life of Children.

In the American Magazine Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, inventor of the telephone, says:

"Contrary to the public belief that the first born child is apt to be short lived, I have found that the first born reaches the average age length, which is 34.6 years. The second born children come up to the average also. But here's a curious thing—the third and fourth born have an average life considerably longer than the average. As a general proposition, the children born after ten years of married life are short lived."

A DOMESTIC ONE.

An Actress Expert at Cake Making and Salesmanship.

HOW SHE MADE LOVEBIRD PIE

For 25 Cents Miss Hedman Sold a Slice of Pastry to the Greatest Fletcherizer in the World at the Allies' Bazaar.

One of the many actresses who helped the allied bazaar at the Grand Central palace, New York, was Martha Hedman, the Swedish star.

Miss Hedman, who is the only actress who ever baked a cake in a glass dish, sold a piece of the delicacy to an elderly man who visited her booth next to the authors and artists' booth. He was a little man with a fringe of hair as white as the serge suit he wore. A single medal stood out in bold relief on his left breast. He had given his quarter for the slice of cake so

Photo by American Press Association.

MISS MARTHA HEDMAN.

eagerly that Miss Hedman began extolling the virtues of a lovebird pie, a flaky crust over a glass bowl in which were two live birds, urging him to buy the pie and throwing in such an inducement as an autographed picture of herself. As she talked merrily on her visitor munched his cake, masticating each small bit thoroughly. At the end of several minutes he was still eating calmly, and as Miss Hedman glanced at the portion that remained undevoured there may have been just a suggestion of impatience in her eye. At any rate, her customer handed her his card, which read, "Horace Fletcher, A. M., Food Economist." Then it rushed across the actress' consciousness that the man fletcherizing his cake was he who had taken the joy out of life—and probably putting much health into it—for many by scaring them into eating slowly.

Baby Things.

In the craze for quilts baby's interests should not be neglected, as he will perhaps have more use than his elders for such a comfortable, even during the warmer months. A most effective modern version of the old time quilt is made of blue chambray, with a white band near the edge, which crosses at the corners. In the center of the quilt are three saucy bedtime babies in nighties, not forgetting the caps, and each carries a lighted candle. White chambray is used to depict this and is appliqued to the blue background. Extra touches of color are put in with embroidery outline. Below the figure runs the legend, "The Sandman Is Coming."

A toy that the baby will probably take to bed as well as play with in the daytime is a linen doll made by joining two tinted and embroidered pieces of material together to form the front and back of the doll and inclosing beans, for the character doll is really a bean bag.

Secret of French Frying.

The secret of successful French frying is to have the lard so deep that it entirely covers what you wish to fry and so hot that it will instantly form a crust over the entire surface of the article that is immersed in it. If further cooking is necessary the heat should immediately be reduced.

The best frying is done by plunging the article entirely in boiling fat. All too often French fried potatoes are merely slices softened in grease. Boiling grease does not enter articles plunged into it, but forms a crust on the surface which keeps out the fat. A well fried article, prepared in the French manner, will hardly soil the napkin on which it is laid. Either lard or drippings may be used for this purpose. Test the heat with a bit of bread an inch square. If it browns in one minute the heat is right.

Corn Chowder.

Fry a half pound of diced salt pork in a big saucepan until brown. Add one sliced onion and cook until light brown. Then add four sliced potatoes that have been parboiled ten minutes, a can of corn or corn cut from cob and a pint of boiling water. Cook until the vegetables are tender, then add a quart of rich milk, pepper, salt and a half dozen crackers which have been soaked in a little milk. Serve with a cracker on each dish of soup.

We must ourselves learn the ways of right and wrong, and having learned we must choose.—Marie Corelli.

If hair's your pride, use HERPICIDE

THOSE PTOMAINES

What a Housewife Should Do to Prevent Them.

GIVE PERFECT REFRIGERATION

Dangers That Lurk In Food Left Standing on the Kitchen Table—Shellfish and Clams Make Especially Good Poisons In the Summertime.

The hot and often muggy days of summer seem just the ones to develop in certain foods definite bacteria which cause symptoms of pain, chilliness, subnormal temperature and thirst. These may continue for a somewhat extended period and are particularly dangerous because the after effects of the poisoning are often severe.

Ordinary colic or intestinal fermentation is not the true poisoning, which is due to fermentation or imperfect digestion.

There are certain foods especially susceptible to the development of ptomaines, such as meat, game, fish and milk or its products. Shellfish, and particularly clams, are possibly the most common cause.

But the development of ptomaines (which, by the way mean "derived from a dead body") is not due to any qualities in the foods themselves, but to lack of care in handling them. Some persons think that contact with tin or galvanized surfaces is the cause, as in ice cream. This has not been definitely settled. The chief and accepted cause is change of temperature in food products before they are used and careless storage either on the part of dealer or housewife.

In spite of all that has been said on the subject of care of the refrigerator, sanitary handling and cleanliness, many of us are not 100 per cent rigorous in the way we treat foods before they reach our table. Probably the reason why shellfish are most frequently the cause is because these are very seldom subjected to complete refrigeration, but are allowed to stand about in bags in whatever temperature happens to prevail.

In order to prevent the development and danger from ptomaines we must first oversee and insist on state and municipal strictness in all handling of food products, particularly milk. The second step is so to handle food when it is within our own four walls that our own home conditions cannot encourage this poisoning.

Food left lying even a half hour on the kitchen table, a refrigerator which registers above 50, unclean utensils—any one of these may be the cause of the ptomaine developing. Especially with all canned goods and canned and smoked meats should we exercise the greatest care. Remove the contents from a can as soon as it is opened. Place at once in refrigerator or, better, allow the can to stay in the refrigerator some hours before it is opened.

It is worth noting that the bacteria that develop the ptomaines do not always develop putridity or decay—that is, we can eat a food in a high state of preservation and still be subject to ptomaines. Scrupulous care and as perfect refrigeration all the way from the time the food was first handled until the last are the only preventives.

Dainty Scent.

When washing blouses or handkerchiefs put a small lump of orris root in the rinsing water. It gives a perfume of violets which is as lasting as a sachet placed among the clothes.

JOE DEVLIN.

Facts About the Celebrated Irish Orator.

In this country few people know anything about Joe Devlin, as he is affectionately called by the Nationalists, but he is a man who counts in the Emerald Isle. He will probably play a greater part in helping Mr. Lloyd George to clear up Irish affairs than even Mr. Redmond or Sir Edward Carson. For Devlin, like the Minister of Munitions, possesses that genius, energy, and courage which leads the people to put their whole trust and confidence in him.

One of the secrets of his success lies in the fact that he is a son of the people. Born forty-four years ago of working class parents, Joe Devlin has made his way by sheer genius and native ability.

"Joe Devlin," said Mr. T. P. O'Connor on one occasion, when writing about the member for Belfast, "has intense sympathy with the poor. He loves them. He goes to their homes. He knows nearly every man, woman, and child in his constituency by sight and by name. He addresses them as they address him by their Christian names."

After leaving school, Joe Devlin began to make his way in the world as a boy of eleven, and there is a certain little public-house in Belfast where at one time he served as a barman. But he had ambitions even in the days when serving out beer and spirits. When he was sixteen he won a prize for elocution, and it was about this time that he made a speech the eloquence of which astonished Thomas Sexton, one of the most gifted modern orators Ireland has ever produced. He drew from Sexton a compliment which thousands of our public schoolboys might envy. "I regret," he said, "the rule which obliges all members of the House of Commons to be at least 21 years of age."

It was Devlin's connection with a political debating society which fired his ambition for a political career. He soon became known as one of Ireland's youngest and most courageous stalwarts. On three occasions he was sent to the United States on behalf of the Irish party, his eloquence and organizing ability arousing such admiration that, when he ultimately returned, he was put in charge of the National Organization in Ireland.

For ten years Mr. Devlin has represented West Belfast in Parliament, and in spite of considerable physical disadvantage—for he is one of the tiniest men at Westminster—he is recognized as an orator, organizer, and parliamentarian of the greatest brilliance.

In Ireland he wields a unique power. He is the general secretary of the United Irish League, the official organization of the Irish party, which has branches in [illegible], Australia, and South Africa. He is also head of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, probably the largest and most influential organization of the Catholic laity in the world.

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By Anabel Worthington.

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This model is thoroughly up to date with a waist that is bloused quite full and, shaped with a tuck in each front turned toward the armhole, the effect is pretty. The left front, closing with button decoration to yoke depth, adds the necessary smartness. Although the neck finishes without a collar, the sleeves are cuffed with contrasting goods.

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GRANT SIX

If you are in the market for a [illegible] cylinder car, be sure and see the Grant Six, at PULKINGHORN'S AUTO AND TAXI LIVERY.

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Canada Enlisted 178,537 Recruits During Year That Has Just Closed

Toronto District Leads With a Record of 85,384 Men Since the War Broke Out---The Kingston District, Which Includes Peterboro', Has Raised 41,204 Men---Russians Are Making Strong Stand in Roumania

A SUMMARY OF TO-DAY'S WAR CABLES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, January 3.—During the year just past there were recruited in Canada 178,537 men for overseas service. Making the totals by districts since the beginning of war as follows:

Toronto—85,384.
Manitoba and Saskatchewan—77,254.
Kingston—41,204.
British Columbia—37,767.
Maritime Provinces—34,902.
Alberta—34,517.
Montreal—33,993.
London—31,325.
Quebec—7,729.

During the past fortnight Toronto enlisted 457, and the Kingston District 367.

TORONTO, January 3.—Speaking to the Board of Trade audience today Sir Thomas White, Minister of Finance, urged greater efforts all the line of national saving. "Canada should make her dollars fight the Huns," he said.

PETROGRAD, January 3.—The Russians in Roumania have retired towards Sereth, where they are making a strong stand.

BERLIN, January 3.—Prince Fusensterberg of Boden, aged 24, has been killed in action.

LONDON, January 3.—The declarstion that President Wilson knows the peace terms of the Central Powers was made in a New Year's speech at Budapest by Count Andrassy.

LONDON, January—The Teutons have made another advance in Roumania, capturing Barseci, some distance south of the Trotus, Topasia, and also Pintecesti and Mera on the Milcuvul, a tributary of the Sereth, towards which latter river the Russians have been steadily retiring.

WASHINGTON, January 3. — The Administration has studiously avoided a reference to its threat to break relations with Germany in the event of the resumption of relentless submarine warfare. But many interpreted the President's consultations and Lansing's visit to-day as being significant of a desire to have Congress on record in support of the President's note which was admittedly a warning to Germany.

BERLIN, January 3.—The question of whether the United States intends to remain neutral, or whether President Wilson is playing for a psychological moment to enter the war, is raised by the Cologne Gazette to-day.

Has U. S. Government Cards Up Its Sleeve?

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, D.C., January 3.—That the Administration has peace cards "up its sleeve" and has finally decided to lay them on the table before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, was indicated to-day when Secretary of State Lansing went to the Capitol to consult with members of the committee.

New Type of German Submarine is Reported

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

NEW YORK, January 3.—Reports of new German submarines, capable of laying mines while submerged, and a new report of a mysterious German raider roaming the Atlantic, were brought here by the Holland-American liner Nieuw Amsterdam. Captain Jan Baron said it was believed by many seamen that Germany has perfected this type of submarine. He expressed a further belief that mines of this sort have been laid in all English harbours, even in the mouth of the Thames.

Baron said he had received daily warnings from Cape Race Wireless Station on his trip to this country, to be on the outlook for a German commerce raider, 450 feet long and 45 feet beam, with one funnel and two large masts. It was said she was equipped with long-range guns and torpedo tubes. Several British and American ships are long overdue.

Teutons Lost 583,523 Prisoners Last Year

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

ON THE FRENCH FRONT IN FRANCE, January 2.—During the course of last year, according to authoritative figures, 78,500 Germans were captured on the French front by the French, and 40,000 by the British, while in Serbia and Macedonia the Entente allied armies took 11,173 Bulgarians and Turks prisoner. During the same period the Italians made prisoner of 52,250 Austrians, while the Russians captured more than 400,000 Germans and Austrians.

SIX HUNDRED THOUSAND AUSTRIANS ON ITALIAN FRONT.

ROME, January 2.—From thirty to forty-three Austrian divisions are kept engaged along the Italian front, says an official communication issued to-day. The statement adds that since Italy entered the war she has conquered 1,200 square miles of territory, shortening her war front from 500 to 375 miles, with an aggregate of 1,875 miles of entrenched lines.

War material is being manufactured by 2,179 factories, employing 469,000 workers, including nearly 73,000 women.

The Austrian prisoners now number 85,000, the statement asserts.

UNIVERSAL WEEK OF PRAYER BEING OBSERVED THIS EVENING IN EVERY CHURCH IN THE CITY

The churches of Peterborough are finding a ready and cordial response to the call. Last night's service in St. Andrew's Church was attended by a splendid congregation. Let no one forget these meetings. If you never attended before—start now. If you have recently neglected prayer as the first duty of life—renew the habit. Remember our Empire and city, our homes, and lads overseas need your prayers before anything else. Services are being held to-night in every church throughout the city.

SUBJECT — "The War — Its Effect on Religion at Home, in the Trenches and on the Mission Fields."

Further notice each day will be given by the Ministerial Association as to the place of meeting and subject.

DEATH OF FIRE VICTIMS WILL BE A GREAT HANDICAP

Evidence of Wm. Walsh and Jos. Houlihan Was Regarded as Essential Provincial Fire Marshall Heaton Announces.

MATERIALS EXAMINED

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Jan. 3.—The death from fire injuries of two of the employees of the Quaker Oats Co., Peterborough, whose evidence was regarded as essential to the official investigation into thee fire, has greatly handicapped the inquiry, in the opinion of Provincial Fire Marshall Heaton. Wm. Walsh and Jos. Houlihan, employeees, who died in the hospital a few days ago, were in the room where the fire started and the inquiry was adjourned to obtain their evidence, and that of another injured employee, as soon as they had sufficiently recovered from their injuries. Samples of material in which the fire occurred have been sent to the School of Practical Science in the hope of discovering if it contained anything which might cause spontaneous combustion.

Another Body Found in Ruins

Farmer Uncovers Remains of G. W. Vosbourg, Missing Car Checker

The body of another victim of the Quaker Oats Company fire was discovered this morning when a farmer loading a sleigh with grain unocvered the remains of George Wellington Vosbourg, the car checker, who had been missing since the catastrophe. The body was found about fifteen feet north of the northeast corner of the boiler-room, covered with bricks and by grain that had erupted from the destroyed elevator. The searchers had not done any work at that point, as Vosbourg was thought to have been at work at the cars on the siding, east of the boiler-room. Instead it is apparent that he had been passing outside the boiler room when the explosion came and was caught by the falling bricks. The identification was made by the clothes of the victim.

Mr. Vosbourg was thirty-one years of age and was born in Castleton, Ont. He had lived in Peterborough for about three months. His wife was Miss Hattie Kellog.

South Monaghan Boy Is the New Mayor of Ottawa

South Monaghan took a peculiar interest in the Ottawa Municipal elections this year because Harold Fisher, a South Monaghan boy, was elected Mayor of the Capital by over 1,000 majority in a three-cornered fight. The new Mayor was born in South Monaghan, 38 years ago, and received his early education there, afterwards going to Toronto University, graduating in law. Fifteen years ago he went to Ottawa, where he became law partner with the Hon. Chas. Murphy. He is a nephew of Mr. Walter Fisher, Water street, Peterborough.

OFFICERS ELECTED

Annual Meeting of the Ladies' Aid of George St. Methodist Church

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the George Street Methodist Church was held yesterday afternoon with Rev. R. G. Peever as chairman. The reports read indicated a successful year with $800 raised. The following officers were elected:

President—Mrs. Jas. Long.
1st Vice—Mrs. S. R. Armstrong.
2nd Vice—Mrs. C. E. Smith.
Secretary—Mrs. B. Shortly.
Treasurer—Mrs. S. A. Oke.
Pianist—Mrs. A. E. Micks.
Associate — Mrs. Hackett.

BIRTH.

BOTHWELL.— To Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bothwell, 460 Wellesley street, Toronto, formerly of Peterborough, a son (still born.)

NATIONAL REGISTRATION A PATRIOTIC UNDERTAKING

"The people of Canada do not realise the gravity of the situation with which we are confronted in the present war. Those who know best tell us that if we are to win any such victory as will have abiding results we must put into it every ounce of strength and every dollar that we possess. We have gone on the assumption so common in peace times, that things will right themselves, but this is certainly not the case. A satisfactory issue will only come if we determine to use our energy for that end. There is a great deal of latent power in this Dominion. In few countries have the people more natural ability than Canadians have, but in few countries is there so little co-ordinated direction as here.

"The purpose of national registration is to discover what available people are for different kinds of work. We must know what we can count upon. There are thousands of people in this Dominion who are only waiting to be told what to do, but it is necessary to find out who these people are, and what they can do. The next step will be to use the right person for the right thing, and to see that as far as possible the round peg is fitted into the round hole, to avoid waste, not to have the energy of a person missed by having him put to do the wrong thing. National Registration, therefore, is a sensible undertaking at such a time as this. It is a patriotic undertaking. It is the kind of undertaking that an intelligent people like the Canadians will surely be ready to carry into effect at the earliest possible moment."—President R. A. Falconer of the University of Toronto.

Sergt. Alex. Gillespie Well Known Peterboro' Boy On The List

Former Peterboro' Rugby Player Who Went Overseas With the Pioneer Battalion is Reported Seriously Ill--Another Recruit From Havelock For 247th Battalion--To-day's Orders and General Military News.

Mr. J. B. Gillespie, 138 Hunter street East has received an official message from Ottawa stating that his son, Sergt. Alex. C. Gillespie of the Canadian Pioneer is officially reported admitted to No. 23 Casualty Clearing Station, France on January 1st seriously ill. No further particulars have been received. Sergt. Gillespie who is a very well known Peterborough boy having been prominent in rugby circles, enlisted in New Ontario and went overseas with a Pioneer Battalion.

Another Havelock recruit joined the ranks of the 247th Battalion to-day.

Among the gifts of the season which fortunate ones have received the Executive Officer of the Patriotic Fund desires to make acknowledgment of receipt of two pair of what we call socks. The very best. Beautifully knitted, comely in shape and colour. Quite the very nicest. And the gift, so the card attached said, of a soldier's wife. The kind donor withheld the name or thanks would have been tendered personally. It will be observed that the Executive Officer is now on the same footing as the boys on the line. As the fashion of the early days in the town, set by the river drivers, of wearing their socks outside the pantaloons is not now au fait, the only way to display the excellence of this gift would be to shorten the length of the legs of ones trousers, and that, so far fashion will not permit, likewise the weather. Anyway the socks will be put where they will do the most good. And again thanks.

To-day's Orders.

Daily orders by Lt.-Col. C. H. Ackerman, commanding 247th Batt., C.E. F. Orders for Jan. 2, 1916.

(1). District Order No. 1. Unauthorized Expenditures—

It is published for the information of all concerned that since the outbreak of the war, the practice has arisen of incurring expenditure without due authority. It is pointed out for your future guidance that all officers concerned who may, after the receipt of these instructions, incur expenditure without due authority, will be held responsible for the same.

(2.) Parade.—All officers, N.C.O.'s and men except those specially employed, will parade in drill hall at 9 a.m. and 2 p.m.

(3.) Duties.—The following officers will do duty with "A" Company until further orders: Lieut. R. B. Brooks, Lieut. T. W. Quinn and Lieut. J. F. Strickland.

(4.)—Recruiting.—The following officers will report to Capt. J. Belton at 9 a.m., Jan. 3: Lieut. S. J. Dunsford, Lieut. W. H. Moore, Lieut. R. G. Johnston, Lieut. C. G. Shaw.

(5.)—Duties. — Orderly officer for Wednesday, Jan. 3rd, 1917, Lieut. F. J. Hayes.

Orderly officer for Thursday, Jan. 4, Lieut. R. B. Brooks; next for duty: Lieut. J. F. Strickland.

A. E. Brittain, U.S., 247th O.S. Batt.

The Kingston Standard Says:

Since men began to return to Kingston from the front, they have been wearing a variety of badges and distinctive marks, which compel even the best military authority to ask many questions as to their meaning and significance. Some of these badges and marks are official, and some are unofficial, but permitted by the Imperial War Office.

There are two kinds of buttons used by men who have been overseas. One is worn by men who have been to the front, and the other by men ho were unable to proceed beyond England. At first glance these look somewhat alike, but a close inspection will reveal the fact that there is a difference in their markings. The man who has been to the front wears a button with a "Union Jack" in the form of a shield in the centre. The man who has only been to England wears a button of the same size, but with the "Union Jack" in the form of a flag proper. Both centre pieces are in coloured enamel.

Then there is the gold strips worn lengthwise on the left sleeve which indicates that the wearer has been wounded. For each separate wound received in a separate battle the soldier is entitled to wear a gold stripe. The stripe is to be worn on uniform only, but no objection is being raised to it being worn on mufti.

Some soldiers wear patches of color on the back or on the sleeve, just below the shoulder. These are distinguishing marks adopted by different divisions at the front, and make it possible to know the particular division to which the wearer belongs without asking any questions.

The Princess Pats adopted a narrow badge worn on each arm just below the shoulder with the letters "P P.C.L.I." in white. Since then many other battalions have imitated this mark. The Welsh Fusiliers in the old land are allowed to wear a bunch of black ribbons called a "flush" hanging from the left of the tunic collar.

In addition to a division patch worn on the arm, some wear a brigade patch, and where the patches of different color are seen on the arm of a returned soldier on the streets of Kingston, they indicate the division and brigade to which the wearer belongs.

The buttons given to returned soldiers are handed to the men in Quebec, at the discharge depot. The returned soldier also wears an identification tag, which makes it possible to easily recognize casualties. This is supposed to be worn around the neck, but many have had it made in silver and wear it around the wrist fastened with a silver chain.

EAST CITY RINK

Good skating to-night and band in attendance. Admission 10c.

Brock St. Rink No Skating To-night

Owing to the soft weather there will be no skating at Brock Street rink to-night. Since the Rink opened this season this is the first occasion there has not been ice. Last year the week between Christmas and New Years was an entire blank so far as ice was concerned.

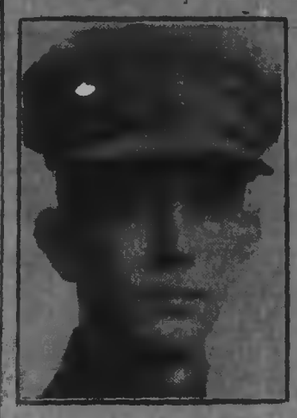
Is Organist of St. James' Church

Mr. Harry Hill has been appointed organist and choir leader of St. James' Methodist Church. He studied under Mr. John Renwick, who now has three graduates filling important church directorships in this city.

SOCIAL DANCING CLASS.

The social dancing class which was postponed last night, will meet to-night in the Conservatory Hall.

British League In The Fight To Stay



SERGT. LORNE L. HICKS.—Instructor of Radia Telegraphy at Kingston, a Peterborough boy who has important duty in signalling training.

NATIONAL SERVICE CARDS RECEIVED IN LARGE NUMBERS

Rural Communities are Being Covered by the R. F. D. Carriers through the Surrounding Townships — Response from East City, very Satisfactory.

"NO BOOZE NO FIGHT" WRITTEN ON TWO CARDS

The collection of the National Service cards has made a promising beginning. The East City postman returned yesterday with what was estimated at more than two thirds of the cards distributed, and it is expected that the most of the remainder will be offered on a second call. There were quite a few residences in which the residents were not "at home," but this is not a suggestion that they were following the social frosty custom. Cards from the south end routes are also in, and the general report of the first collection is entirely satisfactory. Two cards from East City men bore a blue-pencilled inscription "No Booze, No Fight."

The distribution of cards is not merely within the city. They have been sent out on the ten rural mail routes that radiate from the local post office one of which extends thirty miles up through Smith township, and another reaches to Lakehurst. They circulate through the various townships and are expected to thoroughly cover the southern section of the county at least. From these facts it becomes evident that Postmaster Edgar and his staff have a large job on their hands, and furthermore an idea is conveyed of the magnitude of the task that confronts the department. In the rural communities the work of delivery and collection likewise falls upon the "posties" and assumes a tedious and big job.

Men who fill out the cards and seal the envelopes are requested to write their names and addresses on the upper left hand corner. This is simply to facilitate the checking of the envelopes received at the Post Office.

In a number of cases the person filling in the card has forgotten to put his name on same. As this is a most important part of registration it is desired that all men see that their names are on the cards, with the addresses.

Kindly watch your districts as described in last night's paper and have your cards ready for the collectors. All cards must be returned by Monday (not later.) All not then returned will be reported to Ottawa. If you are short of cards or envelopes, kindly ask your carrier for the number required. He has a supply and will be pleased to oblige you.

District collected to-morrow (Thursday) will be London street and south to Brock, west to Park. Also south to Charlotte, west of Bethune and east of Park street. Kindly have all your cards ready.

BIG YARN SALE

Thurs., Fri. and Sat., Jan. 4th 5th and 6th.

Bonner-Worth Yarns, the biggest value for your money. Reg. $1.60 and $1.75 per lb., now $1.29 in all colours.

Lavoie Knitters
82 Hunter St
4d-1 East of St. John's Church

New Regime in Kitchener Has Started Out Auspiciously With the Water Commission Using the Name Berlin on Its Bills.

CONSIDERED AN INSULT

KITCHENER, Ont., Jan. 3.— At a meeting of the Executive committee last night it was decided that the British League should still continue its work.

"While beaten at the polls we will still carry on the fight for the British cause," declared W. G. Clegborn, chairman and one of the defeated aldermen after the meeting.

"We are beaten but not conquered and we still have the whole Dominion and the British flag behind us."

The new regime has not started auspiciously with the first act of the Water Commissioners, who have sent out bills bearing the date line on them "Berlin, January 1, 1917." The Teutonish element considered it another insult. "No, I'll not pay them," exclaimed one man vehemently. "Not even if they sue me." "Even then I'll protest against it."

It is also pointed out that not a single man in the new Council was a son in khaki.

Mayor-elect David Gross, Jr., told your correspondent to-day that the sole desire of the new council was for better civic government, better housing and no rechange of name. "We hope to be able, with the assistance of the people, to promote better housing, and while our opponents were willing to fight on a name change question by my desire it was never made an issue at this election. I was opposed as a British citizen, to name controversy as an issue in an election or as long as we need united effort to prosecute war to a successful conclusion."

"I am as good a citizen as any to the British empire," he went on, "and it is wrong to say that the people of Kitchener are pro-German. Some of the people here still have a feeling for the land of their birth, but the majority of these, some of whom have lived here for 40 years, were deprived of their votes, because they were not naturalised."

Mr. Gross explained why he changed name change. The name Berlin had come to mean something, he declared, on manufactured goods it stood for good stuff. "Berlin was well known. The people will to swallow that change in a will. We've been proud of the name. Why can't we be British with our name."

KITCHENER, Ont., Jan. 3.— [illegible] more the plate glass windows of the News-Record paid toll for its popularity with some people here. [illegible] a.m. this morning a brick thrown by unknown hand, was hurled through when the soldier's back was turned. There was no attempt at a renewal of rioting and the night otherwise passed quietly but one night does not make Kitchener's trouble and the arrival of the soldiers of the 118th Battalion on their last leave next week is looked forward to with interest.

FIREMEN'S SERVICES WERE 'APPRECIATED

LINDSAY, Jan. 3. — The Lindsay Fire Brigade have been highly praised in a number of instances and for their efficient work at several fires.

Besides the grant of $4 [illegible] to a man from Peterborough city [illegible] received some days ago, they have also received ten dollars each from the Quaker Oats Co., with an appreciative letter of thanks and appreciation.

Besides this grant the Fire Brigade received the following letter from Mr. Arthur G. H. Knowlson, of New York enclosing a check for twenty-five dollars for the Lindsay Firemen's Benevolent Association.

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THE KITCHENER AFFAIR.

The action of some visiting soldiers in attacking in a riotous manner a newspaper office in Kitchener, is a regrettable incident in a country where law and order are the general characteristics of the people. The background, however, of this discreditable occurrence is much more discreditable than the occurrence. There are many cross currents in the details of the present situation in Kitchener, where the change of name of the city from Berlin, the name of the capital of Prussia, the head and front of offending of what is known as German militarism and all of evil it implies was the cause of considerable ill-feeling between the loyalists of the city and those who sympathized with Prussia and the German cause. In the recent elections candidates were put up by the "British League," organized to foster British sentiment and uphold British institutions and another set of candidates by the Citizen League, organized to foster and make political capital out of the so-called anti-British sentiment in the city. Before we have given the explanation of the strength of the German influence in Kitchener, which, united with the party element, resulted in the pro-German candidates making a sweeping success in the elections.

The political factor is given as the disturbing influence that keeps Kitchener in turmoil over the underlying object the changing of the British name of Kitchener to the Prussian name of Berlin. In support of this idea is the fact that political influence in Ottawa by with the government at Ottawa power to block the objectionable deputation, visiting the city in the interests of the change of name and in the recent contest through the name-changing organ, the News-Record, the offensive journal of the city has been striking hand in hand with the pro-German admirers and sympathizers, who have been able to plot secretly and work openly through lax government oversight, to insult British sentiment and to restore a name typical of the fact of Prussian militarism and of the work against which Canadian soldiers are to-day fighting and dying. The local Conservative organ, therefore, came in for some hard knocks from the visiting soldiers, when an attack was made in front of its office to pull down the flag they were carrying through the streets. The soldiers, evidently knew and read for themselves that the party organ was in sympathy with the "Citizen League" specifically organized to defeat in the elections of 1917 the aldermen who had been identified with the adoption of a British name for a British city, and to substitute aldermen who would take immediate steps to discard the British name and substitute the German name with all its disgraceful significance. Though the new Board of Aldermen may be willing enough to do this; though their political friends who have helped them to the power may facilitate and condon such action no government will feel it a pleasant thing to do to sanction the perpetration of such an outrage. There is limits to the complaisance of the people. They have tolerated the indifference in the Borden government of affairs, representing Naturation sentiment and anti-British sentiment and action that has done so much to help recruiting in Quebec; but the people will hardly stand the outrage implied in the change of a good British name the name of Britain's greatest naval hero, for the name of the capital of a country that was doubtless proud of his tragic death. Kitchener's name is now, and Kitchener's remain or thousands of loyal Canadians will know the

CANADA FOR THE CANADIANS.

It seems to be a cause of gratification in the matter of Canada's development to have statistics show us that the imports of Canada have increased nearly 200 million dollars since the year 1914, though her exports show nearly a double increase. Of course war conditions very largely account for both increases. One feature of the figure of imports and an associated fact, however, furnish cause for humiliation as a reflection upon the national enterprise, and national sense of responsibility.

The year before the war, which, of course necessarily greatly stimulated importation of the raw material of munitions, Canada in the fiscal year before the war—1913-14 imported iron and steel manufactured goods to a value of more than 115 million dollars. These immense imports should not be possible—but if so, not for long—in a country, so rich in ores and coal, and electric energy, necessary for their smelting and for their industrial conversion into the ultimate commercial forms.

We need stimulating and rousing to a sense of our position and possibilities in ways the war has shown possible in the matter of steel production. Col. Thomas Cantley president of the Nova Scotia Steel Company shows what Canada can do in regard to steel production, under stimulus of patriotism and duty. Canada's production of steel in 1916, exceeded by 250,000 tons that of the year 1913, Canada's highest year of steel production. The possible disproportion of coal deposits to the possible output of our iron mines, is, to a large extent removed by our excess of electrical power. Col. Cantley tells us of the increased and very important use of electricity in the production of steel, a means which has had little employment or attention till recently. In 1916 about forty thousand tons of steel were produced by the use of electricity.

When the war is over Canada will be called upon to meet the larger demands that will come for iron and steel. We should "lay pipes" to produce what we need at least, for our own industrial and economic purposes with proper initiative and directing power and help from our government. We can in this make large use of our electric resources. We can conserve and develop them to be one great agency of realising the policy of Canada for Canadians; the policy of producing in our own country, everything that we need—the policy of developing by refinement process all our mineral wealth to the semi-finished state and the policy of manufacturing articles of iron and steel and silver and gold and nickel and articles into which the latter enters in a way to give Canada the greatest possible advantage in the employment of labour capital and associated interests.

We can apply this to our nickel, to our pulpwood and with advantage especially to the smelting of our iron ores. The point of objection to Canadian iron ores is the excess of sulphur. In converting iron into steel, electric treatment is especially adapted to dealing satisfactorily with this excess. The necessity of developing and utilising our wide-spread and abundant water power to produce electricity, does not demand special insistence.

We are making tremendous sacrifices to maintain Canada as integral part of the empire. To maintain Canada at her best or bring Canada to her best is the logical sequence to the maintenance of her political and territorial integrity. If Canada is worth fighting for she should be made her best and her best can only be reached by making the country self-sustained in all repects practicable in relation to the rest of the world. This, of course, the nature of things prevents from being fully realized; but there does not seem much limit to the possibility of successful and general applications of the policy that demands that all the resources of Canada should be developed, refined or treated in a way to bring them to their ultimate or approximately ultimate commercial conditions in Canada and by Canadians. We should refine our nickel, smelt our ores, grind our grains, manufacture our pulpwood, all to the highest practical degree within Canada by our own skill, by our own labour by as far practicable our own capital.

A CALL OR LEADERSHIP.

The necessity for reconstruction of the Canadian Government is in the public mind and cannot be put away. There is dissatisfaction with the Government. It is not a partizan dissatisfaction, not a desire for a change from the rule of one party to the rule of another. It is simply a desire for greater efficiency, greater energy, a more adequate expression and representation of the public desire that Canada shall increase its effort for the common cause. The Prime Minister and his colleagues will not make any move toward reconstruction. The only important change is one forced upon them by the resignation of Sir Sam Hughes. The change made was the least possible change, following the line of least resistance. —Toronto Star.

GLOBE'S SUMMARY OF THE GLOBE'S SPLENDID FINANCIAL SURVEY OF NINETEEN-SIXTEEN

The facts presented by the Financial Editor of the Globe and the experts who have contributed to the survey of the past year prove that Canada is standing the financial strain of the great war in a wonderful way. Three years ago, when the real estate boom in the West was seen to be on the point of collapse, and when the vast railway construction programmes of the transcontinental lines were approaching completion, there were many pessimists abroad in the land. It was feared by not a few students of business conditions not temperamentally pessimistic that Canada might have to pass through a period of hard times before the increase of production expected to follow the opening up of great new areas in the West would provide the interest on her tremendous investment in transportation and city building.

Before the pinch was seriously felt except in a number of over-built western cities the war broke out. The surplus labour of the Dominion was speedily swept into the army, and as recruiting proceeded tens of thousands of men who could ill be spared were withdrawn from the farms, the mines, and the factories to take their places in the armies of the Allies. Since August, 1914, Canada has embodied almost four hundred thousand men—the most robust and vigorous of her male population. Yet, in face of the great shortage of labour thereby brought about, the production of almost all the staple products of the Dominion has been maintained on a level with that of the record years of the past, and in the metallurgical industries has tremendously increased.

The chief falling off in volume in 1916 was in the western grain crop, but the decrease there was due to weather conditions, and not to the failure of the grain-growers in either sowing or reaping. While the total yield of all cereals in western Canada was only half a billion bushels, as compared with three-quarters of a billion in the record year of 1915, the value of the harvest of 1916 was $426,000,000, or $35,000,000 more than the value of the much larger crop of 1915. The increase in he price not only of grain and food-stuffs generally but of all commodities, has made an extraordinary change in foreign trade conditions. So recently as 1914, in the eleven months of the calendar year ending November 30, the imports into the Dominion exceeded the exports by over $60,000,000. The country not only failed to pay with surplus exports the $125,000,000 or $130,000,000 required to meet the annual interest on public and private borrowings from abroad, but was adding to its indebtedness to the extent of the excess of imports over exports. To-day that is all changed. In the eleven months of the year 1916 ending on November 30 the excess of exports over imports was over $280,000,000, so that the people of the Dominion at the present time are not only paying by surplus exports the interest on their debts abroad, but at the rate of a hundred and fifty million dollars a year in reduction of the principal of their indebtedness.

The chief increase in exports has been in the form of shell and war material. Hundreds of millions of dollars' worth have already been shipped, and the production of shell during 1917 will probably average a million dollars a day, Sundays included, if the war lasts throughout the year. By this tremendous export of projectiles to the Allied nations Canada will in a considerable degree lessen her own external war debt, which is piling up at a very rapid rate. The net debt of the Dominion will be close to a billion dollars if the war lasts for another year, but a growingly large proportion of the debt is internal, and the interest will go to the thrifty people of the Dominion, instead of being paid in the form of exports to British and foreign investors.

There is need for thrift and economy in every department of the national life and in the case of the individual. The burdens imposed by the war have been borne without undue strain, but they are nevertheless great. They will continue to press upon the Canadian people long after shell-making has ceased, and when the prices of foodstuffs have declined to normal. The pinch will then come. Every dollar saved now, every extravagance cut out, every public work deferred, every improvement in productive methods introduced, will make it easier for the Dominion to emerge from the war financially strong, self-reliant, and looking unafraid upon the future.

COUNTERFEIT TREATIES.

"If you want to ask about the war, I can say nothing. Thank you. But when anyone offers a scrap of paper you must think twice." This was the reply of M. Jusserand, French Ambassador to the United States when asked by a reporter what he thought of the peace proposals. The Belgian "scrap of paper" incident made the world "think twice." The second thought is still in the minds of the Allied nations, deepened to a conviction demanding that never again shall Germany, the outlaw, be permitted to utter spurious treaties.—London Advertiser.

CANADA'S FINANCIAL SITUATION.

The bank returns for the month of November are a remarkable index to the prosperity now reigning in Canada. They also indicate that Canada is quite capable of assisting still further in war financing. While Canada, with some help from American investors, has absorbed $200,000,000 war bonds during the past twelve months, she has added no less than $192,000,000 to her savings deposits in the banks, which now stand at the record total of $884,000,000. Business in all lines is good, and there is prospect of continued prosperity and activity for some time to come. Canada is in a sound position, and is well prepared to meet the difficult times which undoubtedly lie ahead, when the war ceases and readjustment begins. Until that time comes there should be the strictest economy in both private and public expenditure. Governments and municipal administrations in particular ought to be very chary of alienating large sums of money and valuable labour from productive enterprises. — Montreal Herald.

One of the Cavendishes.

The young Marquis of Hartington, who has consented to be the Coalition candidate for North-east Derbyshire, is following the Cavendish trail and entering politics early. It was only last month that he celebrated his majority, and if there is an election in the near future he will be the youngest member of the House of Commons. His father entered the House at the age of 23, when he, too, was the "baby" of the House.

The Cavendishes are not a military family, though it is to the first Duke that we owe one of our best cavalry regiments—the 7th Dragoon Guards, raised in 1688 by the then Earl of Devonshire. It bore his name for five years, when it was called Schomberg's Horse, and afterwards the Black Horse, the men being mounted on black horses.

Dangerous.

If a Maori wishes to speak words of insult to another Maori he calls his adversary some kind of food. Any kind will do, living or dead. One Maori chief once told another that he was a roast veal. Then he fled to the bush, hid in a cave, was tracked, captured, and beheaded.

The cave is still shown to visitors, and when Lord Kitchener was in New Zealand he was taken to it by a pretty Maori girl acting as guide. She told him the whole story, and at the conclusion the stern soldier's face softened into a smile as he said:

"Ah, then, I suppose it would be highly dangerous to call a Maori lady a little duck?"

ROMANCE OF GOLD.

How Greaves Sought Water and Found Gold.

For thirty years the memory of a piece of gold-studded ore haunted Richard Greaves, a famous West Australian prospector, who has died lately. It was in Western Australia, where he arrived in 1885, that "Dick" Greaves allowed the gold fever into his veins. For two years after his arrival in the State, and he tested it, and thereupon decided to find Beare and locate the place where the stone could be obtained. He never found Beare, nor did he find any more of Beare's stone.

To find gold in any stone, however, Greaves and his companion, Ted Paine, went out on their lonely prospecting trips. Success was denied them on several expeditions, but in October, 1887, they were rewarded, for in that month they discovered the first gold.

The story of the great find is simple, and, told in his own words, is as follows: "As water was getting scarce, and the country very dry, our work on that trip became a quest for water instead of gold. We got to a clay pan, but the water was thick and slimy. We had to set to and pull the dead kangaroos out. We decided to leave the dray and take the horses and test the country round. It was the best bit of country we had seen for prospecting, and so we struck it. Ted Paine struck a floater with a speck of gold in it. To find where it came from was the next move. On October 22nd I came upon the reef, and we took a lot of stone out with gold hanging to it." From that beginning the mining industry sprang into first-rate importance.

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The only known copy of the prospectus issued by Robert Burns with a view to obtaining subscriptions for a proposed volume of poems—the now world-famous Kilmarnock edition, published in 1786—was sold recently at Sotheby's for £275 ($1,375).

Many autograph letters and other relics of the Scotch poet were disposed of. The trustees of the Burns cottage purchased for £98 ($490) an autograph letter to John McMurdoch, Chamberlain to the Duke of Queensberry.

Among the other Burns relics were an autograph poem "Sketch," for £98 ($490); an autograph letter to George H. Sutherland, playwright, for £200 ($1,000); the first draft of an "election ballad" for £220 ($1,100), and an autograph letter to "Dr. Moore, London," introducing a Mr. Nelson, for £150 ($750).

A first edition of "The Vicar of Wakefield," by Goldsmith, brought £80 ($400) at the sale. A first edition of "Waverley, or 'Tis Sixty Years Since," by Sir Walter Scott, in three volumes, sold for £150 ($750), and a collection of other first editions of his novels brought £120 ($600).

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Australia's "Slackers."

Australia has recruiting troubles also. The Sydney, N. S. W., Herald says on the subject:

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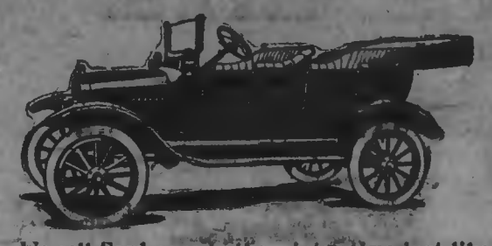

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OUR DAILY SHORT STORY

LUBBER LAST

By Grace H. Boutelle

Ever since they had come to Perkinsville De Peyster and his mother had failed to adjust their respective standpoints to a mutual harmony.

To begin with, it was spring. With the delicious odor of resinous smoke from the boughs that had banked the house assailing one's nostrils, who could resist joining the dancing silhouettes that circled the bonfire and daring one's fate by leaping across it in swaggering competition as the flames died down?

But the drew lurid pictures of his certain fate if he should repeat the offense. Blind defiance rose insurgent within him—he would go! And then all of a sudden he remembered what his father said and hung his head to think how those grave, kind eyes of his would look at him now.

"Take good care of mamma," he had said at the last. "You must be her big brother and never let her worry about you, she's so little and delicate." And then he had whispered over two or three times, "My pretty little wife—my dear little girl!"

And De Peyster had tried with all his might to remember. But often it did seem as if it would have been a little easier if she could have understood that one was disgraced if one did not keep neck and neck with "the other fellows" in every prank they played.

There was a long and weary period of dooryard discipline after this episode. There were a good many times when De Peyster had to clinch his fists as tight as he could and remember his father very hard.

By and by June came, quivering with gold green sunlight, perfumed with a universal blossoming and pungent with the joy of living. At this time every true boy thrills with the half realized rapture of it all and finds the fullest expression of his ecstasy in going swimming.

Every bright morning in some part of the town there was sure to be a group of boys toeing a line, their necks bobbing eagerly forward and their bodies giving anticipatory jerks and twitches as they waited for the word. When the leader said "Go!" they darted forth, and there was a kaleidoscopic and dissolving view of legs racing madly down a side street that led to the river. Then collars came off, coats followed, as they ran with undiminished speed, the fellow who was farthest ahead sometimes slowing up with magnificent daring to get off his shoes and stockings while the others were still hampered by shirts and trousers, and by the time they tumbled in headlong competition over the bank the nimblest carried their entire wardrobe on their arms and flashed whitely into the water while the laggers fumbled at their shoe lacings. The unfortunate who popped into the river, flushed and panting, after all the rest were in was greeted with taunting cries of: "Lubber last! Lubber last! Lubber last!"

De Peyster had never been told not to go in swimming. It had not occurred to his mother as among the list of his possible perils, as she was in blissful ignorance of the fact that "the other fellows" did it.

So it was with the thrilling exultance of the Greek runner that he set his toe on the line with the rest and hurled himself forward, head up and elbows in.

The first few rods it felt like flying. His feet scarcely seemed to touch the ground. Then a pair of legs flashed by him, and another and another. He gathered his strength and shot forward again, but another pair of legs went by, and another and another.

They were tearing off their coats; they were stripping off their shirts. He felt at his collar, wrenched it off and flung it away, to have both hands free for his coat and shirt. They were almost at the bank now. He could see Micky Daly's white skin dazzle in the sun as he took a splendid dive ahead of the rest. His own feet were growing heavy, and there was a mist before his eyes. The knot in his shoe lacing would not come untied. A savage rage filled him. If he could have cut off his foot to rid himself of the hampering shoe, he would scarcely have hesitated. You were ruled out if you went into the water with anything left on. As he struggled and perspired and agonized the two or three whom he had distanced leaped past him, and as he shook the shoe off at last and made his dive he heard the air ringing with, "Lubber last! Lubber last!" and slowly realized that it was meant for him.

He tried manfully two or three other days, but it was always the same way. His muscles were flabby from the dooryard discipline, and he could not pick up in a few weeks what the others had acquired through joyous years of summer vagabondage.

He took it quietly and good naturedly, but it went deep.

His mother found out the custom shortly and forbade him to go near the water.

As for De Peyster himself, the numbness of despair settled upon him. Now he could never learn to redeem himself, to have some day perhaps the ineffable joy of being the first in, ahead of Jimmy Spratt, ahead of Micky Daly, ahead of everybody. His career was ended before it had begun.

"But I got to not let her worry," was the rueful conclusion he always reached. And then he breathed hard and winked fast.

Jimmy was his constant friend and brought him alleviating messages from time to time, such as that the other fellers all said he had lots of sand and could do as well as the next feller if he had half a chance.

When even these encouraging remarks ceased to comfort, he gave him his own horned toad as a last desperate resort. The effect was wonderfully efficacious, but transitory.

"I'd oughter been a girl," said De Peyster many times to himself, "but I wish she didn't want to make believe I am one when I ain't."

This was the nearest to a reproach that he allowed his loyal little heart to entertain, but a baffled, unchildlike look grew in his eyes as he watched his mates go off without him day after day.

In July a light epidemic of scarlet fever prevailed. The oldest inhabitants called it "walking scarlatina," the illness was so slight.

Mrs. Van Voort kept De Peyster in the house.

One day De Peyster caught it.

He regarded it rather in the nature of a festal occurrence than otherwise, for all the Boys who had had it came up to see him, and, although they were not allowed to stand long, it cheered him amazingly to hear what they were doing, for he had constantly the hope that these new delights they told of one after another would not be on the forbidden list when he was out again.

But after awhile he did not seem to care whether they came or not and one day when told that Micky Daly waited below said languidly, "I guess I don't care about seeing him just now—I'm sorter tired—but tell him it 'll be bully to have him come tomorrow."

But when tomorrow came no one was admitted, for he was tossing about in a weakening struggle with something he did not understand that those who watched by him realized only too well.

He heard a voice as if from very far away:

"You'd better tell him, doctor," it said, "I can't stand it to see him fight for his life like a little Trojan when it isn't any use."

The voice broke and then went on:

"He's a brave little chap, brave enough to face anything, and it isn't treating him square not to let him say goodby."

De Peyster opened his eyes. The doctor was standing over him.

"You don't have to tell me," said De Peyster, for he dimly saw that the old doctor's lips were quivering. "I—I guess—I know."

He felt for his mother's hand.

"I'd like to hear you sing just once first, mamsie," he said.

"There's a bully song one of the fellers taught me, 'One Wide River.' I've liked it specially much since—since it worried you to have me go in swimming."

His mother sobbed out a few lines, faltered and stopped.

A look of patient disappointment came over his face.

"Never mind, mamsie, you needn't," he gasped. "I'm going to see it, you know, so it doesn't matter. Won't the cool water feel good, though? And don't you worry, mamsie. Who's afraid? Father 'll find me!"

He lay quite still a moment; then he whispered:

"I would 'a' liked to try one more run with the fellers—Micky Daly was most always ahead—he's a peach sprinter. You tell him and Jimmy and the other fellers about—about me and the wide river. Tell 'em this time I—I ain't lubber last!"

And he slipped away to find that unknown river, the bravest of little pioneers.

What Wearied Him.

A friend once asked an aged man what caused him to complain so often at eventide of pain and weariness. "Alas," replied he, "I have every day so much to do. I have two falcons to tame, two hares to keep from running away, two hawks to manage, a serpent to confine, a lion to chain and a sick man to tend and wait upon."

"Well, well," commented his friend, "you are busy indeed! But I didn't know that you had anything to do with a menagerie. How, then, do you make that out?"

"Why," continued the old man, "listen. Two falcons are my eyes, which I must guard diligently; the two hares are my feet, which I must keep from walking in the ways of sin; the two hawks are my hands, which I must train to work, that I may provide for myself and those dependent on me as well as for a needy friend occasionally; the serpent is my tongue, which I must keep ever bridled lest it speak unseemly; the lion is my heart, with which I have a continual fight lest evil things come out of it, and the sick man is my whole body, which is always needing my watchfulness and care. All this daily wears out my strength."

In Perfect Accord.

Some years ago there came to an American city a delightful German, Herr von Blitz, who intended to support himself by giving lessons in his native tongue. When he had been here several months and had secured a moderate number of pupils, he went one day to the mother of one of them and to her great surprise asked for her daughter's hand in marriage.

"But, my dear sir," said she, "my daughter has no fortune."

The suitor smiled upon her in an expansive generosity.

"Me, too!" said he reassuringly.

"And, although we are not rich, we have thus far been able to give her every comfort. She is indeed used to luxury."

"Me, too!" was the smiling rejoinder.

"But, Herr von Blitz, she will never be able to manage affairs."

"Me, too!" rejoiced the lover.

"And I feel obliged to tell you that my daughter has a very high temper."

"Me too! Me too!"

That was enough. The mother retired from the contest, and the professor won his suit.—Youth's Companion.

Got In His Whole Name.

A Genoa paper tells this delightful story at America's expense: When the Duke of Veragua, the descendant of Christopher Columbus, visited Chicago, he inquired at a telegraph office the charge for a telegram to the city of Columbus of ten words. "Fifteen cents," answered the official, "not including the signature, which is wired free." Whereupon the duke wired: "Mayor, Columbus: Shall visit your city next Monday or Tuesday." And he signed it: "Cristobal Colon de Toledo y Larreategui de la Cerda Ramirez de Baquedano y Gante Almirante y Adelantado Mayor de las Indias, Marques de Jamaica, Duque de Veragua y de la Vega, Grande de Espana, Senator del Reino, Caballero de la Insigne orden del Toison d'Oro, Gran Cruz de la Concepcion de Villaviciosa, Gentil Hombre de Camarra del Rey de Espana."

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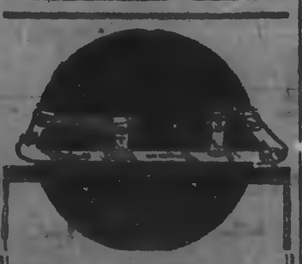

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HOW BLIND MEN READ

LOUIS BRAILLE WAS BENEFACTOR OF UNFORTUNATES.

Frenchman, Who Invented Means Whereby Blind May Read, Was Born a Century Ago Near Paris and Became a Professor at 17—Publishing Braille Books Is a Costly and Laborious Work.

It was a magnificent tribute which King George paid to the memory of the man who "made the blind to see," on the occasion of the recent opening of the new building added to the National Institute for the Blind in Great Portland street, London. "A great service," said His Majesty, "was rendered to humanity when Louis Braille devised the system of reading and writing which partially restores to the blind the lost means of intercourse with their fellows."

The tribute was well deserved, for of all the reading and writing systems which have been invented for the help of the blind, it is generally recognized that that of Louis Braille is by far the best. Much of the £130,000 which is being appealed for to support the National Institute is required to supply the increasing demand for books of the Braille type. That the money will be subscribed by the generous-hearted public there is little doubt, for, as King George truly remarked:

"It is a commonplace that men do not realise the value of that which they have never lost, but I am confident that your appeal for funds to extend and develop your undertaking will stir the imagination of many who unreflectingly enjoy the blessing of sight."

Braille, who was born in 1809 about twenty-three miles from Paris, became blind through an accident at the age of three. When he was ten years of age he entered as a pupil the Institution Nationale des Jeunes Aveugles, which was founded by Valentin Hauy in 1784, and such was his intelligence that when he was seventeen years of age he was elected a professor of the institution.

Both as a pupil and professor, however, he labored to invent a system which the blind could not only read but write in relief, and after years of patient labor devised the wonderful system which bears his name.

Briefly the signs of the Braille system consist of varying combinations of six points or dots placed in an oblong, of which the vertical side contains three and the horizontal two points. There are sixty-two possible combinations of these six points, so that after providing characters for the twenty-six letters of the English alphabet, there remain a sufficient number of signs for punctuation, contractions, etc.

The first ten letters, from "A" to "J," are formed by combinations of dots in the upper and middle rows; the next ten letters, from "K" to "T," are formed by adding the left-hand dot on the lower row, and the remainder by adding two dots in the lower row to the combinations representing the first ten letters.

By other various combinations it is easy to represent punctuation, numbers, and musical notes. Indeed, by means of this dotted system a blind man is able to keep memoranda or accounts, write his own music, emboss his own books from dictation, and carry on correspondence.

For writing, a frame is used consisting of a grooved metal bed, containing ten grooves to the inch. Over this is fitted a brass perforated guide, fixed into a light wooden frame like the frame of a slate, and which is attached to the grooved metal bed by hinges. The paper is introduced between the frame and the grooved bed, the instrument for writing being a blunt awl which carries a little cap of paper before it into the grooves of the bed, thereby producing a series of little pits on the side next the writer. When taken out and turned over, little prominences are felt, corresponding to the pits on the other side.

The reading is performed from left to wright, consequently the writing is from right to left. But this reversal presents no practical difficulty as soon as the pupil has caught the idea that in reading and writing alike he has to go forwards.

That the making of Braille books is a costly and laborious process may be gathered from the fact that John Andrew Ford, whom the King and Queen saw at work when they visited the National Institute, and who has the distinction of having hammered out the first Bible in Braille, took three and a half years to accomplish the task.

The task involved no fewer than 30,000,000 blows, the punch having to be struck three times with the hammer for each dot. This Braille edition of the Bible runs into thirty-nine bulky foolscap volumes.

Alpaca in Vogue.

With the return of alpaca to style a very practical material becomes the fashion. Whether in vogue or not, it has been worn under its more modern name, mohair, for many American women, who are great travelers as a rule, have always found this material the most practical and pretty for the traveling suit.

Under the French name of "alpaga" many pretty models have been created from this material. This fabric seems to be known under various names. Just as there are fine and coarse serges, there are fine and coarse weaves of alpaca, says an authority.

Three samples look at a distance very much the same. On closer inspection the thinnest and finest weave is marked alpaca or brilliantine. The other two samples resemble each other more closely. The one called mohair is a little closer weave than that which goes under the name of sicilienne. The brilliantine looks to be a fabric more suited to dresses, the sicilienne, and the mohair to tailored suits and coats. Cravenette mohair is mohair which has been treated by a process so it is practically rainproof and does not spot or shrink.

HOW TO LIVE.

That Is, How to Live Cheaply and Well.

Most Canadians wonder how people can live on the wages paid in some foreign countries, and when we see people coming over here in the steerage and raising large, healthy families on small wages we wonder also how that can be done. If the truth were known, it is largely a matter of soup and porridge. What is more the Canadian pioneer had a few tricks of the same kind, now almost forgotten. In every country there is some national dish which is cheap, nourishing and satisfactory, and it is usually a soup or stew.

The Italian has his minestrone and his macaroni cooked with meat or vegetables or both. The French housewife has a hundred or so good soups, notably petite marmite, soup a la bonne femme and pot-au-feu. The Scotch have their cockaleekie and barley broo. The Hungarian has his goulash. And so it goes. Old fashioned New England farmers cherished their "boiled dish" and hash and let no scrap of pork or veal or beef go to waste. On the southern plantations, where food was perhaps more abundant than anywhere else in the early days of America, soups were made of a variety of materials, cooked long and slowly. The soup kettle is the good fairy of any well managed household—a brown and squat fairy, but that is no matter. And to do the work properly it should be of good heavy enameled ware, easy to keep clean, and suited to sit on the back of the stove or the simmering burner for seven or eight hours. The great secret of any soup or stew is long, steady, slow cooking. Tough meat, mature vegetables, stale bread, bones (most particularly bones), remnants of oatmeal, macaroni, rice or potatoes, left in the dish after a meal and unappetizing warmed over, and such cheap foods as barley, rice and other forms of cereal, all improve a soup that is properly started, and the long, slow cooking with the cover on keeps in the flavor. Soup stock made in this way will make almost any sort of dish more palatable. With the cooking dishes these forms of cookery are practically impossible, but as tin gives place to the unrustable, unbreakable, durable enameled kettles the soup and the stew are coming back into their true place.

Petticoat Styles.

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TO PREVENT SCOURGE.

How to Ward Off Germs of Infantile Paralysis.

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Sometimes, but rarely, the patient has chills, sore throat, and skin eruptions.

Health is no protection. Often children go to bed apparently well and awake in the night with the first symptoms and are partly paralyzed by morning.

Cleanliness is the only known preventive.

The isolation of children in the house is next in importance.

Have children wash their hands and faces often.

Avoid buying candy, ice cream, and fruits which are eaten without being cooked from peddlers and store keepers who are not careful of their wares.

Don't kiss children on their mouths.

Keep their noses clean. This applies especially to young babies.

Protect them from flies.

The germs of this disease, which are so small that they cannot be seen with microscopes and which pass through germ filters, almost always enter the bodies of their victims through the mucous membranes of the nose and throat.

Keep children away from their mates in the streets or at moving picture shows.

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Senior II.—Helen Garbutt 73, Helen Cox 63, Enid Lewis 53.

Junior II.—Amy Thompson 69, Harry Franks 65, Keith Stewart 61, (Willie Fowler and Russell, Roseborough, absent.)

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SCHOOL BOARD ESTIMATES FOR THE CURRENT YEAR ALSO FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Requirement For the Year 1917 Increased by $5,600—High Cost of Living Together With the Increasing Cost of Commodities One of the Chief Reasons For the Increase—Biggest Part of the Increase Will Go to the Public Schools.

NEW YEAR'S GIFT FOR THE COUNCIL

At a meeting of the Board of Education, held last evening, it was moved by Mr. V. Eastwood, and seconded by Mr. J. W. Miller, that pursuant to the Public Schools Act, section 47, and the High Schools Act, section 37, the Municipal Council of the City of Peterborough be, and they are hereby required to pay the Treasurer of the Board of Education in monthly instalments, the money to be used for the current expenses of the Public Schools and Collegiate Institute as follows:

January 15th	$3,000.00
February 1st	9,300.00
March 1st	9,300.00
April 1st	9,300.00
May 1st	9,300.00
June 1st	9,300.00
July 1st	9,300.00
August 1st	3,300.00
September 1st	3,400.00
October 1st	9,300.00
November 1st	9,300.00
December 1st	9,300.00
Total	$93,400.00

And that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Council.

The Recapitulation.

The recapitulation at the end of the appended report will be of interest to the City Council, in that it calls for an estimated increase in expenditure of $5,600 over the requirement for last year. Sixteen hundred dollars of this amount is for the Collegiate Institute and the remaining four thousand dollars for the Public Schools.

An overdraft of $500, an increase in the cost of fuel, amounting to approximately $1,050, an increase in the cost of printing and stationary, also an increase in salaries, are some of the reasons given for the proposed increase in expenditure for the year 1917.

Complete Statement.

A complete financial statement concerning the Board's activities during the past year, and the estimates for the year 1917, are included in the following report:

Following is a general statement of receipts and expenditures of the Peterborough Board of Education for the year ending 31st December, 1916:

Receipts.

Balance	$1,522.88
Collegiate Institute rate	23,000.00
Public School rate	64,800.00
Government grants:	
Collegiate Institute	1,059.83
Evening industrial classes (2 terms)	807.00
Public Schools	1,914.36
Manual Training and Domestic Science departments	508.08
Kindergartens	150.00
Re Normal School	1,125.00
Strathcona Trust grant	57.20
Fees Collegiate Institute	2,232.52
Fees text books and supplies	3,000.32
Fees departmental exams.	177.14
Nicholls scholarship, interest	100.00
Rents	96.50
Interest on Bank balances	240.80
Proceeds debenture Public School improvements	5,215.65
Proceeds debenture Collegiate Institute ventilation	1,138.00
Fees forfeited and material sold re industrial class	42.96
British American Assc. Co., loss under Policy No. 11462 "Cooney property"	65.00
Proceeds sale of buildings on "Cooney property"	57.00
Sundries	23.25
Total	$107,362.52

Expenditure.

Salaries teachers and officers Collegiate Institute	$23,163.08
Salaries teachers and officers Public Schools	61,092.13
Printing and stationery	918.65
Text books and supplies	3,260.00
Fuel account	4,814.99
Expense account	4,610.78
Repairs and furniture	2,363.53
Insurance	684.33
Nicholls Scholarship prizes	100.00
South Central School, repairs and improvements	5,364.97
Deposited into court re F. Bartlett writ	766.00
Balance	824.06
Total	$107,362.52

Following is a statement of receipts and expenditures of the Peterborough Public Schools for the year ending the 31st December, 1916:

Receipts.

Balance	$ 776.67
Municipal assessment	64,800.00
Government grants	2,572.44
Government grant re Normal School	1,125.00
Fees text books and supplies	3,000.32
Rents	96.50
Proceeds debentures Public School improvements	5,215.65
British America Assurance Co. loss under Policy No. 11462 "Cooney property"	65.00
Proceeds sale of buildings on "Cooney property"	57.00
Interest on Bank balances	240.80
Sundries	2.25
Balance	794.06
Total	$78,765.69

Expenditure.

Salaries, teachers and officers	$61,092.13
Printing and stationery	645.49
Text books and supplies	3,260.00
Fuel account	3,539.16
Expense account	1,357.88
Repairs and furniture	2,065.73
Insurance	684.33
South Central School repairs and improvements	5,364.97
Deposited into court re F. Bartlett writ	766.00
Total	$78,765.69

Following is the statement of receipts and expenditure of the Peterborough Collegiate Institute for the year ending 31st December, 1916:

Receipts.

Balance	$ 746.23
Municipal assessment	23,000.00
Government grant, general	1,059.83
Strathcona Trust grant	57.20
Government grant, Evening Industrial classes (2 terms)	807.00
Fees from pupils	2,232.52
Fees Departmental examinations	177.14
Interest Nicholls Scholarship debentures	100.00
Proceeds debentures Collegiate Institute ventilation	1,138.00
Fees forfeited and material sold re industrial classes	42.96
Sundries	20.00
Total	$29,380.89

Expenditure.

Salaries, teachers and officers	$23,163.08
Printing and stationery	273.16
Fuel account	676.83
Expense account (including evening industrial classes)	3,328.90
Repairs and furniture	297.80
Nicholls scholarship prizes	100.00
Balance	1,618.12
Total	$29,380.89

Balance Sheet.

Following is the balance sheet of the Board of Education, December 31st, 1916:

	Cr.
By Collegiate Institute acct.	$1,618.12
By real estate	$306,081.94
	$307,680.06
To Public School account	$ 794.06
To Bank of Montreal	824.06
To Central School Property account	69,405.56
To South Central School property account	26,764.43
To West Ward School Property account	4,246.07
To King Edward School property account	46,263.26
To Queen Alexandra property account	34,894.81
To Collegiate Institute property account	88,185.99
To King George School property account	51,646.90
To Queen Mary school property account	37,635.28
	$307,680.06

Estimate of revenue and expenditure of the Peterborough Public Schools for the year ending December 31st, 1916:

Expenditure.

Balance due Bank, 31st December, 1915	$ 794.06
Salaries of teachers	54,200.00
Salaries of officers	2,750.00
Salaries of janitors	4,700.00
Fuel account	3,850.00
Printing and stationery	700.00
Repairs and furniture	2,600.00
Insurance	600.00
Expense account	1,005.94
	$71,200.00

Revenue.

Government grants	$2,400.00
Amount required from City Treasurer	68,800.00
	$71,200.00

Estimate of revenue and expenditure of the Peterborough Collegiate Institute for the year ending 31st of December, 1917:

Expenditure.

Salaries of teachers and officers	$22,700.00
Salary of janitor	1,024.00
Fuel account	750.00
General expenses, including maps, chemicals, etc.	600.00
Repairs and furniture	450.00
Insurance	360.00
Rent to Y.M.C.A. for use of gymnasium and instructor	600.00
Evening industrial classes	1,000.00
Industrial expenses	116.00
	$27,900.00

Revenue.

Fees from pupils	$2,200.00
Government grants	1,100.00
Estimate required from City Treasurer	24,600.00
	$27,900.00

Recapitulation.

For Public Schools	$68,800.00
For Collegiate Institute	24,600.00
	$93,400.00

Final Meeting Of The Board Of Education

Regrets Expressed at the Departure From the Board of Mr. B. F. Ackerman]— Photographs of Retiring Chairmen Will Be Hung in the Board Room

The final meeting of the Board of Education for the past year was held last evening with Mr. B. F. Ackerman, the retiring member in the chair. At the close of the evening Mr. W. H. Hill expressed his regret at the retirement of Mr. Ackerman and also suggested that a suitably framed photograph of Mr. Ackerman as well as each succeeding chairman of the Board be secured and hung in the Board room. A resolution to this effect was adopted by the Board. "No man has given more faithful service to the Board in the past twelve years than Mr. Ackerman," said Mr. Hill.

THE BALLOT BOX.

"The ballot box is a strange thing and produces strange results," observed Mr. Eastwood. Mr. Ackerman's departure from the Board will be a distinct loss to the city. He was thorough and conscientious in all his relations to the Board.

Mr. W. H. Miller said that Mr. Ackerman's retirement from the Board was brought about by men who had failed to appreciate the service rendered by Mr. Ackerman. "In retiring from the Board he may feel proud of the fact that he did his work well and that his services were appreciated by those who knew him. Similar sentiments were expressed by Mr. John Crane.

In reply Mr. Ackerman voiced his regret in severing his connection with the Board. His twelve years of service with the Board were full of pleasant recollections. He had endeavored to serve the city to the best of his ability, but at the same time, felt that a younger man would fill the position just as well.

EAST CITY RINK

Good Skating to-night and band in attendance. Admission 10c.

"It's Confidence That Does It"

Ready For 1917

Every housewife desires to present an appetizing table spread to her family and friends the first week of the New Year.

We have reinforced our stock of Family Groceries, Fruits, Vegetables, Biscuits, Canned Goods, Cereals, Nuts, Figs, Cooking Needs, and an excellent assortment awaits your choice. Telephone if you can not come.

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324 George St. Phone 108

Peterboro' Boy Got Word of Quaker Oats Fire Being Sent To Ships at Sea By Wireless

The military school of radio telegraphy conducted by Sergt. Instructor Lorne L. Hicks, of Peterborough, is nobly accomplishing successful work, but has had many interesting experiences. The students are mastering the intricacies of electricity, wireless instruments and code messages. Towards the end of their course they take out a wireless apparatus, instal it somewhere in the country and communicate with the school. Some of the men desire to obtain certificates as a "commercial wireless operator," and having obtained them are qualified for a good position after the war.

A lieutenant of the last class is now taking up aviation in England and will soon be flying. At the same time he will be able to talk by wireless to the field posts.

The radio class is privileged to receive messages from wireless stations all over the continent, including Key West, Miami, Fla., Cape Cod, ships at sea and others. Sergt. Hicks received the news of the Quaker Oats disaster the day it happened, from one of the Atlantic stations which was giving the war and other news to ships at sea.

The S. O. S. alarm calls saved eighty ships' passengers and crew during the past year, thereby affording an example of the ability of science to thwart or lessen the dangers of the sea. On the battle front the same service is rendered. The French army has thousands of small wireless sets along its front. Sergt. Hicks speaks of the interesting feature of the war news flashing through the air to America from European stations. About 10 a. m. Canadian time, Hanover, Ger., opens up with its tale of victories; England reviews the situation next, then France and Russia follow with accounts of the actions on all fronts. This is how some of the war news is received, including the "via Sayville" versions.

A Wireless Trick.

A ship is always supposed to call the shore station and the shore not to call the ship. A ship which had left a U.S. port for Europe was called by a U.S. coast station and asked if they had seen the sub. The boat said it had not. Whereupon hearing this, an unknown answer came from somewhere near, saying, "The U53 was sighted (in a certain place) the day before."

"Who are you and what is your nationality?" the operator queried.

The operator too quickly supplied the information, and asked, "Who are you?" The answer was prompt, "German sub. U53, good-bye."

Interested in Electricity.

Sergt. Hicks has been interested in electricity since his early school days and had an extensive practical and theoretical knowledge of its many branches before the war broke out. He had applied himself to wireless experiments and readily qualified for the instructorship at Kingston.

A Card From Pte. George Butcher

Mrs. Bugg, 219 Aylmer street has received a letter from Pte. George Butcher who is a prisoner of war in Germany, in which the writer acknowledges the receipt of a parcel from the Wives and Mothers' Club. Pte. Butcher states that the parcel arrived in good condition and was very much enjoyed.

OTONABEE CHAPTER I. O. D. E.

The following programme will be rendered on Friday evening, January 5th at St. Paul's church at 8.15 on the occasion of the Recital by Mrs. Helen Davies Sherry, assisted by Miss Lora Logan and Mr. John Allan, under the auspices of the Otonabee Chapter, I.O.D.E.

PROGRAMME.

Helen Davies Sherry, A.T.C.M., L. Mus., Toronto—Soprano. Assisted by Miss Lora Logan, Violiniste. Mr. John Allan Solo Organist and Accompanist.

Organ Solo, Overture (Occasional Oratorio)—Handel.

Aria, Hear Ye Israel, (Elijah)—Mendelssohn.

Violin Solo, Legende—Boehm.

Organ Solo, Romance (Samson et Dalila)—Saint Saens.

VOCAL.

(a) Mey Little Darling—Gomes.
(b) With a Violet—Greig.
(c) Two Brown Eyes—Greig.
(d) The Lark Now Leaves—Parker.

VIOLIN.

(a) Melody for G String—Friml.
(b) Reseda—Friml.

Organ Solo Marche Militaire—Gounod

VOCAL.

(a) Songs My Mother Taught Me—Dvorak.
(b) O Sea—Delibes.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

The regent and members of the Chapter are most grateful to Mrs. Sherry and the artists assisting her, for their kindness in offering their services, and they are confident that the music-lovers of Peterborough will appreciate this opportunity of hearing an artiste so widely known as Mrs. Sherry.

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Cures Sallow Skin, Headache, Languor and Tiredness.

You don't need to be told how you feel,—blue, sort of sickish, poor appetite, vague pains, tired in the morning. This condition is common at this season.

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Thousands have been so utterly depressed, so worn out as to be despondent, but Dr. Hamilton's Pills always cured them. "I can speak feelingly on the power of Dr. Hamilton's Pills," writes C. T. Fearman, of Kingston. "Last spring my blood was thin and weak, I was terribly run down, had awful headaches and a gnawing, empty feeling about my

Dr. Banta's Kidney and Rheumatic Pills

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OUR ANNUAL LINEN REDUCTION SALE

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Housekeepers Opportunity

See Front Window To-Night

This Annual Sale of Linens is an event brimful of interest to housekeepers Anticipate your wants for months ahead and you will save money. For a number of years it has been our custom to conduct a Linen Sale. This year we're better prepared than most people imagine—we bought in large quantities before the advance in prices.

This Sale is not of the insignificant sort. It covers a wide range of Linen necessities and if the reductions on each line were totaled, a considerable amount would be reached. There will be real enthusiastic buying from the opening to the final day, for the prices are such that any woman knowing to-days values and continual advances 'will not fail to be present'

$1.50 Linen Sheeting
$1.25 yard
Is full 70 inches wide and cannot be equalled anywhere in the city at the price. Regular $1.50. Sale, yard.....$1.25

Comforters Reduced
Our stock of comforters will all be reduced to clearing prices. Many excellent values presented.

40c Bleached Sheeting
33c yard
Extra fine quality bleached sheeting, 70 inches wide. Regular 40c value. Sale price, yard 33c

35c Hemstitched Tray Cloths
25c
Plain centres suitable for embroidery work. Size 18 x 27. Value is 35c. Sale price will be, each.....25c

$2.75 Bleached Table Cloth
$2.35
Bleached damask table cloths, extra value, size 2 x 2½. Regular value is $2.75. Sale price.....$2.35

59c Huck Towels
49c pair
Huck towels, extra fine quality; size 40 x 20. Regular value 59c. Sale price will be, pair 49c

$2.50 Bleached Sheets
$1.95 pair
Fine quality bleached sheets, size 72 x 90. Regular $2.50 value. Sale price will be, pair.....$1.95

$2.25 Linen Pillow Cases
$1.95 pair
Hand-embroidered pure linen pillow cases. Size 45 x 36. Regular value $2.25. Sale price.....$1.95

$5 Linen Table Cloths
$3.50
Cloths made from extra quality Irish yarn. Size 2 x 2. Regular price $5.00. Sale $3.50

Scotch Wool Blankets Reduced
Pure wool Scotch blankets; white with blue borders. Specially priced at the following figures. Pair ..... $10.75, $12.50 and $15.00

$1.75 Bed Spreads
$1.50 each
Venetian bed spreads, excellent quality and splendid size. Regular $1.75 value. Sale price, each.....$1.50

30c Hemstitched Pillow Cases
25c each
The quality is good. Size 42 x 33. Regular value is 30c. Sale price will be, each 25c

55c Bleached Table Linen
50c yard
Bleached damask table linen, 64 inches wide, beautifully patterned. Regular value 65c. Sale price, yard.....50c

20c Fine Nainsook
14c yard
Special nainsook for making fine underwear ;36 inches wide. Regular 20c value. Sale price, yard 14c

28c Circular Pillow Cotton
22c yard
This price is less than actual cost; 40, 42, 44, and 46-inch widths. Regular 28c yard. Sale price, yard.....22c

18c Longcloth
15c yard, 10 yards for $1.35
Fine quality longcloth cambric finish—36 inches wide. Regular 18c value. Sale price.....15c yard, 10 yards $1.35

Reduced Prices on Soiled Linens
All soiled table cloths, fancy linens, fancy towellings and table linen remnants to be cleared at greatly reduced prices.

$1.25 Circular Pillow Linen
79c yard
Extra quality in 40, 42 and 44-inch circular pillow linen. Regular value $1.25. Sale price, yard.....79c

$14.50 Maderia Lunch Cloths
$10.50
Two only, maderia lunch cloths, 52 inches round—all hand-embroidered. Regular value $14.50. Sale price.....$10.50

$18.00 Table Sets
$13.25
Two only extra fine pure Irish linen sets. Cloths 2 x 2½; napkins 22 x 22. Regular $18.00 value. Sale price.....$13.25

The GRESSMAN Company Limited

Women Teachers of the City Want Increased Remuneration

Matter Will Be Dealt With By the Board of Education in Time For the Re-appointment of Teachers For the Year 1917-18—Leave of Absence Granted to Mr. W. H. Walkey—Reports Received.

The women teachers of the city are among the latest aspirants for higher salaries, claiming that the present salaries are inadequate, and that unskilled women are receiving wages equal to the teachers. A communication to this effect was received by the Board of Education at a meeting held last evening. It was signed by Miss Clara Adams, President of the Women Teachers' Guild of this city, and represents the view of the members. The communication pointed out that the value of the Canadian dollar had depreciated to sixty-seven cents, so that the maximum salary of $700 paid to the teachers of this city is in effect,only worth $469. The teachers suggest that the maximum salary be raised from $700 to $900, with a graduated scale of increases.

Existing Contracts.

Mr. W. H. Hill did not see how an increase could be financed at the present time, as there was nothing in the appropriation to meet such a demand. In view of the fact that the existing contracts with the teachers do not expire until mid-summer, it was decided to refer the matter to a committee who will deal with it in time for the re-appointment of teachers which takes places about June ot this year.

Mr. Gordon said that the matter should be dealt with as early as possiule and an adequate amount provided in the appropriation.

It was generally agreed by the Board that a salary increase was inevitable. In the meantime steps will be taken to secure information relative to the scale of salaries paid in other cities. If the present plans of the Board are carried out the increases will take effect next September.

Leave of Absence.

The leave of absence granted some time ago to Miss Ross of the Public school teaching staff, has been extended as Miss Ross at present is not in condition to resume her duties. Leave of absence was granted Miss Dorothy Sage to facilitate an operation.

Mr. W. H. Walkey, who has served on the Public school teaching staff for twenty-nine years, was granted leave of absence for six months, five of which will be without pay. Inspector Mowat was given authority to secure necessary supply teachers.

No Objection.

Mr. H. M. Bishop wrote to the Board asking for permission to send his daughter Muriel to the Convent school. The Board will reply to Mr. Bishop stating that no objection will be taken to Mr. Bishop sending his daughter to the Convent school.

Appointments.

Miss Ruth Bristol of Madoc, was appointed to the Public school teaching staff.

Mr. J. D. W. Magee was re-elected to the Public Library Board.

Night Classes.

Mr. V. Eastwood reported that good progress had been made by the industrial classes during the winter. The future prospects for this branch of educational work were excellent, said Mr Eastwood.

Reports Received.

The following reports were received: It was moved by Col. Miller, and seconded by R. Denne, that the payment of the following accounts be confirmed:

For Nicholls Scholarship prizes	$100.00
Salaries of instructors evening industrial classes	469.00
Y.M.C.A. re gymnasium for December	120.00
Monies Received.	
Text Book fees	$306.38
Fees forfeited and material sold re industrial classes	40.38
Interest Nicholls Scholarship debenture	50.00
	$396.67

Property Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Board of Education:

Gentlemen,—Your Property committee beg to report that tenders were asked for the extra plumbing required at the Queen Mary school and have awarded the contract for the same to Messrs. R. G. Sturgeon & Company, theirs being the lowest tender. R. Denne, Chairman.

WE HAVE THE GOODS
FRESH ON THE SPOT

Good Fruit is necessary to the enjoyment of the Holiday Season. We enjoy none but the best.

California Fruits
Sunkist Oranges, Malaga Grapes, Grape Fruit, Bananas, Apples, Lemons, Cranberries, Pine Apples, Olives

Home-Grown Celery
New Head Lettuce
Potatoes, Onions
Cabbage, Carrots
Cauliflowers, Parsnips
Old Cheese, Pickles, Catsup

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8 BOXES CURED PSORIASIS

Mrs. Nettie Massey, Gonnocon, Ont., writes: "Three doctors described my trouble as psoriasis, and one said could never be cured. The disease spread all over me, even on my face and head, and the itching and burning was hard to bear. I used eight boxes of Dr Chase's Ointment and am entirely cured—not a sore to be seen. I can hardly praise 'his Ointment enough.'"

CARD OF THANKS

I desire to thank the citizens of Peterborough for their kindness in contributing to the fund for the Children's Shelter that was undertaken by myself. A sum of nearly $15.00 has been deposited to the credit of the Children's Aid Society in the Bank of Montreal, and receipt is also acknowledged of medicines, candies, oranges, etc.

WILLIE MITCHELL,
Blind.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my hearty thanks to the ratepayers of the townships of Burleigh and Anstruther for the support they have given me as candidate for Reeveship at the municipal election here, although defeated by a majority of eight.

DUNCAN BROWN.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to take this opportunity of thanking all those, who assisted in any way and voted to secure my election to Reeve of North Monaghan. As Reeve I will endeavour to work to the best interests of the whole township. Wishing all the compliments of the season, I remain.

Yours faithfully,
HAROLD B. RYE.

"THE MESSIAH"

The Peterborough Choral Society under the direction of Mr. John Allan, gave an excellent rendition of "The Messiah" at St. Paul's Church last night. Seldom has the Society appeared to better advantage than in this presentation of Handel's grand old oratorio which, in spite of its age, sustains its appeal through the glories of its rich setting to the simple narrative of the first Christmas. And the Choral Society has a particularly fine record of achievement, but in their latest effort they scored a triumph they will doubtless find it difficult to surpass. The chorus appeared as it were, rejuvenated, moved by a new interest, power and effectiveness that inspired the members with enthusiasm and stamped their performance with a finish it is a pleasure to mention. They sang with a manifest enjoyment of their work and in many little ways exhibited their surrender to its sentiment.

The message of "The Messiah" is appropriate and timely to the present season in a double sense. It provides an eloquent expression of the spirit of Christmas, is deeply religious in its tone and conception and perpetuates the story of Bethlehem. On the other hand its lines seem directly applied to the present in "Why do the nations so furiously rage" and the parting benediction that was the very purpose of Christ's life and sacrifice as conveyed in the reassuring passage. "Peace on earth, good will toward men." "The Messiah" therefore, is almost traditional to the observance of Christmas, probably since its first presentation in Dublin in 1741. Handel caught up the angelic message, and in sublime measures resounded it through the years, even the centuries, as perfect a reminder as man could endow it that the Messiah had truly come.

The chorus of eighty voices or there abouts excelled itself in this production. Its volume, precision and tonal qualities were displayed at the outset in the lines beginning "and the glory of the Lord."

There was a delicacy of expression of the lines "For unto us a child is born." Then came the stirring "Glory to God" vigorously sung, and with nice balance and finess. Particularly notable, however, was the mighty "Hallelujah" chorus and the impressive "Amen." In these the singing was most effective and was naturally the triumph of the performance. The clean cut attack, the exceeding finish, and withal the maintenance of tonal balance and smoothness marked the Society in its present form for a high place in the records of local singing. Mr. John Allan handled the choir with a sureness and confidence that educed the desired effects in all the passages. It was practically a flawless performance within the limits of the fixed resources of vocal and accompaniment powers.

Very satisfying, too, were the soloists. Mr. Albert Downing left little to be desired in the tenor parts. His best passages were "Behold and see if there be any sorrow" sung with befitting delicacy and the contrasting spirited "Thou Shalt break them." In the chorus, too, in which he accepted many an opportunity for effective work his voice was comparatively conspicious.

Mr. Marley R. Sherris made a good impression as bass soloist. While not especially robust it is of pleasing tone accentuated by fine control and enunciation. Miss Pearl Steinhoff, contralto and Miss Dorothy Allan really shared the honours of the evening. Miss Steinhoff possesses a rich voice which at times seemed to assimilate the beautiful "woody" quality of the oboe or flute accompaniment of certain organ stops. There was a delicate spiritual effect in her singing of "Behold a virgin shall conceive," and a depth of expression in the lament." "He was despised and rejected."

Miss Allan was in splendid form in the soprano solos. The aria "Come unto Him" she sang with exquisite tenderness, and the exacting "Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion." was admirably rendered. Miss Allan was at her best in the divinely beautiful aria "I know that my Redeemer liveth." Her voice was resonant and richly coloured, and ranged through the soprano passages with nice shades of expression. The accompaniment by Mr. T. J. Palmer, A.R.C.O., at the organ was a fine example of appreciation of Handel's score. His use of the resources of the instrument was noticeably extensive and exact. Miss Flowers as assisting pianiste accentuated the richness of the melody in various parts and otherwise strengthened the background to the chorus.

Altogether it was a highly praiseworthy production deserving of a much larger audience than the faithful few hundred that enjoyed it.

Red Cross Address By Mrs. Roger-Collins

Mrs. Alice-Roger Collins, will address a meeting of the Red Cross Society of Peterborough in the Assembly Hall of the Public Library at 4 p.m. to-morrow—Thursday. Mrs. Collins is a well known musician; but her interest and activities are not confined to that specialty. She has a large concern in patriotic objects and is well qualified to speak interestingly upon the work in whose interest she is to give an address to-morrow.

SPECIAL BARGAINS in CHILDREN'S HATS

For the remainder of this week we are offering large reductions in all lines of boys' and girls' hats. As our reputation, in this particular department, is well-known, you are assured of getting absolutely new and high-class goods, at genuine bargains.

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"Mother Love"

A New Play By a New Author Opens in New York Soon

A new play by a new author is always interesting for the reason one never knows when another Pinero, Ibsen, Thomas Fitch, or other talented dramatist may be discovered. Therefore, there is an unusual amount of interest attached to the engagement of "Mother Love" at the Grand on Tuesday next, January 9th.

Robert Lawrence, the author, is well known as a stage director and has revised many manuscripts for other dramatists, but "Mother Love" is really his maiden effort as a playwright. The theme has been used before in several different plays perhaps the most notable being "The Greatest Thing in the World," as played by Mrs. Le Moyne several years ago, "Madame X," a play produced by Wm. A. Brady with considerable success, and this season by Hartley Manner in "The Harp of Life," in which Laurette Taylor is appearing in New York.

However, the theme is big enough for any number of playwrights, for, after all is said and done, "Mother Love" is, without doubt, the most beautiful, sublime, self-sacrificing love of which the heart and soul is capable.

Mr. Lawrence's play "Mother Love," portrays the wonderful love and self-sacrifice of a mother for a nameless son, her love for her only daughter and the terrible ordeal of having to choose between the two. It is a big play for big people, based on a big theme, but treated so delicately as not to offend the most sensitive.

"Mother Love" is playing this week in Toronto, and after a week of "one nighters," including Hamilton, Peterborough, Kingston and Ottawa, and a week at "His Majesty's Theatre," Montreal, opens for a run in New York. The production is beautifully staged, everything being new.

Something For Your Table

New Year Presents that look well and WEAR well are a source of lasting satisfaction to the giver as well as to the recipient.

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The Jeweller, George St.

THE CREDITORS' FINAL CLEAN-UP SALE

Beginning To-morrow, Wednesday, with a positive determination to clean up the balance of The Reid Co. Stock. Regardless of what things were marked down to at the beginning of this Sale three weeks ago, every Garment is cut again, and some very deeply too. This Sale is by far more to your advantage than any straight half-price sale, for most things are marked even less. This Sale must not continue longer, which is the reason for the Sacrifice of such Good New Merchandise. Stock consists of

Ladies' Suits, Coats, Dresses, Separate Skirts and Middies

Summer Dresses

These are some left over from last summer, and are going to be good style for the coming season.

THREE LOTS

$4.00 Dresses and up to $6.00. Sale price $1.98
$5.50 Dresses and up to $8.00. Sale price $2.98
$7.50 Dresses and up to $12.50. Sale price $4.98

Winter Coats

All this season's styles, and some of the best are still left. There is over two months' winter season left, so get one of these.

$15.00 Coats and up to $18.50. ..... $7.95
$19.00 Coats and up to $22.50. ..... $10.95
$25.00 Coats and up to $30.00. ..... $13.95

Separate Skirts

$5.00 Skirts and up to $6.50, Sale Price $2.79

These are all New Skirts. Every one this season's. We should make two lots of these, but just to clear them quickly we have simply made one price. There are four or five good pocketed styles, included. Made in Navy or Black Serge. All sizes. Sale price .. **2.79**

Wash Art Silk

Reg. 10c a Bunch, 12 Bunches for 25c

Both Rope and Thread Silk, in 10-yard lengths, neatly tied up like all Beldings Fancy Work Silk. Colours all fast and some of every shade here. Reg. 10c bunch. Quick Sale price, per doz. bunches **25c**

Sale Begins Thursday 9 a.m.; Ends Saturday 9 p.m.

Spring Garments

About $4000 of Last Springs Suits and Coats are to be sold at Very Low Figures, and you will note that the styles have changed very little since last season, but everything is higher in price. These Garments are right in line with the spring styles and every shrewd women and missie who sees this ad. should try to secure her spring things here during the next three days, at far less money than their making cash. All Garments Marked Down from Old or Last Springs Prices.

Fall and Winter Suits

$15 and $18.50 Suits, $7.95

This is a snap, but we only have eleven of them. Styles all this season's. Mostly Navy and Black. Sizes 36, 38 only. Worth to $18.50. ..... Quick Sale price **7.95**

$20 to $30 Suits $12.95

15 Only Suits, mostly one of a style, too many to describe, but they are every one this season's styles, and worth to $30. Quick Sale price **12.95**

Middies Cheap

$1.50 Middies 79c

All our $1.50 Middies are included here, and there are some exceptionally good styles. Some are All White; others Colored. Trimmed. Our regular $1.50 Middies. Quick Sale price **79c**

$2.25 and $2.50 Middies $1.29

There are Beach Cloth and Silk Middies in different shades, with all silk ties; long or short sleeves. Regular $2.50 Middies. Quick Sale price **1.29**

SPRING SUITS

These are last Spring Suits, but are about the same as this Spring's' styles.
$20.00 Suits, ... $9.95 $25 to $30 Suits $12.95
Palm Beach Suits at Twice Sacrifice Prices.

SPRING SPORT COATS

Coats that will be worn in two months' time, and should not last long at these prices.

$8.00 Sport Coats $3.95
$10.00 to $13.50 Coats $5.95
$15.00 to $20.00 Coats $8.29

$1.00 HOUSE WAISTS 44c

These are wonderful value, mostly short sleeves, in smart, new styles. Made of Rice Cloth, Rice Voile and Stripe Madras. Sizes from 34 to 44, and worth more than a dollar. Quick Sale price, 44c, or ..... 3 for **1.25**

OTHER BARGAINS

We have odd lots of White Wear—Corsets, Long Silk Gloves, Serge Dresses, Parasols, Raincoats, Corduroy Coats, and many other things which we have not room to mention, but it will be worth every woman's while to attend this sale each of the Three Days.

W. R. MORRIS
ASSIGNEE

The Reid Co
WHERE THE STYLE COMES FROM

J. G. STEWART
MANAGER

Montreal Papers Out of Business

Special to The Examiner:

MONTREAL, Jan. 3.—The Morning Daily Mail and Evening *News*, managed and edited by M. E. Nichols and S. A. Macnab, to-day give notice that they will not issue again under the present control. The statement by the publishers said that an unexplained and unexpected action by one of the shareholders precipitated the crisis. The members of the staff have been discharged and given intimation that they would be paid in full as soon as possible. These papers have recently been vigorously assailing the tramways deal.

Omemee Carried New Hydro By-law

Considerable interest in the elections at Omemee village centered in the Hydro-Electric by-law, the ratepayers exercising their franchise in favour of the taking over of the municipal plant by the Hydro-Electric Co. This by-law carried by 111 for and 15 against.

Mr. T. J. Parsons was elected Reeve of the Village by acclamation. Councillors being elected as follows: Robt. Boyd, H. Lamb, Dr. Howden, D. Graham.

Composition of County Council For the Year 1917

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The County Council for 1917 is composed as follows:

M. Brown—Asphodel.
W. E. Griffith—Belmont and Methuen.
N. L. n—Burleigh and Anstruther.
Fred J. Bullied—Chandos.
C. J. Darling—Dummer.
M. Walsh—Douro.
John Young—Ennismore.
John Clark—Galway and Cavendish.
Jas. Ingram—Harvey.
Harold B. Rye—North Monaghan.
Joseph Bell—North Monaghan.
W. A. Anderson—Otonabee.
Fred Esson—Otonabee.
Fred McKee—Smith.
George Nicholls—Smith.
Wm. Matthewson—Havelock.
Bert Squire—Norwood.
H. G. Fitzgerald—Asphodel.

STARS

Yes, a lot of them, at the Royal Theare. The Fox Film Corporation, that supplies the Royal with its service, has the following artists appearing on one programme: Theda Bara, Robert B. Mantell, Dorothy Bernard, William Farnum, Genevieve Hamper and William E. Shay.

Voice of the People

Dear Sir,—I am glad some one thinks like myself, that it is not the men and family of same that are getting rich. What we soldiers' wives had to live on at the start of the war, with the cost of living up 50 to 100 per cent. higher we have, as your letter shows, no increase in our wages. If my husband had not answered his country's call he too, could have been earning at least $4 to $5 a day instead of $1.10. How does the government think a mother and eight children, the eldest just fourteen years old, can live on $40 dollars a month? It is about time the war finished in our favour or else the government should see that we are kept up to the needs of the time.

Another Soldier's Wife.

WEDDING BELLS

PATTERSON—EVANS.

In the presence of numerous friends this morning at George Street Methodist Church, Miss Ella Margaret Evans of Manvers Township, was united in marriage to Rev. Richard M. Patterson of Murray Township, Brighton. The bride was a former worshipper at George Street Church, and Rev. Mr. Patterson is one of the promising young men of the Bay of Quinte Conference, into which he was received in full connection last year. Rev. R. G. Peever, B.D., officiated. After luncheon at the Empress Mr. and Mrs. Patterson left for points west.

OBITUARY

DAVID W. KING.

LINDSAY, Jan. 3.— A very sudden death took place on Sunday morning, when David Wakefield King passed away at this home from a sudden attack of heart failure at the age of 71 years. Mr. King had been in poor health for some time past, but was able to be up and was in Lindsay on Saturday. He leaves to mourn his sudden demise his wife and five sons, Frank, Edward, Will, Hugh and Daniel and four daughters, Mrs. Thomas Oattis, Cresswell, Mrs. Leslie Mark, of Oakwood, Mrs. E. E. Webster, Little Britain, and Mrs. Morley Geard, Minesville; also three sisters, Mrs. Murphy, Peterborough, Mrs. Thos. Woodward, Cannington, and Mrs. C. O. Dibnah, Oakwood.

Roumanian Pictures

Article 2—Lovely Shrines and Holy Places

(By the Queen of Roumania)

"It is the old convents and monasteries of Rumania that have, above all, guarded the treasures of the past. From the very first they attracted me. The Rumanian monks and nuns knew how to select the most enchanting places for their homes of peace. I have wandered from one to another, discovering many a hidden treasure, visiting the richest and the poorest, those easy of access, and those hidden away in mountain valleys.

Often, at dusk, after a whole day's riding over the mountains, I came quite suddenly upon a monastery, white washed and half-hidden amongst pines and venerable beeches. On my approach bells began to ring; their clear and strident voice proclaiming their joy. Before I could dismount I was surrounded by a dark swarm of nuns, making humble gestures of greeting, dressing themselves, falling to their knees, and pressing their foreheads against the stones on the ground, catching hold of my hands or part of my garment, which they kissed whilst they cried and murmured, mumbling many a prayer. The Mother Abbess, a venerable, tottering old woman, whose face was scared by age, conducted me towards the open Church door. From time to time she would furtively kiss my shoulder in a sort of lowly ecstacy. The other nuns trooped after us like a flock of black-plumed birds, their dark veils waving in the wind. Within the sanctuary the lighted tapers were as swarms of fireflies in a dusk-filled forest. The nuns grouped themselves along the walls, their dark dresses becoming one with the shadow, so that their faces were rendered almost ethereal by the wavering candlelight.

More pompous were the receptions I received in the larger monasteries. One of these has for me an irresistible charm: White and lonely, it is hidden away in wooded regions, greener and sweeter than any other. Perfect is the form of its church; pure white, the colonnades that surround its tranquil court; sober are its sculptures. Wherever I go there the nuns receive me with touching delight. The building forms a quadrangle round the church, three sides of which are composed of a double colonnade, built one above the other the upper one forming an open gallery running round the whole. Behind these colonnades are the nuns' small cells—little domed chambers—white-washed, humble and still. The church, large, noble of line, rich of sculpture, is fronted by a large covered porch supported by richly carved stone pillars and decorated all over with frescoes, artless and archaic.

The fourth side of the quadrangle is shut in by a high wall, with a door opening upon a path that leads towards a second smaller temple, as perfect in shape. Here the nuns are buried, the strangely shaped wooden crosses that mark the graves stand amidst high waving grass and venerable apple trees. All around the beech forests upon low, undulating hills, and, as a background, mountains, blue, hazy, unreachable, form a barrier against the outside world.

Hidden within the mouth of a cavern lost in the wildest mountain region, there lies a tiny church, so small that one must bend one's head to step over the threshold; it appears to be a toy, dropped there by some giant hand. Only a few hoary old monks guard it. No road leads to it, it lies like a secret waiting to be found out. Behind the church the hollow stretches, dark, and tortuous, into the heart of the earth. When the end is reached a gurgling of water is heard, and a spring, ice-cold, bubbles out. I have known of passionate lovers come to be married in this church, defying the hardships of the road and nature's frowning barriers.

Once I was riding through the melting snow, the road, like all Rumanian roads, dwindling away in the colourless distance, when I heard a sound that I had never heard before.

A procession, like a dream, was coming towards me from out the mist. Wading through the melting snow advanced two small boys, carrying between them a round tin platter, on which lay a flat cake; behind them came an old priest, carrying a cross in his hand, gaudily attired in faded finery—red, gold and blue. His heavy vestment was splashed and soiled, his hair long, and his beard unkempt. Close behind his heels followed a rough wooden cart, drawn by oxen. From this cart the strange sound was rising. At once I understood. A plain dead coffin was in the middle of the cart; seated around it were old women, wailing and weeping, raising their voices in a dismal lament. Behind the cart wailed four old gypsies playing doleful tunes upon their squeaky violins. Behind them came a knot of bareheaded relatives, holding lighted tapers. Through the gloomy mist they appeared to be so many ghosts.

Nothing is more touching than the village cemeteries; the humbler they are the more do they delight the artist's eye. Often they are placed round the village church, but sometimes they lie quite far apart. They are not tended and cared for as in richer lands.

On a Good Friday morning I was roaming through one of these village church yards. Each grave was lighted with a tiny thin taper. The living had come to do honour to the dead. An old woman stood quite still beside one of these tapers. But I could perceive no grave at all. All that once had been a tomb had long since been trodden into the ground. "Who is buried there?" I asked. "One of my own," was her answer. "She was my daughter's little daughter; now she is at rest." "Why is the grave no more to be seen?" was my next inquiry. "What," was the resigned reply, "is the use of keeping a grave tidy if the priest of the village allows his oxen to graze about amidst the tombs?"

There are some wonderful old churches in the country, stately buildings, rich and venerable. I have visited all, inquiring into their history, admiring their perfect proportions, examining their costly embroideries, carvings, silver lamps, enamelled crosses and Bibles bound in gold. But none of the greater buildings attract me so strongly as the little village churches in far-away corners. They lie scattered about in quite unlikely places, perched on steep hilltops, hidden in wooded valleys, often reflecting their silhouettes in rivers flowing at their base.

Tall fir trees, planted before their porches, mark where they stand. Some are all in wood, warm in colour, like newly-baked brown bread. Their steep roofs give them the appearance of giant mushrooms.

Well do I remember one evening, after having climbed an endless way, how I reached the open door of a sanctuary at the moment when the sun was going down. The villagers had sent an old peasant to open the church; a bell tolled its greeting. The last rays of the sun were lying golden on the building as I reached the door. Like dancing flames they had penetrated inside, spreading their glorious light over the humble interior, surrounding the saints' painted effigies with luminous halos. On the threshold stood an old peasant, all in white, his hand full of flowering cherry branches which he offered me as he bent down to kiss the hem of my gown. Within, the old man's loving fingers had lit many lights and blossoms had been piously laid round the holiest of the icons. When I came out the sun had disappeared and the little lights stood out sharp points of brightness against the invading dusk. Hard it was indeed to tear myself away."

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J. E. H.
Canadian Overseas.

List of Accounts Submitted to the School Board

The following accounts have been referred to the Finance Committee of the Board of Education:

Higgins Hardware Company ..	$ 6.95
Peterborough Utilities Com....	15.55
Campbell and Best	4.25
J. J. Turner and Sons	90.00
Trebilcock Bros.	2.56
Peterborough Examiner	10.25
Review Printing Company....	18.00
R. Hicks and Company	415.90
R. H. Hunter	19.18
W. R. Turner	18.34
Hydro Electric Power Com...	2.63
R. Hicks and Company	633.76
Nelson Typwriter Co.	6.14
White Bros	.75
E. Hensley	7.00
Walter Stocker	35.00
G. A. Gillespie	2.48
Review Printing Company ...	2.85
Manning Garage	2.30
Alexander and Miller	2.55
R. Fair and Company	4.80
Jopling Bros	1.34
W. H. Hamilton	22.02
Peterborough Examiner	25.25
Nelson Typewriter Company ..	1.25

The Finance Committee of the Board of Education has recommended payment of the following accounts:

Hydro Electric Power Com., Gas Account	8.88
Peterborough Hardware Co. Hardware	8.52
Jas. G. Graham, repairs.....	9.50
A. W. Archibald, repairs to plumbing	50.65
Kingan Hardware Co., 1 yale spring	2.00
H. T. Millard, repairs	.25
Peterborough Planing Mill Co.	.80
Campbell & Best, paint and glass acct.	5.86
W. R. Turner, repairs	10.48
Times Printing Co., adv.	3.95
Review Printing Co., adv. ..	2.25
Grant & Thorpe, lamps	8.64
F. R. J. MacPherson Co., repairs	18.80
Peterborough Utilities Com. light and power	24.35
Davis Thompson Co., insurance	297.00
Nelson Typewriter Co., typing, art and music work	3.25
Jones Bros., livery	6.00
Artists Supply Co., art grant..	5.00
Commercial Press, stationery..	35.00
E. B. Clegg & Co., goods for Domestic Science	4.30
G. A. Gillespie, milk for Domestic Science	1.65
C. B. Routley, goods for Domestic Science	1.37
The Creamman Co., goods for Domestic Science	1.54
Peterborough Examiner, printing	2.50
Ingram & Bell, tongue depressers	2.00
Mail & Empire, adv.	4.96
Globe Printing Co., adv.	4.96
G. N. W. Tel., Co.	.39
C. P. R. Tel., Co.	1.63

Your Committee also recommend that the Treasurer be paid the sum of $15.00 for petty cash.

V. EASTWOOD
(Chairman.)

TAKE NOTICE

I, the mother of an only son who has been in France in the firing line for nearly two years, but now wounded, am in need of help, as my husband has been ill and not able to work. I reported this to some one whom I really thought would look into it, four weeks ago, but nothing has been done. When my son put on the King's uniform it was to go and do his duty and this is the way his poor mother is treated. Believe me, if I had another son I would buy him a gold headed cane and tell him to wear the uniform and travel on his shape, or drop from one unit into another and then he sure would be getting a large salary. Would some kind hearted lawyer answer this through the Examiner, as I have no money, and tell me if those people cannot be made to stick to their promise that they will look after mothers of boys that they raised so tenderly. Trusting I am not taking too much of your paper.

The Mother of a Soldier.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

Examiner Special:

TORONTO, Jan. 4.—Live Stock—Receipts fair, trade slow, hogs fed and watered $12.50; off cars $12.65 to $12.70; fres on board $11.90.

IN THE WORLD OF SPORT

SOLDIERS OFF TO A FLYING START
BEAT LINDSAY IN HOLLOW FASHION

Midgets Never Had a Look-in in Last Night's Opening O. H. A. Game at Brock St. Rink the 247th Winning 14 to 2—Soldiers Look Like Crack Team.

WERE NEVER IN TROUBLE

The 247th Battalion team got away to a flying start last night when they defeated the Lindsay "Midgets" in a runaway battle by 14 goals to 2. The size of the score was a surprise to the most ardent local fan. Lindsay had tucked away Cobourg to the lopsided tune of 20 to 4, and with the 247th more or less of an unknown quantity thte dopesters had it figured that it would be a battle royal. Instead, the Soldiers romped home with the bacon on an ice surface that was more like a country road than a hockey cushion, and the Lindsay crew were never in tthe hunt. By periods, the 247th led 6 to 1, 10 to 2 and 14 to 2, and were all over the better team.

Lindsay were weakened by the absence of Chuck Carew from the forward line and Norton from the defence, while they lost the services of Art Carew after the first period, But with all three on the boys from the Arsenal town could not have averted the disaster that hit them. They showed little last night, and although the bad ice undoubtedly affected McElroy, the clever little centre man, and several of the others, it did not help the Soldiers any, and so the conditions were fifty-fifty on that score.

It was not good hockey—it could not be under the circumstances, with the puck rolling and bouncing around like a crazy thing, but the 247th showed a brand of hockey ware that makes them look like a crack team, and the fans will not be satisfied until they see them go on hard ice. In spite of the heavy going, which caused the rubber to be overskated repeatedly, they uncovered plenty of speed and stick-handling ability and even tried to play combination which, while impossible under the conditions, is promising for the future. The Soldiers have speed, weight and cleverness and should go far.

Legros, last year's junior goal keeper, did excellent work in the nets. Although the 247th defence kept the Lindsay line well out, Legros had a lot of tricky, bouncing, long-distance shots to handle, and he turned them off nicely. In front of him, Halpin and Thornton did great work on the defence and were equally clever on the attack, contributing half of the Soldiers' counters. Thornton beat O'Loughlin four times, while Halpin notched three.

The lion's share of the work on the forward line fell on Adams and Armstrong. Flanagan was only out a few minutes when he retired for the night with Read, who was sick, while Evans was dropped when Art Carew had to quit at the end of the first period with a bad gash in the ankle. Both did good work while they were on. The other pair caught the eye of the crowd. Armstrong showed clever stick-handling and speed and was always on top of the pets, while Adams tore off some beautiful rushes and did some fine shooting. The stocky right wing man of the Soldiers is a big help to the team and he and Armstrong promise to be popular with the fans.

For Lindsay, Carew was prominent while he was on. He rushed in his usual style, but found it a rocky road down the rink, as the Soldiers bodied him hard whenever there was an opening. Just before the end of the first period he received a deep gash in his foot from a skate and was off for the rest of the night. Read had retired previously, so that the last two periods were played with the teams five men aside. Haugh tried hard all the way, as did Griffis and McElroy, although the latter was lost in the slush. Richmond, who took Norton's place on the defence, was a rough and ready performer who was willing to take a bump any time to get a chance to hand one. O'Loughlin, the good little goalkeeper of the junior Midgets of two seasons ago, was one of the busiest men on the ice and in spite of the fourteen chalked up against him, played a good game in the nets.

Stan Burgoyne of Toronto, handled the game satisfactorily. The teams were as follows:

Lindsay		247th
	Goal.	
O'Loughlin		Legros
	Right Defence.	
Richmond		Thornton
	Left Defence	
A. Carew		Halpin
	Rover	
Read		Flanagan
	Centre	
McElroy		Armstrong
	Right Wing	
Griffis		Adams
	Left Wing	
Haugh		Evans

In spite of the heavy going the pace for the first few minutes was fast and furious. Armstrong and Flanagan were penalized, but the two man advantage did not benefit Lindsay any. Then Richmond of Lindsay, drew a penalty, and while he was off Jack Adams took a pass and dodged inside to beat O'Loughlin with a neat shot for the first goal of the 1917 season. A minute later Adams made it 2 to 0 on an easy side shot. Evans missed a rebound a moment later on a shot from Adams. Read, of Lindsay, retired for the balance of the night, the Soldiers dropping Flanagan. The score board was altered again when Armstrong took O'Loughlin's measure on a neat shot. That left it 3 to 0, and Grover Halpin made it 4 to 0 when he stopped "Moose" Carew with a body check and taking the rubber away sailed down the rink for a close-in counter. Another nice shot from Armstrong sent the score up to 5, and Evans boosted it to 6 with a lone-handed rush. Then Lindsay took a hand and Carew, getting away nicely, shot from outside the defence, his side-shot bouncing into the nets. Just as the period was ended Carew had to retire and the teams were only five aside when they squared away for the second round.

Adams and Armstrong combined for the Soldiers' first goal in this period. Armstrong took a pass close in, but his shot was wide. He recovered quickly, however, and passed out to Adams, who scored neatly. Thornton added two more on pretty individual rushes. McElroy made it 9 to 2 when he took a pass from Haugh, and then Halpin tore in for the Soldiers' tenth goal, leaving it 10 to 2 at the end of the period.

Thornton made the figures 11 to 2 by a nice rush at the beginning of the third period, and then added another on a side shot. Halpin followed with another fine rush for a goal, and Armstrong wound up the scoring when he batted in a rebound off his own shot. The summary:

First Period.

1 247th Batt., Adams.
2 247th Batt., Adams.
3 247th Batt., Armstrong.
4 247th Batt., Halpin.
5 247th Batt., Armstrong.
6 247th Batt., Evans.
7 Lindsay, Carew.

Second Period.

8 247th Batt., Adams.
9 247th Batt., Thornton.
10 247th Batt., Thornton.
11 Lindsay, McElroy.
12 247th Batt., Halpin.

Third Period.

13 247th Batt., Thornton.
14 247th Batt., Thornton.
15 247th Batt., Halpin.
16 247th Batt., Armstrong.

Penalties—

247th— Adams 3, Flanagan, Armstrong, Evans, Halpin, Thornton. Total, 8.

Lindsay—Richmond 5, Haugh 2, McElroy. Total, 8.

HOCKEY FANS HAVE JANUARY 9th MARKED

The Peterborough Juniors will make their bow to the public next Tuesday night, when the Bowmanville seven will visit here to open the Junior O.H.A. season. The fans have been looking forward to this engagement with a great deal of interest and a big crowd will see the battle. The Peterborough team are all well-known boys and local followers of the game who have been following their practices are anxious to see them in action. They have been practising hard for the last three weeks and, thanks to Jerry Loughlin' coaching, and the work of Jimmy McMartin, as trainer, should go on the ice in the pink of condition. Graham, who was on the All Star Eastern team last year, and Montgomery and Chenrett of last year's juniors, all three of whom did good work in the Intermediate series, as well, are available again this year, while the forward line has been strengthened by McKee, a big youngster from New Liskeard. Young Murray, the goaler of the Sacred Heart team, has been performing splendidly in the nets, and McIntyre of last year's Junior City League champions, is doing well on the defence. There is a great battle for the left wing position which is practically the only one in doubt now. The Peterborough Club have suggested Dr. Ladiamme or Lawson Whitehead as referee. Keep the date, Tuesday, Jan. 9th, open.

HOCKEY GOSSIP

The 247th team play the return game in Lindsay on Friday night of this week, while on Monday night next they will play Cobourg here.

Both teams tired very badly in the heavy travelling last night, but the Soldiers showed thee effect of Sergt. Bill Lane's training, and had more left on end than the visitors.

Cap. Simpson missed the disaster. A Lindsay hockey team unaccompanied by the Cap's fur coat and genial smile doesn't look natural. He was in Montreal and expected to get back in time for the battle, but missed connections somewhere.

The Soldiers will be a hard seven to beat when they get working together.

The fans were glad to see Grover Halpin in a Peterborough uniform again after an absence of a year in Barrie. The little Captain is playing on the defence this year.

The Peterborough Juniors will practice to-night at 7 o'clock. In view of next Tuesday's game with Bowmanville every junior player is expected out to-night and at Friday's practice.

The Oshawa Juniors with whom the Peterborough Juniors are grouped, have new players this winter in Rowden and Sleeman, Port Hope; Wilson of Cobourg, and Tumelty of Belleville. The balance of the team are home brews. Riordan, who played with Bowmanville last winter, has returned to his home in Oshawa, where he will play this winter. Joseph Jocque, the Bracebridge player, and Chilton Childs, the Union Jack and Woodstock net-guardian, have also signed with the Oshawa Intermediates.

There will be a meeting of the Church Hockey League to-night at the Y.M.C.A. at 7:30 o'clock. All churches who wish to enter teams are requested to have representatives present.

Britain's Revenue.

Great Britains' revenue for t' year ending March 31 was $1,67 875,750, against an aggregate of $. 103,206,750 for the preceding fiscal twelvemonth.

The Great Family.

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BOWLING

G. F. Cairns won the Bowling Ball for the month of December with the high score of 280. A. H. Fielder won last weeks' prise in three games with score 690. W. Henderson's score of 593 of this week for a pair bowling shoes was beaten last night by G. Cairns who run up a fine score in three games—237, 236, 191. Total 654.

Arrangements have been completed for games to be played in Toronto. There will be a practice game at the Water Street Alleys to-morrow night to pick out two 5-men teams for the journey to Toronto in the near future.

A WAR-TIME NOVELTY

"GRETNA" TAVERN A UNIQUE DEVICE IN BRITAIN.

Interesting Public House Which Has Been Fitted Up in Carlisle Was Formerly a Post-Office and is the Model Upon Which Other Supervised Drinking Houses Will Be Started—Tried Out on Navvies.

IN working its way through a maze of difficulty surrounding liquor evils in munition-manufacturing districts, the British Central Control Board has made many innovations. The board is the State Commission charged with the administration of the new liquor-selling regulations designed to prevent drunkenness among munition and shipyard workers. Already in the areas under its control the number of police court convictions has been reduced by about 40 per cent. The shortening of the hours of sale, the no-treating order, the drink-it-on-the-premises order, and the prohibition of credit have achieved a considerable reform. In some cases, to wipe out undesirable conditions, the board has had to close up public-houses, and in others to insist upon radical changes. Its reforming work has cleaned out many dives that were a most distinct menace to the workers who patronized them. But the latest innovation by the board is the creation of a State tavern in Carlisle, a model public-house. Carlisle is to be the site of some big munition plants. At present 12,000 navvies have been imported to do the building, and in course of time the factory operatives will follow. It will be easier to alter the customs of the operatives, when they begin to establish themselves in their new quarters, than it is to change the habits of the old-timers of Carlisle district, and now that the "Gretna" tavern has been opened, two others are projected. Some years ago Mr. Joseph Chamberlain tried to bring State taverns into operation, and Earl Grey worked on the same scheme, but it was left to a war commission to undertake real State business in them.

Much interest is shown in Britain in the scheme, for if successful, it may pave the way for an extended Government system, thus controlling the liquor evil as it can be controlled in no other way. The Gretna tavern is a converted post-office, and in both interior and exterior presents a new type of public-house. It is as far removed from a Gothenburg Bolag tavern or a German Bier Halle as from a British public-house of the old sort. It is neither dingy, like the pothouse, nor garish, like the new, nor "quaint," like the still newer fancy imitations of antique architecture. It is a solid stone building of dignified aspect, occupying a commanding position in a dignified street. Inside the two principal rooms are a long open bar, formed out of the old selling counter, and a large hall behind which was the sorting room. The latter serves the purpose admirably. There is a counter at which various things will be sold, tables for meals and minor refreshments, a stand for newspapers, a piano, a gramophone, and sundry conveniences. Adjoining is a well-equipped kitchen where all kinds of meals can be cooked. There are rooms for attendants and a manageress, but no sleeping accommodation. No one will sleep on the premises. The only alcoholic liquor served will be beer. Customers must drink standing at the bar. In the hall, beer will be brought to them at the table. The idea is to encourage people to stop for rational recreation by making them comfortable, but not for mere drinking. In the great majority of the 94,000 public-houses in England, Wales, and Scotland, everything has been subordinate to doing "business," selling as much liquor of high alcoholic content as was possible.

The post office was converted to its new state in three weeks, and is a new stage in liquor control in the district. The munitions factory being erected near Carlisle was begun last autumn. The preparation of the ground, the making of roads and railroads, and the erection of hundreds of buildings over an area nine miles in length brought many thousands of workmen to the spot. They flowed over the neighboring villages and into Carlisle itself, where some five thousand are accommodated in lodgings about the town. It was foreseen that the influx of so large a body of workmen, most of whom have been gathered from Scotland, Ireland, and England, would cause difficulties. They have nothing to do in the evenings, and nowhere to go but to the public-house. The local public-houses are equipped for a quiet, rural trade, and quite unfit to cope with a flood of laborers. So the board began to buy them all out, in number about 40. A few have been closed, the others are managed for the board. The "Gretna" experiment is therefore something new. It is a question yet unsolved as to how the conservative British workman will take the new style. British workmen are very slow to move from established tastes. The change from the navvies to factory workers will mean a distinct difference in the class of customer, and the new system has not yet been tried on the factory operative. A distinct increase in the court convictions for drunkenness in the Carlisle district is not due to any failure of the Government-operated tavern system, but to the influx of the construction navvies.

Prizes for Hyphen War Babies.

According to the latest newspapers, the German Commandant at Libau has announced that the German Government will give a bounty of $4.75 for a boy and $3.00 for a girl born of a Lettish mother and a German soldier father.

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PARIS (French Official), January 3.—Lively artillery duels during the night north and south of the Somme, in the region of Rouvroy, north of Verdun and around Dead Man's Hill, were detailed in to-day's official statement.

French patrols were very active in the Champagne sector and took a number of prisoners.

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New York Stock Market

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Steel advanced to 119 during the morning and many other shares of companies profiting through munitions business were up a point, in spite of report that 300 million dollars worth of munition orders had been diverted from this country to Canada.

NEW YORK STOCKS—Air Break 149; Atchison 104 1-8; B. & O. 84 1-8, 84 1-8; C.P.R. 163 3-4, 164; N.Y. Central 102 3-4, Erie 33 3-4, 34 1-4; Erie Pfd., 48 1-2, 48 5-8; Reading 103, 103 1-2; U. P. 146 1-2, 146 5-8; Rep. Steel 79 7-8, 81 1-2; U.S. Steel 110 1-4, 114; Anaconda 82, 83 1-8; Internickel 45 1-2.

CANADIAN STOCKS—Cement 68; N.S. Steel 128 1-2, 126; Smelters 33 1-8, 34 1-4; Dom. Steel 67 3-4, 68 1-4; Steel Can., 65, 66 3-4; Steamers 36 1-2.

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Trinity Church Choir will rehearse to-night, this week, instead of Thursday. Every member is requested to be present.

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ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Peter Robinson Chapter I.O.D.E., for the election of officers and reading of reports will be held in the Public Library at 5 o'clock Friday, Jan. 5.

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INAUGURAL MEETING.

The inaugural meeting of the Board of Education will take place at the Secretary's office, 437 George street, on Thursday, January 4th at 8 o'clock p.m.

GROCERS WILL MEET.

The regular monthly meeting of the Grocers of the city will be held to-night in the parlours of the Oriental hotel.

TALENT TEA.

A Talent Tea will be held at the home of Mrs. Downey, 158 Edinburgh street, on Thursday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Come and bring your friends. Wool for socks for the boys in the trenches.

EMILY ELECTIONS.

R. W. Wilson was elected Reeve of Emily township over Isaac H. Fee by a vote of 277 to 256. The Councillors are Messrs. Carew, Lowes, Carroll and Herlihey.

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Reeve Adam Brock and Council of Bobcaygeon were elected by acclamation.

A vote of the electors granting the Bobcaygeon and District Soldiers' Aid Society $50 per month, carried by a majority of 59 out of a total vote polled of 135, 97 for to 38 against.

NOTICE TO FARMERS.

Supplementary meetings of the Board of Agriculture for West Peterborough, will be held at the Fourt' Line, Smith, at 2:30 p.m., on Thursday, Jan. 4th. There will be an evening session also.

On Friday, January 5th, two meetings will be held at Buckhorn. There will be good speakers at each session to discuss topics of interest to farmers. Musical programmes. All are invited.

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Social and Personal

Miss Irene Munro, who has been visiting her father, Mr. R. A. Munro returned on Tuesday to Halifax, N.S.

Three bus loads under the chaperonage of Mrs. Reginald Scadding will drive to Lakefield to-night where the Rev. and Mrs. A. W. MacKenzie are entertaining at a dance at the "Grove."

Miss Laura Lambe who has been visiting Miss Rubidge, Rubidge street returns this evening to her home in Ottawa.

Mrs. Fortye, Downie street, who has been the guest of Judge and Mrs. Roger, Cobourg returned home this week.

Mrs. Wells, Toronto, is visiting Mrs. Claude Rogers, Belmont avenue.

Miss Ruth Robertson left to-day for Toronto where she will be the guest of Mrs. Reginald Lockhart.

Lieut. R. Lockhart who has been visiting Dr. and Mrs. Alex Robertson for New Years returned to Toronto to-day.

The many friends of Dr. R. F. Morrow, who yesterday underwent a serious operation for appendicitis will learn with pleasure that he shows signs of improvement to-day.

The 62nd Battery of which Lieut. Walton Stevenson is a member left on Sunday for active service in France.

Pte. Walter Perks has returned to Kingston.

Mr. Otto Glidden entertained a number of the young people yesterday afternoon at a "Dansante" at the Conservatory.

Miss Gladys Morin who has been the guest of Miss Greta Rountree, Grand Central Apts., returned to her home in Toronto last night.

The many friends of Mrs. E. G. Patterson who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Nicholls Hospital on Sunday will be pleased to know that her condition is much improved and that she expects to return home shortly.

Miss Hilda Cubitt entertained a number of young people at a sleigh drive last night. The party drove out the Port Hope road returning at about eleven for supper.

Miss Hilda Cubitt entertained a Mrs. A. Gould, Rochester are in the city to attend the funeral of Mrs. H. C. Huffman.

Messrs. R. J. and Joseph Huffman. Mr. Clark Earles and Mr. Wm. Harper, Toronto, are in the city.

Miss O'Dee Dutton who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. C. Huffman was called to her home in Toronto suddenly on account of the serious illness of her father, Mr. R. J. Dutton, formerly of this city.

All members of the Peter Robinson Chapter I.O.D.E. are requested to be at the Public Library on Friday, January 5th at five o'clock for the election of officers and reading of reports.

Miss Agnes Graham of Melbourne, Man., is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. F. Armstrong, Margaret Avenue.

The 57th Chapter of the I.O.D.E. will hold a tea in the Masonic dining hall on Thursday, January 4th. Mrs. Widdifield will be the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gain and little daughter of Toronto, have returned home after spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. A. McFarlane, Homewood Avenue.

Dr. MacNaughton of Hamilton, and Mrs. MacNaughton, spent the New Year holidays with the doctor's sister, Mrs. Learmouth, Stewart street.

Mrs. George Munro and Miss E. Munro, Reid street are visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Lundy, Buffalo.

Mr. Wm. Blanchette, formerly of this city passed through town to-day en route for Toronto from Ottawa where he has spent the past two weeks.

Mr. J. A. Wallace, a director of the Monarch Knitting Company is at the Oriental.

Miss Rebecca McCarroll, of Peterborough is visiting Mrs. Chas, Maguire, Oakwood.—Lindsay Post.

Mrs. J. O'Connor, of Peterborough, spent New Years with Mr. and Mrs. F. O'Connor, Durham street.—Lindsay Post.

Pte. W. Sanderson, 141st Battalion Port Arthur, returned this morning after spending the past few days visiting his sister, Mrs. J. W. Le Barr and parents, Robert Sandarson, North Monaghan.

Miss Eva Bartley of Buffalo, N.Y., left this morning after spending the holiday season with her parents, 135 Rubidge street.

Miss Annie Sanderson of Toronto returned to-day after visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Le Barr, 167 Charlotte street.

Mrs. R. W. Bon of Buffalo, N.Y. spent the week end in the city the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. T. Craig 146 Hunter street, east.

Miss M. M. Craig of Ottawa, Ont., has been visiting her mother, Mrs. J. T. Craig, 146 Hunter street east for the past few days.

Mrs. T. H. Jackson and children, of Hartney, Man., are visiting Mrs. Hartney's father, Mr. J. M. White, Aylmer street.

Miss Ethel Walsh has returned home after spending the holiday in Port Hope.

Miss Ada Lane has returned to the Methodist National Training School, Toronto, after spending the holidays with her parents, 418 Rubidge street.

PARISH REGISTERS.

Records of Births, Marriages, and Deaths Are Very Precious.

How valuable old parish registers, hidden away, maybe in the vaults of a village church, are, is illustrated by the recent offer of £1,000 for the recovery of the parish registers of Cawdor, Nairnshire, for the years 1779-1783, which are wanted in connection with the settlement of an estate.

Through carelessness or ignorance of their value as records, parish registers have gone through some strange vicissitudes. A former clerk of Plungar, Leicestershire, for instance, who combined the sale of groceries with his parish duties, made the registers serve him in a business capacity by employing them to wrap up his wares. Another parish clerk cut the registers up to serve as patterns for the lacemaking of his daughters.

It has been proved that in many cases the vicar only wrote up his record at the end of the year from the clerk's note-book, and that worthy, thinking more of his fees than the instruction of posterity, was content to book only such as owed him money. One painstaking vicar who superintended the souls of Seasalter, however, was wont to append pen portraits of those whom he married, and one wonders if he took advantage of his clergyman's privilege of kissing the bride when he joined "John Housden, a gape-mouthed, lasy fellow, to Hannah Matthews, an old toothless, wriggling hag," to quote his description of them in the registers of his parish.

The origin of parish registers dates back to 1538, when Cromwell, Henry VIII.'s general, issued an injunction to the clergy to keep a record of births, marriages, and deaths. And the explanation of the gaps in ancient parish registers lies in the fact that during William III.'s war with France they were used to assist in the collection of a tax on births and marriages, which was frustrated by the parish clerks, for, as one of them naively notes in his register, "No entries were made for some years to avoid the tax."

Persia's Poet Laureate.

Persia appears to be the only country besides England where a poet laureate has been maintained of recent years. Until Musaffar-ed-Din abolished the post in 1896, the Court of Tabreez had the constantly possessed a laureate, whose duties were far more numerous than those of his British confrere.

According to Narcisse Perain, who spent some years in Persia at the beginning of the nineteenth century, court etiquette prescribed that whenever the Shah traveled outside the capital, his suite must include a dwarf, a giant, a jester, a historiographer, and a poet laureate.

The last two were kept busy, for, while the historiographer had to record for posterity all the doings and sayings of the Shah, the laureate was called upon to celebrate a large proportion of these in verse. M. Persin highly commends this custom, which he found rigidly followed, "for the Shah, knowing that many of his utterances and deeds would be crystallized in an ode, felt bound, on these royal progresses, to speak and behave majestically."

Paper Rolls in Movie Machines.

The substitution of paper rolls for celluloid films in moving picture machines, made possible by the new "cold" light discovered by the French engineer, Dussaud, which is described to the Academy of Science by Professor Branley, with whom Dausseud studied the new light, is obtained by automatic separation of heat rays from luminous rays, which occur together in all sources of light hitherto known to science.

The quest of an absolutely pure light, devoid of all heat, has long been one of the great problems of modern physics. The electric light is the nearest approach to this ideal, but far from it, as it gives off a certain amount of heat.

M. Dussaud has been working on this problem for many years. The light obtained by his method is so intense that it is possible to throw images from newspaper illustrations, picture postcards, and photographic prints on a screen, even in a lighted room, as clearly and sharply as if they were glass lantern slides.

Battleship Schools.

It is a striking testimony to the efficiency of the British Navy that school-work for the boys on board has been carried on far more assiduously since the start of the war than ever it was before. It would be excusable, even natural, to jump at the conclusion that all such studies would be dropped in these strenuous days, that every minute would be devoted to the immediate purpose of preparing for the ever-present chance of battle.

The opposite of this is the case; and the reason is, partly, that the navy is kept always in such a state of readiness and efficiency that it would not dream of allowing a thing like a war to disturb it from its calm routine; and partly that a wise forethought shows how necessary it is to prepare now the men and the officers for the navy that shall be in being when the present magnificent fleet shall be relegated to the scrap-heap.

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In a speech made before the reconstruction of the British Government Col. Churchill said that there must be a national organization of agriculture. "As we had already in the making of munitions, we should have a great organization for producing the munitions of life, just as we had a great organization for the purposes of death. All these things and more would come in the desperate resolution of the British nation not to be baulked in their object. But we must do these things now whilst there was time."

This organization of agriculture will probably be one of the tasks of the new Government. It has been contended that the soil of Great Britain, rightly used, could furnish enough food to supply its people. At least it could be made to produce far more than it does, and the country made more nearly self-supporting in regard to food. For a long time it was argued that the decline of agriculture was due to free trade, and that it could be restored by the old-fashioned clumsy device of a protective tariff. But under the new government, even if a protective tariff be established, we may expect that agriculture will be promoted in the true way—by the application of science, and by devoting pleasure parks to the production of food.—Toronto Star.

EASY.

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GERMANY WILL SEND ANOTHER PEACE NOTE

Terms of Peace Will Be Transmitted Through the States

German People Now Frankly Informed That Victory Is Impossible

Prof. Meinecke of Freiburg University Contributed to the Frankfurter Zeitung, the Most Remarkable Article on the History of the War That Has Yet Appeared in Any German Newspaper—German Plans Collapsed at the Gates of Paris—Verdun Now Only an "Heroic Episode."

THE GERMAN PEACE OVERTURES

LONDON, January 4.—Prof. Meinecke, of Freiburg University, a distinguished historian, contributed to the Frankfurter Zeitung on New Year's Eve, the most remarkable article on the history of the war that has yet appeared in any German newspaper. Being compelled to lie about the origin of the war plans which Germany began, German writers generally have had to lie on all inconvenient events during the war. Professor Meinecke, on the other hand, adopts the convenient formula that it was only "in a political sense" that Germany "began the war as a defensive war," while in a military sense it was distinctly a knock-out war (niederwerfungskrieg).

Thus, happier than other German writers, he is able to tell the truth about the battle of the Marne, and admits that the battle of Verdun was a failure.

COLLAPSED AT THE GATES OF PARIS.

Professor Meinecke had the courage to describe the first phase of the war as follows:

"Our first object was to overthrow France rapidly and compel her to make peace. If that succeeded, we would then turn quickly and carry out the same military idea against Russia. The best prospect of success was then to conclude a final peace with England, who would be disarmed on the continent. This peace would have assumed the character of a compromise since we could not hope to overthrow England's naval supremacy.

"This whole programme, brilliantly begun, collapsed at the gates of Paris in the battle of the Marne. This battle was not a tactical victory, but a great strategical success for the French. Perhaps our programme would not have collapsed through our original strategical idea with perfect strictness, keeping the Marne forces firmly together and for the time abandoning East Prussia."

He sketches subsequent events much as follows:—That Germans took to trench warfare, the enemy did likewise. The Germans tried and failed to break through at both the Yser and Ypres Davis, while the French tried and failed to break through in Champagne. The people of Germany began to argue that the war had become a war of attrition when the Germans succeeded in breaking through in Galicia, but ultimately had to settle again in defensive positions. The British and French then tried and failed again to break through on the west in the battles of Loos and Champagne.

VERDUN NOW ONLY AN "HEROIC EPISODE."

The professor then gives the following account of the battles of Verdun and the Somme:—

"The argument used a year ago was that a decision must be sought not in the intangible distant east, but in the concentrated west, the nerve centre of the enemy's force. The decision, however, must not be a decision in the old sense. We should break through particularly at a critical position and destroy one of the most important French fortresses to prove to the French that they could no longer win. That was the origin of the undertaking against Verdun.

"This time the new politico-military idea led only to an heroic episode, but meanwhile our enemies pulled themselves together for still more gigantic achievements. England learned universal military service and the conversion of industry for the production of a mighty supply of arms and ammunition. At the same time she leaned upon the industrial strength of America. So, while Japan helped, she was able to equip new Russian formations with apparatus which we had smashed to year before. Thus in June and July, 1916, there came a great double offensive of the enemies on the east and west. The result was we had to interrupt our operations at Verdun. The enemy offensive also achieved partial successes, especially in the east, although their real object to break through and roll up our lines could not be achieved. This was due to the fact that we in the interval had still further developed our possibilities for trench warfare."

AND SO THE IDEA OF PEACE.

The professor says the battle of the Somme led to the conviction that Germany could no longer possibly arrive at a military decision in the full peace-compelling sense. So he describes the German peace overture arising naturally from the idea that the sacrifices which demanded continuation no longer bore any relation to military results, though they could be extended, and that it would be statesmanlike, intelligent, and wise to abandon the intention of destruction and seek a reasonable compromise.

As regards the real guarantees which Germany professes to require, he makes two final observations. One is that Germany has taught all the small powers of Europe they are risking their lives if they "touch the electric wire which protects Central Europe." The other is that the war has proved there are limits to the possibilities of a "knock-out strategy war between the great powers," consequently that a knock-out policy aimed at producing fundamental revolutions in European relations and power does not pay. Thus, according to the professor, the motto for the future must be "Not to overthrow but to balance."

Although no other writers have been allowed, like Meinecke, to confess German failures, his account of the peace manoeuvres is confirmed from other quarters. There is now little or no talk of German benevolence and German dislike of bloodshed. It is simply argued that the enemy ought to be persuaded to agree with Germany that a compromise is inevitable and then discuss with Germany a peace based upon the war map.

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LABOUR CURTAILS DEVELOPMENT

Canada's exports of animal produce totalled over two million dollars for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1916. The total for the year was $108,919,190, which is an increase of close to thirty millions over last year's aggregate of $76,986,032. Since the beginning of the war, Canadian exports of animals and animal produce have more than doubled.

That the export of agricultural produce is still much greater than manufactures, including munitions, is shown by a comparison of the figures for the period ending March 31 last. Agricultural exports totalled approximately $372,000,000, and manufactures totalled about $260,000,000.

While the great increase in the export of manufactured goods is due to the large munition contracts placed in Canada, which will terminate with the end of the war, on the other hand, live stock exports should increase with the coming of peace. There is the possibility of a very large permanent export beef trade after the war. The exports of cheese, butter and eggs have increased phenomenally in the last sixteen months. Figures showing the export of cheese for the year ending March 31, 1916, show an increase of 8 per cent. over the preceding twelve months. The export of bacon leaped ahead considerably over 100 per cent. in the same period, and exports of fresh beef went ahead to the extent of 200 per cent.

The likelihood of the establishment of more favourable trade connections with Great Britain, and the other Allied nations as well, should be a great inducement for the live stock breeder to increase production. It is well known that there is a world-wide shortage of meat products, and particularly of cattle.

The export cattle sent from Canada have not been able to compete with those of Argentina so far as either quality or finish are concerned. Canada was known as a beef-producing country long before Argentina sprang into prominence. The latter country's large export trade has been built up within the last decade and a half. But Argentina's large herds will be inadequate to supply the post-war demand. The depleted herds of Belgium and France must be replenished, and practically every country in Europe will need immense supplies of beef during the period of reconstruction.

WHEAT'S GOLDEN REIGN THREATENED?

Canada has the advantage of being situated closer to Europe than any of the present meat-exporting countries. Both Argentina and Australisia are much farther removed from the markets than is Canada. The release of the immense quantity of Russian wheat at the conclusion of the war will exercise a tremendous influence in bringing down feed prices. Western Canada's wheat will not find as profitable a market as it found in the closing months of 1916.

Mixed farming is coming more and more into vogue in the Prairie Provinces, and the great need after the war will be for more beef, rather than for more wheat. To take advantage of the situation which will undoubtedly arise, the grazing areas of Western Canada will be extended. In normal years, millions of bushels of coarse feeds and fodder have gone to waste on the prairies. While this has not been the case in 1916, it is certain that there will be a great economic loss in the future if there is not more live stock to enable the farmer to turn what would otherwise be waste to productive account.

The scheme of rural credits which has been evolving in the West in the last few months is a sign of the times. The news that Manitoba has adopted a rural credits scheme comes with great satisfaction to both the rural and urban populations of that province. Financial and agricultural interests have gotten together more and more in the last year, and they have found themselves on common ground in a number of matters.

The advancing of funds to farmers to foster the livestock industry is practically assured in the West. Lessons taught by the war have been organization, conservation and mobilization. Western Canada has not been slow to bear fruit. While many details remain to be arranged, the principle that is being worked out cannot fail to achieve results. The prosperity which will come to farmers as a result of financial assistance in times of pinch is certain to react on the industrial world.

Improvement in transportation facilities is also urgently needed to help farmers face the problem of supplying Europe with a supply of fresh beef. The railway problem in the closing months of 1916 proved to be very acute, and an immediate improvement in conditions does not look probable in the early part of 1917. However, railway authorities have announced their willingness to co-operate with farmers in carrying farm products to the seaboard, and present scarcity of ocean tonnage cannot prevail permanently. Car shortage and embargoes may place temporary hindrance in the paths of producers, but this cannot but be short-lived. With the Government, producers, financiers, and railways working in concert, Canada's greater live stock industry of the future looks to be easily capable of realization.

THE OPPORTUNITY IN CATTLE.

Notwithstanding the higher cost of feed, there is still as much profit in the live stock industry as ever. The advancing prices of beef cattle have fully kept pace with the increased cost of feeding. The tendency to sell unfinished cattle (for others to finish at a good profit) has been too prevalent during the past year.

Prices far exceeding those of previous years were established on the Toronto live stock markets during 1916, and these figures go to prove that this industry has not lost its money-making possibilities. On the contrary, an export demand that is practically unlimited, and an avenue for export that should be open to Canadian live stock breeders for many years, have pointed the way to profits which should be taken advantage of. Canada will produce more cattle, and will improve the quality of the beef that is to be placed on the world's marts in competition with the best that Argentina can export. The call for increased production has been sounded by Live Stock Commissioner John Bright, who has urged that the extermination of European cattle has made Canada's opportunity all the greater.

"An adequate intelligence system is needed which will collect data on the condition and quality of cattle," declared that official to the Dominion Royal Commission recently, "as well as the number. There is also need of a forecast of market conditions, so that the farmer may have the cattle ready that will be demanded at a certain time, in order to have a greater share of price."

Whereas in the past experience has taught that surplus production results in lower prices and a consequent loss to the producer, this condition

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Another Note From Germany

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BERLIN, Jan. 4.—Germany will send another note to the Allies through the United States, stating terms of peace.

Situation At Kitchener

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

KITCHENER, Jan. 4.—The situation was quiet last night. Mayor-elect Gross says he will not be sworn till the soldiers depart.

German Successes In Roumania

Special to The Examiner:

BERLIN, Jan. 4.—The War Office announces the capture of Yiyelle and Macin, in Roumania.

Petrograd, Jan. 4.—Russian forces have begun a big move to cut off the Teutons in Roumania.

Surgeons May Go To England

Examiner Special:

LONDON, Jan. 4.—A large number of United States surgeons may be brought to England to free British surgeons for the army.

TWO ZEPPELINS WERE DESTROYED

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 4.—Two Zeppelins were destroyed in a shed in Achleswig, Germany.

MAY GO THROUGH SWITZERLAND

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, Jan. 4.—French believe Germany will make a dash through Switzerland despite their promises.

Von Bernstorff Was Denounced

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 4.—The report of the Court of Enquiry severely censures Mrs. Cornwallis-West, a prominent society leader for her influences at the War Office at Washington; German Ambassador Von Bernstorff was denounced in a debate in the Senate.

British Have Made Progress

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 4.—In spite of adverse weather conditions, the British have made further progress on the right bank of the Tigris, east and north-east of Kut-El-Amara.

French Warship Reported Sunk

Special to The Examiner:

ZURICH, Jan. 4.—A Milan despatch says the French warship Verte has been sunk by a German submarine near Malta.

Fifty Canadian Officers Commended

LONDON, Jan. 4.—About fifty more Canadian officers commended by Gen. Haig.

THE BURDEN OF AGE.

The kidneys seem to be about the first organs to wear out and fail to properly perform their work. The result is weak, lame, aching back, rheumatic pains and failing eyesight. Many people of advanced years have recovered health and comfort by using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. They restore the healthful action of liver, kidneys and bowels.

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KEEP LIVE STOCK EVEN AT LOSS

In consequence of the shortage of course grain and the high cost of concentrated feeds, farmers in some sections of Ontario have been disposing of their breeding stock.

A communication sent out by the Department of Agriculture says: "It is felt that a shortage of live stock in this Province would be a very serious problem if something is not done to encourage the farmers keeping their breeding stock, even though it may appear to be at a loss at the present time. With this in mind the Ontario Department of Agriculture, in co-operation with the Dominion Live Stock Branch is making arrangements for a special speaker to accompany the better farming special' which will run over Grand Trunk lines for twelve weeks, beginning early in January.

A NATIONAL QUESTION.

"He will take up the question from a national standpoint, and special attention will be given to the swine industry, as it has probably suffered more than any other. A special bulletin is being distributed by the Dominion Department of Agriculture, which takes up the whole problem, and will serve as a guide to those taking part in the campaign."

WHAT THE NEW YORK PAPERS ARE SAYING.

Sun—Demand for raw materials in this country should serve to balance any loss that may accrue to industry as a whole for a lighter munition manufacturing output here in the current year.

Wall Street Journal—Substantial proof of the effectiveness of the December liquidation is afforded when the market refuses to be budged from its position by announcement of the fact that the allies had cancelled over $100,000,000 of munition contracts in this country.

Journal of Commerce—The money market shows increased ease.

MEAT INJURIOUS TO THE KIDNEYS

Take a Tablespoonful of Salts If Back Hurts or Bladder Bothers

We are a nation of meat eaters and our blood is filled with uric acid, says a well-known authority, who warns us to be constantly on guard against kidney trouble.

The kidneys do their utmost to free the blood of this irritating acid, but become weak from the overwork; they get sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and thus the waste is retained in the blood to poison the entire system.

When your kidneys ache and feel like lumps of lead, and you have stinging pains in the back or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment, or the bladder is irritable, obliging you to seek relief during the night; when you have severe headaches, nervous and dizzy spells, sleeplessness, acid stomach or rheumatism in bad weather, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of glass of water before breakfast each Jad Salts; take one tablespoonful in a morning and in a few days your kidneys will act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys, to neutralise the acids in urine so it is no longer a source of irritation, thus ending urinary and bladder disorders.

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Wheat Market Still Advancing

Prices Closed Six Cents Higher Than the Previous Day—The Cattle Market

Wheat market is still advancing, and flour yesterday was boosted up another 30c per barrel. All the markets were extremely strong, closing 6c higher than Tuesday's close.

Manitoba wheat, No. 1, northern, $2.10 7-8, track, bay ports; No. 2, $2.07 7-8; No. 3, $2.03 7-8; No. 4, $1.90 7-8; old crop, 4c above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C. W., 73c.

American corn, No. 3, $1.11, subject to embargo.

Ontario oats, No. 2, white, 64c to 66c; No. 3, white, 62c to 65c.

Ontario wheat, No. 2, winter, per car lot, $1.74 to $1.76; No. 3, $1.70 to $1.72.

Peas, No. 2, nominal, car lots, $2.30.

Barley—Good malting, $1.16 to $1.18; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal, $1.25.

Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal; No. 2, new, $1.33 to $1.35.

Manitoba flour—First patents, in jute bags, $9.70; second patents, in jute, $9.20; strong bakers, in jute, $8.80, Toronto.

Ontario flour—New winter, $7.30 to $7.50, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered Montreal; shorts, $37; bran, $32; feed flour, per bag, $2.85.

Hay—Baled, No. 1, track, Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots $13 to $13.50; No. 2, $9 to $11; straw, $9.50 to $10.

Cattle Markets.

Union Stock Yards—Receipts yesterday, 90 cars, with 1,900 cattle, 100 calves, 1,266 hogs, and 500 sheep and lambs.

Belated cars of cattle continued to arrive throughout yesterday until the total receipts began to reach respectable proportions, but not up to the average of former receipts.

The market held steady and firm at this week's advance, choice butcher cattle averaging about 50c over last week's prices. Several choice lots sold up to $10, and good butcher loads up to $9 and $9.25.

Sheep and lambs were steady at Tuesday's prices, but are coming in more freely.

Calves, strong.

Hogs were about 25c higher, but packers very uncertain as to quotations.

Latest quotations:

Heavy steers, choice	$9.40 to $10.00	
Choice butcher	8.50	9.00
do (good	8.00	8.25
do medium	7.75	8.00
do common	7.00	7.50
Heifers, good to choice	8.00	8.50
do medium	7.00	7.50
Butcher cows, choice	6.25	7.00
do medium	5.75	6.25
Butcher bulls, choice	6.85	7.50
do good	6.50	6.00
do medium	5.00	5.50
Feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs.	6.50	6.75
do bulls	5.25	5.75
Stockers, 700 to 800 lbs.	6.50	6.75
do med., 650 to 750 lbs	5.50	6.00
do light, 600 to 650 lbs.	5.00	5.75
Canners	4.10	4.40
Cutters	4.50	5.25
Sheep, light	8.50	9.50
do heavy	7.50	8.50
Spring lambs	10.75	12.75
Calves	8.00	12.50
Hogs, fed and watered	12.90	
do weighed off cars	12.65	12.70
do f.o.b.	11.90	

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LAKEFIELD, Jan. 4.—Mr. Hilliard Payne of Peterborough, spent Monday in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown of Toronto, are spending a few days in the village, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Brown.

Mr. Maxwell Smith of Peterborough, spent New Year's Day in the village.

Miss Clara Doidge of Montreal, is spending the holiday in the village, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Doidge.

Mr. Victor Bullock of Belleville, is spending a few days in the village.

Miss Edna Darling of Peterborough, is spending the holiday in the village.

Mr. Edward Millage of Hamilton, Ont., is spending a few days at his home here.

Mr. Alfred Payne of Smith, spent Monday in the village.

Miss Etta Waldon has returned to her home here after spending a few days at Gore's Landing, Ont.

Mr. Donald Fitzgerald has returned home after spending a few days in Peterborough.

Mr. Thomas Northey of Smith, was in the village to-day.

Mr. Ed. Armstrong of North Smith, spent Tuesday in the village.

Mr. George Nicholls of Selwyn, was in the village on Tuesday.

Miss Kate Simpson has returned to Toronto after spending the holiday here, the guest of her mother, Mrs. T. Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Simpson spent New Year's in Peterborough.

Miss Georgina Everett has returned to Norwood after spending the holidays at her home in the village.

Mr. Robert Payne and Master Hanlan, spent Tuesday in the village.

Mrs. (Dr.) Boucher and Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Dela Fosse spent Tuesday in the village, the guest of Mrs. F. J. Tate.

Mrs. T. B. Marling spent Tuesday in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Robinson, of Peterborough, spent Sunday in the village.

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Railway Time Tables

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY. CORRECTED JUNE 6, 1916.

7.20 [illegible] for Lakefield.
8.10 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg, and points east, connecting at Port Hope for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 11.45 a.m.
8.25 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
8.30 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
11.40 a.m.—Mid-day express for Toronto, reaching Toronto at 3.15 p.m.
12.20 p.m.—For Lakefield.
11.40 a.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
1.35 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
5.35 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
5.40 p.m.—For Lakefield.
6.35 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
9.35 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Boston.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY. CORRECTED JUNE 5, 1916.

**8.20 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*12.12 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N.B., Boston, and New York.
*1.20 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed Perth, Smith's Falls and Ottawa.
**11.27 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and intermediate points, and all points east of Montreal.

GOING WEST.—
*1.50 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Galt, Woodstock, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*3.14 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
**7.25 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York. Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
**3.15 a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port McNichol and intermediate points
**3.43 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Buffalo, New York, Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, London, Detroit and Chicago.
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OUR SERIAL STORY

"DESTINY"

By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday.)

One gray and penetrating afternoon laid its depressing fingers on Paul Burton's heart with a heavier touch than usual. Even Hamilton was wearing a frowning and unsympathetic brow these days, and when the musician saw Mary, despite the inflexible courage of her eyes, there was something in them that hurt him to the quick. He knew and shared his mother's grief, but could not bear the trace of unshed tears in her voice. So, seeking asylum from the anxious ghosts that stalked between the walls of the house, he made his way down-town and rang the bell on Marcia Terroll's door. There are women men go to in triumph and women they go to when hurt. Often they are not the same women. It was a raw, bleak afternoon of disheartened drizzle and a reek of fog which veiled the tops of the taller buildings. As he waited for an answer to his ring, he could hear the fog-horn voice groaning over river and bay as though some huge monster were troubled in its sleep.

Then Marcia opened the door and as he made his way along the four-foot hall to the small living-room he discovered that she, too, was pale and distraite.

"What is it?" he demanded with that sympathy which always lay close to the surface of his nature. To his astonishment, the girl whose courage and composure had become the reliance of his own weakness dropped on the disguised cot and buried her face in her hands while her slim figure shook to her sobbing, among the sucsions.

Paul stood embarrassed and perplexed. Then, moved by impulse, he crossed to the lounge and his hand fell with a gentle caressing touch upon her arm. "Why, little girl," he remonstrated softly, "where is your gay bravery—what has happened?"

She sat up then and almost impatiently shook his hand away. After that she rose to her feet.

"That's just it," she declared, and for the first time in their acquaintanceship her eyes shone with an angry gleam, which quickly faded again into distress. Her tear-stained face confronted him accusingly "Everybody talks about my intelligence—and my courage. That's not what I want. I'm just human and I want a human chance."

"What sort of chance?" he asked in that vague distress which confuses a man and makes him stupid, at sight of a woman's tears.

She lifted her head defiantly. "A chance to work and live and be happy," she told him vehemently. "A chance to support my child and myself. They all praise me, but no one will hire me. I'm tired of fighting—unspeakably tired." Once more her face went into the support of the two small hands and her body shook.

"But your part in the new piece—don't you get it?" he questioned.

"They gave it to another woman," she told him faintly between her fingers. "A woman who—who is the friend of the author."

Heretofore Paul had always felt a half-submerged diffidence with Marcia such a practical acknowledged deference as one accords to another who has drunk deeper of life and more extensively built wisdom from experience. With her his easy pose of acknowledged genius that passed current in the drawing-rooms lost its assurance, and with her he was at his best because most natural. But this was a new Marcia, a Marcia whose delicate, childlike face was stamped with grief; a child in distress and a child who needed comforting. Just as once before when there was no escape, Paul had fought the Marquess kid and had been astonished at the ease of battle, so now an impulse seized him and he found himself acting without premeditation. He was the man looking on at the tears of a woman, and a woman whose laughter had often been his comfort. Instinctively he folded her in his arms and kissed the soft hair which was all that showed itself of the bowed head and hidden face.

Now when for the first time he held her close to him he felt a tremor of sobs run through the slender figure. His pulses heightened their tempo as he became conscious of the soft palpitation of her shoulder and bosom.

Sympathy, he thought, actuated him. He took the averted face between his hands and raised it gently, but with a strong pressure until the tear-stained eyes were looking into his own.

Her lips were very petal-like and her eyes were very dewy and on each cheek bloomed a spot of color heightened by the pallor of the moment.

Paul Burton at the instant forgot Loraine Haswell, the prize of his brother's grand larceny for his pleasure, forgot that this woman was no more than his Platonic friend and remembered only that her chin rested in his hand and that his arm encircled her, as he bent his head and pressed his lips against the mouth that trembled.

He did not think of the demonstration as necessarily lovelike. His nature was instinctive, not analytical, but suddenly there swept into the utterly lonely and battle-weary eyes of the woman, who was not a child, a smile of happiness and comfort which parted her lips, so that her face reminded him of sudden sunshine flashing into rainbow hope through an April shower. He could feel the heart fluttering wildly in her breast, and at once he knew that to her his kiss had meant an avowal of love—that in her code there was no place for light or unmeaning caresses.

He rose and his face paled. The indecisiveness which never dared to grasp the thistle firmly was troubling him with a new dilemma. Yet something in Marcia Terroll mad a call upon him which no other woman had yet made—the call to be honest at all cost.

With his averted face toward the window, in a forced and level voice, not daring to meet her eyes, he told her almost all there was to tell about Loraine Haswell. The new spark of manhood she had awakened in him made him silent on one point. He said nothing of his own doubts; his own wonder whether after all he loved or wanted Loraine. Just now he fancied he wanted Marcia Terroll.

When the recital reached its end he stood for a space gazing into the fog which seemed an emblem of his own life. He was waiting for her to speak, but the silence remained unbroken. At last he turned and saw her sitting there no longer tearful, only a little stunned.

"I couldn't lie to you," he protested in a hurried utterance as he came over and knelt on the floor at her side. "Not to you. . . . Of course, you know that I love you very dearly as a man loves his rarest friends. You know what our comradeship means to me—"

With an impulsive forward sweep of her hand she interrupted him and her voice was hardened with deep pain and heart-ache.

"Don't!" she pleaded, and the monosyllable was like a cry. "Oh don't!" Then after a little while she went on slowly: "You are a romanticist, Paul, and a dreamer. Some day you will wake up. We all do."

"It was better to tell you, dear, wasn't it? It would have been unfair—"

She bowed her head wearily as though realising the futility of expecting him to understand. "Yes, I suppose so, only—"

He waited a moment, then prompted:

"Only what?"

"Only perhaps a stronger man would have told me before he—kissed me."

"Did that—make so much difference?"

The green-gray eyes grew soft and the lips smiled wanly. "Yes—all the difference," she said. "It made me think for a moment that—that everything was different. Ordinarily people don't—I mean men don't—" She broke off and then explained a little laboriously. "To me that sort of kiss must mean a very great deal of excuse itself."

"But I did mean it," he fervently assured her. "Marcia, I have been horribly unhappy and you have been lonely. We have seen so much of each other because we wanted each other—needed each other."

The girl rose and went quietly over to a window. Outside the murk of the fog was raw and choking. The stertorous snore of the ferry whistle was uneasy, ominous: the spirit of the town's myriad anxieties. She began to speak with measured syllables and an averted face.

"Now, you don't need me, Paul I hadn't understood before, but I do now. I am this moment whim, that's all. I don't need you either. I don't need anyone." A trace of resolution was predominant. "I've depended on myself for years and I can go on. When you came to-day I wasn't myself. I was disappointed and miserable and my misery made its appeal to your sympathy. You were carried away because you're emotional, and it was all my fault. I'm supposed to be practical and I let you do it. We must forget about it now, that's all."

"Some things—" his voice mounted to a thrill of feeling—"can't be forgotten."

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"They must be."

"I have made you angry," he said with deep contrition, "and it's the last thing in the world I wanted to do."

Marcia smiled again, as she might have smiled on a child who promises to be good all its life, and who will in a forgetful half-hour be again breaking all the laws and ordinances of the nursery.

"No, I'm not angry," she said thoughtfully. "One should not be angry with a person of your exact sort, Paul. In another man the same thing would have made me angry, but not in you. I am only sorry it happened. Let's pretend it didn't."

"Why," he inquired, puzzled as he gazed at the face still moist with its recent tears and now rather cryptic in its expression, "are your laws of judgment different for me than for other men?"

Marcia shook her head.

"Perhaps just because you are yourself—different from other men. Maybe in the artist there is something of the woman and something of the child, as well as something of the man. One doesn't grow angry with a child."

"Oh!" The monosyllable came with an undernote of chagrin. "I'm not exactly responsible. That's what you mean?"

She did not answer in words, but her eyes as she looked off through the drizzle with her fingers hanging limply motionless at her sides gave him the affirmative reply, and he went on in a low voice.

"Of course, that would make you hate me. It must make anyone hate me if it's true."

There was a moment's silence and he heard her laugh. It was a sound of a single note and it was neither a laugh of amusement nor of ridicule. If there was any betrayal of laughing at the expense of someone, the someone was evidently herself, and Paul was not sure it was a laugh after all. Possible it was a single sob or half-sob and half-laugh. But she went on in a voice flattened by weariness.

"Life deals in paradoxes. Possibly that very thing might make one love you."

Paul stood in the small room, feeling himself very small and contemptible. The face of Loraine rose before his memory, beautiful and petulant, appealing and regal, features of ivory with poppy-like lips, dominated by dusky eyes and night-black hair.

Suddenly she seemed responsible for all his uncertainties. He saw her just then as a Circe. He was a man, swung to an ebb and flow of mood by influences outwardly as nebulous as moon mists. Just now the influence of Loraine Haswell was at ebb-tide. To-morrow it might run again to flood, but Paul Burton obeyed the prompting of the present.

With a low exclamation that was wordless and a face tense and white, he was at the girl's side and his arms were again about her. She shook her head and tried to draw away, but he only held her the more closely until she raised her face and said patiently, "I'm very tired, don't make me fight both myself and you."

The musician shook his head and talked fast. "You said when I kissed you that you thought it meant something very different. You could have meant only that you thought I loved you. But that was not all. Thinking that I loved you would have meant nothing to you if you hadn't loved me—if you didn't love me now. You do. You have just said, 'Don't make me fight myself.' There would be no fight with yourself—if you didn't love me."

He paused and his arms held her very close, as he saw her turn away her face and make an effort to release herself, but in the eyes that she averted he read the cost of the effort.

"Please let me go." The words came faintly.

"Not until you answer me. I love you, Marcia. This time it means all that you thought it meant before. I love you."

Her eyes came around again and intently studied his own, then the voice spoke in low tone:

"I love you," he insisted, "and you love me. Your pupils confess it. Why deny it with your lips? You love me."

She gently disengaged herself and sat again on the lounge.

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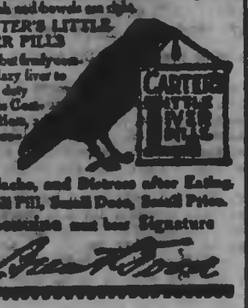

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The liver struggles to remove the poisons from the blood, becomes enlarged, and finally fails, allowing the poisons to pass on to every part of the human system. Complications arise, and there is Bright's disease, hardening of the arteries and apoplexy.

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LOCAL WEEKLY MARKET REPORT

The New Year opened with declines in the prices of butter, eggs and poultry and advances in fall wheat, oats, live hogs and cattle. For the local market everything points to lower quotations in country produce as on Saturday's market. Hogs are up to 12 cents.

The holiday trade in poultry proved disastrous for not a few of the small dealers. The opening high prices were beyond the public's purse and the result was inevitable. The Sun explains the situation in Toronto as follows.

Last week's comment on the poultry market proved to be quite within the facts. It was written at a time when it was not just clear how the retail butchers would be fixed. "Fixed," accurately described it. Many of the smaller ones were stocked up with turkeys that they could not sell for anything like what they had paid for them. These were held over, and disposed of cheaply on Tuesday morning. Wholesale buyers were also caught with heavy supplies for which the people would not pay the necessarily high prices. Last spring's wet weather was hard on the young turkeys, and this, with the scarcity of feed later resulted in a short crop indeed. If these turkeys could have sold at 30c. they would have been cleaned up readily, as there was none too much for the demand, but housekeepers could not afford to pay the high prices which the trade demanded in order to pull out even.

The Massachusetts Board of Agriculture offers $360 in cash prices for the best yield for an acre or single trees of peach, pear and apple.

To prevent meat from spoiling in warm weather, take a quart of the best vinegar, two ounces of lump sugar and two ounces of salt. Boil all together for five minutes, and when cold bottle. When required brush the meat over with this, using a soft brush. The mixture will keep for some time and does not spoil the flavour of the meat.

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ON THE FRENCH FRONT---STRETCHER CASES PASSING TO REAR AFTER BIG PUSH

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The scene shows a portion of the road between the trenches on the western front. A few gaunt rafters cut the sky. Wounded are brought down from the regimental aid post in the trenches to a field ambulance collecting post, which is generally in a cellar or dugout toward the rear. The men who first retrieve the wounded from the trenches, or from "No Man's Land," are the regimental stretcher bearers, and not R. A. M. C. men proper. From the collecting posts the wounded walk or are carried by bearers, or are placed upon wheeled stretchers and are so brought to the advanced dressing station, which may be about a mile further toward the rear. Still further from the firing line by a mile or so is the dressing station, which is usually reached by motor ambulance.

Bright Future for Africa After the War, Says Explorer

Sir Henry H. Johnston, Authority on Affairs Relating to Dark Continent, Writes Interesting Article About Land Where Few White Men Have Travelled.

(Special Dispatch)

LONDON, Saturday.—Having travelled in and explored Africa since 1879, Sir Harry H. Johnston, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., ranks among the foremost authorities on the Dark Continent. Hence an article from his pen on "The Future of Africa," such as he has written for the Sphere, should be entertaining to any one interested in the subject. Sir Harry has held various official positions in the Cameroons, Nigeria and Mozambique. He has been Commissioner for British Central Africa, which he founded, and Special Commissioner of the Uganda Protectorate. He writes in the Sphere as follows:—

"I have several times written on this theme between 1884 and 1914, and it amuses me occasionally to recur to my old forecastings of events and effects and see how they coincide with actualities. Perhaps the most remarkable of these forecasts was an article published in the Times of August 27, 1898, but as it was instigated by the late Lord Salisbury as representing to a great extent his own views and intentions in regard to the shaping of British Africa, and as I was one of the agents appointed to further these schemes, I may be said to have assisted at times in carrying out my own prophecies. Of course, alternating with the ups of optimism and enthusiasm, I have had the downs of disillusionment—or what seemed to be disillusionment. There have been days and moments when I have asked myself whether my own little efforts and struggles to open up Africa were not wasted labor, or likely to be less provocative of good than of harm. Such a reversion of spirit came over me once when I had reached the furthest point on the Upper Congo attained by a white man since Stanley's rush down the river in 1879. Virtually the Northern Congo was then closed to the white man's enterprise.

"[illegible] a dim remembrance of the extraordinary phenomena of two white men with a number of partially clothed black followers paddling frantically past these [illegible] cannibal villages in a number of [illegible] canoes and sailing boats, and there was a [illegible] of another white man. This [illegible] coming came for a few days into the heart of Africa from the north-west [illegible] to all intents I was the first white man whom they had examined and [illegible] and I had come amongst them in a foreign boat manned by Zanzibaris. They and I could speak a little in the widespread Congo tongue, so that we could exchange ideas to a slight extent. Gazing around me from one of those then populous river bank towns, with its happy, noisy life, its abundance of good food, its sleek, well built men and women, its comparatively comfortable houses, I could not help asking myself—and, a little later, the readers of the Daily Telegraph—whether my advent might not be the signal for the opening of a long period of misery and suffering among these seemingly cafe free folk.

"But, of course, under all this laughter and repletion on bananas, plantains, fish, poultry, goats, sheep, ground nuts and manioc there was crime, there were tears, terrible diseases, degrading vice. In the marketplace slaves brought from afar were being sold for human food, children were loathsome with syphilitic sores, smallpox occasionally depopulated whole towns and districts. To my coming—a detail in Stanley's splendid six years' work—there succeeded the justly denounced Leopoldian system, which for a time bore heavily on the native population. Yet with it came British, French, American, Belgian and Swedish missionaries. Light was thrown on the dark places and dark deeds of the ivory and rubber raids and the forest labor. The Belgian nation took the business in hand, and the last state of the Congo is far better, far more productive of sound happiness and prosperity among the descendants of the primitive cannibals who received me with such hospitality than was their condition at the beginning of 1885.

"And as to its future. Rightly governed, I venture to predict that Africa will, if we are victorious, repay us and our allies the cost of our struggle with Germany and Austria. The war, deny it who may, was really fought over African questions. The Germans wished as the chief gain of victory to wrest rich Morocco from French control, to take the French Congo from France and the Portuguese Congo from Portugal, to secure from Belgium the richest and most extensive tract of alluvial goldfield as yet discovered. This is an auriferous region, which, properly developed, will, when the war is over, repay the hardest bit of our allies all that she has lost from the German devastation of her home lands."

PRUSSIANS HOPE PRESIDENT WILSON OR THE POPE WILL BE PEACE MAKER

Propaganda to End War Includes Paid Pacificists and Well Intentioned Persons Who Play Into Agents' Hands Unwittingly—Effort Is to Impress Neutrals, Says Swiss Correspondent in Describing Devious Methods Employed.

(Special Dispatch)

LONDON, Saturday.

During the last year Germany has issued numerous more or less discreetly veiled peace feelers, most frequently through neutral countries, writes a well informed Swiss correspondent. In other words, she has been endeavoring to sound public opinion in the allied countries whether there were any immediate prospect of it being possible to propose peace negotiations, and if so upon what basis.

"It is of course well known," he continues, "that she has attempted to seduce certain of the allied countries to conclude a separate peace with her and now that these attempts have failed one after another and the Allies individually and collectively have let it be known that they intend concluding no separate peace she is engaged in another plot.

"There are various methods resorted to by German agents in neutral countries for bringing public opinion to bear upon the governments to induce the latter to take action in favor of peace. Committees, for instance, are formed—no one quite knows how—composed, ostensibly, at any rate of neutrals and there is also the trick of inducing well known persons, who may or may not give their names, to insert articles in important neutral newspapers suggesting bases for peace negotiations, these articles being certain sooner or later to be quoted or summarized in the press of the belligerent countries.

Some Paid Pacificists.

"To take first the committees. These are composed partly of genuine pacificists from conviction long before the war, and who at least never have made anything out of pacificism—having much more probably lost by it—and partly of paid pacificists—that is to say, those who act as [illegible] and organizers. A fair [illegible] to Switzerland are [illegible] but far more [illegible] are [illegible] Some are neutral subjects whose money is wholly or largely invested in Germany or in German enterprises outside Germany. Others again who are perpetually crying out for peace do so because they have to pay twice or thrice as much for their potatoes as they did before the war and considerably more for other principal necessaries. Incapable of looking beyond their potatoes and their sugar and with a horizon bounded by the cellar and the store room, they are equally incapable of considering what would be the effect upon the world of a premature peace. It is upon these people that German agents and their peace propaganda chiefly work.

"Alexander Prince zu Hohenlohe, who has already distinguished himself by his peace propagandist articles on behalf of Germany, writes in the Neue Zuercher Zeitung an article entitled 'The Suicide of Europe,' in which he paints in lurid colors the distressful state of the world and the havoc wrought and waste entailed by the war, and suggests that there are two men capable of warding off the cataclysm which will inevitably ensue should the war be prolonged. One of these men, he says, is the Pope, and the other is President Wilson, who carries weight with practical and business people.

Swiss in Rejoinder.

"With great promptitude there has appeared an article in rejoinder to that by Prince zu Hohenlohe, and this not by a subject of any allied State, but by a Swiss, consequently by one of those very neutrals to whom the appeal is primarily directed. To this rejoinder the Neue Zuercher Zeitung gives much prominence, and as it obviously comes much more fitly from a Swiss than from any one belonging to an allied country, and as the views expressed represent those of all intelligent neutrals who understand German designs and who know what a parched up peace would entail for the world, it may be briefly summarized.

"As the writer points out, Prince Alexander zu Hohenlohe has once more insisted upon the favorite German doctrine that in the present war there will be neither victor nor vanquished. But, he asks, is this so certain? And what does the eternal German phrase 'an honorable peace' mean? Is not Germany, with her incessant bickerings about the objects of the war, the best proof of how difficult it is to define 'an honorable peace'? What might appear honorable to one belligerent would be the depth of disgrace to another.

"The writer then reminds his readers how the Germans scoffed at Lord Kitchener's declaration that the war would last three years, whence he infers that even in August, 1914, the British authorities were convinced that only by a long war would Germany be reduced. When England entered upon the war she did so with the iron determination to raise a mighty army and, when at length it was ready, to throw it into the balance. And now, just at the time when this enormous work of preparation is completed and England is full of arms and ammunition factories, is she to say that it is all in vain 'because a long war is leading Europe to suicide'?

Prussian Speed Failed.

"And the writer reminds his readers—many of whom it must never be forgotten are Germans—of Herr von Jagow's justification of the Germans' irruption into Belgium—that Germany's great triumph was speed—that is to say, a short war. Whence the obvious deduction is that England's trump card must be a long war. 'It is exceedingly satisfactory,' concludes this Swiss, 'that these lamentations should proceed primarily from that country in which the greatness and necessity of the war were proclaimed with positively religious pathos.' In other words, it is the Germans, who waxed ecstatic about the glory of war, who are now bemoaning its unfortunance."

Girl Would Give Her Eye to Restore Sight to Blind Soldier

"Only Means of Serving My Country," Is Her Plea to Oculist Who Believes He Could Perform Operation Successfully by Grafting Cornea.

(Special Dispatch)

LONDON, England.—A young girl in England is willing to be deprived of one of her eyes if it will be the means of restoring sight to a blind soldier.

Some time ago Dr. Rochon-Duvigneaud, noted oculist, expressed the opinion that it might be feasible to graft a tiny bit of human cornea on another human cornea and so restore sight to a blind person. Hearing of the physician's views on the subject, the young woman wrote to him as follows:

"Do you believe it possible to take the eye of one person and graft it on another? Do you believe it is possible to enable two persons to see with only two eyes between them instead of four? If you believe that there is one chance of success, even in a million, I am at your disposal.

"I will give you one of my eyes if you know of a soldier who has lost his sight while serving in France and to whom sight would be of great utility in the service of his country. I would prefer to give my eye to one to whom it would be especially useful—a savant, an inventor or an officer of great value.

"If one of these men wishes to try the experiment and you consider it possible, I shall be happy to give one of my eyes, and shall consider myself under an obligation to you, for you will have permitted me to be useful to my country, and it is the only means in my power of serving it."

PASSPORT ORDER BOON TO PHOTOGRAPHERS

(Special Dispatch)

DOVER, Saturday.—By orders recently issued by the local authorities citizens of Dover may leave the town at will, but, unless they are armed with a portrait passport, they may not return.

This order has resulted in a thriving business among the photographers. Many persons, [illegible] their lives have been averse to having their pictures taken hastened to the photographer's for a sitting.

If a resident of London or any other city wishes to visit Dover he must appear before the police in his district, who will supply him with the necessary papers, to which must be attached his latest portrait. Even then he must telegraph ahead to the Dover authorities for permission to enter the town.

It is the intention that Dover shall be practically a "sealed" town.

Rules for aliens are even more stringent than for the British subject.

HIS POTATO CROP MORE IMPORTANT THAN WAR

(Special Dispatch)

PARIS, Saturday.—A French soldier who took "French leave" so that he could dig the potatoes he planted on his farm last summer has been sentenced to two months' imprisonment.

Recently he saw visions of his potato crop rotting in the ground and asked leave of absence from the army so he could harvest it. When the leave was refused he suddenly disappeared from his post. Three days later he returned to the front, announcing he had finished his harvesting. He could not be made to understand that it was more important to remain at his post than to dig potatoes.

JACK OF BEANSTALK HAS A YOUNG RIVAL

(Special D[illegible])

LONDON, Saturday. [illegible] rivalling Jack Sheppard, ten years old, compares favorably with Jack of the beanstalk fame, but the former has been sent to an industrial school for six years as a sequel to some queer escapades on his part.

In recent months Jack has escaped from the Huddersfield Detention Home on three occasions. Twice he got out of the third story window and climbed down the water pipe at the side of the home. After he was captured the second time he was returned to the same room on the third floor without clothing. The following night he escaped, taking with him his "birthday suit."

Jack had climbed down the water pipe again and on reaching the ground had walked off, shivering for the want of wearing apparel. When he had gone a mile from the home he picked up a short coat and continued his journey. Two miles further he was arrested. He had been detained in the home on a theft charge.

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OUR DAILY SHORT STORY

For Mrs. Tillinghast's Accommodation

By H. Faber Osterheld

Edyth was sitting in one of the comfortable chairs of a parlor car as the train pulled out of the New Haven station. She was regretting the short halt there when a newcomer, who had planted his traps on the floor near the large armchair facing her, bowed. Edyth thought it was an apology for having upset her valise with his golf sticks and returned the salutation.

The one second sufficed to show her it was the same jolly, broad shouldered chap she had seen on the platform with a crowd of Yale boys. They both bent to pick up her valise when she heard him say, while his eyes twinkled with suppressed fun:

"I'm going to talk to you until your station comes, so you'd better make believe you know me."

Edyth looked up indignantly, but she could detect no disrespect in his face, just pure rollicking college boy fun, ready for a lark.

"Suppose I don't want to talk to you?" she challenged.

"You needn't, just as long as you'll let me talk to you. I've worked like a nigger the whole term, and I can't waste a moment beginning to have a bully time."

"What would the people on the car think if they knew I've never seen you before?" she demanded.

"They won't know if you smile at me and go right on chatting," he assured her.

"But you know it isn't proper, and I promised Miss Stanton to be cautious if she let me go alone." She smiled bewitchingly and began to page in her book.

"That old lady opposite is growing suspicious on account of your book." He leaned forward in his armchair and contemplated her with joy.

"Who is Miss Stanton?"

"Our teacher of mathematics. She usually chaperones me, but I made her see there was no occasion"—

"Not the least in the world," he said fervently, setting his tie.

"I'm beginning to think she had better have come! I think I'd best whirl my chair around. I've misgivings!"

"You can't. It's stationary," he exulted.

"I might change my seat," she began.

"I might, too," he threatened.

"No room."

"The chair has comfortable arms," he said suggestively.

"The old lady," reminded Edyth.

"Better stay then," he advised.

"Now, Harry wouldn't have forced himself upon"—

"Who's Harry?" he interrupted.

"He is at Harvard," murmured Edyth.

"We beat Harvard badly last Thanksgiving," he mused.

"Were you at Yale last Thanksgiving?" she queried innocently.

"Senior!" He looked hurt.

"Ah! So is Harry," she replied.

"On the team?" he demanded.

"No," she admitted unwillingly.

"Shortstop," he announced and drew himself up proudly.

"Harry is in a senior society," she began.

He smiled in a superior fashion and touched the golden wolf's head on his waistcoat.

"Well, all the same, he wouldn't have talked to me," she said in a tone of reproof, "and," she added, "I like his name."

"Burton sounds less frivolous."

"Awfully long," she demurred.

"Burt for short," he volunteered.

"I like Burt, too," she admitted.

"Yale blue would be becoming to you." He pulled out a blue silk scarf.

"So's red," she protested.

"Too like your hair. Let's try blue." And he handed her the scarf. She glanced at the old lady and stealthily held the scarf near her face.

"It's enchanting—the only right color," he beamed upon her.

"To speak of my hair as red!" she began. "You're the only single man"—

"I know, but I'm willing to change."

"What, the hair?" She bent over the glass and patted her pompadour into shape.

"No," he too hastily contradicted.

"Harry says it's pretty."

"I'd like to put Harry off the earth," he said emphatically.

"Then I couldn't wear blue. It would have to be black." She gave a little sigh.

"Black for Harry? Absurd!" he scorned.

"As I said before, you're the only single man"—

"And I told you before," he interrupted, "I'm eager to have you alter that."

"I think I was just at that point in my story," she said thoughtfully, picking up her book.

"Don't read or I'll change my seat, with all my traps, and the people will think we've had a quarrel."

"Then I won't talk to you any more." Edyth leaned far back in her chair and looked out of the window.

"I'll keep right on, and people will soon see something is wrong," he threatened. He tied his shoestring, and Edyth saw the very sole of his boot chuckle.

"Naturally it isn't proper for a very young lady to speak to a total stranger."

"I was seventeen last February."

"But you don't know anything about me!" he censured severely.

"I know your name is Burt." Edyth lingered over the name and smiled up at him.

"Sign of knowing one pretty well."

"I confessed about one named Harry," she admitted coyly.

"Yes, about one." He nodded his head.

"About the only Harry," she put in as an afterthought.

The conductor had walked through the train, calling out the next station. Neither of them observed him. They were both engrossed in studying out the initials of her traveling bag. The train was pulling into the station when Edyth accidentally looked out and recognized Mrs. Tillinghast. She snatched her small satchel and rushed from the train. Mrs. Tillinghast was looking anxiously at the forward car when Edyth touched her arm.

"Mercy, child, I feared you had not come!" she exclaimed in a tone of relief. Suddenly she extended her hand to greet some one else. Edyth turned, and her face assumed a perfectly rigid expression.

"Edyth, let me present Mr. Burton Gilmore—Miss Edyth Lawton!"

Her sin had found her out. This young fellow probably lived near the Tillinghasts and would some time or other disclose her whole disgraceful proceeding. She bowed mutely and frigidly.

"Why, you must have come on the same train!" Mrs. Tillinghast exclaimed. Edyth's face burned.

"Why, yes; pity we didn't know," Gilmore remarked chivalrously.

"He looked too nice not to be a gentleman," thought Edyth.

"Now, look here, both of you," said Mrs. Tillinghast as she led the way to the carriage. "I have all the rest of my house party assembled, and I find three couples can't abide each other."

A light began to break in upon Edyth. Her face was dimpling—enchanting, Gilmore thought.

"I'm so upset about your brother Harry not being able to come. I have a girl here who is so interested in Harvard," Mrs. Tillinghast explained.

Gilmore winked furtively at Edyth. "I'm awfully sorry, too," he said, stowing in the luggage. "I've heard lots about him lately."

As they sped up the drive Mrs. Tillinghast went on with her troubles. "I'm reduced to a stage of idiocy almost by getting the wrong people together. If you two are going to make it hard for me by deciding to be uncongenial, there's nothing in the world left for me to do but to jump off a dock."

Gilmore looked beseechingly at the girl.

"I won't make it hard for you, dear Mrs. Tillinghast," said Edyth, rubbing her head caressingly against her hostess' shoulder. But she smiled at Gilmore.

And they didn't.

Savages and Their Teeth.

The common idea is that the diet and climatic conditions of the negroes are the cause of their having beautiful teeth, but some authorities dispute this. Thus, in some parts of Africa, when an infant has gone through the "teething period" his mouth is rinsed out with an infusion of leaves of a native tree possessing a constituent which causes the gums to shrink, so tightening the teeth.

The natives living near the source of the Nile employ the roots of a podbearing plant to relieve toothache, while another tribe farther west use an infusion of kasso seeds for the same purpose. The toothbrush as used in this country is, of course, unknown to the savages, but many of them have a most effective substitute. They use a piece of wood from certain trees which contain beneficial qualities. Further, this stick is free from the great objection to brushes. It can be renewed at very frequent intervals, and is thus always fresh and wholesome—a great advantage over the toothbrush of civilised races.

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Red Cross Meeting Will Be Held in Keene

KEENE, Jan. 4.—A Red Cross meeting will be held in the Town Hall, Keene, on Friday evening of this week. The speakers for the evening are His Honour Judge Huycke of Peterborough, and Captain O'Flynn of Belleville, and others. A portion of the 93rd band, recently returned from overseas, and Miss Telgmann, violinist, of Peterborough, Other local talent will assist.

Mr. Albert Nelson left on Tuesday for Kincardine after a pleasant week's holiday with his mother, Mrs. Wm. Nelson.

Mr. Harold Roche, Peterborough, spent New Year's with Keene friends.

Miss Josephine Kennealley was in Hastings on New Year's.

Miss Kathleen Powell, of Peterborough, visited Keene friends over the week end.

Pte. Roy Wray of the 247th Battalion of Peterborough, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wray.

Mrs. William R. Wedlock and children and Miss Lottie Wedlock spent the week end and New Year's with Peterborough friends.

Miss Pearl McCann returned on Friday from Toronto and Newmarket, where she had been visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Skinner of Niagara, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Skinner.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Burley entertained a number of their friends on Monday night with cards and dancing. A most enjoyable time is reported by those who were present.

A very large crowd was in attendance at the ball and supper given last Friday night for comforts for the boys who are overseas. The door receipts amounted to $53.75. A committee was appointed of two gentlemen and two ladies, Messrs. James Stewart and Michael Kennealley to purchase tobaccos, Mrs. R. T. Brown and Mrs. H. McLachlan to look after socks and other comforts.

Miss Isabelle McCarthey has returned to St. Joseph's Academy, Lindsay, after a pleasant holiday with Keene friends.

Miss Jennie Dorris returned to Peterborough on Tuesday after spending the week end and holiday with her parents.

Mr. Archibald Bryce and daughter, Miss Margaret, spent New Year's with Peterborough friends.

Mr. Dennis Roche of Toronto is a guest at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. P. Roche.

Miss Gail McCarthey of New York, is visiting friends in Keene and vicinity.

The East Riding Board of Agricultural Society will hold a meeting in the Town Hall on Tuesday Jan. 9th, afternoon and evening sessions.

Mr. Walter Bryce of Toronto, spent the week end with his father, Mr. A. Bryce.

Miss Lillian Moore has returned to Peterborough, where she is attending Peterborough Collegiate, after a pleasant week's holidays with her mother, Mrs. J. J. Moore.

Miss Belle Nelson of Toronto, spent New Year's with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Nelson.

Miss Belle Howson was in Norwood Friday and Saturday last.

Special union prayer service will be held in the Presbyterian church on Thursday evening of this week. Rev. A. K. Edmison, assisted by the pastor, will conduct the services.

Miss Jean O'Neil returned to Hastings on Monday after a pleasant week end visit with friends at the Victoria House.

Mr. Cyril Moore of the Bank of Toronto, spent New Year's with his parents at Gannanoque.

Mr. Thomas Roche, of Westwood, spent Monday with his brother, Patrick Roche.

Mr. Thomas Nelson, of Peterborough, is a guest at the home of Mrs. Wm. Nelson.

Miss Belle Macfarlane was in Peterborough over the New Year.

Mr. Harry Mather was in Hastings on New Year's.

Mr. A. St. A. Smith of Toronto, is in the village this week.

Mrs. Eugene Plouf of Ottawa, spent a few days this week with her aunt, Mrs. Martin Kennealley at the Victoria House.

SURVEY OF THE LIVE STOCK AND FARMING SITUATION

(Continued from Page 1.)

no longer obtains. Foreign requirements are so great that the cattle-producing countries of the world must augment their exportable surpluses to supply Europe with live stock to replenish depleted supplies.

Canada has less than one bullock for every two persons in the country, according to Government figures for the year ending June 30, 1916. One commendable feature of the report is that the number of cattle, other than milch cows, increased approximately 600,000 within twelve months, with 3,926,519 and 3,339,155 as the figures for 1915 and 1916 respectively.

LABOUR CURTAILS DAIRY DEVELOPMENT.

On the other hand, the number of milch cows in Canada decreased by 68,000 during the same period. The 1916 figures were 2,603,345, and those of the previous year were 2,666,946. If this state of affairs were to continue, Canada would be losing one of her very valuable assets. Prices for dairy products have soared to the highest levels in the history of the Canadian dairy-making industry, and export demand is becoming more and more insistent. Cheese factories and creameries had the busiest season they have ever experienced, and their capacity was only limited by the amount of milk and cream they were able to secure.

Authorities in close touch with the situation assert that the steadily improving quality of the herds is the most noteworthy feature of the dairy industry in 1916. The practice of using pure-bred sires of first quality is becoming more general.

One factor more than all others that has resulted in limiting the size of Ontario dairy herds has been the extreme shortage of labour, and it is probable that a material increase will not be noted until the labour market is again in a normal condition at the close of the war. The fact that there is only a small percentage of cows freshening within the next couple of months means that the making of butter will not be on a larger scale than at present until early spring. Higher quality of milch cows has also resulted in a greater margin of profit, on account of the possibility of greater production. Dairying is as profitable as ever, and the cessation of the war cannot bring anything but increased revenue to dairymen.

Prices for milch cows during the last year were higher than they have ever been in Canada. Pure-bred dairy cows of fine strain were sold at $185 to $200 during the year, and the only regrettable fact in connection with the transactions was that many of these were taken to the United States. Ordinary milkers old at $100 to $135 on the Toronto live stock market. It is noteworthy that there was not much demand for cows of medium quality. Buyers were generally more than willing to pay a higher price for a cow that would bring them more revenue.—L. J. M. in the "Farmer's Sun."

"Morgenroth."

"Morgenroth," the haunting death-song of the forlorn hopes of the German armies, is the song which was sung so often in the Franco-Prussian war of 1870, and is being sung again to-day.

The words were written by Wilhelm Hauff, a patriotic German writer of the first half of the nineteenth century.

Morning bright; morning bright—
Light that leads me to the grave—
Soon shall dawn with summons brazen,
Call me to my death to hasten—
I and many a comrade brave.

Petticoats With Yokes.

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Petrograd Announces a Victory in Roumania With the Capture of Three Cannon From the Germans ---Definite Indications of a New Super-offensive on the Western Front---Reserves and Munitions Are Being Concentrated.

A SUMMARY OF TO-DAY'S WAR CABLES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, January 4.—The capture of six hundred prisoners, three cannon, mine-throwers and bombing mortars from the Teutonic forces on the heights near Botoch, Roumania, was announced by the War Office to-day.

LONDON, January 4. — There are definite indications that Berlin's "war-to-the-knife" and "peace-on-the-sword-point talk will be met by a new super-offensive by the Allies which will eclipse in magnitude everything before attempted on the western front.

Behind the Allies' lines in Belgium, France and Alsace Lorraine, are being concentrated army reserves and munition stores unprecedented in quantity and quality, for the next great effort.

ROME, January 4.—Official statement has been made that while the Pope approves of any move toward shortening the war, he will not make any definite intervention as regards peace, until all warring powers ask for his assistance in the matter.

Urges Every Labor Man To Fill Cards

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, January 4.—In view of the antagonistic reception given by Winnipeg labour men to the National Service Registration Cards being distributed there, President Watters of the Dominion Trades and Labour Congress to-day issued a letter to affiliated unions arguing strongly for National Registration, which he described as a big Canadian movement in freedom's cause. "The present Canadian National Registration," points out President Watters, "leads away from conscription, whereas the scheme of registration operated in England led toward conscription." He again urges strongly every labour unionist to fill out his card.

Report of Court Has Stirred English Society

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, January 4. — English society and the public at large was stirred to-day over the scandal of feminine interference in army affairs bared in the report of the court of inquiry over treatment accorded Lieut. Patrick Barrett, by Mrs. Cornwallis-West. London newspapers expressed satisfaction to-day at the unsparing way in which the court of inquiry performed its duty, even though the scandal affected persons in the highest strata of British society.

Roosevelt Supporting Republicans in Senate

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

NEW YORK, January 4.—The Republicans in the Senate are to have Colonel Roosevelt's support in their fight against the endorsement of Wilson's note to the belligerents.

Two months' silence have not resulted in any loss of Roosevelt's power of invective, nor has the result of November 7 changed his unyielding antagonism to the Wilson Administration, as shown by a vigorous statement by the Colonel to-day attacking Wilson's note and its handling.

"Fog of obscurity," "profoundly mischievous," "profoundly immoral," "wickedly false," "callous and immoral falsehood," "preposterous absurdity," and "nervously backing away," were some of the phraseological bombshells with which the former president embellished his attack of Wilson.

Lodge Against Any American Interference

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, January 4.—Senator Lodge, fairly "ripped into" Administration secretary in the Senate to-day. He declared against American interference in European affairs and excoriated the Administration for seeking "a blanket endorsement" to its entire negotiations. "I shall resist an attempt to bring the Senate into approving blindly any steps of which we are not informed," he said. "We do not ask what the President is doing, but if any approval of his acts is wanted we ought to know what we are approving. It seems to me that to venture into negotiations to which neither party has invited us is unwise. We do not want to find ourselves at the end of the war without a friend in the world. I think we should move with great caution. We are in a position of having made millions out of the war, which has cost Europe millions of lives and dollars."

Peace Terms In Hands of President

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

AMSTERDAM, January 4.—The Cologne Volks Zeitung to-day confirmed the statement credited to Count Andrassy yesterday that Germany's peace terms are now in the hands of President Wilson.

LONDON, January 4.—Latest information available here to-day, was that the Allies' reply to President Wilson would probably be sent to Washington some days before being released for publication in England, the Entente governments desiring to adhere to diplomatic etiquette, prescribing that the note must be received by the nation to which addressed before publication is given.

A Calm Night On the Western Front

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS (French Official), January 4.—A calm night along the whole western front was reported in to-day's official statement.

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COMPLETION OF TRENT CANAL IN COMING SUMMER

Only Finishing Touches Remain to Be Added at Several Points Between Trenton and Lake Simcoe

REST AFTER THE WAR

OTTAWA, Jan. 3.—The Railway and Canals Department announces that the finishing touches will be put on the eastern section of the Trent Canal during the next three or four months, and the waterway from Lake Simcoe to Trenton on the Bay of Quinte will be opened for through traffic early next summer. The Severn River end of the project, giving outlet to Georgian Bay, will not be completed until after the war.

Practically all that remains to be done on the Trenton end of the canal is to complete a few locks and the bridge over the Grand Trunk Railway at Campbellford.

A Recital In St. Paul's Church Friday Evening

Peterboro' Music Lovers Will Have Opportunity of Hearing Mrs. Davies-Sherry

The recital to be given in St. Paul's Church on Friday evening, by Mrs. Davies Sherry, assisted by Miss Lora Logan and Mr. John Allan, under the auspices of the Otonabee Chapter, I.O.D.E., promises to be one of the most enjoyable musical events of this season.

As Mrs. Davies Sherry is leaving for the West shortly every one should take advantage of this opportunity of hearing her.

The following critique from the Mail and Empire speaks for itself: "After an absence of several years, Mrs. Helen Davies Sherry reappeared at the Conservatory of Music Hall on Wednesday evening and was given a most gratifying reception. As Helen Davies, this artiste was held in high repute in local musical circles, when a member of the National Chorus. She sang "Hear Ye Israel," from Mendelssohn's "Elijah," with a deep appreciation of its dramatic values." Her other numbers were also sung with fine dramatic effect."

The proceeds of the recital will go towards Red Cross and Patriotic work.

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THE WEEK OF PRAYER

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The mid-week services of the churches of Peterborough much more largely attended than usual.

A union service will be held in All Saints' Church to-night. Speaker—Rev. R. G. Peever, B.D. Subject: "Problems of the community as a Challenge to Christian Heroism." Every citizen of Peterborough is invited to attend this meeting. Come in good time and join with us in earnest prayer for the betterment of our splendid city.

RECRUITING MEETINGS IN THE INTERESTS OF 247th ARE ARRANGED

Dr. J. W. Edwards, M.P., For Frontenac and Col. Ponton of Belleville, Will Be the Speakers on Sunday Night While Hon. Geo. P. Graham Will Visit Peterboro' on the Following Sunday---To-day's Orders and General Military News.

Two big recruiting meetings in the interests of the 247th Battalion, have been arranged, the first to take place on Sunday evening, when Dr. J. W. Edwards, the eloquent member for Frontenac in the Dominion Parliament and Col. Ponton, of Belleville, will give addresses. Both are splendid speakers and the armouries should be crowded to hear these addresses. The band of the 247th Battalion, under the direction of Bandmaster Hughes, will furnish music. On the following Sunday, the Hon. Geo. P. Graham will be the speaker at a big rally.

ST. CATHARINES, Jan. 3.—An extraordinary week of recruiting was started here to-day by the ringing of the fire bell, which drew a crowd of people, at which an open air meeting was addressed by Lieut.-Col. Williams, chief recruiting officer, and other speakers. At a meeting of the St. Catharines Recruiting League, previously held, $200 each was offered by Dr. Jessop, M.P.P., and J. D. Chaplin to the first six recruits to respond. The offer was speedily snapped up. President James A. McEloy, of the Canada Hair Cloth Company, father-in-law of Capt. Decrespigny, and whose only son is at the front, vigorously assailed some officers of the Welland Canada protective force, including Lieut.-Col. Burleigh, commanding officer, for being permitted to hold these positions drawing fat salaries and at the same time conducting their private business. He declared they should go to the front or step out of khaki and allow those positions to be filled by returned and partially disabled officers. He characterised them as "church parade soldiers," and said they were stumbling-blocks to recruiting.

The canvass conducted by the 247th Battalion is proceeding rapidly and much useful information is being secured as a result. Some of the reasons for not enlisting as given by the men of military age who have been canvassed are: "Don't want to leave mother," "Am considered indispensable where I am employed," "Single men should be called out first," "Haven't considered it yet" etc.

His many friends will be glad to learn that Capt. E. D. O'Flynn, second in command of the 247th Battalion, has been promoted to Major. Major O'Flynn was at the front for a long period with the famous 22nd Battalion and his promotion has been richly earned.

Revival in Recruiting.

With the opening of the New Year recruiting in Peterborough shows some signs of a revival and so far this week nine recruits have been signed on, the 247th Battalion taking six while three were secured by the 74th Battery.

The 247th recruits were as follows:

Herbert Kelly, steward at the Peterborough Club, fifteen years' service in the British Navy.

Geo. Albert Pymer, Cordova Mines.

Herbert Peter Wires, R. R. No. 1, Peterborough.

James A. Freeman, Havelock.

Michael Monaghan, Coe Hill.

John J. Adams, Fort William.

The last two were sworn in on New Year's Day, and the rest later this week.

The 74th Battery has secured the following men since Monday:

Alfred G. Austin, Peterborough.

J. M. Brooks, Peterborough.

Robert C. Carney, Peterborough.

The first two have been attending the Royal School of Artillery at Kingston and have qualified as bombardiers, while the third, who was one of the junior hockey squad this year, has a brother in the 74th Battery.

Vital Statistics For the Month

	1915	1916.
Births	48	31
Marriages	27	20
Deaths	21	50.

The total for the year is as follows:

	1915	1916.
Births	488	461
Marriages	214	216
Deaths	292	346

Building Permits.

Building permits issued for the month totalled 4 and represent a valuation of $1,095.

For the same period last year, 9 permits were issued, representing a value of $1,620.

MR. R. N. RUDDY K.C. MADE COUNTY JUDGE

The Examiner joins with the many friends and professional brethren of Mr. R. N. Ruddy, K.C., of the legal firm of Ruddy and Burnham, in congratulations upon his appointment to a county judgeship. It is learned upon the best of authority that the appointment has been made, though it is not yet gazetted, nor the district of duty designated. Mr. Ruddy was called to the bar in 1899, and made a King's Counsel in 1908. He has been practising the profession of law in Peterborough about six years, previously to which he practised in Millbrook. He has had the conduct of many important cases, among others of one which he conducted before the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council.

ANNUAL MEETING OF LORD'S DAY ALLIANCE

The annual meeting of the Lord's Day Alliance for the Province of Ontario will merge this year into a popular mass meeting in the interests of Sabbath preservation, under the direction of the Triennial meeting of the Lord's Day Alliance of Canada, to be held in Massey Hall, Toronto, on Thursday evening, January 11th, at eight o'clock.

Drove Automobile in Middle of Road

For driving his car up the middle of the road, contrary to the Traffic by-law, Mr. Robert Gollop was fined $5.00 in the police court this morning. This is a more or less common offence that is overlooked by automobile drivers who find the street railway tracks particularly inviting during winter.

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An Army Scandal Is Uncovered in England

Report of Court of Enquiry Involving the Exercise of Influence Over High Officers by Prominent Society Woman is Made Public

IS SEVERELY CENSURED

LONDON, Jan. 3.—An army scandal, involving the exercise of influence over high officers by a prominent society woman, is described in the report of a Court of Inquiry issued to-night, and Mrs. Cornwallis-West, wife of Col. William Cornwallis-West, and mother of the Princess of Pless and of the Duchess of Westminister, is officially severely censured.

The late Sir Arthur Basil Markham, Liberal member of Parliament for the Mansfield Division of Nottinghamshire, who died last August, demanded an inquiry in the House of Commons into this matter, and was seconded by Irish members, who declared that a young Irish officer's honour was involved: It has since developed that the officer was Lieutenant Patrick Barrett, of the Welsh Fusiliers.

Completely Exonerated.

According to a statement in the House of Commons before recess he was completely exonerated; his Commanding Officer, Lieutenant-Colonel Delme-Radcliffe, was removed from his command, and General Sir John Cowans was censured, but was retained because of his good work. General Owen Thomas who was also concerned was vindicated.

Barrett was a lieutenant in the Welsh Fusiliers, Colonel Delme-Radcliffe and other officers [illegible] him for an examination late in 1915, and his claims were supported by Colonel and Mrs. Cornwallis-West and several prominent civilians.

"Probably before this time, and certainly later," says the report, "Mrs. Cornwallis-West began to take more than an ordinary interest in Mr. Barrett, to which he consistently failed to respond. Eventually he wrote [illegible] in February last, a letter of remonstrance, which she placed in the hands of his commanding officers."

Gen. Cowans Censured.

Barrett was severely censured by his commander without [illegible] opportunity of stating his case. Soon after that he was transferred to another battalion on the demand of Mrs. Cornwallis-West. General Cowans, who aided Mrs. Cornwallis-West in securing Barrett's transfer, is censured for interfering with discipline. General W. H. Mackinnon, who was also connected with the correspondence, is criticized for interfering with the affairs of the western command after he relinquished his command, but is not disciplined because he has since retired.

The Court of Inquiry, which consisted of Field Marshal Sir William Nicholson, formerly Chief of General Staff; Major-General Lord Cheylmore, Justice Sir James Richard Atkin and the Right Hon. Donald MacLean, M.P. for Peebles and Selkirk, reports regarding Mrs. Cornwallis-West: "We have no doubt that her injudicious boasting of the power she wielded at the War Office—which was confirmed to an appreciable extent by the wording of some of Sir John Cowan's letters — was calculated a bring him and the administration at the War Office into disrepute. We feel obliged to record our opinion that this lady's knowledge as revealed in this case has been highly discreditable both in her behaviour towards Second-Lieut. Barrett before his letter of the 14th of February, in her vindictive attempts to injure him afterwards, and in the [illegible] evidence she gave before us."

"It appeared in the evidence that this lady holds [illegible] importance in the County of Denbighshire in various [illegible], a public character [illegible] war work. In our opinion it is to be regretted that she should hold such positions."

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A NUMBER OF PASSENGER TRAINS TO BE CUT OFF

Railways Not Prepared, However to Make Any Definite Announcement Yet

RELIEVE CONGESTION

None of the railway companies are prepared to make an announcement of the trains that are to be dispensed with, following the declaration Tuesday that it has been decided to curtail the passenger service of the Dominion in order to relieve the congestion of traffic.

When the first announcement was made it was thought that Canada was following the example of Great Britain, where only a few days ago, it was decided to dispense with no less than 400 trains. There is a substantial difference, however, not only in the number of trains, but also in the object of the reduction. In Great Britain the main object was to relieve the transportation situation and allow an extra number of engineers and train crews to work on war transportation, mainly of them in France. Here the object of the reduction seems to be purely to relieve the freight congestion, which has been the subject of many complaints to the Dominion Railway Commission. So far as is known, there is no suggestion that the object in Canada is to enable railway engineers and crews to engage in similar work overseas.

Relieve Congestion.

The reduction in the number of trains is not expected to have any disturbing effect. It will mainly come into operation between points where the different railways have parallel systems. For instance, where two companies have three trains a day running on each line, in future there will be only two trains a day on each line, and so on. With the adoption of such a system, it is believed that the congestion will be relieved, because with the reduction in the passenger trains will come an increase in the freight trains.

It is not known whether the suggestion came from Sir Henry Drayton, the chairman of the Dominion Railway Commission, or from the railway companies themselves, but it is a fact that Sir Henry Drayton authorized the reduction.

The different companies have discussed the matter through the medium of their officials, and there will be other conferences before the schedule of reduction is finally agreed upon.

It is emphasized that the movement of munitions is of the first importance, and the Dominion Railway Commission has instructed the railway companies to give first consideration to this class of freight.

One Train a Day.

At present, says a Toronto despatch, it looks as though both railways will possibly dispense with six or ten trains on the Toronto division, with a reduction of the through passenger train service between Toronto and Montreal. Trains will also be taken off the Hamilton and London divisions and the service will probably be reduced on the Teeswater and Lindsay-Peterborough lines. On the different branch lines where there is a double and triple service it is quite likely that only one train a day will be operated under the proposed change of service.

This matter of lessening the congestion and at the same time affording all possible accommodation for war material, has been in the mind of the management of our Canadian systems.

OTTAWA, Jan. 4.—Sir Harry Drayton, Chairman of the Dominion Railway Commission, stated to-day that while negotiations were proceeding satisfactorily in connection with the proposed curtailment of passenger traffic to facilitate the movement of freight, there would be no changes for some time.

REMEMBER,

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WOMEN AND THE BALLOT.

The intimation is given that the women of the province interested in the franchise for their sex are contemplating the circulation of petitions, praying for legislative enactment giving women the right to vote. What will be the extent of the request embodied in the petition is not known but in the abstract the demand for equality of franchise should be met. Not only on the grounds of natural justice but on the higher grounds of ability and capacity for and facts of service. Since this war women have shown themselves in a new light. They have shown a capacity for organized and effective work; they have shown a public spirit and spirit of patriotism and sacrifice and given quiet, unostentatious and ygonian service, that have entitled them to the respect of the men of the country to whom they have set an example of sacrifice, and devotion to duty that might well appeal to thousands of men who have the privilege of the ballot, but have not appreciated the privilege of service in the cause of the Empire. In many respects woman's appeal for equal franchise rights does not consist, as compared with men — today men—in equality of capacity and fact of service, but in superiority of desert in these regards. If women take as they have taken, a prominent place in helping in their way to promote national interests by their help in war time, they have richly earned the right to a voice in the problems of readjustment—social and moral, economically—that will arise for solution at the end of the war.

OUR NATURAL RESOURCES.

As will be seen by reference to another part of this page, the Canadian Pacific Railway is undertaking a survey of the natural resources of Canada, in co-ordination with the work in this regard of many government departments, and to supplement data not thus covered. We cannot overestimate the value of this enterprise. The C.P.R. has followed us effectively to a partial realization of the immense and supreme interest in Canada—our agricultural resources. Some idea of their absolute and relative importance may be gained by the recorded fact that the value of the agricultural products of Canada for the year 1916, amounts to [illegible] billion dollars, while Canada's total mineral output, reached in the same year, only 190 millions. While these are late figures, they only tell a part of the story and represent only a small fraction of the resources of a country, where every square mile of the three millions of area probably contains wealth in some form, yet to be discovered and developed. The survey mentioned is a preliminary step, conjointly with what has been done and is being done by governmental agencies, to mobilize, so to speak, the resources of Canada. If the information to be gained, added to what we have got, will be used to form the basis of a policy of home development of natural resources, the commercial and industrial future of Canada will infinitely surpass anything we have heretofore accomplished in the way of development and progress. We are now in the throes of a great effort to mobilize the man power of Canada—taking a survey of its resources. This is being done in the interests of helping win this war. This accomplished, Canada will face new problems. The sacrifices we have made, and will yet make, will be well repaid by the knowledge that we have helped save Canada to herself and the Empire. But with that accomplished we shall only have made a beginning of the task before us. If it needs the concentration of every effort of the nation to win the war, it will need an equal if not greater concentration of effort and adaptation of resources to realize upon the victory we have won. As nations go, Canada is just at the beginning of her years of growth, and it depends upon the people, upon our leaders in governmental and material enterprise implying general cooperation and co-ordination of endeavour, to make this country one of the greatest of the imperial dominions and with no mean status in the family of nations. We have the natural resources, and a discovery and tabulation of their extent and variety will be the necessary preliminary in making them factors in our national growth.

NATIONAL SERVICE.

The benefits from the National Service campaign will only come from its effectiveness in bringing the Canadian people to a realisation of the seriousness of the situation in which this great war has placed us and finds us. We do not realise this yet as intensely as it does in the mother country or there would be a greater disposition to make sacrifices and more eagerness to respond to the universal duty of doing our bit individually and severally. We may come to realize the emergency and the need of meeting it as we study the facts in filling out the cards sent to all capable of doing military or home service in equally important capacities. The situation as it stands and the duties it demands are so admirably expressed in the words of President Falconer of Toronto University, that a reproduction of them, as printed yesterday, is justified both for their important bearing and in the hope that repetition will more forcibly impress them. He says:

"The people of Canada do not realise the gravity of the situation with which we are confronted in the present war. Those who know best tell us that if we are to in any such victory as will have abiding results we must put into it every ounce of strength and every dollar that we possess. We have gone on the assumption so common in peace times, that things will right themselves, but this is certainly not the case. A satisfactory issue will only come if we determine to use our energy for that end. There is a great deal of latent power in this Dominion. In few countries have the people more natural ability than Canadians have, but in few countries is there so little co-ordinated direction as here.

"The purpose of national registration is to discover what available people are for different kinds of work. We must know what we can count upon. There are thousands of people in this Dominion who are only waiting to be told what to do, but it is necessary to find out who these people are, and what they can do. The next step will be to use the right person for the right thing, and to see that as far as possible the round peg is fitted into the round hole, to avoid waste, not to have the energy of a person missed by having him put to do the wrong thing. National Registration, therefore, is a sensible undertaking at such a time as this. It is a patriotic undertaking. It is the kind of undertaking that an intelligent person like the Canadians will surely be ready to carry into effect at the earliest possible moment."

National service rightly understood is virtually personal service, for the issues at stake, the benefits of success and the perils of failure deeply and directly involve the interests, the welfare, the happiness and liberty of every man, woman and child in Canada. If all the men of Canada were as deeply interested, as responsive to the duty of action in their respective spheres, capacities and capabilities as are the women of the country from coast to coast, there would be universal and eager co-operation in meeting the duty that confronts us all.

Needed Work Of National Scope and Use

An important survey of the natural resources of Canada is being undertaken in connection with the Canadian Pacific Railway, which has for its purposes the co-ordination of the work which has been so well done by many government departments and with it other data which the government has not collected to those qualified to utilise the information as much data as possible relative to the natural resources of Canada. Great care will be taken not to do work that has already been well done, and the effort is one which distinctly calls for co-operation. Arthur D. Little, Limited, the Canadian branch of a Boston organization of analytical chemists, are the directors of the work and will do their part of the work with the same altruistic spirit they hope to find among those who assist. The information now available is to be collected on standard forms, is to be transferred to cards in a manner to make it possible to quickly separate the cards according to required classification at the moment. Thus if one desires to know all the places in Canada where deposits of iron are to be found in proximity with limestone, water power, or some other resource, the list of localities can be supplied very quickly. To accomplish this work, which is in the interest of the whole Dominion, it will be necessary to have part time assistance from a great many people who will be willing to devote a very small fraction of their spare time to the work because of self-interest, patriotism, local pride, and in some cases pecuniary remuneration. Those to whom the plan has been explained have evinced their cooperation, and have been enthusiastic over the possibilities of the work, and the advantage to the country at large in having such information thus brought together and classified for the free use of those interested. A bulletin is now being compiled setting forth in greater detail the plan and purposes of the survey, and this will be sent out especially to those whose cooperation is desired.

GOVERNMENT WAY OF DEALING WITH THE ROSS RIFLE CONTRACT

We consider it is about time that an expose of the Government's hunging with the Ross Rifle contract was made. The Government callously states that the past regime is responsible for the contract and admits prima facie its inaptitude to carry out its obligations.

At the outset of this unfortunate war, vast quantities of condemned and obsolete ammunition were issued to the troops at Valcartier and to the Princess Patricia Regiment; it was sent overseas, and what was the result? The ammunition did not and could not work in the rifles. The very fact of its previous condemnation betrays the argument of honesty. It is no secret to the boys of the first contingent, over 30,000 of them. A great many people here are also cognizant of it, and no one was more conversant with the scandal than the officials at Ottawa.

General Alderson pleaded to the Government for a most important improvement in the construction of the rifle; he was supported by British experts, but his entreaties were stubbornly refused and the Government continued the abuse. It is a fact also that the Ross rifle was selected for a political target. WHY?

The original contract was considered a fair and just one, and published broadcast by the Liberal Government. We ask the present Government to publish the contracts made under their auspices in order that the general public may judge their sincerity of purpose. Frankly, we do not think the Government will consent, knowing full well the dilemma that they are in and the fearful results of their misadministration.

It is futile to suggest that it is not the Government's duty to provide an up-to-date and satisfactory arm. If they failed, the onus must be placed on them. If the Government has a bad rifle no stretch of imagination can blame the contract, for the reason that the contract imposes upon the Government alone and in every respect the selection and decision of what it from time to time wants made. If the Government decides hastily it fails in spite of the contract, not because of the contract, and inflicts damage on its contractor as well as upon its troops.

Regardless altogether of the common cause contemptuous tactics have been employed to blacken the reputation of the Ross Factory, and, be it said, the Conservative Government has succeeded in inflaming racial prejudice which will not easily be soothed.—Quebec Telegraph.

PRESS COMMENT ON PEACE OVERTURES

Various Editorial Views are Expressed by the Newspapers of the Country.

"Distant and Impossible."

Philadelphia Press: "President Wilson's well meant intervention has only helped to disclose how distant and impossible is peace in the present temper of the warring nations toward each other."

"End may be in Sight."

Albany Argus: "As a matter of mere nutrition for Germany's brave soldiers the end may be in sight. But the scientific mind of Germany appreciates it."

"Greatest Neutral Not Indifferent."

Springfield (Mass) Republican: "It can never be said that the greatest of the neutrals was indifferent to peace when one of the belligerents definitely proposed peace, and when our national interests were unmistakeably on the side of peace."

"Kaiser and Friends Desperate."

Providence (R. I.) Journal: The meaning of Germany's attitude and that of the Entente Allies cannot be escaped. The Kaiser and his friends are desperate.

"Suspicious Eagerness."

Boston Globe: There is, on the one hand, a suspicious eagerness in the German reply. There is, on the other, a certain air of common sense about it.

"More Diplomatic Stratagem"

Washington Post: Her (Germany's) peace overtures are a mere diplomatic stratagem, preliminary to new and broader developments of the colossal struggle.

"Baiting the Allies."

Baltimore American: Evidently Germany is baiting the Allies on to make confession of a specific programme, and it will come back with its own counter programme. The game is one of finesse.

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NEWS FROM HAVELOCK
MEN AT THE FRONT

Pte. Bruce Copp is Seriously Ill at Etaples—Name of Corp. R. W. Young Appears on the Casualty List—Havelock Items of Interest

HAVELOCK, Jan. 4.—A cablegram has been received recently from the front stating that Pte. Bruce Copp of town was in No. 1 Canadian General Hospital, Etaples, with a very severe attack of appendicitis. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Acting Corp. R. W. Young of Cordova name appears in the casualty list as wounded.

The open air rink under the management of Mr. Clarence Weymark was opened on Christmas Day.

Mr. J. W. Holcombe was in Renfrew last week attending a meeting of the agents of the Renfrew Machinery Company. Mr. Holcombe won a free trip by securing a very large share of orders during the past year.

Miss Minnie Walton of Peterborough was a recent visitor to town.

TO BE DISCHARGED.

Pte. Wm. Heenan who returned from the front two months ago and who has been in the Convalescent Hospital, Kingston, has returned to town and expects soon to receive his discharge papers.

Miss McDonald of Toronto is the guest of friends at Round Lake.

On Christmas morning Mr. H. F. G. Dwyer of town, who recently moved here from Blind River was presented with a cheque from the Corporation of the town of Blind River as partial acknowledgment of his services to the town as Mayor for 1916.

County Constable Archie Moore of Peterborough was in town on Tuesday last.

Miss Alice Alley of Ashville, Man., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Andy C. Buchanan, "Pure Grove Farm" Belmont.

Mr. Wm. Forsythe has returned home from the west after an absence of seven months.

Mr. W. O. Buchanan of Claydon, Sask., is spending the winter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Buchanan.

Pte. Thos. Weese who has been at Kingston the past six weeks has received his certificate of military qualification for Sergeant.

SCHOOL REPORT.

Continuation School Report.

Form III.—H. Johnson 70, H. Plunkett 68, Bessie Curtis 67, S. Clark 56, Bruce Curtis 67, M. Williams 47, G. Burgess 46.

Form II.—F. Watson 72, G. Vanskickle 67, A. Williams 63, L. Hubble 62, C. Green 62, M. Crowe 60, R. Coon 58, I. Clark 54.

Form I.—B. Plunkett 81, A. Williams 70, H. Curtis 64, B. Clark 54, E. Forde 41, L. Anderson 47, J. Smith 43, C. Reid 38.

Unranked—F. Wilde 63, G. Haig 67, L. Rattan 47.

Miss Brewster, C. H. Dunard, Teachers.

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Sr. IV.—R. Sexsmith 4808.

Jr. IV.—G. Sexsmith 7378, A McGowan 5405, E. Anderson 5337 (absent) T. Acker 925, absent.

Jr. III.—B. Sexsmith 6108, P. Contwright 4756, R. Toms 1890, absent.

Jr. II.—G. Anderson 2636, G. McGowan.

Sr. I.—H. Ketchen 2237, Lily Anderson 273 (absent), Luella Anderson 709 (absent), H. Ketchen is now promoted to II. Book with 80 per cent.

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VISITORS TO TOWN.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Chambers are spending New Years in Trenton with their daughter, Mrs. A. E. Aldrey.

Misses Dorothy and Patricia Clarke of Peterborough are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Covert.

Mrs. Bennett and children of Belleville are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Barlow.

Mrs. Taylor and children of Trenton are with friends in town.

Miss Edna Jackson of Peterborough with Mrs. Robert Scully.

Mr. George Spilsbury of Peterborough with his sister, Mrs. H. Falkner.

Miss Kathleen Pacy of Toronto with her parents in town.

Miss Lelia Paget with friends in Norwood.

Mr. T. P. Lancaster with friends in Toronto.

Mrs. Barrett spend Saturday in Peterborough with her daughter, Mrs. Whaley.

Mrs. Falkner and daughter, Katherine spent Saturday in Peterborough with her mother, Mrs. Spilsbury.

Mrs. R. F. Covert spent Saturday in Peterborough with Mrs. Clarke.

Mr. Standly Holcombe spent last week in Markdale with his sister, Mrs. (Dr.) McArthur.

Mr. Firman Haig of Toronto spent the week end with his parents here.

Mrs. Chas Armstrong spent Saturday in Peterborough with her mother, Mrs. Darling.

Lieut. Quinn and Pte. Stuart of Peterborough spent Sunday in town with friends.

Misses Gladys Davidson and Bertha Bryans spent New Year's Day in Peterborough the guest of Miss Vera Knox.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ghent spent the week end in Madoc with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Spurr.

Rev. C. W. Holdsworth of Islington, former pastor of St. John's Church Havelock, was in town over the week end and conducted services here. He was greeted by large congregations at both services, who welcomed him back again. Rev. Mr. Patterson took the services at Islington.

Miss Flossie Childs of Peterborough was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Childs.

Miss Mary Crowe spent Saturday in Peterborough.

Mr. Tom Barnett of Peterborough spent the week end with his parents here.

A number from town attended the "dance" in Norwood on Friday night last and report an enjoyable time.

Miss Olive Rose spent Saturday in Peterborough.

Mr. E. J. Laing spent the week end at his home in Norwood.

Mrs. Jas. Campbell spent New Year's at Napanee with her son, Mr Willis Campbell.

Miss Agnes Lynch of Toronto spent the week end with her parents, Mr and Mrs. Lynch.

Miss Katie McDonald of Peterborough spent the week end in town.

Mr. W. J. Bryans, editor of Retail Grocer, Toronto, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bryans.

Mrs. W. A. Derema of Toronto spent the week in town with her sister, Mrs. Bryans.

Mr. Jack Moore spent Monday in Peterborough.

Mr. Vincent Foley and Miss Laura Foley of Toronto spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Foley.

Mr. Jas. Thompson of Timmins spent the week end in town.

Mr. and Mrs. McGregor of Detroit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Foley.

Mr. Jas. Scott of Delora spent the holidays at his home in town.

Miss McWilliams of Marmora was the guest of her sister, Mrs. L. Clarke and Miss M. McWilliams.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bowed and children of Bowmanville was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Armstrong.

BELMONT COUNCIL.

In the Belmont Township election which took place New Year's Day, William Griffith was elected Reeve by a majority of 65 votes over Kitchen. The newly elected Councillors for Belmont are Wm. Anderson, Gilbert Steenburgh, Frank Breckenridge and Coleman Elliott.

The election caused considerable excitement, especially for the Reeveship Kitchen and Griffith being in the field the past three years, with majority being small on each occasion.

Griffith elected in 1915.
Kitchen elected in 1916.
Griffith again elected for 1917.

Export of Coal Is Prohibited

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 4.—The British government prohibits the export of coal to Norway.

Norwood Correspondence

NORWOOD, Jan. 4.—Mrs. Arthur Brethen and daughter, Anna, spent New Year's in Picton at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Knox.

Mrs. Magnon, of Toronto, has been a guest at the home of her nephew, Rev. Noble.

Mrs. E. P. Cuffe and Miss Lois visited last week in Peterborough at the home of Mrs. Carten.

Mrs. Jobb, of Cartwright, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Jos. Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephens, of Sault Ste. Marie, have been guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. Alex. Kempt.

Miss Mary Knox spent the week-end in Picton.

Miss Mary Kirkpatrick spent Saturday in Peterborough.

Master W. Elliott, of Peterborough, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Wm. Taylor.

Rev. Mr. Irwin attended the boys' conference held in Lindsay last week.

Miss MacDonald visited last week in Stirling.

Miss Josephine McNichol is home from Oshawa, where she was engaged last season as milliner.

Mr. Lorne Williams and Miss Nita Williams were guests last week of Miss M. P. Williams.

Mr. John Weir was summoned to Madoc on Thursday to see his father, Mr. Armar Weir, who is seriously ill.

Miss L. Edmunds, of Vienna, arrived on Tuesday to begin her work as assistant on the High School staff.

Miss Zella Paget, of Trent Bridge, was in town on Friday.

Some of the Norwood young men gave a dance in the Town Hall on Friday night.

Miss Belle Howson, of Keene, visited Miss Pauline Weir for a couple of days last week.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church, will hold their regular monthly meeting on Wednesday afternoon in the Sunday School room.

Mr. Herbert Knox and Miss Elsie Knox were New Year's guests at their uncle, Mr. M. E. Knox, Picton.

Mr. Herman McNichol, of Toronto, visited last week at his parents' home.

Mr. Garnet Brain, of Alberta, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. (Rev.) Noble.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Calder, of Oshawa, have been guests at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Basken.

Miss May Smith left on Tuesday to attend Whitby Ladies' College.

Mr. John Coughlin, of Ottawa, was in town last week.

Miss Mary McNichol is home for a visit.

Rev. and Mrs. Glover, of Toronto, have been guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Andrews.

Mrs. Herbert Stephenson visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. B. W. Squire, last week.

Mrs. George Jones was in Peterborough on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Marks spent New Year's day with their daughter, Mrs. A. Darling, Alnwick.

The death occurred on Thursday of Mr. Bamfield, in his seventy-fourth year, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Fred Garlick.

The funeral took place on Saturday afternoon to the Norwood cemetery, the service being conducted by Rev. Mr.. McCormick of the Baptist Church.

On Thursday, at his home in Dummer, the death occurred of Mr. Michael Hannan, aged 90. On Saturday afternoon the last sad rites were performed by Rev. Irwin, pastor of the Methodist Church, Norwood, after which the funeral procession wended its way to the Norwood cemetery where interment took place.

Mr. Keith Waters was home from Toronto for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. McCabe, of Peterborough, were New Year's guests at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. McDonnell.

Mrs. Cairns Conning spent Saturday in Peterborough.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashton Lillie, of Wallaceburgh, were guests on Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Ford.

Miss Mary Drope attended the wedding of her cousin, Miss Vera Drope, to Mr. Atkinson, on Tuesday, in Alnwick.

Mrs. Alf. Rogers was in Peterborough on Saturday.

Mrs. Mullen spent Saturday in Peterborough.

Mr. Leslie Waters, of Toronto, spent New Years with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Waters.

Mr. Roy Burgess, of Havelock, was in town on Friday.

Mrs. M. Nicol was in Peterborough on Saturday.

Mr. anad Mrs. Charlie King and family, of Stewart Valley, Sask., are visiting friends in Norwood and vicinity.

Mr. Richard Andrews was in Peterborough on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Marks were in Alnwick on Tuesday attending the Drope-Atkinson wedding.

Mr. T. Rahal spent Friday and Saturday in Peterborough.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Scott celebrated their golden wedding on Tuesday.

Mrs. W. Grady and children, of Peterborough, visited on New Year's Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McNichol.

Miss Kate Smith, of Toronto, visited Miss Mary McDonnell last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford, of Peterborough, spent New Year's Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Carberry.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Knight, of Toronto, were guests on Monday of Mr. and Mrs. John Weir.

On Friday evening at his home at Clarina, Mr. Robert Sampson Ivey passed away after an illness of several weeks.

The late Mr. Ivey, who was in his 80th year, had resided in Norwood for several years until a year ago, when he purchased the Robb farm near Stoney Lake and moved there.

He leaves to mourn his loss, his wife and three children, Hartley, Earl and Mabel.

The funeral took place on Sunday afternoon to the Norwood cemetery. Service was conducted in the Methodist Church, of which he had been a faithful member, by Rev. M. Irwin.

The sorrowing friends have the deepest sympathy of a large circle of friends and acquaintances, in their sore bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sherry, of Neepawa, were in town of Tuesday renewing acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Puffer spent Monday and Tuesday in Toronto at the home of the latter's father, Mr., Cobain.

Miss Annie Richardson spent New Year's Day with her brother, Mr. W. A. Richardson.

Miss H. MacLachlan returned to Toronto on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Puffer spent Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Puffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Campbell and children were guests at New Year's of Mrs. Campbell's sister, Mrs. T. Watson.

Mr. R. Davidson, of Peterborough, was a guest on Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. T. Finley.

Miss Watts, of Peterborough, spent the week-end with her sister, Miss Kathleen Watts.

On Thursday, Dec. 28th, Dr. Grant Cunningham, of Toronto, who has just returned from overseas, was married to Mis Scott, of Victoria Harbour. Dr. Cunningham is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham, formerly of Norwood.

Mr. and Mrs.. Hawken, of Toronto, visited the latter's sister, Mrs. D. N. King, this week.

Mrs. M. E. Knox, of Picton, was in town on Saturday.

Mr. Wm. Puffer is undergoing treatment in Nicholls Hospital, Peterborough.

Mr. Stanley Laing was in Peterborough on Monday.

Rev. Mr. Lord, of Toronto, took charge of the services in the Church of England on Sunday, as Rev. Noble is quite ill.

Miss Pearl Kelly, of Toronto, visited Mrs. Mullen this week.

Mr. and Mrs.. J. Lonergan, Toronto, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Lonergan.

Miss Margaret Nichol returned to Lindsay on Tuesday.

WARSAW NEWS

WARSAW, Jan. 4.—The marriage of Florence Helen Irene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Thompson, to John Freeman of Bobcaygeon, was solemnized on Wednesday, Dec 27th, at the home of the bride's parents, the Rev. R. D Clare officiating. The bride, who was unattended, looked very pretty in a gown of blue crepe. After the signing of the register by Miss Esther Thompson and Mr. Edward Payne, supper was served. The good wishes of many friends in the community followed the happy couple when they left later in the evening for their home in Bobcaygeon, the bride travelling in a grey tailored suit with hat to match.

Winter Meetings.

The winter series meeting of the Warsaw Women's Institute will be held on Saturday, Jan. 6th, at 2.30 p.m. and in the evening a joint meeting of the Farmers' and Womens' Institutes will be held in the town hall.

There is a large quantity of yarn on hand at the Women's Institute room which will be given out to anyone wishing to knit for local boys at the front, the socks to be forwarded through the Institute.

A hamper containing twenty-eight jars of fruit was sent to the Central Military Convalescent Home in Toronto from the Women's Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Spencer have left for their home in Carevale, Sask.

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ECLIPSE OF MOON ON JANUARY 8

There will be a total eclipse of the moon on January 8th. It will occur about two o'clock in the morning. The moon will begin to enter the umbra or deep shadow of the earth at about ten minutes to one, and will emerge entirely out of it at about half past four. The total time of the eclipse will thus be about four hours, during which at least part of the moon will be visible, except during the time given above for the total eclipse. If you wish to see the earth's shadow creep over the brilliantly illuminated disk of the full moon, begin your watch by one o'clock.

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NEW YORK, January 4.—Bankers associated with the management of allied finance in this country announced that in the last few weeks munitions contracts to the value of between $300,000,000 and $400,000,000 which might have been placed in the United States had been diverted to Canada and that contracts to the value of $100,000,000 which were already in American hands had been cancelled.

In making this statement the bankers referred pointedly to the coincidence of these things having occurred since the federal reserve board in the latter part of November issued its "warning" against placing with the commercial banks of the country an "unlimited" amount of British and French treasury bills.

The foregoing announcement will be of interest to local manufacturers engaged in the manufacture of munitions as it will mean that Peterborough together with every manufacturing centre in Canada, will share in the distribution of war contracts. A number of Peterborough men representing local industries have recently visited Ottawa with a view of presenting their claims for a share of the work.

1916 WEATHER FEATURED BY GREAT RAINFALL OF EARLY SPRING MONTHS

As the year 1916 has now passed into history, we give a few facts and figures regarding the weather conditions of the year, compiled from the register of the local weather observer.

The year was chiefly noted for the great rainfall of the early spring months and more particularly in May and June, which had the effect of seriously interfering with the seeding of crops in this section at least. We give in this table the total amount for each month of the year, as recorded for Peterboro:

January	2.98
February	1.97
March	2.76
April	2.70
May	3.78
June	3.95
July	2.09
August	1.29
September	2.21
October	3.68
November	3.91
December	1.70
Total for year 1916	31.97

This total is almost exactly the yearly average for this city. The month of June had 17 days rain, with a total for the month of almost four inches.

There were no very low readings of the thermometer during the year, the lowest being 18 degrees below zero on February 14th and 21st.

High temperatures were unusually large in number, July alone providing ten days with 90 degrees and over in the shade. The last half of July was unusually hot. The highest temperature during the whole summer, however, was on August 21st and 22nd, 99 degrees being officially registered on both of these days.

The first robins were heard (and seen) on March 28th. This date also saw the finish of the sleighing. The grass began to take on its greenish hue on April 29th. The maples were in full leaf by May 25th—a few days later than usual. The last freezing temperature in spring was April 19th; the first in the fall Sept. 30th.—W.P.

POLISH CHILDREN LIVE IN BARRELS

Terrible Destruction in War Swept Country Reported By Investigation

New York.—Miss Zofia Naimska, Morningside Drive, who several ago, went to Poland to investigate the conditions there, has returned to New York.

Miss Naimska spent five months in Poland, but before she was permitted to go into that country she had to wait these weeks in Copenhagen for the permission of the German Government, and when that was obtained she was conducted hurriedly through the German Empire without being permitted to stop over night at any one

Working in Poland, Miss Naimska made Cracow her headquarters. Every fourteen days she was compelled to apply for a new permit to prolong her stay, and had a great many other difficulties to overcome before she received permission to visit the Polish territory occupied by the German and Austrian armies.

On short trips between Cracow and Lublin, then occupied by the Austrian troops, she discovered pathetic conditions. Lublin, Miss Naimska said, is surrounded by ruined villages, while in many places she found whole populations wiped out by the typhus induced by bad food. Not far from Lublin she encountered an old man, who was the sole survivor of a large village. Outside Warsaw she saw peasants' children living in barrels. Other youngsters made their home in trenches which had been dug by their parents for the storage of potatoes. At Gorlice, in Galicia, were many children who had been injured by bombs. In the cemetery a bombardment had uprooted coffins and gravestones, and hurled them about in all directions.

Miss Naimska learned that by reason of the lack of food the death rate of Polish children since the beginning of the war has increased 60 per cent., and that epidemics had flourished unchecked. The Woman's League in Cracow, the largest organization of women in Poland, was compiling statistics of the orphans and deserted children, and also trying to trace the youngsters who had been sent to other countries, as well as to keep together the penniless mother and her children.

Miss Naimska returned to New York to raise funds for this league. She brought back an appeal to the women of America, which is signed by Princess Caroline Lubomirska and Countesses Zofia Tarnowska and Wladyslawowa Mycielska among other leading Polish women. The American branch of this league has been founded in this city, and Mrs. Satterlee has become treasurer. Checks may be sent to her at her home, 37 East Thirty-sixth street.

Monk Rasputin Slain By Nobles

DEATH OF CZAR'S COUNCELLOR HAS CAUSED GREAT SENSATION IN RUSSIA.

LONDON, Jan. 4.—The Morning newspapers in their Petrograd despatches feature stories of the reported death of Gregory Rasputin, the Russian monk, who, it has been reported, exercised great influence over Emperor Nicholas.

According to one story, two young aristocrats drove in an automobile the night of Friday-Saturday, to a house on Korokhovaya street, where a man, assumed to have been Rasputin, entered the car, which then went to Yussupoff Palace, which is owned by the young prince Yussupoff, aide to Emperor Nicholas.

Later, according to another version, the body of a murdered man, wrapped in a fur coat, was placed in an automobile. The aristocrats took seats in the car and drove to Petrosak Island, in the Neva. Investigation Saturday and Sunday led to the discovery of a freshly made hole in the ice, traces of blood and many footprints nearby. Divers descended into the river and found the body of Rasputin.

The names of the persons suspected as being concerned in the alleged murder are not printed but it is stated that young Prince Yussupoff after the events of the week-end quit Petrograd for his Crimean estates, but that he subsequently returned to the capital. Young Yussupoff is related to the imperial family by his marriage in 1914 to Irene, daughter of Grand Duke Alexander Mikhailovitch, and the Grand Duchess Xenia, sister of Emperor Nicholas.

Warburton To Lead the Van

Accepts Position As Organizer of Canada-wide Prohibition Move.

The prohibition forces are being organized for an onslaught on the Federal Government. Mr. George Warburton has accepted the leadership of the Dominion forces and representative men are being gathered together from all parts of the Dominion to meet Sir Robert Borden and the Cabinet Ministers at Ottawa next week. The Premier will be asked to prohibit the manufacture and importation of liquor in Canada. This is understood to be only a preliminary visit to the capital. It will be followed by a monster deputation if the assurances from the Premier are not satisfactory.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

All classes and clubs are open after the holiday season. An invitation is given to all girls to visit and join any class or club, or visit the rooms at any time.

In the following list will be found a few activities for the week:

Gymnasium—Mondays, 4.30 Senior School girls; Thursdays, 8.00, Advanced Class.

Gymnasium — Tuesdays and Fridays, 8 p.m., Beginners' Class.

Wednesday — Good Comrade Club.

Thursday — Loyalty Club.

Saturday — 10.00, Junior School Girls' Gymnasium; 2 p.m., Junior work.

If the rubber rollers of a wringing become sticky as if often the case after wringing flannels, rub them with a rag moistened with paraffin, wipe dry, and they will be equal to new.

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RUSSIA HAS MADE GREAT PROGRESS IN 1916--WHAT HAS BEEN ACCOMPLISHED

"No Vodka" Year Has Proven Boon to Millions of Peasants in Great Empire—Fewer Cases of Sickness—People Co operate With Government in Waging War.

By Wm. Philip Simms, United Press Staff Correspondent with the British forces on the Western front.)

Mr. Simms spent most of the year in Russia. This review, written after his return to Paris, is based upon his study of conditions while in Russia and upon information from his Russian news sources subsequent to his departure.

PARIS, Jan. 4.—(By Mail.)—Whatever Russia may do in the future, 1916 will be set down as one of the greatest years in her history. No period in all her national development has been more significant, not even the Sixties which marked the liberation of the Serfs. During 1916 the Russian people, the common people seem to have found themselves and their place in the Emipre. Their position may not as yet be very clearly defined but the future Russian students believe, will look after that.

Russia, in the last year, has accomplished much. She recovered from the blow Germany dealt her in East Prussia, Poland and Galicia. She completed building a brand new army in the field. She called to the colours another army twice as big, which she holds in readiness for any emergency, which the war may cause. She sent troops to France and to Saloniki, via Siberia and Vladivostock and another army she sent to help Roumania when that country joined up with the Allies.

In the meantime she resumed the offensive in Galicia and completely disrupted the Austrian armies there, taking well over half million prisoners. And in Asia Minor she waged a powerful campaign against the Turks beyond the Caucausus.

These are tremendous accomplishments when one remembers what Russia was up against in 1915, when she had, during the great retreat, but one shell a day per battery, to fire against the advancing Germans. The Minister of War judged responsible for the bulk of the army's misfortunes, M. Soukoomlinoff, was arrested in the spring of 1915 and placed in the Peter and Paul prison on an island in the Neva.

Prior to 1915 it was overflowing all the time having some 2,000 patients to care for as best it could. Now 1,000 beds have been sent to a military hospital because there are never more than 400 patients to care for.

This year saw the formation of a Central Committee to co-ordinate the work of all-Russian Zemstvo Union and the All-Russian Municipality Union, two organizations composed of Russian plain people banded together to help the Empire run the war.

A PEOPLE'S UNION.

Through this committee every man, woman and child was brought more or less directly into touch with the war and perhaps it has done more to make the war a "popular" war than any other movement. The Zemstvo Union, above all, is a people's concern and the Zemstvos have instructed the peasants and common people generally throughout Russia as to what the war means to them and the importance of carrying it on to a successful finish.

Each state in the United States is divided into counties. If each county had a board composed partly of farmers, partly of village merchants or other property-holders, there and partly of landowners, this board would correspond to the Russian Zemstvo board which is charged with road building, schools and hospitals of its district. It is easy to see the influence of a Zemstvo board on the ruarl population.

The Municipality Union is doing in the cities what the union of all the Zemstvos is doing in the country. These two peoples' associations during 1916 have made millions of garments for soldiers, enlisting the services of women all over the land; fed tens of thousands of refugees from the invaded districts; equipped and operated hundreds of hospitals, furnishing the necessary supplies themselves; establishing tea and coffee rooms for the free distribution of these beverages; aided the government feed the soldiers at the front; furnished labourers in many instances to dig trenches, build bridges, pontoons, etc.; and, in a general way, they have solidified the Russian Empire by having the people work with the soldiers for the common cause. This work was begun early in the war. In 1916 it made such headway that no one can dispute its magnitude to-day nor its probable influence on the Russia of the future.

MAKING MUNITIONS.

Similar to the Zemstvo and Municipality Unions in that it is an organization growing out of public spirit, is the committee which during 1916 mobilized the small industries of Russia to help the army with munitions. There are several large munition factories in Russia which deal direct with the War Department, but there are hundreds of little foundries, machine shops, mills and works of all sorts too small to do business of this sort alone. The committee grouped all these, put specialists in charge of district groups, and had them fill orders for the government. The little industries were thus grouped into one big industry by a committee of patriotic men who receive no pay for their service though, of course, the little shops are paid for whatever they supply the army.

Russia's own output of munitions more than quadrupled during 1916 through these and other expedients. The little concerns could not make great seige guns, of course, but they could and do make trench mortars, hand grenades, caissons, cannon wheels, hatchets, spades, the smaller shells and what not.

HELP POOR WOMEN.

Furthermore they have built tanneries for taking care of enormous quantities of Russian hides, built or enlarged factories for making the necessary tanning chemicals; built new boot and shoe factories and enlarged old ones to make footwear for the troops; established enormous repairing plants to redeem leaky and worn army boots. They employ scores of thousands of poor people, mostly women, thus giving material aid in time of need. Schools for mechanics, chauffeurs and other specialists are maintained to supply the army with experts and automobile repair shops are operated by the committee all along the front.

On the sea 1916 failed to bring to Russia any great victories. But also it brought no defeats. Beyond one mysterious fight in a fog in the Baltic, during which two German ships of medium tonnage and several destroyers were reported sunk; a dash into the Gulf of Finland against coast towns there, costing the Germans another three or four odd destroyers, naval aid to the Russian armies in Riga, and at Trebizond, in Asia Minor, not much more is known of Russia's maritime activities.

Diplomatic Events.

Diplomatically, two important events were registered during the year closing. Both directly effect the United States. One was the conclusion of a treaty between Russia and Japan binding these two countries together on all questions concerning the Far East; the second was Russia's refusal to conclude a commercial treaty with the United States replacing the one abrogated during President Taft's administration. Her refusal was not official, but refusal it was, nevertheless, her excuse being the undesirability of entering into commercial agreements with neutral nations until after the war, or at least until the Allies' trade agreement can be more definitely defined.

On the other hand, a project was broached for direct telegraphic communication between Russia and the United States, either by cable or wireless. Also permission has been given for the establishment of an American bank in Petrograd.

A decree prohibiting the importation of luxuries was promulgated during the war, three meatless days a week proclaimed, and other economic war measures put into force.

But so far as Russia is concerned, the real participation in the war by the common people was the big event. Through this participation the people are beginning to find themselves. The information of a Peasants' Party in the Duma, is significant of the new trend in Russia which made itself particularly manifest during the year now at its close. The subtle internal change in the Empire will make 1916 remembered when victories in the field shall have been forgotten.

"I will be one of the most talked of figures in town. So don't fail to make my acquaintance. I will tell you more about myself in a day or two.

J. C. O.

COAL DEALERS HAVE MADE HUGE PROFITS

AS MUCH AS $150 PROFIT UPON A CARLOAD OF COAL, PROBE DISCOVERS.

New York, Jan. 4.—The Federal food and coal price probers have discovered leads which indicate illegal manipulation, George W. Anderson Special Assistant Attorney-General, announced after meeting District Attorneys from Northern and Central Atlantic States.

"We have already good grounds for suspecting that the prevailing high prices, particularly in coal, are due to illegal acts," he said. "The failure of coal dealers to put consignments of coal on the market as rapidly as possible is suspicious in view of the prevailing prices.

"We have discovered that some of the dealers, in some instances, are making as high as $150 profit on each carload of coal."

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A. W. PASKINS, 233 Hunter St.
W. J. BYERS, Byersville.
D. B. NICHOLLS, 209 Stewart St.
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A. DAVIDSON, 133 Benson Ave.
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GOHEEN & MATCHETT, 196 Rubidge St.
DAWSON BROS., 559 George St.
F. DARLING, 521 George St.
E. J. McDONELL, 233 Lake St.
F. LYNCH, 465 Park St.
R. S. GOHEEN, 481 Aylmer St.

Omemee Items Of Interest

OMEMEE, Jan. 4.—Mr. and Mrs. W. Tressider, of Lindsay visited friends in this vicinity over the holiday.

Mr. Wm. Ivory of Toronto was in town last week attending the funeral of the late Samuel English.

Miss Olla Earle was a visitor to Peterborough on Saturday.

Mr. Stanley Laidley has returned to Kirkfield to resume his duties after a pleasant vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Laidley.

Mr. Robert Thompson of Toronto spent the week end with his parents, Dr. J. N. and Mrs. Thompson.

Mrs. Jos. Shields was in Peterborough on business Saturday.

Mrs. B. Rehill and sister, Miss Lula Balfour of Lindsay, spent New Years' at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Robert Balfour.

Mr. Charles Richards of Millbrook was in town on business during the past week.

Mrs. J. Weir was in Peterborough on business last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pogue of Lindsay, spent the holiday with friends in town.

Miss Bertha Nicholls, has returned to her school at Burnt River after spending a pleasant vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Nicholls.

Mr. B. McNeilie of Peterborough attended the funeral of the late Samuel English on Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Magee and daughter of Orillia spent the holiday with relatives in town.

Mr. Frank Ford of Peterborough spent New Year's Day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Ford.

Mr. Charles McCaffrey of Sudbury was in town last week renewing old acquaintances, the guest of his father, Mr. Charles McCaffrey Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Jamieson and daughter, were the guests of the former's sister in Peterborough on Sunday.

Miss Eva Fee has returned to resume her duties as school teacher near Orillia, after a pleasant vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Fee.

Mr. P. McGanhey of Lindsay spent the holiday at the home of his sister Mrs. Wilburt Fee.

Mr. J. Davidson was in Lindsay on business, during the past week.

Sir John and Lady Eaton and family spent New Years' at the home of Mrs. Eaton's parents, Mrs. J. MacCrea.

Misses A. and N. Rutherford were visitors to Peterborough on Saturday.

PARALYZED LIMBS.

To-day it is sleeplessness, headaches, digestive trouble, and irritability. Next thing you know some form of paralysis has developed. Mr. Alex. Hemmings, Moore Street, St. Catharines, Ont., writes: "Nervous trouble developed into paralysis of the limbs so that I became helpless. Doctors failed me, but after using ten boxes of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food I resumed work and now feel better than I did for twenty years."

FOR THE NEW YEAR

Your table will not be complete without a big bowl, generously filled with these jolly, bright, California Oranges. They should be plentiful. They possess the organic salts and acids that oranges contain to aid digestion, and bring the blood and tissue back to normal.

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A LARGE NUMBER ATTEND THE OPENING SESSION OF THE RED CROSS WORKERS' CAMPAIGN

Large Quantity of Supplies Needed For Immediate Use on the Battlefront Will Be Made Up and Forwarded--Workers May Take Work Home if They Are Unable to Remain at the Red Cross Rooms in the Public Library.

CAMPAIGN WILL LAST SIX WEEKS

Over one hundred and seventy-five people, nearly all of whom were workers, attended the opening session of the Red Cross Society campaign, which opened yesterday afternoon in the Public Library. The object of the campaign is to prepare for shipment a large quantity of supplies needed for immediate use on the battle front. The campaign will last for six weeks. Yesterday a great many people who were unable to stay took work home with them. A number of knitting machines and twelve sewing machines are on hand and will be used by the workers throughout the campaign. Supplies that are required for immediate use in France will be made up and forwarded as soon as they are ready. The call for workers is an urgent one and should meet with a ready response. Large quantities of materials are on hand ready for the workers who will make them up into various forms as required by the authorities. People who are unable to remain at the rooms of the Society at the Public Library may take work home with them. About forty have already done this.

Mrs. Matthews' Address.

A feature of yesterday's session was an address by Mrs. T. F. Matthews, who recently returned from a trip to England in company with Mrs. A. H. Stratton.

Mrs. John Allen, who occupied the chair, welcomed Mrs. Matthews back on behalf of the society, and hoped through her efforts the society would acquire new information which would give fresh zeal and enthusiasm to the workers.

Mrs. Matthews emphasized the need of meeting the growing responsibility of the war to the fullest measure in this, the third year. The society has shown all through that it is capable of using the money it receives and wants the sympathy of all women who can spare any time for the work—and who can't? Mrs. Matthews gave a detailed account of her trip. On arriving at the dock the party had a few minutes to spare, during which the first real touch of war she saw was a black boat laden with ammunition which slipped out at three or four in the morning. On the boat the party came over on there were many interesting people, Mrs. Herbourne, who was collecting for English Red Cross hospitals, Col. Lewis, who patented a machine gun which in his own country, the United States, had been turned down and then adopted by the English government. Mrs. Matthews was greatly interested in the way women were falling in to fill the places of absent heroes. Taxi drivers, train conductors, everywhere a woman could take up the work they had done. She had many interesting chats with Peterborough people. Amongst Claude Rogers was the first mentioned. Her party was shown through the hospital of which Dr. Huston was in charge. To this hospital four hundred wounded men are brought daily from France. The patients on being asked if they wanted to return to France, replied that it was not inclination, but a sense of duty which compelled them. She was struck by the cheerfulness of all and much interested in the way they employed their time, some doing fancy work as well as women. This is sold and half the proceeds devoted to buying new material, the other half reserved for the patient who worked it. She then described the Lord Mayor's procession, which her party saw, and in which the 93rd band took part. She called upon Mrs. Bell, formerly Miss Eva Denne at the hospital in which she is interested. Dr. Bell is at present in the firing line. The next Peterborough people interviewed were Col. and Mrs. Clegg. Then on to Folkestone, where she met Capt. Burnham, Major Rollins, Capt. Widdifield and many others. Here she heard a letter read from Lieut. Romeyn Stevenson describing a successful raid he led into the enemy's lines. At Robacks she met Capt. Fee, George Butcher, Arthur Graham and Bob Neil. The Canadian women there have fitted up clubs where the soldiers can read, write, etc., and a canteen where a splendid meal may be had for nine pence. From Folkestone, once a fashionable resort and of great historic interest, the troops are quietly conveyed across to France. Aeroplanes hover about to locate mines and submarines. The speaker met Dr. McPherson at the Bromley Hospital for Convalescents, and was asked to stay to tea at Orpington Hospital to meet Canon Davidson, who had just received orders to report in France. He sent kind remembrances to friends in Peterborough. She met Dr. Kelly, who was wounded while on duty. On inquiring why he did not wear the customary gold stripe given to those receiving wounds in discharging their duty, he answered that his wound was so petty in comparison with others he would not wear it.

Pleased With Response.

Mrs. Matthews met Lady Drummond, who expressed herself much pleased with the response the appeal for money for our prisoners had met. Peterborough has shipped for Red Cross purposes $500 for hot water bottles. One ship on which a great number of Red Cross supplies had been sent was lost, but was fully insured, as are all Red Cross supplies. The canteens in England are run methodically and well, mostly by voluntary aid, many titled persons being engaged in this. Mrs. Matthews was struck by the darkness of England. The daylight only lasted from 9.30 a.m. until 4 p.m. and from then on all windows and doors are darkened; even the sides of windows have green strips pasted down. Birmingham in particular was mentioned for darkness, is being the centre for munitions and the place where gas, which the Germans taught us how to use, is made, and is the aim of many Zeppelin raids. Everywhere she went Mrs. Matthews was reminded of the growing call for Red Cross work and supplies. Socks sent to the Red Cross are given to the soldiers, of whom a great number go back to the firing line, so we are really working for two causes, Red Cross and the trenches. The call is not only in England and France, but out here, for supplies, and we must care for our boys on returning. Mrs. Matthews met Mrs. Parker, a social service worker from the States, who was in England to study the women's work problem so that the United States might take pattern and be prepared.

Mrs. Allen, on behalf of the Society, thanked Mrs. Matthews again for coming to speak, and made an appeal for the women to continue to lend their aid in making up the $2,000 worth of material which is still waiting in the basement of the Library.

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For the remainder of this week we are offering large reductions in all lines of boys' and girls' hats. As our reputation, in this particular department, is well-known, you are assured of getting absolutely new and high-class goods, at genuine bargains.

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An Army Scandal Is Uncovered

(Continued from Page 5.)

Thomas Reports Untrue.

The court also investigated reports that General Owen Thomas, who took a prominent part in recruiting in Wales, was transferred from the command of a Welsh brigade to a lesser command through Mrs. Cornwallis-West's influence. This proved to be unfounded; but due "to an unfortunate sequence of events and the ambiguous wording of certain official letters."

The report says that Colonel Wynne Edwards reflected on Gen. Thomas, who is a brigade commander, in a letter to Mrs. Cornwallis-West "with the apparent object of exalting his own qualifications for post of same."

Mrs. Cornwallis-West sent the letter to General Cowans, with a postscript which he forwarded to Lieut.-General Sir Wm. Pitcairn Campbell of the War Office, advising him to keep an eye on Edwards and expressing high opinion of him.

Lord French's Letter.

The report calls attention to the fact that it is contrary to the regulations for a War Office official to enter into private correspondence on official matters, and also says:

"Regret is expressed that a letter sent by Lord French to the War Office was so ambiguously worded as to be capable of misconstruction. In any case, a portion of the letter was in the nature of an adverse report on Brigadier-General Owen Thomas, and should have been communicated to that officer at that time. It is also regarded as unfortunate that Lord French should have concurred in the terms of the War Office letter of July 29 to Brigadier-General Thomas, which letter must have confirmed the latter's suspicion of sinister influence."

When making a jam roly polly, instead of boiling in a cloth or basin, insert in a two pound jam jar, covered with a saucer, and put in a pan of boiling water, half way up the jar. This turns out beautifully and can be cut in slices like a jam roll.

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New Year Presents that look well and WEAR well are a source of lasting satisfaction to the giver as well as to the recipient.

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COMPANIES CONCERNED IN THE LOSS OF QUAKER OATS PLANT

Insurance Placed in the Various Companies Range All the Way From $176,500 to $5,000—Lloyd's, London, Among the Biggest Losers.

The insurance on the Quaker Oats Company's plant, included Lloyd's London, Underwriters $176,500; Hamilton, New York, $60,000; Dixie, Greensboro, N.C., $12,500; American Lloyd's, New York, $80,000; United States Underwriters, New York, $40,000; Stuyvesant, New York, $30,000; Provincial, $30,000; Northwestern National, Milwaukee, $25,000; Great Western Lloyd's, New York, $40,000; National of Great Britain, $50,000; Colonial Assurance Company, New York, $25,000; National of Paris, $21,000; Union Underwriters, New York, $45,000; Fine Arts and General, London, $22,500; North River, New York, $25,000; North Empire, $20,000; British Crown, London, $23,000; Ohio Millers Mutual, $20,000; United States, New York, $20,000; Norwegian Underwriters, $17,500; Factory Underwriters, Toronto $10,000; Hand-in-Hand, Toronto, $10,000; Canadian Millers, $15,000; Dominion Fire, Toronto, $10,000; Anglo-American, Toronto, $10,000; Millers and Manufacturers, Toronto, $10,000; London and Lancashire, $65,000; British Dominions, $25,000; North River, New York, $10,000; Lumber Underwriters, New York, $10,000; Liverpool and London and Globe, $26,000; Mount Royal, $13,500; National Union, $23,000; State of Pennsylvania, $10,000; New York Fire and Marine Underwriters, $15,000; Sun of London, $12,500; Pennsylvania Mutual, $10,000; Glens Falls, $10,000; New York and Boston Lloyd's, $17,500; National Underwriters of America, $30,000; Pacific, New York, $7,500; Merchants, New York, $7,000; Wellington, Galt, $5,000; Millers and Manufacturers, Toronto, $5,000; Merchants Fire, Toronto, $4,000; Monarch, Ontario. $2,500; North Empire, Winnipeg, $5,000; National Ben Franklin, $5,000; Economical, Ontario, $2,500; Stuyvesant, $10,000; Excess, London, $5,000; Cornhill, $5,000; Factory, Toronto, $5,000; Western Millers Mutual, $7,500; Millers Mutual, $7,500; National F. and M., Elisabeth, $5,000; Central Manufacturers Mutual, Ohio, $5,000.

REFRESHMENT BOOTH AT BROCK ST. RINK

Mr. Tom Dawson Will sell Hot Drinks, Sandwiches etc.

An innovation that will no doubt be appreciated has been started at the Brock Street Rink. Mr. Tom Dawson has opened a refreshment booth that will be well stocked with confectionery, gum, laces, hot drinks sandwiches, etc. Most up-to-date rinks have booths of this nature and the patrons of the rink will no doubt be glad on a cold night to avail themselves of the opportunity for a hot drink, either skating nights or at hockey matches.

DAVY CROCKETT AT THE EMPIRE

Dustin Farnum and a Strong Company in a Grand Picture.

The story of the great frontier Indian fighter who loved as he fought—with all his might and won what he sought in spite of all obstacles, even the daughter of his aristocratic neighbor, Col. Vaughn.

Across a rugged background of frontier life is woven this sweetest love story of stalwart Davy Crockett and dainty Eleanor Vaughn. She dances beside him when he visits his traps, learns from him the art of woodcraft, and in turn reads to him masterpieces of literature, particularly his favorite hero, Lochinvar.

Eleanor goes to England to be educated; returning, her father dies at sea. His vast estate is under the control of Col. Royston, who through a weakness for gambling, has committed forgery and involved the Vaughn estate to Oscar Crampton, a professional gambler. To save himself Royston is pledged to accomplish the marriage of Eleanor to Oscar Crampton's nephew, Neil.

Eleanor walks blindly into the net and Davy looks on sore at heart. Eleanor's awakening begins when she is lost in the mountains with Neil, and snowbound in a deserted cabin. Davy discovers them and while Neil shows a craven spirit of fear, Davy thrusts his arm through the cleats in the door and holds it all night against the onslaught of a pack of wolves.

The grand finale comes when Davy emulates his hero, Lochinvar, and carries Eleanor away fro mthe altar, a willing captive.

Davy Crockett .....Dustin Farnum
Eleanor Vaughn ..Winifred Kingston
James Vaughn .....Henry DeVere
Hector Royston .....Herbert Standing
Oscar Crampton .....Ogden Crane
Neil Crampton .....Page Peters
Mrs. Crockett...Lydia Yeamans Titus
Eleanor's Aunt ..Helen Marlborough

There is also a good comedy and on Friday and Saturday we show an extra in Mutt and Jeff.

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A Genuine Sale

Herb. King With Swift and Co.

The many friends of Mr. Herbert King, who was in Peterborough during the summer months, recuperating, will be very pleased to hear that he has taken charge of the Butter and Egg Department of Swift and Company, South Water Street, Chicago, Ill. Mr. King, who is an old Peterborough boy, has an excellent voice, and entertained his friends on numerous occasions while in the city. The following is taken from the New York Produce News:

Chicago, Dec. 23.—Herbert King, well known to the trade, started this week in charge of the butter and egg department of Swift and Co.'s South Water street house. Mr. King was for many years with Earl Bros. and later with M. L. Brown and Co. He is probably one of the best known figures in the butter business. Buttermakers and shippers know Mr. King for his unusually fine voice with which he has entertained many conventions. He expects to do a big business for Swift and Co.

A Good Start For New Year

As New Year looms up, we start out right with fresh assortable Groceries, Fruits and Table Delicacies at prices to attract your trade—

Fresh Dairy Butter lb. 44c
Mince Meat New Prunes
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Huntley & Palmers Biscuits
Crosse & Blackwells
Lucca Oil Olives
Pure Calves Feet Jelly
Honey Oranges
Uncolored Japan Tea
lb. 28c

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93rd Deserter Held On Several Charges

A deserter from the 93rd Battalion was rounded up at the C.P.R. station last night and was remanded for a week in police court this morning. He faces three charges—of desertion, of stealing a ride on the C.P.R., and of being drunk in a public place. He was held in the baggage car of the early morning train from Toronto, and handed over to the police here. He was one of the few recruits who disappeared shortly before the Battalion left for camp, last Spring, and the police state that he has been in Toronto during the summer and fall.

WANTED
Tool Makers and Machinists, highest wages paid. Interested parties correspond immediately to—Peterboro Metal Products, City.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

TORONTO, Jan. 4.—Live stock receipts 81's, trade steady. Hogs, fed and watered, $12.50 to $12.60; off cars, $12.75; f.o.b., $11.90.

CASH BONUS TO EMPLOYEES

Peterboro' Representatives of the Prudential Insurance Co. Participate in New Year's Gift.

The Prudential Insurance Co. of America has made the New Year of 1917 cheerier for its field force and home office employees by making a substantial cash New Year's present to the assistant superintendents and agents among their 16,000 employees in the field in the United States and Canada.

They have also informed their assistant superintendents and agents that an increase in salary will be granted to them beginning with the first week in January, and also a bonus will be awarded them for the last three months of 1916.

The above company is one of the gigantic companies doing business in the United States and Canada, and they have been very successful in the loyalty of their field force. This is only another recognition of work well done. The agents in the Peterborough District are well known to the people of Peterborough and who, no doubt, will be glad to hear the good news.

S. A. NOTES

The holiday season has been an exceptionally busy one in both Senior and Junior circles of the Salvation Army. At the three Sunday schools about 600 were served. The poor families of the city were not forgotten by any means. The Temple Band in their serenading effort got a splendid response for which they are very thankful. Brigadier Southall's visit was one of special interest indeed, and was very much enjoyed by large crowds. The financial statement given by Adj. McElhiney on Monday night showed the Corps in the healthiest condition in its history.

The gathering for new sehts goes on apace, having been halted a bit by the holiday season. The seats will be here soon and will be much more comfortable than the present ones.

Notwithstanding about 90, have enlisted from the soldiers or adherents roll to fight for their country, the work of the Salvation Army goes on. Adj. and Mrs. McElhiney, and local officers are very thankful to the public at large for their hearty support in every way, and will do their best in 1917 to merit confidence bestowed.

A Growing Year For Porter S. White

The excellent connection which the grocery firm of Porter-White has made in city and country was well retained during 1916. Notwithstanding the change which was recently made in the location of this store, by removing to allow the Bank of Ottawa suitable quarters in their old established stand. Their customers have followed them faithfully and indeed new customers have been attracted to the store in considerable numbers. The business of this store last year was the largest and most satisfactory it ever received, being an evidence that the service, quality and prices have made good in swelling the year's growth in trade.

Millinery Bargains

Ladies' newest velvet hat shapes, only 99c

Shapes in black and colors, regular values up to $3.00, only 99c

LADIES' TRIMMED HATS $2.49

A table of very desirable trimmed Hats at about half price, choice for..... $2.49

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The Bargains Offered For Friday and Saturday Are All Exceptional Value

STRIPE FLANNELETTES, 12½c
Heavy stripe flannelettes in wide width and best washing qualities, both dark and light colourings to choose from. Worth to-day 17c. Friday and Saturday 12½c

GRAY WOOL BLANKETS AT OLD PRICES
Heavy wool blankets in nice clear grays with black borders, in 6, 6½ and 7-lb. weights, at 25 per cent less than present prices. Friday and Saturday ..... $6.50, $7.00 and 7.75

WOMEN'S SWEATER COATS, $4.50 TO $5.95
Made of best imported yarns and old guaranteed dyes, in plain or combination colours. Sizes 36 to 44. Prices range ..... $4.50, $5.00 and 5.95

WOMEN'S WOOL HOSE, 19c
Women's heavy wool hose, made of best wearing yarns, in 9½ size only. Worth to-day 30c. Friday and Saturday to clear 19c

$15.00 WOMEN'S COATS, $9.95
Women's coats, made of plain black kersey, fancy tweeds and curl cloths, with or without belts. A general clean up of odd lines that were up to $15.00. Friday and Saturday..... 9.95

PLAID BATH ROBE MATERIALS, $2.25
Heavy wool plaids in scarlet and black, and royal and black, 72 inches wide, suitable for men's bath robes, women's kimonas or robe linings. Worth to-day $4.00 yard. Friday and Saturday 2.25

FLANNELETTE GOWNS ONLY $1.00
Women's gowns, made of good quality white flannelette, trimmed with frill of self, in pull-over or Mother Hubbard style. All lengths. Friday and Saturday 1.00

OVERALL APRONS ONLY 50c
Women's allover aprons, made of best washing prints, in stripes or small floral effect, 50 to 54 inches long and belt across back. Worth to-day 75c. Friday and Saturday 50c

36-INCH HABUTAI WASH SILK, 75c
Habutai wash silk, 36 inches wide, in white, maize, flesh, green, Alice and pale blue. Only 75c

BLACK PAILETTE SILK, $1.00
As an extra special in a black silk for Friday and Saturday we will offer a full 36-inch line in heavy Pailette with high lustrous finish at, per yard 1.00

Partial List of Friday and Saturday
Basement Bargains

BROOMS, 50c
This is one of our best grades, are full length and weight, and made of good corn, 4 strings. Not more than 2 to a customer. Friday and Saturday Bargain 50c

WHITE ENAMEL WATER PAILS, 69c
14-quart size white enamel water pail. Enamelled both on inside and outside. Regular 98c. Friday and Saturday Bargain 69c

GREY GRANITE DISH PANS, 48c
Grey granite dish pans with side handles. 14-quart size. Friday and Saturday Bargain 48c

GRANITE DOUBLE BOILERS, 48c
Double boilers in grey granite, useful for cooking rice or porridge or heating milk. Friday and Saturday Bargain..... 48c

ELECTRIC IRONS, $3.55
One of the newest and most reliable makes. A model that does not get easily out of order. Friday and Saturday Bargain 3.55

OIL STOVE, $1.25
"Hot Blast" oil stove, two burners, complete with wicks. Can be used for heating bath room or bedroom. Or for boiling kettle. Friday and Saturday Bargain 1.25

SNOW SHOVELS, 19c
Children's snow shovels, in either wood or metal. Good strong handles. Friday and Saturday Bargain..... 19c

CUT GLASS TUMBLERS, 95c DOZEN
Light cutting in pin wheel design. Thin glass tumblers. Very neat and dainty. Friday and Saturday Bargain, dozen.... 95c

Partial List of Friday and Saturday
Home Furnishing Bargains

WINDOW SHADES, 49c
Window shades, 37 x 72 inches, in white, cream and green. With lace insertion. Friday and Saturday Bargain..... 49c

COCOA DOOR MATS, 39c
Cocoa door mats, made of best cocoa fibre. Regular 50c. Friday and Saturday Bargain 39c

LACE CURTAIN NETS, 5 YARDS 75c
White and ecru fish curtain nets, scalloped border, in different designs. Friday and Saturday Bargain.....5 yards 75c

WHITE ENAMEL BED, COMPLETE $8.39
With bed, spring and mattress. Heavy continuous posts, large fillers, best baked white enamel. Brass trimmings. Strong serviceable steel spring. Mattress well stitched. Covered with good quality ticking. Friday and Saturday Bargain..... 8.39

CARPET SAMPLES, 69c
1½ yards long, in bright attractive colours. Will make excellent rugs. Have fringe to match extra. Regular $1.15. Friday and Saturday Bargains..... 69c

BRASS CURTAIN RODS, 3 FOR 25c
Brass curtain rods with white metal ends, suitable for ordinary windows. Friday and Saturday Bargain.....3 for 25c

SLEIGHS, $1.29
Flexible flyers, good size. Easy working steering gear. Only 15 left to close out. Friday and Saturday Bargain..... 1.29

SLEIGHS, 49c
Girls' high sleigh, strong and durable. Assorted colours. To clase out at Bargain. Friday and Saturday..... 49c

DEFENSIVE CONSCRIPTION THE ONLY WAY SAYS MAJ. O'GORMAN

Returned Chaplain Thinks Best Plan is to First Call Out Unmarried Eligibles Between 18 and 45

"When a Canadian has lived for a time in countries where a defensive conscription is in force, he gradually comes to the conclusion that it is the only way, and by far the fairest way, to conduct a war which decides the whole future of the state."

These are the words of Major (Rev.) John O'Gorman, of Ottawa, who recently returned wounded from the front, in a statement just given out.

"The first thing which strikes one who has just returned from overseas," said Father O'Gorman, "is the extraordinary number of young men in civilian clothes in Canada, compared with France or Great Britain.

"At the present moment it appears to me the best plan is to apply the Militia Act and call the eligible unmarried men, between the ages of 18 and 45 for six months active service in Canada. The eligible married men could be called out, in a similar manner later on. The national registration ought to assist materially in deciding those who on account of important duties should be exempted. The people of Canada, and of every part of Canada, would support heartily such a plan.

"Two very valuable assets should result. First, the whole manhood of Canada would be trained, and thus capable of defending Canada, if and when necessary. Secondly, a vast number of those putting in this six months active service in Canada would enlist when they realised their position, for service overseas; they would do so, not as a result of cajolery or coercion, but quite willingly as a result of conscientious patriotism.

"Meanwhile, why should not our young men, who cannot see their way clear at present to go overseas, join a local militia regiment. It would be a step in the right direction; and if they were never able, for a valid reason, to make a further step, they would be respected all the more for having at least joined the militia.

"If I have the right to address any young man I would say to him: If you cannot enlist for service overseas, then this very week sign the national registration card, and join the militia. If, on the other hand, you can join the heroes of Courcelette, do so with out delay. If you want a motto from Holy Writ, why not take this one: "Far be it from me to spare my life in all this time of trouble; for I am not better than my brethren.'"

United States War Profits Reach Total of $5,000,000,000

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 3. — Uncle Sam, balancing his books for the calendar year 1916 finds the European war has netted him up to date about five billion dollars.

He opens up a new set of books for 1917 with the prospect of swelling his colossal war profits to even more stupendous proportion if the war lasts another year and trade with the belligerents continues brisk.

The excess of American exports over imports known as balance of trade, since the war began, in August, 1914, amounts to $5,200,422,201. How the war has brought business to the United States is graphically set forth in the following table of exports and balance of trade:

Year.	Exports.	Balance of trade.
1912 . . .	$2,299,217,993	$ 581,144,938
1913 . . .	2,484,018,292	691,421,812
1914 . . .	2,113,624,050	324,348,049
1915 . . .	3,554,670,847	1,776,074,152
1916 . . .	5,480,000,000	3,100,000,000

Corner on Gold Supply.

Your Uncle Samuel has become within two years and a half the greatest merchant and producer on earth, and also the world's banker. He has a corner on the gold supply and is trying to devise ways and means of stemming the flow of the metal to these shores.

Analysis of the figures on exports shows that more than 90 per cent. of the increased trade of the United States since the war began is in supplies directly or indirectly required for the support of the military and naval forces of the belligerents, which means the entente allies, for the central powers are cut off from commercial intercourse with America.

In the last twelve months the United States rolled up a volume of foreign trade valued at $8,000,000,000, an increase of $2,000,000,000 over last year. The balance of trade this year is ten times greater than in 1914, the first year of the war.

Materials Exported.

During the first twenty-seven months of the war, which ended Nov. 1, the United States exported goods of all kinds to the value of $8,202,600,000. Of this amount $168,460,600 was in ammunition and firearms. Other materials mainly for war purposes were exported during that time as follows:

Horses and mules	$ 200,400,000
Brass and brass manufactures	285,466,600
Commercial automobiles.	106,500,000
Aeroplanes and parts . . .	8,500,000
Barbed wire	41,400,000
Horseshoes	4,300,000
Lead and lead manufactures	27,200,000
Men's boots and shoes .	58,400,000
Harness and saddles . . .	28,200,000
Wool wearing apparel. .	29,400,000
Other wool manufactures	51,100,000
Zinc manufactures. . . .	83,500,000

Difference in Tariff.

The value of the cartridges exported is given at $75,145,143; gunpowder, $283,796,867; other explosives, $413,064,404; firearms, $48,545,324. The monthly exports of gunpowder grew from $16,821 in August, 1914, the first month of the war, to $29,187,936 in June, 1916.

The value of cartridge exports has increased every month since the war began, starting with $164,069 in August, 1914, and reaching $6,448,881 in October, 1916. Exports of explosives other than gunpowder have grown from $26,336 in August, 1914, to $42,293,211 in September, 1916. Last September was the largest month for exports of firearms since the war began, the total being $9,259,263. The first month of the war the firearms shipments totaled $208,644.

During the last year of the Republican tariff law, according to the figures of the department of commerce, 55 per cent. of the imports were admitted free of duty, but under the present Democratic tariff law during 1916 between 66 and 67 per cent. came in without payment of any duty. Although the imports to the United States have grown from $1,792,596,480 in 1913, the last year of the Payne-Aldrich tariff, to $2,360,000,000 in 1916, the revenue derived from duties has dropped from $387,868,193 in 1913 to $183,533,475 in 1916.

Exports Continue to Grow.

Exports continue on the increase according to the latest reports received by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce. "Exports for November," says an official report, "were the largest on record, exceeding those for September by $8,000,000. The total for November is $517,980,000. The total for the eleven months ended with November was $4,961,200,000, against $3,195,400,000 for the same period of 1915 and $2,200,800,000 in 1913, which was the largest in normal years."

The imports for November, 1916, exceeded by 25 per cent. the November averages for the years 1911 to 1915.

ONLY SEVEN SERVICE CARDS REFUSED IN ONE LARGE DISTRICT

The National Service cards are being returned with great success. Only a very small percentage have not returned their cards to the collectors when called for. In one district all cards are returned but seven, showing that a very large majority of the people are co-operating with the Post Office in this great work.

You are reminded that all cards not returned, the party to whom delivered or intended for, will be reported to Ottawa as refusing to sign.

Tomorrow (Friday) collection will be in the west district, composed of Charlotte street, Park street, and west from Wolfe street to Smith street.

Please assist the collectors by having your card ready.

FORTY YEARS IN SOLITARY CELL

Inhuman Punishment Inflicted in California Prison.

BOSTON, Jan. 4.—A request that Jesse Pomeroy, who has served forty years of a life sentence of solitary confinement at the state prison, be given privileges similar to those accorded other prisoners, was made in a petition to Governor McCall and the executive council by District Attorney Pelletier.

The boy of 14 years was too young for immediate execution, caged in for forty years, he had been spared to become the only example in this nation of a prisoner being inhumanly treated and slowly done to death or insanity," the district attorney wrote. "He is human, sane, his record under awful punishment has been good; why fear to make him a prisoner under life sentence like any other?"

Birth of Nation Will Be Followed By New "Intolerance"

The Birth of a Nation Company that spent the first three days of the year in Peterborough will be taken in off the road on Saturday. Another company playing in Eastern Canada will continue its itinerary to Halifax and then jump to New York. There are about ten or twelve companies in the United States which will gradually close. Some of them, in fact, are already closed up, to be followed by David W. Griffith's magnificent spectacle "Intolerance," which is expected to reach Peterborough probably in February. The New York papers have described this Griffith successor to "The Birth of a Nation" as a wonderful series of films with a big lesson behind their sequent stories. The music has been arranged and some of it written by Mr. Carl Brell, who also did "The Birth of a Nation" music.

E. B. CLEGG & CO.

Great January Furniture Sale.
10 to 25 per cent. reduction on all furniture; bedroom furniture in delightful design at surprisingly low prices. See our show window, 420 George street, for dining-room furniture and pictures. E. B. CLEGG & Co., 427 George street.

Writ For $2,000 A Month Against Cawthra Mulock

Special to The Examiner.

TORONTO, Jan. 4.—Toronto Society and General Circles were shocked to-day when a writ demanding two thousand dollars monthly alimony was issued by Mrs. Cawthra Mulock, against her husband, who was left eight million a few years ago from his Grand Aunt. Mrs. Mulock is the daughter of Chief Justice Falconbridge and Cawthra Mulock the son of Chief Justice Mulock.

Wadsworth Bill Passes

Special to The Examiner:

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—The House to-day passed the Wadsworth bill authorizing Secretary of War to grant to water power users the entire 20,000 feet of water a second divertible by the United States from Niagara River under the Canadian treaty. The bill has passed the Senate and will go to conference so the amendments may be straightened out.

Lakefield News

Mr. Holton J. Madill of Belleville spent Christmas at his home in the village.

Miss Traill, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Atwood, at Ashelworth for the past month, left on Friday to spend the remainder of the winter in Peterborough.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Bogue and Miss Mila are in the village visiting Mrs. Bogue's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Attord.

Mrs. Reginald Barlow of Toronto spent New Year's Day in the village, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Sawyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Watson of Detroit, are in the village visiting Mr. Watson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Watson.

Miss Winnifred Mackenzie and Master Kenneth Mackenzie were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton, at Ashburn, on Wednesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Flynn of Smith's Falls, spent a few days last week in the Village, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Crawford.

Miss C. Clementi of Peterborough was the guest of Mrs. Marling over the holiday.

Miss Louise Brown of Toronto University, is spending the holiday at her home in the village.

Mrs. Harold Kidd and daughter of Toronto are guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kidd.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Nicholls and children of Smith were guests of Mr. Thos. Simpson for a few days last week.

Miss C. Everett of Norwood is spending the Christmas vacation at her home in the village.

Mr. Stuart E. Fraser of Chicago, Ill., is spending the Christmas vacation at his home in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery of Stirling, Ont., are in the village the guests of Mrs. J. M. Bygott.

Miss Lelia Patterick, Peterborough is spending the Christmas vacation at her home in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gilman left last week for Toronto, where they will spend a month.

Mrs. Dan Morin of Whitefish, Ont., spent a few days last week visiting friends in the village.

Miss Helen Brown of Lindsay is the guest of her sister, Mrs. G. W. Barrett.

Mrs. Thos. Hochaday of Young's Point, spent a few days last week in the village, visiting her daughters, Mrs. W. Wannamaker and Mrs. Roy Kidd.

Mrs. D. Sloan of Peterborough spent a few days last week in the village, visiting Mrs. F. J. Tate.

Mr. Arthur Murdoff of the Royal Bank staff, Hamilton, spent Christmas at his home in the village.

Mr. Leo Garvey of Assumption College, Sandwich, Ont., is spending the Christmas vacation at his home in the village.

The annual contribution of the pupils and teachers of the Lakefield Continuation and Public Schools, in aid of the Sick Children's Hospital, Toronto, amounted to $6.50.

Gunner H. G. Simpson, who has received his honourable discharge as being unfit for further military service, has arrived on a visit to his home in the village. Mr. Simpson went overseas about a year ago with a draft from the 34th Battery of Kingston, and after training for a short time in England, was sent to France, here he had only been a few weeks when he contracted pleurisy and was obliged to return to England, and spent five months in a hospital. He will spend a few months here before resuming work in the Royal Bank.

The Soldiers' Comfort Club will resume its regular meeting on Friday afternoon. The Club shipped to Toronto on Dec. 19th the following articles: 54 pairs of socks, 155 trench caps, 16 scarves, 3 pairs hospital socks and 13 gauze shirts.

The A.Y.P.A. shower, held on Tuesday evening last, for the returned soldiers in the Gravenhurst Sanitarium, was a great success. Two large boxes were shipped on Wednesday, containing magazines, books, 75 packages of cigarettes, 23 packages of tobacco, 5 plugs of tobacco, 1 tin of tobacco, 4 packages of cigarette paper, 4 packages of gum, 4 trench caps, 1 box note paper, 1 pad of note paper, 3 boxes of candy, 4 packages of cards, 4 games and 2 cakes of compressed chocolate.

A campaign to curb the practice of watering milk has been instituted by the agricultural bureau of Attorney-General Woodbury's office at Albany, N.Y.

Millbrook Sunday School Anniversary Was A Success

Event Wound Up With a Big Entertainment on Monday Evening—Rev. C. E. Cragg, B.D., Preached the Anniversary Sermons.

MILLBROOK, Jan. 4.—The Millbrook Methodist Sunday School held its anniversary services on Sunday last, and its annual concert on New Years' night. The services on Sunday morning and evening were conducted by Rev. Chas. E. Cragg, B.D., of Grace Church, Napanee, and his eloquent discourses were listened to with close attention by very large congregations. During the afternoon session Mr. Cragg addressed the Sunday School as also did Rev. W. H. Higgs. The prizes were distributed to those who were regular attendants throughout the year and for memorizing Scripture verses. Special music by the choir and a solo by Miss Colwell added interest to the specially attractive services. The Sunday School orchestra, under the able leadership of Mr. G. E. Burnham, rendered appropriate music for the afternoon service.

THE CONCERT.

The concert on Monday evening was a grand success both as to programme and financially. The little tots were well trained and their motion songs were well given. Great credit is due Master Jack Byam, Alfred Higgs, Lawrence Winslow, Earnest Burnham, and little Miss Jean Burnham for their splendidly rendered songs, recitations and dialogues. Prof. Staples and Mr. Jas. Williams sang several solos, and also in duet, and their singing was a real treat. Miss Guite, elocutionist, gave several recitations, which were greatly enjoyed by the audience. Mr. Fred Fallis was chairman. The Sunday School orchestra gave several numbers, adding greatly to the delightful programme.

The Superintendent, teachers, officers and other members of the school have reason to be pleased with the success of their anniversary services and entertainment. The proceeds of which amounted to $106.

PERSONALS.

Mr. W. Cameron of Toronto, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nattrass over New Years.

Miss Calwell of Tyrone, is visiting Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Higgs.

Mrs. Martin of Hamilton was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sayles last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bateson of Warkworth spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Rafer.

Miss Carrie Trembeth, of Little Britton, is a guest of her cousin, Miss E. Gillott.

Mr. R. H. Kells of Toronto, visited friends in town over Sunday.

Mr. C. W. Richards attended the funeral of the late Mr. Sam English of Peterborough who was buried in Omemee on Friday.

Mr. Howard Handly, of Cobalt was home for the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Blakely visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Williamson last week.

Miss Eva Outram, Peterborough, was a guest at the home of her friend, Miss Ella Elsom.

Mr. H. L. Burnham was a visitor to Peterborough Saturday.

Mrs. J. A. Wilson and Miss Hazel Wilson, Port Hope were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Richards over New Year's.

Mr. Reuben McNeish visited friends in town last week.

Mrs. O. W. Williamson went to Lindsay on Thursday last to see her brother, Mr. Harold Harner who is ill with pneumonia.

Miss Ella Staples, Bethany, was in town Monday.

Miss Anna Williamson, of Toronto, was a guest of her brother, Mr. W. B. Williamson over the holiday.

Mrs. M. Brock was in Peterborough Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Johnston, Oxbow, Sask., are visiting their many friends in town.

Mrs. E. H. Edmunds visited friends in Port Hope this week.

Miss N. Hetherington was in Peterborough Saturday.

Mr. O. J. Henderson, Bowmanville was a visitor to Millbrook Tuesday.

Mr. Allie Payne of Toronto, spent New Year's with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Payne.

Mrs. F. Rowan, Omemee was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Williamson last week.

Mr. Percy Handly of Hamilton spent the holidays with his parents in town.

Miss Hazel Jones of Peterborough is spending the holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Brown.

Mr. Ross Edmunds and bride were guests of Bearerton friends over the holiday.

Miss L. Brock was home for New Year's.

Mr. Williams of Calgary, was a New Year's visitor at the home of Mr. John Gardiner.

Master Alvin Armstrong of Ida, spent the holiday week with his cousins Morris and Austin Williamson.

Dr. and Mrs. Whyte, Port Hope, spent Sunday with their Millbrook friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Armstrong and children and Mr. and Mrs. D. Armstrong were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. Deyell, South Monaghan for New Year's.

Miss Ida Lord, of Toronto spent the holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Lord.

Died—In Millbrook, on Tuesday, January 12, 1917, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Raper.

MILLBROOK, Jan. 4—On Monday evening next the Rev. Joseph Wilkes will tell the story of his experiences in mission work in Africa. Mr. Wilkes has travelled extensively and has many interesting curios to show as well as varied experiences to relate.

Corp. Stewart Wounded.

From Ottawa, Jan. 1st, 1917, to Mrs. Elizabeth Stewart, Millbrook:

Sincerely regret to inform you A 4219, Corporal Hiram Lyman Stewart, infantry, officially reported wounded, Oct. 8th, 1916. Will send further particulars when received.

Late C. C. Shaw.

The death of Cecil Clifford Shaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shaw, took place last week, after an illness of over two years, from diabetes. He had been able to go about until Wednesday evening. All that medical aid could do was done for the sufferer. He was a bright boy of 10 years and had made many warm friends since coming to Millbrook, five years ago. He was a member of the Methodist Sunday School. The funeral to Emily cemetery, on Saturday, was largely attended. Services at the home was conducted by Rev. W. Higgs and at Omemee by Rev. J. W. Down. Besides his parents, three brothers, Milton, Arthur and Stanley, and four sisters, Eva., Pearl, Reta, Helen are left to mourn the loss of an affectionate son and brother.

Broke Her Arm.

Mrs. Wm. C. Allen fell on Friday last and broke her arm at the wrist. She is doing as well as can be expected under the circumstances.

Sunday School Entertainment.

St. Thomas S. S. entertainment was held in the S. S. room on Dec. 29, and was well attended. The story of Robinson Crusoe, illustrated by limelight views, was ably given by Rev. A. G. E. Westmacott; recitations by Frances Turner and Jas. Dean, and songs by Henry Gray were well given. The song "Enlist Little Mothers" by eight little girls, was also greatly appreciated, as were the dialogues "The Making of Canada's Flag," and "The Key of Jack Canuck's Treasure House." After the programme the prizes were distributed. A Christmas tree was also an interesting feature of the entertainment.

Mr. Fair of Tyrone was a guest of Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Higgs, this week.

Mr. Fred Medd was a guest of his mother, Mrs. Thomas Medd, this week.

Mrs. E. McConnell of Lindsay is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nattrass.

Mrs. George Meadows and daughter, Miss Velma, of Woodstock, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Pethick, last week.

Miss Norma Johnston of Kingston spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Johnston.

Mr. Walter Collins spent the New Year with his mother, Mrs. T. Collins.

Sergt. F. Black was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Johnston, over the holidays.

Mr. John Allen, Sr., was a visitor to Peterborough on Friday.

Mrs. Geo. Howden of Peterborough spent Monday with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Kinyoun.

Miss Olive Sisson of Cavanville was the guest of Miss Mabel Howden on Tuesday.

Mr. T. A. Armstrong and his mother entertained a few of their friends on December 28, among them being Mr. and Mrs. T. Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pritchard and family, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Morton and son, Herbert. A very pleasant evening was spent in social chat and games, after which an oyster supper was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kennedy and family of Barrie were guests of Mr. James Kennedy over New Year's.

New Premises For Soden's Bookstore

Soden's Bookstore will Occupy Their Old Stand as soon as Completed.

Work has been commenced on the premises just to be vacated by the Royal Bank on Hunter Street. The front will be taken out and a new and up-to-date store front put in together with interior fittings. The store will be occupied by Soden's Bookstore, which they previously occupied before locating on George Street. Contemplated business changes on George Street will affect two stores on the west side of the street.

"May be More Yielding."

Pittsburg Gazette-Times: If the Allies have the patience to look further they may find Germany more yielding than she wishes to appear. It would be dreadful to refuse to listen to anything before deciding the war must go to "knockout."

THE WORLD OF SPORT

SATISFIED WITH SOLDIERS LOCAL FANS NOW WANT TO SIZE UP THE JUNIORS

Will Get Their Chance on Tuesday Night When the Bowmanville Team Will Clash With Peterboro' in the First Junior O.H.A. Game of the Season – Looks Like a Battle Royal.

Satisfied that the 247th Intermediates have a team that should go far this season, the local fans are now waiting an opportunity to size up the Peterborough Juniors, a team in which they are greatly interested, because its members are so well known in the city. With two good teams in the running the fans could look forward to a busy season, hence their anxiety to be on hand when the junior season opens next Tuesday night, at Brock Street rink, with a visit from the Bowmanville Juniors. The Peterborough team have been going strong in practice, and made a fine showing in a game with the 247th team on New Year's morning. Not a regular has missed a practice this season except through illness or absence from the city, and the spirit the youngsters are showing, coupled with the fact that they are practically buying their own outfits, should earn them a big following. With Junior teams in action the fans are always sure of a battle from gong to gong and next Tuesday night's game should be a red-hot one. The Bowmanville team is said to be very strong this year, but the Petes will endeavour to give them a lively reception on Tuesday.

LINDSAY COMMENT ON TUESDAY'S GAME

The Lindsay Post says on Tuesday's hockey game:

Playing five man hockey, the 247th Battalion Intermediate team defeated the Lindsay Midgets last night at Peterborough 14 to 2 and the game was a lot more closely contested than the big score would indicate.

Weighing many more pounds to the man, the Peterboro' team which has been gathered from all parts of Ontario, simply outskated and outchecked the Midgets at every turn, but they did not outgame them, and with her regular lineup on and favored with good ice next Friday night, Lindsay should give the soldier aggregation a merry chase.

The local squad had to contend with a series of unfortunate circumstances that would have taken the heart out of most teams. "Chuck" Carew's failure to join the club was the first jolt handed the Midgets, "Buck" Read's illness was another wallop to solar plexus, and Art Carew's injury early in the contest proved to be the knock out. To add to that the condition of the ice was impossible, and the all star selection that they had to face was altogether too much of a handicap for the locals to overcome.

The game itself proved to be interesting for the first few minutes only, with seven men aside on the ice. Then "Buck" Read, who had been confined to his bed for the past week, could not stand the pace in his weakened condition, and had to be lead off the ice, much against his own wishes. He showed remarkable gameness in going on the ice at all, and it would have been foolhardy to allow him to play further. Flanagan was dropped to even up, and both teams continued to set a fast clip. Peterboro notching the first goal. After that it was pretty much all Peterboro with Lindsay showing occasional flashes of form. It would be hard indeed to select anyone in particular of the soldiers as the best man, as each one played grand hockey and at no time were they in any danger as far as the game was concerned, the result never being in doubt.

Anthony Wilding's Enlistment Emphasizes Darcy's Shirking

(By W. O. McGeehan, Sporting Editor New York Tribune.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—The importance of Les. Darcy, the bull-necked young man who skulked away from Australia to avoid possible conscription, has been greatly magnified. The drool that has been poured forth about him gives some information as to the state of the "fight game." This man, who smuggled himself out of his country when he was sadly needed for a man's work and for the fight of fights, has been hailed as a conquering hero who is about to enliven and elevate the "fight game." This seems to be the point of view of the average boxing fan in New York.

Because I have seen fit to intimate that Darcy should have been among the first of the Australians to answer the call to the colours—he being a fighter by profession—I have received a flock of letters abusing me for this perfectly obvious contention.

Tennis to the patron of the "fight game" is a "sissy" sport, a game which requires no particular courage or stamina. Anthony Wilding was the best of Australia's tennis players. Darcy—so we have been told—is the greatest of Australia's fighters. Yet when the great war started Anthony Wilding, tennis champion, hurried from the United States to Australia to join the colours. He was killed at Gallipoli. His splendid, graceful body was mangled under tons of earth when a shell hit the dugout where his machine gun was stationed. Death came to him shortly after he had been promoted for gallantry in action. "And he was the only son of his mother, and she was a widow."

Les. Darcy, the fighter, was in Australia when the war started. For two years he resisted the importunings of the recruiting sergeant, and when the intimation that "a fighter should fight" became annoying he travelled to the United States to avoid taking his part in the great war.

It was just as natural for a man like Wilding, a gentleman, to do what he did as it was for Darcy to do what he did, perhaps. The one instinctively ran toward his duty as quickly as the other ran away from it. I do not blame Darcy for the lack of imagination which prevents him seeing things as Wilding saw them. But, in the name of the God of Things That Are Fit, why should Darcy be called the fighter?

HOCKEY GOSSIP

Both Peterborough clubs were out for practice at Brock street rink last night, the juniors from 7 to 8 and the 247th team from 8 to 9. The interest the players are taking in the game is shown by the fact that not a regular was absent from either squad. The ice was bad, but the teams each put in a useful hour nevertheless.

The Soldiers are scheduled to play in Lindsay to-morrow night, but unless the weather man trots out a sudden change in the atmosphere there is little prospect of a battle in the Arsenal town.

The Oshawa Hockey Club has written the Peterborough juniors, asking the locals to switch the two games between the two clubs. The local juniors are scheduled to play in Oshawa on Friday, Jan. 12, on which date Oshawa and the 162nd Battalion team of Oshawa are also scheduled to meet. Oshawa wanted to come here on the 12th and have the locals go back on the 19th, but the local management declined to switch, because it would mean three home games here next week, a little too much of a good thing.

McPhee, a former Peterborough player, turned out with St. Patricks last night. He is a right wing player and appears to be a good stickhandler.—Toronto Globe.

Oshawa, Jan. 3.—The first local O. H. A. intermediate game was played to-night between the 162nd Battalion and Oshawa. Soft ice made the game one of individual effort, and McNally in goal and Ryerson at centre for the khaki boys were the best. Although the soldiers did not score, they will require watching on hard ice. Oshawa scored three in the first period, two in the second, and seven in the last, making the total score twelve to nil. The line-up:

162—Goal, McNally; defence, Beaton and Jacobi; rover, Gillespie; centre, Ryerson; right wig, Lacquer; left wing, Blatchford.

Oshawa — Goal, Childs; defence, Hambly and Bowen; rover, Fair; centre, Hall; right wing, Smythe; left wing, Jacques.

Referee—Gorrie, Toronto.

Bowmanville, Jan. 3—In the O. H. A. intermediate series here this evening the game between Bowmanville and Port Hope was won by Bowmanville by 4 to 2. Lineup:

Port Hope—Goal, Micks; left defence, Jex; right defence, Henry; rover, Hills; centre, Chalk; right wing, Krug; left wing, Southorpe.

Bowmanville — Goal, Edgar; left defence, Christie; right defence, F. Williams; rover, R. Williams; centre Hendy; right wing, Thompson; left wing, Hooper.

First period, Port Hope 0, Bowmanville 2, second period, Port Hope 2, Bowmanville 2; third period, Port Hope, 0, Bowmanville 0.

Referee—J. Marron, Toronto.

CURLING

The early break in the cold weather has interrupted the curling just as it was beginning to gather interest and games. Last night's schedule had to be postponed, and the ice is too soft to-day unless the weather turns colder before night.

Gay Lid Lifting Club in London Shut and Fined

LONDON, Jan. 3.—Ciro's club, one of the most elite and lively night clubs that ever dispelled darkness from the early hours, is no more for the present. Recording its demise the Times says:

"In the Bow Street police court Mr. Garrett passed the sentence upon officials of Ciro's club, summoned for selling and permitting the consumption of intoxicating liquor after hours. The Magistrate said the facts, which could not be disputed, were that in a night raid the police took twenty-three samples of drink from seven tables. Twelve were found to consist of intoxicating liquor.

"No attempt was made to dispute the evidence. Police officers were served with champagne. What was very significant was that the drinks were served under the name of 'cups' in glass jugs.

"The defence was based upon the theory that the drinks had been left on the tables through carelessness. The magistrate said he was forced to the conclusion that there had been flagrant and deliberate and repeated breaches of the liquor control regulations.

"He felt it his duty, the magistrate said, to strike the club from the register and order that no club could be held on the premises for twelve months. He ordered that the club pay a fine of $500. The governing manager and the restaurant manager were fined each $131, and the three committee members were fined each $125 and $26 costs."

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Voice of The People

Correspondence under this heading, containing or involving attacks on individuals or violent or extreme statements, must to secure insertion, be signed with writer's real name, the owner of which thus assumes the responsibility.

Editor of The Examiner.

Sir,—In last night's issue, on page five, appears a statement re Harry Hill having "graduated" under Mr. John Renwick. Just returned from spending the New Year's holiday in Toronto, my attention has been called to the above statement, which is just to neither John Renwick nor the undersigned. Harry Hill sang in St. John's choir, as alto boy for over two years, and studied under me for his first instrumental examination, passing with first-class honours. Later he was appointed to Park Street Baptist Church, and while there passed his first vocal examination with first-class honours, and later still, his second vocal examination with second-class honours. He then secured an appointment in a church with a pipe organ at Orangeville, as organist and choirleader. On returning to Peterborough he resumed lessons with me until about a year ago. On page 109 of the Toronto College of Music Calendar, 1916, appears the name of Harry Hill, as having passed the third vocal examination with honours, his previous examinations resulting in either first or second-class honours. This last result was obtained while studying under Mr. Renwick. Credit to whom credit is due.

Richard J. Dovey.

To the Editor of The Examiner.

Dear Sir,—In your Evening Examiner I saw a letter, signed "A Soldier's Wife," put in concerning the small pay which we receive. Well, let me tell you, dear Sir, that I think that she is right in saying that the paltry sum we do get is hardly enough for bare existence and I know that I don't get enough meat to eat since my husband joined the soldiers; it just keeps me busy buying fuel and the bare necessities of life, besides paying light, water, gas, and rent. I wonder if some of the men who are handling the pay checks and also the Patriotic Fund had to economize on forty dollars a month, how they would like it. I guess there would be a lot of hot air shooting around them when our so-called aristocracy had to turn out and economize. I know that there are some men who would help if they knew the condition the soldiers' wives were left in; so for pity's sake somebody get busy and see that we are used a bit better. I think for my own self the best thing we could do, I mean all the soldiers' dependents, is to have a meeting and see what we can do in reference to having the soldiers' pay raised.

Hoping you will print my letter, dear Editor and hoping I am not taking up too much of your valuable space, I beg to remain,

Another Soldier's Wife in Need.

Editor of the Examiner:

It is nearly time that some person could spare the time to think of the soldiers' wives and babes. Here we are with no one to think or do for us and we are responsible for the care of small children. The paltry sum of $40 or $50 may have been alright when the foods and rent were normal, but fancy us trying to economize when the money we receive is scarcely sufficient to exist on these hard times. I myself have spent the better part of my pay to pay for sick debts for the past three months, but some people are under the impression that we receive a handsome compensation for the separation or loss of our husbands. I would advise this class of people to try a soldier's life or that of a soldier's wife and they would very soon give us some real sympathy. Thanking you Mr. Editor for your valuable space.

ANOTHER SOLDIER'S WIFE

Editor of the Examiner:

IMMIGRATION AFTER THE WAR

Professor Ward of Harvard University, thinks that the danger to the United States after the war, is not so much the dumping of cheap European goods as the dumping of cheap European labour. "Goods from abroad concern pocketbooks only. Human beings from abroad enter into our national life. They contribute to the blood of the future American people. They determine what our race is to be. it is the cargoes of men, and women and children, not the cargoes of goods that are the real problem."—Toronto Star.

That's a hard hit at the virile European immigrant with good red fighting blood in his veins. We are inclined to believe the United States will benefit rather than lose by the admixture of some foreign blood that has red corpucles in it. Any unprejudical stranger who might visit New York or other large American cities to-day would, we believe, incline to the opinion that American morals are not in danger of being lowered by any new stunts that can be introduced by Europeans, no matter from what grade of society, rather the reverse. This "I am holier tha nthou" attitude, on the part of a people who are too proud to fight, does not sit well on them to-day, when the white light is turned on—revealing the festering sores, which are gnawing at the heart of the great republic. A carnivalia of revelry holds the land in thrall—blinding the people to the true significance of the terrible world tragedy being staged in Europe. They manifest impatience only because the struggle should not now be ended so they might once more over-run the new blood soaked soil of ill-fated Belgium, and of Valiant France—seeking for souvenirs—filling the lands with their Oh's and their Ah's—how dreadful, how shocking—filling their trunks with relics real and ficticious of the great fights (in which they too should have been fighting) these to be exhibited on their return home, to credulous friends, with mouthings about the dreadfulness of it all.

Again, we venture to suggest that the mixture of some European red blood with the present diluted American articles should prove of great import to the republic some day, when she too may have to fight for her existence.

CANUCK.

To the Editor of The Examiner.

Dear Sir,—With your kind permission I would like to offer a few suggestions concerning the 247th Battalion's canvass of the city, and in so doing hope I may not incur the displeasure of the military officials, particulars those entrusted with the collection of the data desired.

In the first place every citizen should cheerfully and promptly comply with the officer's request for this information, for he is simply doing his duty, an imposed duty, none too pleasant I may reasonably suppose, and while it may be annoying to some over-sensitive people to be so frequently bothered for apparently the same information don't you think it must be infinitely more trying to the officer who is obliged, only too often, to meet so many people who fume and scowl and abuse him, withholding particulars which, as Britons, we should be glad to proffer without waiting to be asked? These officers are our own people, friends—not our enemies — and we should meet them with a smile and the glad hand.

In my opinion the work could be expedited and to better satisfaction if the officer would leave a card or slip asking for the required information, as many of us are employed on night work, and rest during the day, and so are not accessible. Others work during the day and possibly are out to the show or the rink at night, and in like manner, are not at home to be interviewed. If these cards were left and were used to signing cards, we could fill them out in a few minutes at our leisure, and they could be called for later. As I understand it, there has been a great list of names (1,400) turned in to the Armouries, many of whom are not eligible for various reasons; and it is the intention of the officers, from this information now being gathered, to remove such names from the lists and erase troubling the parties. It is only a matter of time till we have conscription anyway, and if our hearts are in the right place we should make this repugnant duty of canvassing as easy as possible for our worthy military fellow-citizens. If conscription comes withholding the information will be no benefit; if it doesn't come, giving it will be no detriment, so let's help the boys who voluntarily enlisted to fight our—mark that word "our"—battles.

Briton.

Peterborough, Jan. 4, 1917.

WEEK OF PRAYER BEING OBSERVED IN HASTINGS

HASTINGS, Jan. 4.—Week of prayer will be observed in the Methodist Church on Tuesday and Wednesday, and in the Presbyterian, on Thursday and Friday evenings of this week.

Miss Ethel Collins spent Sunday and Monday at the home of her brother, Mr. Robt. Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thompson of Drayton, are renewing old acquaintances in and around town.

Mr. A. Greenley spent Tuesday in Toronto.

Pte. Reg. Plant of the 235th Batt., of Belleville, spent New Year's at his home, here.

Wedding Bells.

A quiet wedding was solemnised at the parsonage on Wednesday, Dec. 27th, when Rev. I. Snell united in marriage Mr. Sylvester Rusaw of Percy, and Charlotte Ireland of Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. Rusaw left on an extended trip to Detroit and other points.

Miss A. Fowlds of Toronto visited friends in town last week.

Miss Grace Lynch of Edmonton, Alta., is a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lynch.

Mr. and Mrs. Petrie have returned after a week's visit with friends in Toronto.

Mr. M. Williams spent New Year's at his home in Sutherland.

Mr. E. Greenley has accepted a position in the Bank at Toronto and left on Tuesday for that place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Sayles have returned after having spent the past week at the former's home in Bethany.

Mr. Alexis Spellman of Toronto, visited at his home during the past week.

A number from here attended the dance held in Campbellford on Thursday night, last.

Mrs. R. Best is holidaying under the parental roof.

Miss Annie Murray of Toronto University spent the holiday at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Warner have returned to their home in Toronto, having spent the past week at the former's home.

Officers Elected.

At the recent meeting of the L. O. L., No. 556, the following officers were elected:

W. Master—R. Hannan.
D. Master—A. Scriver.
Chaplain—W. Preston.
Rec.-Sec.—D. Scriver.
Fin.-Sec.—L. Scriver.
Treasurer—E. Peters.
D. of C.—H. McMillen.
Lecturer—O. Waters.
1st Com.—H. Peters.
Com.—R. King, S. Scriver, J. Seymore and W. Scriver.

BROCK ST. RINK

NO SKATING TO-NIGHT

THE CREDITORS' FINAL CLEAN-UP SALE

Which is now in full swing with a positive determination to clean up the balance of The Reid Co. Stock. Regardless of what things were marked down to at the beginning of this Sale three weeks ago, every Garment is cut again, and some very deeply too. This Sale is by far more to your advantage than any straight half-price sale, for most things are marked even less. This Sale must not continue longer, which is the reason for the Sacrifice of such Good New Merchandise. Stock consists of

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CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. John Tetro, Bethune St., wishes to thank her friends and neighbours, especially the Order of Hibernians, for their kindness and sympathy shown during her recent sad bereavement in the death of her dear husband, as a result of the Quaker Oats fire.

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Miss M. Telgmann will resume teaching Monday, January eighth. Information, Studio, Greene Music Co., or 'phone 1096.

ST. JOHN'S CHOIR.

St. John's choristers will meet for practice to-night at 8 p.m. Boys at 7.30.

ANNUAL ENTERTAINMENT.

Please don't forget St. George's Church S. S. (Braidwood Avenue) annual entertainment, this evening. A good time is expected.

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TAKEN TO CASTLETON.

The remains of Mr. G. W. Vosbourg will be taken to Castleton, Ont., to-morrow morning at eight o'clock. The funeral will be held at Castleton at 3 o'clock, Rev. Mr. Defoe officiating.

ARTISTIC PHOTOGRAPHS.

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ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Peter Robinson Chapter, I.O.D.E. will be held on Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock in the Red Cross room of the Public Library. All members are urgently requested to attend. Officers will be elected and the annual report read.

PIANO, ORGAN, VOICE.

Mr. J. H. Renwick, organist and choirmaster, George Street Methodist Church, has resumed teaching. Pupils prepared for examinations. Many present and former pupils holding good positions. Studio, 567 Aylmer street. 'Phone 1098. 28d-2

GEISHA DRESSES.

Mrs. R. J. Devey will be pleased if the ladies who still have "Geisha" dresses will at once forward them to 285 Park Street, as all the dresses are to be properly packed and stored this week before the new work is commenced.

RECITAL ON THE NEW EDISON.

There will be a Recital on the New Edison in the Recital Hall of the J. M. Greene Music Co., Ltd., Charlotte St., to-morrow (Friday) evening, at 8:15. You are invited. Programme will appear in Friday's issue.

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Law Association Gets $4,500 For Library Damage

Offer of Appraiser Accepted Yesterday—Lawyers Will Wait on Councils to Suggest Facilities

At a meeting of the Law Association in Mr. R. R. Hall's offices, last night, it was announced that the offer of the insurance adjuster of $4,500 to cover the damage to the law library sustained in the fire of December 11th, had been accepted. Mr. Hall presided. The members discussed at some length the probable alterations to the Court House and the desired provisions for the courts and lawyers. A committee was appointed consisting of Messrs. F. D. Kerr, R. R. Hall, Joseph Wearing and Crown Attorney Hatton to wait upon the members of the County and City Councils regarding the prospective action in restoring the Court House. The Association desires merely to present suggestions that would improve the facilities in which they are concerned.

The discussion naturally turned to a consideration of the ideal arrangement and location of the county and city buildings. It is recognized that for the present the Court House will probably be renovated and restored, but it is also viewed as a certainty that the demands of the future, even of the present, exceed the accommodations of the old building. With the city maintaining its growth it should only be a few years until a commodious, modern building is required. The possibility of the city and county acting together to provide a building for their combined use was mentioned. The city is poorly equipped at present, and the county building has decided limitations. There are no adequate quarters for the County Crown Attorney, for the County School Inspector, for the County Constable, and the Judge's chambers could be made more cheerful and could be greatly improved in its appointments. However great the present needs may be and those of the future may impend, it is conceded that they are not likely to receive much consideration under the present conditions. But in the alterations to the Court House, it is hoped that its former limitations may be extended.

URGES NEW LAWS IN JAPAN.

Tokio, Japan, January 4.—The Diet was opened by the Emperor, who in his address from the throne, expressed his gratification that the relations between the empire and the treaty powers were growing closer. He said that the alliance with Great Britain and the convention with France were becoming much stronger, and called attention to the new convention with Russia, which he termed a matter for congratulation.

The Emperor explained that he had ordered the ministers to draft the bills necessary for the development of the country, "keeping in mind the world situation," and asked the Diet to cooperate in passing these measures. The House was then adjourned until Jan. 21st.

Social and Personal

Mr. Gerald Wood is the guest of her parents in Toronto.

Miss Eva Bartley who has been visiting at her home Rubidge street for the Christmas holidays, returned to Buffalo, N.Y., this morning.

Miss Helen MacLaren, Homewood avenue, is the guest of her parents in Toronto.

Mrs. Angus Sutherland (nee Bessie Logan) is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Logan, Murray street.

Mr. Hugh Carmichael returned this morning to Queen's University, Kingston, after a three weeks' vacation at his home, Water street.

Miss Kathleen Gray left to-day for Kitchener to spend a few weeks, the guest of her sister, Mrs. (Dr.) Preston.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Claire, Loverna, Sask., were the guests of Mrs. Corrigal, Cedar street, this week, en route for the east, where they will spend the winter.

Mr. Cecil Crough of St. Paul, Minn., is spending his Christmas vacation with his parents.

Mrs. Herman Schopter, of Syracuse, N.Y., sister of the late Mrs. Huffman, was in the city yesterday attending the funeral.

Mrs. Charles Harris of Toronto, who was attending the funeral of Mrs. Chas. Huffman yesterday, was called home suddenly owing to the serious illness of her father, Mr. R. A. Dutton, formerly of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morris and daughter of Moose Jaw, have spent the holidays at home in Peterborough.

The friends of Miss Daisy Rubidge in Peterborough will regret to hear that she is quite ill in Chicago. Her mother is there with her.

Mr. W. R. Morris was in Campbellford yesterday attending the funeral of the late Bert Dawson.

Mr. J. S. Davis, of North Bay, is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. H. Callander, Weller street.

Mrs. Bray, Oakville is the guest of Judge and Mrs. O. A. Langley, Lakefield.

Cadet Donald Cameron is the guest of Rev. A. W. MacKenzie, Lakefield.

About thirty young people drove out to Lakefield last night to attend a most successful dance given by Miss Winnifred MacKenzie, daughter of Rev. A. W. MacKenzie, the Grove, Lakefield. Mrs. R. Soadding and Mrs. Gordon Grahame chaperoned the party who were: the Misses Eames Alymer, Celia Dunsford, Margery and Nora Hatton, Rosamond Huycke, Margaret and Georgie Stevenson, Marion Harstone, Seabourne Hamilton, Marian Grieve, Agnes Carmichael, Amy Clementi and Dorothy McDonald and Messrs Alex Fortye, Soadding, Hague, Hugh Carmichael, Cote, Messins, Hal Crane, Kyle Harstone McLaren, Otto Gliddon, Arthur Huycke, Bobs Hayes, Lieuts Huycke and Dunsford, Cadets Halton and Cameron. Those who joined the dance from Lakefield were Mr. and Mrs. John Strickland, Mrs. E. R. Tate, Reeve and Mrs. Harry Fitzgerald, Miss Hilliard, Mr. Donald Fitzgerald, Mr. Keith Tate, Mrs. Osborne and Ms. H. Bilton and Mr. Morrison.

Miss Edith McQuaig, Picton, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. (Col.) Ackerman, Park street.

Miss Gladys Hunter returned this morning to resume her duties at Reaboro, after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hunter, George street.

Miss Lillian Scott, who spent the holidays the guest of her parents, McDonnel street, returned this morning to Toronto.

Mrs. Edgar Worth left to-day for Toronto to attend the Smythe-Cox wedding.

Rev. Claude Stent, Trinity College, Toronto, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hilliard, Lakefield.

Mr. George Sherry is the guest of Mrs. Percy Bond.

Mr. A. St.A. Smith, Keene, was in the city to-day on business.

Mr. Edgar Worth, Weller street, is in New York on a business trip.

Lindsay Warder: Miss Rebecca McCarroll, of Peterborough, is visiting Mrs. Chas. Maguire, Oakwood.

Lindsay Warder: Lt.-Col. Mills yesterday inspected the different departments of the 256nd Battalion, Lindsay.

The best time to take cuttings from rambler roses is just when they are shedding their blooms, using the branches that have bloomed. The wood of these branches at this time is nearly mature, and in the best possible condition for rooting.

WEDDING BELLS

EAKINS—DONNELLY.

The wedding was solemnized at the George St. Methodist Parsonage last evening of William T. Eakins of Lindsay, to Miss Pearl Donnelly of Peterborough. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. G. Peever, B. D. The young couple, who were unattended, will reside in Peterborough.

HEARN—DUDMAN.

James Ernest Hearn, of Verulam, and Margaret Anne Dudman, of Burnt River, were united in marriage by Rev. R. G. Peever, B.D., at George St. Methodist Parsonage last evening. They will reside near Fenelon Falls.

OBITUARY

JENNIE HARRISTON.

Last night Jennie Harriston, wife of John Harriston, died at the Nicholls Hospital from pneumonia, aged 36. Mrs. Harriston was born in Burleigh township and resided the greater part of her life in St. Catharines, coming to Peterborough about three months ago. She leaves to mourn her loss her husband, at present confined at Nicholls Hospital from pneumonia, and two children. The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at two thirty from the family residence, 476 Rogers street, to Little Lake cemetery for interment.

JAMES ALEXANDER LINTON

The death occurred on Christmas Day in Eyebrow, Saskatchewan of James Alexander Linton, age 47 years. Deceased had been ill but a few days. He formerly resided in Roseneath and was well known in Peterborough.

BERTRAM DAWSON.

Mr. Bertram Dawson, president of the Dickson Bridge Works Co., succumbed to an attack of pneumonia on Sunday night about 11 o'clock, after an illness of only a few day's duration. The deceased who was 36 years of age, was one of Campbellford's best known business men, and enjoyed the respect of a large circle of acquaintances.

He was born in Omemee and spent the early part of his life in Peterboro. He came to Campbellford nine years ago with the Dickson Bridge Works Co., and later became a stockholder. His promotion with the company was rapid until he finally became president.

Seven years ago Mr. Dawson was united in marriage to Miss Laura Dickson, who with two small children is left to cherish the fond memory of a loving husband and father. He is also survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dawson and three brothers and two sisters, via; Percy of Winnipeg, Charles of Quebec, and George of Montreal; Mrs. Clemens of Tyrone, and Mrs. (Dr.) Lloyd of University, Ala.

A private service was held at the family residence yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. The Masonic Lodge, of which the deceased was a member, was present at the funeral and marched to Mount Pleasant cemetery headed by the 40th Regt. Band. The employees of the Dickson Co.. also marched in the funeral procession

Among those who honored the memory of the deceased with floral tribute were: Employees of the Dickson Bridge Co., five wreaths; Golden Rule Lodge; Northumberland Paper and Electric Co.; Mrs. Dawson, Mrs. Dickson and Miss Dickson; Dr. and Mrs. Lloyd, Father, Mother and Brothers; Dr. and Mrs. Dupras, Belleville; Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Wilson, Peterborough; W. H. Hall, Peterborough; Moore Perceptory, Peterborough; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Coombs, Smith Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Wigmore and Miss Nellie Benor, Toronto; Mrs. Moore and Mrs. Comstock, Peterborough; Miss A. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Birmingham, Mr. and Mrs. Harper Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. McKee, Mr. and Mrs. W. Henson, R. Hutcheson, A. McGuire and Miss E. Benor.—Campbellford News.

Cardboard boxes cut into convenient sizes will provide you with excellent scrapers with which to clean trash out of the kitchen sink.

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New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

New York Stocks—Airbreak 147; Aitchison 104 3-4, 106; B. & O. 64 1-2, 64 1-8; C.P.R., 163 7-8, 160 1-2; N.Y. Central 103 1-4, 103; Erie 34 1-4, 33 3-8; Erie Pfd., 48 1-2; Penna.. 56 7-8; Reading 104, 102; U.P. 146 1-2, 144 3-4; Beth Steel 511, 510; Rep Steel 83 1-2, 80 1-4; U.S. Steel 115, 111 7-8; Anaconda 85, 83; Inter Nickel 43, 42 3-4.

Chicago Grain—Wheat May 184 1-8, May corn 97 7-8.

Canadian Stocks—Cement 69 7-8; 67 1-4; Steel Can., 70 3-4, 67 1-2; N. S. Steel 128 1-6; Dom. Steel 71, 68; Steamers 37 3-4, 37; Smeltars 35 1-8, 35 1-4.

AUCTION SALE

Of household furniture, etc., at the home of Mr. H. Brault, 77 Ware St., on Monday, Jan. 8th, including piano, nearly now, steel range. Sale 1:30 p.m. W. J. Hancock, Auctioneer, 494 George St. 8d-3

The Dahlia Peerage.—In a railway carriage recently two men were talking rather loudly. "Lord French is very sick," one of them observed. "Yes," said the other, "so is the Marchioness of Powys, but the Duchess of Clevaland is getting on famously. The Earl of Rosebery seems to be dwindled away. I can't make it out." When they left the carriage a passenger remarked to a friend that these two fellows seemed anxious to imthey were acquainted with everyone in Burke's "Peerage". "Peerage be said the clairvoyant, "you will visit foreign lands and the Courts of Kings and Queens. You will conquer all rivals and marry the man of your choice. He will be tall and dark and aristocratic looking." "And young?" interrupted the lady. "Yes and very rich." The beautiful lady grasped the fortune-teller's hands and pressed them hard. "Thank you!" she said. "Now tell me one thing more. "How shall I get rid of my present husband?"

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Prince Adlbert Of Germany On A Secret Mission

Special to The Examiner:

LONDON, Jan. 5.—Prince Adlbert of Germany is en route to Sofia and Constantinople on a secret mission, supposedly in connection with peace. He is due back at the front within the next week it was said.

GERMANS ARE STRIPPING BELGIUM

Special to The Examiner.

THE HAGUE, Jan. 5.—Germans are stripping Belgium of all metals.

HARRY LAUDER'S "BOY" CAPTAIN IN SCOTTISH REGIMENT, DIES IN WAR

Comedian's Only Child, Who Had Been Twice Wounded, Reported Killed at Front—Father Told How He Soothed Dying Comrade With His Piano Playing

LONDON, January 4.—Capt. John Lauder, of the Argyl and Sutherland Highlanders, a son of Harry Lauder, the comedian, has been killed at the front. He was wounded twice previously.

COMEDIAN'S ONLY CHILD.

Captain Lauder was the only child of Harry Lauder, whose whole heart and soul were wrapped up in his gallant son, and whose pride in his career since he entered the war at the age of 21, with the rank of second lieutenant, was outspoken and entirely unaffected. He was twice wounded and invalided home, this being the third time he returned to the front.

On his last trip to America, Mr. Lauder was asked about his son, who had then been mentioned for conspicuous bravery and had been promoted to the rank if captain.

"He is doing fine, thank God," said Mr. Lauder, "and I'll tell you a little story about him.

"You know he was wounded at Neuve Chappelle and he was convalescing in a hospital. As soon as he was able to sit up he saw a fine piano in the big ward where he lay. Now the boy is a splendid musician—"

"'As good as his father?' questioned a hearer.

PLAYS FOR WOUNDED.

"Now, quit your 'dafin','" exclaimed the comedian. "Mind, I'm tellin' ye, he was a real musician, studied it at Oxford and all that. So, he saw this piano, and he asked the nurse:

"'Would there be any objection to me playing a bit?'

"'Objection!' the nurse says. 'Oh, Captain, please do play. It would do the boys so much good.' So my boy played for a while, softly, of course, for there were some terribly wounded fellows in the hospital, and he feared to disturb them.

"By and by, the nurse comes to him and says: 'Captain Brown, of the Gordon Highlanders, who is so seriously injured in that cot over there, asked me who was playing, and I told him it was Captain Lauder. He asked me if I could get you to play 'Lead, Kindly Light.'

"Of course, my boy was only too glad to do it. He began to play, and he saw Captain Brown smile and wave his hand at him. He played on for five or ten minutes, when he felt a hand on his shoulder. There stood the nurse, with the tears rolling down her cheeks. 'Captain Brown is dead,' she sobbed. And so he was.

"And my boy told his mother, 'Mother, I was so thankful that I was brought up to know those things, that I was sent to Sunday school in my boyhood, because it helped me to cheer the last moments of a brave man who died for his country.'"

WAS SOON TO MARRY.

Harry Lauder recently purchased an estate of 22,000 acres with a castle in Argyleshire, Scotland, where his son was to live as the young "Laird" after his marriage to Mis Mildred Thompson, of Glasgow, to whom he was engaged. He was in Australia with his father when the war began and started home immediately to enlist.

John Lauder has been in New York twice and persons who met him described him as a fine type of a gallant, well educated young Scotchman.

Worry Is Nothing But Your Mental Engine "Running Idle"

Washington, D. C., Jap. 4.

If the people of the United States are to remain well, live long and know happiness there are many thing to be considered. And among these things, in the opinion of the United States Public Health Service officials, is the automobile. And if the inhabitants, after long contemplation of the automobile and its ways, find no means of definitely improving their own health it is time for them to consider the squirrel, the contented dog and the birds of the air.

The message of counsel as sent from the Health Service offices, is as follows:

"Consider the automobile. When the car is going to stand still for more than a few minutes, the driver stops the engine. By doing this he saves gasolene, oil and, above all, useless wear and tear on the machinery. If he lets the engine 'run idle' he has wasted a lot of valuable material and shortened the life of his engine, and in the meantime the automobile has not budged an inch.

"The birds build nests for the protection of their young against the weather; the foxes dig holes for security against foes; the squirrels lay by stores of nuts against the coming of winter, and the dogs bury bones against the day when bones will be scarce. These are the manifestations of a normal protective instinct arising from an experience of many, many generations. So far as is known, though, no bird ever tried to build more nests than his neighbor; no fox ever fretted because he had only one hole in which to hide; no squirrel ever died of anxiety lest he should not lay by enough nuts for two winters instead of for one, and no dog dog ever lost any sleep over the fact that he did not have enough bones laid aside to provide for his declining years.

"This protective instinct is also present in the human mind, and when properly directed is a great source of prosperity both to the individual and the nation. In order for man to store up and lay by, to gain advancement either in honor or in material things, it is necessary that he take some forethought of the morrow, but just as soon as he carries this beyond the normal point the mental process becomes an exaggerated and an abnormal one. The normal protective instinct is stimulated by a normal fear of those events which are reasonably sure to happen in the future, unless means are adopted against them. The moment that this fear becomes abnormal or exaggerated it overstimulates this protective instinct and to no good purpose because it results in worry.

"This worry continues long after the necessity for the normal stimulus of fear has passed, with the result that there is an impairment in mental power and a dissipation of the nervous forces. In other words, the mental engine has been 'running idle' and at the same time delivering no propulsive power. In fact, worry is an abnormal state.

"Not all worry is preventable, but for the most part it can be avoided. Most of our fears are never realized, and as a rule if we meet our troubles day by day as they come without worrying about them before they arrive or fretting over them after they have passed, we will find that we have the strength to rise above them. Worry undermines the health to a certain extent. It really weakens the mental forces by tiring them out by doing nothing. Usually the relief from worry rests with the victim of this unhappy habit himself, but sometimes the real causes are not the ones which seem to explain the condition and we must go deep into our lives or have the assistance of those who are skilled in unravelling mental processes.

"The best antidote for worry is a change of mental occupation, a getting away from the scenes which provoke worry, exercise in the open air, a good book, a pleasant recreation, or a temporary change of occupation. As a matter of mental health every sufferer from this unfortunate condition owes it to himself to discover some simple means of getting away from this habit, which is destructive to health and peace of mind alike."

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Germany May Attempt Another Great Offensive On the Western Front

Same Desperate Need of Peace Which the Allies Believe Inspired the German Peace Proposal Thought to Be Behind the Proposed Gigantic Thrust on the West—Enemy Will Find the Allies Ready.

LONDON IS AWAITING REPLY

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 5. — Germany is about to attempt another great offensive on the west front, is the view of the allies.

The same desperate need of peace which the allies believe inspired the German peace proposal is thought, now that those peace pleas have been rejected, to be behind a gigantic thrust on the west, designed as Germany's supreme efforts. But if Germany is preparing another offensive, she will find the allies ready. Speeding up of all branches has been the first duty of the new Lloyd George ministry.

London was awaiting to-day for the publication of the allies' reply to President Wilson's peace suggestions. The note itself may be handed the American Ambassador at Paris to-day.

LONDON, Jan. 5.— British steamer "North Wales" was sunk by a submarine on the way to Canada. All on board were lost.

LONDON, Jan. 5.—One Spanish and one Greek steamship torpedoed by the Germans.

TRANSPORT IVERNIA IS LOST, SUBMARINE IN MEDITERRANEAN

Cunard Boat Sunk, and 150 Are Said to Be Missing —She Was a Big Vessel

LONDON, January 5.—The transport Ivernia was submarined in the Mediterranean and one hundred and fifty of those aboard her are missing, the Admiralty announced yesterday.

The Ivernia is listed as a Cunard boat built in 1900, of 14,278 tons, 582 feet long, 64 wide and a depth of 37 feet. Her speed is 16 knots an hour, so it is probable that she gave the submarine a chase before she was hit.

Japan Will Arm Her Vessels To Drive Off Subs.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5. — Japan, through the embassy here, notified the state department of her intention to arm her merchant ships defensively, and requested information as to whether any special rules had been made by the United States Government for passage of ships so armed through the Panama Canal. This was the first official information that Japan intended such action, and was interpreted in some quarters as indicative of fear of German submarine operations on a wider scale than so far attempted.

Japan has a large tonnage passing through the canal, and has suffered seriously from German under-sea activities, particularly in the Mediterranean. While no submarines have appeared in the Pacific so far British naval experts have said that information in the hands of the admiralty and the exploits of the U-53 in the said off the New England coast indicated that it is quite possible that they will operate there later.

There are no canal regulations imposing special restrictions upon vessels armed purely for defensive purposes.

Ontario Woman Committed Suicide

Jumped from Liner Three Days from Liverpool.

ST. JOHN, N.B., Jan. 5.—Standing high on the rail of an ocean liner which has arrived here, silhoutted for a moment against the sky, Mrs. Anderson Emmerson, of Donald, Haliburton County, Ont., a passenger, when three days out from Liverpool, plunged into the icy waters of the Atlantic to her death.

Mrs. Emmerson left Montreal last October for her home in Scotland accompanied by her little son, who is but 14 years of age. After visiting relatives she booked passage for herself and boy, and when three days out committed suicide.

Mrs. Emmerson, before taking her life, had complained to the little son that she was not feeling well, but the lad saw nothing out of the ordinary in her condition, and he could give no reason for her jumping overboard.

The husband and another son are at Donald, while a third son is at the front with the 15th Battalion.

Life in London is now subject to five regulations, designed to produce economy, efficiency and safety. These are: No cigars or cigarettes may be sold after eight o'clock. All shops and stores must close after eight o'clock. Taxicabs may not be summoned by whistling. Alcoholic drinks may be obtained only between the hours of 12.30 and 2.30, and between 6.30 and 9.30, and each man must pay for his own drink. Window shades must be drawn down at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, so that no light is visible from the streets.

Beware of the Cold Storage Egg! In his work on food and dietetics Doctor Robert Hutchison says, "the absence of carbohydrates prevents eggs from being in any sense a complete food." This refers to the fresh egg—the egg with a clean bill of health. What would Doctor Hutchison say of the modern cold storage egg? At present prices two eggs cost ten cents—and the egg is not a complete food! Something must be eaten with it to supply the needed carbohydrates. Two **Shredded Wheat Biscuits**, with cream or milk, make a complete, perfect meal at a cost of four or five cents. Made in Canada.

Evening News Will Resume Publication

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

MONTREAL, Jan. 5. — Evening News, having overcome difficulties, will resume publication under the same management.

ARTILLERY ACTIVE ON THE CARSO

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

ROME, Jan. 5.—Artillery continues active on the Carso.

Would Restore Rheims Cathedral

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 5.—Pope Benedict has requested the Kaiser to permit the French to restore Rheims Cathedral, now in danger of collapsing.

Greek Situation Again Critical

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

ATHENS, Jan. 5.—The Greek situation is again critical. The rulers are bitter against the allies.

British Attack Bulgar Positions

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

SALONIKI, Jan. 5.—The British have attacked big Bulgar positions near Struma.

SUCCESS FOR SMUTS FORCES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 5.—Gen. Smuts' forces storm new positions in Africa. Many guns and Howitzers were captured.

Two Million Men Now in France

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 5.—It is announced that the British Army in France now totals two million men.

"MARSHALS" ONCE WERE GROOMS.

That only now has General Joffre been raised to the rank known to speakers of English as "Marshal," and that even now, when the great war is well along in its third year, has the name been accorded to him, is significant of the way in which France has been conducting her share of the conflict. Napoleon scattered the title so lavishly among his commanders that the hope of its attainment, according to legend, at least, was in the minds of all his soldiers, and every private's knapsack contained the baton that would be the symbol of his coming glory. At present the effort is to keep credit from individuals as much as possible and to give it to the army as a whole and to the country.

In the case of Joffre an exception had to be made in order that his removal from command in the field might be the promotion he had so well earned, and not the humiliation it otherwise would have been.

The Germans, as might have been expected, still have many Marshals—they still trust to the old appeal and are willing to gratify ambition in the old cheap way. Like many other French words relating to war and hunting, "Marechal," in its older form "Mareschal," in its older toute derivation in both its parts, and the word has had a curious history. Some words rise in the world with the passage of the centuries and others fall. This is one that from the very humblest of beginnings has come to great estate.

The Marshals do not owe their name to Mars, though they are his votaries. In the olden times they were about the humblest men in the army—horse-servants or grooms. Then they advanced to the dignity of being horseshoers, and these highly respected artisans are still "marechals" in France, though "ferrants" has to be added to make their calling clear. And while "Marechal de France" is a magnificent title, there are also "Marechals des Logis," who are in cavalry regiments only what "sergents" are in infantry regiments.—New York Times.

The fruiting canes of raspberries die off every year after fruiting. Nature has provided for this and they should be cut and burned as soon after fruiting as possible.

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Wheat Markets Continue Strong

Manitoba flour advanced another 20c per barrel yesterday making an advance of 50c in two days. Wheat markets reacted, with a sharp decline in the early trading, but in a bull rally towards the close partly regained early losses but closing 2 3-8 lower than Wednesday's close at Chicago, and 7-8c lower at Winnipeg. The rally was based on good buying for export.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, $2.10, track, bay ports; No. 2 $2.07; No. 3 $2.03; No. 4 $1.99; old crop 4c above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W. 72 1-4c.

American corn—No. 3 $1.09, subject to embargo.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 66c to 68c; No. 3 white 65c to 66c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1.74 to $1.76; No. 3 $1.72 to $1.74.

Peas—No. 2 nominal, car lots $2.40.

Barley—Good malting $1.16 to $1.18; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal, $1.25.

Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal; No. 2, new, $1.33 to $1.35.

Manitoba flour—First patents in jute bags, $9.90; second patents in jute $9.40; strong bakers, in jute $9 Toronto.

Ontario flour—New winter, $7.90 to $7.50 in bags, track, Toronto prompt shipment.

Millfeed—Car lots delivered Montreal; shorts $37; bran $32; feed flour per bag, $2.80.

Hay—Baled, No. 1, track, Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots $13 to $13.50; No. 2 $9 to $11; straw $5.50 to $10.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Union Stock Yards—Receipts yesterday—67 cars, with 587 cattle, 163 calves, 2,051 hogs, and 205 sheep and lambs.

Latest quotations:

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Choice butcher	8 50	9 00
do good	8 00	8 25
do medium	7 75	8 00
do common	7 00	7 50
Heifers, good to choice	8 00	8 50
do medium	7 00	7 50
Butcher cows, choice	6 25	7 00
do medium	5 75	6 25
Butcher bulls, choice	6 85	7 50
do good	6 50	6 60
do medium	5 00	5 50
Feeders 900 to 1,000 lbs.	6 60	6 75
do bulls	5 25	5 75
Stockers 700 to 800 lbs.	6 50	6 75
do med. 650 to 750 lbs.	5 50	6 00
do light 600 to 650 lbs.	5 00	5 75
Canners	4 10	4 40
Cutters	4 50	5 25
Sheep, light	8 50	9 50
do heavy	7 50	8 50
Spring lambs	10 75	13 75
Calves	8 00	12 50
Hogs, fed and watered	12 50	12 60
do weighed off cars	12 75	.....
do f.o.b.	11 90	.....

CONSCRIPTION FOR JAMAICA?

Kingston, Jamaica, Jan. 4. — Owing to steady emigration to Cuba of laborers who seek work for higher wages on Cuban estates, conscription for the Jamaica contingent of the overseas forces is being advocated, but the governor is confident that recruits will be obtained by the voluntary system, and many are now presenting themselves.

The Island rejoices in England's negative answer to Germany's peace proposals.

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8.10 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg, and points east, connecting at Port Hope for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 11.45 a.m.
8.75 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
8.20 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
11.40 a.m.—Mid-day express for Toronto, reaching Toronto at 3.15 p.m.
12.20 p.m.—For Lakefield.
11.40 a.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
1.30 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
5.05 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
7.00 p.m.—For Lakefield.
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OUR SERIAL STORY

"DESTINY"

By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday.)

"Very well," she told him as she looked at him with an honesty of expression under which his own gaze fell discomforted, "suppose I do confess it, what then? I had not ever meant to confess it, but perhaps it is better that we understand things. We must not drift blindly. Just now, Paul, when you declared your love you thought that you meant it. For the fleeting time it took to say it you did mean it. If you saw her to-morrow you would tell her the same things, and you would believe yourself honest. If I loved you beyond all hope of forgetting you it would only prove that we had both made a mistake. We must not go on with it."

As a wind may veer without warning, the current of Paul Burton's emotions shifted. While wishing to deny and argue, he knew that what she told him was true. He had entered the house with no thought of love-making. Had she accepted his protestations at their face value, he would have left it shaken with an agony of doubt and misgiving. After all he had sworn his first love to Lofaino. He had permitted her to separate from her husband on the assumption that his own allegiance would hold. Could a man truly love two women at the same time, he wondered. Whatever he did he must appear a weak fool. The fact that this phase of the matter presented itself for consideration at this time proved only that it was Paul Burton who found himself in the situation.

"I dont know what to say," he admitted brokenly. "I know only that I would like to be happy, if humanly possible, and I would give anything on earth to see you happy. At least you believe that much, dear, don't you?"

She nodded. "Yes," she said. "I believe that much."

Then after a few moments she continued seriously:

"We have been trusting ourselves on the quicksands, Paul, and between us we have done one wise thing. We have discovered it in time. Maybe it would be still wiser now to be really frank for once and then to be very careful afterwards."

"What do you mean, exactly?"

"I divined your unhappiness, and I knew my own—for a long time I have known my own. You have been petted and praised by women—women of that world which was once mine. You say I love you. Do you know why?" She wheeled suddenly and spoke without disguise. "Not because you are a great musician or a celebrity. It is because I realize how weak and foolish you are." The man winced, but she went on steadily. "In all woman-love there is a ruling element of mother love. I wanted to take you into my heart and make you happy, to.... to give you all that a woman can give a man."

He came forward and his words were unsteady.

"You can at least let me be your best and closest friend—"

"No. I doubt if men and women can really be friends. It comes to mean too much—or too little."

"But, Marcia—"

Again she interrupted, and again the voice was monotonous, almost lifeless.

"No, dear. All our silly little jokes—things that have come to be dear little traditions between us—would be mockeries now." She raised her chin, and said suddenly, with a forced laugh: "I don't often have these brain storms. They make me very foolish. We must see less of each other, Paul."

"And yet," he stubbornly argued, "it has been only an hour since the basis of our comradeship was secure enough."

"In that hour we have come a long way, dear. It is going to be hard enough to get back as it is."

She stood still and, after a brief silence, spoke once more.

"I must brush these cobwebs away from my brain....only—" suddenly her eyes flooded and there was a gasping sob in her voice—"only they are not cobwebs—they are cables and chains! I was a fool to expect to be happy. I haven't been happy for years. I have never had what I wanted....I haven't even been able to have my baby with me." Marcia went slowly to a chair and sat staring, wide-eyed, at the wall. At last she looked up and commanded in a whisper. "You must go now—don't say good-bye—just go!"

Paul took up his hat and let himself out into the narrow hall.

CHAPTER XXII.

The illness of Elizabeth Burton proved to be tedious and perplexing to the specialists who traced its origin beyond the purely physical to some unconfessed thing gnawing at the peace of her brain. Accordingly they did what they could and, having effected a temporary repair, fell back on the customary prescription of change and travel.

During these weeks Mary had been constantly with her mother—and when she was even a short while away the elder woman anxiously called for her. Sometimes she and Hamilton had met but at these times there was no syllable of surrender from the lips of either; only a taciturn sort of truce such as might have existed where two armies drawn tensely in confronting battle lines pause to care for the wounded in which both have interest. But when the mandate came that Elizabeth Burton must go abroad Mary Burton faced the sternest dilemma which had ever presented itself for her decision. The mother refused absolutely to obey the verdict unless her daughter accompanied her, and while Mary was abroad she could only guess what crises her lover might be meeting at home—because he was her lover.

She and Edwardes were walking together one afternoon as they discussed this new complication in their affairs. They had chosen for their tryst neither the smooth stretch of the avenue nor the paths of the park, but those tangled by-ways that thread the woods back of the Jersey Palisades.

It was a cold day with the air as biting as a lash and as clear as crystal, and since these woods were wild and desolate in spots though skirted by smooth roadways and flanked by handsome estates they had for the most part uninterrupted solitude. Ragged outcroppings of rock stood baldly etched against the brilliant sky and through the open spaces they occasionally saw the Hudson and the contour of Upper New York. Twice they came upon rouged and powdered men and women with bearded lashes but these men and women were too busy doing varied things before cameras to take notice of them, for their refuge was also the open-air workshop of moving picture folk.

"Of course you must go," Edwardes seriously told her. "Your mother's health—her life itself—may depend on it. You aren't the sort who can hesitate to answer such a call and it won't be forever, you know."

"And while I'm—over there—with an ocean between us—" she broke off and her eyes darkened with terror—"you may be facing a decisive battle, here—a battle decisive for both of us. If you have to fight, it is my right to be near you—to share your fortunes and your misfortunes. Our love did not begin as little loves do. It shan't end in that way."

"If I thought—" his voice was very deep in its earnestness—"that anything could mean an end of our love, I could not make a fight whether you were here or elsewhere. I think our love will outlast all battles. I want you to go."

"And if I do go," she demanded with a gaze of questioning which demanded a truthful answer, "will you swear, by whatever is holiest and means the most to you, that you will called on only for honest service. More storm?"

For a while he stood silent and his features were trouble stamped; then he took both her hands and their eyes met. Slowly he bowed his assent. "I swear it," he told her, "by my love for you, but if I read the signs aright the time is not quite that close at hand."

In these days Hamilton Burton's secret service was preternaturally active. Less of the Titan's affairs passed through the hands of Carl Brunoll. He could be implicitly trusted, but, caleld on only for honest service. More went through Tarring and Ruferton and Hendricks—who questioned no motives.

After two months Mary returned, and when she met the gaze of Jefferson Edwardes she read in it the struggle which his fight against his hearts clamorous insistence had cost him. "I have thought of little else since I went away," she told him, "and I have decided that either I am worthy to stand with you in whatever comes to you, or I am not worthy to be your wife at all. Hamilton hurled his thrust at us and we, like a pair of timid children, let him frighten us. In this as in everything else he has had his way, and we are paying the price—giving up our lives."

"It's very hard," he answered. "To stand out against you, when only to mind argues against you and my heart is so insistent on the other side. You say you have thought of little else. I have thought of *nothing* else. The clocks have chimed it—the bells have rung it—the voice of the city has roared and echoed it. I want you so much dear, that without you I am starving. You pledged yourself to me and then came this menace. I could not let you act blindly. Now if you are still resolute—"

"I am more so," she declared. "My brother issued his challenge and we accepted it. Yet we went abjectly away and obeyed him. If he means to fight he must fight now. I am no less a Burton than himself and I am tired of submission."

Jefferson Edwardes smiled. For the instant everything except her own undaunted courage seemed to shrink into minor consideration.

"You are right," he said, and he said it with a note of triumph. "We shall announce our engagement and set a day—neither hastening it nor delaying it—but acting precisely as you would act had he never opposed us. If he thinks that he can oppose us let him try." He paused and his face suddenly hardened as he added, "There have been moments when murder has tempted me—when I wanted to go to Hamilton Burton and kill him with my hands."

Paul was commissioned by his mother to convey to Hamilton the news which would on the following day appear in all the society columns, the statement that in thirty days Miss Mary Burton would become the bride of Mr. Jefferson Edwardes, head of Edwardes and Edwardes. At first Hamilton said nothing. His face paled a little and he reached out and fingered a paper weight and a pen, with the gesture of one whose brain takes no thought of what his hand does.

Then slowly his eyes kindled into the tawny gleam of a tigerish light.

"It was very good of them to wait so long," he said significantly. "I think I am just about ready now."

"What do you mean, Hamilton?" Paul bent forward and spoke with alarm.

"Mean?" Hamilton came to his feet and his anger snapped across the table like a powerful current leaping a broken wire. He took up a delicately fashioned statuette of porcelain and tossed it to the stone flagging of the hearth where it lay shivered. He walked over and contemptuously kicked some of the fragments toward the open fire.

"Mean! I mean that I shall treat him like that. What's left when I'm through, Mary can have—for a wedding or a funeral which ever seems the most suitable."

For once in his life a flame of resistance and momentary courage leaped up in Paul Burton.

"You shall do nothing of the sort," he vehemently declared. "Mary is my blood and your blood and my mother's blood. You shan't sacrifice her, merely because she loves a man whom you hate."

"Stop!" Hamilton raised his hands warningly. "Don't throw yourself to the enemy, Paul. Don't make an irreconcilable breach between us. I do not find fault with your sympathy. I should hate you if you did not feel it—but this man Edwardes is doomed. Nothing can save him. If heaven itself fought for him, I would make war on heaven. Whoever attempts to thwart me—even if it be you, Paul, shall go to ruin. We won't talk of this again."

* * *

Mary Burton awoke one morning to see, through her window blinds, a mixture of snow and rain falling from low-hanging clouds; yet her lips parted in a smile. She glanced at the clock by her bed. It was eleven. In just one week and sixty minutes she and Jefferson Edwardes would be standing at the altar.

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By O'Ryan O'Bryan

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They owned two adjoining ancestral places well furnished with fathers and mothers, and from cellars to attics, particularly the attics, with chairs and things, and with servants to dust the chairs and things. They owned also one grandmother in common besides two or three others in severalty.

Said their mothers, whom grandmother-in-common's illness called away, "How fortunate that school is in session; otherwise the girls might be lonely," a maternal euphemism resulting from long years of practice.

The term closed, however, without the mothers' presence to soften the blow. Grandmother-in-common's illness necessitated a longer leave of absence, which was granted in a characteristic message: "We're all right, little mothers. Stay as long as you please. Love to gram."

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The mothers were becoming uneasy. The daughters were becoming uneasy too. Usually when these restless fits came on the girls were tactfully guided into the paths of philanthropy. "Great executive ability" their mothers said they had, and indeed they could dress dolls or make scrapbooks for children's hospitals if necessary, but they just doted on sales.

When a sale was announced, their subordinates drew a long breath. The mothers fell to work with a will, echoing the remark of Rosa, the cook: "Now we knows where wese at. I can stan' on my feets all day makin' canny, an' I doesn' complains, but it's dese yere surprisin's dat gibs me de misery in my haid."

The restlessness now worked itself into a fever, and as it reached its height simultaneously in both girls they started on a run from their respective homes and met under the linden tree on the boundary of their ancestral lawns.

In breathless duet they exclaimed, "Oh, Susannah, I have an idea!" "Oh, Hepsibah, I have an idea!"

Their names were neither Susannah (always spelled with an "h") nor Hepsibah. Their mothers in youthful ignorance of what good form would demand in a name later had called them Nellie and Gracie. The girls early came to despise these weakly cognomens, and when some Harvard anthority in a proud spasm of reform changed their Uncle Harry's name to Henry without so much as saying by your leave they promptly said, "We'll change ours." Susannah and Hepsibah they became to each other from that moment. The fathers and mothers at first stoutly resisted, but might prevailed. The general public now knew no others.

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When his turn came, Hepsibah's father said much the same thing.

The mothers embraced each other fervently. "The little dears," they said and slept the sleep of the unworried.

This was Friday. The sale was set for the next Wednesday. Grandmother-in-common was now recovering rapidly.

Tuesday night the mothers said to each other, "We're homesick."

"Wouldn't a surprise be fun?"

"Let's go home. I should enjoy a sale when we haven't worked to get ready for it."

"We won't even telephone for the carriage. The girls will need all the help they can have."

This was true. A sale without the two faithful henchwomen called for manual labor as well as executive ability.

Thus it was that the waning Wednesday afternoon found the two mothers hurrying on foot up the street from the station.

"Look at all the people coming down the street," remarked Susannah's mother. "There must be a circus in town."

"Yes, or a fire somewhere. They all seem to be carrying something."

"They are mostly women and look like the Plains people."

"Not all. There's Mrs. Gaines."

Now, Mrs. Gaines was an intimate friend, and with smiling faces they stopped to greet her. To their astonishment, she only gave a vicious little flirt to an out of date orange colored workbag hanging from her arm and walked by with averted face.

Not far behind her was another acquaintance from whom they received only a cold nod.

"What in the world! Do they think mother had the smallpox, or have the Dawsons failed, or what is the matter?"

"Oh, look at that woman! I do believe she has Grandfather Dawson's white bell hat. I know there isn't another in town."

"And that one with the silk waist hanging out of a water pitcher! There must have been a rummage sale."

The horrible truth flashed upon both at the same instant.

"My old rose waist!" gasped Susannah's mother.

"My Grandmother Pelham water pitcher!" moaned Hepsibah's mother.

There was no question now. Every one past whom their hurrying steps led them bore some half forgotten treasure seen only at housecleaning time.

They were women of fine sentiment, never willing to destroy anything about which fond memories could twine, and their large ancestral attics were filled to overflowing with what Rosa significantly called "heaps of plander," the accumulations of several generations of Dawsons, Pelhams and Gaynors and the reapings of many Christmas harvests.

They rushed on, growing more and more sick at heart as they met here and there among the throng friends who dwelt within the circle of Christmas giving. When they reached the lawn, out of the tumult of their souls rose a bubble of pride that, awful as it was, the girls had displayed their usual executive ability.

Under the linden tree sat Hepsibah, the cashier, with a goodly pile of money before her. Patrolling the grounds and keeping an eye on each grinning negro in charge of the heaps of goods, which had been carefully assorted, classified and grouped around the trees, walked Susannah, the general manager.

The mothers had been too long under the yoke to make a scene, but as they walked from one ancestral tree to another and read the gorgeous placards tacked to the trunks their emotions were many and deep:

"Shoemakers' tools used by Great-grandfather Dawson."

"Infant wardrobe of the Gaynor branch," mostly rags.

"Great-grandmother Pelham's wedding dishes," a most disreputable collection of pans and crockery ware.

"Great bargains in Christmas presents. Good as new; some never used."

At this finishing stroke the Mothers Dawson fled each to her own heats and wept behind closed blinds. "They will never forgive us!" they sobbed. "No wonder Mrs. Gaines didn't speak!"

A sudden shower put an end to the sale. A little uneasy in their souls, the girls went in to report results. When the interviews were over, it was not the Mothers Dawson who came out with drooping heads. On the contrary, these accomplished ladies used down the lawns and shook hands in solemn compact under the linden tree.

Said Susannah's mother, "Hereafter I am to be boss of my own ranch."

"Same here," said Hepsibah's mother.

Then a blush of shame spread over their faces that even in this their hour of independence their speech should betray their daughters' influence.

"I mean that from this time forth I shall control the affairs of my own household."

"And I mean that the same conclusion has been reached by me."

They have a hard job before them.

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How He Kept Informed on Clocks.

A fad more or less general is the collecting of old clocks, from the tall grandfather variety to the curious timekeepers of foreign make. The garrets of old farmhouses from Maine to the Carolinas have been ransacked for the former, and there is many a shen and woman in New York who keeps an eye on the pawnshops of the foreign districts for curious and ancient things from abroad.

"It is almost impossible to keep them all running," complained a woman who has two dozen aged and valuable clocks scattered through her Madison avenue home. "They seem to be in good order and run along for awhile, then all of a sudden they stop for no reason at all.

"I have found an old German who knows more about the ways of old clocks than any one in the city. I sent him my German prize a few weeks ago, and when it did not come back after the usual period of waiting I went to his shop. What do you think I found him reading?"

The friend did not have the slightest idea.

"It was a little German volume with a title something like this: "Thirteen Hundred Reasons Why a Clock Is Perfect Order Won't Run."—New York Tribune.

He Drew the Nine.

On one occasion Mr. Justice Hawkins, who always wore his hair close-cropped when on circuit in the South of England, and went for a country walk with a brother judge. Being thirsty the two judges entered a wayside inn in the rear of which were two laborers playing skittles. They decided to join in the game, and each taking one of the players as a partner, entered into the game with spirit.

Getting hot, Mr. Justice Hawkins took off his coat; getting hotter, he removed his hat. His lordship's partner at once stopped playing. "Go on, my friend," said Hawkins; "why do you stop?" "I don't mind doin' neighborly," replied the man, looking at Hawkins's close-cropped head, "but I'm hanged if I be a-goin' to play skittles with a ticket-of-leave man!"

An Invisible Clock.

A public clock which can be heard but not seen is one of London's curious possessions. It is in the tower of St. Mary Abbot's church, Kensington, and is the only public clock in the immediate neighborhood. It chimes the quarters and the hours, but commits itself no further. It has no dial, no hands, no outward and visible sign of any kind to show that it is a clock. This eccentricity, it is explained, is the result of two causes, one aesthetic, the other financial. When the tower was built in 1897 a clock was suggested as an afterthought, but the architect protested that it would mean the addition of 15ft. to the tower, and the ruin of its cherished proportions. A second point was that the church, having but slender funds, could not afford a clock with a dial. A compromise was arrived at by installing the works of a chiming clock in the belfry without dial or hands.

All Perishable.

Mighty few welcomes come with a guarantee not to wear out.

WELCOMED WOUNDED

ARRIVAL IN SWITZERLAND OF CONVALESCING PRISONERS.

Thrilling Reception Accorded to Wounded British and Colonial Soldiers From Germans Camps—At Every Point of Their Journey They Were Literally Showered With Flowers and Gifts.

JAMES CUSIN, president of the Toronto Swiss Society, gives the following detailed account regarding the triumphant arrival in Switzerland from Germany of a large number of British and colonial soldiers, which he received from his native country recently. The party consisted of 304 English Tommies, 32 officers, a number of Sikhs and Ghurkas, two Japanese, and a large number of Canadians.

The information says: "Having left Constance, Switzerland, this first convoy of English prisoners convalescing coming from German camps, has had from Constance to Chateau d'Oex, a most triumphant trip across Switzerland. The heroes of Ypres, Epres, the Marne, and de Vimy, have been welcomed and covered with flowers. In Zurich the reception was enthusiastic. At Berne, the capital, an immense crowd was on the platform of the station and the diplomatic body was represented by Mr. Beau, the French ambassador.

"The number included the English minister, Grant Duff, and most of the members of the British legation, who had left the night before to welcome the wounded soldiers. The officers and the English soldiers in khaki, who were on the train, were all standing at the windows of the car greeting the crowd by waving their caps and shouting hurrahs for Switzerland.

"The cars were literally overflowing with flowers, and Swiss and English flags, foods, cigarettes, and gifts of all kinds. The wounded could not hide their emotion. The English prisoners at Berne incited a lively interest, the colonial troops, especially the Canadians, Australians, and a Ghurka, coming in for especial attention.

"Everybody was touched by the good appearance and sympathetic behavior of officers and English soldiers, all cleanly shaved and clad in clean uniforms. Most interesting were their descriptions of the war and their captivity in Germany.

Many of them were sick and unable to come out of the cabs, but all of those able to do so walked to the dining-room of the station where they were served with coffee, milk, tea, and other beverages. The reception to the soldiers continued along the trip at Lausanne, Vevey, and Montreux, where it almost reached a delirium. The British soldiers were so touched that, despite the fact that they were more reserved than the French, tears ran down their thin cheeks. They stood at attention when the band played God Save the King, which is set to the same music as the Swiss National Anthem.

"At five o'clock they reached Montreux, where breakfast was served on the terrace of Hotel Swiss, having in front of them one of the most beautiful panoramas of the world, while the orchestra played over and over again, 'Tipperary.' When the train was leaving at six o'clock the Tommies were all waving Swiss flags, while on the platform the crowd was waving Union Jacks with enthusiastic shouts. The pockets of the Tommies were overflowing with chocolates and cigarettes.

"Evelyn Grant Duff, the English minister, made a speech in which he thanked Switzerland for her bread hospitality, referring again to the ties which unite the two countries. He stated that in Switzerland sympathies were not all on the same side, but the subject upon which there was a unanimity of opinion was the treatment of victims of war. He said it would for ever be to the glory of Switzerland to show herself the sister of charity to all. In all the cities through which the wounded and the refugees have passed the people have welcomed them with kindness and hospitality. Turning to the soldiers he said, 'The Swiss have given a great welcome to you. The same people regret your departure.

"All that Switzerland is doing for the interned soldiers is pure charity and good will, none of the generous helpers having any money interests in the matter. Even arguments regarding religion are strictly prohibited."

Heated Gloves for Aviators.

A British firm has recently introduced electrically-heated gloves for aviators. Cold hands and feet are among the prime discomforts experienced by airmen flying at great altitudes, and it is obvious that numbed hands in particular may lead to disaster. Ordinary gloves, irrespective of their thickness, are of little use. The electrically-heated gloves, on the other hand, maintain the hands at a comfortable temperature. As in the instance of the electrically-heated gloves for automobile drivers, electrical connection is made between small brass discs on the gloves and metal plates on the steering wheel of aircraft.

Didn't Mind How Clock Lying.

In a baker's shop near Oldham they have a grandfathers' clock in one corner and a small clock on the mantelshelf, and the grandfather's clock has not been altered according to the Daylight Saving Bill.

"How is it," asked a customer, "you've altered the small clock and not the grandfather's clock?"

"Well," replied the old shopkeeper, "the grandfather's clock's been telling the truth for over forty years, and I can't find it in my heart to make a liar of it now. But the small clock was made in Germany, so it be all right, no right we can be for that!"

FINDING A "FINDER."

A Scientific Thief Confesses His Misdeeds to a Writer.

He was sixty; hair just beginning to grey; of staid, almost solemn, appearance. The sort of man old ladies in bathchairs would call "most respectable." The man you would ask to hold your gold watch while you dived into the sea for a rescue. You may know the type? Scrupulously neat and clean; clothes a trifle old-fashioned and well-worn, but not shabby.

Pushed to a guess, you might have ventured that he was a retired retainer—one of the old, loyal-to-the-family sort, just managing to exist and keep himself decent on some small annuity.

And, for fact, he was a professional "finder," a seeker and snapper-up of the lost, the temporarily mislaid, the forgotten. And with him "findings were keepings." Baldly, he was a scientific thief.

I had left my tobacco-pouch on a bench, sans a writer in London Answers, but remembered it, and returned just in time to see Mr. Respectable put it in his pocket and walk away. I followed, but before I overtook him he had sat down again, and a lady's handbag followed my pouch into his capacious pocket.

Then I came on the scene, and the price of forgiveness was my pouch back to me, the lady's bag to the attendant, and his "confession." For what it is worth, I may quote his solemn declaration that that day was to see the end of his "findings." An endowment-policy, he said, had matured.

"People are very careless," he continued. "A lady will come down here with her children. They play about while she reads. Her bag falls from her lap, so she hangs it on the chair, and——" He ended with an expressive shrug.

"And you 'find' it?" I completed. "And very quickly, too?"

"Yes; I suppose so. But one must live."

"By stealing?" I asked sternly.

"The word is a hard one," he said sadly. "I take what is left, that is all. And if I did not 'find' the things others would. I don't know that the result would be different. I have returned several things I have found—keys, letters, spectacles, and so on."

"Gold-rimmed spectacles, too?" I hazarded, and got home. His face showed me that.

"Now," I continued, "as you're going out of business, just tell me how many 'things' you 'find' in a week, and what they're worth to you?"

"Twenty, and perhaps twenty-five, in a week; but that includes big and little—gloves, tobacco pouches, and so on. Some weeks I don't make more than thirty shillings or so. At other times I have been a little—or—more fortunate.

"Purses, of course, are the best things to 'find.' They have been much busier," he added naively, "since paper-money came in. Do you know how many things are lost in a town like this every day?" (The town was a big South Coast watering place, with an all-the-year-round season.) "Put them at a hundred, and you might be much below the mark. There's a big list in the evening paper each day; and, of course, not many of the losers advertise.

"You've got a trained eye, I can see."

"Y-yes. Look!" he said. And my eyes followed his gesture. An old gentleman had taken off his overcoat, padded the back of the seat with it, and was leaving it behind.

"Go and tell him!" I commanded. He went, and came back with—sixpence!

"I could have sold that coat for fifteen shillings easily!" he said, with a sigh.

"Ever been caught?" I asked.

He looked hurt.

"No. If I meet the owner I am always glad to return what I have found. Once or twice"—and the shadow of a twinkle passed over his eyes—"I have had to explain that I must be permitted to carry out my intention—leave the lost article at the police-station."

"What made you take to this 'finding' business?"

"Well, I found one or two things quite accidentally, and it made me think a bit, I suppose. Then I began to look for the lost.

"I came here last year quite by chance. It's a good place for my 'profession'; there's so many invalids here, and they are very careless. Yes; I expect I can judge a probable 'loser.' I have always studied faces. But this is my last day. The need no longer exists."

Drop in Montreal.

According to figures given out recently by Building Inspector Cahusse of Montreal, the building record for the first six months of the current year shows a decrease of one million dollars as compared with the same period of last year. For the first half of 1915 the value of permits issued was $3,419,000, while for the first six months of the current year the figures were $2,484,000.

100 YEARS

and more, people with chest and throat troubles have tried to cure them by pouring cough syrups, lung tonics and the like into their *stomachs*. All a mistake! The Peps way is different.

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FORESTERS ENOUGH.

Three Battalions Have a Total Strength of 3,600 Men.

It is expected that the two Forestry battalions now being raised in Canada—the 238th and 246th—will provide all the lumbermen that will be needed for the operation in the Old Country, in addition to the 1,550 men already there, members of the 224th BattaMon. The three battalions will have a total strength of over 3,600 men, who will be able to cut a lot of wood.

The 238th Battalion, under Lieut.-Colonel Smythe, is well over the 700 mark, while the 246th is just being organized. The commander of the 246th, Lieut.-Colonel John B. White, is in Ottawa, buying equipment for both forestry battalions. He has already been overseas looking over the timber limits, and knows the needs of the new units.

The 224th is doing most of its work in the North of Scotland, cutting Scotch pine. There is a company at work in the park at Windsor Castle, cutting trees there, and a third company at New Forest.

There is a party in a camp near Diver, and some men still at Bramshott. The new battalions will likely be sent to France. Lieut.-Colonel White was over the ground there, and found a great deal of timber suitable for lumbering, so that it is likely, if not all, at least the majority of the men now joining will soon be laying low the trees in France.

Eight sawmills have been sent from Canada to England, six for the 224th Forestry Battalion and two for the Forestry Committee in England, which has supervision over the lumbering operations there during the war. They are mills typical of the Canadian lumbering industry, and are generally known in Canada as portable mills, although they cannot be transported with the facility of most mills which carry the name "portable." They are entirely new to the British Isles, and their wonderful efficiency is said to be causing much interest. They each have a capacity of from 15,000 to 20,000 feet a day, and include the edger, slash saw, saws for making railway ties, etc., in addition to their big 50-inch circular saw. They have 40-horse-power locomotive boilers.

Christian Soldiers.

That many of our leading soldiers and sailors are devout Christians is well known. Lord Roberts was wont to say family prayers, and there is the authority of a London vicar for saying that nearly every day Lord Kitchener visited his church and spent a few minutes there in silent prayer. He started the practice very shortly after the commencement of the war. The church was almost invariably empty when he came, and even when other worshippers were present they did not seem to recognise the Secretary for War.

PUT CREAM IN NOSE AND STOP CATARRH

Tells How To Open Clogged Nostrils and End Head-Colds.

You feel fine in a few moments. Your cold in head or catarrh will be gone. Your clogged nostrils will open. The air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more dullness, headache; no hawking, snuffling, mucous discharges or dryness; no struggling for breath at night.

Tell your druggist you want a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream in your nostrils, let it penetrate through every air passage of the head; soothe and heal the swollen, inflamed mucous membrane, and relief comes instantly.

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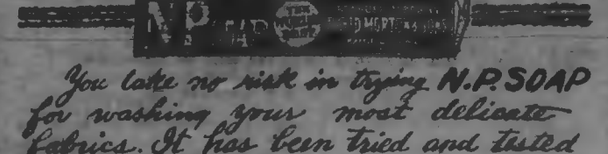

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BEST BY TEST

GIVES UP HIS LEG.

One of the Most Remarkable Surgical Operations on Record.

One of the most remarkable surgical operations on record is now being performed at the Grand Palais, Paris, the massive building usually used for the annual salon but now transformed into a vast hospital. Here two soldiers lie side by side, bound together like Siamese twins, while a large portion of the leg of one of them is being slowly transferred into the leg of the other one. Noted surgeons are gathered about, watching the slow development, which they regard as marvelous both from the surgical standpoint as well as from the sentimental, in which one soldier is calmly giving day by day part of his body to a fellow soldier.

The two men lie on their backs on a large operating table in one of the halls of the hospital. They lie in opposite directions, the head of one near the feet of the other, like the figures on playing cards. They are among the most seriously wounded of the younger class of soldiers, one 26 and the other 23 years old. The younger, Rousselot, was wounded in the leg at the battle of Morhange in the early days of the war. He was taken prisoner to Germany, where the surgeons say he did not receive intelligent attention. Brought back here it was necessary to perform a second operation to lengthen his leg 14 centimetres (about 5½ inches). But after the operation was performed, there was still a lack of bony matter between the two portions of the broken femur.

The other soldier, Tillette, an artilleryman, was seriously wounded in the leg in the desperate fighting over Fort Douamont. In a bold operation his leg was amputated above the knee. Later it was found that a second operation was necessary in order to shorten the leg by some centimetres.

It was at this point that the surgeons concluded that the soldier who needed the shortened leg could give up this portion to the soldier who needed the longer leg. Tillette was consulted by the chief surgeon, the operation of grafting was fully explained to him and it was made known also that he was rendering a service to a soldier comrade and to science. He did not hesitate, but gave his full assent.

Thereupon the operation began, and now, after some weeks, the two soldiers lie there on their backs, the right thigh of Rousselot against the left thigh of Tillette, bound together with the same surgical bandage so as to prevent the slightest shifting of the operated parts until the phenomena of transferring one leg to the other is accomplished.

Scotsmen Are French Citizens.

Every Scotsman in France is a French citizen, with all the rights and privileges of such, if he chooses to claim them! In other words, every Scotsman born in Scotland is also a Frenchman, and is thus possessed of two nationalities. Surely a unique position.

Rheims has been very prominent during the present war, and it was there, after his coronation in 1429, that Charles VII. promulgated a decree that, in return for the assistance rendered by the Scottish soldiers to Joan of Arc, who defeated the English and made his coronation possible, Scotsmen were for all time to be considered free citizens of France.

Now the whirligig of time has once more brought the Scots to the neighborhood of Rheims to assist their fellow French citizens, not against the English, but, in conjunction with them, against the would-be destroyers of civilisation.

Why He Joined.

Early last year a patriotic grocer in a small Scottish village decided that either he or his assistant must go. And as he himself was single, his mother and sisters being well provided for from their shares in the shop, he thought he was the more suited. Mackay, the assistant, agreed promptly, and presently found himself in command of the business. But a few months later the master was dumbfounded to meet his late assistant, attired in khaki, "somewhere in France." "H'e, mon," he said angrily, "did I no' tell ye tae stay at hame in chairge o' ma shop?" "So I thocht at the time, maister," replied Mackay, "but I sune fun' oot it wisna only the shop I was in chairge o', but a 'yer womenfolk. 'Man,' sez I tae maeself, 'gin ye've got to fecht, gang an' fecht someone ye can hit,' so I joined."

Senator Belcourt Took Air Trip.

Senator Belcourt, while visiting Aldershot, was given what was called a "joy ride" in an aeroplane. The pilot treated him to an extra assortment of thrills, going through all the hair-raising aerial manoeuvres he could think of, short of looping the loop. Senator Belcourt was apparently relieved to find himself once more on terra firma, and remarked, that, while he could think of several phrases which would describe his experience, "joy ride" was not one of them.

RECORD BID FOR PEARLS.

$120,000 Paid for a Three-Row Necklace.

Remarkable prices were realized at a jewel sale at Christie's in London. A necklace, composed of 193 pearls, was bought by Messrs. Tasburn & Co. for $120,000, and a single-row pearl necklace was sold for $24,000. The $120,000 is a London record. In 1902 the Dudley pearl necklace of 47 round pearls realized $111,000, to be beaten in the following year by the Gordon-Lennox three rows of 287 pearls at $112,500. In 1907 the Lewis-Hill adornment of 220 pearls reached $80,000; the necklace of 46 pearls belonging to the late Lily Duchess of Marlborough, brought $85,000 in 1911, and the Lindsay necklace of 53 pearls, $72,000 in 1912. The necklace now offered as "the property of a lady," was in three rows of 193 pearls of superb Orient with a delicate tinge of pink, the pearls being beautifully matched and cunningly graduated.

Wounds and Infection.

The professional healer, like the professional fighter, has found that many of the things he learnt in South Africa he has had to unlearn in Flanders. Wounds seldom proved troublesome in the Boer War, because the South African veldt was almost virgin; but in Belgium and France, where the land has been cultivated for centuries, the gentle germ is always ready to enter the smallest wound and bring about tetanus and other diseases. At first the surgeons were in despair, fearing that our much-vaunted antiseptics were of no avail.

It required long search and experiment before methods of overcoming new difficulties could be discovered. Then, owing to the lavish use of high-explosive shells, wounds are more complicated and more difficult to keep clean, while the pointed bullet works more harm than the blunt one of the "good old days." Plenty of fresh air is found to work marvels, so there is at least one hospital in which the patients live practically in the open. It has also been found that wounds remain clean if water continually flows over them, so the clever surgeon has constructed little baths which fit over the wound, a supply of warm water impregnated with oxygen continually flowing through.

Dry Docking a Warship.

One of the operations a naval officer dislikes more than anything else is docking a big warship to undergo repairs. It is one of the most difficult tasks imaginable, and the slightest carelessness may mean damage done to the extent of some thousands of pounds. Before being floated into the dock the vessel is usually lightened of everything that can be easily taken from her, and then she is towed in by tugs. The greatest care has to be taken to get the huge mass to float in exactly its proper position so that, when the water is pumped out of the dock it will come to rest upon the keel blocks in such a way that its great weight is evenly distributed.

These big repairing docks, or graving docks, as they are usually called, are built in a series of steps so that they are much narrower at the bottom than at the top. These steps give support to the balks of timber which keep the vessel upright. A float, called a "marker," is used to show that the battleship is in its right position before the water is drained away. Any miscalculation and the vessel might heel over, and there is no stopping a 35,000-ton ship when it begins doing that.

Eskimo Games.

In the matter of amusements the Eskimo are not badly off. They have a form of the cup-and-ball game played there, the ball being a block of ivory with holes at different angles, into which one of the players strives to insert an ivory peg as the block falls, the position of the hole determining the value of the stroke.

Another game closely resembles dominoes, while, when they can borrow or purchase a pack of cards, the more intelligent of them will play with considerable skill; and they enjoy draughts, having learned these games from the whalers. They also have a game exactly like solitaire, with the exception that ivory pegs take the place of glass balls.

The special amusement of the women is a species of "cat's cradle," which has been brought to such perfection that they develop from the string twenty to thirty different figures in it. Indeed, they are extremely clever in performing tricks with string, winding and unwinding a piece in and out among their fingers, and then disentangling it by a single pull on one end.

A Woman's Degrees.

Lord Abinger's daughter, Dr. Ella Scarlet Synge, who has been reporting on the condition of English prisoners in Germany, holds eight academic degrees.

Dickens' Characters.

The works of Charles Dickens contains 1,426 characters.

$150,000 for Wounded.

Mrs. A. H. Scott, the organizer of the sale at the Caledonian Market in London in support of the funds for the wounded of the Allied countries, states that the magnificent sum of $150,000 has been received to date. Certain amounts are outstanding, and there are still some things to be sold. Lady Markham, for instance, had about 600 tons of coal—so that she hoped the grand total would ultimately be nearer $175,000. This was a most astonishing result when, before the sale, the most sanguine view was that $100,000 would be realized. The stall-holders whose receipts were highest were: Lady Markham (coal), Hon. Mrs. Charles Craven, Mrs. A. H. Scott, Mrs. Mathias, Lady Paget, Australian Stall, Italian Stall, and Lady Perley (Canada). Between 70,000 and 80,000 people visited the market.

Memorial to Warneford.

In the town of Wilts a unique memorial will be erected to Flight Lieutenant Warneford, who brought down a Zeppelin from an aeroplane last summer and was himself killed with a journalist in a flying accident a few days later.

The memorial will be erected by the contributions of the Warneford family in all parts of the world, including the British Isles, France, Italy, India, New Zealand, Canada, and Antigua.

The famous exploit of young Warneford has reunited the family, many members of which had entirely got out of touch with their kinsfolk. The Rev. H. L. Warneford, who organized the memorial work, is to write a family history. The earliest known Warneford was instructor in Greek to Charlemagne, the great conqueror.

Australian Bread Prices.

Details of the regulations fixing the prices of flour and bread in the principal cities of Australia are given in an article in the Melbourne Age. The price of flour is fixed at $54.75 a ton, except in Western Australia, where it is $55.48. The price of bread in states other than Western Australia is fixed at 13.2 for a four-pound loaf sold over the counter, and 14.2 cents in Western Australia. Where a fraction of four pounds is bought a proportionate price is to be charged.

What's the Use.

We can learn much from a study of insect life. Even the thousand-legger doesn't do so much kicking as the average man.

TURN HAIR DARK WITH SAGE TEA

If Mixed With Sulphur It Darkens So Naturally Nobody Can Tell

The old-time mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur for darkening gray, streaked and faded hair is grandmother's recipe, and folks are again using it to keep their hair a good, even colour, which is quite sensible, as we are living in an age when a youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage.

Nowadays, though, we don't have the troublesome task of gathering the sage and the mussy mixing at home. All drug stores sell the ready-to-use product, improved by the addition of other ingredients, called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound" for about 50 cents a bottle. It is very popular because nobody can discover it has been applied. Simply moisten your comb or a soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also produces that soft lustre and appearance of abundance which is so attractive. This ready-to-use preparation is a delightful toilet requisite for those who desire a more youthful appearance. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.

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Sunday School Lesson Questions

By Rev. T. S. Linscott, D.D.,
Jan. 7, 1917.

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Jesus the Life and Light of Men. John 1:18.

Golden Text: In Him was life; and the life was the light of men. John 1:4.

1. Verse 1, 2. Why does John here call Jesus the "Word," and what does it mean?

2. Did John mean that the man Jesus who was born of Mary, that is his human nature, was God, or that the person who dwelt in, and dominated his humanity was God?

3. All orthodox Christians believe that Jesus was very God, and very man, how then, would you distinguish between his humanity and his divinity?

4. Verse 3. What can you say for, or against, the theory that matter is eternal?

5. No person claims that this world always existed, how then, do you account for its origin?

6. Would you say that the Word "made" the world out of nothing, or out of pre-existing material?

7. Verse 4. Life on this planet began to be, how could it originate, if it did not spring from an eternal and self existing "life?"

8. When the Word created life, did he do it as a finished product, that is life fully organized, or create the germ only?

9. Which for example, demonstrates the more wonderful wisdom, and power, to make the egg, or the chicken, first?

10. Jesus is the creator of our physical and spiritual life, and of our "light," or reason, by imparting himself to us, what then is our relation to him?

11. Verse 5. Whit brought "darkness" to this world and what effect does it have upon the shining of the true light?

12. Verses 6-8. What was the prime mission of John the Baptist?

13. How can it be shown that Jesus is the true light, that lighteth every man born in this world?

14. Verses 10, 11. How do you account for it, that Jesus the world's creator, and eternal friend, was rejected when he came to the earth, and that the majority are still rejecting him?

15. Verses 12 13. What wonderful thing comes into a man's life when he accepts of Jesus?

16. Verse 14. God was pleased to dwell in, and to become part and parcel of the body of Jesus, why should that be thought to be any more a mystery than the sublime mystery of life itself?

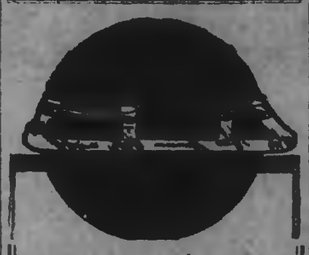
17. Verse 15. What testimony did John the Baptist give concerning Jesus?

18. Verse 16. To what extent may a man enjoy the "fullness" of Christ?

19. Verse 17. Moses gave the law, and Jesus gives the grace to keep it, does that imply that we can keep God's law or not? And why? (This is one of the questions which may be answered in writing by members of the club).

20. Verse 18. What do you understand from the words of Jesus, "Blessed are the pure in heart for they shall see God?"

Lesson for Sunday, Jan. 14, 1917. John the Baptist and Jesus. John 1:19-34.



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A SUMMARY OF TO-DAY'S WAR CABLES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, January 5.—That Canada will have munitions business in the coming year of five hundred millions if her people will respond to the call for national saving and give to the extent of their powers, is the statement made by Sir Thomas White, Minister of Finance, this morning.

"The distribution of this money," says Sir Thomas, "would mean a continuance of favourable business conditions which in turn will support the Dominion's credit in her financing for war purchases. All the money distributed from time to time by the expenditure should through saving be made available for fresh credits on the strength of which new orders will be placed.

"Canada," concluded the Minister, "can procure all the business which she can finance, and shells are what Great Britain needs more than anything else."

PARIS (French Official), January 5.—Active interchange of artillery fire around Dossumont and Vaux, marked last night's fighting on the western front, to-day's official statement said.

Engagements of advanced posts by Serbians on the Macedonian front was also detailed.

LONDON, January 5.—Germany is preparing a tremendous naval effort, says the Amsterdam correspondent of the Daily Express. From German sources it appears that the greatest activity is now prevailing from Emden to Memel. The Kiel yards are turning out submarines of the largest type only, while torpedo boats are being built at Hamburg and Cuxhaven.

NEW YORK, January 5.—A Times cable from London to-day declares the chief feature of the Allies' peace terms will be heavy indemnity and reparation to all Allied nations.

LIVERPOOL, January 5.—Governmental control over corn as well as over wheat and flour was announced to-day.

BERLIN, via Sayville, January 5.—The capture of Slobozia and Rotesti in Roumania was announced to-day by the War Office.

Gurguetil and Rumandi, two other Roumanian towns, were captured after hand-to-hand battles. Proceeding from house to house, the German forces took 1,400 prisoners and six machine guns.

WASHINGTON, January 5.—Every indication pointed this afternoon to a two or three-days' delay to a Senate vote on the Hitchcock resolution endorsing the President's note to belligerents.

BERLIN, January 5.—"Sanguinary losses" were inflicted on British troops on the east edge of Loos by a detachment of Allenburg infantry, which penetrated into the fourth hostile trench and captured 51 prisoners, but retired from this position, says a War Office statement.

AMSTERDAM, January 5.—Great significance was attached to the passage by Austro-German censors to-day of a quotation from the Vienna newspaper Arbiter Zeitung asking the government to "Discover if the Entente would be ready to negotiate peace, after an evacuation by Teutonic troops in the west, and if so that the evacuation be made immediately."

LONDON, January 4.—The official communication issued to-night by the War Office says:

"Yesterday we successfully raided enemy trenches northeast of Arras. His positions also were entered by us early this morning in two places in the neighbourhood of Wytschaete.

"East of Armentieres, after a heavy bombardment, a party of Germans endeavoured to approach our trenches. They were driven off with losses before they were able to reach our lines.

"The enemy exploded a mine early this morning north of the bluff. The enemy's artillery activity continues marked in the neighbourhood of Ypres. Elsewhere the intermittant artillery activity continued on both sides."

PARIS, January 4.—A special Havas despatch from the British front in France says:

"Gen. Sir Douglas Haig to-day commands the largest army Great Britain ever levied on her soil. The number of effectives in the British army in France on Jan. 1 was nearly 2,000,000 men, completely trained and ready, day or night, to receive orders from their commander-in-chief.

"This figure only refers to the British forces in France, and is exclusive of those employed in the defence of Great Britain, Ireland, India, Salonika, Egypt, Mesopotamia and Africa."

CHAS. COBEN, veteran member of the County Council, who has retired from the Township Council of Galway and Cavendish.

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FEDERAL MEMBER FOR PETERBOROUGH BACK IN CANADA

Capt. J. H. Burnham of the 93rd Battalion Arrives in Ottawa and is Expected to Reach Peterboro' To-morrow

WAS IN FRANCE

OTTAWA, Jan. 4.—Captain J. H. Burnham, M.P. for West Peterborough, arrived in the capital to-day en route to his home in Peterborough, from the front. Captain Burnham, who went overseas with a Peterborough battalion, has returned to do recruiting work, and will attend the coming session of Parliament. Captain Burnham quoted Sir Julian Byng, commander of the Canadians, in high praise of the character and soldiers. The returned M.P. was in the front trenches and had one narrow shave when a trench which he had visited an hour before was the object of an enemy raid. Eight of its defenders were killed and 14 wounded, but the last man succeeded in holding it with a machine gun.

Captain Burnham will likely arrive in Peterborough to-morrow. He is billed to speak at Pembroke at a recruiting meeting to-night.

A Laidlaw's Annual January Sale

The attention of gentlemen is directed to A. Laidlaw's annual January sale of "Fashion-Craft" suits and overcoats, which begins to-morrow. Good dressers in need of a new high-class suit or up-to-date overcoat of whatever type of build desired, can save good money by taking advantage of this bona-fide sale. See the advertisement on the first page of this issue. Mr. Laidlaw carries out everything he advertises about this sale without any reservation. The convenient system by which he has the garments arranged serves an excellent purpose in showing each style without delay to the customer as well as all the good points and values of the shop of "Fashion Craft."

May Tour English Companies in Canada

A. G. Delamater, theatrical producer of New York, is making a short tour of Canada, with a view to bringing over prominent English stars and companies for Canadian tours.

Mr. Delamater stopped off last night en route from Toronto to Montreal, and spent the evening with Mr. W. F. Turner. His attraction, "Mother Love," playing at the Grand Opera House, Toronto, will be presented at the Grand, here, Tuesday night, next.

CONCLUDING MEETING TO WEEK OF PRAYER

Another very successful service with an overflowing congregation was held at All Saints' Church last evening. The concluding meeting will be held in Trinity Church to-night. The speaker will be the Rev. R. Pogue.

SUBJECT—"Preparedness for After the War."

It may be raining to-night. If so your attendance will be a more definite witness for Christ and a clearer evidence of your interest in the boys in the trenches who have fought through months of worst weather than Peterborough ever experienced.

All are welcome. Let us have a worthy close to a week of phenomenally successful meetings. Collection to-night to defray expenses.

PTE. T. E. BARNS OF 93rd BATTALION IS SEVERELY WOUNDED

Went Overseas as a Member of A Company and Was Drafted to the Mounted Rifles---Recruiting Tour In Interest of 247th Battalion Arranged---Band to Visit Millbrook, Norwood, Havelock and Lakefield---To-day's General Military News.

Still another former member of the 93rd Battalion has been reported wounded. Mrs. Florence Barns, Claraday P.O., received a telegram from Ottawa this morning notifying her that her husband, Pte. T. E. Barns, of the Mounted Rifles, formerly of the 93rd Battalion, has been admitted to No. 26 General Hospital, Etaples, on Dec. 29, wounded severely in the arm. Pte. Barns enlisted in Lt.-Col. Johnston's unit in November of 1915, and went overseas as a member of A Company, afterwards transferring to the Mounted Rifles in a draft from the 93rd.

The following extract from a letter by Signaller Kenneth C. McClelland, a Peterborough boy, with the 9th Brigade Headquarters in France, is a striking endorsement of the work of the Y.M.C.A. at the front:

"I only have three sheets of paper which I managed to get at the Y.M.C.A. By the way I'll never forget the good that institution has done over here for the fellows. It is our only place of amusement, and thanks to the people they are so well placed and in great numbers."

Lt.-Col. Ackerman is arranging for a recruiting tour in the interests of his battalion the week after next, when the 93rd Band will give a series of concerts. Millbrook, Norwood, Havelock and Lakefield will all be visited during that week. A representative of the 247th will visit all four villages next week to make the arrangements.

Bandmaster Hughes' organization will play at the recruiting meeting in the Armouries Sunday night, when Dr. J. W. Edwards, the member for Frontenac, and Col. Ponton, of Belleville, will deliver addresses in aid of the 247th Battalion.

Mrs. Coons of the Canadian Kitchener League has received the following letter from Pte. Chas. Veenman, a Peterborough boy with the Mounted Rifles:

December 12th, 1916.

Dear Mrs. Coons,—Just a few lines from the boys and myself thanking you for the socks you help to send to us, and which you may be sure were greatly appreciated by us all, for we received them just at night time when we were going into the line and as the weather has been bad of late and lots of mud, which isn't very pleasant to have to wade around in witho t a pair of dry socks. Many thanks for the box of candies we found in the middle of the bundle, they sure did go good, they lasted about as long as Frits did when our fellows went after him at the Somme. Well Mrs. Coons, as it will soon be time for me to get busy again I will bring my letter to a close. I am writing to Mrs. Jos. Knox to-night also. So many thanks from us all. Wishing you and the Canadian Kitchener League a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Yours sincerely

PTE. CHARLES VEENMAN.

Among the Canadians mentioned by Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig for meritorious service in the field, is F. K. Wynan, a former resident of Peterborough.

MR. CHAS. COBEN SAW LONG SERVICE IN COUNTY COUNCIL

The retirement of Mr. Charles Coben from the municipal affairs of the combined counties of Galway and Cavendish, removes from the County Council one of its most prominent figures. During his twenty-seven years of active participation in the public life of the northern townships he enjoyed for a long period the honour and responsibility of leadership. From 1907 to 1916, both years inclusive, he represented his municipality in the County Council without a single interruption. All the offices in the gift of that body had been his and previous to 1907 he had spent many terms in the Council. There has been no intimation that he would have been defeated this year, but evidently concluding that he had seen service enough, he announced his retirement, and Mr. Clarke assumes his mantle. Mr. Coben will be greatly missed from the Council. He had the wisdom that comes with years of municipal experience; he took a broad view of all questions the Council discussed; he was decidedly public spirited, and his kindly an genial disposition established his popularity with the succeeding Councils.

Mr. Coben, in joining the ranks of the long-service members of the County Council, who have retired, approaches Mr. Robert Shaw's record of twenty-six years as the representative from Harvey. Mr. Shaw was twenty-seven years in the Township Council. In the County body Shaw and Coben were a formidable combination. They possessed a talent for municipal affairs and displayed an astuteness and capacity that would have served them in a larger field. They were intimate with municipal law, and knew the County of Peterborough from boundary to boundary. In their retirement they have the satisfaction of knowing that they gave the County good service even in the consideration of the minutest detail.

St. Peter's Ladies Had Busy Afternoon

The ladies of St. Peter's Patriotic Club showed their interest in assisting the local branch of the Canadian Red Cross in the campaign undertaken to supply the needs of the men on the battle front, by the large number that came to the workroom at St. Alphonsus Lyceum yesterday afternoon. Ten sewing machines were kept busy all afternoon, and ten more could easily have been used. The tea-room was prettily decorated and was in charge of the Young Ladies Sodality. Mrs. E. J. McCarthy kindly assisted the young ladies by pouring tea and the following looked after the different tables: Misses Sue Kelly, Dib. Welsh, L. Hurley, Irene Dorris, Gertrude McFadden, V. Hickey, L. Godfrey and Florence Leahy. A large number came in to tea and a nice little sum was added to the yarn fund.

DR. NEAL TO TALK.

The meetings of the Senior High School Club of the Y.M.C.A. will be resumed to-night after the holidays when Dr. F. C. Neal will give a vocational talk on "The Doctor."

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Lieut. Fred. S. Hubbs of Peterborough Squadron 8th C.M.R. Just Released From Germany States That the Army is Taking All the Good Food

DOCTOR A KULTUR BRUTE

Lieut. Fred S. Hubbs, who went overseas with the Peterborough squadron of the 8th C. M. R., and who was captured by the Germans, after being badly wounded in the battle of Zillibeke, has written the following most interesting letter to his father, Mr. O. E. Hubbs of the Peterborough Hardware Co., from Switzerland where he is now interned. The Mogers referred to in his letter is Lieut. Harry Rogers of Peterborough, son of Mr. R. B. Rogers, whose friends will be glad to learn that his condition is good and his spirits as high as ever:

Palace Hotel and Grand Hotel Des Alpes, Murren, Switzerland.

December 15, 1916.

Dear Dad,—I have moved again. This time to a new country. I got here yesterday morning after several hours, from Constance, where I was held up for four weeks on account of a mixup in the exchange, but at last we got away on Wednesday p. m., at 7.45, and got some welcome, all the way along, all night, landing here at noon and coming up 5,500 feet at the end. Across from our hotel is the Jungfrau, the Monk and Yeager mountains, and such scenery as I never expected to see. We are about 1,000 British, here, all living in hotels, and it is some change from cabbage soup, half-rotten fish, 1-4 lb. of meat per week and living inside a barb-wire fence with Bosh sentries all around. My parcels were coming good when I came, and of course will, and they will come along I think in due course.

I suppose you knew long ago I am here, as I cabled home from Zurich two nights ago, and the cable should be home long before this gets started.

I did not get used so bad in Germany except in hospital, where I had some trouble, and was nearly court martialed for kicking an orderly away from me for lifting my broken leg wrong and causing the bones to smash through the flesh, but I got it squared. The doctor I had was one of those kultur brutes, and I hope I meet him again after the war. All the others at least did me no harm. I was only unlucky about my doctor.

The general attitude in Germany has changed a lot since the early days. There is a great deal of starvation among the civilians as the army takes all the good grub and they are generally seeing that the finish will be bad for them; but I think we will have one more year before we have them right, and next year will be some hell. I met Col. Usher at Constance, but he did not pass the Commission. He has gone to Friedberg, where Rogers is. It is a fine camp, (as camps go.) I met a chap who was there with Rogers, and he says Rogers is fine, and was already working on a minstrel show. Our boys are all right for parcels, and one thing about the Bosh, they are afraid to steal your parcels. So all you suffer from that source is delay.

My leg is not so bad as it was in Bosnland; it got a lot better as soon as I crossed the border, but I will get treatment here to make it bend. We have a curling club here and skiing and tobogganing and all winter sports and there are about twenty-five of us in a big hotel with all the fixings. I am afraid yet I will wake up and see the wire outside, and a Bosh sentry walking up and down. The Boshes are not all devils and were they out from under the thumb of the military caste would be pretty good people. They are very saving and industrious, and a grand nation of boot-lickers from the bottom up. I am feeling fine and expect to get in shape in a few months, but cannot go very far here as yet, as I am now acclimatised to either the decent grub or the altitude, but guess I will improve. I will write you again soon as there is no limit to our correspondence here, and let you know just how things are. Good-bye for now,

FRED.

Address, name, rank, etc.,
Murren, Switzerland.

PATRIOTIC RECITAL

Miss Helen Davies Sherry at St. Paul's Church this evening at 8.15 p. m. Admission 50c. Otonabee Chapter I. O. D. E.

Falling Off In Circulation Due to Decreased Demand For Fiction But There Has Been an Encouraging Increase in Circulation of Books Relating to Fine Arts and in Sociology.

THE LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

At the meeting of the Public Library Board last night, the librarian, Mr. F. M. Dale Foass, presented his annual report as follows:

Gentlemen,—I beg herewith to present my report on the work accomplished and the progress made in the Public Library during the past year.

Save in one respect the Library has had the most successful year in its history. An exception has to be made in the matter of circulation, which shows a falling off compared with 1915 of about 6,000 volumes. This in itself is not a great matter as the main falling off has been in Fiction as will be seen in the tables appended in this section. There has been an encouraging increase in the circulation of books relating to Useful Arts and Sociology.

1915		1916		
Fiction	40938	40000		938
Biography	960	1000	40	
Philosophy	280	280		
Religion	280	280		
Sociology	1047	1200	153	
Philology	21	7		14
Nat. Science	940	1000	60	
Useful Arts	797	1000	203	
Fine Arts	400	400		
Literature	1200	1100		100
Travel	1000	1000	40	
History	1046	1100	54	
Magazines	800	800		
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Decrease altogether 938.

The total number of juvenile books taken out during the year was 8,212, a marked increase over the previous twelve months, the number for 1915 being 8,012.

During the year 1,366 volumes have been added to the Library, of which 1,046 were for adults and 320 for juveniles. The classes were made up as follows: General Science 27, Literature 105, Biography 20, General Reference 27, Sociology 46, Fine Arts 33, Religion 17, Fiction 773, Useful Arts 19, Philosophy 11, History 104, Travel 40, Magazines 31. (This last item refers to magazines bound and placed on the shelves.)

The largest amount of fiction purchased is accounted for by the fact that many of the books that had been added to the favourites with the public were worn out and these had to be renewed in addition to purchasing the best of the current fiction.

About twelve hundred dollars' worth of literature has been purchased during the year. At a meeting of the Library committee held early in the year it was decided to purchase a certain percentage of books for each section. The committee felt that in this way they would be best attending to the interests of the public. The accompanying figures will show in what percentages of value the volumes were purchased:

Fiction	40 per cent.	960	47.12
Biography	5 per cent.	72	8.49
Philosophy	1½ per cent.	12	2.83
General Works	2 per cent.	24	2.83
Religion	2 per cent.	24	2.83
Sociology	6 per cent.	72	8.49
Nat. Science	4 per cent.	48	5.66
Fine Arts	4 per cent.	48	5.66
Literature	4 per cent.	48	5.66
Travel	7 per cent.	84	9.90
History	10 per cent.	120	14.15
Juveniles	12½ per cent.	150	14.15
Useful Arts	4 per cent.	48	5.66
Pathology	1 per cent.	12	1.41
	100 per cent.	$1200	141.50

This includes all accounts paid and unpaid, as well as books on order, for which a generous percentage of value has been allowed.

84 volumes were presented to the Library, besides the usual quota received from the Dominion and Ontario governments. The Library is indebted to the following donors: Miss Maguire, Capt. Burnham, M.P., New Zealand Government, the [illegible]

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REMEMBER

When your eyes become tired, don't over work them. If they become tired quickly you should have them attended to before they become worse. If you have a broken lens that you need duplicated quickly and accurately or a mount or frame that needs repairing, let Dr. Lacey do it. 210 George street.

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ALL AVAILABLE CITY TEAMS USED IN CARTING DEBRIS

The removal of debris from the Quaker Oats factory ruins is being expedited as much as possible, and the work should be speeded up in the immediate future. Twenty-five waggons are now available. They have been procured by Mr. Wm. Lytle, who has the contract of supplying the teams and waggons. Yesterday all the available teams in the city but one were requisitioned, and if more are needed the farmers' horses will have to be called up. The contract with the company demanded that only city teams be engaged to the limit of their supply. Mr. Lytle has put his own waggons to work, obtained fifteen from Mr. Ed. Davis of the Standard Paving Company, and has others on the way. The day wage is $4.50, for which the teamster supplies only his horses. There are four or five teams working at night, and others in the day time. The number will be increased when required and as soon as the extra waggons arrive. The first carload from Lindsay reached the city late yesterday evening, and shortly after six o'clock some of them were at work.

It is understood that the debris will be removed from the siding on the west side of the building in order that freight cars may be run in to carry out the twisted iron and other debris. At present the old bricks and scrap materials is being carted across the river and is being dumped behind the old mill. The Standard Paving Company waggons were used here when the paving work was in progress. Six of the Warren Bituminous waggons are also on the way.

RECITAL ON THE NEW EDISON

There Will Be a Recital Given on the New Edison in the Recital Hall of the J. M. GREENE MUSIC CO., LTD., CHARLOTTE STREET To-night at 8.15 o'clock. You Are Invited.

PROGRAMME

1. "Vesti la Giubba-Pagliacci" (Leoncavallo)—Tenor Solo by Reed Miller, in English.
2. "Caprice Viennois" (Kreisler)—Violin Solo by Albert Spalding.
3. "Because You're You" (Victor Herbert)—Elizabeth Spencer and Thomas Chalmers.
4. "Dixie Medley"—Banjo Solo by Fred Van Eps.
5. "Even Bravest Heart"—Faust, (Gounod)—Baritone Solo by Thomas Chalmers.
6. "On Promise Me—Robin Hood" (De Koven)—Vincentheorn Solo by Anton Weiss.
7. "The Pussy-Cat Rag" (Daly & Allen—Prerious Quartette.
8. "O the Hoke-Moke Isle, Medley"—Jandas Society Orchestra.
9. "The Bandolero" (Stuart)—Bass Solo by Arthur Middleton.
10. "Bohemian Girl Overture" (Balfe)—Brass and String Orchestra.
11. "Berceuse-Jocelyn" (Godard)—Contralto in French, Magie Delna.
12. "My Sweet Little Colleen" (Maurice)—Tenor Solo by Walter Van Brunt.
13. "Love's Melody Waltz" (Dansdorf)—Orchestra.
14. "Little Cotton Dolly" (Gethel)—Criterion Quartette.

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"PRUSSIANISM IN ONTARIO."

Under the above heading the Toronto Telegram (Conservative) prints the following:

The British League of Kitchener should get its name copyrighted, and the name could be stamped as a trademark upon all goods manufactured by supporters of the British League.

Kitchener voters seems to have forgotten the obligations of their residence in a country that is at war. It is just for Canada's Minister of Justice, Hon. C. J. Doherty, to wake up. A Citizens' League formed to obliterate the name of Berlin upon any community under the British flag should be preached against as a seditious organization. The Citizens' League should be broken up; the backers and officers of such a League should be arrested.

An agent of the Department of Justice should attend the meetings of the Kitchener City Council. The first whisper of a move to restore the name Berlin ought to lead to the arrest of every author and supporter of such a move. The Canadian and British citizens of this country are not called upon to further endure the pro-German antics of Prussianism in Waterloo county. Nor are Canadians and Britishers required to tolerate a continuance of the patronage and protection extended to Prussianism in Ontario by Hon. C. J. Doherty, Minister of Justice.—Toronto Telegram (Conservative.)

The Telegram's counsel to strong action, reminds one of locking the stable after the horse is stolen—taking precaution after the mischief has been done. The time for the Borden government to have acted, as the Telegram now urges it to act, was long ago. When the pro-German league was formed, with the avowed purpose of restoring the name of Berlin, when British interests and British ideals were flouted, with the organ of the Borden government as the organ of the traitors. But can we expect the government to act now, which has refused to act and has given Prussianism and pickings in its interests a free hand? Can we expect the Borden government to act in the matter of a name involving treason, when it tolerates the fact of Nationalism, a cult that is anti-British in declaration, utterly opposed to Canada taking any part in the war of the empire and in the interests of human liberty. The Borden government not only tolerates Nationalism and its works, in propagandism, but sanctions, applauds and encourages it by holding office by the grace of Nationalist votes, by including and keeping as the price of Nationalist support, three or four cabinet ministers representing Nationalism—having as colleagues of the King of Great Britain, men whose doctrine is denial of Canadian responsibility in respect of helping the empire in war. It is no wonder that recruiting has been unsatisfactory in Quebec when the government keeps within its ranks ministers whose anti-British policy of refusing to help Britain in her right-cause war, practically cancels and counteracts the government's call for 100,000 more soldiers. It is no wonder that recruiting is slow in Ontario, when the government has not only permitted the existence of a nest of traitors, but has aligned the organs of its own party and its own Minister of Justice—according to the declaration of the Conservative Toronto Telegram—to sanction and foster open treason—open propagation of German interests in the heart of the province. If there is "Prussianism in Ontario"—at Kitchener—it is he fault of the Borden government. If the German preachers of treason had been handled without gloves, disciplined as they should have been, and would have been under reversed circumstances in Germany, quiet would have restored to Berlin long ago, and the city would not have had, as it has now, the ignominy of having a mayor whose confession of patriotic faith is expressed in his declaration—"Legally the name is Kitchener, but in my heart it is Berlin."

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Peterborough spends, upon her Public and Separate schools and secondary schools, about $150,000 per year, the proceeds of direct and indirect local taxation. This is a large amount of money; but it is none too large if we get the full advantage of its expenditure—if the education given, the knowledge imparted, are of the right, the practical kind. Little fault is to be found with the literary educational results, though, under our system of working up to an overloaded curriculum, there is a difference of effort and result, that does not mean desirable thoroughness, the thing that gives real value to education or knowledge.

Our local education is lacking entirely in one very practical and essential and important "thrifty." The highest ideal of life is not the mere making of money; the only real value of money is its employment for necessary and high purposes. Money is not an end; it is an instrument, that may be used for sordid and selfish ends, or used for the highest of purposes. We may in our schools equip children with the knowledge that may help them make money, but we have no means of teaching its real value.

One of the highest and most important duties connected with winning the war, impressed and enjoined by British statesmen, is thrift — popular thrift; and our own Minister of Finance, Sir Thomas White, imposes the same injunction upon the people of Canad. Thrift is defined as economical management of property, and economy is defined as frugal and judicious use of money. It is safe to say that in Canada millions of dollars a year are wasted in extravagant expenditures upon living, upon luxuries, and things that not only deprave moral conditions, but vitiate and weaken physical forces. There is, perhaps, in thousands of households, as much waste as is properly used for beneficial domestic purposes. One woman on a fifteen dollar weekly allowance will keep her family, pay her way and have a trifle to the good; another housewife, with double the allowance, the same family and the same general scale of living, will be in debt at the end of the week. The latter condition, obtaining throughout the country, accounts for enough waste to pay a large share of the extra financial burden placed upon Canada at the present time.

It needs no argument to show what would be the immense local and national advantage of universal thrift—proper use of money, judicious care in its employment.

There is only one easily practicable way in which thrift can be made a national asset—an offset to national waste, and that is by educating our people to this end. That cannot be a rapid process and it will take time if we adopt the only immediately practical means—the establishment of Penny Banks in connection with our schools. The benefits of the principles of thrift and conversion to, or training to, its logic will be practically demonstrated by an object lesson far more impressive than precept and preaching. The annual report of the Penny Bank operated in connection with our schools in some, and far too few, places gives the total of deposits at $339,271. In this the Toronto schools rank first with $175,719, Ottawa next with $95,804, both sums coming from the deposit of stray pennies by school children. In the town of Welland, only 10,000 inhabitants, there are deposits of $2,280, and during September and October the average monthly deposits by pupils was 37 cents each. This rate of deposit by all the million or more school children of Canada would make a yearly total of between four and five million dollars, otherwise wasted on trifles of no benefit.

It seems that one of the greatest practical improvements in the educational features of our Peterborough schools would be the establishmen of a Penny Bank system. At the rate of deposit of the Welland schools, 35 cents per month the total yearly deposits of the school children of Peterborough would be between $10,000 and $12,000. The saving of such an amount, though it would count for much for many families in time of stress, is not the most important point. The influence upon the individual pupil in the promotion of habits of thrift, would extend to manhood and womanhood and we should have a nation of men and women who would practise economy and thrift and eschew waste and extravagance. These characteristics ingrained in the people would create a popular antagonism to the monstrous and intolerable waste and extravagance of governments in every detail of administrative function, and the two influences combined would bring about the conditions of national strength of finance and equipment for national service, such as statesmen like Lloyd George and Sir Thomas White, and even plain common sense demand.

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TORONTO, Jan. 3.—An overwhelming endorsation of Hydro electric policy was fostered by Sir Adam Beck and the Liberals in the Legislature and opposed by the Conservatives during the Legislature, marks the week's voting in municipalities.

It is true that towards the end members of the government, seeing the tide of public opinion rising strongly against the stand they had taken, did give support to the proposals of Sir Adam Beck and the Opposition, but their stand in the Legislature is on record in the journals of the House, showing that they voted down the proposal which the municipalities this week have accepted.

It was on the 19th of April, 1916, that Mr. Proudfoot moved a resolution in the House, providing that "the municipalities now under agreements with the commission for the supply of power from the Niagara system and such other municipalities as may hereafter become entitled to receive power from the said system, may acquire the ownership of the power development at Niagara authorized by the Act upon terms and conditions similar to those upon which they are acquiring ownership of the transmission lines and distributing system."

This, in substance, is the very question on which the municipalities have voted this week. Mr. Proudfoot's motion, representing the views of the Opposition, was voted down by the Government with a vote of 54 to 18. Among those opposed to the motion were Hon. Howard Ferguson, Hon. Jas. Duff, Hon. I. B. Lucas, Hon. T. W. McGarry, W. D. McPherson, now Provincial Secretary; Hon. Sidney Macdermid, Hon. Dr. Preston, Hon. Dr. Pyne.

The Opposition, including Mr. Rowell and his supporters, and also including Mr. Studholme, the Labour member, supported the motion.

It is another dramatic vindication of the Opposition's policies, and another proof that the real interests of the Hydro Electric are being guarded and advanced, not by the government, but by the Opposition.

ENGLAND'S BIT.

The embattlements, laboriously built up by generations of men against barbarism, were broken, and had not the might of Britain passed into the breach Europe would have been inundated with a flood of savagery and unbridled lust of power.—Lloyd George's speech.

The cheap talk about Britain letting her allies do her fighting for her, com[illegible] a peculiarly cheap sen[illegible] ready to fight to the last Frenchman," met with the contempt it deserved among thinking men, but with acceptance among idle minds. It is well to be reminded that but for Britain that flood would have poured over those broken embankments and inundated Europe. It was the entry of England that shattered the well-laid German plan for an easy march to Paris and a swift, crippling blow at Russia over the ruins of France. To-day it is England's unbroken mastery of the sea that overmatches Germany's mastery of conquered lands. Always a naval, never a military, power, England has nevertheless brought herself up to the Continental military standard and raised the great and heroic army that now confronts Germany in France. But it is on sea that the great service to liberty has been rendered; there she broke at once the German dream of victory, and there she has ever since had her hand at Germany's throat while the allied armies struggled with their half-strangled foe.

Furthermore, it is England's glory that she grows truly great with blows. It is always in a muddled, helter-skelter way that she enters a war, but if the war is long and great she steadily rises and steadies, until her figure looms higher and higher among the contestants. It was so in the last attempt of despotism to conquer Europe, when, after all her allies were beaten down or seduced, she continued the fight alone, the last refuge of liberty in the Old World. "Every other monument of European liberty has perished," said Sir James MacKintosh. "That ancient fabric which has been gradually raised by the wisdom and virtue of our forefathers still stands but it stands alone, and it stands among ruins."

France saved Europe at the Marne; Russia saved Europe by dividing the German armies and given France breathing space and England time to arm; but England too, saved Europe, for without her on the sea the war would long have been over. The part she played is not single, as it was when she faced Napoleon alone; she divides the honor with others, but her share was not the least, it grows greater all the time. The spectacle of that growth under blows is majestic. To the querulous ones who have said so much about the weakness of democracies in arms, there are two impressive answers; the sight of England confronting Napoleon, the sight of England confronting William II. — New York Times.

France Will Also Till All Idle Land

PARIS, Jan 5.—The Minister of Commerce has introduced a bill empowering the Agricultural Department to put into cultivation all unoccupied land. This is in line with similar action taken in England.

The celebration of Christmas along the fighting front in France is regarded as of more importance than that of the people at home. Families every where are denying themselves to send great quantities of comforts, delicacies and useful gifts to the men at the front.

In addition to this abnegation the new spirit of economy in France is causing much reserve in buying. The growing weight of the war has limited sharply anything in the nature of indulgence in festivities. The shops have unusually few patrons, and there will be no relaxation of the early closing hours of restaurants, none of the customary midnight suppers, no midnight masses and no watch-night meetings, the church authorities having decided to effect a saving in lighting and heating.

The provincial cities are following the example of Paris. The Government is deferring until the day after Christmas the compulsory restrictions in regard to private heating and lighting.

This is the first time since the war began that children are feeling its consequences in the way of restriction or modification of Christmas distributions in step with the new regime of economies. The number of toys on sale is much reduced and the trade in them is diminished. Dreary weather conditions are forecast for Christmas.

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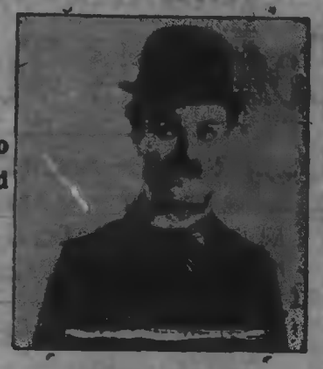

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LLOYD GEORGE AS SEEN BY PROMINENT AMERICAN WRITER

A message to America from Premier Lloyd George is contained in an article entitled "An Intimate Study of England's War Chief" written by Isaac F. Marcosson for the January issue of Everybody's Magazine. Mr. Marcosson writes that in a recent interview with Lloyd George he said:

"Since the war means so much to us, have you no message for America?"

From this point the article reads:

"Throughout our talk he had sat in a low chair, sometimes tilting it backward as he swayed with the vehemency of his words. Suddenly he became still. He turned his head and looked dreamily out the window at his left, where he could see the throng of Whitehall as it swept back and forth along Loudon's Great Military Way.

"Then, rising slowly and with eloquent gestures and trembling voice (he might have been speaking to thousands instead of one person) he said:

"'The hope of the world is that America will realize the call destiny is making to her in tones that are getting louder and more insistent as these terrible months go by. That destiny lies in the enforcement of respect for international law and international rights.'

"It was a pregnant and unforgettable moment. From the throne room of a colossal conflict, England's war lord was sounding the note of a distant process of peace.

"If you had probed behind this kindling utterance you would have seen with Lloyd George himself that beyond the flaming battle lines and past the tumult of a world at war the hope of some faraway tribunal that would judge nations and keep them, just as individuals are kept, in the path of right and humanity.

"But before any such bloodless antidote can be applied to international dispute, to quote Lloyd George again, 'This war must be fought to a finish.'

"These final words, snapped like a whip lash and emphasized with a fist-beat on the table, meant that England would see her titan task through and if for no other reason, because the man who drives the war gods wills it so."

ONCE A PACIFIST.

The article continues with a narration of Lloyd George's career from the beginning, that part of it connected with the Boer war forming contrast with the present.

"Before the conflict with the Boers, says the author, "Lloyd George was a militant pacifist—a sort of peacemaker with a punch. When England invaded the Transvaal, Lloyd George began a battle for peace that made him for the first time a force in imperial affairs. He believed himself to be the anointed foe of the war, and he dedicated himself and all his powers to stem what seemed to be a hopeless tide. It was a courageous thing to do, for he not only risked his reputation, but his career. Up and down the empire he pleaded. He was in some respects the brilliant Bryan of the period, but with the difference that he was crucifying himself and not his cause upon the cross of peace. He became the target of bitter attack; no epithet was too vile to hurl upon him. After he carried his life in his hands as the episode of the Birmingham riot shows. In all his storm-tossed life nothing approached this in daring or danger.

"Lloyd George was invited to speak in the citadel of imperialism, which was likewise the home of Joseph Chamberlain, arch-apostle of the Boer War. Save for the stanchest Liberals, the whole town rose in protest. For weeks the local press seethed and raged, denouncing Lloyd George as 'arch traitor' and 'self-confessed enemy.' He was warned that he would imperil his life if he even showed himself. He sent back this word:

"'I am announced to speak, and speak I will.'

"He reached Birmingham ahead of schedule time and got to the home of his host in safety. All day long sandwichmen paraded the highways bearing placards calling upon the citizenry to assemble at the town hall where Lloyd George was to speak—'to defend the King, the Government, and Mr. Chamberlain.'

MOBS IN THE STREETS.

"Night came; the streets were howling mobs, every constable was on duty. The hall was stormed and when Lloyd George appeared on the platform he found turmoil. Hundreds of men carried sticks, clubs, and bricks covered with rags and fastened to barbed wire. When he rose to speak bedlam let loose. Jeers, catcalls, and frightful abuse rained on him and with them rocks and vegetables. He removed his overcoat and stood calm and smiling. When he raised his voice however, the grand assault was made. Only a double cordon of constables massed around the stage kept him from being overwhelmed. In the free-for-all fight that followed one man was killed and many were injured.

Anything like a speech was hopeless; the main task was to save the speaker, for outside in the streets a bloodthirsty rabble waited for its prey. Lloyd George started to face them single-handed, and it was only when he was told that such procedure would not only foolishly endanger his life but endanger also the lives of his party, which included several women, that he consented to escape through a side door, wearing a policeman's helmet and coat. Fourteen years later Lloyd George returned to Birmingham acclaimed as a saviour of empire. Such have been the contrasts in this career of careers."

Mr. Marcosson gives his analysis of the personality of Lloyd George as follows.

"Reducing the wizard Welshman to a formula, you find that he is 50 per cent. Roosevelt in the virility and forcefulness of his character; 15 per cent. Bryan in the purely demagogic phase of his make-up, while the rest is canny Celt opportunism. It makes a dazzling and well-nigh irresistible composite.

"It is with Roosevelt that the best and happiest comparison can be made. Indeed, I know of no more convincing interpretation of the thing that is Lloyd George than to point this live parallel. For Lloyd George is the British Roosevelt, the Imperial Rough Rider. Instead of using the Big Stick he employs the Big Voice. No two leaders ever had so much in common. Each is more of an institution than a mere man; each dramatizes himself in everything he does; each has a genius for the benevolent assimilation of idea and fact. Trust Lloyd George to know all about the man who comes to see him, whether the man who comes to see him, whether he be statesman, author, explorer, or plain captain of industry. It is one of the reasons why he maintains his amazing political hold.

A GREAT ADVERTISER.

"Lloyd George has Roosevelt's striking gift of phrase-making, although he does not share the American's love of letter writing. As I have already intimated, whatever may be his future, Lloyd George will never be confronted by accusing epistle. None exists. Like Roosevelt, Lloyd George is past master in the art of effective publicity. He has a monopoly on the British front page. Each of these remarkable men project the fire and magnetism of his dynamic personality. Curiously enough, each one has been the terror of the corporate evildoer—the conspicuous target of big business in his respective country. Each one is a dictator in the making, and it is safe to assume that if Lloyd George lived in a republic, like Roosevelt he would say: 'My army,' 'my navy,' and 'my policies.'

"Roosevelt, however, has one distinct advantage over his British colleague in that he is a deeper student and has a wider learning. In one God-given gift Lloyd George surpasses not only Roosevelt, but every other man I have ever met. It is an inspired oratory that is at once the wonder and the admiration of all who hear it. He is in many respects the greatest speaker of his day the one man of his race whose utterance immediately becomes world property. The stage lost a great star when the Welsh David went into politics.

Poor Wheat Crops Throughout World

Estimated Total for 1916 is 25 per Cent. Less Than Last Year's.

ROME, via Paris, Jan. 5.—The International Institute of Agriculture's harvest estimates continue to indicate poor world crops. It is now able for the first time, through new reports just received, to forecast the wheat production of Argentina. The Argentine wheat crop is estimated at 70,000,000 bushels, one-half that of last year.

Australia's wheat crop is estimated at 135,000,000 bushels, which is four per cent. better than the yearly average.

For the world's eighteen most important countries, including the United States, Canada, British India, Japan and all Europe, the estimated total wheat crop placed by the Institute at 2,500,000 bushels, which is 25 per cent. less than last year.

STUBBORN COLDS

Cause Weak Lungs, Peterborough Druggist Suggests a Reliable Remedy.

We have a constitutional remedy for hard colds and weak lungs which we guarantee. Such letters as this prove its efficiency:

Wickatunk, N. J. "I suffered from weak lungs, pains in my chest and very short of breath. I am an agent for the C. R. R. of New Jersey. I had a very bad cough and lost fifteen pounds in weight and my trouble interfered with my occupation, so that I had to stop work last July. I had doctored for some time without benefit, but when I learned of Vinol through a friend I decided to try it, and soon commenced to improve. My cough has gone, the weakness from my chest disappeared. I am working again, and have regained the fifteen pounds in flesh which I lost." Victor Walden, Wickatunk, N. J.

The reason Vinol is superior to any other remedy is because it contains in deliciously palatable form the healing, body-building and strengthening elements of beef and cod liver peptones, iron and manganese peptonates and glycerophosphates—the oldest and most famous tonics known to medicine. Try it on our guarantee.

McDermid and Jury, and E. L. Payne, druggists, Peterboro; also the best druggists in all Ontario towns.

Saxol Salve

CURES SKIN AFFECTIONS

One package proves it. Sold and guaranteed by above Vinol druggist.

Dear Mary—

You must get your husband a big, comfy leather chair. He will sink right down into it after dinner and enjoy it so much. My husband enjoys the one I got for him. It has really made more home-life for us.

What it costs to "go out" a couple of evenings will buy a handsome leather chair which you can enjoy for a lifetime. I find our leather chair a restful thing for myself during the day. Get one.

Your Chum—HELEN.

P. S. You can get your leather chair where I got mine, and make your arrangements for paying for it, so you will never miss the small amounts. Go to

Harry Zacks

Court Decides That Millionaire Of Eighty May Woo and Wed

Miss Nettie M. Richards was given a verdict for $170,000 in her half million dollar breach of promise suit against Henry Deniston, her third cousin, who is 80 years of age, and is supposed to be worth $2,000,000, of which $500,000 is in cash.

Miss Richards, who is 40 years younger than Deniston, filed her suit at Pittsburg last February, asking for $500,000 damages. She said she had promised to marry him a year ago last July, and the marriage had been set for a month later. Former friends of Deniston, influential men of Pittsburg, persuaded him to postpone the wedding and finally to cancel the engagement.

In the meantime the courts were petitioned to declare Deniston incompetent and appoint a guardian for him, urging as a proof that he lived in a three room shack and avoided the friends of his youth. The application was denied.

Lawyer Willis F. McCook, in urging the appointment of a guardian, said: "There are two periods in a man's life in which he requires assistance—in his childhood days and in his old age. Old age is only young age. Is this man able to look after his own affairs or has he so enfeebled he is not capable of ordering his own life suitably? He has banished his fellow men from his own narrow life. His mind lacks the development we derive from association with others."

To which Deniston's counsel replied—"Because an old man wishes to marry a young woman he should not be held incapable. It is rather an indication his faculties are keen and he knows what he is doing.

IT'S ALL IN THE DAY'S WORK

By Henry Churchill King, D.D., President Oberlin College.

A man's point of view and his mood toward life have after all everything to do with what his life is to mean to himself and to other men. My thought is that this common everyday phrase, "It's all in a day's work," may well indicate both mood and point of view.

Five suggestions it may be said to contain: The true view of life is not the ascetic view, nor the attitude of self-pity, nor the point of view of mediaeval chivalry, with its faith in the aristocracy of certain events; nor a like faith in the aristocracy of persons, even in attempted service; but the straightforward taking on, with cheer and courage, of whatever is involved in the goal one has set himself.

That a man should say "It's all in the day's work" has a still further vital bearing on his outlook in life so saying, one should mean that he takes all that comes, pleasant or painful, bitter or sweet, as simply involved in the work assigned, in the trust assumed, in the ideal cherished, in the kind of man he purposes to be. He has chosen his goal and whatever is necessary to that goal he takes as a simple matter of course. He finds St. Paul, I think, expressing with exactness his own point of view: "I count not myself to have laid hold but one thing I do, forgetting the things which are behind and stretching forward to the things which are before, I press on toward the goal." One's sufferings and sacrifices appear in a different light when one looks at them as simply involved in the goal that he himself has chosen. Though the point of view is neither that of the mediaeval knight nor that of the modern aristocrat, it is still not a dull and hopeless drudgery to which a man is doomed. The goal illumines all the course toward it. It is all in the day's work.

COMBING OUT ELIGIBLES.

Unskilled Munition Workers in Britain Called to Colours.

It was officially announced that the Admiralty, the Ministry of Munitions, and the Army Council have agreed to release for military service, at an early date, all semi-skilled and unskilled men of military age in munition factories who can be spared without prejudicially affecting the output of munitions, says London Mail.

For the time being the military authorities propose to call to the colours such of these men up to 31 years of age as may be fit for general service. To avoid dislocation they will be called up in consultation and agreement with representatives of the Government Departments concerned.

These proposals do not involve the calling up of skilled men, and in order further to secure the retention of skilled men on work of national importance the Army Council will issue trade cards through a number of trade unions to their members who were registered as journeymen and apprenticed before August 18, 1915.

This big comb-out follows upon the Order under the Defense of the Realm Act giving power to call on any exempted man to undergo a Medical Board examination. It is to be followed by a comb-out of Government Departments, beginning with the Board of Trade and the Foreign Office.

The application of the combing-out order to all controlled factories will release tens of thousands of men for the army, it is said.

"TIZ" FOR TIRED AND SORE FEET

Use "Tiz" For Puffed-up Burning, Aching, Calloused Feet and Corns

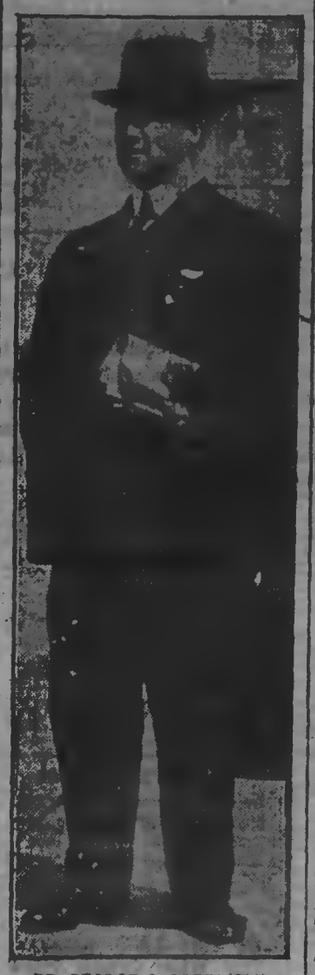
Why go limping around with aching, puffed-up feet—feet so tired, chafed, sore and swollen you can hardly get your shoes on or off? Why don't you get a 25-cent box of "Tiz" from the drug store now and gladden your tortured feet?

"Tiz" makes your feet glow with comfort; takes down swellings and draws the soreness and misery right out of feet that chafe, smart and burn. "Tiz" instantly stops pain in corns, calluses and bunions. "Tiz" is glorious for tired, aching, sore feet. No more shoe tightness—no more foot troubles.

CANADA'S WAR HONORS

From the O.C. and officers of the 14th Battalion, Royal Montreals, there came an inspiring little Christmas remembrance. The card was of plain khaki, bearing within the season's greetings and good wishes, and on the cover some of the glorious names which the regiment will forever bear on its glorious colors:—"Neuve Chapelle," "Ypres, 1915," "Festubert," "Givenchy," "Messines," "Ypres Salient," "Zillebeke," "Mount Sorrel," "Somme," "Moquet Farm," "Courcelette." Here's to the fighting Fourteenth, which with the Thirteenth Battalion, of equal fame, led the van in some of the hardest fighting ever done for this Empire, and made a name that will never die.

Soldiers and Farms



DR. GEORGE C. CREELMAN

Ontario's Commissioner of Agriculture, had charge of preparations and plans for linking up the returned soldiers of his province with the vital industry of agriculture. He was previously in personal charge of the Guelph Agricultural College and his appointment to the commissionership by Premier Hearst was a war-time measure.

THE SECOND STANZA

Should "God Save the King" Include Certain Lines?

Archdeacon Cody of Toronto, in a talk on the National Anthem, said that some people think the second verse is un-Christian in sentiment—an English "hymn of hate." With such a view he strongly disagreed. The words, "O Lord, our God, arise, scatter his enemies," is an adaptation of the first verse of Psalm 68. In essence it is a prayer that God will give us victory; and if our cause is right, if we are seeking to establish truth and justice in the world, may we not pray to God to bless the cause by giving us the victory? As to the words, "Confound their politics, frustrate their knavish tricks," some people yet think that "confound" is a milder and more polite swear-word, but it means only to throw into confusion, or to bring to naught. "Politics" is the archaic form of "policies," and who among the allies has any hesitation in asking God to bring to naught those tortuous policies, those nefarious stratagems of our great antagonists? The only fault of the words, "Frustrate their knavish tricks" is that they are far too mild to meet the present situation.

The National Anthem has come to be the deepest and truest expression of fundamental patriotic sentiment of the British peoples and of the whole empire; it is our one great vocal expression of the depth and intensity of our national emotion. There is only one National Anthem in the empire and it should have special respect and be sung with the greatest reverence, and not as a signal for putting on coats and overshoes.

"It's Confidence That Does It"

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We can offer you close prices on a variety of well known Canadian Apples as follows:

Talman Sweets, pk	*30c*
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Spies	*30c, 40c, 50c*
No. 1 Greenings	*50c*
No. 1 Snow No-Further	*50c*

We bought right and give you the benefit.

Porter S. White

334 George St. Phone 208

Alkali in Shampoos Bad For Washing Hair

Don't use prepared shampoos or anything else, that contains too much alkali, for this is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle.

The best thing to use is just plain mulsified cocoanut oil, for this is pure and entirely greaseless. It's very cheap, and beats the most expensive soaps or anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months.

Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in, about a teaspoonful is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh looking, bright, fluffy, wavy and easy to handle. Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust dirt and dandruff.

HUNTERS FIND FAMILY STARVING IN SHACK

ATLANTIC CITY, Jan. 5.—A case of almost inconceivable destitution was discovered in the pine barrens two miles from the McKee City railroad station, when ex-Senator Lewis Evans, Assistant City Treasurer Charles Parsons, and Charles Tilton, a contractor, on a gunning trip in the now, found Mrs. Nicholas Planto and six small children starving in a hovel, without either warmth or food. The woman said her husband had abandoned them and gone to Philadelphia, after promising to return with food, clothing and provisions.

Mrs. Planto was wearing a shapeless garment, made from bagging, in which other gunners a week ago saw her skirmishing through the woods for fuel. She had neither hat nor stockings and her shoes were without soles. The six children wore garments made from flour sacks. They were crying for something to eat.

After starting a fire and procuring a temporary supply of food, the first the family had eaten for more than a day, ex-Senator Evans and his companions hurried here and notified Prosecutor Moore of the case. Moore at once set in motion legal machinery to bring Planto back to New Jersey and force him to make provision for his family.

Late this afternoon Mrs. Planto and her brood of six little ones, wrapped in heavy robes, were brought to this city by County Probation Officer Scull in automobiles, and taken to the Crittenton Mission. They will be kindly treated until the head of the family is found by the authorities.

Farmers widely scattered in the McKee City region said that Planto took his family to the hut in the woods several weeks ago, and had made two or three visits since. The man was well dressed and seemed to be plentifully supplied with money.

GROCERIES

Olive Oil	*Macaroni*
Oranges	*Grape Fruit*
Grapes	*Apples*
Bananas	*Lemons*
Cranberries, Figs, Nuts, Dates	

VEGETABLES

Potatoes	*Celery*
Lettuce	*Onions*

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As New Year looms up, we start out right with fresh seasonable Groceries, Fruits and Table Delicacies at prices to attract your trade—

Fresh Dairy Butter lb. 44c
Mince Meat New Prunes
Dried Nectarines
Gal. Can of Apples....24c
Evaporated Apples
2 lbs. 25c
Huntley & Palmers Biscuits
Crosse & Blackwells
Lucca Oil Olives
Pure Calves Feet Jelly
Honey Oranges
Uncolored Japan Tea
lb. 28c

Peterboro Grocery Co.

160 SIMCOE STREET

Fred Walker, Mgr. Phone 854

Millinery Bargains

Ladies' newest velvet hat shapes, only....50c

Shapes in black and colors, regular values up to $3.00, only 99c

LADIES' TRIMMED HATS $2.49

A table of very desirable trimmed Hats at about half price, choice for....$2.49

Miss McGIVERIN, 412 GEORGE ST.

Dawson Bros. GROCERS

Cor. George & London Sts.

Currants, re-cleaned, pound	25c.
Valencia raisins, choice, pound	15c.
Mixed peel, lemon, orange, citron, pound	25c.
Fresh dates, pound	15c.
Cooking figs, 2 pound	25c.
Allen's famous apple cider, per gal.	40c.
Home-made mince meat, pound	25c.
Cranberries for your Christmas turkey, quart	15c.

SPECIAL.

Swift's premium bacon, put up expressly for boys at the front. Packed in sealtite and waterproof paper. Each piece sells at $1.25

White beans, fancy, picked, 2 pound	25c.
Prunes, large and meaty, 2 pound	25c.
Malaga grapes, pound	25c.
Lemons, large and juicy, dozen	25c.
Auto brand salmon extra value	25c.

Turnips. We have a limited amount of real choice turnips. Your geese will taste better if you serve turnips. Per bag....35c.

Oranges, large, sweet and juicy. Doz., 25c., 40c. and....50c.

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FOR THE NEW YEAR

Your table will not be complete without a *big* bowl, generously filled with these jolly, bright, California Oranges. They should be plentiful. They possess the organic salts and acids that oranges contain to aid digestion, and bring the blood and tissue back to normal.

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Uniformly Food Oranges

Buy them by the box. Uniformly good oranges—such as Sunkist—will keep.

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I will furnish complete, wax and polish a quarter cut oak floor at lower cost per square foot than carpet.

Other floorings cheaper. Consult me for house plans, remodelling, estimates, etc.

Special Prices for Winter Work

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FRESH ON THE SPOT

Good Fruit is necessary to the enjoyment of the Holiday Season. We carry none but the best.

California Fruits

Sunkist Oranges, Malaga Grapes, Grape Fruit, Bananas, Apples, Lemons, Cranberries, Pine Apples, Olives

Home-Grown Celery
New Head Lettuce
Potatoes, Onions
Cabbage, Carrots
Cauliflowers, Parsnips
Old Cheese, Pickles, Catsup

Fish and Oysters

Fresh Caught Lake and Sea Fish and Scotchlnt Oysters

Downes & Gettings

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HALL'S SATURDAY BARGAINS

TAPESTRY RUGS
SIZE 3 YARDS BY 4 YARDS
SATURDAY BARGAIN $22.50 Each

Extra good quality of Seamless English Tapestry Rugs. Size 12 ft. by 9 ft. Colourings and designs suitable for any room. Saturday Bargain, each **22.50**

MEN'S WOOL MITTS

Men's Heavy Pure Wool Home-Knit Mitts. In fancy stitch. Saturday Bargain, pair **50c**

CHINTZ, 15c

American Chintz, in several good colour combinations. Suitable for draperies or coverings. Saturday Bargain, yard **15c**

Here's a Big Bargain For The Men Saturday

$2.50 Men's Neck Scarfs

$1.50

Men's Silk and Wool Knitted Scarfs, in plain and combination colours. Also heavy Silk Handkerchief Scarfs, in a variety of colours. Reg. $2.50. Saturday Bargain,

$1.50

WINTER COATING

54-Inch Heavy All-Wool Winter Coatings, in materials such as Curl Cloth, Tweed, and Kersey Cloth. In colours of Black and Navy, and Mixtures. Reg $2 yard. Saturday Bargain.. **1.47**

POPLIN

40-inch Poplins, having a rich finish and a fast dye. Suitable for Skirts or Dresses. In colours of Navy Blue, Belgian Blue and Brown. Reg. 85c. Saturday Bargain **59c**

CHINCHILLA COATING

54-Inch White Chinchilla Coating, heavy enough to make up without lining. Suitable for Children's and Women's Coats. In White only. Reg. $2.50 yd. Saturday Bargain . **1.89**

CURTAIN MUSLIN, 18c

White Curtain Muslin for bedroom, bath or kitchen windows, with fluted frill. Easy to do up. Saturday Bargain, yard **18c**

FINE WILTON AND AXMINSTER RUGS
SATURDAY BARGAIN, $5.00 Each

Extra fine quality of Wilton and Axminster Rugs. Size 27 by 54 inches and 30 by 60 inches, in a splendid range of good Persian designs. Saturday Bargain, each **5.00**

SATURDAY BARGAINS IN GOOD REMNANTS IN THE STAPLE DEPARTMENT

Flannelette, Table Linen, Roller Towelling, Tea Towelling, Sheeting, Cotton and Shirting. The price we have marked these Remnants for Saturday is away less than Half of to-day's prices for the same quality.

COLOURED DRESS GOODS

Coloured Dress Goods in such cloths as Poplins, Armures, Serges and Check Panamas. Used for Skirts and Dresses. A large range of colourings to select from. Reg. $1 yd. Saturday Bargain **75c**

CHILDREN'S COATS

Made of heavy qualities of Blanket Cloth, Tweed and Cheviots. Body and sleeves well lined. From several of the latest models. Regular $6.50 each. Saturday Bargain . **3.98**

SATIN PETTICOATS

Women's Underskirts, made of heavy quality of Satin, finished at the bottom with six-inch pleated flounce. In colors of Cerise, Sky, Apricot, and Gold. Reg $2.50. Saturday Bargain **1.69**

VOILE WAISTS

Women's Waists, made of fine White Voile. Made with large collars and jabot or surplice fronts. Daintily trimmed with fine lace. Regular $3.50. Saturday Bargain **2.98**

UNTRIMMED SHAPES

The latest styles in Untrimmed Shapes. Made of Silk, Velvet and Pressed Plush. In Black and colours. Regular up to $3.50. Saturday Bargain .. **98c**

WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR

Women's Knitted Underwear, in mixture of Wool and Cotton. In colours of Cream or Natural. Vests and drawers to match. Saturday Bargain, garment **65c**

$2.50 REED BASKETS, 98c

Fruit Baskets, Work Baskets and Flower Baskets, made of fumed oak colour Reed. Reg. up to $2.50. Millinery Dept. 2nd Floor. Saturday Bargain, each **98c**

TWILL SHEETING

An extra heavy quality of Unbleached Twill Sheeting. 2 yards wide. Saturday Bargain, yard **39c**

CIRCULAR PILLOW COTTON

An extra heavy quality of Pure White Circular Pillow Cotton. 42 ins. wide. Saturday Bargain .. **25c**

CHILDREN'S FLEECE WAISTS

Children's Heavy Fleece-Lined Waists, in White or Natural. Sizes up to 10 years. Saturday Bargain, each **35c**

WOOL HOSE

Boys' Heavy Worsted Wool Hose, 2-1 rib. Sizes up to 10. Saturday Bargain, pair **50c**

$12.50 SERGE DRESSES
SATURDAY BARGAIN, Each $8.50

Misses' and Small Women's Dresses. Made of heavy quality of All Wool Serge. Made from several of the latest models. Trimmed with braid and plaid silk. In colours of Brown and Navy. Reg. up to $12.50. Saturday Bargain **8.50**

RICHARD HALL & SON LIMITED

National Service Envelopes Opened And Read Publicly

"Pernio's" Act Causes Several Citizens to Destroy Cards After Signing.

QUEBEC, Jan. 5.—Criticism of the manner in which national service cards are handled after they are signed is heard all over the city. The people say sealed envelopes should be provided, because their answers are openly read by postmen in public.

One instance in particular is pointed out. One afternoon two postmen who had collected filled-in cards were openly reading the answers of this and that citizen, joking about his salary and obligations.

Protests were heard in the street car where this scene occurred, and many passengers who had already filled in their cards openly tore them to bits, saying they did not care to have the information about their revenues, obligations and their attitude toward national service openly circulated and exhibited.

The cards received in Peterborough were accompanied by sealed envelopes.

HIGH PRICE FOR ST. KITT'S RECRUITS

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

ST. CATHARINES, Jan. 5.—At the opening of the recruiting campaign here, addressed by Col. Williams and others, Dr. Jeasop, M.P.P., offered $200 for the first man to enlist, and J. D. Chaplin put up $1,000 for the next five men. Three names were soon handed in.

Young Lady Injured At Downeyville

On New Year's Eve, Miss Galvin, sister of Rev. Father Galvin, of Downeyville, had her shoulder dislocated. She was driving out of the laneway at Father Galvin's residence, in company with Miss Matthews, when the cutter overturned, and the occupants were thrown out. Dr. Blanchard attended Miss Galvin's injuries.

ARTISTIC ELECTRIC SIGN OVER NORDHEIMER AGENCY

"Good taste, exquisite in design," is about the only fitting way in which one can describe the Sign recently erected by J. J. Turner & Sons for Mr. Frank Whitehouse, District Representative for Nordheimer Pianos, and Aeolian-Vocalion Phonographs. The Sign is transparent, lighted with 31 25-Watt Lamps, the wording "Nordheimer Pianos" being embossed in flashed ruby glass, backed up by white opalescent, which diffuses the light, giving a brilliancy and transparency obtained in no other way. The lettering "Aeolian-Vocalion," is on white Opal glass, with a smaltzed background of jet black. Altogether it is a unique Sign, built of metal throughout, and wired under the supervision of the local Provincial Government Electrical Inspector, and meeting all the demands of the Fire Underwriters.

The Sigh is the clever work of the Sign Department of Messrs. J. J. Turner & Sons, and is another creditable contribution to their skill, art and expert designing.

France Preparing For Rebuilding Of Northern Province

Health Services, Industrial Activities and Agriculture Prepared For.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5. — Plans for the reconstruction of Northern France after the war worked out by a French cabinet committee and outlined in official reports received here, embrace a carefully prepared programme for restoration of normal conditions immediately after peace is declared. Provisions are included for the return of refugees to the enemy occupied districts as expeditiously as possible, prefects of the departments already having reported the number to be repatriated and a system having been worked out for the return first of those whose presence is an immediate necessity. A central labour bureau has been established in Paris to estimate the labour demand and supply.

Health services in the north will be reorganized under the plan, to direct measures of security from damaged buildings and unexploded shells, and the advisability of building of portable houses to send to northern provinces is being investigated. Steps are also being taken looking to victualling the departments of the Nord, Pas de Calais, Somme, Aisne, Ardennes and Meuse after the war by Government allowances. Cattle now kept in the camp of Paris will be supplied to the northern farmers and prefects in the invaded districts have been provided with funds to purchase agricultural machinery.

Resumption of industrial activities will be under direction of the minister of commerce who will form a private organization to handle funds advanced by the Government and distribute merchandise. Exports will be closely regulated.

PAPER FROM BURMA GRASS

LONDON, Jan. 5.—After extensive experiments, British manufacturers have found that paper can be economically made from a grass that grows freely in Burma.

SPECIAL BARGAINS in CHILDREN'S HATS

For the remainder of this week we are offering large reductions in all lines of boys' and girls' hats. As our reputation, in this particular department, is well-known, you are assured of getting absolutely new and high-class goods, at genuine bargains.

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CHRISTMAS GIFTS ARE ACKNOWLEDGED

Children at St. Vincent's Orphanage Were Made Happy by the Receipt of Many Presents

The Sisters of St. Vincent's Orphanage desire to thank most sincerely the following benefactors who, by their generosity, helped to fill the Christmas stockings of the orphans, or filled the festival board with the good things that made their young hearts glad. Not the least of the little ones' Yuletide pleasures was that afforded them by the kindness of Mr. C. Rutherford and family, who served the annual banquet at their own home, Jan. 2, 1917.

May all who participated in making the orphans happy be repaid by Him, Who has promised that even a cup of cold water given to the needy shall not go unrewarded.

The St. Vincent De Paul Society, $25.00.
The Campbell Flour Co., $25.00.
The St. Peter's Sodality, $10.00.
Rev. Father Phelan, $5.00.
Rev. Father Leonard, Bracebridge, $5.00.
Mgr. Casey, Lindsay, $5.
Rev. Dean McColl, turkey.
Rev. Father J. J. O'Brien, turkey.
Rev. Father P. McGuire, $5. more, turkey.
Rev. Father M. McGuire, Douro, barrel of apples and 1 box prunes.
Rev. Father C. Bretherton, candy.
Mrs. (Dr.) Burnham, $5.00.
Mrs. E. A. O'Connor, $5.00.
Mr. R. Hooke, $5.00.
Mr. P. Young, Young's Point, $5.
Mr. Sullivan, $5.00.
Miss Agnes Holland, London street, $5.00.
Mrs. A. C. McMahor, Port Hope, $5.00.
Miss Heffernan, $1.00.
Mr. Wm. O'Connor, Toronto, $1.
Mrs. (Dr.) Coughlin, Belleville, $5.
Miss M. A. Navin, $5.00.
Mr. and Mrs. R. Sheehey, $5.
D. Welsh, $5.00.
Mrs. T. Hurley, Hunter street, $1.
Mr. W. M. Lech, touques.
Mr. Dourand, clothing.
Mr. A. Gordon, meat.
The Hibernians, candy, 4 geese, oranges.
Mrs. Mahony, Douro, turkey.
Douros and Gettas, basket oranges.
Mrs. A. J. Grant, candy.
Mrs. A. McDonad, groceries.
Mrs. J. Corkery, Otonabee, bread.
Mrs. P. Butler, fruit cake.
Mrs. P. Fitzgerald, turkey and barrel of flour.
Mrs. Michael O'Toole, two chickens.
Mr. N. H. Moore, toys.
Mrs. Coughlin, cake, oranges and nuts.
Mr. Thomas McCabe, oranges and nuts.
Mr. M. J. Carroll, turkey.
Mrs. M. H. Halpin, groceries and one-quarter lamb.
Mr. F. D. Kerr, oranges.
Mr. D. O'Connel, oranges and nuts
Mr. J. C. Sullivan, box raisins.
Miss M. Kelley, Brock street, two chickens.
Miss Tramworth, candy and jam.
H. F. Garden, George street, oranges and dates.
Mr. and Mrs. McCarthy, barrel flour, goose, fruit cake.
Mrs. (Dr.) Gallivan, cut flowers.
Mrs. J. McNamara, candy.
Mrs. C. Rutherford, oranges and nuts.
Mr. James Lynch, boxes of candy.
Mrs. E. V. McElderry, oranges.
Mr. N. Tobin, oranges.
Mr. T. J. Lynch, candy.
Mr. Potvin, cake and candy, buns, etc.
Mrs. J. W. Gordon, 253 Stewart street, two gems fruit.
Mrs. M. F. Fairen, two chickens, six gems fruit.
Mr. P. Kennedy, 1 pk. apples.
Mr. Joe. Longo, one peck apples, 1 doz. oranges.
Mr. M. J. Serro, geese.
Mr. P. Connal, oranges.
Mr. J. W. Fitzgerald, Smith street, turkey.
Mrs. F. G. Young, candy.
Mr. and Mrs. Dengnan, pail candy and 9 lbs. butter.
Miss Daley, three boxes cookies, four gems fruit.
Mr. Robert Fair, candy.
Mrs. McDonald, Hunter street, candy and nuts.
Fountains Bros., box of raisins.
Miss A. McGiverin, hats.
One year's subscription to the Examiner.
Mrs. M. Burns, flowers.
Mr. J. LaPlant, 1 barrel flour.
Mrs. Thorndyke, Stewart street, numerous toys.

To these and to the many other benefactors of the Orphanage, and especially the Ladies' Aid, which has rendered such generous and effective assistance during the year, the Sisters tender their grateful acknowledgement and wish all a happy and prosperous New Year.

SUFFRAGE JUST AS MUCH PATRIOTIC QUESTION AS IS RED CROSS

Mrs. Alice Roger-Collins Delivers Interesting Address on Equal Rights Before the Workers of the Red Cross Society.

THE VOTE IS NOT ALL

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Alice Roger Collins gave a most interesting address on equal franchise at the meeting of the Red Cross in the Public Library. There was a very large crowd of workers out. Mrs. T. F. Matthews, President of the Society, occupied the chair. Dr. Jessie Birnie was also on the platform, and in introducing the speaker, Mrs. Collins, gave a short address endorsing the movement which is so much before the country to-day. She spoke of the difficulty encountered by every new movement, even the Red Cross Society, now so popular, doing such splendid and grave work, had trouble in organizing on account of prejudices, etc., but it had come through successfully—all good things must. War has shaken many ancient prejudices. A situation has arisen through the present conditions when something must be done by women and some stand taken. The war has had a psychological effect on everybody. Things are looked upon in a different light. Such men as Asquith and Lord Northcliffe are now favourable to the equal franchise movement. There are grave questions coming up presently in which women must take a stand. The prohibition question must be settled, the influx of foreigners must be regulated. Women have fallen in to take the place of men largely during past three years, and for a generation they must still take the place of those who are returned from Europe unfit to work. If they can do this why can't they vote? Dr. Birnie paid a great tribute to Mr. Collins and hoped that all would give their undivided attention and if there were those who had not time to help in the movement of equal rights, they would at least give their sympathy.

Mrs. Collins then addressed the meeting. It is hard for me to speak, as I came to town with no idea of doing so, said Mrs. Collins, but since coming I find there has been no movement to make up the petition which the women of Canada are about to present to the Legislature. You must hurry with it to obtain best results. Men have asked for the vote for women, yet Peterborough is not in the list of the cities who are petitioning the government. Suffrage and Red Cross go hand in hand; one is just as much a patriotic question as the other. There is a common mistake that the actual vote is all women want. Some argue that to vote women must neglect home duties. I do not think that one day in the year will upset any home while the women go down to vote. Some are afraid directly the vote is given, women will want to sit in parliament. I have a vision of a special car running to Ottawa full of women eager to oust the men from their seats! In going into the votes for women movement I have not trodden a smooth path. I have worked for six years and have found no glory. In my town the league for the movement started with ten who were regarded as freaks. Some were afraid to join on account of public opinion and the company they might be in. The company is not bad. To be a suffragist you have George Elliott, Beerbohm Tree, etc., whereas the company against it are the liquor and white slave traffic, so you can pick your company! Suffrage goes back to the beginning of the world. In 1867 J. S. Mills asked Florence Nightingale to join the movement. She at first refused, but was forced to change her opinion when the matter was explained to her and all her old prejudices conquered by reason.

Women as a rule are stronger in their opposition to suffrage than men. They fear others might get what they want. Every thinking woman who studies the question will want suffrage. There are reasons women should have the vote.

1. Because women are well qualified as men mentally. Women can compete with men, often excell, in trades they have taken up.

2. Women give their children to teachers who are supposed to be fit to take charge of their children, yet they have no say in the board. Men who have no idea of children's minds and requisites are placed on the school boards where those in sympathy should be.

3. Women's ideals on modern questions raise moral standards. Women are the greater sufferers from intemperance, yet have no say in the governing of the laws controlling this. In our laws property is regarded before life. There is practically no law at present against child labour. In Toronto when there was a tremendous crop of berries to be picked and no one to do it, the government said, "Let the children." This was bad for children. The unfair adjustment and penalties for crimes against women and children in comparison with crimes against property are a scandal. I have gone into them section by section and sub-section by sub-section and find them an eye-opener. Some say it is unpatriotic to take up the movement while the men are away. Is it not patriotic to make the country better for them when they return? Socks are necessary. Yes, so is suffrage.

Infant mortality is terrible in Canada. In Australia, where they have had suffrage for years, the mortality is lower than in any other country, because the women have a say in the conditions.

4. Women should have equal wages with men. They work as well. Why should they not be paid as well. We never hear of High school or Public school women principals. Why not, when their work is as good and at times better?

5. The care of the feeble minded. Women have asked for years to have this serious matter adjusted, but the government is always "too busy," so feeble minded people marry, the state has feeble minded children to look after.

6. Because equal franchise has proved a success everywhere it has been tried. The only objection some can find is that it is new. Peterborough hates to take up anything new. One hundred years ago a man was stoned for carrying an umbrella in Baltimore because it was new. In Finland they have purer laws than any other country because of equal franchise. Women got the vote there because men and women had suffered together, and a spirit of equality and comradeship had been established.

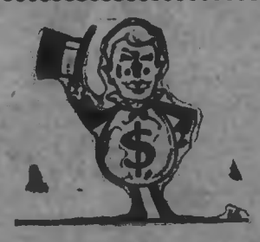
The arguments against the movement are weak. Women's sphere is home, women are too emotional, women don't really want the vote, women lose charm, women of all classes would vote, some badly, women can't fight (this reason is principally given by kindly old clergymen and corklegged men), it would raise suction in the homes (there is lots now even without the vote.)

Now you have seen both sides I hope you will look deeper in the matter, which cannot be decided by a casual reading of the daily papers, and will help on the movement by signing the petition.

AGAIN ASKS INQUIRY INTO CANNED GOODS

Brantford Also Wants Oleomargarine Admitted During the War.

BRANTFORD, Jan. 5.—Hon. T. W. Crothers, Minister of Labour, was forwarded an appeal on behalf of the civic High Cost of Living Committee for an investigation into the prices on canned goods and a request for the removal of the prohibition of oleomargarine, particularly during the war, while butter production is decreased and consumption for the troops increased. The committee forwarded unverified figures, giving costs of production on which an investigation could be based, regret being expressed that the Minister had not thought it practicable to take action on the committee's first request.



When you make my acquaintance, you will want to see me every day, I'll have such interesting things for you.

J. C. O.

WHY BELGIANS DIED DAILY.

Given Acorn Tea, Weak Soup, and Mildewed Bread.

The Hague, Jan. 5.— According to the statements made by Belgians invalided from camp at Soltau, Prussia, they received at six o'clock in the morning a bowl of some decoction made from acorns. At midday they received half a liter of soup containing much water and a few turnips, carrots, and shrimps, served with bread or potatoes. At three o'clock in the afternoon there was given to them 250 grams (slightly more than half a pound) of black bread, bad, and often mildewed. In the evening, as at midday, they received half a liter of soup, sometimes containing bran or brown maize.

Under this regime the stronger men went under and the weak soon fell ill so that, the Belgians say, deaths occurred daily.

Lakefield News

LAKEFIELD, Jan. 4.— Miss Katie Bissonnett of Peterborough, is spending a few days in the village, the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. P. Kennedy.

Miss Eva Sanderson of Peterborough, is visiting friends in the village.

Miss Myrtle Moore of Douro, has arrived in the village to attend the Lakefield High school.

Mr. R. Glenn Madill has returned to Queen's University, Kingston, after spending the Christmas vacation at his home here.

Miss Mina Edwards spent Thursday in Peterborough.

Mr. Leonard Armstrong returned home to Peterborough this morning after spending the holidays at his home here.

Mr. Chas. Hunter was in Peterborough on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Batten of Hall's Glen, were in the village on Thursday.

The standing of the pupils of the Lakefield Continuation school as determined by the Christmas examinations, is as follows. The names are in order of merit:

Form I—Addie Batten, Mildred Bailey, Gwen Simpson, Warren Payne, Millie Lemay, Ruth Crawford, Electa Preston, D'Arcy Hill, Mary Northcott, Edward Bailey, Madge Nugent, Mary Armstrong, Roy Everett, Elmets Hall, Sherman Rowe, Muriel Boyce, Clara Young, Kathleen Young and Verda Northey.

Form II — Doris Burgess, Gladys Charlton, Veronica Johnson, Olive Jory, Gladys Sage, Roy Frankish, Joseph Hobbins, Lena Bullock, Edwin Rowe, Marion Hunter, Hertha Preston and Rose Kidd.

Form III.—Kenneth Madill, Donald Fitzgerald, Elwood Northey, Alex. Thompson, Dorothy Sherin, Florence Little, Marie McMurray, Mabel Northey, Olive Northcott and Frankie Carroll.

Read the Examiner.

Something For Your Table

New Year Presents that look well and WEAR well are a source of lasting satisfaction to the giver as well as to the recipient.

BRITISH-MADE SILVERWARE
The Standard of the World

In this line we offer some specially pleasing articles.

A cheerful welcome to all shoppers whether to look or to buy.

SCHNEIDER
The Jeweller, George St.

Recital

Helen Davies Sherry
A.T.C.M. D. Mus. Tor., Soprano
Assisted by
MISS LORA LOGAN
Violinist
MR. JOHN ALLAN
Solo Organist and Accompanist
In St. Paul's Church
ON FRIDAY EVENING
JANUARY 5th
At 8.15 p.m.
Under the Auspices of the Cromdale Chapter I. O. D. E.
ADMISSION 50 CENTS

WATCH FOR THE GREEN PRICE CARDS

Saturday Snaps

Ready-to-Wears That Command Interest

Charming $25.00 Dresses $12.95

Pretty models made of pretty materials, including taffeta, crepe de chene, georgette and satin combinations—pleasing shades of Copenhagen, navy, olive and brown. A good assortment of sizes. Regularly up to $25.00. Snap price..... 12.95
Twelve only, come early.

Comfortable $18 Coats $9.90

Chinchillas, serges, cheviots, tweeds and boucle cloths. Styles are all up to the 1916 fashion standard—smartly cut and excellent range of colours. Good assortment of sizes. Regular price $18.00. Saturday Snap price..... 9.90

A Medley of $3.00 Blouses $1.98

In voiles, marquisettes, wash silks, pretty combination lace and embroidery effects—convertible and large collars. Many are worth in the regular way up to $3.00. Obtainable in all sizes. Saturday Snap price will be only..... 1.98

$4.25 Skirts for Misses $3.39

Fashionable skirts for misses at a price that is greatly reduced. In black and navy serge, smartly flared and has pretty belt finish. Sizes 21 to 26 length. Regular price is $4.25. Saturday Snap price will be..... 3.39

White Flannelette Gowns 98c

Made of a fine quality white flannelette—can be had in regular and O. S. sizes. A well made noteworthy garment. The regular price was considerable more, but for a Saturday Snap special the price will be..... 98c

Women's $3.50 Black Cloth Top Boots $2.69

A street boot that is built for service and suitable for winter weather. Can be had with patent leather lowers. Both button and laced styles. D and E widths. At $3.50 they would be moderately priced. Saturday Snap..... 2.69

Ladies First Quality Guaranteed Rubbers 59c pr.

A rubber that is fully guaranteed not to tear at the seams or leak at the soles. Sizes and lasts to fit any shoe. You will need them now on mild days when streets are slushy. Saturday Snap price will be, pair..... 59c

SEMI-ANNUAL LONELY SALE OF MEN'S CLOTHING NOW ON

One Day Sale Items From The Art Needle Work Section

18-INCH STAMPED CENTRE PIECES	3 for 25c
25c STAMPED BROWN CENTRES	15c
"BEATSALL" SHETLAND FLOSS—All shades	10c
39c—24-INCH "BLUE BIRD" CENTRES	29c
50c CHINTZ CUSHIONS AND RUNNERS	29c
LADIES' MADE-UP STAMPED NAINSOOK NIGHT GOWNS	89c

Stationery and Soap at Quick Selling Saturday Prices

25c IMPERIAL LINEN WRITING TABLETS—½ price	2 for 25c
IMPERIAL LINEN ENVELOPES—Regular 9c package	2 for 15c
15c BOXES LINEN FINISH PAPER AND ENVELOPES	10c
SPECIAL 25c CLOVER LINEN PADS—Empress Style	19c
20 CASES RED WRAPPER LAUNDRY SOAP	10 bars for 25c
TAYLORS' INFANTS' DELIGHT GUEST SOAP	6 for 10c
JERSEY CREAM AND LITTLE GEM TOILET SOAP	5 for 10c
GLYCERINE TOILET SOAP—Regular 5c	4 for 15c

All Wool Guaranteed Serge in Navy Blue

Old Prices—42 in...75c; 44 in...85c; 44 in...$1.00; 50 in...$1.25
54 in. prices ranging from $1.35 up to $3.00. Excellent suiting quality at $1.50, $1.65, $1.75, fast dyes. Buy your Spring Suiting at 1914 prices

The CRESSMAN Company Limited

5 Home Furnishing Items Radically Reduced

$4.50 White Enamel Bed $2.99

White enamel, handsomely trimmed with brass nobs— equipped with castors; one size only, 4 ft. 6 inch. The regular price was $4.50. Saturday Snap Special will be..... 2.99

Green Window Shades 49c

Green window shades mounted on good rollers, trimmed with a three-inch lace insertion. Size 36 x 72 inches. The regular price is 65c. Saturday Snap special selling figure will be, each 49c

$12.00 Cotton Felt Mattress $8.75

An all cotton felt mattress, 4 ft. 6 inches and 4 ft. sizes — roll edge, blue and brown colours stripe ticking. Regular selling price is $12.00 for either size. Snap price, each..... 8.75

90c to $1.50 Carpet Samples 79c

Carpet samples assist many a housekeeper to reduce her carpet expenditure. Size 27 x 54 inches — assorted colours. Regular up to 90c and $1.50 each. Snap price, each..... 79c

$10.50 Steel Sliding Couch $8.90

Sliding couch—link weave spring—cotton felt mattress—covered with denim—valance on front and both ends. Regular price is $10.50. Saturday price will be..... 8.90

Women's 50c Black Cashmere Hose 39c

Sizes 9½ and 10 only—seamless black cashmere—grey heel and toe. Splendid 50c value; the last of the line to clear. Saturday Snap price will be, pair..... 39c

Women's 50c Wool Gloves 39c

Ten dozen only women's wool gloves, "Ringwood Knit," colours black and white. Sizes 6 to 7½. Good 50c value. Saturday Snap price will be only, pair..... 39c

$2.50 to $6.50 Millinery Shapes 99c

Velvet, valour felts and hatters' plush shapes. All this season's styles. The price is one that will ensure a quick clearance. Price..... 99c

British Attack in East Africa

LONDON, January 4—The following official communication was issued by the War Office to-night:

"In East Africa our forces in the vicinity of Kisaki, south of the Uluguru hills, assumed the offensive New Year's day. They stormed the enemy's strongly entrenched lines in the Mgeta valley, inflicting heavy casualties and capturing several guns and howitzers. Pursuing the enemy we approached on January 3 the Tiogowali river, eleven miles northwest of Kibambawe."

OTONABEE CHAPTER, I.O.D.E.

The regular monthly meeting of the Otonabee Chapter, I.O.D.E. will be held on Saturday afternoon, January 6th at 3 p.m. in the green room of the Y.W.C.A. As this is a most important meeting it is hoped that every member will try and make a point of being present.

JAPAN OWNS ALL BUT 265 MILES OF NATION'S ROADS

TOKIO, Jan. 5.—Out of the 5,678 miles of railroad in Japan, all but 265 miles are owned by the government. The Japanese government plans to construct 200 miles of new railroad each year.

POSTMASTERSHIP GIVEN TO WOMAN AS HER ALIMONY

DENVER, Colo., Jan. 5.—Alimony in the form of a branch postmastership has been obtained by Mrs. Emma Sullivan of Denver. Judge Butler has ordered her husband to turn the

FLOWERS MORE FRAGRANT WHEN NOT SHONE ON BY SUN.

PARIS, Jan. 5.—Flowers are more fragrant when the sun is not shining on them, according to a French scientist, because the oils that produce the perfume are forced out by water pressure in the plant cells, and this is diminished by sunlight.

IMMENSE WATER POWER WITHIN EUROPEAN RUSSIA

PETROGRAD, Jan. 5.—The available water power of European Russia, including Finland, the Urals, and the Caucasus, has been estimated by government experts at 80,000,000 horse power, of which scarcely 250,000 horse power has been utilized.

Cressman's Semi-Annual Lonely Sale

THE EVENT THAT SCORES OF MEN WAIT FOR

TWICE a year, prices on Men's Wear go down to low tide and we call it a "Semi-Annual Lonely Sale" because the lines are broken. When we say low tide we mean that in many cases the prices have been nearly cut in two.

OVERCOATS

$30.00 Overcoats	$21.75
$25.00 Overcoats	$16.90
$20.00 Overcoats	$13.85
$18.00 Overcoats	$11.90
$15.00 Overcoats	$9.90

SALE STARTS TO-MORROW

$1.25 & $1.50 Negligee Shirts 95c

Negligee Shirts, both soft and silk cuff styles. Size 14 to 16½. Regular $1.25 and $1.50. Sale..... 95c, 3 for 2.75

NECKWEAR

50c value..... 3 for 1.00
75c value .....55c or 2 for 1.00

$1.50 and $1.75 Underwear 95c

All-Wool odd shirts and drawers. Regular 1.50 and 1.75 values. Sale price, garment 95c

The CRESSMAN Company Limited

Cressman's Semi-Annual Lonely Sale

THE CARDINAL SELLING EVENT OF THE SEASON

HAVE you ever visited a Semi-Annual Lonely Sale? If you have you will again welcome this opportunity. If you have not it is indeed high time you did. They are our Greatest Men's Wear Sales of the year.

SMART SUITS

$30.00 Suits	$22.75
$25.00 Suits	$17.85
$20.00 Suits	$14.90
$18.00 Suits	$12.75
$15.00 Suits	$10.95

Men's Shefford Brand Rubbers..... 79c
Men's Fancy Vests, reg. 2.50 & $5..... 1.39
Cashmere Hose, fast black dye 35c; 3 pr. $1

$2.50 and $3 Hats $1.50

Both soft and stiff styles. All this season's shapes and colours..... $1.50

Dr. Banta's Kidney and Rheumatic Pills

Leads all Other Medicines in Peterborough as a Remedy For

Back Ache, Kidney Trouble and Rheumatism

Highly Recommended by People in This City Who Have Been Brought Back to Health by its Wonderful Curative Properties. If You are Suffering From One of the Ailments Named Above, by all Means Give This Undoubted Remedy a Trial.

Sold and Recommended at LYNCH'S DRUG STORE, 168 Hunter St., Peterborough

THE INAUGURAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Mr. V. Eastwood Appointed Chairman of the Board For the Year 1917 —Standing Committees Appointed—Few Changes Were Made

The inaugural meeting of the Board of Education was held last evening. One of the first duties to be dealt with by the 1917 Board was the appointment of a chairman. This fell to the lot of Mr. V. Eastwood who thanked the Board for their mark of favour and confidence. "The position, said Mr. Eastwood, is an honourable one and I hope to measure up to the standard of those who have held it before me. We have before us greater responsibility than ever before. We have sent away hundreds of our boys to the firing line who will come back looking in education. Many of them were only boys when they went away. They will deserve the greatest attention we can give to fit them for civil life and it is up to us to liquidate the great debt we owe them."

STANDING COMMITTEE

Messrs. Dr. G. Burnham, J. W. Miller, A. A. Fowler, R. Denne and J. Crane were appointed a committee to strike the standing committee for the year. The Committee brought in the following report:

FINANCE COMMITTEE

J. W. Miller (chairman), T. McGrath, Dr. G. Burnham, G. N. Gordon.

PROPERTY COMMITTEE

R. Denne (chairman), Dr. F. C. Neal, A. A. Fowler, G. N. Gordon.

SUPERVISION COMMITTEE

J. Crane (chairman), W. H. Hill, Dr. G. Burnham, R. Denne.

COMMITTEE ON APPOINTMENTS

Mr. W. H. Hill (chairman). The whole Board constitute the membership of this committee.

ADVISORY INDUSTRIALL COMMITTEE.

Mr. V. Eastwood (chairman), T. McGrath, A. A. Fowler, Dr. F. C. Neal, J. Crane, J. W. Miller. Outside members of this committee are as follows: Mr. E. G. Patterson, Mr. R. Anson, Mr. W. Sangster, Mr. T. H. G. Denne, Mr. J. Corkery and Mr. W. R. Breyfogle.

ADVISORY COMMERCIAL COMMITTEE.

A. A. Fowler, Dr. F. C. Neal, G. N. Gordon, T. McGrath. Outside members of this Committee: W. R. Morris, W. F. Johnston, A. W. Cressman, and W. H. Hamilton.

MR. V. EASTWOOD

The newly-elected Chairman of the Board of Education.

PREDICT WHISKY FAMINE.

London, Jan. 4.—The Central Control Board of Liquor Traffic, has made an order which comes into force Feb. 1, further reducing the strength of spirits to 30 degrees under proof. An official of the Central Control Board explained last night that the chief object of the new restriction was to get increased efficiency from all classes of people now on war service. Another reason was the Ministry of Munitions' requirements of an immense quantity of alcohol for war purposes. The official added that it is calculated there will be a famine in whisky in five years time, and the more whisky is diluted, the longer it will be possible to have stocks in reserve.

Sergt. Ed. Downes In Hun Chase From Fleury to Les Boeufs

Sergt. Edward Downes, writing to Chief Thompson, acknowledges the gift of a Christmas parcel from the police force, of which he was a member, and relates his experience in the campaign on the Somme:

Summerdown Camp,
Eastbourne, 12 Dec, '16.

Dear Chief—I received your splendid Christmas gift this morning. It is very kind indeed of you and your staff to take so much trouble over us boys, and I thank you all very much. Last Christmas I was at Merville, a small town in Northern France. This year I shall be lucky enough to be in England. You will notice that I am still convalescent, which is not at all bad. I came here on 7th Oct., so have had a good spell, although I have had a few days' sickness on and off. How much longer do you think this war will last? Not very much I hope. It was on the 15th Sept. that I was wounded. My regiment was at the Somme Valley and we had to fight from Ginchy to Flers and Les Boeufs. It was a grand affair and we gave Fritz a warm time. They were on the run with us chasing them with bombs and bullets. During the fight a shot went through my hand and put me out of action. I was left in a shell hole to get back as best I could. I put a bandage on and started on my journey, a tramp over ground which had been torn up by the shells. I soon saw many others who had been hit and we made up a nice little battle party. The first place one gets treated is as close to the line as possible. Here a dressing is put on and cocoa and bread and butter given. From there we were taken to the first field hospital by ambulance, where wounds are seen by a doctor and washed and dressed again, also another meal. The worst part was the 12 hours' ride in cattle trucks. After that we get to a base hospital, where the worst cases are sent to England and the remainder are put into wards and looked after there. The wound I got was not a very painful one and gave me very little trouble, but the continuous exposure during my time at the front began to tell on me when I got home. I wish you all a very happy Christmas and a prosperous New Year. Hoping God spares me to be with you all again soon, I remain,

Yours sincerely,
Edward Downes.

Officers Installed By Oddfellows Last Evening

The joint installation of officers of Otonabee Lodge No. 13, I.O.O.F., and Peterborough Lodge, No. 111, I. O. O. F., took place last evening in the Oddfellows Hall, George Street. District Deputy Grand Master B. Watts, assisted by the District Committee, performed the ceremony in a manner befitting the occasion. The officers of the respective lodges for the ensuing term are:

Otonabee Lodge No. 13.

N. G.—Bro. Henry Turner,
J. P. G.—Bro. W. F. Skitch.
V. G.—Bro. R. Ford.
Warden—Bro. F. Cooper.
Conductor—Bro. T. Pacey.
Chaplain—Bro. W. A. Parker.
L. G.—Bro. C. Moore.
O. G.—Bro. W. Groose.
R. S. N. G.—Bro J. E. Emmerson.
L. S. N. G.—Bro. R. Craig.
R. S. V. G.—Bro. C. Noise.
L. S. V. G.—Bro. J. Henry.
R. S. S.—Bro. G. Lavery.
L. S. S.—Bro. G. Moore.

Peterborough Lodge No. 111.

N. G.—Bro. H. Huffman.
J. P. G.—Bro. W. H. Barry.
V. G.—Bro. F. Read.
R. S.—Bro. J. M. White.
F. S.—Bro. W. Green.
Treasurer—Bro. W. Madill.
W.—Bro. R. Reid.
C.—Bro. H. Carter.
O. G.—Bro. F. Merrit.
I. G.—Bro. E. W. Oke.
R. S. N. G.—Bro. E. Currie.
L. S. N. G.—Bro. I. Vallery.
Chap.—Bro. B. Bossence.
R. S. S.—Bro. F. Hartman.
L. S. S.—Bro. G. Hall.
R. S. V. G.—Bro. W. Hooper.
L. S. V. G.—Bro. S. Huffman.
D.C.—Bros. T. C. Elliott, R. Hiller.
Organist—Bro. E. Blake.

Division Court in County Council Chamber To-day

The first Division Court since the fire ravaged the Court House was held to-day by Judge Hayeke in the County Council room. Most of the lawyers were represented with clients on the docket and the mill started amid an interior warmth that was heightened by the bedraggled conditions outside.

RAIN LEAKING THROUGH

To-day's rain leaked through the exposed ceiling into the central section of the main corridor directly under the old court room. It was simply a case of enduring the disagreeable conditions and of calling out some of the "birds" to mop up the mess.

COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING.

When the new County Council meets on Tuesday, January 23rd, one of the most important questions will be the restoration of the Court House which will likely be determined then.

ORIENTAL HOTEL

Rates—$2.50 and $3.00 per day
Rooms—$1.00 and $1.50
Meals—60 cents
Unexcelled Cuisine, Courteous Service. Bus meets all trains. Sample Rooms. J. E. COLSON, Mgr.

City Council Inaugural Meeting

The inaugural meeting of the City Council will be held on Monday morning next at 11 o'clock. The chief item of business will be the formation of the standing committees. It is altogether likely that several preliminary, unofficial meetings have been held during the week, with the result that the slate will be pretty well defined by the time Monday rolls around. Last year Ald. Duncan opposed such methods, but did not receive much of a reception. It is only fair to say that every member of the Council is not implicated in the preliminary efforts that are usually made to have the chairmanships assigned prior to the inaugural meeting.

A Scarcity of School Teachers

The Board of Education has declined to accept the resignation of Miss Ruth McFadden, of the Queen Mary school teaching staff, unless a suitable substitute can be secured. The matter was brought to the attention of the Board at a meeting held last evening.

Mr. W. H. Hill claimed that it was nearly impossible to secure teachers at the present time and that Miss McFadden's departure would seriously interfere with the work of the school. At Easter conditions would be different, as the annual crop of Normal school students would be available.

"Unforseen circumstances" was given as the reason for Miss McFadden's request.

Mr. Eastwood, chairman of the Board, wanted to know if the usual doctor's certificate accompanied the resignation.

Mr. Hill informed the Board that the case was not a question of physical disability. Matrimony was given as the reason for Miss McFadden's request.

Voice of The People

Correspondence under this heading, containing or involving attacks on individuals or violent or extreme statements, must to secure insertion, be signed with writer's real name, the omission of which does not assume the responsibility.

Editor of The Examiner.

Dear Sir,—Replying to "The Mother of a Soldier," as Secretary of the Peterborough Law Association, I can assuredly state that any lawyer in the city will be glad to advise her, free of charge. I do not believe, however, that the Patriotic Association will allow any woman to suffer whose only son is wounded in France. My advice is that this mother see Mr. Dobbin, whose business it is to deal with just such matters as this. Discretion must, of course, be used and each case dealt with on its merits; but there is no doubt that it is the plain duty of those who remain at home to see to it that no woman or child suffers because the man on whom they depend for support is fighting the country's battles.

Yours truly,
JOSEPH WEARING.

Supplementary Meetings Were Well Attended

The supplementary meetings held in Central Smith yesterday under the auspices of the Board of Agriculture, were well attended in the afternoon and evening. Mr. J. A. McGregor presided. Meetings are being held at Buckhorn to-day.

A Hot Fight In Collingwood

Special to The Examiner:

COLLINGWOOD, Ont., Jan. 5.—A new feature in the red hot by-election campaign here for the Legislature was the allegation in the local Conservative organ issued this morning, that the liquor interests were behind the Liberals in the campaign against the Conservative candidate. The article says the liquor men are out to defeat the Hearst candidate at any cost. The Liberals vehemently deny that they are receiving assistance from the liquor men. N. W. Rowell, K.C., will be the chief speaker at the Liberal meeting here to-night. A big army of workers of both parties are in the constituency.

Bits of Clothing Found In Ruins

A small piece of clothing, evidently the remains of a black shirt lined with grey and pink flannel and having a small patch, which may lead to identification, and a small portion of human flesh was recovered from the debris at the Quaker Oats. Them were taken to Lane and Enno's undertaking establishment awaiting identification. The bad weather to-day has interfered with the work of the searchers.

COST OF TEA RAPIDLY INCREASING.

The recent advance of five cents a pound by no means represents the increased cost of the fine teas used in "SALADA." The markets have advanced from six to ten cents a pound, and the freight rates jumped two and a half cents a pound in the past two months. Whatever prices these uncontrollable conditions may warrant, however, you may rely on the quality of "SALADA" remaining exactly the same as ever.

TENDERS WANTED

Capt. J. D. Warren, Canadian Army Service Corps, whose headquarters is with the caretaker of the Armouries, is calling for tenders for the supply of potatoes and fresh vegetables for the troops in Peterborough, from February 1st to May 31st.

Those desirous of tendering may do so by getting in touch with Captain Warren.

MODEL SHOE SHOP

Quick shoe repairing done in a proper manner; fashionable shoes made to order. Cripples' shoes a specialty. Rubber heels put on, shoes sharpened and put on. Come in and see us working by electricity.

M. VENERANDA
SIMCOE STREET
West of Kingan's Hardware

YOUR TIME HAS COME

To turn over a new leaf with the New Year and save all you can for a rainy day. We can help you do this by giving you the purest and most nourishing foods, at the lowest prices.

Come and let us show you a few of our special money-savers.

We can save for you, as we are doing for others.

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THE PUBLIC LIBRARY HAS HAD GOOD YEAR

(Continued from page 5)

tan Institute, Mr. O'Dell, Farm & Dairy, Journal of Commerce, W. R. Morris, C. C. Abbot, S. African Government, Carnegie Library, Ottawa, Carnegie Peace Endowment, Mr. Croft, G. A. Gillespie, Esq., M.P.P., the Misses Nicholls, and Mr. Pogue.

Some 450 volumes have had to be retired, everyone of which has been a book of fiction. In cases where the volumes were not too far gone to be of service they were made up in bundles and sent for the use of our soldiers overseas, or to the local recruiting rooms. Capt. Best took charge of those destined for overseas use and Mrs. Scadding of those for local service.

I am glad to report that there have been fewer books missing, about 38 as compared with 400 in 1915. Most of those that cannot be found were in the juvenile department.

There have been fewer cases of mutilation of magazines and newspapers, but attention needs to be drawn to the fact that some person or persons unknown occasionally abstracts periodicals from the Library tables, and having made use of them, return hem just as mysteriously as they took them.

The reading rooms have been well patronized and there have been many visitors to the museum; very many more in fact, than in former years.

The reference room has become very popular with the pupils of the Collegiate Institute and also with many children from the various schools in the city. As has been the case in former years, however, no note of the numbers who have used it, or of the volumes that have been consulted, has been made, and it would be hazardous to make a guess in either case. The members of the Board may rest assured, however, that the reference library has done excellent service throughout the year.

In the reading department a great deal of useful work has been done and I am pleased to add that it has been done at smaller cost to the library than in any former years. 4,400 books were repaired and 31 magazines bound and made ready for the shelves.

The Library building has been made use of by many patriotic societies, chief among them being the Red Cross Society. The basement of the building is still being made use of by the ladies as a store house for some of their supplies.

The members of the staff have shown efficiency in their work and I have nothing but praise for the way in which they have striven to do their various duties.

The amount received in fines, etc., during the year was, as will be seen from the monthly statement, $174.38. In this amount must be included $11 for tickets purchased by borrowers living outside the city limits.

The Library has received at all times the courteous attention of the Review and the Examiner and the assistance rendered by these journals in disseminating information concerning its activities is not to be measured in words.

Before closing this report I would like to suggest, for the consideration of the Board, one way at least in which a very useful work might be accomplished, and that is in the teaching of classes in reference work. If the heads of the various educational institutions in the city could hit upon method whereby certain classes could be sent to do reference work along specified lines of work I think the Library would be in a very good position to aid them both with books and suggestions. Our Library committee is adding books of great value to this section every year and the training in seeking out information therein is bound to be of incalculable value to any who engage in it.

5,168 tickets have been issued since the Library was opened. During the past twelve months 630 tickets were issued, 169 of these were to juveniles and 46 to Normal school students.

On behalf of the staff and for myself I beg to thank the members of the Board for the kindness and consideration extended to us throughout the year, and remain,

Yours respectfully,
Fred M. Dela Fosse.

Ruin is in Sight

LONDON, Jan. 5.—That the chief motive inspiring Germany's peace move is the realization that economic ruin is in sight unless the war is brought to an early conclusion, is the statement of a prominent neutral to a Rotterdam correspondent of the Daily News and cabled here to-day.

IT PAYS TO BUY FROM US
IT PAYS TO BUY FROM US, AT ALL TIMES. BECAUSE WE ALWAYS SELL GOOD STUFF AND CHARGE YOU JUST WHAT IT IS WORTH --NO MORE AT ANY TIME.
WHAT YOU WANT IS A "REGULAR PLACE" TO TRADE--A PLACE WHERE YOU KNOW YOU WILL ALWAYS GET A SQUARE DEAL. WE KNOW THAT WE TREAT YOU RIGHT. DEAL WITH US AND YOU WILL FIND IT OUT.
BEGIN NOW TO MAKE OUR STORE YOUR STORE.
H. J. ZACKS
BETTER GOODS FOR LE

NOTICE!

I could not honestly advertise that the W. E. Sandford Mfg. Co. Ltd. are in need of money, and that it was necessary to advertise slaughter of goods. Such would be false.

THE OAK HALL STORE

IMPORTANT!

It's a matter of dollars to us managers, as we receive a bonus at end of year if stock is in keeping with our year's sales. Peterboro stock is too heavy.

OUR JANUARY SALE STARTS SATURDAY, JANUARY 6th

It's a shame to sell such lines of new seasonable Clothing, Hats and Furnishings at our January Prices, in the face of the great scarcity of all kinds of merchandise and the soaring prices. FOR EXAMPLE.—(We are now being asked by the manufacturerers and placing orders for lines for next winter.) underwear we bought for this winter at $9.50 doz. being asked for nex winter $13.25 doz., woolen goods we bought at $39.00 doz. now priced at $54.00, and so it is all along the line.

Look Ahead! January Prices Here Merit Your Attention.

We have not one dollar's worth of undesirable stock. But we have too heavy a stock of most desirable goods at old time prices. Here is your opportunity. Again we say

LOOK AHEAD! BUY! BUY! BUY!

Walk into our well arranged department for men and boys. Everything is easy for you to see and easy for salesman to get at. You see what you want and get it without any bother.

MEN'S SUITS AT $15.00

Good quality English Tweed, not ordinary $15.00 Suits but broken lines from our higher priced stock lines, in the new brown and grey patterns, small stripes and checks, tailored in fashionable single-breasted sack style, round and peaked lapels, Sovereign brand made garments all-wool linings and guaranteed shape keeping. In the lot are suits worth up to $20, for **$15**

Young Men's Overcoats & Ulsters $15

Single-breasted, three button coat, small lapels, double breasted, two button coat, heavy lapels. Just the right length and width of shoulder, perfect fitting backs, velvet collars, also heavy double breasted Ulsters, convertible collar, belt back, smart styles, Canadian, Jellicoe, Beatty, Oxford. Just the right colors and good quality English cloths, worth up to $20 **$15**

Good Tweed Trousers at $1.95

Serviceable Tweeds, in grey and mixed Tweed effects. Sizes 34 to 42. Worth up to $3.00.

Worsted Trousers at $2.95

Men's Dark Grey Striped Pants. 5 pockets, belt loops, side buckles, flaps on pockets, cuff buttons. Heavy, strong, neat pants. Sizes 33 to 40.

Boys' Double Breasted Suit at $5.95

Broken sizes in medium shade, brown and grey Tweeds. All wool linings. Full cut bloomers. Worth up to $9.00.

Norfolk Suits at $6.95

All this past Fall's selection in Tweeds. Greys, browns, heathers. Various styles of Norfolks. Full cut bloomers. Worth up to $8.50. Sizes in both, 29 to 35.

Children's Fancy Overcoats $3.95

Broken sizes in tan, brown, navy, dark and light greys. Double-breasted, belts, button close to the throat; check linings. Worth $5.50. Ages 2½ to 9 years.

Blue Serge Norfolk Suit $8.95

Made standard Norfolk style. All-Wool Blue Serge Cloths; Wool trimming. Full cut bloomers. Old values. Extra special. Sizes 29 to 33.

Gentlemen—Why not buy your Summer Underwear now. Ladies buy their Whitewear. Why not you. You can save money.

Porous Combinations 75c

White Porous Combinations, short sleeves, long legs. Worth now $1. In Spring $1.35, now for ....

Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers 39c

Long sleeves and legs. Worth 50c in spring when you want it, it will sell for 65c, now.....

Come Saturday Morning early, if you can. At any rate come as soon as you can. Keep this page of specials before you. We are determined to reduce our stock and will keep above specials and many other inducements for you during this month.

Men's Hats at $1.95

All this last Fall's styles. Rope and flat rim and Fedora's in blue, black, tan, grey, steel slate; also Christie's, Kenmore & Imperial Stiff Hats. Worth $2.50 and $3. Sizes 6¾ to 7⅛.

500 Men's Shirts 75c

Broken ranges of our regular stock. Single, double and cluster stripes. Laundered cuffs and soft cuffs, with collars. Buy for next summer now 75c

Combination Underwear $1.00, $1.50, $2.00 and $2.50

Watson's, Penman's, True Knit, Stanfield's make, in spring needle elastic rib, closed crotch. Buy for next winter: prices will be 40 per cent. higher. All sizes, 34 to 44.

Men's Caps 98c

Heavy Tweeds, with and without fur bands. Also medium weight Fancy Tweeds and Worsteds. Made from high-priced sample ends of worsteds. Worth up to $1.50 for 98c

Boy's Blouses 59c

Best American Prints. Dark and medium patterns, plain white, cream and chambray, tapeless blouse. Large full size and well shaped. 59c

Boys' Sweater Coats

Varsity knit, fancy weave, in garnet and black and grey and garnet. 2 colours only. Sizes 28, 30, 32. Worth to-day $3.75, for $2.59

Boys' Jerseys

English Jerseys for boys, 2½ to 12 years, in tan, grey, blue, khaki, green. Button neck, elastic finish, cuffs, neck and skirt. Special ..... $1.00 & $1.25

Boys' Shirts, Hard and Soft Cuffs 75c

Boys' Shirts and Drawers .. 50c, 65c & 75c
Boys' Wool Toques 50c

Men's Shirts

Men's Work Shirts. Special 59c
Men's Work Shirts, Jess Willard 85c
English Flannan Shirt $1.25
Dress Shirts, soft cuffs and collars, stiff cuffs; broken ranges. Worth up to $1.25. 95c
Men's Flannelette Night Shirts 75c
Men's Flannelette Pyjamas $1.50

Underwear

Odd Shirts only, Fleece-lined 50c
Shirts and Drawers (Penman's), each . 75c
Heavy Ribbed Shirts and Drawers .. $1.00
Stanfield's Heavy Ribbed $1.50

Sweater Coats Special $5.00

Heavy Jumbo Knit Coat, in grey, khaki, cardinal and steele colours; shawl collars. Worth to-day $7.50, for $5.00

Umbrellas $1.00 and $1.25

Buy now for spring. A good strong ball runner, paragon frame, stitched edge. Worth $1.50, for $1.00
Same as above, with taped edges. Special, $1.25

M. J. MAHER
Manager

OAK HALL

THE WORLD OF SPORT

FANS ARE PRAYING FOR GOOD ICE FOR TUESDAY'S BIG GAME

The Peterborough Juniors and the fans generally are praying for good ice for next Tuesday night when Bowmanville will endeavour to lift the scalps of the local youngsters in the opening Junior O.H.A. game. A fast hockey cushion is all that is required to make the game a memorable one, judging by the form the Peterborough boys are showing in practice and by the reports that are coming from Bowmanville as to the class of Manager, Joe Hynd's team. The Bowmanville juniors are a new attraction as far as Peterborough is concerned, as they have generally grouped with other clubs. The team is said to be fast and clever this year, and Peterborough fans who have been following the junior's practices are looking forward to the clash with more than usual interest. Besides the loyal body of fans who turn out to see every hockey game the Juniors have a following of their own who like to see the youngsters perform. Altogether there will be a real old time crowd out for Tuesday's battle provided Jack Frost brings along some ice in the meantime. There is a good foundation on the rink's surface and a few hours of frost would provide the best of hockey conditions.

The Lindsay Post Says:—

Well, anyway, "Josh" Craig says his juniors are all home-brews. Josh has been working hard with his team for the past couple of seasons and deserves all the success he can grab.

"LESS PITCHING, MORE BATTING"

"Less pitching and more batting" is the latest baseball slogan. It was inspired at the recent National League meeting by Percy D. Haughton, president of the Braves, and augmented by others in that meeting but nothing was done to accomplish the end in view.

It was generally agreed that Mr. Haughton was right, that there should be "less pitching and more batting." There are too few hits, too many strikeouts and not enough base stealing. And baseball will never be improved as long as the pitcher is the master of the game. Seeing two pitchers in a 1 to 0 battle is why the strikeouts are more numerous than the hits is not calculated to attract enthusiastic fans to the ball game. They care little for such battles. They would rather see a pitcher hit rather hard, with lots of splendid fielding and base running, instead of the boxman mowing down the batsmen at the plate, leaving the remainder of the team inactive.

It has been suggested that the foul strikes be limited to one instead of two. This would place an additional burden on the pitcher and give the batsman an additional chance to hit safely. But a still better rule would be to send a batsman to first base on three balls instead of four. This would have a double purpose.

First, a pitcher would not be so liberal in pitching wide balls to enable the catcher to make an easy throw to catch a base stealer. Some pitchers have wasted as many as three balls in order to outguess the base runner.

Second, more batsmen would first base and hence there would be more of that spectacular part of the game, base stealing. The bases are empty too much. There is too much of the game when the whole attention is riveted on the pitcher and the batsmen.

The semi-balk could be eliminated to the advantage of base runners. This illegal delivery exists to a large extent and only the most daring and fleet footed men—such as Ty Cobb—can take liberties on the bases while a pitcher of this type is on the mound. Old-fashioned pitching, which was less effective than the modern style, and consequently developed more thrills, is lacking. And the tedious, deliberate style of present-day twirlers with its great effectiveness has prolonged these "pitchers' battles" until they become a bore.

Baseball may not be revised this winter or next, but a movement toward it was made when John K. Tener requested that all suggestions looking toward greater batting be sent to him so that he could place them before the Committee on Rules.

INDOOR BASEBALL

Last night the Senior Employed Boys' Class started the new term with the excellent attendance of twenty-two.

Harold Copp (Captain of the Tigers) with the good support which he received from his players, managed to defeat the Senators, under Capt. Brown in a game of baseball by the score of 4 to 1. In the course of this game Pitcher Brown's delivery was freely hit and Copp and Cottingham got some lucky hits. Catcher Stewart Thorndyke played a good game despite the fact that he received a foul ball in the face.

This game was followed by a game of basketball between the Athletics, under Nelson, and the Indians owned by McLeod. This game was won by the Athletics by the close score of 18 to 16. The stars in this contest were Nelson, Cavanagh and Gerald Thorndyke for the Athletes, and Eaton, Armstrong and McLeod for the Indians.

Next Monday there will be a basketball double-header. Tigers vs. Athletes, Indians vs. Senators.

HOCKEY GOSSIP

For the first time since the Brock Street Rink opened, three weeks ago to-night, there was no ice available for hockey practice last night, and as a result the 247th Battalion team did not have their usual work-out.

Robert Carney, one of the candidates out with the Peterborough junior club this year, has joined the big bunch of Peterborough hockey players playing the war game, and has become a member of the 24th Battery.

Peterborough fans will be glad to learn that Lornie Rose last year's Peterborough junior captain has caught a place with the champion Sarnia intermediates. He is announced as left wing in the Sarnia line up for to-morrow night's opening game. There was plenty of competition for places on the team and the Peterborough kid deserves credit for winning a place.

The 247th game with Lindsay scheduled for to-night has been postponed on account of the soft snap and will be played later on in the season.

Pte. Bobby Armstrong the big centre man of the soldiers had his knee injured in Tuesday's game but hopes to be alright for the next battle.

Owing to the ice conditions there will be no practice for the Peterborough juniors to-night.

BOWLING

A great game was played on the Water street alleys last night, when a team of five men went over the 2,700 mark. This game was played as a practice game with the intention of going to Toronto some time in January to try and lift the McCallum trophy with a five man team. Dawson was high man with a score of 624 Bishop, Cairns, Solomon, Nicolls and Fitzpatrick were all over the 500 mark, which goes to show that there were some good scores hung up. Another practice game will be played next week, and by then it should be seen how the team will look on the Toronto alleys.

	1	2	3	
Bishop	138	131	151	515
Fielder	131	189	150	450
Dawson	190	201	233	624
Cairns	149	201	171	521
Solomon	168	218	205	591
	824	970	910	2701
	1	2	3	
Somerville	170			170
Rose		133	169	302
Thomas	169	119	110	398
Outram	166			166
Byers		136	125	261
Nicolls	170	188	151	509
Fitzpatrick	164	206	172	542
	839	784	727	2350

The De Laval office will play the De Laval factory to-morrow night at 7.15. It will be remembered that the factory beat the office in a game before and this time all the men in the office team are out to beat the factory. A great game should be played between these two teams.

Choirmaster Is Wounded

Pte. Wm. Woodrow, the choir master of St. George's Anglican church, who went overseas with the 93rd Battalion, has been badly wounded in the arm according to news reaching the city to-day. Pte. Woodrow enlisted with the 93rd Battalion last winter and went overseas with the Peterborough unit, afterwards being transferred to another battalion at the front. He is the forty-third member of the 93rd to be hit since representatives of the battalion went to the front.

The Patriotic Fund

Those in charge of the Patriotic Fund need ready money for meeting the obligations of the work and are anxious that subscriptions in arrears be paid in. The Finance Committee has found it necessary to, in some cases, resort to the Division Court as a collecting agency, and if further response is not made to requests to meet the emergency the same expedient may have to be again adopted. The money is needed and there seems to be no doubt of the legal and moral obligations of subscribers to meet the obligations to which they have pledged their names. The Finance Committee desires to have the situation placed before those of the public interested in the matter.

MAGISTRATE DUMBLE DISCUSSES WATER RATE

Magistrate Dumble has addressed the following letter to the Peterborough Utilities Commission, Simcoe street, Peterborough, Ont.

Gentlemen,—I beg to draw your attention to an unfairness in the matter of assessing for water rates. I hold two lots, one of them is a corner lot, the other, the same size, is not. For the corner lot you assess me for both side and front measurements, 140 feet, for the next lot on its frontage 33 feet. Each lot is the same size, each lot will carry one house, each house will require the same quantity of water.

Now, the question is, why should I pay for the corner lot $1.12, and for the next lot only 98c? I know your answer. You say that the cost for pipe laying etc. on the corner lot is much greater than on the inside lot, and that somebody must pay for the carrying on the pipes, etc., and you lay the extra costs on the man who happens to occupy the corner lot. Now, at every corner there is a square in the centre, you may call it "No man's land." You have to carry the water pipes over this square, east west, north and south, and you charge the cost of getting over the corner to the general cost of the water system. The consumer pays his share of that in his general taxes, but what fairness is there in making the fixed amount of water used by the occupant of the corner lot cost three times as much as the occupant of the next lot pays for the same accommodation. Would it not be equitable to charge all consumers of the same quantity of water the same price and not charge the unfortunate man on the corner more than his fair share? Let every consumer pay the same price for the same thing.

I submit this to your consideration as I think the present method unjust.

I am, gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
D. W. DUMBLE.

Bound To Be Involved

Examiner Special:

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—"I agree with Secretary Lansing or anybody else who says this war cannot continue without America becoming involved in it," said Senator Lewis in the Senate this afternoon. He said the United States could not proceed further in accepting apologies for injuries done by ship commanders, presumably referring to submarine commanders.

UPHELD CONVICTION OF POLICE COURT

In the Division Court this morning, Judge Huycke sustained the police court conviction of Mr. Perry of the United Cigar Store, who was fined $10 by Magistrate Dumble for selling cigarette papers to a minor. Mr. C. S. G. Spence laid the information. The appeal was dismissed with costs.

BROCK ST. RINK

NO SKATING TO-NIGHT

Renew your subscription.

All Wool
Scarlet Overstockings
Heavy Rib Knit, Seamless, Sizes 6 to 10 Ins. Saturday Extra Special Pair
59c
Reg. Prices 75c to 85c Pair

ROBT. FAIR & COMPANY, LTD.

Saturday Bargains

If you are a shrewd buyer and a close buyer, here's your chance to practice real economy to-morrow.

An Extra Special Saving is Offered on Coats and Suits To-morrow

Good-bye to our Beautiful Tailored Suits To-morrow that Sold for $18.00 and $20.00 for $11.00

You will be the gainer by a saving of 1/3 to 1/2 under our last popular quotations on admittedly the nicest Suits in the city—for business, travelling and general wear. They are so smart you will wear yours the best of this winter — and next season with satisfaction. The colours, style and finish make these suits very desirable. Regular prices up to $20.00. Your choice..... 11.00

$25.00 Black Sealette Coats $15.00

A bargain of one of the best selling and popular coats of the season. Just three left that were $25.00 each. Your choice 15.00

$1.25 White Flannelette Gowns 98c

Several styles to choose from. Extra good material and good generous sizes. Regular price $1.25. Saturday Sale price..... 98c

An Extra Special for Saturday, Ladies' Misses' and Children's Coats at $5.00

This lot is composed of all this season's best styles and choicest materials. A chance like this should be snapped up quickly, but come as early as possible. On account of the extremely low price we cannot make alterations free. Regular prices were $12.50 to $15.00. Your choice..... 5.00

$26.50 Fancy Plush Coats $17.50

This handsome line of coats, have a plain plush collar and cuffs; also wide band at bottom. Guaranteed satin lining. Regular price $26.50. Sale price 17.50

A Handsome Lot of Blouses at $2.98

This collection comprises many lines of Messaline and Taffeta Silk, Georgette Crepe, Ninon overnet, etc., in white, cream, navy, black, copen, browns, etc. Regular prices were $4.00 to $6.00. All one price, each 2.98

Take Advantage of the Special Prices We Offer for To-Morrow

SUPERIOR WHITE BLANKETS — Very large size, 66 x 84 inches. Not all wool but the very best quality of union blankets. Worth to-day $7.50. Saturday Sale price, per pair 6.50

WHITE WOOLNAP BLANKETS—Just like an all-wool blanket. In fact it takes the place of them. Extra large size, 72 x 84 inches, pretty borders. Regular $4.50. Saturday, per pair..... 3.98

MEN'S WORKING SHIRTS —With collars attached, in khaki, black and white stripe, etc. Sizes 14 to 17. Some with pocket. Regular 75c. Sale price, each..... 59c

MEN'S HEAVY WOOL SOCKS—Rib knit with fine rib top, white toes and heels. Worth 35c. Saturday, per pair 29c

HEAVY GREY WOOL BLANKETS—Light grey with stripe border. 6-lb. size. Worth $4.25. Saturday Sale price, per pair. 3.75

Printed Duckling Fleece Wrapperettes

About thirty-five handsome designs and colourings to choose from, suitable for long or short kimonas, house dresses, waists, children's dresses, covering quilts, etc. The regular prices were 20c, 22c, 25c yard. Saturday Bargain Sale price, per yard 15c

SPECIAL FINISHED LONSDALE CAMBRIC—For ladies' underwear, full yard wide. An excellent quality. Worth 18c. Saturday price, per yard 15c

10 YARDS WHITE COTTON FOR $1.00—Extra good value. More especially since the advance in cottons. Worth 12½c. To-morrow, ... 10 yards for 1.00

ONCE AGAIN WE PLACE ON SALE THIS CREAM FLANNELETTE — Very heavy but free from dressing. 30 inches wide. 18c value for .....7 yards for 1.00

LILY WHITE UNDERWEAR COTTON — A most perfect fabric for ladies' dainty undergarments. 40 inches wide. Worth 45 and 50c. Saturday, per yard 30c and 35c

SOFT WHITE NAINSOOK — Made specially for ladies' fine underwear. Not a particle of dressing in it. 30c value. On sale at, ... 4 yards for 1.00

LADIES' GREY KNIT WOOL GLOVES—Also some black fleece-lined gloves. Regular price 40 and 50c. All one price, per pair... 25c

Saturday Morning Extra Specials

36-INCH HEAVY FACTORY COTTON—A very clear make, heavy but no dressing, for sheets, pillow cases and general use. Regular value 15c, but at to-day's advance prices would be about 18c. Saturday Sale price..... 10 yards for 1.25

8/4 BLEACHED SHEETING—A good heavy English sheeting that will stand the wear and give satisfaction. Regular price 35c. Saturday Sale price, per yard..... 29c

BEST QUALITY LONGCLOTH — 36 inches wide, for general household use; also an excellent quality for underwear. Regular price 20c. Saturday Special ..... 6 yards for 1.00

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Rain and snow to-day, followed by high north-west winds and a change to colder. Saturday, fair and much colder.

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ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Industrial Exhibition will be held in the City Council Chamber, Peterborough, on Saturday, January 20th, 1917, at one o'clock p.m. G. A. Gillespie, President; F. J. A. Hall, Secretary. 5-9-12-16-19

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Mr. J. H. Renwick, organist and choirmaster, George Street Methodist Church, has resumed teaching. Pupils prepared for examinations. Many present and former pupils holding good positions. Studio, 567 Aylmer street. 'Phone 1098. 28d-2

AUCTION SALE

Of household furniture, etc., at the home of Mr.. H. Brault, 77 Ware St., on Monday, Jan. 8th, including piano, nearly new, steel range. Sale 1:30 p.m., W. J. Hancock, Auctioneer, 404 George St. 3d-8

NOTICE.

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SLASHING JANUARY SALE.

3 only skating sets, reg. $1.50, for $1.15; 1 only child's white corded velvet coat and bonnet, reg. $6.50, for $5.00; 1 only child's brown corded velvet coat, reg. $4.50, for $3.50. Children's underwear in flannelette caps, collars and woollen goods, all marked down for one week only. Sale starts Saturday morning at the Peterborough Fancy Goods Store, 184 Hunter street.

HOTEL PROPERTY LEASES.

Mr. J. D. Flavelle, Chairman of the Ontario License Board, yesterday expressed the opinion that the clause concerning the powers of the board with reference to cancellation of leases should be repealed. He considers that as claimants have had six months to apply for relief if they wanted it there would be no further need for the clause.

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SPOILED CHILDREN FILL ASYLUM WITH PARENTS

TOPEKA, Kas., Jan. 5.—Spoiled children by refusing to care for their aged parents who are unable to support themselves are causing the state insane asylums to be filled with aged dependents not insane, it is charged in the report of Dr. Thomas C. Biddle, superintendent of the Topeka state hospital.

"Owing to the decadence of filial duty," says the report, "our people are much more inclined to transfer the burden of parental care to other hands or to the public than in the last generation. This may be the result of lax discipline with consequent disrespect that characterizes the modern family management."

The patients over 60 years old admitted to the institution every year he said, had increased from seventy-one in 1902 to 160 in 1916

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Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ashton Lillie of Wallaceburg, whose marriage took place recently, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Ford on Saturday last. The happy couple were east on their wedding tour. The bride formerly was a member of the Wallaceburg High School staff. The groom resided in Norwood for several years and his many friends will join in congratulations.—Norwood Register.

Mr. Geo. Graham, son of James Graham, Webb, Sask., is visiting his uncle, Dan Castle, 315 Burnham street, East City.

Lindsay Warder.—Mr. P. A. Ferguson of Peterborough, was in Lindsay this week on business.

Lindsay Post.—Mr. and Mrs. W. N. McEachern, Toronto, announce the engagment of their only daughter, Muriel Isobel, to Capt. Ellsworth Flavelle son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Flavelle, Lindsay, the marriage to take place the end of January.

Mrs. MacElderry spent a few days in Guelph this week.

Mr. "Steve" Meyers of the Quaker Oats Co., Winnipeg, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Grahame, the Empress.

Mr. Bobs Hayes, who has been the guest of Mrs. (Dr.) Young for the holidays, returned yesterday to St. Jerome's College.

Miss Sewell, Montreal, is visiting the Misses Dixon, Dixon street.

Mr. and Mr. Leroy Goulet, Gilmour street, who spent New Year's in Montreal, the guest of Mrs. Goulet's mother, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Edwards of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. James Edwards, Lindsay, were the guests of Mrs. James Wood, this week.

Mr. Suckling, who spent the holidays in the city, returned this week to Windsor.

Miss Helen Munro, Montreal, is visiting Mrs. Wm. Davidson.

Mrs. Lount, who has been the guest of Mrs. Gerald Wood, 355 Downe street, returned to her home in Toronto on Wednesday.

Mr. J. J. Sheehy, secretary of the Hyland Publishing Company, Chicago, is in the city for a holiday visit. His sister, Mrs. M. O'Brien, 85 Hayden street, Toronto, and Mr. Richard Sheehy, contractor, who has come from Kingston, where his business calls him, are here to meet their brother.

Mrs. R. Junkin and grandson, Master Jack Croft, of Toronto, have just left for home after spending the holidays with Miss A. A. Turner and Mrs. G. W. Mulligan.

Advertise in the Examiner.

Coal Shortage One Reason For Cutting Service

One of the principal reasons—if not the principal reason itself—for the proposed reduction in the passenger train schedules, now being prepared by the various railway companies of the Dominion, on the suggestion of Sir Henry Drayton, of the Dominion Railway Commission, is the extreme urgency of the movement of coal freights to supply the munition factories throughout the countries.

Many munition factories with huge war orders yet to fill, and with new war orders acquired recently, have expressed their fears regarding the coal supply, and complaints have been made that the coal cannot be delivered fast enough to keep up with the heavy demands for fuel. If coal does not move more easily, it has been pointed out, there will be a great possibility of war orders not being executed on time, and the importance of the factories on schedule has recently been emphasized by Mr. J. W. Flavelle, chairman of the Imperial Munitions Board.

This is the phase of the question that is believed of Mr. A. D. MacTier, the general manager of the C. P. R. eastern lines, when he declared: "It would not be too much if the people were slightly inconvenienced for the sake of the Empire."

The railway companies are getting together on the principle of "fewer passenger trains and more freight trains." When the arrangements being made are finished and the proposed plan is put into operation, it is believed that no munition factory will complain of a coal shortage, or of delay in the delivery of munitions.

SCHEDULE NOT READY.

The new schedule has not yet been decided upon. In a general way each of the railway companies has agreed to render what service it can, and in a few days an announcement is expected regarding the trains that will be left off the regular schedule in future. The railway companies are not ready to announce the new schedule.

GROUP PICTURES

Good time now when the visitors are at home for the holidays to have a group Picture taken. Make arrangements to sit at—

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WEDDING BELLS

HISTOW—ROBERTSON.

The wedding was solemnized this afternoon at 2 o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Robertson, 265 Bethune street, of Miss Ella Maud Robertson to Mr. Harry W. Histow. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. McKenzie of Knox Church.

OBITUARY

MR. JAMES STUBBS.

Last night death released a patient and uncomplaining sufferer from a long and painful illness, when Mr. James Stubbs passed away at the family residence at eight o'clock. Mr. Stubbs, who was sixty-three years old, was born in Bridgenorth, Smith Township, but resided in Peterborough most of his life, having come here at seventeen years of age to serve his apprenticeship in the blacksmith trade with Wm. Yelland. He was a faithful member of the George Street Methodist Church. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife, formerly Sara J. Donell. His only son, Mr. W. J. Stubbs, died only nine months ago.

The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the family residence, 661 Water street. Please omit flowers.

JAMES GEORGE ARMSTRONG.

James George Armstrong died at his residence, "Cherry Grove," lot 16, con. 4, Smith, last night. Mr. Armstrong's health has not been the best for some years, but this summer he showed such signs of improvement he resumed his activities about the farm. On Wednesday, however, he took a serious turn, which proved fatal.

Mr. Armstrong was born in Otonabee and was a son of the late Wm. Armstrong of that township. For many years he served as councillor and later as reeve and member of the county council.

He is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Lillian Roseborough, one daughter, Mrs. Albert Garbutt of Smith, and one son, Mr. Albert Armstrong, residing on the farm.

The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon from the family residence to Little Lake cemetery, the Rev. Gledstone McKee officiating.

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

NEW YORK, Jan 5.—Wave of selling by bear operators this afternoon drove prices on stock exchange down one to six points under yesterday's closing figures.

NEW YORK STOCKS—Airbrake 144; 143, Atchison 105 3-4, 106 1-4; B. & O., 84; C.P.R. 161, 160 1-4; Erie Pfd. 47 7-8, 48 1-8; Erie 33 1-8, 33 7-8; Penna., 56 7-8; Reading 101 1-8; Both Steel 510, 496; Rep Steel 78 1-8; U.P., 144, 143 3-8; U. S. 111, 109 7-8; Anaconda 68 3-4, 68; Amn. Loco., 77 1-8, 77 1-4, Inter. Nickel 42.

Chicago May wheat 184, July 146 1-8; May corn 87 3-8.

CANADIAN STOCKS—Steel Can., 67 1-2, 66 1-2; Cement 67, 64 1-2; Steelcrete 55 7-8; Dom Steel 67 3-4, 67 1-2;; N. S. Steel 119, 120; Steamers 35, 35 3-4.

Market Opinions of New York Houses.

Post & Flagg.—For the time being, the Street seems to have relegated the peace efforts, our foreign relations and the railway wage dispute to the discard and are revelling once more in the prospects of melon-cutting in connection with war profits.

J. S. Bache & Co.—A moderate reaction in the ordinary course due to technical reasons may be expected soon. We regard favourably the purchase of stocks on all recessions. The securities of these companies specialising in basic materials and commodities are to be preferred and of course the railroad stocks.

Bryant, Dunn & Co.—It seems logical to conclude, however, that peace a further down the lane than had been thought likely ten days ago. Yesterday's market was a story of a consistent rise in prices with the tone better than any that we have seen these two months.

Laidlaw & Co.—The market is largely professional and that the public has not generally come in as yet.

E. & C. Randolph.—The market was strong all day yesterday. It wants to go up and in spite of the uncertainties in the foreign situation, which cause apprehensions in many quarters, it will go up unless and until something of an alarming nature happens. Steel was the leader, and of course, it makes the best leader the market can have. The advance gives every indication of continuing.—Evans.

Shearson, Hammill & Co.—Look for higher prices on Steel, Oil Stocks, Sugars and Leather stocks with the usual

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BIG RECRUITING MEETING AT THE ARMOURIES

Hear Dr. Edwards And Col. Ponton To-morrow Night

PROMISING VICTORIES FOR THE ALLIES ON BOTH EAST AND WEST FRONTS

Berlin Admits That the British Penetrated Their Trenches North of the Ancre River and That the Russians "Heavily Reinforced" in the Riga District, Renewed Attacks and Drove the Germans Back on a Half Mile Front--Germans Continue to Advance in Roumania.

WAR NEWS FROM THE VARIOUS FRONTS

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON (Bulletin), January 6.—Promising victories for the Allies on both the eastern and western front are admitted in Berlin. The German War Office states that the British penetrated their trenches north of the Ancre River, and the Russians, "heavily reinforced," in the Riga district, renewed attacks and drove the Germans back on a half-mile front.

GERMANS REPORT SUCCESS.

BERLIN, January 6.—The capture of Rimniceni, Tartaru, Olanesca, Guiliasca and Maxineni, in Roumania, and the penetration by German vanguards to the Sereth River line, was announced to-day.

The War Office claims that Galatz, one of the most important towns now in Roumanian hands, is within gunfire of German guns. It is believed here that Mackensen will press on towards Odessa in this direction.

Experts' Views On The International Situation

The American Administration is Believed to Be Wielding Anew its War Threat Club Against Germany to Force Her into Line on Making Peace Terms

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, January 6.—(By Carl D. Groat.)—The Administration is wielding anew its war threat club against Germany to force her into line on making peace terms, according to the views of experts on the international situation to-day.

Taken in connection with Secretary Lansing's recent "Verge of war" interpretation of Wilson's note to the belligerents, the Senator Lewis statement was regarded here to-day as a direct threat that the United States Government is convinced that it will have to break relations with Germany over the submarine question if peace manoeuvres fail.

It has been said that President Wilson is doubly anxious for peace, in order to avoid the consequences of being involved in the war over submarine activities.

Berlin Press Bureau Denies the Charge

Special to The Examiner.

BERLIN, January 6.—"Absolutely untrue," was denial of the Press Bureau to the report that a woman and thirteen-year-old boy had been shot as spies in Nasseln, Belgium.

The statement said no boy had been sentenced. The woman had been sentenced to death on conclusive evidence, but pardoned.

BERLIN SEES UNITED STATES DRIFTING TO ALLIES.

BERLIN, January 6.—Discussion in Congress at Washington on America's international relations following the recent peace notes, has resulted in the belief in some quarters that the United States and the Allies are gradually drifting together, rather than that the United States and neutrals are co-operating for peace.

Kaiser Hands Out More of the Old Line

Special to Examiner:

LONDON, January 6.—Kaiser William regards the Allies' "rejection of Germany's peace terms as an arrogant crime," and "the responsibility is upon them for further bloodshed," according to on order issued to the German army and navy.

"Hunger for power makes them desire the destruction of Germany," and he urges that the army and navy stand firm as steel to force the peace offered by Germany.

Canadians Score in a French Raid

Examiner Special:

MONTREAL, January 6.—A special cable to the Star to-day says the Canadians have been very active in trench raids, recently taking more than one hundred German prisoners and capturing and destroying eleven machine guns and bombing twenty-three dugouts. General Byng has been warmly congratulated by higher officers on results the Canadians have recently achieved.

GARDNER SUPPORTED EMPHATIC CHARGE

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Representative Gardner to-day supported his emphatic charge that there was a leak of advance information to Wall street on the Presidents' note to belligerents, they reading a despatch which was sent out by Dow Jones' news ticker service shortly after two o'clock of the afternoon before the note was released for publication.

Gardner made his declaration and read copy of the news tickers' report to the House Rules committee when it reconvened to-day.

SIR FREDERICK BORDEN DEAD

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

CANNING, Jan. 6. — Sir Frederick Borden, K.C., M.G., Minister of Militia for fifteen years in the Laurier administration, died here this morning. He was born in Cornwallis, N.S., in 1845, and was twice married. His only son was killed in action in South Africa in 1900.

HOME ON FURLOUGH, AFTER 14 MONTHS SERVICE IN FRANCE

Lieut. Claude H. Rogers Says Confidence Pervades the Troops and the British People of Approaching Victory.

WORK OF THE TRANSPORTS

After an absence of two years, fourteen months of which were spent in France, Lieut. Claude H. Rogers is home on a furlough of two months, and will be in Peterborough about five weeks. He spent ten days in England where, he stated, there is everywhere manifested an unshaken confidence and optimism inspired by the leadership of Lloyd George and the past year's successes on the western front. It was not the ground gained in the Somme advance, but the capture of 110,000 Germans, Prussians all, and reputed to be the pick of the enemy's forces, that has created the feeling of superiority among the men at the front.

Lieutenant Rogers is in charge of the mechanical staff connected with a divisional motor transport column. About two hundred motor cars and lorries have to be kept in repair by this group of sixty mechanics. At the time of the Somme push the men worked night and day. When cars were put out of commission going up and down from the front, Lieutenant Rogers had to bring them for repairs when the vehicles were not beyond the mechanic's aid. A large percentage of the motor ambulances were also hit and damaged. Shrapnel destroyed some of them and others were badly shattered. Some of them were blown up with their freight of wounded soldiers.

Lieutenant Rogers has been up and down the British lines in France during the past fourteen months. He was at the third battle of Ypres early in June last at which his cousin, Lieut. H. G. Rogers, was taken prisoner. Afterwards he was moved down to the Somme. Lieutenant Rogers speaks highly of the care and treatment of the soldiers. The food is of the best, and a complete system has been built up by which it is forwarded to the front. The prevailing opinion among the troops and the people of the Old Country is that the Boches are beaten, that they realize they cannot win and are undertaking movements by which they hope to hold as much as possible of the territory they have gained.

MR. ROWELL IN COLLINGWOOD

Special to The Examiner:

COLLINGWOOD, Ont., Jan. 6. —N. W. Rowell, M.P.P., Liberal leader, spent a couple of hours this forenoon before leaving for Toronto on the eleven o'clock train, visiting the extensive ship yards and other big industries, of which the town is justly proud. During the inspection he had an opportunity of meeting the heads of these industries and many of the workmen. There are over 500 men employed in these works and these mechanics were much in evidence at Mr. Rowell's meeting last night, where they learned with satisfaction his attitude towards the cause of labour.

REMEMBER,
When your eyes become tired, don't over work them. If they become tired quickly you should have them attended to before they become worse. If you have a broken lens that you need duplicated quickly and accurately or a mount or frame that needs repairing, let Dr. Lacey do it. 410 George street.

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POULTRY SHOW WILL BE BIGGEST YET

Indications point to one of the biggest Poultry Shows ever held in the city under the auspices of the Peterborough Poultry Association next week.

Secretary Brault is a busy man these days. Entries close to-night, and judging from the large lists already received the full capacity of the Market Hall will be taxed to its limit. The beautiful window hangers are quite an attraction reminding the public of the dates of the show, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thurs, January 9, 10 and 11. Miss Yates, always of so much interest in her lectures, will be here again with an entirely new demonstration outfit supplied by the Department of Agriculture. Then something new here, is a sales class, where the breeders heave placed on sale overstock of Pure breds, which is a decided opportunity for those whose ambitions to get into the good ones at a reasonable price is possible.

Pte. T. E. Campbell, of The 93rd Battalion Has Been Killed In Action

Pte. D. J. McIntosh Another Former Member of the Peterborough Batt. Reported Wounded in the Head--Two Indian Members of the 93rd Wounded---Pte. Wm. Woodrow Loses His Arm as Result of Injury---Recruiting Meeting at the Market--To-day's General Military News.

Following on the announcement that two former members of the 93rd Battalion had been reported seriously wounded, comes the tragic news today that another ex-member of the Peterborough Battalion has been killed in action and still another wounded. So far six members of Lt.-Col. Johnston's unit have been killed or died of wounds in France, two have died of illness in England and thirty-nine have been wounded, a total of forty-seven casualties since the 93rd left Canada.

Mr. Wm. Cavanagh, R.R. No. 2, Indian River, was officially notified today that Pte. Thomas Edward Campbell, of the Canadian Mounted Rifles, formerly of the 93rd Battalion, was killed in action on December 22. Pte. Campbell enlisted here last February with the 93rd, and after going overseas, was transferred in a draft to the Mounted Rifles.

Mrs. McIntosh, 348 Stewart street, received word this morning that Pte. David John McIntosh was officially reported admitted to No. 26 Stationary Hospital, Fravent, December 18th, with a gun shot wound in the head. Pte. McIntosh, who joined the 93rd Battalion early last spring, was on the recruiting staff for some time and did good work in that capacity.

Indians Wounded.

Word has been received that two well known Chemong Indian members of the 93rd Battalion have been wounded in France. One of them is Pte. Isaac Taylor and the other his uncle, Pte. Chas. Taylor. Both went overseas with the 93rd Battalion as members of C Company and were transferred to other Canadian units at the front. Pte. Isaac Taylor is a son of Wm. and Mrs. Taylor of Chemong Indian Village, and has four brothers in France, all five going over with the 93rd Battalion. The other four are Pte. Will, Sam, Hiram and Horace Taylor. He is married, as is his uncle, Pte. Charles Taylor, who is reported seriously wounded. They are the first two Chemong Indians to appear on the list.

Lieut-Col. Glass, O.C., 252nd Battalion, Lindsay was in an automobile accident at Ottawa this week. The car was badly wrecked, but the Colonel escaped with slight injuries. He will not be able to resume his duties for a few days.

With the band of the 247th in attendance to supply music, a recruiting meeting was held at the market this morning in the interests of the 247th Battalion. Spirited speeches were made by Major O'Flynn, Capt. Belton and Lieut. Strickland, whose remarks were closely followed by a large crowd.

The public is again reminded of the big recruiting meeting in the armouries to-morrow night at 8.30 o'clock. Addresses will be given by Dr. J. W. Edwards, Federal member for Frontenac, and Col. Ponton of Belleville. The band of the 247th will supply music. There will be plenty of seating accommodation.

In connection with the announcement that Pte. Wm. Woodrow, choirmaster of the St. George's church, had been wounded, which appeared in last evening's Examiner, additional information has been received that Pte. Woodrow has suffered the loss of his right arm. It had to be amputated above the elbow as a result of his injuries. Rev. Jas. Price, rector of St. George's, received the bad news from Rev. Stuart R. Wilson, chaplain of the unit in which Pte. Woodrow was serving. The injured soldier went overseas with the 93rd Battalion.

Four recruits were taken on by the 247th Battalion to-day.

A number of Peterborough soldiers who have returned from overseas and have been discharged from the Canadian Expeditionary Force, have been making a practice of wearing their military uniforms, in spite of the fact that they are back in civilian life. It should be understood that this is contrary to the regulations.

PIANO BOX HOUSED MAN WORTH $6000

Strange Romance of Real Life Revealed by Death.

NEW YORK Jan. 6.—The death at the polyclinic hospital last Friday, of Darwin de Wolf, 76 years old, who lived in a piano packing box in the yard of the Kohler and Campbell factory, disclosed that the man had considerable money and that his manner of living was purely from choice. In spite of his age, de Wolfe came to New York eighteen months ago to study piano tuning and piano player repairing. His possessions were carried in a large handkerchief and he had walked from Kalamazoo, Mich.

He had been tinkering for some time on a kerosene and water combination burner, and it was while experimenting with this that he received burns that proved fatal. After his death an investigation showed that de Wolf had a deposit of more than $6,000 in a bank in Chattanooga, Tenn., and 27,000 shares in Colorado mining companies.

Use chicken fat instead of butter for cake, cookies and gingerbread. It is an excellent substitute for butter.

Increasing Confidence In The British Isles

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DISTRUST OF GERMANY

by T. P. O'Connor

London, Jan. 6.—What does England really think concerning the German peace proposals? The answer in brief is; nothing at all. Little is heard publically or privately about peace. The sole absorbing preoccupation of everybody is the big allies offensive that will be launched in the spring especially on the western front. It is only on the ruins of a defeated German militarism on the battlefield that the Entente Allies will place any confidence.

Two feelings run side by side. First, the hatred and distrust of Germany and a disbelief in her professions of humanity which have been deepened daily by news from Belgium and Armenia, and a distrust of her abandonment of the gospel of military ascendency, which has been deepened again by the boastfulness of the Kaiser and the Chancellor and by the ravings of the Pan-German press. These feelings have reached such a boiling point that no sacrifice will be considered too great to finish once and for all time the devilish Prussian military machine.

The second feeling is one of increasing confidence that such a military defeat is now within the power of the Entente Allies. I never saw a more complete transformation of feeling between the deep dejection caused by Roumania's defeat and the almost exultant self confidence that has arisen as a result of Germany's whines.

Practically all of this self confidence comes from the stories of battles on the western front and from the knowledge that our big guns are better and more numerous than those of the enemy and from the palpable and pronounced decrease in German morale. These things all lead to the satisfying belief that we will be enabled to follow up the Somme victories by more powerful and more o ssive attacks.

Lloyd George has not been living much of late at 11 Downing Street, though that was his official residence. It is a big and expensive house to keep up, and even Ministers in these days feel the pressure of gigantic taxation. He has a little flat in Victoria street, close by. He now goes, of course to 10 Downing street—which has been occupied by the majority of Premiers, there have been few exceptions, since it was given as a present to the Government in the Eighteenth Century. The two houses are pretty much the same; they are of the good old Georgian architecture—very solid and very simple, utterly devoid of the new architecural developments which have been introduced in the last half century. For instance, just opposite to these two houses and a third—No. 12, which is occupied by the Whips—there are the great buildings which belong to the Foreign and the India Office. These abiding places of high departments are Byzantine in size and in adornment, with turrets and bows on the face and all the gradiose exaggestion of the great Empire. This juxtaposition brings into greater relief the simple, comfortable, roomy, old-fashioned character of the official residences of the two highest Ministers.

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RECOUNT CONFIRMS ELECTION OF J. H. SMITH TO COUNCIL

Judge Huycke Counted the Ballots This Morning and Found that Former Returns Were Correct—Majority of Four Votes for Mr. Smith Sustained.

THE VOTE RETABULATED

Judge Huycke's recount of the ballots in the East City aldermanic contest confirmed the final totals announced on New Year's night, giving Mr. John H. Smith a majority of four votes over Ald. George Evans. The returns were as follows:

	Evans	Smith
Swanson's House	65	48
Hill's shop	50	59
Coon's store	34	46
	149	153

The ballot boxes were opened by Judge Huycke in the presence of City Clerk Armstrong, Mr. Smith and his solicitor, Mr. F. D. Kerr, and Mr. Evans and his solicitor, Mr. W. H. Moore. The Judge counted the ballots, found that everything was in order and certified accordingly. Mr. Evans pays the cost of the count.

NEWS PAPER STAFFS ARE SUBPOENAED

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Subpoenaes were ordered issued for the entire Washington staff of the Wall Street Journal and Financial American to-day by the House Rules committee when it resumed its probe of the peace note leak to Wall Street.

Opening of the Royal Bank

New Building at the Corner of Geo. and Hunter Street Was Opened This Morning

The new, splendidly equipped quarters of the Royal Bank at the corner of George and Hunter streets, were opened this morning. The transfer from the old quarters on Hunter street adjoining the Bank of Commerce, was made between the Bank's closing hour yesterday afternoon and the opening, this morning. Last evening Mr. V. Eastwood, manager of the bank, and his staff had a busy session rearranging the fittings as they were moved from the old building to the new. The new structure is not quite complete, but the remaining portion of the work will not interfere with the transaction of business. It will be a matter of several days before the work is finally completed. The new building presents an imposing appearance, and will provide ample facilities for the ever-growing business of the Royal Bank.

CAMPBELLFORD CALLS A GUELPH MINISTER

CAMPBELLFORD, Jan. 6.—St. Andrews' Presbyterian church here has extended an unanimous call to Rev. C. F. McIntosh, B.A., of St. Paul's Church, Guelph. The Presbytery of Peterborough will deal with the call at a special meeting in Peterborough in the near future.

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MR. CHAIRMAN EASTWOOD.

Mr. Vincent Eastwood, himself, the Board of Education and the citizens of Peterborough are to be congratulated upon his being unanimously elected to the honourable and responsible position of the presidency of the Board of Education. He has been for many years an active and intelligent member; has given good service, and will no doubt continue to do so in the new position he occupies. He has also for many years been active in the many important relations of citizenship. Mr. Eastwood's New Year's honours happily synchronize — his elevation to the chairmanship of the School Board coming very aptly with his occupation of the palatial new premises of the Royal Bank, of which he is the city manager. The Examiner joins with the citizens generally in wishing the greatest success in both capacities.

INTRIGUE AND PARTIZANSHIP.

British society is shocked by the revelations of feminine influence in British army appointments. As society was constituted before the war and, to a certain extent, is yet, it was bound to do something to create scandal for, as to certain phases and elements, scandal, to a greater or less extent, is the outcome of its existence. Idle, aimless, empty lives, especially as contrasted with the situation of this war, recoil upon themselves, and there must be some variation of the tittle-tattle, lap-dog existence of those who give themselves up to the strenuosities of avoiding boredom. Society, contrasted with the idea of usefulness in the national life, is at all times an intrusive element, and especially so at this time of war, when national safety, national interests, call for everybody to do something; call upon everybody to appreciate things as they are. Society, in its exaggerated form, tends to sap the life of the nation and develop and encourage the luxury of idleness and aimlessness that laid Rome low. Society, with nothing useful to do, naturally works the mischief that Satan provides for idle hands. We cannot wonder that it tried its hand in influencing appointments in the British army. But it is to the credit of the temper of the time, that its evil work got the reproof that it deserved. Society, as represented by one of its votaries, was talked to as if it had been a useful, loyal member of the community, who had forgotten duty. But in the perverted influence of society a greater evil in the regard of influencing appointments upon which a measure of military success, and the lives and limbs of thousands depend, a more evil thing than the political influence that interferes, and far more extensively, in the same way? Is there any reason to doubt that political influences and worse than they, partisan influences, have been factors in military and other appointments in Canada? If there is anything in the report of conditions in the medical service of Canada, there is need for subordinating all other considerations to efficient provision for the best treatment of Canadian soldiers in the hospitals. If it is true that some medical men who have received, and hold, appointments, are addicted to drugs and drink, should they not be replaced by sober, serious men, no matter what political or party influence they possess? Three years of war have developed only one society intermediary; but the canker of political influence, partisan favouritism, has not only impaired a good deal of Canadian efficiency in waging war, but has exercised a depressing influence upon the spirit of sacrifice and service of the people. Petticoat influence may have done some harm, but it is offset and extinguished by the splendid performance of petticoat citizenship, and is as nothing to the existence of partisanship in the administration of our war obligations.

CANADA'S NAVAL DEFENCE.

The true national policy for Canada in this time of struggle and test, is a supreme matter, even though it does involve considerations of party attitude. It is too big a thing to be made subject to anything of the kind, except in relation to the right point of view. A letter published a day or two ago from a member of the crew of H.M.S. Niobe, emphasizes the need of more energetic action in providing for the naval defence of Canada's shores.

It points out that the wreck of the Government steamer Grilse, showed that Canada has the right type of men, such as those that composed her crew, and also showed the unthinking character of the Government's policy in sending capable men to sea in crazy, make-shift crafts that cannot stand a capful of wind. It also shows that adequate measures have not been taken to provide for the sea defence of Canada's shores. Ample time has elapsed since the war began to provide something more adequate in the way of naval defence, Canada's shores, as far as her own ships are concerned, are practically undefended. If the Government, when the war broke out, had taken steps to purchase some speedy, staunch destroyers, and light cruisers, this defect would have been remedied in large part. The Borden Government takes refuge for inaction in this regard in deploring its inability to place three Dreadnoughts in the British navy. This is a lame excuse. Three Dreadnoughts, without crews or equipment, presented to Britain, would be of practically no direct service in meeting the urgent necessity, the naval defence of Canada's shores. We are helpless in the case, that is possible, of German submarines and commerce destroyers, appearing off our coasts, menacing our trade and our towns. What is needed is destroyers and light cruisers. These would be able to cope with any menace that might arise. Even the Rainbow, of the "tin-pot" Laurier navy, has justified itself during the war; and what would have been the condition if the Laurier naval act that provided for cruisers and other ships of the very class that is now needed for Canada's costal defence, had not been abandoned—bartered for Nationalist support? The proof is abundant that the Laurier naval policy was the true and manly way of meeting the situation—Canada meeting the demands of her own defence by her own action—our own navy, and manning her own ships with our own seamen.

The offer of 35 million dollars to build Dreadnoughts for the British navy was as futile—in regard to Canada's home defence as would have been in regard to repelling invasion of our territory and meeting our obligations of self help and self-respect—the sending of money to raise and equip two or three divisions in the regular army. Our furnishing our own soldiers for the defence of the Empire, and incidentally for our own defence, is the logical authority for building our own ships, manned by our own sailors, for the defence of the Empire, and incidentally and directly for our own home defence. If we expect to deserve the respect of the rest of the Empire, and the world, we must deserve our own self respect as an integral, autonomous, self-governing, self-defending, service-sharing unit of the great Imperial family.

THE PEOPLE MUST WIN.

The essence of the Hydro-Electric form of public ownership is the supremacy of the right of possession and control by the municipalities. It is popular ownership, not Government ownership in any sense. The extent of the Government's interest consists in a mere matter of financing—guarantees of the bonds assumed by the groups of municipalities. The people concerned are strong on assertion of the principle of ownership and control. All over the western part of the province the overwhelming majorities given in favour of the bylaws submitted emphasized resentment of Government interference and assumption of ownership. This almost unanimous vote of the municipalities is regarded as a notice to the Government that the legislation passed at last session arrogating, or reserving to the Government, the ownership of the new generating plant to be erected at Queenston, must be repealed.

There is no party politics in the Hydro-Electric, except what the Government has forced into it. The enemies of public ownership in the Government, at the last session, embodied in the power development bill provision for Government ownership and retention of control. This the municipalities resented. Mr. W. J. Lyon, a strong Conservative, protested against making the Hydro-Electric a Government "machine." The Liberals supported the protest of the municipalities and introduced and voted for an amendment providing that the municipalities be given permission to acquire the ownership of the power development at Niagara, on conditions similar to those upon which they are acquiring ownership of the transmission lines and distributing system. Mr. Rowell and all the Liberal members voted for this amendment, and all the members of the Government, except Premier Hearst, who was absent, and the majority of the Conservative supporters of the Government, voted against it, and for the Bill taking away the ownership by the municipalities of the proposed development work.

The popular vote on Monday shows that the electors of the municipalities have taken Premier Hearst at his suggestion. After the Legislature adjourned he was alarmed at the violence of popular protest, and promised that if the people would show by their votes that they wished to own the development works, on the same terms upon which they owned the transmission lines of the Hydro-Electric, the Act would be amended as to provide for municipal ownership. He has his answer in no mistakable terms. He will be compelled to act. While there should be no party politics in the Hydro enterprises, there would have been none in this case if the Conservatives represented by the Government in antagonizing public interests and wishes, had not compelled the Liberals to champion the popular cause. The majority of the Government members in their attempt to "play politics" with the Hydro-Electric, the Act would be so amended as to opinion, to act on Premier Hearst's pledge, and, incidentally, adopt the policy of the Liberals of the Legislature in the Hydro-Electric matter, as they were forced to do by public opinion in the matter of prohibitary legislation.

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CANADA'S PRE-EMINENT NICHE IN THE MATTER OF NICKEL RESOURCES

During the last three years nickel has become a material of international interest, since the nations now at war realize that the side that could have controlled the world's production of this remarkable metal could before this date have won the war, or perhaps have stopped it in its pre-natal stage. Canadians are beginning to learn the importance of nickel in the scientific and industrial progress of this country, since there is not a single purpose to which it can be put in the dread business of war that cannot be applied in the industries of peace.

In the eighties of last century when the nickel-copper ores of the Sudbury district of Ontario were first disclosed by the picks and shovels of the construction gangs of the C.P.R., scientists were just beginning to demonstrate some of the new practical uses of the metal, but the supply was always short of the demand—an observation that applies to-day, notwithstanding the enormous increase in the output.

MONOPOLY OF SUPPLY IN CANADA.

No one knows what nickel deposits remain to be discovered, but the present situation is that there are no known mines that seriously compete with Canada in extent. It was in 1889 that nickel first appeared as a separate article of Canada's exports with over a third of the estimated production of the world. The chief nickel mines were in Germany, Norway, Sweden, and the United States. When Germany and the United States adopted nickel for coinage the price went up, and in the seventies it sold at $6 to $7 a pound. New Caledonia, the French penal colony in the South Pacific, then came into prominence, but the output of these mines has been fitful owing to the cost of separating the metal from the clay in which it is found, and to the patchy nature of the deposits, which for a number of years have yielded only 2,000 to 4,000 tons of pure metal of late the output being nearer the first-named amount. (It was 2,263 tons in 1912.) For some years no ore has been raised from the United States nickel mines the only domestic nickel produced there being about 250 tons, recovered from the "blister" copper ores. The deposits of Norway, which were out of business when war was declared, have produced from 240 to 600 tons annually since the war. There are deposits in the Ural mountains in Russia, which are said to be producing 600 tons a year, and there are deposits in Australia and South Africa producing a few tons each in 1916.

HISTORY OF PRODUCTION.

The accompanying table shows the eminence Canada has achieved as a nickel-producing country. The estimate of the production of 1916 is based on the record of actual exports for the nine months of the calendar year:

NICKEL PRODUCTION IN CANADA AND THE WORLD.

	Canada Tons	The World Tons
1840-60	.....	200
1860-70	.....	400
1889	415	1,500
1890	718	2,000
1894	2,453	5,000
1902	5,346	8,600
1906	10,776	14,300
1910	18,636	21,000
1914	22,759	30,000
1915	34,039	37,000
1916	42,500	46,500

With the exception of a small quantity refined at Thorold, all the nickel mined in Ontario is shipped abroad as "matte," containing the copper with the nickel, and the next stage in the industry will be to establish refineries in Canada which will carry the process of manufacturing in all their ramifications to the finished articles. The most interesting development in this branch is the acquisition of the properties of the Canadian Nickel Corporation, including the Murray mine, by the British America Nickel Company, which will establish both smelters and refineries in Ontario. The new company has a ten-year contract from the Imperial Government for a large quantity of nickel, but the important feature of their operations will be the use in Canada of the refining process worked out by V. Hybenette, and in successful use at Kristiansand, Norway, for the last six years. By this nickel is refined to a purity of 98.70 per cent., and at a cost of about 18 cents a pound the metal selling at 40 cents to 45 cents per pound. It is expected that these works will be in operation within a year, and the effect will be to establish the nickel industry for the first time on a Canadian foundation.—Globe Financial Survey.

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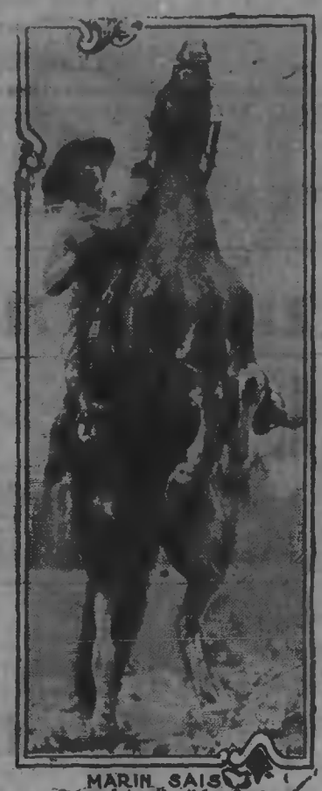

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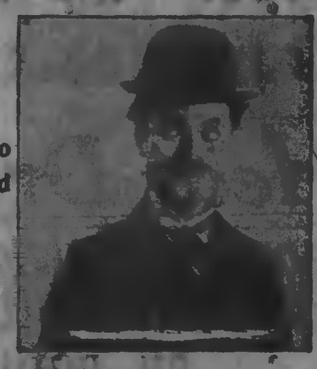
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DEATH WAS ACCIDENTAL

"Miss M. A. Storey came to her death from shock and hemorrhage, caused by having her legs amputated while stepping from a G.T.R. train in motion."

UXBRIDGE, Jan. 6.—The above was the substance of the verdict found by the Coroner's jury inquiring into the death of Miss Storey, who died on Tuesday, Dec. 26th, as a result of having both limbs amputated when she fell from the steps of the moving train while endeavouring to disembark, on the same day as her death.

The inquest opened on Friday morning, and although only some six witnesses were examined, the case was not closed until 7 o'clock in the evening. Coroner Dr. Darling of Goodwood, presided; Crown Attorney Farewell examined the witnesses for the crown, while the company's interests were looked after by a Grand Trunk lawyer from Montreal, and Dr. Shier, G.T.R. physician. W. S. Ormiston was present on behalf of the relatives of the deceased.

The examination of Conductor Buller and his brakeman occupied the greater part of the day, while Thos. Harsell, A. J. Gould and Sam Smocku who witnessed the accident told what they saw. A. M. St. John, the local agent, was also examined, but from all these witnesses nothing new was added to the story told in a recent issue of The Warder. Witnesses connected with the family were examined.

Certain information was adduced to show that the conductor and his brakeman handled 700 passengers from Port Hope to Uxbridge on the train in question, which information caused the jury to add a rider to the verdict, recommending that the company carry a larger train crew when such large trains are operated, or use more efficient means to prevent passengers from boarding a train before all who wish to get off do so.

The jury was not long in coming to the verdict of accidental death. They also complimented the brakeman for his prompt action in stopping the train.

Miss Storey, it will be remembered, was returning home to Uxbridge after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Beal, Lindsay.

All Must Sign Service Cards Board Is Told

The answering of the twenty-four questions on the National Service cards is obligatory, not voluntary, according to official information received yesterday. In a communication to the council which has been asked by Mr. R. B. Bennett, M.P., Director General of National Service, to assist in every way possible towards helping the Government to ascertain the man power of the Dominion, the secretary of the National Service Board states that apart from the fact that the filling in of the cards is obligatory, strong appeals have been made to all classes to comply with the request of the Government and that hope is entertained that the steps taken will be reasonably effective.

The Chancellor's Resignation Demanded

(SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER)

LONDON, Jan. 6.—Krupps newspapers demand that Von Bethmann Hollweg resign because of his blundering peace proposals.

IN SLUMBER 27 MONTHS

French Soldier Stricken With a Strange Lethargy in Marne Battle.

BORDEAUX, Jan 5. — The odd case of a man, 31 years old, who has been in a state of lethargy for twenty-seven months, has been described to the Medical and Surgical Society by Professor Verger. The patient was among the troops mobilized for the battle of the Marne. He disappeared, but was found soon afterward in Brittany, since which time he has been sleeping, eyelids closed, respiration regular, but pulse rapid. He is sensitive to excitement, such stimulation provoking a weak defense without, however, interrupting his sleep, and it is possible to administer liquid food.

Professor Verger concludes that the case is one of hysterical lethargy, and that it is likely the man will eventually awake.

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The average payment to each family was.....	16.29
The average payment to each person was	5.73
The cost of administration was.....	15,464.00

(In above averages, sums paid for broken periods not included.)

Pay special attention to the figures concerning cost of administration—including expense of campaigns for raising money. It is the ambition of the managers of the Fund to keep the cost of raising and disbursing it below that of any voluntary fund ever created in Canada. Their aim is to hand to the soldiers' families as nearly as possible one hundred cents for every dollar subscribed. They succeed in handing 99⅓ cents. The sum received in October as interest on moneys in banks was about $11,500. Take this from the cost of administration. The remainder is $4,000. And that, therefore, is all that had to be deducted from sums paid in.

That is to say, of every $100 subscribed and paid out from the inauguration of the Fund to Oct. 30, 1916, $99.46 reached the families.

Is not that economy which should give confidence to every subscriber?

Does the magnitude of the Fund, as well as its importance, begin to impress you, Mr. Citizen-who-is-being-asked-to-subscribe-$100, or you, Gentlemen of the Municipal Council, who are being urged to vote $100,000 for 1917? Does the REQUEST look as large as it did now that you know something more of the NEED?

Since the war began the people of Canada have subscribed to this Fund.....	$16,495,000
For 1917 they will be asked to give—and will give.....	12,500,000
Of this sum Ontario is being asked to guarantee—and will guarantee—at least.....	6,000,000

This is one million more than in 1916, but every dollar will be required for Ontario's families. Not much chance for individuals or counties to economize by cutting down their contributions, is there? On the contrary, the giving must be on a scale more generous than ever. And why not? If we can't FIGHT, isn't it a Privilege rather than an obligation to PAY?

One Word More:

No man should ignore his personal responsibility towards the families of those who are fighting for him, simply because his Municipal Council is taxing him slightly for the same object. He owes these people far more. Perhaps he is too poor to pay more. If not, it is up to him to give a generous cheque to his local Patriotic Fund Committee, or mail it to

THE CANADIAN PATRIOTIC FUND VITTORIA STREET OTTAWA

SOME OF THE 149,230 REASONS WHY THE FUND NEEDS SO MUCH MONEY

(If placed side by side the dependents who are helped by the Fund would form a line fifty-seven miles long.)

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Keep Mohmand's Back With Electric Wire

How Britain Deals With the Bad Tribesmen of Northern India

Peshawar, Northwest Frontier Province, India.—The Mohmands, a nominally independent and ever-turbulent tribe whose country borders on administered British territory in this region, having made themselves generally objectionable during the past few months, have come in for considerable attention at the hands of the British recently. The latest phase of the punishment being meted out occurred to-day, when thousands of troops engaged in a drive which resulted in the rounding up for internment of 400 Mohmands who were scattered about in villages just inside the Provincial domains.

The Mohmands have always been among the most troublesome of the tribesmen living in the independent territory between the northwest frontier provinces and Afghanistan. A year ago they made raids and committed murder in the Peshawar district. As a penalty they were forbidden to enter the province to trade. Angered by this they began to threaten war, and several fights actually did take place.

PLACE WIRE ENTANGLEMENTS

At this time there were large numbers of Mohmands living in British territory. After the declaration of hostilities by their brothers at home most of these Government guests were sent across the border. Sir George Roos-Keppel, Chief Commissioner for the northwest frontier province, then put up along the Mohmands border a line of barbed wire entanglements, intersected with strongly-guarded blockhouses. The Government of India at the same time imported a number of airplanes, the first ever seen in this part of the world, and manned them with experienced aviators from the western theatre of war.

For a time these new methods of warfare puzzled and worried the Mohmands and they kept to their hills, but recently they became more bold, and under cover of night succeeded in cutting the barbed wire at one or two places and committing small thefts. Then it was that Sir George Roos-Keppel played his trump card by ordering the installation of a live wire, which has been slung along the whole Mohmands frontier, a distance of about seventeen miles. The fact that this wire carries 4,500 volts and means instant death to anyone touching it has become known to the tribesmen, and at present they are contending themselves with holding pow wows in the mountains and making threats.

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GIRL'S ROMANCE ENDS IN COURT

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—After several persons had appeared in the Yorkville Court to press charges against R. L. Peterson, living at the Marseilles Hotel, Magistrate Krotel turned the prisoner over to federal officers on the charge of having jumped his bail while awaiting trial on the charge of representing himself as a naval officer.

Peterson was accused of having represented himself to George W. Middleton, a silk merchant, as Lieutenant Beck, and soliciting a subscription of $100 for a naval home for tubercular sufferers.

As Mrs. Mary Meyers, of No. 630 Rogers avenue, Brooklyn, entered the court room to identify the prisoner she saw a slender girl, heavily veiled, arise in another part of the room and wave to the prisoner. She exclaimed, "That's my daughter!" and in a moment they had embraced and were crying together.

It was explained to the Magistrate that the girl, Lillian Meyers, had left her home several weeks ago and had been sought by her mother.

As Peterson passed Miss Meyers on his way from the court, when he had been turned over to the federal officers, he threw a kiss in her direction.

"Don't you dare throw a kiss to me, you wretch," she said, and Mrs. Meyers ran at Peterson, shouting, "Let me get my hands on him!"

The prisoner was taken to the Federal Building, wher he was held in $10,000 bail by Commissioner Houghton.

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MRS. SHERRY'S RECITAL

Peterborough music lovers greeted Mrs. Helen Davies Sherry with an affectionate welcome last night in her recital at St. Paul's church under the auspices of Otonabee Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire. The occasion approximated a happy reunion illustrating the cherished truth that absence makes the heart grow fonder. And while the audience ardently manifested its delight in the renewal of a former pleasure and appreciation, Mrs. Sherry left no doubt that the cordial sentiment was mutual. With a few incidental changes dissolved in memory, last night's recital recalled the potent charm of voice and personality Miss Helen Davies exercised over her audience in those near yesterdays, a charm that subtly seised those who heard Mrs. Sherry last night. But the illusion passed not only in the realities of the present but in the realisation of the richer tones and deeper feeling in Mrs. Sherry's voice. Ranging from misty, velvety contralto to ringing, sparkling soprano its qualities were always appealing and its use notably effective. To variety of pitch and timbre was added an impressive responsiveness to changes of mood, and clear, carrying resonance with tonal exactness, characterised the lighter as well as the forte passages. In short it was a most satisfying recital reassuring, too, in the fact that former promise and fulfillment had been crowned by qualities that enriched their effect and accentuated their possession.

Mrs. Sherry's first number "Hear Ye Israel" from Elijah provided an expressive contrast to Greig's "With a Violet" and the same was true of the double number "Songs my Mother Taught Me," tender and reposeful, and the stirring "O Sea."

Mrs. Sherry was assisted by Miss Laura Logan, violinist and Mr. John Allan, solo organist, whose numbers completed the satisfaction the programme contributed. Miss Logan's "Legende" by Boehm was particularly good "The Romance" by Saint Saens played by Mr. Allan showed a fine appreciation of its melody. He also played the accompaniments for Mrs. Sherry and Miss Logan was accompanied by her mother.

The programme was as follows:

Organ Solo, Overture (Occasional Oratorio)—Handel.

Aria—Hear Ye Israel, (Elijah)—Mendelssohn.

Violin Solo—Legende—Boehm.

Organ Solo—Romance (Samson et Dalila)—Saint Saens.

VOCAL

(a) Mey Little Darling—Gomes.
(b) With a Violet—Greig.
(c) Two Brown Eyes—Greig.
(d) The Lark Now Leaves—Parker.

VIOLIN.

(a) Melody For G String—Friml.
(b) Reseda—Friml.

Organ Solo—Marche Militaire—Gounod.

VOCAL.

(a) Songs My Mother Taught Me—Dvorak.
(b) O Sea—Delibes.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

Mrs. Sherry's encore numbers were: "'Tis the Hour of Farewell," by Lehman, and "Heigh Ho the Sunshine."

A Stock-Reduction Sale And The Reason Why

It Means a Great Deal to Oak Hall Managers to Have Their Stocks in Hand

In an advertisement of the Oak Hall Store in to-day's Examiner, a reason is given why a January sale this year need not be put on, and another reason is given why it is. Both are straightforward statements.

The first stated that the firm of W. E. Sanford & Co'y, who manufacture Oak Hall clothing and control Oak Hall stores, are not in need of money, and from their standpoint need not put on a sale, is undoubtedly correct.

But there is a reason for the sale and it is this. Oak Hall managers receive certain bonuses for certain accomplishments. One of these accomplishments is to have as light a stock as possible at the end of the fiscal year. This is for the purpose of carrying over as small a quantity of unseasonable goods as possible. While Oak Hall sales the past year have been away above anything in its history, purchases of stock have also been heavy and run into money faster than heretofore, consequently it was an easy matter to carry more stock, together with the temptation to buy knowing the market was going up in all lines of goods.

A merchant does not make money unless he turns over his stock, and a large part of the Oak Hall stock will be turned over at prices that are less than are now being asked by the manufacturers for the same goods for next fall and winter. However, the advantage will be with the buyer at the present time and next winter will have to be taken care of as occasion arises.

Mr. M. J. Maher, manager; advises the public to go seriously into the figures given at the Oak Hall Store during the January sale.

Maj., Chaplain, Davidson Now in France

A personal letter received from Major (Chaplain J. C. Davidson, says he is in France near the lines, with the unit formerly at the Island of Lemnos, in the Aegean sea. It is mentioned that Mrs. Douglas, "Nurse Douglas," of Peterborough, was with the unit at Lemnos and Bolougne till it moved a month ago. The letter speaks of the cheer and welcome given by and to the little boxes received from home—"a taste of home life." Mr. Davidson's new address is:

3 Canadian Stationary Hospital,
B. E. F., France, Care of
Army Post Office, London.

THE FAIR DIRECTORS IN A QUANDARY

The Annual Meeting to Be Held on January the 20th Will Decide 1917 Show—Lease Has Expired

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Industrial Industrial Exhibition is called for the 20th of this month, and just what the outcome will be regarding the continuance of the Fair it is hard to say. The option to purchase the present property expired the first of the year, and the prospect of permanent quarters appears farther away than ever. A number of the directors have been on the Board for a considerable length of time, have worked faithfully for the success of the Fair believing it was a good thing for the city and the surrounding country and always had in view permanent grounds and a longer Fair, opening on a Monday and closing on Saturday, giving four solid Fair days at least.

It may not be generally known, but the Peterborough Exhibition is one of the best of the smaller city shows, the trouble is that its buildings (the few it has), detract from the worth of the exhibits, and it takes greater effort and expense to give an exhibition that will attract the crowds than in smaller and less advantageous centres.

With the present equipment, the Directors have been gratified each year with the results obtained, from the standpoints of attendance and receipts from all sources, and they have every reason to feel sure that the general public has been pleased with the exhibits and the entertainments, and the exhibitors with the prize list, which is a very well balanced one.

The Directors feel that it would not be in the interests of this city and district if the Exhibition was discontinued, but they also feel that it is a waste of energy to carry on a Fair year after year on leased grounds, where no permanent improvements can be made. However, the annual meeting will decide a lot, and the situation, so far as 1917 is concerned, may result in the Fair being held in the present grounds in the hope that a solution, so far as permanent grounds is concerned, will be worked out satisfatcorily before the end of the year.

The President, Mr. G. A. Gillespie, M.P.P., Mr. Roland Denne, ex-President, J. H. Garbutt and others, both on and off the Board, have put forward good propositions that would altogether likely have materialized any other time but war time.

There is a vacancy on the Board through the death of the late J. J. Turner, Sr.

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KEENE TO HAVE NEW SCHOOL.

KEENE, Jan. 6.—At a special meeting of the ratepayers held here it was unanimously agreed to proceed at once to build a new Public school, the cost not to exceed $5,000. Mr. James McNeil has given a gift of $2,000 as an inducement to proceed with the building. The school will probably be called the James McNeil school.

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ROUMANIAN PICTURES

Gipsy Settlements and Harvest Scenes

(By the Queen of Roumania)

Artilge 3.

(By the Queen of Roumania.)

More lovely than the monks of which Thane spoke are the Roumanian shepherds, who spend whole months alone with their dogs upon desolate mountain tops. Theirs are the limited horizons, the shifting clouds, the silence and the sunsets, the sunrise and the mountain flowers, the storm and the rain, and the days of impenetrable mist. They wear enormous sheepskin mantles and are almost as unkempt as their dogs. Wherein I have met them they have seemed the lonely personification of solitude.

There is a wandering people known in every land—a people surrounded by mystery. Wherein they stray, the gipsies are looked upon with distrust and suspicion; they are known by their dark faces and flashing teeth, which attract and repulse. There is a nameless charm about them; yet aliens wherever they go, every man's hand is against them; nowhere are they welcome, ever must they move on—homeless, despised and restless.

Yet there is a place in Roumania where those gipsies have settled down on the outskirts of villages and towns. There, in the midst of indescribable filth and disorder they are massed together in tumbled-down huts and dugouts, half-naked, surrounded by squabbling children and savage dogs. Their hovels are covered with old tins, broken boards, rags, clods of earth, torn stripe of carpet; no words can render the squalor in which they swarm. More picturesque are the gipsy camps, pitched in all sorts of places—on large pastures on the edge of streams, sometimes on islands in the midst of riverbeds, or on the border of woods. Along the road they come, in delapidated carts, drawn by lean, half-starved horses, mules or donkeys. With an indescribable jumble of poles, carpets, tent covers, pots, pans and other implements whole families—mothers, children, old grannies, and greybeards—they stop where they can or where they must. With much noise and strife the tent poles are fixed into the ground, discoloured rags are spread over them each family erecting the roof beneath which it will shelter.

Many and many a time have I roamed about amidst the tents of these jabbering hordes, beset by hundreds of brown hands asking for pennies, surrounded by dark faces with brilliant eyes and snow-white teeth. Half-cringing, half haughty, they would demand money, laughing and shrugging their shoulders, fingering my clothes, slipping my fingers into my pockets. On going back they have nearly pulled me from the saddle, overwhelming one with strange blessings. One wish that they cried after me was the wish of "good luck" to my horse. Being nomads they appreciate a good mount.

These people at all ages are inconceivably picturesque. I have seen old hags crouching beneath their tents, tending open steaming pots, wrapped in faded rags and with gaudy bands of shawl wound turbine wise round their heads. Generally a white-clay pipe was stuck in the corner of their mouths.

These old crones are the respected counsellors of the tribes. Their loud curses call the young ones to order, and throw a certain awe amongst the rowdy, quarreling, half-naked children, little savages the colour of the earth.

Most beautiful of all are the young girls; upright, well grown, with narrow hips and delicate hands and feet. Whatever rag they twist about their graceful limbs turns into a becoming apparel. They will deck themselves with any discarded finery they may pick up by the way. Sometimes valuable old pieces of embroidery will and their days upon the bodies of these attractive creatures, enhancing their charm, giving them the air of beggared queens.

Ont art above all others belongs to the gipsies; they are born musicians, and the violin is their instrument. Some are musicians by professions. In groups of three and four they will wander from village to village to play at marriages and funerals or on feast days.

They have also strange shaped lutes, and a flute composed of several reeds. The wandering minstrels adopt hideous old clothes that others have cast off and look infinitely more mean looking in this accoutrement. But their music is both sweet and melancholy, strident and weird; there is longing in every note and the gayer the tunes the more is one inclined to weep.

In towns the gypsies are employed as masons; one finds them in groups wherever a house is being built; men, women and children bringing with them their disorder and filth. In the month of lilies handsome gipsy girls wander through the streets carrying wooden vessels filled with snow-white flowers.

The season of harvest shows Roumania in all her glory. The earth having given her utmost, man woman and child go forth to the fields. Sometimes, rain, hail or drought undoes man's work. I have known months at a time when no drop of rain has fallen, months of straining anxiety and hopeless waiting. The rivers had no more water; dust covered all things as with a shroud.

But grand indeed are the years of plenty. In oceans of ripe gold the corn lies beneath the immense face of the sun. In groups the peasants work from early dawn to sunset, unabashed by the pulsing heat. Midday gathers them round their carts for frugal repast of polenta and onions. Dogs guard the carts, beneath the shade of which vehicles, the labourers take a short hour's rest alongside of their grey bullocks. Only on rich estates is machinery used, and then mostly for threshing the corn; nearly all the cutting is done by hand. At sunset the peasants return home, their scythes over their shoulders. Along the roads the carts drawl in a haze of dust, and on still evenings the dust remains suspended in the air, enveloping the dying day in a haze of mystery, or set aflame by the sinking sun.

The maize harvest comes later in the year; sometimes in October the peasants are still gathering the ripe fruit. Nothing is more glorious than the Roumanian autumn. The sky becomes intensely blue; all the stands up against it appear to acquire a new value. The trees dress themselves in wondrous colours — golden, russet, flaming red. Amongst the man-high maize plants giant sun flowers bend their heads; like prodigious stars their saffron petals shine against the azure vault. Beneath the shade of these giant plants peasants, seated in circles round piles of maize ,separate the fruit from the leaves. A pretty sight also are the peasants met either in large barns or court yards to unsheathe the grain of maize from its cob.

Laughter and work mingle joyously, long yarns are told and love songs are sung. The old gipsy "Lautar" or wandering minstrel, is sure to come limping along, a shabby, disreputable, sordid figure, but his music makes all hearts laugh or dance or weep."

—Canadian Overseas.

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Mrs. M. O. McCready, Wapella, Sask., writes: "I am not much of a believer in medicines, but I feel that it is only right for me to let you know what your wonderful remedy has done for me, and in a very short time, too. I had suffered terribly with my heart for nearly ten years, could scarcely do any work, and would nearly smother at times. I had many remedies, some only relieving me for a time. I got a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills and felt so much better that I kept on using them, and can truthfully say I feel like a new woman.

"I would advise anyone with heart trouble to use them."

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Mystery in Death Of Former McGill Man in Boston

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 6.—A sensation has been caused in university and police circles here by the strange death of Alphonse Gomez, of the Boston Technical School, and formerly, it is said, of McGill University, Montreal. Gomez was found in his room in a semi-conscious condition, by a fellow student, and before medical assistance could be called he died. There is a rumour that the dead student's mind had become deranged through overstudy and that he took his own life, but the police are not fully satisfied that this theory is correct and are working on the case.

The student's home was in Medellis, Colombia. He lived while in Boston in the same house with two other Tech students who came from Colombia.

According to the authorities at Tech, Gomez was found ill in his room by one of his classmates. A physician was summoned, but the student was dead before he arrived.

Gomez's body is at the morgue awaiting advice from relatives. It is said that he has relatives living in New York. His father, however, lives in Medellis, Colombia, and is said to be wealthy.

Gomez was studying chemical engineering. He entered the institution in September, 1915. He was rated as a sophomore during his first year at Tech, as he had previously completed a year of study in the engineering school at McGill University.

Gomez was a member of several club lift at Tech. He was elected president of the Latin-American Club. He was also a member of the Cosmopolitan Club of Tech, which is one of the social organizations connected with that institution.

AIDS SOLDIERS' FAMILIES.

German Government Increases the Monthly Allowance.

London newspapers report that on Dec. 2 the German Government announced an increase of $4.76 a month in the allowances paid to soldiers' wives and of $2.86 to their other dependants, effective from November 1 and continuing to April 3.

The relief funds to the amount of $4,760,000 which the Central Government pays to the municipalities are to be raised to $7,140,000 and the fund for special cases needing and is to be increased 100 per cent. to $286,000.

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THE CONCLUDING MEETING OF THE WEEK OF PRAYER HELD IN TRINITY CHURCH

There Was a Large Attendance and a Deep Interest Was Manifested in the Meeting—A Stirring and Inspiring Address Was Given by the Rev. Robert Pogue, Pastor of St. Paul's Church—After the War Problems—The Doctrine of Immortality.

The concluding meeting in connection with the week of prayer was held last evening in Trinity Church. The attendance, as it has been every night of the week, was large, and the interest deep. The Ministerial Association made a wise choice of subjects. They fixed the minds of the people upon the war, and guided them in their prayers to pray for those things, which ought to be the burden of all our petitions until the war is over. The Rev. R. Pogue of St. Paul's Church was the speaker at last night's meeting. His subject was "Our Preparedness for After the War." He referred to the changes of a moral, social and religious character which are sure to take place, and are even now taking place, as a result of the war, changes which will emerge in a new order after the confusion. Great changes have already taken place in the thought, life, outlook and ideals of the people. Already they are turning to the churches to see what word of light, guidance and comfort they can speak. They have come to see the meanness and smallness of life as once they lived it, that life is not to be an idle thing of pleasure or frivolity or self-aggrandizement, but a sacred gift surcharged with the deepest meaning, a gift to be used for God and the social well-being in sacrifice and service.

After War Problems.

The speaker referred to several of the problems which will confront us at the close of the war, principally in connection with the return of the soldiers. The darker side was first touched upon. Many of our soldiers will return just as they went away without religion, and without God, with less regard for the Sabbath and things sacred than they had before. Some of them will come home the slaves of drink. And some too, will come home bringing with them the seeds of vice and disease contracted in the old land. We ought as churches, as Christian men and as physicians, be getting ready to deal with this genuine menace to our national life, and to the health of our women and the unborn children of coming generations.

The Brighter Side.

That is the darker side. The brighter side is that the vast majority who come home will come home with new thoughts and experiences on the subject of religion. Many are finding Christ in the trenches who failed to find Him in our churches. They will wish to belong to the church when they return. The church must create an atmosphere in which they will feel at home. She must seek a deeper spiritual experience if she is to be on a par with these men to whom God has become real. She must seek a deeper prayer life, for the men at the front are learning to pray. Will they find an atmosphere of prayer among the men of our churches when they come back?

The Border Lines.

They will come home with the feeling wrought into a conviction that our denominational rivalries are unholy and must stop. These men are standing side by side in the trenches. They are singing the same hymns. They are getting a new sense of the value of things, of what is essential and what is non-essential. They are singing the same hymns, and worshipping the same God and Father of us all. When they come home they will rebel against the denominational barriers that separate them as disciples of Christ, and they will bring home with them such a spirit of unity as will seek to efface the border lines which have separated us, and which mean so little at the front. We ought to be getting ready to take a great forward step in the union of all branches of the Church of Christ. The man who does not feel in his very bones this new spirit of union that is abroad in the world to-day is incapable of interpreting aright the spirit of the times in which he lives, and incapable also of hearing the Divine voice when it speaks. If ever God spoke to the churches and bade them forget their petty rivalries and cease calling prejudices principles, cease working more as battalions in opposing armies, it is to-day. God is saying to us, "Get together, stand together, and fight together for one great object of overcoming the Kingdom of darkness."

Immortality.

The speaker referred also to the questions which our people and soldiers are asking on the doctrine of immortality, and asked if church members could give the answer of the New Testament on this doctrine. All the light we need is found there. They will also come home with new ideals of life and heroism, and the church must be ready to give them something to do which will be the moral equivalent of war, something which the church ought to stand. energies, and will call out their highest heroism. Our soldiers will have little use for the kind of life many of us lived before the war. A young officer returned from the front found his mother playing at bridge and complaining that the war had interferred with the social engagements of her circle. The young officer, in almost indignant protest, said: "Mother, how con you talk like that? I have learned out there that there is only one thing that really matters, and that is God." We shall have many men of that type return, men who have been hardened in the fierceness of conflict to recognize the ultimate realities, men of conviction, of moral earnestness, of the heroic, rather than the drawing-room type. The church ought to be preparing herself so as to be able to stand on the same high level with these men, and to use them in doing the heroic things that they will wish to do, and for which the church to stand.

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SPLENDID ADDRESS BY DR. NEAL ON PRACTICE OF MEDICINE AS CALLING

The Y.M.C.A. Sunday afternoon meetings will be resumed to-morrow at 4.15, a special opening service having been prepared. An address will be given by Hughson Johnston and special music will be furnished by the Loader Brothers and John James of the 247th Battalion Band. It is expected that this will be one of the best attended meetings of the season. Every man and soldier boy is invited.

The Y.M.C.A. Collegiate Club resumed its weekly sessions last evening and listened to an excellent vocational address on the Practice of Medicine as a Calling, by Dr. Frank Neal. This is one of a series of vocational talks which has been planned for the Senior Collegiate Club for the one thing prominent in the minds of these young men is what to do after leaving school. Dr. Neal convinced the boys that the practice of medicine is one of the most useful and altruistic of the professions. He said that is was impossible for a man to entirely master the study of medicine and surgery, but regardless of how busy a man be in his profession, he must continue as a student. There is no calling in which a man must so rely upon himself, his own ability, knowledge and observation as in the practice of medicine. He says that some people are unreasonable in their criticisms of a physician. They come to the doctor's office, listen to his advice, secure a bottle of medicine and go home and forget all that the doctor said do as they please and expect that the medicine is going to make them well. People have the idea that the practice of medicine is very profitable. The Doctor admitted that there was a possibility of a good living in the practice of medicine, but he said it was an unusual man who could get rich as a doctor. Surgical instruments and books and the general equipment used by a physician were the most expensive, and the progress of surgery and medicine made it necessary to constantly renew equipment to keep up to date. It is fatal to the success of a physician to get behind the times.

At the close of Dr. Neal's address the young men present passed a unanimous vote of thanks for his excellent address and the advice and suggestions given.

The next meeting of the Club will be held Friday evening, January 12th and a discussion of "Cheating and Graft" will be conducted by Mr. Hone.

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Mr. Roberts was educated in Peterboro, Ont., is a director of Foresters Hall, Limited, and a member of the Toronto Board of Trade.

His company has secured a great many of the recent large painting and decorating contracts. In addition to the above the company has successfully completed four C.P.R. Buildings, Process and Press Buildings at the Exhibition Grounds, Bell Telephone Building, Molson's Bank, and the Bank of Commerce at Waterloo, Ryrie Building, St. Charles Hotel, West End Y.M.C.A., Canada Foundry Building, three Carnegie Libraries, Peterboro Baptist Church, Peterboro Carpet Works, Grasselli Chemical Co., Hamilton, Brennet's Apartment House Hamilton, three large buildings for the William Davies Co., Toronto, York Knitting Mills, Toronto, and the Robert Simpson Co., stables and wagon sheds.

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What Is An Internal Bath?

By R. W. Beal

Much has been said and volumes have been written describing at length the many kinds of baths civilized man has indulged in from time to time. Every possible resource of the human mind has been brought into play to fashion new methods of bathing, but strange as it may seem, the most important, as well as the most beneficial of all baths, the "Internal Bath," has been given little thought. The reason for this is probably due to the fact that few people seem to realise the tremendous part that internal bathing plays in the acquiring and maintaining of health.

If you were to ask a dozen people to define an internal bath, you would have as many different definitions, and the probability is that not one of them would be correct. To avoid any misconception as to what constitutes an internal bath, let it be said that a hot water enema is no more an internal bath, than a bill of fare is a dinner.

If it were possible and agreeable to take the great mass of thinking people to witness an average post mortem, the sights they would see and the things they would learn, would prove of such lasting benefit and impress them so profoundly that further argument in favour of internal bathing would be unnecessary to convince them. Unfortunately, however, it is not possible to do this, profitable as such an experience would doubtless prove to be. There is then, only one other way to get this information into their heads, and that is by acquainting them with such knowledge as will enable them to appreciate the value of this long-sought-for health-producing necessity.

Few people realise what a very little thing it necessary sometimes to improve their physical condition. Also, they have almost no conception of how little carelessness, indifference or neglect can be the fundamental cause of the most virulent disease. For instance, that universal disorder from which almost all humanity is suffering, known as "constipation," "auto-intoxication," "anto-infection," and a variety of other terms, is not only curable, but preventable through the consistent practice of internal bathing.

How many people realise that normal functioning of the bowels and entire intestinal tract make it impossible to become sick? "Man of to-day is only fifty per cent. efficient." Reduced to simple English this means that most men are trying to do a man's portion of work on half a man's power. This applies equally to women.

That it is impossible to continue to do this indefinitely must be apparent to all. Nature never intended the delicate human organism to be operated on a hundred per cent. overload. A machine could not stand this and not break down, and the body certainly cannot do more than a machine. There is entirely too much unnecessary and avoidable sickness in the world.

How many people can you name, including yourself, who are physically vigorous, healthy and strong? The number is appallingly small.

It is not a complex matter to keep in condition, but it takes a little time and in these strenuous days people have time to do everything else necessary for the attainment of happiness but the most essential thing of all, that of giving their bodies their proper care.

Would you believe that five to ten minutes of time devoted to systematic internal bathing can make you healthy and maintain your physical efficiency indefinitely? Granting that such a simple procedure as this will do what is claimed for it, is it not worth while to learn more about that which will accomplish this end? Internal Bathing will do this, and it will do it for people of all ages and in all conditions of health and disease.

People don't seem to realise strange to say, how important it is to keep the body free from accumulated body-waste (poisons.) Their doing so would prevent the absorption into the blood of the poisonous excretions of the body, and health would be the inevitable result.

If you would keep your blood pure, your heart normal, your eyes clear, your complexion clean, your head keen, your blood pressure, normal your nerves relaxed, and be able to enjoy the vigor of youth in your declining years, practice internal bathing and begin to-day.

Now that your attention has been called to the importance of internal bathing, it may be that a number of questions will suggest themselves to your mind. You will probably want to know WHAT an Internal Bath is, WHY people should take them, and the WAY to take them. These and countless other questions are all answered in a booklet entitled "THE WHAT, THE WHY and THE WAY OF INTERNAL BATHING" written by Doctor Chas. A. Tyrrell, the inventor of the "J.B.L. Cascade," whose lifelong study and research along this line made him the pre-eminent authority on this subject. Not only has internal bathing saved and prolonged Dr. Tyrrell's own life, but the lives of multitudes of individuals have been equally spared and prolonged. No other book has ever been written containing such a vast amount of practical information to the business man, the worker and the housewife. All that is necessary to secure this book is to write to Dr. Tyrrell at Room 115 168 College Street, Toronto, and mention having read this article in the Peterboro Examiner, and same will be immediately mailed to you free of all cost or obligation.

Perhaps you realise now, more than ever, the truth of these statements and if the reading of this article will result in a proper appreciation on your part of the value of internal bathing, it will have served its purposes. What you will want to do now is to avail yourself of the opportunity for learning more about the subject, and your writing for this book will give you that information. Do not put off doing this, but *send for the book now*, while the matter is fresh in your mind.

"Procrastination is the thief of time." A thief is one who steals something. Don't allow procrastination to cheat you out of your opportunity to get this valuable information, which is free for the asking. It is unnatural to be sick. Why be unnatural, when it is such a simple thing to be well?

INCREASING CONFIDENCE IN THE BRITISH ISLES

(Continued from Page 11.)

ters of the country. Many people prefer the old system to the new; they think it becomes better the rese the conscious and yet not self-sufficient spirit of a great democratic Empire. Behind both the Houses there is a spacious garden, with very little grass, it is true, but with some trees. Here now and then the Premier gives a garden party—of course in the summer time. The gardens are a welcome oasis in the heart of London. The rooms in both houses are roomy, almost vast; the windows are large, and the furniture has been made modern by successive Premiers—notably by Disraeli, who shared the love of his race for comfort and splendour.

But it is not at Downing Street that the intimates of Lloyd George see the most of him. He does see a lot of people there it is true, but the interviews are of a rather hurried character, for they usually take place at breakfasts at a quarter past nine. Though I am an intimate friend of Lloyd George, and am always enlightened enormously by a talk with him, I have struck at the breakfast, unless I have an American friend who is anxious to see the great man, and can get no opportunity of doing so except at the breakfast hour. It was at breakfast that Lloyd George first met Mr. McAdoo, the present Secretary of the Treasury of the United States; and there also he made the acquaintance of Colonel John W. Stewart, the famous Canadian contractor. That breakfast was the introduction of Col. Stewart to the valuable work he is now doing on the front in railway construction. I nearly always refuse the breakfast except in such exceptional circumstances; I retain the old journalist's habits of late nights and late mornings.

It is at Walton Heath, however, that you can get a real glimpse of the man. He occupies there a modest house of but two stories. Walton Heath was chosen partly because it has excellent and bracing air — it stands 700 feet above the sea level, partly because it has one of the best golf links in England. The house is very comfortable in Spring, Summer and early Autumn, but it is like all houses in Walton Heath—very cold in Winter; and I am sure that the average American or Canadian would shiver in the absence of the radiator.

Lloyd George, however, seems to be quite impervious to cold, and is oftentimes quite unconscious that the room in which he is talking or dining is like an ice-chest. Regard for comfort of surroundings in any form is not one of his passions.

He tries as a rule to get down to Walton on Friday evenings; this gives him three days in the country air, and these days make him a new man. He has both the physique and the temperament of the typical Celt; he goes down quickly under over-work; but he rises with extraordinary rapidity, and the depressed and tired man of Monday is very often the alert youth of Tuesday. In these days his visits have often had to be put off till Saturday—sometimes even till Saturday evening. As a rule he does not see many people on Saturday. If the weather be fine he goes out golfing, his companions being often Sir George Riddell, a great newspaper owner, and Robert Donald, the editor of the Daily Chronicle; at one time Charles Masterman was another invariable companion, but Charles Masterman was then a Cabinet Minister, and could afford a house in Walton. The house had to be given up, and Walton Heath nows Masterman no more. Lloyd George does not golf on Sundays; he has too much respect for the traditional love of a quiet Sunday among the Nonconformists of Wales, to whose general view of life he has remained quite faithful.

On Sundays he receives his friends either at lunch or supper—sometimes at tea. He generally takes a little rest between lunch and tea time; often, if you are a privileged visitor to the house you have to talk to Mrs Lloyd George or one of the two daughters, while the master of the household is still finishing his nap. Lloyd George, like so many other great men of action, has the gift of sleeping anywhere or at any time. I have seen him fall asleep almost while he was talking in a railway train; he is a very poor companion when motoring for he falls asleep within five minutes of the start of the machine. When he is at home all he has to do is to sit on one chair, and stretch his legs on another, and in a few minutes he is started on a sleep of a couple of hours. As a rule, he does not suffer from sleeplessness at night; though he has had his hours—under the stress of a great sorrow or a great anxiety—when he had to read through the black bleak hours of the night. Now and then he awakes too early and resorts to his state papers, and thus begins a day, sometimes at five in the morning.

At Walton Heath you see the absolutely unchanged simplicity of his character and tastes. He keeps a very modest table; he rarely touches any form of alcohol; and for his friends he usually has either a glass of whiskey or a light cheap wine. His table is just that of a well paid artisan, with a joint, a homely pudding, and a bit of cheese. It is scarcely necessary to say that you find no trace in him at Walton or any place else of "side." He is simple, unpretentious, hearty, frank, almost to indiscretion.

I had a small cottage during the Irish negotiations at an earlier part of the year. Once I rang him up to say there were with me some of the Irish leaders, and asked him whether we should go up to his house. It was late in the evening, and his house was about a quarter of an hour or twenty minutes away from mine. Not at all he said; he would come down to us. And at nine o'clock, with a cigar in his mouth and one of his sons by his side, he walked in. I know statesmen who are so full of themselves that they would regard it as a derogation of their high position to visit instead of being visited. Lloyd George may have some strange experiences in his now omnipotent position; one change he will never undergo; he will never get the swelled head.

THE TEA MARKET— WILL IT ADVANCE

A recent issue of the London Times says: "The prices of Indian tea advanced substantially in the London market on a reported intimation to the tea trade that a reduction in the freight space available for tea must now be expected. The question of freight is now the dominant factor in the prices of many commodities, not merely because of the high freight rates, but also because of the scarcity of tonnage."

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New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

New York Stocks—

Air Brake, 143; Atchison, 108 3-8, 108 7-8; B.O., 84, 83 5-8; C.P.R., 160 159 7-8; N.Y.C., 102 3-4, 103; Erie, 33; Erie Pfd., 48 1-2; Reading, 102; U.P., 144, 143 7-8; Rep. Steel, 79 3-4; N.S. Steel, 112, 112 1-4; Amer. Loco., 77 3-4, 76 3-4; Inter. Nickel, 42 1-2, 42.

Chicago Grain—

May wheat, 186 1-8; July, 161 3-8; May corn, 99 1-8.

Canadian Stocks—

Steel of Can, 67 1-2, 68; Smelters, 33; Cement, 64 1-2, 65; Dom. Steel, 68 1-2 68 1-4; Steamers, 35 1-2; Gen. Elec., 112 bid.

Market Opinions of New York Houses.

Bryant, Dunn & Co. — As we go along now the corporations' statements make their appearance. It will be demonstrated that most of these properties are in a remarkable position, and the investment demand is likely to continue large. Speculatively the logical market should be a smaller affair for the time being.

E. & C. Randolph. — The market shows about as much indecision as does the administration in its foreign policy, and Wall Street apparently is absolutely confused. I still think that the tendency of the market at present is towards higher prices, but the fluctuations are violent and stocks should only be bought when weak and traders should be satisfied with some small profits.—Evans.

Laidlaw & Co. —The latest report from Washington on the Mexican situation would indicate that the President was preparing to withdraw our troops from that country, and this was construed bullishly, presumably on the theory that it would strengthen Carranza and help him in his efforts to establish normal conditions.

LAST COLLECTION OF THE NATIONAL SERVICE CARDS

Monday is the last day for National Service Cards to be returned to the Post Office.

All having cards which are not filled out as yet or whose cards were not ready when the carrier called for collection will either hand them to their carrier on Monday or drop into Post Office or letter boxes on the street before Monday p.m., in order to be in time for the final check of the city.

After Monday p.m. all cards not returned will have their names and addresses forwarded to Ottawa, as refusing to sign name.

The last district will be collected Monday consisting of Water street from Brock street south; also all the west side of Stewart street, and west of the river from Charlotte street to Wolfe street; also Rubidge and Reid streets from Sherbrooke to Charlotte, and King street to Park street.

You can greatly assist the carriers in the final results and save your name going to Ottawa by having your card ready and handing same to carrier as he passes along the route, or by dropping the card in street letter boxes not later than Monday.

Kindly give this your very careful attention. If those not yet receiving cards will apply to the various carriers for same they will gladly furnish you with them.

Be sure to have them in on Monday.

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW

ANGLICAN

St. John's Church

REV. J. C. DAVIDSON, RECTOR.
FIRST SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Holy Communion and Sermon.
Processional 98—Earth hath many a noble city.
Kyrie—Woodward.
Gloria Tibi—133.
Before Sermon 94—Do with gladness men of old.
Anthem—Nazareth—Gounod.
God bless the King.
Hymn 220—We bow Thee, O Jesus.
Sursum Corda—Woodward.
Sanctus—Woodward.
Benedictus and Agnus—Woodward.
Gloria in Excelsis—Tallis.
Post Communion—Sit Jesus, greatest Saviour.
Nunc Dimittis—Barnby.
3 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes.
7 p.m.—Choral Evensong and Sermon.
Processional 100—The people that in darkness sat.
Response—Tallis.
Psalm Chants—104.
Magnificat 76.
Nunc Dimittis 114.
Office Hymn 94—As with gladness men of old.
Before Sermon 93—How vain the cruel Herod's fear.
Anthem—Arise shine for Thy light is come—Sir George Elvey.
God Save the King.
Vesper—Be with all the dear ones.
Recessional 99—"Lo! the pilgrim Magi."
The Rev. Canon Cornish will officiate.
Richard J. Dewey, Organist and Choir master.

All Saints' Church

REV. R. B. GROBB, M.A., RECTOR.
FIRST SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

11 a.m.—Holy Communion and Sermon.
Hymn 237—"My God and is Thy table spread."
Kyrie 123; Gloria Tibi 133.
Hymn 218—"By cool Siloam's shady rill."
Sanctus 130; Gloria in Excelsis 135.
Hymn 94—"As with gladness men of old."
Alms presentation 389.
Amen 139.
3 p.m., Sunday School.
Mrs. Stevenson's Bible Class for Ladies
The Rector's Bible Class for men.
7 p.m.—Evening Prayer.
Preacher—Rev. R. H. A. Haslam, M.A. of Kangra, India.
Hymn 96—"The Heavenly Child in stature grows."
Psalms 87; Magnificat 174; Nunc Dimittis 76.
Hymn 427—"Come Gracious Spirit Heavenly Dove."
Anthem—"We have seen his star"—(Caleb Simper.)
Alms Presentation, 389.
Hymn 239—"From Greenland's Icy Mountains."
Amen 139. Vesper 40.
Choirmaster, Mr. George E. Chandler
Organist, Miss Flowers.

St. Luke's Church

ASHBURNHAM—EAST CITY.
REV. W. H. WHITE, M.A., RECTOR.
FIRST SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

11 a.m.—Holy Communion and Sermon
The preacher at the morning service will be the Rev. R. H. A. Haslam, M.A. of Kangra, India.
3 p.m., Sunday School and Bible Classes.
4.15, Holy Baptism.
7 p.m., Evensong and sermon.
Superintendent of Sunday School, J. J. Turner, Jr.
Organist and Choir Leader, Mrs. W. A. Greenslade.

St. George's Church

South Peterboro', Lock and Braidwood
REV. J. PRICE, RECTOR.

11 a.m.—Holy Communion and Sermon.
3 p.m., Sunday school.
7 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon.
Wednesday 8 p.m.—Choir Practice.
Thursday 8.30 p.m.—Ladies' Guild.
Organist and Choirmaster Mr. Turner.

St. Alban's Mission

Church of England.
Business Street, Brownton.
Mr. C. A. G. Spence in charge.

11 a.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—Evening Service and Sermon.
Tuesday 7 p.m.—Boys' Brigade.
Thursday 7 p.m.—Mission Band.
Preacher—Mr. C. A. G. Spence.

METHODIST

George Street Methodist

REV. R. G. PREVER, B.D., PASTOR.

10 a.m.—Junior Epworth Leagues and Union Class meetings.
11 a.m.—"Ezekiel's first vision: its meaning and application."
Morning Music:
Prelude—Bitronese-Chadwick.
Anthem—Lead Kindly Light—Dudley Buck.
Solo—I come to Thee—Rotta.
Mr. Edward Jones.
Postlude—Gloria in Excelsis—Benedict.
3 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class.
7 p.m.—"A layman's testimony and appeal for Christian discipleship."
Evening Music:
Prelude—At Evening—Silver.
Anthem—Conquering Kings their titles take—Maunder.
Solo part—Miss Etta Kemp.
Solo—I heard the voice of Jesus—Buck-ham.
Miss Rae Gallagher.
Postlude—Triumphal March—Wely.
Good Music. All Welcome.
Mr. J. H. Renwick, Organist and Choir master.

Trinity Methodist Church

SIMCOE STREET.
REV. J. P. WILSON, B.A., PASTOR.

11 a.m., Morning Service.
The pastor will preach.
Anthem—"Cast Thy Bread on the Waters"—Dodney.
Solo—Miss Pollard.
Solo—"The Golden Pathway"—Lane.
2.30 p.m.—Sunday School Rally.
7 p.m.—Evening Service.
Anthem—"The Sands of time"—Gounod.
Solo—"Tear Ye not, O Israel"—Buck.

Mark Street Methodist

PREACHER, REV. R. A. WHATTAM

11 a.m., Morning Service.
Subject—"Spiritual Power"
Anthem—"Soldiers of Christ Arise"—E. Miller.
Anthem—"I Remember Calvary"—J. Black.
3 p.m., S. S. and Bible classes.
7 p.m., Evening Service.
Subject—"Eagles"
Anthem—"Daylight is Fading"—C. Passmore.
Anthem—"A Soldier of the Cross"—Ira Pasley.
Organist and Choir Leader, Mrs. J. Lash
All Welcome.

St. James' Methodist

REV. B. GREATRIX, PASTOR.

10 a.m.—Fellowship Meeting.
11 a.m.—Morning Service.
Subject—"A Look Forward."
Morning Music:
Anthem—What will you do without Him—(Scammel.)
2.30 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class.
7 p.m.—Evening Service.
Subject—A companion who will help.
Evening Music:
Anthem—Son of my soul—Turner.
Solo parts sung by Mrs. Fife.
Offertory—Nearer, still nearer (Morris)
Monday—Epworth Leagues.
Wednesday—Prayer Service.
Thursday—Choir Practice.
Friday—Boys' Guild 7.15 p.m.
Everybody Welcome.

PRESBYTERIAN

Knox Church

REV. J. A. MACKENZIE, B.A., PASTOR

11 a.m.—Morning Service.
Prelude—Hopston.
Anthem—I will sing of Thy powers—Sullivan.
Solo—Mrs. Humpage.
3 p.m., Sunday School and Bible classes.
7 p.m., Evening Service.
Prelude—Hope—Filly.
Anthem—Ere another Sabbath's close—Johnson.
Duet—Miss Kenyon and Mr. Anderson.
Solo—Miss Pearose.
Seats free, and strangers welcome.
Mr. George Kenyon, Organist and Choirmaster.

St. Paul's Church

REV. ROBERT POGUE, PASTOR.

11 a.m.—Morning Service.
The pastor will preach.
Organ Prelude—"Andante Espressivo"—Mansfield.
Solo—(soprano)—"Fear Ye not O Israel"—Dudley Buck.
Miss Dorothy Allan.
Offertory Anthem—"Praise the Lord"—Tschaikow.
Organ Postlude—"Chocur Triumphale"—Hesbeck.
3 p.m., Sabbath School, Young Ladies' Class, Teacher, Rev. R. Pogue; Young Men's Class, Teacher, Mr. H. B. Cowan.
7 p.m., Evening Service.
The pastor will preach.
Organ Prelude—"Reverie in A"—Perry.
Solo (contralto)—"Lord, I believe"—Edwards.
Miss Gertrude Stevens.
Offertory Anthem—"The Peace of God"—Gounod.
Solo and Duet by Miss Allan and Mr. H. F. McKeown.
Quartette and Chorus—"Whiter than snow"—Flemer.
Misses Allan and Mullican, Messrs. McKeown and Nelson.
Organ Postlude—"Postlude in D"—Smart.
Organist and choirmaster, Mr John Allan.

St. Andrew's Church.

CAPT. JAMES ROLLINS, MINISTER.
Rev. T. H. Mitchell, Minister in charge.

11 a.m.—Divine Service.
3 p.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—Divine Service.
Prelude—Fifth Nocturne—Leybach.
Anthem—O be joyful in the Lord—Peel.
Offertory—Goodnight—Lachner.
Solo—How lovely are thy dwellings—Liddle.
Miss Helen McLaren.
Postlude—Pioneer March.
Herbert C. Treneer, Organist and Choir Master.
Strangers Welcome. Seats Free.

BAPTIST

Murray Street Baptist Church

REV. J. R. WEBB, PASTOR
Residence 194 London S.

11 a.m.—Morning Service.
Mr. Webb will preach.
The ordinance of the Lord's Supper and reception of new members.
Prelude—Canstine—Raff.
Tenor Solo—In Nature Worth (Creation)—Haydn—Mr. Harold Lee.
Intercessional Hymn—O Come Immanuel.
3 p.m.—Sunday School.
Mr. Waller's Adult Class.
7 p.m.—Evening Service.
Mr. Webb will preach.
Prelude—Evening Prayer—Kirchner.
Anthem—Father of Peace—Galbraith.
Baritone Solo—Consider and Hear Me—Wooler—Mr. John Smith.
Postlude Offertory—Haydn.
All seats free and strangers are cordially welcome.

Park Street Baptist Church

PASTOR REV. DOUGALD BROWN.
255 Reid Street.

The Pastor will preach morning and evening.
11 a.m., Morning Service.
Subject—"The Supper."
The ordinance of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the close of the service.
3 p.m., Sunday School. Supt. Mr. F. A. D. Fry. Men's Bible Class, Teacher Rev. Dougald Brown. Ladies' Bible Class, Teacher, Mrs. A. Nicholls.
7 p.m., Evening Service.
Subject—"The signs of the times."
Monday 8 p.m.—B.Y.P.U.
President—Mr. Wm. Saunders.
Special New Year's meeting and social.
Wednesday 8 p.m.—Prayer and Praise Service.
Thursday, 8 p.m., Choir Practice.
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Seats free. Everybody welcome.

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There will be two masses celebrated.
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PASTOR, A. G. DONER.

Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
3 p.m.—Sunday School. Supt. Eld' A. J. Johnson; Adult Bible Study Class, Romans, Pastor; Young Women's Class Miss Hollie Jones, graduate of Nyack Institute.
7 p.m.—Special lectures by Pastor on Illustrated Dispensational Chart.
Spiritual, congregational singing led by Miss M. Jones, soloist and deaconess.
All requests for special prayer or visitation will be promptly and faithfully attended to.
All inquirers gladly met at close of any service
A cordial welcome to all.

Salvation Army Temple

9 a.m.—Prayer Meeting.
10 a.m.—Y. P. Directory Class.
Open Air 10.15—Fire Ball.
11 a.m.—Holiness Meeting.
2 p.m.—Sunday School.
2.15 p.m.—Open Air George and Hunter street.
3 p.m.—Free and Easy.
6.15 p.m.—Senior Open Air Hunter St.
6.15 p.m.—Junior Open Air Showers' House.

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Meetings on Lord's Day.
11 a.m.—Breaking of Bread.
3 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class.
7 p.m.—Gospel Meeting.
A hearty welcome to all.
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10 a.m.—Sunday School.
11 a.m.—The Lords Supper.
7 p.m.—Gospel Meeting.
8 p.m. Wednesday—Prayer Meeting.

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Aylmer Street, Between Charlotte and King Streets.
REV. E. SNYDER, PASTOR.

Sunday Services—
9.30 a.m.—Sunday School.
11 a.m.—Preaching.
7 p.m.—Preaching.
11 p.m. Watch-night Service.
Tuesday 8 a.m.—Prayer Meeting.

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Look Ahead! January Prices Here Merit Your Attention.

We have not one dollar's worth of undesirable stock. But we have too heavy a stock of most desirable goods at old time prices. Here is your opportunity. Again we say

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Single-breasted, three button coat, small lapels, double breasted, two button coat, heavy lapels. Just the right length and width of shoulder, perfect fitting backs, velvet collars, also heavy double breasted Ulsters, convertible collar, belt back, smart styles, Canadian, Jellicoe, Beatty, Oxford. Just the right colors and good quality English cloths, worth up to $20 **$15**

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Men's Dark Grey Striped Pants. 5 pockets, belt loops, side buckles, flaps on pockets, cuff buttons. Heavy, strong, neat pants. Sizes 33 to 40.

Boys' Double Breasted Suit at $5.95

Broken sizes in medium shade, brown and grey Tweeds. All wool linings. Full cut bloomers. Worth up to $9.00.

Norfolk Suits at $6.95

All this past Fall's selection in Tweeds. Greys, browns, heathers. Various styles of Norfolks. Full cut bloomers. Worth up to $8.50. Sizes in both, 29 to 35.

Children's Fancy Overcoats $3.95

Broken sizes in tan, brown, navy, dark and light greys. Double-breasted, belts, button close to the throat; check linings. Worth $5.50. Ages 2½ to 9 years.

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Made standard Norfolk style. All-Wool Blue Serge Cloths; Wool trimming. Full cut bloomers. Old values. Extra special. Sizes 29 to 33.

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Porous Combinations White Porous Combinations, short sleeves, long legs. Worth now $1. In Spring $1.35, now for **75c**

Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers Long sleeves and legs. Worth 50c in spring when you want it, it will sell for 65c, now..... **39c**

Come Saturday Morning early, if you can. At any rate come as soon as you can. Keep this page of specials before you. We are determined to reduce our stock and will keep above specials and many other inducements for you during this month.

Men's Hats at $1.95

All this last Fall's styles. Rope and flat rim and Fedora's in blue, black, tan, grey, steel slate; also Christie's, Kenmore & Imperial Stiff Hats. Worth $2.50 and $3. Sizes 6¾ to 7½.

500 Men's Shirts 75c

Broken ranges of our regular stock. Single, double and cluster stripes. Laundered cuffs and soft cuffs, with collars. Buy for next summer now 75c

Combination Underwear $1.00, $1.50, $2.00 and $2.50

Watson's, Penman's, True Knit, Stanfield's make, in spring needle elastic rib, closed crotch. Buy for next winter; prices will be 40 per cent. higher. All sizes, 34 to 44.

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Heavy Tweeds, with and without fur bands. Also medium weight Fancy Tweeds and Worsteds. Made from high-priced sample ends of worsteds. Worth up to $1.50 for 98c

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Best American Prints. Dark and medium patterns, plain white, cream and chambray, tapeless blouse. Large full size and well shaped. 59c

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Varsity knit, fancy weave, in garnet and black and grey and garnet. 2 colours only. Sizes 28, 30, 32. Worth to-day $3.75, for $2.59

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English Jerseys for boys, 2½ to 12 years, in tan, grey, blue, khaki, green. Button neck, elastic finish, cuffs, neck and skirt. Special ..... $1.00 & $1.25

Boys' Shirts, Hard and Soft Cuffs 75c

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Men's Work Shirts. Special 59c
Men's Work Shirts, Jess Willard 85c
English Flaxman Shirt $1.25
Dress Shirts, soft cuffs and collars, stiff cuffs; broken ranges. Worth up to $1.25. 95c
Men's Flannelette Night Shirts 75c
Men's Flannelette Pyjamas $1.50

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Odd Shirts only, Fleece-lined 50c
Shirts and Drawers (Penman's), each . 75c
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Same as above, with taped edges. Special, $1.25

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OAK HALL

THE WORLD OF SPORT

LAFLAMME OR WHITEHEAD TO REFEREE TUESDAY'S JUNIOR O.H.A. GAME

Line-up of Peterborough Team Will Be Announced on Monday—Squad Is Down to Ten Regulars and There Has Been Keen Competition For Places—Bowmanville Team Strongly Touted on Lake Front

The line-up of the Peterborough junior team for the opening junior O.H.A. game of the season on Tuesday night at Brock Street Rink, will be announced on Monday. The junior squad is now down to ten regulars and there is little to choose between the bunch. All have been showing good form in practice and the line-up has therefore been left undecided until practically the last moment. The squad is composed of Murray, Montgomery, McIntyre, Graham, Cherrett, McFee, Bartley, Frost, Kennalley and Park. Although Kennalley will return to St. Michael's College next week he has signed a Peterborough certificate and will be available when called upon.

The Bowmanville team who open the Junior season here, are strongly touted down the Lake front, and with the knowledge that a win over the Petes here would give them a big edge in the district race, they may be counted on to give the red, white and blue sweatered youngsters a merry tussle for the honours. The change in the weather makes the outlook very favourable for good ice conditions, which is what both teams want. It is expected that either Dr. Jerry Laflamme or Lawson Whitehead of Toronto will handle the bell. Either man knows how to keep the game moving, and there will be few dull moments around the Brock Street "ice box" next Tuesday night.

Cobourg Will Be Stronger For Monday's Game With Soldiers

The Peterborough fans will have an opportunity of seeing the 247th Battalion team perform under better ice conditions on Monday night, when Cobourg will visit Brock street Rink for an intermediate O. H. A. game. Although Cobourg were sadly beaten at Lindsay the fans should remember that the Lakeshore seven went to the Arsenal town with a makeshift team. They will have a greatly strengthened line-up ready for the Soldiers on Monday night, and it should be a lively engagement all the way. The band of the 247th battalion will play before the game and between periods.

LESTER A. SMITH
with "Mother Love" at the Grand next Tuesday.

A few years ago Mrs. Le Moyne appeared in a play entitled "The Greatest Thing in the World." Considerable curiosity was aroused as to what the dramatist considered "the greatest thing in the world." After the opening performance it was discovered that Mother Love was the basis of his theme. Since then "Madame X" was built upon the same foundation, as is J. Hartley Manner's play, "The Harp of Life," in which Laurette Taylor is now playing in New York.

However, Mr. Lawrence's play is unlike any of them. It is said to be more intensely dramatic than any other play that has yet been written on the subject. After a short preliminary Canadian tour embracing Toronto, Montreal, Hamilton, Peterborough, Kingston, and Ottawa, "Mother Love" will be seen in New York for an extended engagement.

The sale for the local engagement on Tuesday next opened at the Box Office this morning.

Renew your subscription.

HOCKEY CHALLENGE

The Expressmen challenge the livery car-drivers to a game of hockey to be played at the Brock Street Rink on Thursday night, December 11th, between the hours of 10 to 11 o'clock.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

What Canada needs to-day is strong, pure, God-fearing girls and women. It is the duty of every girl and woman to learn every practical thing she can, to make her strong of mind and body, and above all also spiritually. The talks at the Sunday afternoon service help to start the week stronger and better fitted for the daily task.

The gymnasium girl knows that the erect head and well-poised body means greater respect for one's self, and a broader outlook upon life. In fact, the entire being is changed through judicious physical training. An invitation is extended to girls to visit the gymnasium through January. After the 1st of February the classes will be preparing for the exhibition and will be closed to visitors.

The Club girls know that a jolly evening in the club room, or green room, the open fire, popping corn, or toasting marshmellows helps not a little to promote good comradeship.

Hotel Employee Got His Liquor From Montreal

Albert Allen, an elderly employee of a local hotel, was fined $10 by Magistrate Dumble, this morning, for being drunk in a public place. He was gathered in by the police, last night.

Asked by Chief Thompson where he got his liquor Allen replied that it was handed to him. Pressed for the name of the person who gave it to him Allen said he didn't want to tell.

"It's jail if you don't," remarked the Magistrate.

"Rather hard lines," was the reply, and, after hesitating a few moments, Allen said he got it from John Page, 218 Argyle street. Allen said that he and Page had arranged to buy a case of Corby's rye whisky from Montreal. He forwarded a money order for $8 in Page's name, the case to be delivered to Page, who is employed by the G.T.R. Page received the whiskey, Allen stated, and handed over three bottles, in the basement of the hotel. The other three bottles belonging to Allen are still in Page's possession.

DENTAL.

Dr. McKenty, Dentist, 370 George Street, on the ground floor, first door north of Peterborough Hardware Company. Nitrous oxide and oxygen administered for painless operations. 26d-tf26

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SAFE AND BALANCE OF STORE FIXTURES FOR SALE

Voice of The People

Correspondence under this heading, containing or involving attacks on individuals or violent or extreme statements, must to secure insertion, be signed with writer's real name, the owner of which thus assumes the responsibility.

To the Editor of The Examiner.

Dear Sir,—Having seen the discontented letters of the soldiers' wives, in your paper, I, too, thought I would like to express by views, as a soldier's wife. I notice they mention the Government's pay they receive, but omit to tell how much patriotic. My husband only assigned me $15, as that was all he was allowed to do when he enlisted, and my separation is $20, like the rest, and the Patriotic Fund gives me enough to pay my rent. I have three children, and with economy, I can manage very nicely, but with my husband away fighting for our freedom, and having to put up with all kinds of hardships. I don't expect to live in clover, the same as if he were here to care for us; still, believe me, I am sincerely thankful for the patriotic fund and I think it a shame when people are so ungrateful and discontented when every one is doing their best to help us.

Another Soldier's Wife.

To the Editor of The Examiner.

Dear Sir,—Will you kindly give me space in your valuable paper to correct several things which occur in the account of my talk on Woman Suffrage, in this Evening Examiner?

First, I did not say that "suffrage goes back to the beginning of the world." What I did say was that to understand the woman movement properly, one must study conditions which have existed in all stages of the world's history. Olive Schreiner's wonderful book "Woman and Labour" shows clearly that the woman movement, as it now exists, is simply the result of evolution.

Second. In speaking of friction in the home I did not say "there is lots in it now." What I said was that if the matter of the vote would cause friction in any home, one might be sure that in that home friction would exist because of other things of much less importance.

Third. I did not say that "Peterborough hates anything new." Incidentally I mentioned that a resident of Peterborough had told me with pride that Peterborough hated taking up any new idea, and I said that I hoped these words would not be proved true with regard to the work for woman suffrage.

Fourth. The reference about the venerable clergymen and the corkless man (not men) was given as a quotation from a suffrage writer of wide repute.

There were other misleading statements in the account, but as they are of minor importance I shall not refer to them. I feel sorry to have to write at all, but feel it only right to do so in order that people may not have a wrong impression of the movement for which I am earnestly working.

I think if an address can not be taken down word for word it would be well that no part of it should be written in the first person.

I appreciate fully the difficulty there is in giving a satisfactory synopsis of any address such as mine, and regret having to ask you for space for this letter.

Yours truly,
Alice Roger Collins.

To the Editor of The Examiner.

Sir—Referring to 'Mothers of Soldiers' I was reading in your paper. Where no mother of a soldier should need to be in want, that the Patriotic Association would not allow any woman to suffer if any of them were answering their country's call; all they were to do was to explain matters to Mr. Dobbin. But he would just say that "a son does not have to leave any money to his mother if he did not want to; and just take what is given and be satisfied."

Thanking you, Mr. Editor.

A Soldier's Wife.

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OBITUARY

MRS WM. CURRANS.

Helen Mary Stanton, beloved wife of William Currans, entered into rest at Nicholls Hospital this morning, at the age of 86, Mrs. Currans, who was previously Mrs. Jas. Haggart, had been for about sixty years a resident of Peterborough, and vicinity, and was known and highly esteemed for her kind and gentle disposition by many friends. Thirty years ago she was married to Wm. Currans, and lived with him on his farm in Smith, until a few years ago when her failing health made it seem best for them both to make a home for themselves at the Protestant Home, where Mrs Curran won the respect and affection of all connected with that institution. Mrs. Currans is survived by two sons of her former marriage. James E., of this city, and John S. of Detroit; also by a grandson, here, Fred Haggart, who recently returned wounded from active service overseas.

The funeral will be held from the Protestant Home to Little Lake cemetery, on Monday, January 8th, at 2.30 p.m.

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PROBABILITIES.

Fair to-day. Sunday, light snow falls and much the same temperature.

EXPRESS AND BAGGAGE.

E. D. Cooney, a returned soldier, has taken over the express business of Eddie Reid and will give prompt and careful attention to all work entrusted to him. 'Phone 847. E. D. Cooney, 340 Aylmer street. 28d-44

VIOLIN, MANDOLIN, PIANO.

Miss M. Telgmann will resume teaching Monday, January 8th. Information Studio, Green Music Co., or 'phone 1099. 5d-mws-6

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WILL GIVE AN ADDRESS.

Rev. R. H. A. Haslam, M.A., of Kangra, India, will address the Sunday school and Bible classes of St. John's church to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

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AN INTERESTING ADDRESS.

On Friday evening, February 19th, the Revv. E. N. Baker, D.D., Principal of Albert College, Belleville, will give his entertaining and instructive address "On his Travels Through Rome," in St. James' Church. Tickets, adults, 25c; children, two for 25c. 2d-6-11

PIANO, ORGAN, VOICE.

Mr. J. H. Henwick, organist and choirmaster, George Street Methodist Church, has resumed teaching. Pupils prepared for examinations. Many present and former pupils holding good positions. Studio, 567 Aylmer street. 'Phone 1098. 28d-2

TO HOLD SLEIGH DRIVE.

The regular meeting of All Saints' A.Y.P.A. on Monday night, January 8th, will take the form of a sleigh drive, leaving the Parish Hall at 8 o'clock, and returning there afterwards for refreshments. Tickets 25c.

AUCTION SALE

Of household furniture, etc., at the home of Mr. H. Brault, 77 Ware St., on Monday, Jan. 8th, including piano, nearly now, steel range. Sale 1:30 p.m. W. J. Hancock, Auctioneer, 494 George St. 3d-3

REV. R. H. A. HASLAM HERE.

The Rev. R. H. A. Haslam, M.A., of Kangra, India, is a visitor to Peterborough. To-morrow morning, Rev. Mr. Haslam will preach in St. Luke's church. He is an active worker in the mission fields and his address to-morrow will be of more than ordinary interest.

SALE OF FANCY WORK.

3 only skating sets, reg. $1.50, for $1.15; 1 only child's white corded velvet coat and bonnet, reg. $6.50, for $5.00; 1 only child's brown corded velvet coat, reg. $4.50, for $3.50. Children's underwear in flannelette; caps, collars, and woollen goods, all marked down for one week only. Sale starts Saturday morning at the Peterborough Fancy Goods Store, 184 Hunter street.

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MATTHEW FOLEY.

Mr. Matthew Foley, of Havelock, died very suddenly on Friday evening at his home.

The late Mr. Foley was born in Limerick, Ireland, in 1848, and was well known in Peterborough district for many years.

He leaves a wife and family to mourn his loss. Mrs. D. J. Henry, of Peterborough is a daughter. One son is at the front. Death was due to heart failure.

TO-DAY'S MARKET.

There was a small market this morning and judging by the prices asked, the country must be in a prosperous condition. Eggs were more plentiful than for many weeks and sold for fifty to sixty cents per dozen.

Butter, 42c. to 45c. per lb.

Chickens, 22c. per lb.: $1.30 to $1.40 per pair.

Geese, 16c. to 22c. per lb., and $2.00 each.

Turkeys, 22c. to 30c. per lb., and $2.40 each.

A meeting of the Executive of the Peterboro Branch, Canadian Red Cross will be held in the Public Library, Tuesday Morning, January 8th at ten o'clock.

L. F. DAVIDSON

Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Courtney, of Drummond, Idaho, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Courtney, East City.

Mr. Harry Carver, Charlotte street, left this morning for Caledonia, where he will attend the funeral of his cousin, Edward C. Carver, who was killed when a load of hay upset while Mr. Carver was on his way to town.

Miss Mabel Rae is visiting in Belleville, the guest of Mrs. V. J. Tully.

Mr. Roland Bestard returned to Toronto, after spending Xmas and New Years with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bestard.

Miss Helena Bestard left yesterday for Rochester after spending three weeks' vacation with her parents.

Mr. Samuel Clegg was removed to the hospital last evening, where he will undergo an operation.

Mrs. W. J. Young, Water street, spent the New Year's holidays in Toronto visiting her sister.

Mr. Geo. Graham, son of Jas. Graham, Webb, Sask., is visiting his uncle, Mr. Thos. Castle, 166 Dufferin street.

Mrs. W. J. Stubbs of Toronto is in the city, the guest of Mrs. Stubbs, 661 Water street.

Mr. Beauford Belcher, Bobcaygeon, is the guest of Mrs. Belcher, Edinburgh street.

Miss May Grady returned this week to the city from a visit to Chatham and London.

Reeve and Mrs. Harry Fitzgerald, Lakefield, were hosts of a surprise party given by the young people. A most delightful evening was spent.

Mr. Monte Wilson, the retired cheesemaker of Fraserville, was in the city this morning on business.

Mr. Ed. Hanrahan is spending the week end visiting friends in Cobourg, and will also sing in St. Mary's church to-morrow.

Mr. S. C. Chown of Lucan, is in the city, the guest of Mr. H. G. Walker.

Mrs. J. Knox, Gilmour street, is the guest of friends in Fenelon Falls.

Miss Bertha Bryans and Miss Bennington, Havelock, and Miss Davidson, Campbellford, are visiting Miss Vera Knox, Gilmour street.

At the recital given by the I. O. D. E. last night, Miss Rosamond Huycke presented bouquets to Mrs. Sherry and Miss Laura Logan.

Miss Dorothy Harstone, who has been the guest of her mother, Belmont Avenue, returned yesterday to Toronto, where she is a nurse-in-training at the Toronto General Hospital.

Miss Genevive O'Connell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel O'Connell, Toronto, who has been the guest of Miss May O'Brien, Wolsey street, returned home yesterday.

Miss Ethel Morrison, Hunter street, who has been the guest of friends in Toronto, returned home this week.

Mr. Miles Hamilton, Bank of Toronto, has received word that his son, Captain Beresford Hamilton, has been sent to France.

It will be of interest to his many friends to know that Major A. T. LeFevre of Lakefield, who went overseas with the C. P. R. Construction Corps, has been promoted to the rank of Lt.-Colonel and appointed to the important position of Assistant Director of Light Railways with he Fourth Army in France.—Lakefield News.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Logan and son, of Peterborough, spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Logan.—Tweed News.

Buckhorn Man Wears Hair Long Otherwise Queer

County Constable Moore was back in the woods again yesterday, but on this man hunt it was in the Buckhorn neighbourhood on what is called the "Oregon" Road. He arrested Herbert Love, an eccentric individual, deep in the woods. Love was said to be "queer". He lived alone in a shack by the roadside. He affected long hair favoured by the circus wildmen, and badly needed the attentions of a barber. Love is said to have had a rifle as his constant and sole companion, and evidently some of the neighbours grew alarmed at his strange behaviour. He was remanded for a week.

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4. Look for further announcement.

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DEALERS IGNORED QUESTIONS ASKED

Special to The Examiner:

OTTAWA, Jan. 6.—Moyneur Limited, wholesale product merchants of Ottawa, have come under the displeasure of Commissioner O'Connor, whose duty it is to supervise the new cost of living regulations recently made by the government. The above firm simply ignored the question sent to it in connection with the prices of potatoes, eggs, bacon and ham, meats, etc. The firm has now been notified that the question was seriously asked and that serious answers were expected. It is stated that several coal dealers are liable to find themselves in a like predicament.

HARVEY TOWNSHIP'S GIFT TO ITS CLERK.

After holding the office of clerk for the township of Harvey for sixteen consecutive years, Mr. David Weir has resigned, as he has sold his property in Harvey and is moving to a farm near Omemee. At the last meeting of the township council reference was made to Mr. Weir's long and valuable services to the township in the capacity of clerk, and a grant of $50 was made to him.—Lakefield News.

NEW RUSSIAN NEWSPAPER.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 4. — The first number of a big Russian daily newspaper, founded on capital collected from various industrial firms by M. Protopopoff, now Minister of the Interior, has appeared. During the period of preparation the paper was repeatedly violently attacked mainly because of its connection with Protopopoff. The paper is called Rusakia Volia, (Russian Liberty.) The staff included a number of progressive and democratic writers, and its aims are described as liberal. Protopopoff as Minister has declared himself an enemy of the Liberals, and the position of the new organ and its contributors was considered highly anomalous. It is said, however, that Protopopoff severed his connection with the Rusakia Volia, and the first number contains long, violent attacks on its initiator.

GROUP PICTURES

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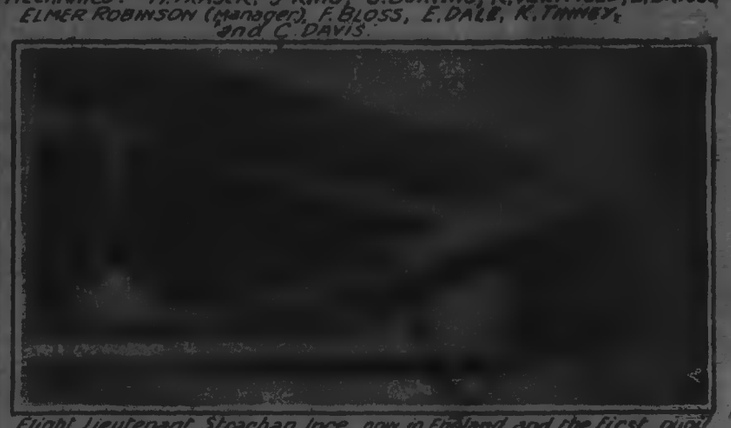
THE MANAGER OF THE CURTISS AVIATION SCHOOL AND HIS STAFF OF MECHANICS:- M. FRASER, J. KING, G. BUNTING, R. WHITFIELD, E. BARBER, ELMER ROBINSON (manager), F. BLOSS, E. DALE, K. TINNEY, and C. DAVIS.



Flight Lieutenant Strachan Ince, now in England, and the first pupil to graduate from the Curtiss Aviation School. He has won the D.S.O. for bringing down a German seaplane.

Flight Sub-Lieutenant T. W. Webber an instructor at Long Branch, and Lieutenant L. J. Dunham, of Brockville, who was wounded at the front. He has just finished his aviation course.

Snapped in mid-air by his fellow-passenger, an interesting picture of the late pilot Stevenson McGordon taken over the lake.

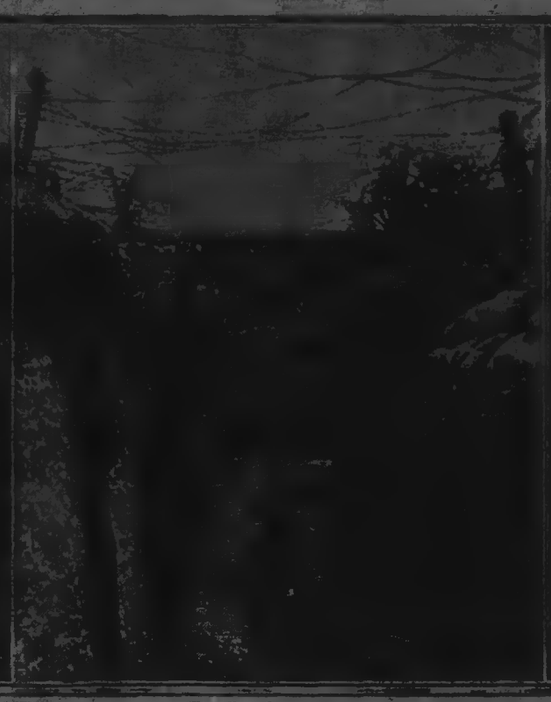
At the Start Victor Carlstrom getting under way

At the Finish - Swooping down over the hangar.

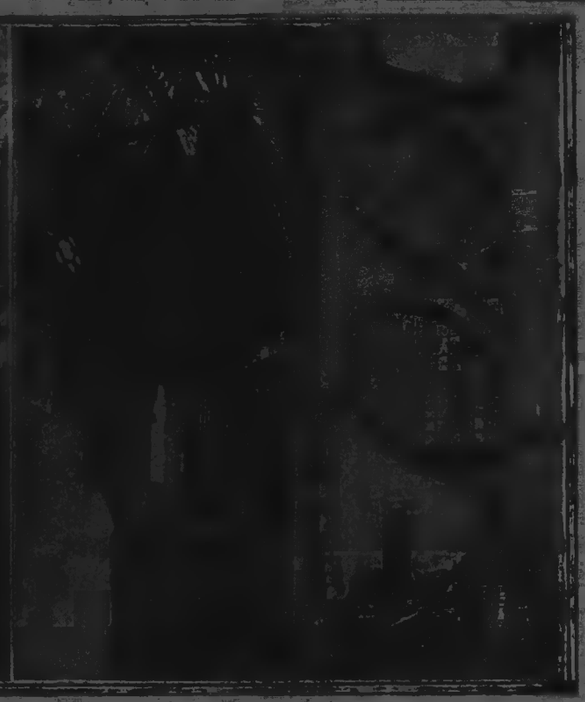
CANADIANS CAPTURE GERMAN GUNS AND WOMEN CAPTURE MEN'S JOBS

Lord French and Sir Francis Lloyd conversing on the steps of Westminster Cathedral.

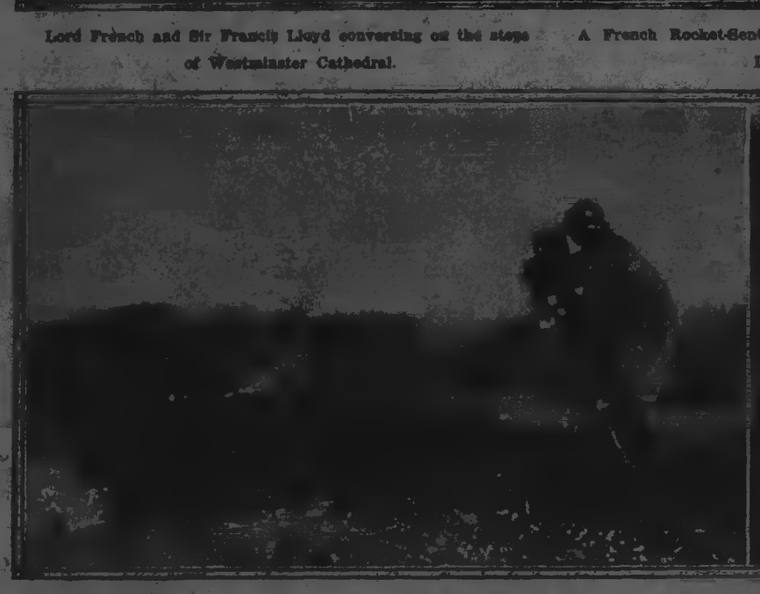
A French Rocket-Sentryman ready to light up "No-man's Land" after dark.



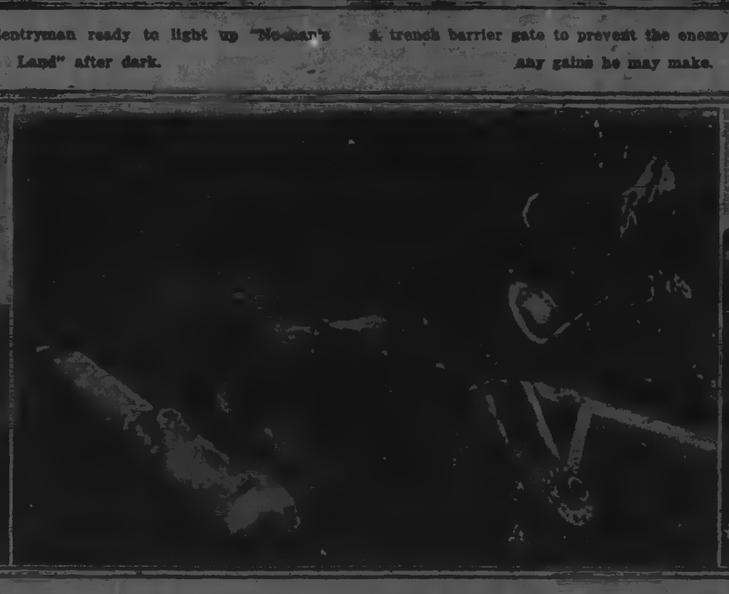
A trench barrier gate to prevent the enemy from extending any gains he may make.



The great north wall of the Notre Dame Cathedral of Soissons as damaged by German fire.



The official photographer taking views within sight of the Germans.

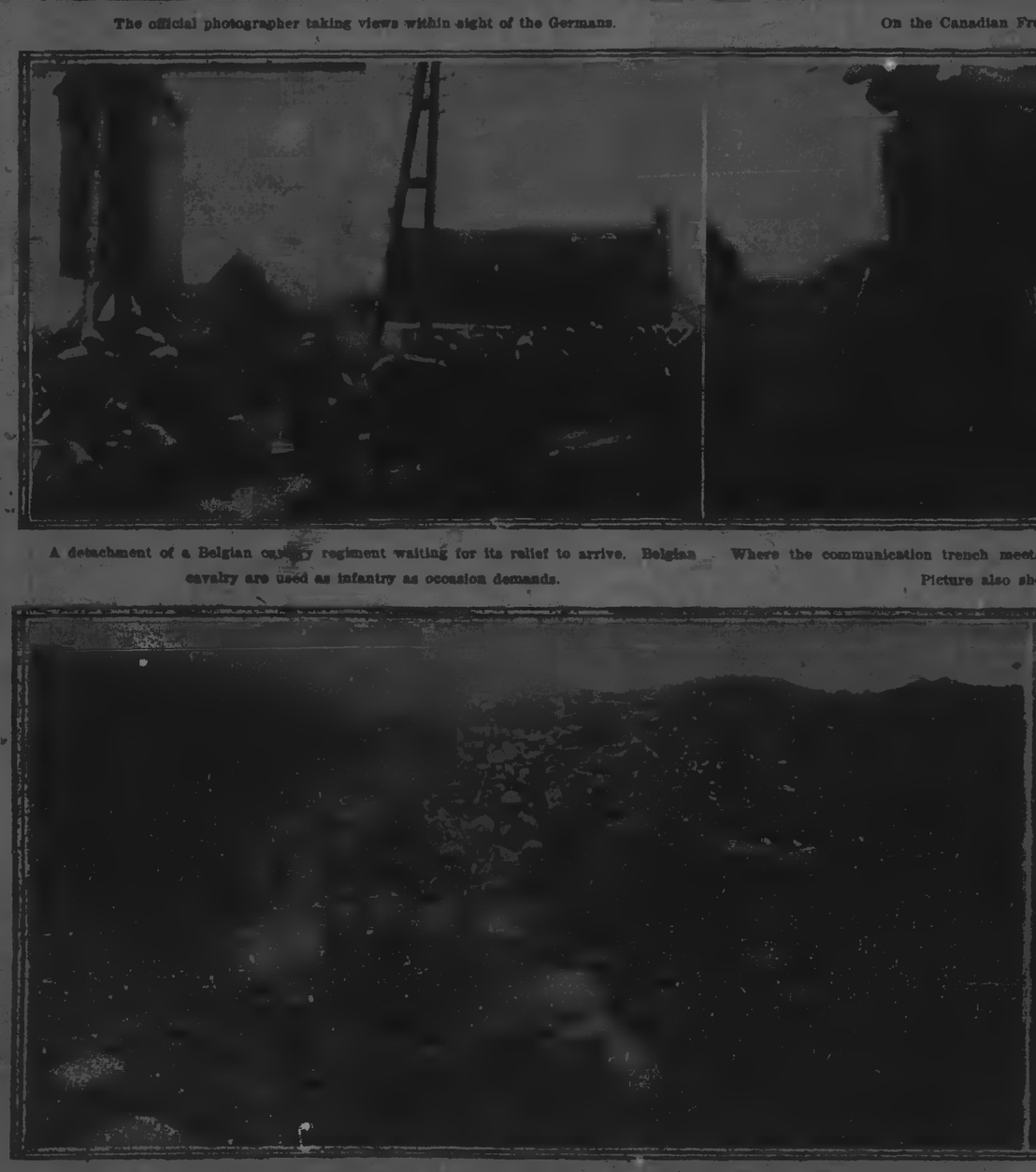


On the Canadian Front. Two German guns wrecked and the gunners captured. These guns had been doing serious damage lately.

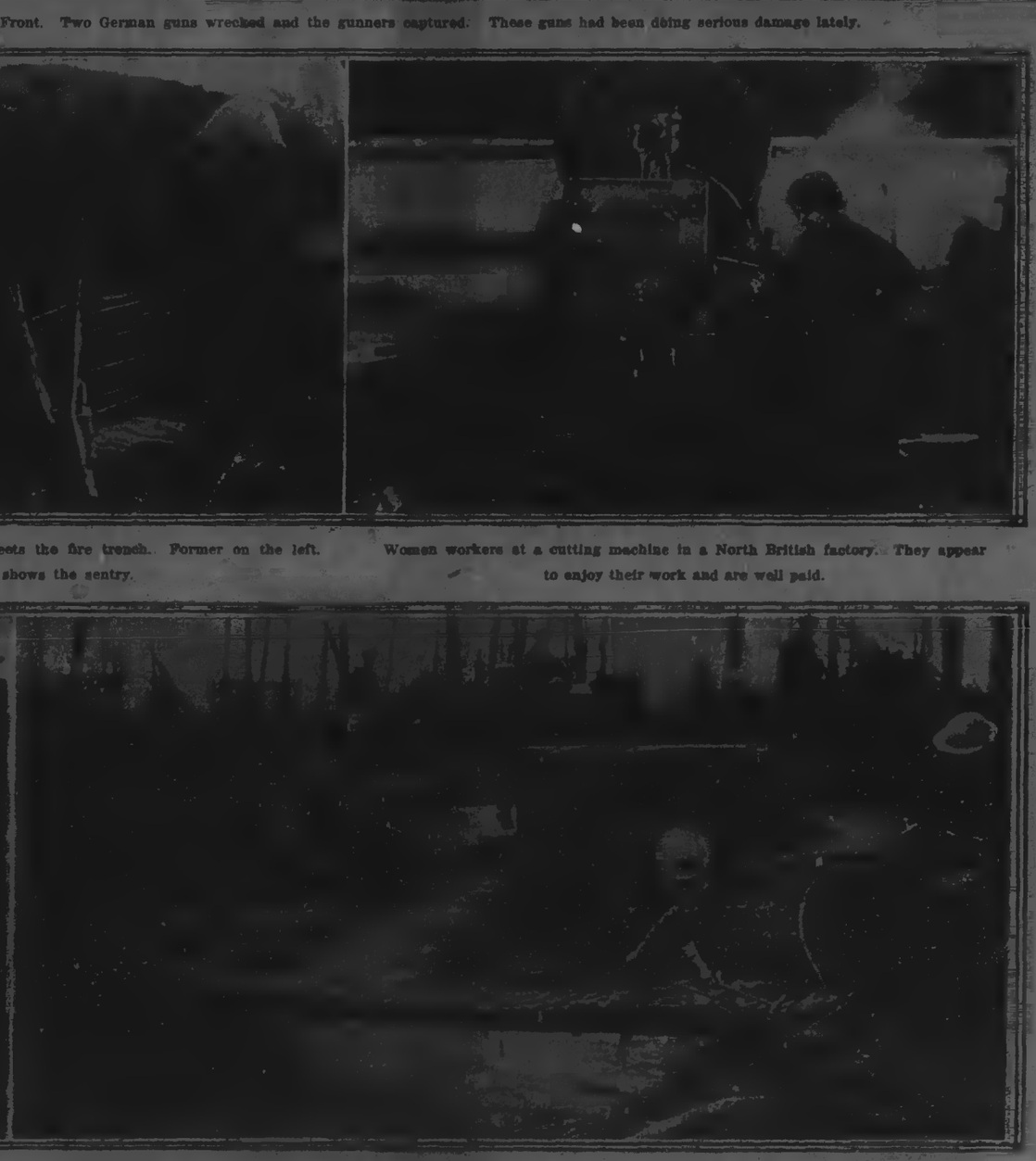
A detachment of a Belgian cavalry regiment waiting for its relief to arrive. Belgian cavalry are used as infantry as occasion demands.

Where the communication trench meets the fire trench. Former on the left. Picture also shows the sentry.

Women workers at a cutting machine in a North British factory. They appear to enjoy their work and are well paid.



Resolutely holding ground regained in the great victory at Verdun. French troop occupying a captured German communication trench leading to Fort Douaumont after its recapture.



The wells are often polluted within the war zone, so refilling stations are established on the banks of a running stream and the water is pumped through pipes and supplied to the men.

A FEW CANADIAN BOYS -- WITH THE ARMY AND THE NAVY

WITH THE FLEET AT SEA—A naval gun being swung on board a warship for remounting, after repairs. Less extensive repairs are all carried out on board the warship itself.

BDR. FRANK BURNS,

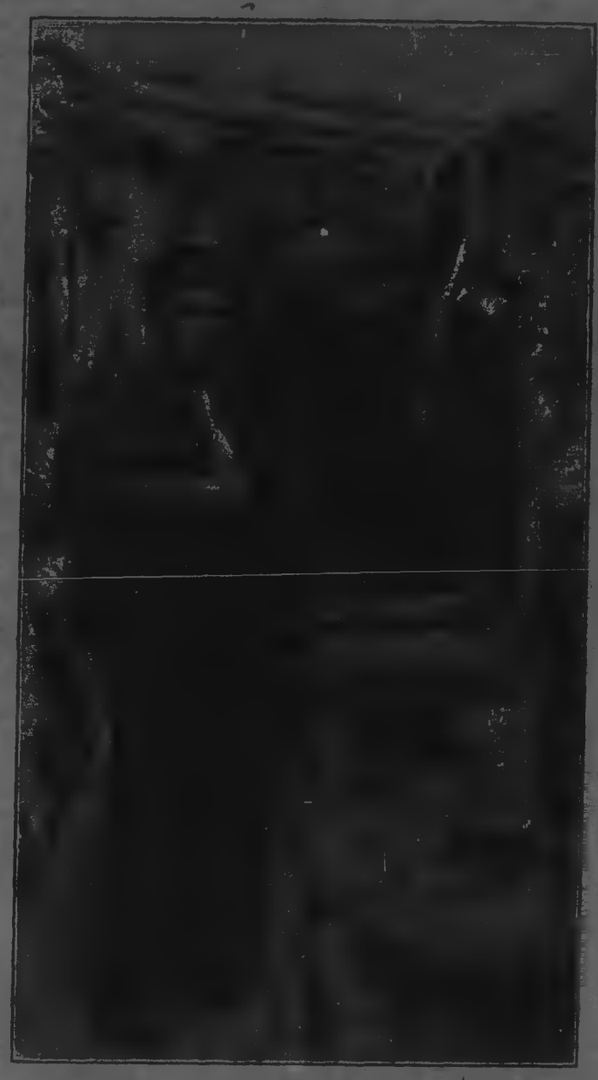
Kingston, 3rd Reserve Battery, Shorncliffe.

DRIVER CARL BELL,
Son of Dr. G. W. Bell, Clarence Street, now overseas with the Canadian Motor Transport.

BUGLER NORMAN BURNS,

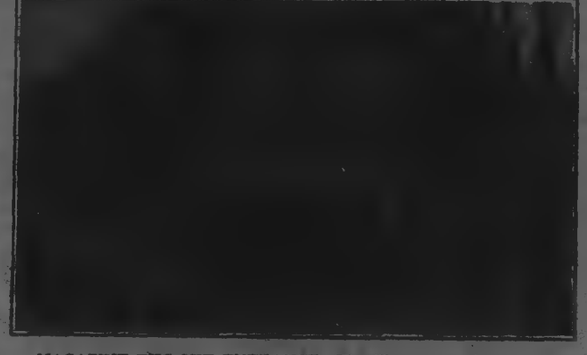
Kingston Bugle Band, 39th Battalion, West Sandling, England.

PTE. CLARENCE OSGOODE JONES,
Who was killed in action on November 24th. Mrs. Davison Pew, of Huron Street, Niagara Falls, is a sister. Pte. Jones was a member of the Seaforth Highlanders of Vancouver, B.C. The battalion embarked at Halifax for overseas on Easter Sunday of last year. He left Southampton with the 4th Division for France on August 12th. Had been on the Somme front for about a month.



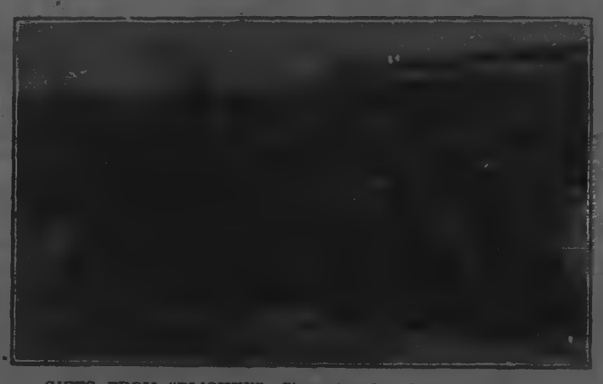
AN INTERVAL FOR REFRESHMENT—The soldiers' meal is usually a rough and ready one, often to be taken in circumstances of extreme danger, but for all that, it seems to many the meal of the day for the sake of its associations.

TO KEEP THE MEN FIT—A party of poilus making its way along a communication trench with sleeping bags and clogs for wear by the men in certain parts of the trenches during cold weather.

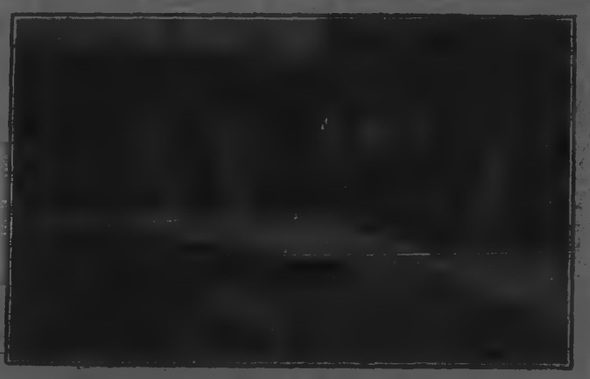


MAGAZINE DUG-OUT ENTRANCE—The illustration shows the entrance to a brick built German magazine dug-out at St. Pierre Division. A shell hole may be seen in the roof.

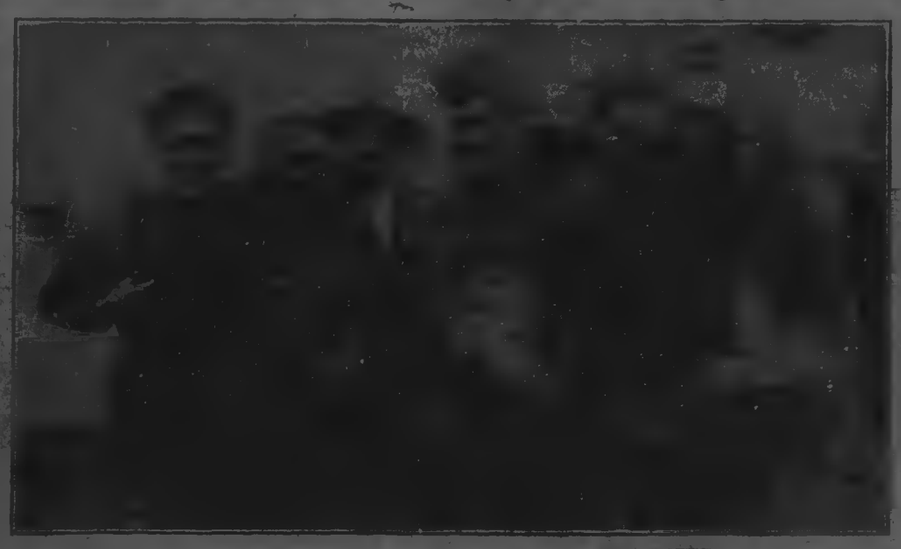
PRESENTING FLAG TO GREEK REGIMENT—Mme. Valyano, President of the Greek Women's Patriotic Council, is seen presenting M. Veniselos with a specially worked flag.



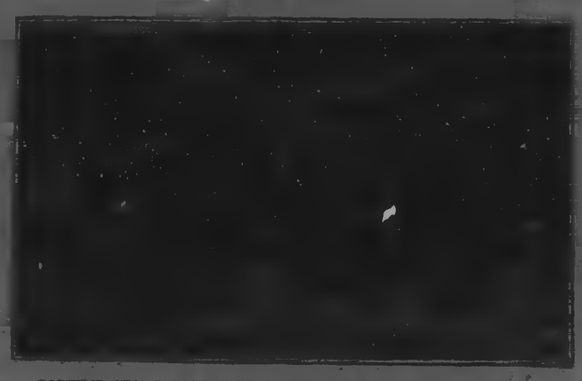
GIFTS FROM "BLIGHTY"—Cigarettes for the troops are received from various quarters, which the officer commanding distributes among his men. The outstretched hands show how welcome they are.



FLOODING THE TOULON DRYDOCK—Getting enough water in the dock to float the vessel out after having repairs made.



WITH THE CANADIAN "WALKING CASES"—Wounded, but not downhearted, they cheerily pose for their photograph, including a Japanese serving under the Canadian flag.



DISTRIBUTING THE GIFTS—An artillery officer dividing up a parcel recently arrived.

"FRENCHIES" PAINT THEIR SHIP WAR-COLOR—In the Toulon dockyard painting one of the Mediterranean fleet ships the regulation war-color.

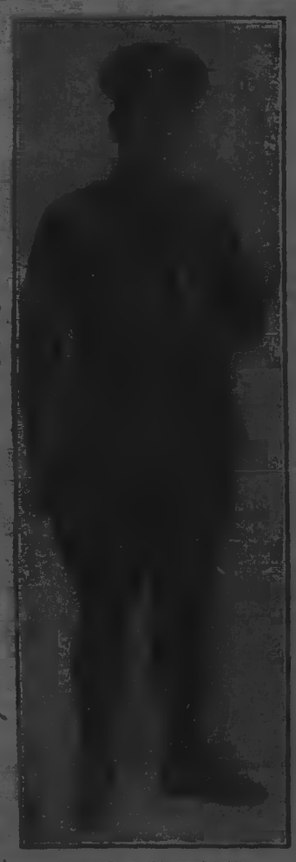
Views From Guelph, From France and From Toronto

Champion Percheron Mare, owned by Hodgkinson & Tisdale, Beaverton, Ont., Guelph Winter Fair

J. Du Roche Macpherson, of H. A. C., author of "King of Nowhere," taken in front of a dugout in France.

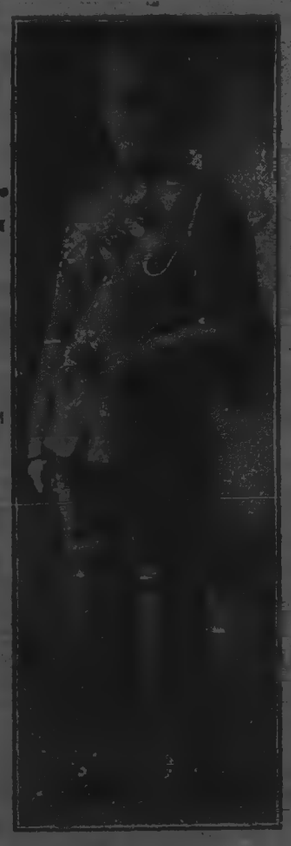
Champion Percheron Stallion (Grade), owned by S. D. Elliott, Bolton, Guelph Winter Fair

67th Battery, C. F. A., out for riding exercise at Exhibition Camp, Toronto.



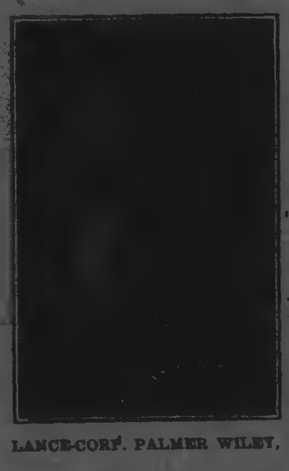
MAJOR J. M. WILSON,

Assistant Director of Dental Services for Military District No. 3, with headquarters at Kingston.



SERGT. C. C. MOWRY,

Who went overseas with the 93rd Battery C. F. A., and is now in England.



LANCE-CORP. PALMER WILEY,

Peterborough, who went overseas as a member of the Signal Section of the 93rd Battalion. He was an employee of The Examiner before enlisting, and is a son of Mr. C. E. Wiley, 136 London Street.

PTE. BRUCE CHAMBERS,
Of the 9th C. M. R. He is a son of Mrs. Robert Chambers, 492 Bolwar Street.

PTE. HAROLD E. MOLLON,
93rd Battalion, now with the 5th C. M. R., France.

PTE. ROBERT CONLON,
Of Leeds, England, who was killed in action on October 12. His mother lives in Warsaw;

PTE. J. DINEEN,
93rd, now with the 18th Battalion, France. His home is on Dublin Street, Peterborough.

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SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—The action by the United States' Senate is regarded as a definite warning to Germany re submarine operations.

ORDERED NOTICE "OF DEFIANCE"

Examiner Special:

JASSY, Roumania, Jan. 6.— The Chamber of Deputies has ordered a "notice of defiance" to the Teuton invaders to be posted in every town.

Says Figures Show Germany's Hunger

Keeley Cites Berlin Tageblatt's Complaints Against the Food Dictator —Meat Rations Reduced—Milk Available Only For Babies and the Sick—War Allowances to the Well-to-Do.

CHICAGO, January 6.—James Keeley, editor of The Chicago Herald, publishes the following article in that paper:

Writing recently in The Herald, I pointed out the seriousnes of the food situation in England and France created by the sinking of ten ships a day—a recent editorial in The Daily Mail puts the figures at eleven—by German submarines. In the article I spoke briefly of the food conditions in Germany and Austria, stating that they were worse than in the allied countries. To this statement a few readers of The Herald took exception.

To-day I offer evidence from the Berliner Tageblatt of the accuracy of my quotation. In it are these pregnant facts:

Potatoes—Original rations of one and one-half pounds a day reduced on Jan. 1 to three-quarters of a pound a day.

Meat—Ration reduced to less than half a pound on meat days.

Butter—A trifle over two ounces a week.

Milk—Extremely scarce and price rising.

The Government has been forced to make war allowances to persons with an income of $1,126. Originally aid was extended only to those whose incomes were $600.

The highly significant Tageblatt article insists that the auxiliary service law (to secure ammunition) must be followed by a war nutrition law to secure a supply of food. It then says:

"After the experience of six months it is hardly possible to imagine that the War Nutrition Office is capable of performing its task any better in the future than in the past. Shall one point to the fact that the potato rations, which originally were intended to be one and one-half pounds a day, have already been reduced in Berlin to six pounds a week, and that a general reduction of the daily ration to three-fourths pound will take place on Jan. 1? Is one to call attention to the disturbing fact that at present even the bread ration of 1,900 grammes (about four pounds) a week can in many cases only be obtained with difficulty? Is it possible to overlook the inadequate supply of meat for the people? Again and again the hope that the meat ration could be increased has been disappointed, although game, and to some extent poultry, can now only be obtained by ticket. Why, in many places one can no longer obtain even 250 grammes (about one-half pound) of meat, but only 200 grammes or less.

MILK ONLY FOR SICK CHILDREN.

"If one is lucky, one gets sixty grams (a little more than two ounces) of butter a week. For months past cheese has become something almost unknown for the mass of the people. Milk is applied at best only to little children and sick persons. Every now and then the War Nutrition Office issues a consoling communication, but generally the words are not followed by deeds. On the other hand, it is one's almost daily experience that foodstuffs which hitherto could be obtained have vanished from the market. And all that can still be bought costs impossible prices."

The Tageblatt article then goes on to demand the setting up of real control for the whole empire, the breaking down of agrarian privileges, and, in particular, compulsion of all the States to abandon their special right. The Vorwarts published simultaneously an article called "The Net Result of Long Speeches," containing bitter criticism of the Prussian Diet debate and saying that the only new features is the insistence by the agrarians upon the fact that the food difficulties will continue long after the conclusion of peace.

The life of Herr von Batocki, the "Food Dictator," is not a happy one. Less than a month ago he received a deputation from all the associations of German officials, who asked that the servants of the State should have additional rations of bread, potatoes and fats. Herr von Batocki expressed much sympathy, but said that, as regarded bread and potatoes, the most he could offer was the prospect of additional bread tickets in specially deserving cases. As regarded fats, the outlook was unfavourable, and there was no prospect of increased production of milk and butter until the return of warm weather.

Ten days before Christmas the German papers devoted a great deal of their space to the food question, particularly to a projected rise in the price of milk and the impending reduction of the rations of butter and fat.

The official explanation is that there has been "a surprising falling off" in the production of milk, the reason being that the supplies of fodder with which the farmers endeavoured during the past year to maintain their stock of milch cattle are now exhausted, and this year's fodder has been so spoiled by the wet Summer that, although the cattle "look splendid," the quantity of milk is decreasing. A second reason is aid to be that the farmers need large quantities of skim milk, which is now the only food for calves. There is said to be no prospect of any considerable quantities of skim milk being available for the towns.

A series of questions to be asked in the Hessian Diet by the Deputy for Mainz are interesting. They assert that the daily supply of milk to the town of Mainz has been reduced since the beginning of December from 14,000 quarts to 4,000 quarts, whereas the normal consumption before the war was about 40,000 quarts, and at least 18,000 quarts a day are necessary in order to secure the fixed rations of whole milk for sick persons, nursing mothers, and little children alone.

The cold fact is that food is scarce in Germany and Austria, and, judg-

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WHEAT PRICES LOWER YESTERDAY

Lack of export demand and persistent further talk of peace negotiations, heared the market down yesterday, and prices were 3 1-4 to 3 1-2 lower at the close at Winnipeg and Chicago. Manitoba cash prices down in proportion. Rest of the list is steady.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1, northern, $2.06 3-4, track, bay ports; No. 2, $2.04 1-4; No. 3, $2.01 1-4; No. 4, $1.97 3-4; old crop, 4c above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2, C. W., 71c.

American corn—No. 3 $1.09 subject to embargo.

Ontario oats—No 2, white, 64c to 66c; No. 3 white, 63c to 65c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1.74 to $1.76; No. 3, $1.72 to $1.74.

Peas—No. 2, nominal, car lots, $3.40.

Barley—Good malting, $1.16 to $1.18; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal, $1.25

Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal; No. 2, new, $1.33 to $1.35.

Manitoba flour — First patents, in jute bags, $9.90; second patents, in jute, $9.40; strong bakers, in jute, $9, Toronto.

Ontario flour—New winter, $7.30 to $7.50, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment.

Milfeed—Car lots, delivered Montreal; shorts, $37; bran, $32; feed flour, per bag, $2.80.

Hay—Baled, No. 1, track, Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots, $13 to $13.50; No. 2, $9 to $11; straw, $8.50 to $10.

The Cattle Market.

A shortage of supplies early in the week, with an active demand for all classes of live stock for the wholesale butcher trade, sent prices up with a sudden jump, and also brought visions of an early inauguration of unofficial "meatless days" on the part of a worried public. The latter part of the week, however, brought in many belated cars of cattle, and the sharp advance in prices was at least temporarily checked, though holding steady at the advances gained right through to the closing market. The average advance over last week's prices for choice heavy and choice butcher cattle was about 50c. Sheep and lambs also held strong at the advances for anything of choice quality, while heavy sheep eased off a little.

The hog situation seemed to be a puzzle to the packers during the whole of the week, but prices persisted in steadily advancing.

Union Stock Yards, 208 cars, with 2,842 cattle, 998 calves, 7,368 hogs, 1698 sheep and lambs and 2,951 horses.

Latest quotations:

Heavy steers, choice	$9.00 to $10.00
Choice butcher	8.50 9.00
do good	8.00 8.25
do medium	7.75 8.00
do common	7.00 7.50
Heifers, good to choice	8.00 8.50
do medium	7.00 7.50
Butcher cows, choice	6.25 7.00
do medium	5.75 6.25
Butcher bulls, choice	6.85 7.50
do good	6.50 6.60
do medium	5.00 5.50
Feeders, 900 to 1000 lbs	6.50 6.75
do bulls	5.25 5.75
Stockers, 700 to 800 lbs	6.50 6.75
do med. 650 to 750 lbs.	5.50 6.00
do light, 600 to 650 lbs	5.00 5.75
Canners	4.10 4.40
Cutters	4.50 5.25
Sheep, light	8.50 9.50
do heavy	7.50 8.50
Spring lambs	10.75 13.75
Calves	8.00 12.50
Hogs, fed and watered	12.50 12.60
do, weighed off cars	12.75
do f.o.b	11.50

Buffalo Live Stock.

East Buffalo, Jan. 6.—Cattle receipts 500; active and steady. Veals receipts 800; active, 50c at $15.50.

Hog receipts 5,000; active, heavy, and mixed, $11.05 to $11.10; Yorkers, $11.00 to $11.10; light yorkers, $10.10 to $10.60; pigs, $9.75 to $10; roughs, $9.60 to $9.75; stags, $7.50 to $8.50.

Sheep and lamb receipts 4,000; active, lambs, $9.50 to $14.70.

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A well-known local druggist says he sells lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble

Will Enumerate Peace Terms

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, Jan. 6.—It is expected that Germany will enumerate precise peace terms.

CANADA IS TO HAVE HER OWN WESTMINSTER ABBEY

Plans Prepared For Storing of Banners and Colours in New Parliament Buildings and Paintings to Make Heroic Deeds Live

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT APPROVED THE IDEA

OTTAWA, January 6.—Canada is to have a Westminster Abbey of her own. Under the interior plans for the reconstruction of the Parliament Buildings arrangements are being made by Architect Pearson for commemorating the exploits of Canada and the allies in the present war, and for the housing of the banners and colours of the various regiments of the Dominion who have so gallantly participated in the great struggle. The new Senate chamber will have no galleries on the sides. Accommodation for the public will be arranged at both ends. The walls are to be utilized for the portrayal of paintings typical of the cause for which the various allies are at present fighting.

If present plans are carried out painters from the different countries engaged with Great Britain in the present war will be invited to come to Canada to do this work. The paintings will be in accord with the general colour scheme of the chamber and may, of course, take years to complete. It is understood that his Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught, prior to his departure for England, declared himself as enthusiastically in favour of this artistic and patriotic plan, and promised his assistance. Arrangements in the plans are being made for a "Hall of Fame" running the depth of the building. Along this wide and spacious corridor niches for the accommodation of statues which may from time to time be erected will be provided.

An entirely new arrangement is in contemplation for the library.

A huge "stack room" will be built into the cliff overlooking the Ottawa River, and in this all the books will be kept. When a member desires a book it will be sent on an elevated system from the stack room to the library proper. As at present contemplated, the woodwork and book shelves of the library will be taken out. In their place will be provided accommodation for the banners and flags of the regiments that have been engaged in the great war. These will hang in the base of the dome.

BETTER FARMING METHODS ARE FINDING FAVOUR IN COUNTY OF PETERBORO'

Activities of the West Peterborough Board of Agriculture Bear Fruit in the Form of Increased Production—Two Meetings Were Held This Week—Interesting Addresses by a Departmental Representative

During the past week two meetings have been held in Peterborough County under the auspices of the West Peterborough Board of Agriculture. The President of the Board is Mr. J. A. McGregor, while the duties of Secretary-Treasurer are very ably performed by Mr. Allan B. Mann. Both of these men are practical agriculturiste and, like a good many more farmers in Peterborough County, are convinced that greater productivity must, and can be, obtained by the application of scientific methods which are expounded by the departmental representatives sent to address these meetings. The chief speaker at the meetings referred to was Mr. R. E. L. Harkness of Iroquois, Dundas County. On Thursday afternoon, at a meeting held in the Temperance Hall, Smith Township, Mr. Harkness spoke on a variety of subjects. He pointed out the advantages that would accrue to the soil in growing clover, and admonished the farmers not to grow corn twice in succession on the same field if they would avoid the deadly smut. (Mr. Harkness believes that the land in Peterborough County is suitable for the production of alfalfa. He gave instructions as to how the seed should be planted, and the best methods of harvesting and curing the crop.

Fruit Production.

Peterborough County. He said that the farmers of Peterborough County were well advanced in the matter of stock raising, but they were behind in the matter of growing fruit. There should be an orchard and a garden of smaller fruits on every hillside in the country. Land devoted to fruit growing would double in value and yield a rich return on the capital invested. Orchards should be thoroughly cultivated, pruned and sprayed at the proper seasons.

One acre of strawberries will, when intelligently handled, give a return of $1,100 a year and three men can set out the plants on one acre in ten hours. The vines in order to bring the best results should be protected during the winter by a coating of straw. Asparagus, raspberries, currants, gooseberries, grapes and muskmellons should be raised on every farm.

Closing Meeting.

During the course of the evening Mr. Allan B. Mann gave a brief address and Roland Scott favoured the gathering with a recitation. The final meeting of the Board for the year was held at Buckhorn on the following day.

One discouraging feature about such meetings is the slim attendance. This, however, would be no justification for holding fewer meetings as the few farmers who do attend usually represent a wide area of country and the information they carry away will eventually find its way to some of their neighbours. The meetings are held at different periods throughout the year and one only has to travel throughout the County to see evidence of the good that has been accomplished.

Peace Request For Europe

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—The Senate yesterday adopted by a vote of 48 to 17, a resolution endorsing Wilson's request that the warring nations state terms of peace. Senator Lewis, who is close to Wilson, said that the note is for us as well as a peace request for Europe.

Stratford Boy Brigadier-General

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, Jan. 6.—Roy Burritt, formerly of Stratford, has been made Brigadier-General under General Steele.

Revolt and Riot Is On Increase

Special to The Examiner:

ROME, Jan. 6.—Revolt and riot in Hungary is assuming big proportions.

GERMAN PAPER CALLS FOR CHANCELLOR'S RESIGNATION

LONDON, January 6.—Demand that Imperial Chancellor Bethmann-Hollweg resign immediately because of the rejection of Germany's peace proffers was made yesterday in the Berlin newspaper Neueste Nachrichten, known as the Krupp's organ.

The newspaper declared that "Germany regards the Chancellor as a weakling and Europe discredits him because of his blundering remarks as to Germany's guilt in invading Belgium."

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CORRECTED JUNE 6, 1916.

7.00 a.m.—For Lakefield.
8.50 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg, and points east, connecting at Port Hope for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 11.05 a.m.
9.25 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
9.30 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
11.00 a.m.—Mid-day express for Toronto, reaching Toronto at 3.15 p.m.
12.20 p.m.—For Lakefield.
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1.30 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
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5.40 p.m.—For Lakefield.
7.55 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
9.05 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Boston.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
CORRECTED JUNE 5, 1916.

*8.20 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*10.45 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N.B., Boston, and New York.
*1.30 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed Perth, Smith's Falls and Ottawa.
**11.27 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and intermediate points and all points east of Montreal.

GOING WEST.—
*2.20 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Galt, Woodstock, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*5.54 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
**7.20 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York, intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
**9.15 a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port McNichol and intermediate points
*2.42 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Buffalo, New York, Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, London, Detroit and Chicago.
**6.45 p.m.—North Toronto and West Toronto and intermediate points.
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"DESTINY"

By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday.)

She threw a dressing gown about her, and slipping her small pink feet into small pink slippers, crossed idly to the window. Then with a face that in an instant went white with a premonition of disaster, she wheeled on Julie and her voice came in an agitated whisper.

"What are they calling extras about—get me a paper quick!" When a few minutes later a sheet still damp from the presses lay before her she needed only the flaring headlines to corroborate her fears. With throbbing temples she swayed unsteadily as she made her way to a chair and sank down, gripping the paper tightly in her clenched fist. Four words were hammering themselves into her brain and heart: "Stock Exchange in a Frenzy"....Her apathy of inactivity lasted only a few moments. Then she came to her feet and instead of panic resolution sounded through her voice. "Dress me, Julie," she commanded—"Dress me quickly. I must be downtown at once. 'Phone for the car. Don't waste an instant." At least she would be there where the battle was raging.

"But, mademoiselle, in an hour you are due for a fitting—your wedding-gown."

"Don't stop to talk—hurry!"

Her wedding gown! She wondered if she would ever need it.

As her car neared the business district she could feel in the air such an electric tensity as one might expect to find at the verge of a battlefield.

At first it was only a spirit of heightened excitement in the street crowds; and the way the men ran to meet the newsboys half-way. Then it was humanity jostling about the doors of a bank with the excitement of swarming bees. Across City Hall park came a glimpse of surging throngs at the bulletin boards, and the unpleasant chorus of voices as fresh bulletins went up.

Hamilton Burton had reached his office that morning at eight thirty, and was ready upon their arrival to had ordered to be with him at nine. Len Haswell appeared with the lackluster seeming of a jaded spirit and though Burton had on past occasions chosen him as leader of every fierce assault on the floor, because of his quick brain, his commanding physique and the voice that could boom out like a heavy gun over the pandemonium of a frenzied exchange, he now eyed his gigantic broker dubiously. This was no day for his lieutenants to carry into that Gehenna which he meant to participate senses dulled or hearts cast down. This morning's work called for such spirit as carries forward a tide of bayonets thirsting for blood back of the trenches they charge. There must be the ferocity of barbarians bearing knife and torch, of the hordes of the Huns and Vandals. There of course was Hardinge, a man who, had he not been a broker, might have made a headquarters detective, so hard and devoid of humanity was the fashion in which he went about his work. His nature was that of a cock tossed into the pit or a bull turned into the ring. Such men Hamilton wanted now, for into the five hours of the Stock Exchange day he meant to crowd such a sum of mad disaster and panic conflagration that the history of the money world should be beggared for a comparison. They had tauntingly named him the Great Bear, but this day should demonstrate that heretofore he had been only a gentle and playful cub. Cash—cash—cash! Such had been his watchword and he had stamped on the world of finance a belief that his command of gold was endless. Even should he reach the end of his resources with his task unfinished, he knew that his tremendous nerve was in itself unlimited backing. The nature of the trading on the floor precluded any discovery, during the length of the session, of a depleted treasury—and left open the path for onward charges. But before his treasury was depleted the whole structure would lie in ruins.

He glanced out of the window, and smiled. It was the sort of a day which the men in police circles describe as "suicide weather." Coroners will tell you that on such days their calls are most numerous and history will tell you that on such days the greatest financial disasters of the world have visited stock exchanges and bourses. Burton's jaws were set and his eyes ablaze with a fiery tenseness which was hardly sane. His loins were girded and to one focal object was every power dedicated. He was going to mete out death and destruction. He would grapple with enemies who had taught him the art of death and destruction. As he ended his instructions to his brokers he looked at his watch; it was nine-forty-five. "Cut loose!" he almost shouted. "Railway Generals closed at 175. By noon I want them down to 50. When Malone's gang begin pegging the market break their pegs. Don't spare Coal and Ore. Keep them too busy with self preservation to think of rescuing others. Give them slaughter—an unshirted hell!"

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The light that rains down from the ceiling of the Stock Exchange is a softened, benevolent light, even when the outer skies are lowering. The gentlemen inside play their game in a well appointed gambling parlor.

It would not be fitting that they should seem pikers. Above them there stretches a ceiling of soft color scheme in delicate pink and blue and from this canopy sixty-two ceiling lights shed down a tempered radiance from globes suggestive of inverted golden blossoms. The great bronze framed windows, too, at the east and west make a greater part of the wall area as receptive of brightness as does a studio skylight—for the world's cleverest financiers must be cheered by brightness and protected against gloom.

To-day the great interior cube of space needed all the light that could flood the area between its marble walls—for despite the sixty-two inverted blossoms it was to see black hours.

Of that there was of course no suspicion at first.

The assembled brokers chattered carelessly, and between them sedately passed the floor employees in cadet gray, and boys carrying green watering-pots with which, when many feet had pounded the boards into dust, they would sprinkle this hot house of Finance, as they might have sprinkled a bed of thirsty geraniums.

Then from the marble balcony, where is placed the president's chair, sounded the clang of the opening gong. The session had begun.

Hamilton Burton's lieutenants meant to waste no moment of the five-hour session. Another day meant the drawing of new lines, and time for tallying and rallying, but what was done to-day was immutably done. Hardinge and Haswell stood near the post at whose head hung the sign, "Railway Generals." About them lounged a handful of dilatory brokers. Railway Generals had closed yesterday strong at 175, but quotations from London where by reason of the difference in time there had already been several hours of trading, reflected an unaccountable nervousness over-seas. So the stock opened five points off.

Every game has its traditional rules—it is a cardinal by-law of the Exchange that until the gong peals every man on the floor must maintain an unruffled and blase composure, although when the clamor of the big bell unleashes their restraint whosoever chooses may leap into the frenzy of a madhouse.

A voice at the Railway-Generals post drawled out "170 for any part of 5,000 Generals," and on the instant Hardinge's deep basso boomed a challenge and a battle cry as he yelled back, "Sold!"

The bidder was Jack Staples, and he bore the credentials of J. J. Malone. For just an instant he eyed his vis-a-vis and his prominent lower jaw seemed to protrude more aggressively, as his indolent manner dropped from him and his eyes kindled. He brushed back the white lock on his forehead and defiantly shouted, "168 for part of 10,000," but before the words had come to conclusion on his lips the rifle-like retort had met him from the throat of Hardinge, "Sold!"

"168 for any part of 10,000"—"Sold." This time the deep-lunged monosyllable burst volcanically from the lips of Len Haswell, and it ran across the floor and echoed between the walls like a thundering battle in the cliffs of a mountain gorge.

Instantly crowds surged forward and elbowed their ways to the Generals post. Where five minutes back there had been scant dozens there were now full hundreds who shouldered and shoved and fought, struck by a sudden wild realization that a fight was on. At the centre of the vortex they could see the steady head of Len Haswell high above the crowns of other men and in his face they read the gage of battle. No longer was this the heartsick face which of late had avoided the gaze of his fellows. It was the fighting face of one who hurls himself into the thick of a struggle, seeking forgetfulness in the ferocity of combat.

"163 for any part of 10,000"—"SOLD!"

With each repetition the unchanged formula took on an added ferocity—a deeper meaning. It was a three-cornered duel. Jack Staples leaned eagerly forward, his eyes burning and keen with aggressive alertness like a boxer facing opponents in a battle royal. Len Haswell seemed bending to meet him, his long arm raised and his face afire, while Hardinge, whose place had been for the moment preempted, moped his brow, already perspiring, and smiled grimly like a relay racer waiting his turn.

But what gave an undercurrent of terrific force to the battle of these three men was the thing which every broker present, understood—that one of them was the floor spokesman of Malone and Harrison and the old invincible order of Consolidated—and that two voiced the message of the new power and in the name of Hamilton Burton were declaring a war to the death.

"160 for any part of 20,000"—"SOLD!"

Generals had broken fifteen points in ten minutes and were slumping as though their foundations floated in thin air. A yell went up over the floor through which sounded demoniac notes of panic and rage. Men surged around the Generals post, struggling as cowards might struggle to leave a burning theatre, collars tore loose and eyes glittered like those of a wolf-pack. The blackboards at north and south burst into a hysterical flashing of white numbers, and a word went out which set the cylinders of printing presses whirling. A Burton raid was on, and the Street was in panic-making excitement!

But close around the post three figures still dominated the picture. Staples with his tigerish teeth to the crowds fought the two men who carried Burton's orders and who with implacable monosyllables still hammered the market with sledges of mighty resource. What had been the orderly floor of an artistically designed mart of trade was now a hell of pandemonium. With the sweat pouring down his face, his hands clenched above his head, and his deep voice strained into a hoarse bellow, Jack Staples of Consolidated fought as a man fights death, to breast and stem and turn the tidal wave of disaster.

Other stocks followed suit, and while Haswell, forgetting in his excitement that he had been officially superseded, brouched face to face, battering his opponent, Hardinge fought his way like a madman out of the maelstrom and declared war on Coal and Ore. Voices blended into a frenzied Walpurgian uproar. Frantic telephone calls made the blackboard one flickering, waving, confusing area of black and white where no spot was white for any consecutive minute and no spot black.

For an hour it raged so, down!—down!—down!—with no moment of recovery and no instant of changing tide. When now and again the din subsided for a few moments of recovered breath, while traders "iverified," faces streaming sweat looked as haggard as though it was blood that was pouring from them. Voices cracked with hoarseness as men stood panting like dogs torn from the embrace of battle and waiting only for the leash to loosen and free them again for renewed battle. Underfoot they trod the confetti-like scraps of torn papers. Among them went the men with green watering-pots. Outside newsboys called yet new extras. The market had been open an hour and the Street was seeing the most delirious day of mania in its history. Then in one of the lulls came that sound which between the hours of ten and three is never heard save as the clarion of disaster. The great gong in the president's gallery sent out its strident and metallic voice, and in the dead silence that followed its command an announcement was made.

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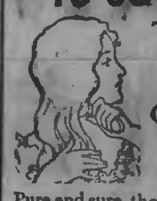

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DRESDEN'S SHORT RATIONS

Two Americans who returned recently on the liner Nieuw Amsterdam after living for three years in Dresden, said that the living conditions in the Saxon capital had become very trying in the last six months.

Cards were issued for butter, meat eggs and sugar, but the goods are not given out according to the scale. The card of each adult calls for one pound of meat a week, but only four ounces can be obtained. One pound of sugar is supposed to be given out weekly to each adult but what is really served is one pound every fifteen days. One egg a week is allowed on the card but often the holder gets only one in two weeks.

The passengers said that the poor people suffered the most as they had no money to buy meats or chickens or butter when it could be obtained from Denmark. They line up for eight blocks to get a weekly dole of four ounces of potcheese. Beef is 70 cents, lamb is 90 cents, and pork 80 cents a pound in Dresden, and bacon is $2.15 a pound, when it can be obtained. Broilers weighing a little more than a pound cost $3.25 each in the market and are very difficult to obtain.

PREVENT DOEL IN RANCE

PARIS, Jan. 5.—A duel between Frenchmen in war times would be a real offense against patriotism. Such was the formal declaration signed recently by the seconds of Deputy Adrien Veber and Captain Charles Tisseyre, and the proposed encounter was abandoned.

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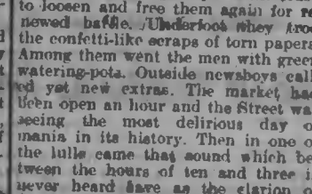

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Old Dutch

HOME HEALTH CLUB

Epilepsy. During all the ages of recorded history there has been reference of the terrifying fits of people subject to Epileptic seizures. I presume that as much study, thought, and earnest research has been devoted to the fearful malady as to cancer, and until the present day the results, so far as a cure has been concerned, have been about equal.

Dr. Wm. Held has devoted many years to the study and treatment of this disease and of his results I will let him tell you. The interesting feature about Dr. Held's method, which he offers freely to the profession, lies in the fact that he offers to treat, free of expense, one hundred cases for the Home Health Club. He does this in order to prove to the world that his simple, safe and sane and harmless method is a real cure for the dreaded scourge. I will be glad to hear from any sufferer and to send Dr. Held's offer to any of my readers. Dr. Held's article will appear in several installments, the first of which follows:

"The interest in the subject of epilepsy is, in many respects, a social one. The epileptic problem effects a figure outside of the domain of the medical profession and is not only important from the standpoint of science, but its features ramify into the legal, moral, and social sphere more than any other similar condition. There is for instance, a very vital medico-legal connection as in the relation of epilepsy and to crime; there are moral and hygenic considerations as suggested by the fact that several states have enacted laws prohibiting the marriage of epileptics; then there are the precautions taken by those States who have established "epileptic" colonies for the protection of both the epileptic and society.

Apparently in full possession of their physical and mental faculties, in the midst of their occupation, while at work or at play, waking or sleeping, in church, in school, and on the street, sometime with and again without warning, the patient is suddenly seized, bereft of consciousness and thrown into the epileptic fit, which may vary in degree from a slight, fleeting unconsciousness to the most violent convulsions, spoken of as the epileptic fit.

The epileptic problem engaged the attention of ancient healers, and it seems as if the problem were staring at us like an oppressive memory from that time, with the same sphynxlike attitude as in the misty past. Sphynxslike, because in the light of accepted standard theories the problem has remained unanswered. The spectacle of the convulsive fit so impressed the ancients as some thing uncanny and weird, that their earthb imagination soon ascribed supernatural significance to the disease. They looked upon it as a dispensation of the gods and termed it the "Sorbus Sacer" or holy sickness. The medicine man of the dark ages insisted that the patient was possessed by an evil demon.

From the conception of such cause for the disease to the inauguration of a treatment befitting his superstition, was but a short step. And so we find that the sorcerer, as an expedient in the treatment of the epileptic patient, employed red-hot irons and other forms of tortures. The wailings of the wretched victim were answered by the announcement that it was the evil spirit within the patient who was writhing and crying out in agony and not the patient at all. We may now, in our much vaunted superiority, look back with horror upon the past, and perhaps smile pityingly at so much superstition and ignorance, but while we do so, let us bear in mind that everything is judged by comparison, and that the magnitude or smallness of a thing is only relative. We no longer beat our patients insensible with a physical club; we have advanced too far, and methods have changed with our advancement. We now employ scientific and subtle acting sedatives and suppresives, but are no less fettered by superstitions than were our forerunners. The modern treatment of epilepsy is as useless and disastrous for the patient as was the torture of the ancient sorcerer. While we no longer resort to inflicting physical tortures, the treatment is as maddening as was the remedy of the dark ages. The modern superstition in the treatment of epilepsy is the bromide superstition. Other drugs are also used, but the chief one and most nefarious is bromide. Bromide brutalization continues despite the fact that it has never cured, never benefitted the epileptic. The patient and those who have given much time to the earnest study of epilepsy, have long ago come to the conclusion that it was better to have epilepsy than bromism. Bromism is a form of intoxication resulting from the prolonged ingestion of bromide.

Club Notes.

I will gladly answer all inquiries for information on health subjects from readers of this publication if same are addressed to Home Health Club, 5039 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago, Ill. Send full name and address with 4 cents postage.

Dear Doctor: Will ask you for advice concerning our little boy of ten years; also a little girl 12 years old. They both sleep with their mouths open more or less, and snore. Both are thin. A doctor told us they had a growth in their nostrils. He said he could cure them, but all the doctors talk operation. J. B.

(Answer). Whenever the children sleep with their mouths open there is always a suspicion of adenoids, that is, certain growths in the nose, and the only means of cure recommended by most of our doctors is an operation. There are many Club readers who have treated their children very effectively by other means and I believe that every case of adenoids can be cured if the Home Health Club methods are followed for a sufficient length of time. These methods have been explained by me in detail on a number of occasions.

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The poor beggar was moved by the story of the pilgrim. He gave him the new penny and told him its story. The baker saw this kind act of the lame beggar, and as a reward he gave him more bread than he could have bought for the penny.

When the pilgrim came to Jerusalem he went at once to the Turkish governor and offered him all the money he had gathered for his brother's freedom. The governor, however, wanted more money and would not let the brother go.

The pilgrim said. "This is all that I have except one copper penny," and then he told the story of the penny. The governor asked to see the penny that had done so many good actions. "I will keep it," he said, "and wear it next my heart, and perhaps a blessing will go with it." Then he gave the pilgrim all his money back again and let his brother go free.

Soon after this the Turkish governor was in battle. An arrow struck him on the breast, but it glanced off without hurting him. It had struck against the penny, and thus his life was saved.

When the war was over the governor went to his master, the emperor, and as they talked together he told how his life had been saved by a penny. He showed him the penny and told its story. As the emperor gazed at it he exclaimed again and again: "It is wonderful! It is wonderful!"

The governor, seeing his delight, gave him the penny, and the emperor fastened it with a golden chain to the hilt of his sword. One day soon after this the emperor was about to drink a cup of wine when the empress asked to see the hilt of his sword. As he held it up the penny dropped into the cup of wine. When he took it out he saw that the copper had turned to a green color. Some one had mixed poison with the wine, but the change in the color of the penny warned the emperor, and his life was saved.

Then the emperor had the penny put in his crown, surrounded by diamonds and jewels of great value.

THAT SUNBURN.

How to Cure This Ache of All Thin Skins.

Sunburn is often extremely painful. In many cases where a girl has been out in the sun practically all day the skin blisters and causes very real suffering. It is a wise girl who knows how to care for her own sunburn, for she will save herself a good bit of pain by doctoring it at once.

When you return to the house after a day in the open and find your arms, neck and face all rose colored from the sun don't stop to question why, but start in treating it at once. The burn never hurts the first day, and sometimes it does not the second day, but you will certainly get it the third unless you are very careful. Don't wait until the skin begins to itch and smart before you put on a cream, but at the first sign of rose color where white usually is start your doctoring at once.

Cocoa butter is excellent to take the sting out of sunburn, and witch hazel cream is another fine emollient. Rub either one in well at the first appearance of the burn and then again the next day, and you will not be bothered so much by the pain and itch.

Entire Wheat Bread.

Use three and one-half pints entire wheat flour, a pint of good white bread flour, a handful of salt, butter half the size of an egg, one-half cupful of molasses, a compressed yeast cake, a quart warm water. Mix dry ingredients together first, then rub in butter. Take one-half cupful of water from the measured quart and dissolve yeast cake in this. Add to dry ingredients, then add molasses, then rest of water. Knead about twenty minutes, using enough white flour to form a soft but not a sticky dough. This might need about an additional pint of white flour. Cover well and put in a warm place overnight. In the morning, when it has risen to top of bowl or pan, turn out on a well floured board and mold into loaves. Allow to rise until leaves reach top of pans and bake in a hot oven thirty-five or forty minutes. When done turn from pans and with a small piece of paper spread butter over top crust of each loaf.

Fashion's Realm

The features that one notices most strongly in the styles for the winter are, first, the one-piece dresses, which hang straight from the shoulder but are held in submission by a belt of the same material or by one of suede or leather, says McCall's Magazine.

Sometimes the straight line of the one-piece dress is interrupted before it reaches the bottom of the skirt. Just below the hips, lower sections are pleated or gathered to the side sections of the waist and form a heading of their own, as is the case in the Princes dress illustrated on the opposite page.

Then there are the blouses which are worn outside of the skirt. These are sometimes of chiffon, often of silk and batiste, and more often of heavier materials to form the blouse to a costume. This style has made the middy particularly popular and brought it up to a degree of smartness that the sport-loving blouse of a year or so ago never dreamed of. Many of these blouses are without fulness across the front and are slipped on over the head.

The skirts one sees, whether gathered, pleated or made with yokes, hang with less flare than they have for a couple of years. In other words, the new silhouette demands straighter-hanging skirts, and the demand is provided for.

Almost all dresses have collars and vests of some contrasting material usually of white. White flannel collars, pinked or pleated around the edges, are the favourite of the women; white satin, taffeta, Georgette crepe and batiste are standbys not to be disregarded.

Capes and scarfs are not to be forgotten this year. They are of velvet, satin or fur, in full, short and medium length. Plush, too, is used to make these attractive wraps, which are vastly becoming to the majority.

The change that has come about in the silhouette for winter is not revolutionary. On the contrary, it is so subtle that perhaps only the most discerning will recognise that there has been a change at all. Skirts are every bit as full as they were before the some are longer, but the exaggerated flare that marked the skirts of last winter is gone, and along with it have disappeared hoops and crinolines. In their places we have straight-hanging skirts and soft draperies, which, appear in afternoon and evening dresses.

For daytime wear, the jumper dress that hangs from the shoulder has gained an enormous following. The low-waisted effect is seen in some of these models, which are frequently worn with loose girdles

LOCOMOTOR ATAXIA.

"My nerves were very bad, and I could not sleep at night, nor could I control my arms or legs," writes Mrs. Robert Bustard, Maxwell, N.B. "Dr. Chase's Nerve Food cured me of what I believe was the early stage of locomotor ataxia or paralysis. I cannot describe what I suffered, but now I am entirely cured."

CHILDREN'S DIET.

What Makes Up a Good Mixed Diet For Small Growers.

"My child eats everything."

This exclamation has a good and a bad interpretation. If "everything" means pickles, cucumbers, meat, coleslaw, pepper hash, kidney stew, cheese, coffee and beer and the child is under eight years of age or even slightly over that mark the mother should be ashamed to say it.

If, on the other hand, she merely means that the child eats everything which she wisely selects for him and is not "finicky"—that is, will eat well cooked cereals, vegetables, fruits, nutritious desserts—if this is what "everything" implies, then the mother has every right to be proud, for such a child has been sensibly fed.

A child should be trained to eat everything you put before him, but do not put "everything" before him which you yourself eat.

A child's stomach is much smaller than yours; therefore he should have less heavy and more frequent meals than you do. In the middle of the morning or afternoon a child should have some milk, with bread or toast or a saucer of cereal. A child not only must keep his body warm, but must build up new muscles, new bones and increase his strength. You should not attempt to increase the strength of his back by asking him to carry a trunk to the third floor. But are you sure you are not asking his stomach to perform just as remarkable a feat by feeding it twice as much as the size of it will allow and its small strength digest?

Your digestive system has had many years of practice in assimilating all kinds of food; your child has only three or four years of such experience behind him. How, then, can you expect him to digest the same foods which you do—meat, cheese, pickles, coleslaw, coffee and other foods so difficult for a child's stomach to handle?

A Bit of Spanish Influence.

Bait trimming of silk or woolen floss in brilliant colors is used to trim the brim and crown of a new sport hat which is very popular just now at the country meets. Leghorn or Milan hemp is chosen for the hats, which have rather high crowns and flaring broad brims.

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FASHION HINTS

HOW THE SKIRTS AND SUITS WILL PRESENTLY LOOK.

The foremost tailors of America have never advocated great widths in in suit skirts. In fact, the greater the flare of the jacket the less pronounced has been the spreading line of the skirt—this so that one might act as a foil for the other and a more gracious silhouette be the result.

Certain tailors insist on a comparatively narrow skirt to accompany the new three quarter length coat. The latter are very wide and the effect of a wide skirt would be cumbersome in the extreme. To be sure one can never tell just what will be the accepted mode. A process of selection and elimination is always gone through after the models are brought from Paris.

American women may be slaves to Paris ideas. Nevertheless they have been known to express themselves quite firmly on the matter of dress in declining to endorse this model or to accept that one. The extreme ideas seldom appeal to the average American woman, that is, not when they are in their first season.

Almost in the same breath with which one is told that Josephine modes are to be revived we are assured that for suits Louis XIII effects will be used for demi-costumes. This of course insures a very good prospect for rich brocades, embroideries and other more or less regal garnitures. The incompatibilities of fashion are again demonstrated by the fact that along with first empire dresses Louis Seize costumes are recommended and hats such as were worn by the ladies of the court of Napoleon III and his consort, Eugenie.

Three piece suits have already been advanced for another season of popularity. As a matter of fact, the dress with its coat complement is now accepted as a matter of course. Bullos has advanced one of the earliest models which associates chiffon cloth with velvet and employs fur as the trimming for the jacket.

It is interesting to note that the waist is normal in both the dress and the coat. After all, it is the normal line that is the most generally becoming and doubtless it will be one that will be finally accepted no matter what favor may be tentatively shown to the high waisted and long waisted effects.

"Motorwomen" on the Paris street railways will soon be a reality. Perfect of Police Laurent has issued an order authorising the employment of women. They will first undergo training and then be placed on the lines where the traffic is the lightest. This is only one of a number of steps necessitated by the war for the employment of women labor. Women are now also replacing baggagemen at some of the railroad stations, notably the Paris, Lyons and Mediterranean stations. Although the luggage of the travellers they are compelled to carry is sometimes exceedingly heavy, the women are fulfilling their duties uncomplainingly.

Morris Braff of New York, was fined $25 for speeding his automobile along Jackson avenue, Long Island City, by Magistrate Conway, Thursday. Evidently Braff expected such a fine, for with a smile he laid $25 in dimes upon the clerk's desk, with the remark that he wished it was pennies. Then the clerk started to open one of the rolls. The first coin proved to be a Canadian ten cent piece, and the next two were very badly battered. That was enough for Magistrate Conway. The fine was raised to $30, and the dimes returned. Braff then spent some time in the pen while his friends got together and contributed thirty dollars in bills to pay the fine.

A Talk On Rheumatism

Telling How to Actually Cure This Painful Malady

This article is for the man or woman who suffers from rheumatism who wants to be cured, not merely relieved—but actually cured. The most the rheumatic sufferer can hope for in rubbing something on the tender aching joint, is a little relief. No lotion or linament ever did or can make a cure. The rheumatic poison is rooted in the blood. Therefore rheumatism can only be cured when this poisonous acid is driven out of the blood. Any doctor will tell you this is true. If you want something that will go right to the root of the trouble in the blood take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They make new rich blood which drives out the poisonous acid and cures rheumatism to stay cured. The truth of these statements has been proved in thousands of cases throughout Canada, and the following cure is a striking instance. Mrs. F. M. Simpson, R.R. No. 1, Blenheim, Ont., says: "For a long time I was confined to my bed, and actually crippled with rheumatism. The trouble first located in my ankle—which was much swollen. I thought it might be a sprain, but the doctor said it was rheumatism and advised me to go to bed so that the trouble would not be aggravated. I did as directed, but instead of getting better it spread first to my right knee, then to my left knee, and then to my arms. The limbs were much swollen, and if I moved them caused me considerable pain. I seemed to get weak in other respects and fell off in weight from 156 to 110 pounds. I had no appetite and seemed to lose interest in everything. One day while reading a paper I came across the case of a rheumatic sufferer cured by using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I decided to try them and sent for three boxes. By the time these were gone I had certainly began to improve, and with help was able to get up. Continuing the use of the pills I was first able to go about with the use of a crutch, which, later I discarded for a cane, and then through the use of the pills I was able to throw aside the cane as well, and go about as briskly as I had ever done. I feel that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been a blessing to me, and I strongly recommend them to other similar suffers."

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LADY'S ONE-PIECE DRESS.

By Anabel Worthington.

Here is a model in a one-piece frock that just snaps with smartness, and one that has utility value also.

The frock pictured is of serge; the blouse, or waist, is gathered to a yoke front and back; aside from this, the garment is on the long, loose lines so becoming to all figures and so much the vogue for winter. The front closing is made decorative with loops and buttons, as shown. The waist line has normal placement in this dress, but one may choose a slightly raised waist line.

The collar, of course, claims attention, for isn't it of the latest cut and attractive enough to make the cuffs on rather full sleeves of the same material. The patch pocket at either side corresponds and so does the belt, which brings the fulness into graceful folds.

Many such dresses show fur trimming on collar and cuffs, and all wool poplin, trimmed with brown beaver cloth would be a good choice. When satin or like weave makes the dress for afternoon, then fur around the bottom is excellent, because it suggests warmth. Serge with satin is serviceable and stylish too, if the combination idea is liked. By using the pattern to make this you can have a dress of style and quality at a bargain price.

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SAYS FIGURES SHOW GERMANY'S HUNGER

(Continued from page 5)

ing from the German papers, it is going to be scarcer before the harvest is reaped next year.

BRITISH PRICES SHOW LESS INCREASE.

Prices for food in Great Britain show no sign of falling, but it is alleged that Englishmen are paying less than their enemies for the necessities of life. The English Board of Trade in December claims that, whereas the average increase is the price of staple foods in the United Kingdom since the war began was 84 per cent. on Dec. 1, the corresponding percentage for Berlin had already reached 109.4 in October, and in Vienna it will be as high as 176.7 in mid-November. The London Times, in discussing the report, says:

"The figures are the latest available, but as prices generally are rising in all countries, the difference in date is important in any comparison of relative positions. It has also to be remembered that the figures for Berlin and Vienna no longer afford any index to the state of supplies, and being based on artificially fixed maximum prices, are not comparable with figures which are mainly based on the prices in a free market. The consumption of the principal foods in Berlin and of most of them in Vienna is strictly controlled by a system of rationing."

In England the largest increases in prices have occurred in the case of eggs, sugar, fish, potatoes, and frozen mutton, all of which are between two and three times as dear as they were in peace times. Margarine, milk, and tea show the smallest increases. Among sixteen articles of food for which figures are given in The Gazette butcher's meat costs 9½ cents to 12 cents per pound more than in peace times, according to the cut.

The whole of the ordinary family expenditure has not risen to the same extent as the price of food, and it is estimated that the average increase in the cost of living to the ordinary working class family (including food, rent, fuel, clothing, and light,) is about 60 per cent.

In Berlin prices fell 4.6 per cent. during September, mainly owing to Government action in reducing the maximum prices of war bread, rye, flour, potatoes, and beef. So-called "coffee" was nominally 36 per cent. cheaper, but was a mixture containing only 25 per cent. of genuine coffee.

Rice cost over five times as much as the peace price; eggs and lard more than four times; bacon more than three times, and beef, mutton, veal, pork, split peas, and haricot beans more than twice as much.

In Vienna, by mid-November, margarine was six times as dear as in peace time; bacon and lard more than five times; beef, eggs, and haricot beans more than four times, and pork and foreign butter nearly four times as dear. Potatoes, however, were cheaper than before the war.

Sunday Sermon For Those Who Do Not Go To Church

(By JAMES SUTHERLAND)

St. John, 11th chap., 28th to 35th verse:

And when she had so said, she went her way, and called Mary her sister, secretly, saying, The Master is come and calleth for thee. As soon as she heard that she arose quickly, and came unto Him. Now, Jesus was not come into the town but was in that place where Martha met Him. The Jews then which were with her in the house, and comforteth her, when they saw Mary that she rose up hastily, and went out followed her saying "She goeth unto the grave to weep there." Then when Mary was come where Jesus was and saw Him she fell down at His feet, saying unto Him, Lord, if Thou hadst been here my brother had not died. When Jesus therefore saw her weeping and the Jews also weeping which came with her, He groaned in the spirit and as troubled, and said, Where have ye laid him. They said unto Him, Lord, come and see. Jesus wept.

Continuing our subject: Jesus and His disciples were still in the same place. Martha had got a little comfort from that sweet word of Jesus, I am the Resurrection and the Life. Her faith had been revived by the question, Believest thou this? The swelling tide of sorrow in her breast was calmed, for when she had so said she went her way and called Mary.

Those who know Jesus best and have been comforted by His love and care, are the only true friends who can comfort others. We know this by our own experience. Blessed be God, even the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies, and the God of all comfort, who comforteth us in all our tribulations that we may be able to comfort them which are in any trouble by the comfort wherewith we ourselves are comforteth of God. (1st Cor. 3 and 4.) The Lord leads His servants through many trials and troubles that they may be able to help and comfort those who are in trouble.

The last time Jesus was in Judea, the Jews took up stones to stone Him to death. They stoned Paul; they stoned the first martyr, or Stephen, because he said, I see heaven open, and the Son of Man standing on the right hand of God, and kneeling down praying for his enemies. Perhaps some of these very Jews were bitter enemies of Christ; Martha therefore came in and whispered softly into Mary's ear, The Master is come and calleth for thee. She feared the Jews. Mary was sitting sad and desolate in the cottage at Bethany. It was now the fourth day from the funeral, and yet no comfort had come. Lazarus' seat was empty and his place was vacant now, and Jesus had not yet come. He had sent them the message, This sickness is not unto death yet why does He tarry beyond the Jordan. Has He forgotten to be gracious? Suddenly her sister whispers, The Master is come and calleth for thee. Christ was near the cottage before she knew, so it was on that morning at the Lake of Tiberias, when Jesus stood on the shore and the disciples did not know Him, or that evening when the two disciples went to Emmaus, and Jesus drew near, but they did not know Him. So will He come to us in our dark hours of sorrow and bereavement. Mary arose quickly. It was evident that she was deeply affected for she had sat still in the house; she felt the absence of Christ; she believed His word, but her heart was nearly broken. It is a deep sorrow when natural and spiritual sorrow come together. We can only bear affliction under the sustaining hand of God. Why does the mourner suddenly rise upward and dry her tears, and with eager step leave the cottage door. The Master is come. And such is the presence of Jesus to all His friends when in trouble and sorrow.

When Jesus comes and calls us, our soul revives, and there is health and peace, for He said, In Me ye shall have peace; not as the world giveth, give I unto you. Verse 30.

Jesus was still at the same place. Perhaps He had travelled far that day —a long journey and on foot, until He came to the Mount of Olives, and halted beneath the trees that skirt the village of Bethany. Perhaps, he was hungry and thirsty, as He was that day when he sat beside Jacob's well and said, Give Me to drink. The Lord of Heaven and earth travelling the weary wayside of this world, hungry, weary and faint, sitting by Jacob's well. His meat and drink was to do the will of Him that sent Him, and to finish His work. Those that have most of the mind of Christ and the love of God in their hearts will deny themselves the pleasures and the comforts of life for the joy and the satisfaction found in the service of God.

The Jews rose up and followed Mary —they thought she was going to the grave to weep there. This act was the means of bringing some of them to Jesus, for many of the Jews believed on Him.

How wonderful are God's ways of leading men to Christ! One soul is lead like Zaccheus to see and hear a stranger passing by, and salvation comes to him and his house, and he entertains the Lord of Glory. Jesus' name is wonderful, His grace is wonderful. Keep company with the godly and with the saintly. They may lead you to Christ. Mary hurried on over the rocky path. Jesus was standing in the same place where Martha met Him, and as she drew near He bent His compassionate eye upon her. Mary saw and fell at His feet. She wondered why He had not come sooner. This was a mystery to her. She knew that He was her saviour and the Son of God, and that he loved her, and yet she fell at His feet. It is sweet to be able to take Mary's place. The saintliest believers are the humblest and the lowiest. Paul said, I am the chief of sinners. I am less than the least of all saints. The nearer you live to God the more you will see of your own imperfections. Mary utters the same words as her sister said, Lord, if Thou hadst been here my brother had not died.

From this it is plain that the two sisters had often been conversing about Christ's absence, and they were agreed that if Christ had been there, their brother had not died. When Jesus saw her weeping and the Jews weeping, He groaned in the spirit and was troubled; His eye affected His heart, when He saw her weeping — her whom He loved so well—an eminent believer, one whom He had justified. When He saw the Jews weeping (mere wordly friends) He groaned within Himself. So when He saw the widow of Nain he had compassion on her. When He saw the multitudes of Galilee, like sheep without a shepherd, he had compassion on them. He asked, Where have ye laid him. He wanted them to lead Him to the grave. When He saw the cave, and the stone, and the weeping friends, Jesus wept. Sublime and yet human tears. Such a scene earth never looked on the like. Language fails to describe it. Angels would have wondered and would have wished to be present in that weeping gathering; earth will never look upon the like again. Jesus wept, because His heart was deeply touched. He knew that He was to raise him from the dead, and yet He wept because others wept. He wept as our example to teach us to weep with one another, and to show us what was in Him.

We have not an high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities but was in all points tempted as we are, yet without sin. Let us therefore come boldly to the throne of grace that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need. Heb. 4th, 15th and 16th.

Look to Him who once was willing
All His glory to resign
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Where His footsteps mark the way.

Yours sincerely,
James Sutherland,
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January 6th, 1917.

Greek Press Favours War

Special to The Examiner.

SALONIKA, Jan. 6.— The Greek press hints that Greece should enter the war against the allies at once.

Chiefs Arrive For Conference

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

ROME, Jan. 6.—Chiefs of all the entente nations have arrived here for a conference.

Germans Were Driven Out

Special to The Examiner:

LONDON, Jan. 6.—The Germans entered British trenches, but were speedily driven out.

$17,000,000 Paid For Cheese

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

NAPANEE, Jan. 6.—Chief Instructor Publow reported to-day that Eastern Ontario has received seventeen million dollars for cheese made last year.

Teutons Occupy Grain Port

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

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Two Important Conferences Are In Progress

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 6.—Interest centred to-day in war, not in peace. Two conferences, the one by the allies, the other by the highest officials of the Central Powers, were cited to indicate that both sets of belligerents intended to make answer to the various peace notes with the force of arms. The Allied conference was at Rome. It was a meeting of the Prime Ministers and Cabinet officials of the Entente nations. It was taken here to forecast a more vigorous prosecution of the war. The German conference was reported in despatches emanating from Vienna, detailing an "important conference" at the field camp of Kaiser Wilhelm.

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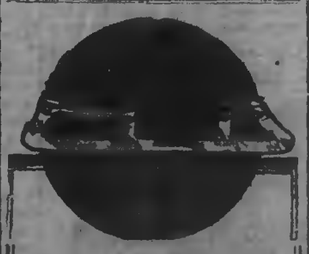

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WHEN THE HUNT WAS UP

By EDGAR D. PRICE

There had been a painful scene and they had parted forever. Geraldine had carried herself well and had returned the ring with an air of such positive relief that Arthur could not contain himself, and had rushed from her presence to find a place where he could give free vent to his feelings. His man David was packing, and he proposed returning to New York with the dogs, and from there—oh, hang it all, what was the use of planning? His life was blasted.

In another part of the Southampton "cottage" a girl sat dabbling her red eyes with cologne water, while her hostess vainly offered consolation.

"It's quite the thing in fox hunting, I assure you, Jerry," she said helplessly.

"It may be quite the thing to be cruel and cut—cut the poor little helpless thing's t-tail off, but the man that did it shall never m-marry me," declared Geraldine with momentary spirit.

"But the fox was dead before he did it, you know," said the good lady.

"Yes; killed by a pack of horrid dogs urged on by people who will have m-much to answer for hereafter," wept the girl. "Don't ask me to see him again; I'm going to take the afternoon train to New York and leave him here to revel in b-butchery."

The cause of all this woe was a Shinnecock hills fox hunt, with a real fox instead of an aniseed bag. Reynard had led the field a glorious chase, doubling and twisting times without number, only at last to succumb to the hounds. Foremost in the hunt had been that ardent fox hunter, Arthur Chamberlain, who at the death had dashed in among the dogs and secured the "brush" in the most approved fashion, to lay it at his ladylove's feet. The lady so honored unluckily had no appreciation of the act. In fact, her sympathies were distinctly with the fox, and there had been a warm scene, with the results as above noted.

No Geraldine appeared at lunch. Shortly after that Arthur took leave of his hostess, who discreetly forbore to tell him his ex-inamorata would leave on the same train, and, whistling for the two foxhounds Toby and Dan, he moodily strode off to the depot. He was taking his seat in the chair car when a carriage dashed up and a lady alighted and entered the same car. Their eyes met. The lady primly inclined her head and deliberately turned her chair until only the top of her head was visible. The young man ground his teeth.

Miss Geraldine lived up town on the west side of New York in a street numbered among the sixties. Mr. Chamberlain lived on the next block. In fact, the backs of Miss Geraldine's home and the gentleman's bachelor apartments almost faced each other. The block was a solid rectangle built up with brownstone dwellings on the side streets and business places on the avenues, and the roofs, separated by low parapets, were famous places for clothes drying and star gazing.

Arrived in New York, the young gentleman hesitated in doubt of what course to pursue. But Miss Geraldine solved his difficulties by calling an electric hansom and bowling off without a look in his direction.

She found no one home but a servant or two, and after a dismal dinner she sought her apartments to water her couch with tears. Arthur after a tour of the clubs returned to his dwelling with three other desperate souls and proceeded to make a night of it at poker. Toby and Dan, stowed by the thoughtful David in a packing box on the roof, snuffled and yapped in lazy content.

The hours passed; the rattle of chips sounded continuously in the hot room, and David was kept busy making and passing around cooling drinks. Over the silent roofs a late moon rose and bathed them with soft light, the dividing parapets casting black shadows. Into this scene of peace came a smaller shadow, trotting across the lighted spaces and leaping the obstructions. In an instant the dreaming hounds were astir. In another instant a black streak was making along the roofs with the two hounds after it in full cry.

The poker party came to a sudden end, and the youths frantically made for the roof.

"It's a cat! No, by the Lord, it's a fox!" cried the doughty fox hunter as the black streak with the hounds in pursuit, having made the four sides of the block, came sweeping past.

Laughing and stumbling, leaping parapets and catching chins in invisible clotheslines, the four madly followed the chase. Roused by the trampling on the roofs, heads appeared at windows and tremulous cries were made for the police. Far below in the streets plunged in darkness a shrill whistle was heard. Once again pursued and pursuers made their way around the block. The eager hounds were closing fast upon their quarry, when suddenly fox and hounds disappeared.

There were policemen on the roofs now, revolvers in hand, searching for the cause of the uproar. By common consent the four fox hunters abandoned the chase and made a silent return to Arthur's quarters, wondering at the swallowing up of the hunt. Their wonderment was of short duration, for repressed screams were heard coming from the other side of the block, and the bell connected from the street door to the bachelor apartments rang violently. Arthur sprang to the speaking tube and called, "Who's there?"

"It's Anne—Miss Geraldine's maid," an agitated voice replied. "Oh, Mr. Chamberlain, come to our house quick! There's a terrible animal in Miss Geraldine's room and two great mad dogs"—

Arthur had heard enough. In an instant he was flying downstairs four steps at a time and running madly to the opposite side of the block. The house door stood open, and the cook and waitress were whimpering on the steps. No need to ask where Miss Geraldine's room was, for from above came a pandemonium such as two maddened and baffled hounds alone could make. Rushing in, Arthur descried the two dogs making wild efforts to seize a dark object showing gleaming white teeth from the top of a wardrobe. Tipping the heavy piece of furniture, the dark object slipped unwillingly to the floor, where the two hounds pounced on it, and in another instant a dead red fox lay on the floor.

"I trust you will pardon this intrusion, Miss Geraldine," said Arthur wickedly, kicking the dogs away from the fox.

"Oh-h, Arthur, is it you?" said a tearful voice under the bedclothes. "Take care! The horrid thing will bite you!"

"The horrid thing is 'only a poor little helpless fox,' and he's dead as a doornail. I'm going to cut his tail off," declared Arthur heartlessly.

"Cut the brute's head off if you want to," came the unexpected reply. "And now, Arthur, dear, please go away and—and call and see me in the morning."

"Where did the creature come from?" asked the blushing Geraldine the next morning. There had been explanations, and Arthur was holding a hand on which a certain ring again sparkled.

"From a bird and animal store around on the avenue. A man called to see me bright and early this morning with a bill for 'one red fox, $30;' cheap enough," said the happy Arthur. "Oh, by the bye," fishing in his coattail pocket, "I've brought you the brush!"

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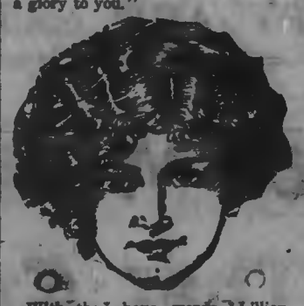

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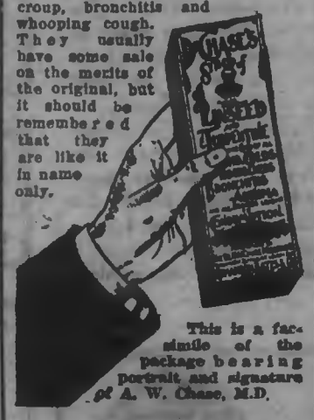

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The palace was discovered early in the present year, the report said. It was large and elaborately decorated, but at some time was destroyed by fire, traces of which are abundant. The palace was about 180 feet long and 100 feet wide and contained about 20 rooms. The throne room was a magnificent chamber of about 60x40 feet.

In describing this room the museum announcement stated that "it is probable that this throne room, if not the same, is similar to the one in which Moses and Aaron confronted the Pharaoh, demanding that the people of Israel be permitted to go. The authorities in Egypt admit that a great discovery has been made."

In the rooms were found gold ornaments, scarabs, vessels, and vases. The most interesting find, the report stated, was a collection of relics, partly of the Stone Age and partly of the Sixth Dynasty (about 4500 B.C.), which indicated that Meremptah was a collector much like modern men or nations. The stone implements included knives, razors, sickles, and arrow heads.

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A regulation price was eventually fixed by the Government, which ran from £420 for a first commission, or ensigncy in the line, to £1,200 for the same position in the Guards. Each step was higher in price, and the lowest that a lieutenant-colonelcy could be obtained for was £4,200 in the line and £9,000 in the Guards. In addition to the Government price, what was termed an over-regulation price had to be paid to the retiring officer. This latter fee sometimes exceeded the regulation price, and had been established by custom, although it was contrary to law. When an officer retired the Government handed over to him the price of his commission, and his successor paid him the over-regulation fee. There were, however, at all times a number of commissions given free to sons of distinguished officers, especially of such as had been killed in action, and a certain number of nominations were in a similar manner made by the Sovereign. In theory the system of promotion by wealth was absolutely indefensible. The hardship of an officer, unable to find money to purchase his next step, being superseded by a junior with more wealthy parents was altogether repugnant to a sense of justice, and the clamor raised in consequence brought about its abolition in the year 1871.

Canadians in London.

The Canadian element is very predominant in London nowadays. Canadian Red Cross ambulances meet one in every street, Canadian nurses pass along every thoroughfare or are to be seen in every teashop and place of amusement or utility—Canadian soldiers throng the streets and the buses, while the "Canada" badge and maple leaves so large as to rival the breadth of an ordinary teaplate, adorn the frontage of women of all ages and types. As for the Hotel Cecil, one jumps straight into the Dominion the moment you step over the threshold. Canadian uniforms predominate entirely here and the soft Canadian drawl which has so familiar and so homelike a sound meets one at every turn. Here General Carson and his staff have their permanent abode and here the Canadian officer on leave or stationed in London lives and entertains and generally infuses Canada and Canada's optimism and spirit into the atmosphere.

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Good Roads have Come to Stay and the Need for Continual Improvement is ever before the Public. Peterboro has Seventy-Two Miles of Concrete Sidewalks. Permanent Paving in Peterboro Totals Four and Two Third Miles. City has an Excellent Engineering Department.

ONE of the first and most lasting impressions left upon a visitor to a city is the character of its streets and walks. In this respect, Peterborough is well to the fore. Its streets are well cared for and it has walks extending to every section of the city, including the more sparsely districts. These are kept in good repair by competent men in the employ of the Board of Works department of the city. During the past year the sum of approximately twenty-two thousand dollars was spent by the Board of Works department. This is not as large as in former years, because of the need for economy owing to the war and the consequent demands made upon the various departments of municipal life. While the needs of the men and their dependents have first call, there must be economy in other ways, and upon the Board of Works department fell some of the need for retrenchment.

Thoroughfares Are Kept In Excellent Condition

In spite of the abnormal strain placed upon the finances of the city, the work carried on during the year 1916 represented an expenditure of about twenty-two thousand dollars. Several new sidewalks were laid and repairs made to a number of walks already laid. This work extended over the summer months and gave employment to a large number of men. Repairs to the roads was another large item. This, together with the liberal use of road oil on most of the streets throughout the city, put the main thoroughfares in excellent shape. A number of streets in the outlying districts were not oiled for the reason that the appropriation was insufficient to provide enough oil to treat all the roads in the city. The main thoroughfares were treated, and in many cases a second application was provided. The Board of Works undertook to oil all roads that had, in previous years, been watered.

City Has Seventy-Two Miles of Concrete Walks

Up to the present time the permanent pavement laid in Peterborough totals four and two-third miles. The pavement consists of a concrete base with an asphalt wearing surface. It is hardly likely that additional pavement will be laid this year owing to the large financial outlay involved and the difficulty of securing help. Peterborough has over seventy-two miles of concrete walks. That this is a big asset to the city goes without saying. Paving a street and laying curbs and sidewalks invariably result in a consequent rise in land values. It also leads to clean, well-kept lawns and leads to the development of a better community spirit. Good roads have come to stay, and the need for continued improvement is ever before the public. Peterborough has made a good showing in this branch of civic improvement, and the future will even see greater efforts in this direction.

The Outfall Sewer Was Completed During Year

In addition to the above, the year 1916 was marked by the completion of the outfall sewer. This work was started over a year ago. Many engineering difficulties hampered the completion of the sewer, including quicksand, which was encountered nearly the whole length of the line. The sewer, which is one and three-tenths miles in length, will serve the entire west-end of the city, north and south. The size of the pipe varies from twenty-four to thirty-three inches in diameter. The sewer was completed at a cost of about seventy-five thousand dollars. It runs for a large part of its length down Park Street, and in the course of time will be linked up with the sewage disposal system which the city is preparing to instal. The matter of acquiring certain lands for the erection of the sewage disposal plant is still an issue between the city and adjoining municipalities, but an early settlement is in prospect.

Programme For This Year Will Not Be Extensive

The programme for this year's Board of Works will be along the same lines as last year. Little new work will be undertaken, but every effort will be made to maintain in a proper state of repair, the streets and sidewalks of the city. For the past year or two it has been the policy of the Council to delay the construction of new work until such time as the war is over and the boys return. The money market will then be easier and more work will be available for those who return from active service. The Board of Works Committee is one of the most important committees of the City Council. At one time the Board was made up of the whole Council, but a good move was made a year ago, when the membership was cut down to six. This resulted in fewer meetings, more business and less oratory. In City Engineer R. H. Parsons, the Board has a valuable man, and his services are a worthy acquisition to the civic administration.

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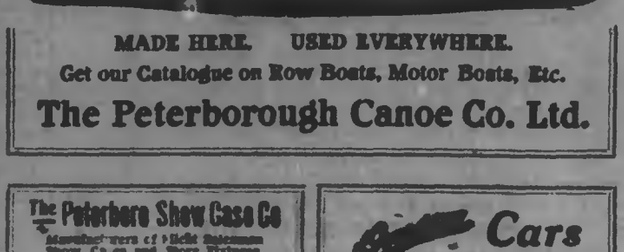
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Success For The Russians

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, Jan. 8.—The Russians have made a big win in Central Roumania.

Admits Russians Were Successful

Special to The Examiner:

BERLIN, Jan. 8.—The War Office admits that the Russians launched a counter attack along fifteen miles of a front in Central Roumania and gained some ground.

First, Second and Third Line Trenches Entered On Two Thousand Yard Front

Stormers Entered the Trenches Almost Unopposed—The Germans Did Not Receive Reinforcements or Artillery Aid—The Teutons Disappeared When They Saw the British Coming—Raid Followed a Smashing Bombardment.

DID NOT SEE SINGLE GERMAN

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS (French Official Communique), January 8. — Patrol engagements in the Bouchavesnes region and the forest of Parroy were reported in to-day's official statement. Elsewhere it was said there was nothing important.

BRITISH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, January 8. — One of the strongest incidents of the war was the Scotch-English raid southeast of Arras on Saturday.

First, second and third line German trenches were entered almost unopposed.

The stormers declared to-day that despite "S.O.S." flares, the Germans did not receive reinforcements or artillery aid, therefore, those in the trenches suddenly disappeared in the dugouts which the British bombed and blew up along the 2,000 yards of front involved.

A Scottish officer who participated in the raid declared he did not see a single German, and did not hear a single machine gun nor a sniper's rifle, although he sat on the parapet of an enemy third line trench, smoked a cigarette, and strolled leisurely back to his own trenches.

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Greek Situation Very Serious

Special to The Examiner.

PARIS, Jan. 8.—French naval forces withdrew during the severe riots in Pireaus, near Athens. Further trouble is expected.

Athens, Jan. 8.—Serious unrest throughout all Greece. Allied troops are very unpopular.

Big Convention In Winnipeg

Special to The Examiner:

WINNIPEG, Jan. 8.—The big convention this week may unite the grain growers in a new party.

BRITISH FORCES ARE QUITE ACTIVE

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Gen. Haig's forces are quite active on the western front. Several raids were carried out.

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PEACE TERMS OF GERMANY CONTAINED IN SECOND NOTE

Will Evacuate Belgium For Belgian Congo, and Northern France For Colonies By Allies, and Would Also Cede Part of Eastern Galicia to Russia in Return For Cessation of Hostilities.

THE SECOND PEACE NOTE

PARIS, January 8.—A second peace note to the entente, which, according to The Lausanne Gazette, the central powers are reported to be preparing, enumerates their conditions of peace, the newspaper says, as follows:

First—The evacuation of Belgium in exchange for the Belgian Congo.

Second—The evacuation of northern France in exchange for the German colonies occupied by the allies.

Third—The creation of the Kingdom of Poland within the limits of the Grand Duchy of Warsaw, with the exception of the Province of Suwalki.

Fourth—The creation of the Kingdom of Lithuania, comprising the Provinces of Vilna, Kovno, Grodno, Shwalki, and Courland, with the retention of local autonomy.

Fifth—The cession to Russia of eastern Galicia as far as the River San.

Grain Markets For Saturday

Wheat Prices Firm—Latest Quotations in the Cattle Market

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, $2.06 3-4, track, bay ports; No. 2 $2.04 1-4; No. 3 $2.01 1-4; No. 4 $1.87 3-4; old crop, 4c above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W. 71c.

American corn—No. 3 $1.09; subject to embargo.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 64c to 66c; No. 3 white, 63c to 65c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1.74 to $1.76; No. 3 $1.72 to $1.74.

Peas—No. 2 nominal, car lots $2.40.

Barley—Good malting, $1.16 to $1.18; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal $1.25.

Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal; No. 2 new, $1.33 to $1.35.

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Latest quotations.

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do medium	7 00	7 50
Butcher cows, choice	6 25	7 00
do medium	5 75	6 25
Butcher bulls, choice	6 85	7 50
do good	6 50	6 60
do medium	5 00	5 50
Feeders 900 to 1,000 lbs.	6 50	6 75
do bulls	5 25	5 75
Stockers, 700 to 800 lbs.	6 50	6 75
do med. 650 to 750 lbs.	5 50	6 00
do light 600 to 650 lbs	5 00	5 75
Canners	4 10	4 40
Cutters	4 50	5 25
Sheep, light	8 50	9 50
do heavy	7 50	8 50
Spring lambs	10 75	13 75
Calves	8 00	12 50
Hogs, fed and watered	13 50	12 60
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SCHOOL REPORTS

Ennismore Continuation School.

The following is the average per centage obtained by the students of the Ennismore Continuation School, on the examinations written on during the Fall term. The number of examinations omitted is in brackets, after the pupil's percentage.

Form III.—J. Leahy 69.6, M. Costello 68, G. Kennedy 59.9, L. Crough 51.25 (7), M. Crough 45.7 (1), P. J. Scollard 43.6 (6), K. Killen 42.3, A. Crough 35 (2).

Form II.—J. McAuliffe 69, M. Young 68.3 (1), G. Harrington 66.1, B. Scollard 65.5, M. Maloney, 65.5 (2), K. Crough 55.4, M. Kennedy 55.3 (7), G. Kennedy 55.2, M. Costello 54.1 (1), H. Killen 52.2 (1), B. Young 46.2, M. Murphy 45.3, V. Hickson 41.6 (3), J. Brick 41.2.

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GERMAN ATTACKS WERE REPULSED

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, Jan. 8.—The Germans launched a fierce attack against the French positions in the Verdun sector, last night, but were repulsed everywhere with heavy losses. French air squadrons bombarded enemy aviation fields at Hencourt, and store houses at Athies.

WHEN TIBETAN BATHES.

Soakes Himself For Hours Removing Several Layers of Dirt.

Near the ancient wall across the road at Yatung, Tibet, there are some remarkable hot springs the water in some cases registers boiling point.

Many Tibetans congregate around these springs to bathe, and the water, which is highly charged with sulphur, is considered specially efficacious in cases of skin disease.

Bathing is a simple proceeding on the part of the Tibetan. All that is considered necessary is to scoop out a depression in the deposit around any spring, and this filled with water, makes the bath. A tent is sometimes thrown over it, and the whole family — men, women and children sit for hours in the steaming water, and they look a different colour after a prolonged immersion, the process removing several layers of dirt.

FORTUNE-TELLER FINED.

London Magistrate Also Advises Deportation.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Madame Elmire Brockaway of Chicago, who was arrested in London last month, charged with fortune telling, was found guilty at the West London Police Court. She was fined £50 and costs, and recommended for deportation.

Madame Brockway, who is known as a psychic demonstrator, came to London several weeks ago to assist in the organization of a new British College for psychic science, and was taken into custody during a general round up by the London police of persons found to be telling fortunes.

She is a woman of 60, with independent means. A son is a captain in the French army, and has charge of all the ambulances of the American Red Cross on the western front.

DR. ADLER TRIED SUICIDE

Man Who Assassinated Austrian Premier Cut Down.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Dr. Friedrich Adler, who assassinated Premier Stuergkh of Austria, has attempted to hang himself in his cell, according to a Reuter despatch from Amsterdam, quoting the Kreuz Zeitung of Vienna. Dr. Adler was cut down in time to save his life, but the incident may possibly delay the trial.

Income Is Million a Month; Salary Thousand a Year

DETROIT, Mich., Jan 8.—There isn't a hod carrier in this city who would be surprised as he looks out the window of his limousine en route to and from work to behold traffic policemen in uniforms of cloth and gold. There isn't a washer-woman in the county who would be surprised to see the deputy sheriff, who serves her with a summons because she can't pay for her diamond dog collar, flash on her as his badge of authority a diamond shield carried by four large Ethiopians.

In the first place, Horace E. Dodge, who to-day accepted the position of Under Sheriff here at a salary of $1,000 a year, announced that he would add $800 to that amount and purchase a badge of office. Mr. Dodge can do this because he is a stockholder in the Ford company and, according to recent testimony in court, he is making in the automobile business $1,000,000 a month. Some day, when his income is sufficient, his friends hint, Mr. Dodge may run for Alderman.

Mr. Dodge is the second man of enormous wealth to get into the peace preserving business. A few months ago James Cousens accepted the office of Police Commissioner. Mr. Cousens, according to his friends, could, if he got all his wealth together, pay several million dollars for his badge.

Will Send Aviation Corps to Canada

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Imperial authorities will send an Aviation Corps to Canada to instruct aviators.

QUESTIONS NEW GERMAN ARMY

Italian Says it is Impossible to Put 2,100,000 Men In Field.

ROME, Jan. 8.—Prof. Colajanni publishes official statistics proving that in the year 1879 only 900,000 males were born in Germany, and since it is well known that 21 per cent. die before the age of 20 it follows that the number of men now available for military service cannot exceed 700,000, of whom in all probability less than 600,000 are fit for military service.

The statement that Germany will have 2, 100,000 new soldiers ready to take the field next year is therefore unfounded, even admitting the possibility that 300,000 men now employed in mines, munition factories, etc., can be sent to the front.

PRESBYTERY WANTS COALITION GOVERNMENT

Gravity of Situation Demands It, Say Manitoba Presbyterians.

WINNIPEG, Man., Jan. 8. — The Presbytery of Winnipeg has adopted a resolution declaring the "gravity of the war situation" to be such that "there should be formed in Canada a coalition Government."

The resolution approved of such a readjustment of our Dominion administration as to remove as far as possible all asperities of party politics.

RIVER TURNS THE SPINDLES FOR 400 ACRES OF MILLS

LAWRENCE, Mass., Jan. 8. — More spindles are turned in the mills of Lawrence by the power of the Merrimac river than are turned by any other river in any other city in the world. Four hundred acres of mills, employing 40,000 hands, put out 2,000,000 tons of woven fabric each day.

TWO BROTHERS KILLED ON WESTERN FRONT

WINSTED, Conn., Jan. 8.— Max Spiller, of Norfolk, recently returned with Connecticut troops from the Mexican border, where he lost a thumb by the explosion of a gun, has just received word of the death of two brothers in the Western war theatre of Europe; also that of his father, in Sweden, resulting from shock of his sons' death. In all Spiller has lost six brothers in wars, two having been killed in the Boxer uprising, one in the Boer war and one in the Spanish-American War.

BIG INCREASE IN INDIAN OCEAN FREIGHTERS

Teas during the past seven weeks have advanced at the auctions in London, Calcutta and Colombo, from six to ten cents a pound. In addition to this, sea freighters have advanced two and one-half cents a pound. Inevitably this means dearer tea for the consumer, but "BALADA," so far, has only advanced five cents a pound, and whatever the price at any time, the quality will always remain exactly the same.

A WORD OF GRATITUDE.

"In justice to humanity I want to tell you that I was a great sufferer from itching piles, and have found Dr. Chase's Ointment the best treatment obtainable," writes Mr. Fred Hiles, Brodhagen, Ont. "It gives instant relief and I can recommend it to any sufferer from this dreadful disease."

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Ducks Flew 1500 Miles in 50 Hours

From Kingsville, Ont., to Mobile, Ala., in Their Winter Migration

SANCTUARIES NEEDED

Mr. Jack Miner, who maintains the famous sanctuary for wild geese and ducks near Kingsville, Ont., reports a remarkable flight of black and mallard ducks. For years he has attracted these birds to ponds on his farm by providing food for them as they past to and fro on their annual migrations. The ducks he decoys into a shed tags them with aluminum bands and sets them free again. On Dec. 14th last, in the evening, 42 ducks, warned doubtless by instinct of the approaching cold weather, rose from the ponds and resumed their long journey southward.

They were fat, in good condition, fit indeed for "the big jump" across the United States. On the morning of the third day, Dec. 17th, three of these ducks were shot in the Big Bateau, near Mobile, Alabama, by Dr. S. C. Frederick of that city. The bands on their legs bore the post office address "Box 48, Kingsville, Ont." The reverse side of the first band read: "God Loveth a Cheerful Giver." The second carried the message: "It is more blessed to give than to receive." The third was blank. It may be explained that Mr. Miner, who is a deeply religious man as well as a general naturalist, has a passion for the adaptation of Scripture texts to all possible occasions. The flock from which Dr. Frederick bade his bag of three included 12 or 14 birds out of the 42 that had left Kingsville less than three days previously.

The distance between Kingsville and Mobile is 1,400 or 1,500 miles if the voyage was made in a straight line and the birds may have been in a straight line, and the birds may have been in the Big Bateau several hours or even half a day before they fell to the sportsman's gun. To make the passage in 50 hours, without stopping for food or rest they would have to travel at an average rate of 30 miles an hour. The probability is that they made the journey at 50 or 60 miles an hour, with over-stops at convenient points. The flock which left Miner's on Dec. 14th had experienced guides, for it contained the famous black duck, Delilah, which was tagged in 1912, and has returned every season since, and several birds tagged in 1913. Mr. Milner labelled 54 in 1915 and 53 this year. Only 20 of the tagged birds visited him this last season.

The Miner farm was visited by 52 wild geese this fall. All left for the South on the evening of Dec. 15th, after enjoying the owner's hospitality. Geese are not readily caught or decoyed and as a result Mr. Miner has been able to tag only 11 out of the hundreds that come annually to his place. Of the tags attached to the 11 no less than six have been returned from points as far distant as Hudson Bay and the State of Georgia. The hunter is busy everywhere and if the country would preserve the most interesting of the feathered species it must have more birds sanctuaries together with a deeper and more general regard for the timid wild things which are at home in the heavens.—From Toronto News.

ANOTHER SHAKE-UP IS LOOKED FOR

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8.10 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg and points east, connecting at Port Hope for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 11.05 a.m.
8.35 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
8.50 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
11.40 a.m.—Mid-day express for Toronto, reaching Toronto at 3.15 p.m.
12.20 p.m.—For Lakefield.
11.40 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
1.30 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
5.30 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
5.40 p.m.—For Lakefield.
5.55 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
6.05 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Boston.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
CORRECTED JUNE 5, 1916.
*8.30 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*12.12 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N.B., Boston, and New York.
*5.30 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed Perth, Smith's Falls and Ottawa.
**11.27 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and intermediate points and all points east of Montreal.

GOING WEST.—
*4.30 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Galt, Woodstock, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*5.54 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
*7.35 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York, intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
*9.15 a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port Nelson and intermediate points.
*2.43 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Buffalo, New York, Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, London, Detroit and Chicago.
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CHAPTER XXIII

When Mary Burton presented herself in the anteroom of the suite whose ground glass doors bore the legend, "Edwardes and Edwardes," and asked for the banker, a man with a pale and demoralised face gazed at her blankly. Could any one seek to claim except on the most urgent business, one minute out of these crucially vital hours? They were hours when the real target of the whole panic-making struggle for survival, into each relentless instant a separate that fell softly about her shoulders. "I

"I am Mary Burton," she said simply; and the man stood dubiously shaking his head. His nerve-racked condition could only realise the name, Burton—and in these offices it was not just now a favoured one.

"As he stood, barring the way to an inner office marked "private," the door opened and Jefferson Edwardes came hurriedly out. He looked as she had never seen him look before, for deep lines had seared themselves into his face, aging it distressingly, and the mouth was drawn as that of a man who has been called back from the margin of death. But his eyes held an unwavering fire and his jaw was set in the pattern of battle. Mary remembered a painting of a solitary and wounded artilleryman leaning up against a shattered field gun amid the bodies of his fallen comrades. The painter had put sternly into the face an expression of one who awaits death but denies defeat. Here, too, was such a face. The man, hastening out halted suddenly. Then he stepped back into his own office, silently motioning her to follow.

"It has come," he told her quietly. "We should have expected it, yet we were taken by surprise. To-day tells a grim story."

"What does it all mean?" she pleaded. She stood close with her face almost as dead white as the ermine against the light at his back, somehow read the papers, and I came at once—to be near you in these hours. What does it mean?"

"I can't explain now," he answered in the quick utterance of one to whom time is invaluable. "Now every minute may mean millions—even human lives and deaths. I told you he must trample down the innocent and the ignorant to come within striking distance of me. He is doing it. The bottom has dropped out of everything—pandemonium reigns. Each minute is beggaring hundreds—each half-hour is sending old houses to the wall, and shattering public confidence. By this afternoon the country will be in the lockjaw paralysis of panic—unless we can stem the tide. Will you wait here for me? I must go to Malone."

"And there is nothing I can do—nothing?" Her voice was agonised, and with his hand on the nob, he abruptly wheeled and came back. He caught her fiercely in his arms, and held her so smotheringly to his breast that her breath came in gasps. She clung to him spasmodically and the lips that met his were hot with a fever of fear and love. "Nothing I can do," she whispered, "though I am—the Helen who brought on the war?"

"Yes," he spoke eagerly, passionately, and she could feel the muscles in his tensed arms play like flexible steel as her hands dropped to rest inertly upon them. "Yes, there is something you can do—something you are doing! You are giving me a strength beyond my own strength to fling myself on these wolves and beat them back. You are giving me a battle lust and a hope....Now I must go."

She released him and forced a smile for his departure, then sank into a chair—his chair by a paper-littered desk—and her eyes, very wide and fixed, gazed ahead—at first unseeing. Yet, after an interval, they began to take in this and that detail of the place, where she had never been before.

This was his office, the workshop in which he carried on his affairs and the affairs of the concern which had its foundation in unshaken ideals and high honor. In an intangible fashion its inanimate accessories reflected something of himself. On one wall from a generous spread of moose antlers, hung a rifle and a pair of restrung snowshoes: reminders of the open woods he loved. There were autographed portraits of many men whose names were men of achievement and one, in a morocco frame, surmounted by a gilt crown, attested the personal regard of a reigning monarch. With clenched hands and a grim determination to divert her mind from the danger of madness, she went about the walls, reading those brief tributes to the man she loved. Then she came back and picked up a gold frame which rested on his desk, where as he worked, his eyes might never be long without its view—and she was gazing into her own eyes. She glanced out across the steep-walled, fog-reeking canons where Finance has its centre and whence its myriad activities palpitate through arteries of masonry and nerves of wire. He was out there somewhere, in the max of that incalculably destructive machine, fighting its determination to grind him between its wheels and cogs, and teeth. Mary Burton shuddered, and tried by the pressure of her fingers to still the violent throbbing of her temples.

Then her eyes began absently studying the inscriptions on the windows of the next building, beyond an intervening court, and she smothered an impulse to scream as a sign across several broad panes flared at her in gold-leaf.

"Hamilton Montagu Burton." A bitter fascination held her gaze there. She saw offices teeming with the fevered activity of a beehive—and another window showed a room—where the electric lamps shone on emptiness. After she had watched it for a time, a solitary figure came into view, and stood by the ledge looking out. It was her brother, and though, through the gray fog, he was silhouetted there against the light at his back, something in the posture revealed his mood of Napoleonic implacability. It was as though he were, from an eminence, actually viewing the battle whose secret springs his fingers controlled, and as though he were well pleased.

Jefferson Edwardes had hurried out with a feeling of renewed strength—it was to him as though a promise of hope had been vouchsafed in a moment of despair. At Malone's office he met Harrison, Meegan, and several others. The old lion of the Street himself was slamming down the telephone as the newcomer entered.

"I've been talking with Washington," he announced, and his voice was one of steel coolness. As such an hour as this Malone wasted no minim of strength in futile anger. That belonged to other moments. "We have done what we could. It is not enough. We must do more. We have pegged those stocks where the slump would be most demoralising and already this high-binder, Burton, has smashed those pegs like match-stems. We have sent money to a dozen banks that seemed hardest pressed, and scores are sending out calls for help. Good God, gentlemen, it's like sweeping back the sea with brooms."

"Why did you send for me?" demanded Edwardes, though he knew.

"To ask your aid," came the crisp reply. "This is a general alarm. The next few hours will roar to the continuous crash of falling banks—many of them banks that have a close relationship to you, Edwardes. Once more we must go to the rescue, and it will take fifty additional millions. Otherwise—panic unparalleled. We expect you to stand your pro rata."

"Gentlemen," said the latest comer, bluntly, "this raid is aimed primarily at me—its principal object is my destruction. Already I am hit for millions. I, too, was about to call for help from you. When this succession of crashes comes, Edwardes and Edwardes may be among the ruins."

The bushy brows of Malone came together in astonishment. "Great heavens, man! Edwardes and Edwardes is a synonym for Gibraltar."

"And under heavy enough artillery—" Edwardes spoke with bitter calmness—"Gibraltar would be a synonym for scattered junk. What news from Washington?"

"Washington has called Burton on the telephone. The Secretary of the Treasury has failed to connect with him. He does not acknowledge telegrams. He is ignoring the government and treating the President with contempt. He wants to have to-day for his massacre—and to talk about it to-morrow. We have sent repeatedly to his office. He cannot be reached."

"That effort may as well be dropped." Edwardes shrugged his shoulders wearily. "He will have his day—and leave to-morrow to itself."

"And by the Immortal!" For an instant a baleful fire leaped into Malone's face. "We will have to-morrow. Every sinew of American finance shall be strained against him. But to-morrow may be too late. Can you hold out?"

Edwardes smiled grimly. "I'm trying like all hell," he said. "I've not laid down yet."

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It was two o'clock and the Stock-Exchange was a shambles. Every security in the Street was down to panic figures and plunging plummet-like to further depths. At shortening intervals over the hoarse shriek of the floor's tumult boomed the brazen hammer blows of the huge gong, which should sound only twice each day. At every recurring announcement of failure a wall shaking howl went up and echoed among the sixty-two golden blossoms of the ceiling.

The faces of the men to whom these cracked and hoarsened voices belonged had become bestial and wolfish. Where the morning had seen well-groomed representatives of Money's upper caste, the afternoon saw a seething mass of human ragamuffins, torn of clothing, sweat-drenched and lost to all senses save those twin emotions of ferocity and fear. Back and forth they swirled and eddied, and howled like wild things about carrion. At one side, panting, dishevelled and bleeding from scratches incurred in the melee, bulked the gigantic figure of Len Haswell. He had no need now to bellow in a bull like duel of voices and ferocity. The stampede had been so well put into motion that the floor was doing for him his deadly work of price smashing. Telegraph wires were quivering from every section of the United States to the tune of —"Sell—cut loose—throw over!"—A universal mania to get any price for anything was sweeping the land like a conflagration. To-morrow would bring those reflexes from to-day when banks and trust companies from the Lakes to the Rio Grande would topple in the wake of their metropolitan predecessors. Ruin sat crowned and enthroned, monarch of the day and parent of a panic which should close mills, and starve the poor and foster anarchy — but Hamilton Burton's hand was nearer Edwardes' throat.

Staples and his twenty co-operators fought on doggedly, grimly, to turn the tide before the close, but the nation was made and the men who fought and clamored here in this pit of its bowels were the most violent maniacs.

(To be continued.)

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BY JOHN W. S. McCULLOUGH, M.B., D.P.H., CHIEF OFFICER OF THE PROVINCIAL BOARD OF HEALTH.

DISINFECTION.

DISINFECTION means the destruction of infective agents. It includes the various measures employed during the course of a communicable disease or after the patient has recovered or died. Examples of disinfection used in the course of an infectious or communicable disease are those employed in disinfecting sputum from open tuberculous cases, stools of typhoid, or cholera patients, or the secretions from the mouth and nose of a patient ill of diphtheria. It is especially important that the family be made familiar with the means of carrying on this form of disinfection. The tuberculous sputum and secretions from mouth and nose of diphtheria cases should be burned, the stools are held in vessels to which milk of lime has been added, and then buried a foot or two under ground, away from any source of water supply. Most important it is that the hands of nurses and attendants should be washed after each contact with the patient. Other members of the family should avoid kissing the sick person and the patient's food utensils should be boiled after each use.

On the recovery or death of the patient the room occupied by him should be thoroughly renovated and disinfected. Many people think that such disinfection means fumigation by the gases of sulphur or formaldehyde. Of much greater importance are removal of curtains and carpets, their exposure for a few days to outside air and sunlight, the scrubbing of floors and woodwork with hot water and soap, and the wiping of walls and ceiling with cloths wet in 1 in 20 carbolic acid solution, or 1 in 1000 bichloride of mercury solution. Fumigation would be of value in destroying infection in rooms if it were thoroughly carried out. In many cases it is so badly done that it is a useless expense, and is not advised by the Health Department unless carried out under the direct supervision of the M. O. H. In most cases it is not required. Many municipalities such as New York, Brooklyn, and Toronto have abandoned fumigation as a routine measure.

Other means such as those outlined are quite as effective and are comparatively inexpensive.

The Provincial Board issues a pamphlet giving full directions regarding disinfection. It is sent free to anyone who asks for it.

PNEUMONIA AND THE BABY.

Many mothers are afraid to let their babies out of the house after the first spell of cold weather. We know of children in our schools who are "sewed up" in their clothes when the first snow falls and remain sewed until the spring comes; but we know, too, that a considerable number of Ontario mothers keep their babies indoors all winter. Fresh air and sunlight are two important needs of the baby—and he needs them in the cold as well as in the warm weather.

The baby must have some fresh air every day. He may sleep outdoors in the dry days of winter and summer, if dressed warmly and sheltered from the wind. If necessary, a hot water bottle or a heated brick may be placed in the carriage. If the weather is bad or severely cold, dress the baby as for going out and place him in his carriage or crib in his room. Open the window, preferably one with the sun shining in and on the side of the house sheltered from the wind, and let the baby have his afternoon sleep in the fresh air.

The window in the baby's room should be left open at night—if only a little, even on the coldest nights. A baby who has plenty of fresh air is not liable to catch a cold when the slightest draft blows on him.

Do you know that during last year (1916) nine hundred and twenty-one (921) Ontario babies, one year and under, died from pneumonia and broncho-pneumonia? Pneumonia in the baby usually begins with a cold. Try to prevent your baby catching cold:—

Do not let the baby near people who have colds, because colds are spread by contact with those suffering from them.
Never allow the baby to be kissed on the mouth.
Keep the baby out of drafts.
Do not let the baby play on the floor in winter. Remember the floor is the coldest (and usually the dirtiest) part of the room. The baby will be safer in his crib or in a large box or clothes-basket because the sides will protect him from drafts.

If the baby does catch cold, the best treatment is to give him a dose of castor oil. Put vaseline or lanoline in the nostrils, and rub it on the outside of the nose freely. Wrap him up warmly and give him plenty of fresh air and sunshine. Cold weather cannot hurt a baby if he is warmly dressed.

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LOVE'S INTUITION

By MARY WOOD

Above the shrill wail of the crickets rose the hum of feminine voices. Under the green apple boughs the hammock convention was in full swing. Miss Maybrick called it a hornets' nest and preferred the doubtful coolness of the piazza. But, then, she was a college professor, too superior to appreciate the joys of the younger set.

Jane Carew, however, sometimes agreed with her. This afternoon she hid her face behind a book, while girlish fancies carried her far above the swaying leaves up into the perfect blue of the July sky. How lovely nature was this summer, how full life of new delights!

Miss Maybrick's name brought her back to earth again: Miss Maybrick, the one cloud in her sky.

"Oh, yes, she approves of him," saucy Madge was saying. "She can put up with his sunburned face, roughened hands and the general boorishness of a farmer. But I suppose at her age any man is acceptable. To tell the truth, I have almost reached that condition myself in this man forsaken spot." And she shook her head in mock despair.

"Jane agrees with her," some one added a little maliciously. "She never seems to mind sharing his attentions with her."

A book went down with a crash and angry spots of scarlet glowed in Jane's cheeks as she said defiantly: "John Staunton is not a boor; he is a gentleman. Just because he scorns to talk the twaddle that men usually think good enough for us girls you vote him a boor. He often makes me ashamed of the little I know, and the books he lends me have opened up a new world, a world bigger and better than all the flirting and shams and heartaches that go to make up society. No wonder he likes to talk to Miss Maybrick. She's worth the whole lot of us when it comes to knowing the things that are worth while!"

The girl stopped short with a gasp as she realized the horrified hush

THEREUPON HAMBLIN BECAME AN ENTHUSIASTIC DEFENDER.

which had fallen on the circle. "Oh, what have I said?' she cried and buried her face in her cushions.

But Madge's gay voice was tender as she stroked the brown head. "You've read us a lecture, Janie, dear," she said gently, "but I fancy we needed it a bit. It's horrid to talk about one of your friends the way we talk about Staunton, and we ought to ask your pardon. As for Miss Maybrick, she's a stuck up old thing, and you're ever so much nicer than she in spite of all she knows. Just wait till Cousin Alex comes next week, and see the new world that he opens to you. He is really literary and writes things for other people to read."

Jane's face was still hidden. She was battling to overcome her tears and even harder to drive out of her heart the unreasonable jealousy of the older woman that somehow had crept into it. The time had been when she would have scorned her as a rival, but love had made her humble. Youth and beauty seemed of small weight to cast into the scales against years of scholastic training and study.

Cousin Alex came. He was a slim, dapper young man, with an important manner rather at variance with his size. But he had a way of retailing old jokes that made them seem new and a stock of compliments suited to every age and was therefore greatly in favor among the guests at the sleepy old farmhouse. As befitting his pretensions as a journalist he rattled on unceasingly about books and literature. He knew this man and that book, and, above all, he was one whose name should some day stand foremost in the world of letters. The date was not yet set, but he spoke of "his novel" mysteriously, even reverently, and his feminine audience was accordingly impressed.

More or less unwillingly Jane was compelled to listen to many of these predictions, for "Cousin Alex" at once developed a fondness for her society. Perhaps certain glances that Staunton cast in his direction added zest to the chase. Perhaps it was the elusive fashion in which the girl received his advances. Certain it is that a week's time had earned him the very fitting name of "Jane's shadow."

Yet to Jane herself each day seemed to bring more unhappiness. Staunton came as often as ever, but at sight of Alex by her side he left the laughing group to chat with Miss Maybrick in intimate aloofness. And as the girl saw the door to the beautiful new world closing because the hand of him who held it open was withdrawn the pain and weariness of her old frivolous life seemed almost past bearing.

Her eyes were more wistful than she knew one evening as she saw a tall, muscular figure swing up the walk with the easy, confident stride of the man who was master of his fate. Staunton's face softened as he met them, and, though Cousin Alex Hamblin was on hand, as usual, he settled himself on the top step with the air of a man who had come to stay. The brown eyes were downcast now, but a shy blush of pleasure still flushed her cheeks.

There was always a visible air of constraint between the two men, but Hamblin rose manfully to the occasion. Here was a most longed for opportunity to prove to Miss Jane that Staunton was but a boor of a farmer, after all, and no match for a man of the world like himself.

If the older man detected his half veiled tone of patronage, he only smiled quizzically. Indeed his position soon grew more untenable than that of his adversary. As the conversation ranged from books to men and back to books again Jane saw, with a thrill of pride, that Staunton more than held his own. What is more, he held his temper, a precaution neglected by the other.

At last the talk fell upon one of the recent novels, a book of unusual strength and breadth of view. Jane had read it several times, for it had seemed to point her to the new life she longed to live. Staunton was silent, as though in unspoken condemnation. Thereupon Hamblin became an enthusiastic defender, and openly scoffed at his lack of appreciation.

A shadow crossed the moonlit porch, but the three did not see Miss Maybrick till her voice broke in on the controversy.

"You would not expect Mr. Staunton to criticise his own book, would you?" she said calmly. Then, as her ear caught Jane's low exclamation of wonder, she added in a tone of surprise: "Had you not guessed that he was an author, Miss Carew? I heard that you defended him very eloquently one afternoon in the orchard and said a good word for me too. For that I want to thank you."

Staunton's face was turned toward the blushing girl, and in full moonlight Miss Maybrick could read his secret. If it sounded the deathknell to some hope of her own heart, gratitude to her champion made her lead the bewildered Alex for a walk down the lane and a gradual restoration of his self confidence.

"And I have to thank you, too, Jane," Staunton said tenderly.

But he took her down to the orchard and told her in his own way.

"How did you guess that I was not the farmer I pretended to be?" with a hint of wonder under his gladness.

Jane raised a face radiant with the realization that the new world was opened forevermore. "Just because you are you," she said joyously. "Love is not always blind."

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Great Men and Their Opinions.

Dr. Johnson in all his greatness defied the world of fashion and opinion, living the life of a sloven. Our own Dr. Franklin was like the Englishman in some respects, and he appeared to be fond of imitating him in others, for he persisted in wearing a shaggy, shabby old cap even among the servants and crowned heads of the old world when he was the United States minister at the court of France.

Every schoolboy has heard how Nero defied public opinion, living in riot and revelry when the souls of his countrymen were in woe and blood. Napoleon rubbed his hands over burning Moscow, saying, "This is comfortable." Half a million soldiers were at the same time reading the doom of death in the lurid flames.

It was the conflict of opinion which gave birth to the maxim that "Where ignorance is bliss it is folly to be wise." Correctness and taste, even these frequently depend upon the mental standpoint of the individual sitting in the judgment seat.

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A FAMOUS BATTLEGROUND.

Picardy is Scene of British Victories of Agincourt and Crecy.

If historical associations inspire to brave deeds, the British forces in their offensive against the Germans along the Somme River should be heartened to extraordinary acts of valor by the thought that they are fighting in Picardy, says a war geography bulletin of the National Geographic Society.

This ancient province of France, now divided into four departments—the Somme, Oise, Pas-de-Calais, and Aisne—has two battlefields whose very names quicken the pulse of Englishmen, for it was at Crecy that the Black Prince won his spurs, and Agincourt that Henry V., commanding his yeomen with their cloth-yard bows, utterly overthrew the flower of French chivalry.

Picardy is a treasured name in romantic literature and in French history. It had a literature of its own in the twelfth century and its soldiers were among the most valiant in France, being known as the Gascons of the North.

The province was a natural battleground for the French and English during the Hundred Years' War, for its shores extend along the North Sea and the English Channel, from the River, Aa, above Calais, to a point below Dieppe. Fifteen miles north of Abbeville, one of the principal cities of Picardy, is Crecy, where, until late in the nineteenth century, there still stood the old windmill from which Edward III. of England in 1346 watched his beloved son, the first Prince of Wales, at that time only 16 years of age, triumph over Philip of Valois. On this occasion the English were outnumbered four to one, and they wrought terrible havoc among the enemy, the losses of the vanquished being variously estimated at from 10,000 to 20,000. One of those who fell in this fight was the chivalrous John, King of Bohemia, who, although blind, led a heroic charge for his French ally. Some historians trace the Prince of Wales' crest of three ostrich feathers and the motto "Ich dien" (I serve), to this battle, the Black Prince adopting them from the fallen John in memory of the event.

Less than 20 miles northeast of Crecy is Agincourt, where English archers, nearly 70 years later, after letting fly their clouds of arrows against the heavily armored nobles, attacked them with hatchets as they floundered helplessly in mud. Five thousand Frenchmen of noble birth, including their commander, d'Albret, constable of France, fell in this battle, while the estimate of English losses was astonishingly low, some chroniclers giving only 13 men at arms and 100 foot soldiers.

Several towns of Picardy—Amiens, Soissons, and Beauvais—owe their names to the ancient tribes which inhabited this section, known as Belgica Secunda, when the Romans maintained armed camps along the valley of the Somme. In the third century Christianity was introduced, and St. Quentin, from whom the important town 20 miles east of Peronne gets its name, was martyred at that time.

Picardy was the heart of Merovingian France in the fifth century, for Clovis named Soissons as his capital, while Charlemagne designated Noyon as his principal city, and the later Carolingians in turn similarly honored Laon.

By the treaty of Arras in 1435 the royal towns of the Somme Valley were ceded to Burgundy, but 42 years later, after the death of Charles the Bold, Louis XI. regained them. During its brief eras of peace the province thrived as a centre of the weaving industry, Flemish immigrants having introduced the art.

Change in Shell Steel.

A halt in the manufacture of shells in Canada for the Allies has temporarily been called, as a result of changes in the specifications of the steel required, which have just been made by the Imperial authorities.

The change in the requirement of steel of a higher tensile strength than had hitherto been specified. It will, of course, be quite possible to manufacture this steel in Canada as hitherto, but as large orders for steel of the quality formerly suitable have been given, and there is a large stock of manufactured shells on hand, some inconvenience will be caused if these have to be made over again.

Large orders for shells of 95 and other high calibres have recently been placed in the United States, and it is understood that others will be distributed in Canada.

The first samples of time fuses produced at the loading plant established in Montreal by the Munitions Board have successfully passed the tests. No shipments have yet been made, however, it is understood, and it is not altogether likely that the board's expectations as to early delivery, expressed during the fuse contracts enquiry, will be realized.

Hand grenades, the weapons which are proving so regular and effective in the present war, are now being manufactured in Canada. They are being loaded, however, in Great Britain.

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Sharks, said to be as large and numerous as those which recently raided the bathing beaches and inlets of New Jersey, are now in the coast waters of Nova Scotia. There has been no boastful reference to the presence of these man-eaters from points in Nova Scotia, but it was learned in Ottawa recently from Parliamentarians that the sharks are there in considerable force, and that they are distributed all along the coast. Old inhabitants who have followed the sea, etc., have offered the explanation that the Gulf Stream has slipped its cable and is now wandering in pastures new, bringing the sharks along.

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MANUFACTURERS, DOCTORS AND LABOUR MEN DISCUSS CHANGES FOR THE COMPENSATION ACT

OVER TWO MILLION DOLLARS PAID IN 1916 BY COMPENSATION BOARD

The following is an official statement of the Workmen's Compensation Act for the past year's work submitted to the conference: "The net total assessments collected during the year were $1,767,479.40, and the amount of compensation awarded was $1,559,759.01. This is exclusive of Schedule 2 industries, in which the compensation amounted approximately to $450,000, bringing the total compensation awarded during the year to $2,009,759.01, or an average of about $6,700 each working day.

"The total number of accidents reported in Schedule 1 industries during the year was 31,264, in Schedule 2 4,898, making a total of 36,099."

TORONTO, Jan. 5.—Doctors, labour men and employers threshed out their differences before members of the Ontario Cabinet to-day in regard to the operation of the Workmen's Compensation Act.

Large delegations from manufacturers, labour, and medical organizations were heard by a committee consisting of Premier Hearst, Hon. L. B. Lucas, Attorney-General; Hon. Findlay McDiarmid, Minister of Public Works, for the purpose of considering amendments to the Workmen's Compensation Act, with regard to medical and hospital service.

"I am sure progress has been made towards a common ground. Some speakers, particularly the manufacturers, have asked for the privilege of submitting a scheme. The Government will be glad to have it at the earliest moment—perhaps a week—so that we can arrive at some arrangement to remove existing difficulties," was Premier Hearst's answer at the end of the hearing.

DOCTOR'S COMPLAINT.

Dr. E. E. King, representing the Ontario Medical Council, the Academy of Medicine, and the Ontario Medical Association, read a report of the committee representing these bodies, which was in part as follows:

"Compensation for a medical and surgical treatment of injured workmen has been entirely omitted in the Act.

"Notwithstanding our objections, every phase of medical and surgical attendance was omitted. We were promised that, if we would give our aid to the working of the Act, an amendment would be brought in to the Act, providing for medical and surgical attendance.

CHARITY ATTENDANCE.

"While the injured workmen have been attended willingly and freely, as medical men are wont to attend their case, a habit has been developed by employers of sending their injured workingmen to the hospitals and free clinics to receive attention, such as is received by the indigent and those unable to pay. It is undoubtedly thought by some that the surgeon and physician each is paid from the hospital funds. Such, however, is an erroneous idea, as there are no paid salaries nor fees to any physician or surgeon on the staff of any of the hospitals or clinics in Ontario. This method of dealing with these accident cases is a great injustice to the profession and to the hospitals, and incidentally to the Government, because all patients entering the out department, as well as those entering the hospital itself, are a tax on the community for their maintenance, the same as all other charity cases. It is the opinion of this committee that the workman does not desire to pose as a charity patient."

PLACED IN A WORSE POSITION

Hon. Mr. Lucas: "Has the Act placed you in a worse or a better position than you were prior to the passing of the Act?" Mr. King: "In a worse position."

"Why is that?" asked Mr. Lucas "Because the large employer formerly had an interest in the workmen and saw to it that the doctor was paid for his services, and now he very often gets nothing, because the employers who now contribute through the Act do not think they are under any obligation to pay for medical services."

"Was that done by voluntary arrangement between the worker and employer?" asked the Attorney-General. "It was voluntary so far as we were concerned and it was the common practice," said Dr. King.

Mr. Lucas: "You complain of this practice being departed from?" Dr. King: "Yes. Now the employers allows the medical profession to be paid charitably or otherwise."

COULDN'T ATTACH MEN'S MONEY.

Mr. Fred Bancroft for the labour men, said they had had the question of a schedule of rates for medical men in mind, but thought it would be better left with the doctors. He strongly repudiated any attempt to attach part of the workmen's compensation for medical services. "It is not in accordance with the spirit of the Act" he said, and never was intended. "We want the doctors fairly treated, but they must not be allowed to attach the men's money."

Mr. Bancroft urged the placing of the responsibility of medical service and hospital treatment upon the manufacturers.

BURDEN ON INDUSTRY.

Mr. Lucas: "You are placing an additional burden on industry and employers more than was contemplated by the commissioner who submitted the Act. It was intended that the compensation was generous enough to enable workmen to pay their own medical service."

Mr. Bancroft: "If Chief Justice Meredith had had the information we have on the low rate of wages obtaining, he would not have fixed the compensation at 55 per cent."

Dr. Ferguson agreed with Mr. Bancroft that the compensation to workmen was not sufficient to enable them to discharge their medical liabilities.

Mr. James Simpson, representing the Trades and Labor Congress, pointed out that the value of the dollar had depreciated to 55 or 60 cents so that the same rates were not applicable or just at present.

"It comes down to a question of the workers themselves paying, only the manufacturers have an organization to assess in a scientific way. The manufacturers should be magnanimous enough to say to the employes who are producing the wealth of Ontario: "We will pay the service of medical service and hospital treatment,'"

MADE LIKE CHARITY.

Ald. Gibbons pointed out that the men were made to feel as if they were accepting charity. "It is a case of the manufacturers having to pay and then they will recompense themselves by raising the price of their commodities."

Mr. Lucas: "I understand that the Canadian manufacturers regard the present state of the Act in regard to medical service and hospital treatment as unsatisfactory."

Mr. Thomas of the Canadian Manufacturers Association, said it was indeed very unsatisfactory. "But we object to amendment of the Act by piecemeal.

"We believe that this additional burden should not be placed on the manufacturers who already labour under a great enough handicap," said Mr. Thomas. "As regards placing the burden on the industry, the labour delegates are entirely wrong. The contention that if you burden the industry nobody suffers, is ridiculous. For instance, my firm has an export trade of 94 per cent. of the total output, so that with the additional burden we are placed at a disadvantage with other competitors who have not our obligations. If you were legislating for the whole world it would be different."

"That is not the case when you are competing with American States" said Premier Hearst. "They all have similar burdens."

DESTROY INDUSTRY.

"But the burden is not so great as it is in Ontario," replied Mr. Thomas. "You may destroy our industry altogether by increasing the burden."

The Premier: "What percentage of an increase in the cost of production would the proposed change involve?"

"That is a difficult matter to compute offhand, but it would be very large," said Mr. Thomas, who proceeded to point out that if the manufacturers were called upon to pay the doctor's bill they should have the say as to who would be the doctor.

NOT WORKABLE.

Ald. Gibbons said this was not a workable proposition in the case of accidents.

Mr. J. Douglas, Hamilton, a member of the committee of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, said they wanted a seven-days' waiting period before compensation should begin. "We are not willing to let the medical proposition be in the control of a board. We suffer from an unjust burden as things stand. The Act should be Dominion-wide, and we would not be placed at such an unfair disadvantage."

Regarding the contention of the medical men that there should be a schedule of rates, he strongly resented the proposal. "They have no more right to get a guarantee of payment than we have or anybody else. They ought to take the same chance as the rest of us. We are agreeable to the principle that if we assume liability we shall arrange our own fees and not leave it to the Government or any board."

Mr. Lucas: "I think that is a reasonable position."

The Premier: "I understood that the medical men's purpose was to have a schedule to prevent overcharging."

"But you can depend upon it the scale will be high enough," put in Mr. Douglas.

A BROAD STATEMENT.

Mr. Lucas: "The position of the labour men is that they don't care how the medical attention is given, so long as they don't need to pay for it."

Mr. Jas. Simpson: "No; we cannot allow Mr. Douglas to get away with that speech."

WHO WILL PICK PHYSICIAN?

Mr. Bancroft asked what Mr. Douglas had in his mind when he said the manufacturers would assume responsibility if they could be allowed to work it their own way.

"There will be no hole and corner work," assured Mr. Douglas. "We have not worked out details yet, but we don't want a schedule of rates in the Act."

"We will protest when the time comes against the manufacturers having the sole right of determining who is to be the physician," said Mr. Simpson.

Mr. Douglas said they would be quite willing to have the employees on the committee to consider the matter.

Mr. Thomas did not think there would be any trouble with arrangements regarding the doctors' position.

Mr. Arthur Hewitt, manager of the Consumers Gas Co., said his firm was much worse off now than formerly, although prior to the Act they paid 100 per cent. wages to injured workmen and paid the doctor too. "We prefer to carry our own liability," he said.

The Premier thought headway had been made toward common ground, and held out hopes of a settlement being reached when the case had been fully considered at the coming session of Parliament.

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SUICIDE ADDED TO TRAGEDY IN MODEL'S MURDER MYSTERY

NEW YORK, January 6.-The mystery surrounding the murder of Miss Maxie Colbert, a well-known artist's model, in her apartments in Philadelphia last Saturday night, is believed by the police to have been solved by the suicide in a fashionable Atlantic City hotel of Bernard W. Lewis, the wealthy son of Wenman I. Leis, a retired multi-millionaire coal operator of Pittsburg.

Early in the day a warrant was issued in Philadelphia for the apprehension of Lewis, on information furnished by two women school teachers of that city, and 'fliers' were sent broadcast for his arrest. Information reached the Atlantic City police that a man answering the description of Lewis was at the State's Villa, a private hotel in the seaside resort. As detectives waited at the door of he room occupied by the suspected man, a shot was heard in the adjoining bathroom and Lewis was found with a bullet hole through his temple, death having been instantaneous.

Lewis, who was thirty-five years of age, and married, was at one time connected in an official capacity with five of the largest coal concerns in Pennsylvania, and was the owner of several theatres. Some years ago he was a broker on Wall Street, being a member of the firm of Moore, Leonard and Lewis.

Since last Sunday morning when the body of Miss Colbert, badly battered, was found in her apartments, the crime has been almost the sole topic of conversation in Philadelphia and New York, where the young woman, who was called by artists "the woman with the form divine" was widely known. In their investigation the police have drawn into the case many men standing high in the social, business, professional, political and athletic life of the city.

In the room occupied by Lewis in the state's Villa were found a number of newspapers containing photographs of the murdered girl and lengthy stories of the crime. Lewis left no written message or communication of any kind.

HE HAD COMPASSION FOR RUSSIAN SOLDIERS

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 5.—Building of submarine parts at the Union Iron Works in San Francisco and their subsequent shipment to Canada, where they were assembled for Great Britain and her allies, was described in the United States District Court by John A. McGregor, President of the Union Iron Works, testifying for the defence in the trial of Frans Bopp, German Consul-General, and others accused of neutrality violation.

McGregor said his company, a subsidiary of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, had secured the submarine contracts from the Electric Boat Co., New London, Conn. He said the original plan to build the submarines in San Francisco was abandoned at the suggestion of William J. Bryan, then Secretary of State. "There was no secret about it," said McGregor.

One hundred employees of the Union Iron Works went to Montreal, McGregor said, and assembled the parts as they arrived.

Compassion for Russians?

C. C. Crowley, co-defendant and chief detective for the Consulate, was cross-examined to-day by John Preston, United States District Attorney concerning Crowley's previous statement that he had been offered immunity to testify against Bopp.

"Do you mean to say I offered you immunity?" asked Preston.

"You know you did," shouted Crowley.

The prosecutor answered: "Crowley, you know you are lying."

Compassion for Russian soldiers in the trenches —not plots to dynamite ships bound for Russian—led Crowley to seek information from the Russian Consulate as to fruit shipments to Vladivostok, Crowley testified today.

The United States District Attorney confronted Crowley with a letter he had written to the Russian Consulate here, asking sailing dates of ships which could carry dried fruits to Russia.

ATTACKED JAILER AND BROKE AWAY

WHITBY, Jan. —A bold and daring escape was made from the Ontario County jail here at 6-30 this evening by George Arnold, the one-armed chicken thief, sentenced this afternoon to five years in the penitentiary. Arnold took advantage of the occasion when Governor Schiller had unlocked and opened the door leading into the corridor of the jail, where Arnold was confined. As the door opened to permit a prisoner to remove the supper dishes from the corridor, Arnold dashed the heavy iron door back against the Governor who was standing behind it, knocking him down. Before Mr. Schiller could recover himself, the prisoner had seized the key of the outer iron door, unlocked it and had an open road to freedom. Governor Schiller was able to grab the escaping convict before he reached the door leading to the yard and a fierce tussle ensued down the steps and out on to the snow to the east entrance. Kicking and striking Arnold succeeded in giving the Governor a hard time of it and finally broke away. The son of the Governor, attracted by the struggle, reached the spot in time to seize the sweater worn by the prisoner, but this gave way and Arnold made a dash and eluded capture. Every effort is being made to round him up, and as he was hatless and without coat also, having the distinguished mark of but one arm, he can be readily recognized. Once before Arnold broke out of this jail, after assaulting the turnkey and leaving him for dead. Alex Bruce, 46 Pembroke street, Toronto, carries the scars yet of the beating he received on that occasion. Arnold was serving a four months' term in jail for selling liquor, previous to commencing on the eight years to which his two other sentences commit him to Kingston

LOVE SPURNED, SUES DENTIST

Miss Beck Asks $10,000 Damages from Dr. H. L. Rosenbaum, Who Was Married Last September.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—For her love which began when she was a "simple country girl at York, Pa.," and which has been unrequited for ten years, Miss Jeanette Beck filed action for $10,000 against Dr. Harry L. Rosenbaum, a dentist, of Ninth street and Seventh avenue, Brooklyn, in the Supreme Court in Brooklyn.

She said that after their meeting, Dr. Rosenbaum made fervent love to her and bombarded her with love letters from every part of the country. She says he proposed to her in March, 1912, and that the marriage was postponed from time to time so that there would be no interference with his study of dentistry.

Miss Beck alleges that Dr Rosenbaum married Miss Phylis M. Shaley, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Harold M. Shaley, of No. 191 Lenox avenue, Manhattan, September 16 last.

RUSH ACROSS BORDER.

Two Thousand Have Passed Through Port Huron.

SARNIA, Jan. 5. — Two thousand persons have been examined by Port Huron immigration authorities during the past two weeks. The work has been the heaviest in history. It is stated that among the number were a great many young men of military age. When asked their destination they would state in the majority of cases that they were looking for work and if they could secure employment they expected to stay. It is believed that activity in recruiting in Canada is responsible.

HUMANITY OPENS PRISONS.

Convict Allowed to Attend Wife's Funeral and Visit Children.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.— Abe Lewis, doing a long stretch in Sing Sing prison for breaking the law, was allowed to leave the prison in charge of a constable and visit his three children when the news came that his wife was dead.

Lewis asked permission to see his wife's body, before burial, and condoled with his children, but had no idea his request would be granted. The prison warden endorsed the request and Governor Whitman lost no time confirming it, so Lewis was enabled to spend the day in Brooklyn in his broken family circle, returning to prison in the evening.

Lewis' wife had written to him daily during the eight years of his imprisonment, and had loyally stood by him in the shadow as in the sunshine.

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PROBING MURDER MYSTERY.

Wealthy Pittsburg Man is Sought by the Police.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 5. — The first arrest growing out of the brutal murder of Marie Colbert, pretty corset and stocking model, last Friday, was ordered yesterday afternoon, when Captain of Detectives Tate swore out a warrant for the apprehension of Bernard W. Lewis, son of Wenman Lewis, a prominent Pittsburg lawyer.

No connection with the murder itself is attached to the arrest of Lewis, who is specifically charged with having defrauded Elward Pogell of $19 taxi fare. Investigation of the murder led to the belief that Lewis is the man who ordered the taxi at the Bellevue-Stratford, accompanied two women to an exclusive section of Germantown, and then ordered Powell to drive to the Wilton Apartments.

If the man who got out of that machine actually entered Miss Colbert's apartment, as Powell, the chauffeur, gave the police to understand, he is the last man known to have been with the girl before she was beaten into insensibility, and then strangled to death with her own stocking.

A police "flier" was sent broadcast ordering Lewis' arrest for "defraud." A "flier" is a telegram by which a person can be held to await the arrival of the warrant itself.

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RUSSIAN OFFENSIVE IN RIGA REGION HAS BEEN BROADENED, BERLIN ADMITS

Czar's Forces Are Taking Advantage of Winter Conditions With Roads and Rivers Frozen Solid to Open New and Vigorous Offensive in North---Berlin Claims Capture of Foosani in Roumania With 3910 Prisoners.

A SUMMARY OF TODAY'S WAR CABLES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, January 8.—(Special cable)—That the Germans are feeling very strongly the Russians' new offensive in the Baltic Sea region is again intimated to-day in the Berlin official statement which states that the Russians have broadened their offensive in the sections of the eastern front near Riga and Mitau.

It is apparent that the Czar's forces are taking advantage of the severe winter conditions with the roads and vers frozen solid, to open a new and vigorous offensive on the northern end of their long line.

It is believed here the Russians will make considerable impression on the Teutonic defences there.

BERLIN, January 8.—Focsani in Roumania was captured by the Germans yesterday with 3,910 prisoners to-day's German official statement said.

Canadian Casualties in 1916 Total 53,837

Special to The Examiner.

OTTAWA, Ont., January 8.—Casulties suffered by the Canadian overseas forces at the front up to Dec. 31, 1916, according to the figures compiled by the casualty branch, numbered 67,290. Of these 10,845 were killed and 48,454 wounded. The missing numbered 2,970, while 4,010 died of wounds, 494 of sickness, and 1,518 are put down as presumed dead. These figures do not include the prisoners of war. The lists up to Dec. 31, 1915, numbered 14,453, so that the casualties for the calendar year just closed total 53,837.

Austrians Trying To Escape Into States

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., January 8.—Twelve Austrians caught last night trying to get across into the United States were this morning fined $25 each and may be interned.

Tumulty the First Witness in Inquiry

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, January 8.—Thomas W. Lawson, of Frenzied Finance fame, was absent when called as first witness to-day at the peace note leak enquiry.

But in answer to committee suggestions that he be "apprehended" if not in the city, Chairman Henry stated he understood Lawson is in Washington.

Cross questioned by Representative Campbell, Secretary Tumulty explained that President Wilson had himself written the peace not on his own typewriter and that none of the executive office staff had any hand in it.

Secretary Tumulty was to-day the first witness before the House Rules Committee regarding the leak to Wall Street of advance information of President Wilson's note to belligerents.

Humulty in a formal statement to the committee, closed with the following "permitted" quotation from Prident Wilson:

"I wish, in justice to Mr. Tumulty to say that he has stated the exact fact. He had no knowledge of the note whatever until it was given out for publication."

"I wish to deny generally and specially that I have advanced information to Mr. Baruch or to anybody else in regard to the note," Tumulty told the committee.

Thomas W. Lawson, turned up before the committee later and enlivened proceedings by wrangling with the members. At times there were prospects of fists being used. Lawson stated that he made money himself out of the "leak."

Potato Supply Will Likely Be Commandeered

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, January 7.—The next article of food likely to be commandeered by Lord Devonport is potatoes. The scarcity is apparently due to the speculators rather than an actual shortage in the supply, but a reliable authority informs me that some months hence there may be no potatoes for civilians. Appeals have been made to Canada, but the prices are so high that the Government here will not consider them. In fact, the wholesale price in Canada is higher than the retail price here.

At present the restaurants and private houses show no sign of the dearth of the tuber.

Identified Mr. Jas. Gordon's Remains

A piece of shirt, showing a patch that had been sewn to it by his wife, led to the identification of the remains of the late James Gordon, who was in charge of the puffed rice department at the Quaker Oats Co. on the day of the fire. The charred trunk has been at Belleghem's Undertaking Rooms for several weeks. More recently another section of the body was recovered from the same position. With it was the piece of shirt and under it a knife, recognized as the deceased's, were found. Mrs. Gordon immediately identified the piece of cloth when it was shown to her yesterday. The funeral will be held on Wednesday morning from the late residence of Mr. Gordon, 253 Stewart Street, to St. Peter's Cathedral, and thence to St. Peter's Cemetery. The deceased was in his 41st year. He was born in Peterborough, and spent all his life here, where he had a great many friends. He was a member of the old Fire Brigade, and for years was employed as a motorman with the Street Railway Company.

ARMSTRONG WILL PLAY

Although it was announced this morning that Armstrong would not be able to play to-night on account of his injured knee, the Soldiers' Team man has decided to try it out and he will be on the line against Cobourg to-night.

Sevigny Is Sworn In

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, Jan. 8. — Consequent upon the death of the Hon. T. Case Casgrain, Hon. Albert Sevigny, former Speaker, was sworn in to-day as Minister of Inland Revenue, replacing Hon. E. L. Patenaude, who becomes Secretary of State. Hon. P. E. Blondin, former Secretary of State, is the new Postmaster-General.

COUNCIL SLATE OF COMMITTEES DRAWN UP TO-DAY

Ald. Weir Heads Board of Works With All the Council Members—Ald. Dobbin Gets Fire, Water and Light Committee.

COMPOSITION OF THE COMMITTEES

The Council Committees and their chairmen for 1917 were appointed this morning as follows:

Board of Works—Ald. Weir chairman, and all the members of the Council.

Fire, Water and Light—Ald. Dobbin, chairman, Duncan, Worth, McIntyre, Smith, Stratton, Weir and Taylor.

Manufacturers — Ald. McIntyre, chairman, Weir, Stratton, Taylor, Worth and Smith.

Finance—Ald. Stratton, chairman, McIntyre, Weir, Saunders, Duncan, Dobbin.

Property—Ald. Saunders, chairman, Langford, Duncan, Dobbin, Smith and Taylor.

Legal—Ald. Duncan, chairman, Dobbin, Langford, Stratton, Worth and Taylor.

Railways, Parks and Boulevards—Ald. Langford, chairman, Smith, Saunders, Taylor and Worth.

ALDERMEN'S COMMITTEES

The number of committees to which each Alderman is attached is as follows:

Weir 4, Smith 5, McIntyre 4, Langford 4, Worth 5, Duncan 5, Stratton 5, Dobbin 5, Taylor 6 and Saunders 4.

REVERSION TO 1914 IDEA.

All the members of the Council this year compose the Board of Works of which Ald. Weir is chairman. This is a reversion to the plan adopted and carried out in 1914, Ald. Saunders made a stand for this idea stating that the 1914 Board was the most successful in his experience. Ald. Weir had previously picked a slate comprising one representative from each ward as follows:—Ald. Weir, McIntyre, Duncan, Stratton and Saunders. Later he agreed with Ald. Saunders whose motion was adopted. Ald. Langford moved an amendment seconded by Mayor Duffus that the original Board be retained, but they received no support.

No Attempt To Re-change Name Will Be Made

Special to Examiner:

KITCHENER, Ont., Jan. 8.— The new city council was duly inaugurated this morning and held its first session. Mayor Gross ascended the dias and the aldermen elected filed to their seats. After the singing of the National Anthem, the Mayor delivered his inaugural address as follows.

After congratulating the members-elect, the Mayor's address says:

In the past our city has contributed largely to the Patriotic, Red Cross and similar funds. We must continue to do so freely and liberally, not only out of the civic treasury, but also out of our own time and money.

During the past year the name of our city has been changed. The agitation for such purposes has raised feelings of bitterness and discord beween our citizens. It has led to acts of lawlessness and violence such as was never before known in our city.

It will be part of our duty to try and restore peace and harmony in the community, to repress and punish all lawlessness and to hold to strict accountability newspapers or persons who may circulate untrue and unfounded reports against our city and its people.

Mayor Gross declared there was no intention of attempting to change the name back to Berlin. Other members of the Council corrobated this and expressed their loyalty to Britain.

IT IS IMPORTANT

To benefit your defects of vision: it is important that your lenses shall be held in an optically correct position at all times. Our mountings are correctly adjusted and will not pinch your nose. See Dr. Lacey and see better 410 George street.

Col. T. W. H. Young Mentioned In Despatches By Sir Douglas Haig

Peterborough Physician in List of Canadians Honoured ---Splendid Tribute to Lieut. Fessenden in Col. Currie's Book "The Red Watch"--Pte. Ben Martin of the 93rd Battalion Wounded--To-day's Orders and General Military News.

Col. T. W. H. Young of Peterborough who before the war was the officer commanding the 10th Artillery Brigade and who went overseas as medical officer for the 2nd Canadian Engineers was among the Canadian officers mentioned in despatches by Field Marshall, Sir Douglas Haig for good work in France. Col. Young is now in charge of a Canadian Hospital at the front and his many friends will be glad to learn that his meritorious work has been officially recognised.

A splendid tribute is paid to the work of a well-known Peterborough officer, Lieut. Vivien Fessenden, son of Mr. Cortes Fessenden of the Collegiate staff by Col. J. A. Currie, M. P. in this book "The Red Watch" which describes the exploits of the 15th Canadian Battalion at Ypres. Speaking of Lieut. Fessenden who has been a Prisoner in Germany since the memorable battle, Col. Currie says:—

"Back and forward I went, and the entire line was canvassed and discussed. Lieut. Fessenden, one of the most brilliant graduates of the R.M.C had a particularly hard spot to deal with, and was handling it in a manner worthy f any of the great Belgian Engineers. No lieutenant in the whole allied army was a better student of the art of war, or a more fearless man than this rosy-cheeked boy of 21."

COL. J. A. CURRIE, M.P., in "THE RED WATCH"

LONDON, Jan 7.—In connection with the combing out process now proceeding in the Canadian forces in England and at the base two Labor Battalions, two Railway Construction Battalions and two Forestry Battalions have already been formed from men graded for permanent base duty.

PTE. MARTIN WOUNDED.

Still another member of the 93rd Peterborough Battalion is reported wounded to-day increasing the casualties in Lt.-Col. Johnston's unit to fifty. Pte. Ben Martin who enlisted here in September, 1915 and went overseas as a member of A Company is officially reported slightly wounded. Pte. Martin had a brother, Lance-Corp. Sidney Martin with the 93rd Battalion, Signal Section and four brothers in the Imperial forces.

Mr. W. H. Dunsford, manager of the local branch of the Bank of Commerce, has received the sad news that his nephew, Lieut. Harold Dunsford, of the 4th Canadian Mounted Rifles, was killed in action on Dec. 7th. Lieut. Dunsford, who was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dunsford, enlisted as a private and received his commission in the field.

Mr. Edward Payne, 215 Carlyle Avenue has received the following letter from Armour Sergt. Fred Hart of Peterborough who went overseas with the 59th Battalion.

74 Tunnel Avenue Greenwich,
London, S. E.
December 20, 1916

Mr. Dear Mr. Payne:—

To-night whilst reading the Examiner, dated November 28th, I read with a shock that your son, poor "Eddie" Payne was killed on October 1st or 2nd. Perhaps there was nobody in the 59th who was brought in greater contact with your son than myself. Recruited by me in the summer of 1915, he turned out to be a splendid soldier. Soon after we reached Barriefield Camp, Sergt-Major Blake asked me if I could recommend a real good steady fellow for his orderly. My choice fell on Eddie and he was not with our Sergt-Major long before he told me that Eddie was far too good a lad to be kept back in the ranks and that he had recommended him for promotion. How well he succeeded and how proudly he wore his chevrons you and I know. The last time I saw him was the day before he left Sandling with a draft en route for France. He always showed up, some how, above his comrades for Eddie was everything that made for a good soldier. He was as clean as a new pin, as upright as a dart and a real man even if he was of a boy's years.

Many of the lads of the 59th have gone under. I have read some of their names in the casualty lists with deep feeling; but when I saw poor little Eddie's name I was overcome. It is awful to think that a life so full of promise has ended. How you must feel about it I can only imagine. How his dear mother must grieve, I can only guess. Last Christmas I saw Eddie walking up George street and that finally stamped him in my estimation as a splendid lad, for a son who was so proud of his mother, was a man indeed.

I know that B company men will grieve with you in your loss. Major Sauva and Capt. Park I am sure will be greatly distressed. As for Sergt. Major Blake I know what his feelings will be when I write and tell him the awful news. Truly many could have been spared, if only Eddie had been saved. I hope this letter will not reopen the wound which must be deep and enduring, but I felt that I must write and assure you of my sympathy with you in your irreparable loss. May God bring comfort to you and Mrs. Payne during your time of sorrow and may you find consolation in the fact that he died a noble death, an end which I am sure would have been his choice. Now dear Mr. Payne I will bring this sorrowful missive to a conclusion. I remain.

Sorrowfully yours,
FRED T. HART,
Armour Sergt.
Late 59th Battalion, C.E.F.

Cecil Thackeray, son of Mr. Wm. Thackeray, 465 Stewart street has enlisted in the Cobourg Heavy Battery. His brother Gunner Clarke Thackeray, went overseas in the fourth draft from the same unit. Nearly every draft sent by the Cobourg battery has contained a number of Peterborough boys.

Mrs. R. H. Tamblin, 56 Victoria Avenue, whose son, Pte. A. W. Tamblin, formerly of the 93rd Battalion, died of wounds recently, in France, has received the following letter from another son, Pte. Nelson Tamblin, who is also at the front:

Dear Mother and Father,—Just a few lines to let you know I am well and hope this will find you all the same.

Well, mother, I suppose you know poor Bert is dead and buried. I learned of it to-day and started at once to find out all I could about it.

It seems he and three others were together in a sap, and a shell burst near them, blinding one and breaking the other two fellows' legs. A piece of the shell went through Bert's stomach and back; he lived until he reached the Hospital, where he died in the morning. The place where he is buried is not far from here, so if I am spared to come out again I will go and see his grave.

I have a looking-glass that I got from one of the fellows that carried him out; it is one I gave him when I first met him in France, when I thought he was going home.

Now, mother, I want to tell you that you ought to be proud of Bert, for when he was wounded before, I think, if he wanted to, he could have gone home. But no, not him. He came out here to do his bit, and I guess he has done it.

Well, mother, don't worry about me; I am getting along all right. If I am to get it, why you know it will be God's will, and there is Frank left yet; he is the lucky one, to just get as far as England.

I guess I will close now. Remember me to everybody around home, and don't worry; I will be all right.

Good-bye, from your ever loving son,

NELSON.

Mrs. Elizabeth Maddy, 108 Lansdowne street, has received word from Ottawa that her son, Private Francis James Leether, who went overseas with the 93rd Battalion, has been admitted to No. 8 Canadian Field Ambulance, November 19th, suffering from an affected left foot.

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SUPPLIES FROM VILLIERS BRANCH

The Villiers branch of the Otonabee Ladies Patriotic Society, shipped to Toronto on January 4th the following articles:

29 pairs of socks, 13 flannel shirts, 6 pillow cases, 1 cotton shirt, 3 cotton gowns, 10 towels and 1 quilt.

During the month of December, this society also sent 15 pairs of socks to the boys at the front.

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PETERBOROUGH BRANCH CANADIAN PATRIOTIC FUND.

The annual general and quarterly meeting of this Branch of the Patriotic Fund will be held in the rooms of the Fund on the evening of Tuesday, January 16th, at eight o'clock. Members are earnestly requested to attend. By order,

3d-10-12-15 F. H. Dobbin, Sec'y.

"PEACE BE DAMNED" WRITES LOCAL BOY FROM THE TRENCHES

Not Time For Peace Yet For Germany Has a Big Price to Pay Before That Can Come About Says Pte. Hendry in Letter From Front

THE HUNS ARE BEATEN

Writing from 'Somewhere in France' to Mr. Reg. Turner, Pte. Bob Hendry of Peterborough, who, before he enlisted with the 92nd Highlanders, of Toronto, was an employee of J. J. Turner and Sons and who is now in France with the 3rd Canadians, says:

I am glad to be able to say that I am in the best of health and so far have been very fortunate. I have been in the thick of it time and again, but always seem to have a little bit of luck.

Well, I have much to be thankful for. We have seen many of our boys go over the road and oft times when you least expected it. It would make your heart sore if you had passed through some of the towns or villages that I have been through. Not a house or a whole building left, but a dump. One place we passed I will tell you about if ever I am spared to meet you again, and when I tell you you will wonder why the Germans should not be exterminated. Their conduct is worse than some of the black tribes. If what we have read and what we have been taught to believe since boyhood is correct about a judgment day, then Germany will suffer.

We have been having some pretty miserable weather of late. Rain, rain, almost every day, and you talk about mud—something awful. No great advance can be made while weather like this lasts. It is impossible to move heavy guns. Wait until the spring comes and you will see something doing. Now they are talking about peace. I say "peace be damned. It is not time for peace yet. Nobody needs it more than Germany, but she has a big price to pay yet before there is any peace. Germany is beaten as sure as there is a God above. She wants peace before she is ruined. She won't get it—at least not yet."

AN AT HOME TO-NIGHT IN T. A. S. HALL

Under Auspices of the St. Peter's Ladies' Aid—Proceeds For the Orphanage

An At Home will be held in St. Alphonsus Lyceum to-night in Aid of the St. Vincent's Orphanage where there is being taken care of more than forty children, and funds are greatly needed for their keep. A good social time with refreshments will be given to-night and the ladies who are getting up the At Home hope for a good attendance.

Industrial Night School

1. Registration for the usual classes will begin to-night and continue on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

2. Come and bring your fee of $2 which is returnable at end of session

3. Classes in Draughting, Mathematics, Electricity for men. Domestic Science and Dressmaking for women.

4. Class in millinery will begin the last week of February.

5. Other courses provided if required.

6. Every resident over 14 years of age not enrolled in day classes is eligible for admission.

7. For further particulars call on Principal at Oil Collegiate, Murray street on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week from 7.30 to 9.30.

"I Would Rather Be a Dead Soldier With His Assurance of Immortality Than a Dead Citizen," Said Col. Ponton, of Belleville at a Recruiting Meeting Held Last Evening in the Armouries.

CANADA'S WAR

"Universal national service" is the name that Col. Ponton of Belleville would substitute for the word "conscription." At a recruiting meeting held in the Armouries last evening, Col. Ponton expressed the opinion that hundreds of young men would willingly enter the ranks if universal national service was instituted throughout the Dominion. "Somebody spoke of conscription," said Col. Ponton. I do not like that word. A rose, by any other name, would smell just as sweet. I would rather call it universal national service. The existing voluntary system is unjust and inequitable. (Applause).

On this platform to-night Dr. Edwards, the parliamentary member for Frontenac, heard a Peterborough audience declare its approval of conscription in place of the present inequitable system of voluntary enlistment. Dr. Edwards can convey this expression of opinion to the Government," said Col. Ponton.

Few Eligible Men.

The meeting was well attended although very few eligible men were present. The band of the 57th Battalion rendered several selections, and a recitation was given by Percy Luther in his usual good form. The chair was occupied by Mr. G. A. Gillespie, M.P.P.

Lieut. Col. C. Ackerman, Officer Commanding the 247th Battalion who was the first speaker called upon, reviewed the efforts that have been made to fill up the Battalion. He estimated Peterborough's man-power at fourteen hundred men. These, he said, would receive a personal call from a member of the battalion, and asked to state why he has not enlisted and what are his intentions. Col. Ackerman was followed by Captain M. Hamilton, who characterized war as a continuation of a nation's policy and urged every young man who forms a part of the nation to assume his share of the responsibility in this struggle.

War Turned Down.

Dr. Edwards, M.P., for Frontenac County, was the next speaker. He prefaced his appeal to the young men with a few personal references to his own part in the matter. Dr. Edwards said that two years ago he offered his services to the Minister of Militia, but was turned down as he was over age and had no previous military training. His daughter was in England giving her services to the country, free of cost, in one of the hospital centres, while his son and a number of nephews, brothers and other relatives were on active service. "This," said Dr. Edwards, "is my warrant for appealing to you to-night. "This war," said the speaker, "is a struggle for supremacy between democracy as represented by the Allies, and militarism as represented by the enemy forces. In Germany, individuality and personality has been blotted out, and the German is nothing but a mere cog in a great military machine. This world is not large enough for two opposing principles of that kind. Germany's ideals must be blotted out forever. That makes this struggle more than a mere war. Recently we have heard whisperings of peace. We won't accept the peace that is offered. We will be ready to talk peace when the time comes and Germany will be willing to accept it. Every young man should honestly endeavour to adjust his affairs so that he may enlist and help maintain the honour and integrity of the nation. In Canada, ten thousand women are making shells. What are they making them for? They are making them for you to fire.

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NIGHT CLASSES

Every working lad in Peterborough should read the announcement in the Examiner of the opening of the Industrial Classes this week; or if he would not otherwise see it, it should be shown him by his parents or guardian or interested friend. Many boys have to go to work before their school education has reached the stage of greatest usefulness. Our schools, besides, excellent as they are in other respects, do not give enough even of rudimentary knowledge that the boy can use in mechanical or general industrial occupations.

And in these days of industrial specialising a lad, especially one with defient technical education, can learn only one thing, and after years may be not an intelligent general mechanic—only a machine (only with brains) like that he works at year after year. Technical knowledge, a more or less industrial education, such as can be had—as a beginning, in the industrial night classes—must be got by an apprentice to any mechanical calling, or he will not have even a fighting chance to rise—to get at the top. A boy with defective education may become a first-rate manual or machine mechanic if he has plenty of brains and grit; but without a fairly liberal education he will not become a master mechanic or a foreman or a superintendent. Every boy who needs the knowledge that night classes will give him should heed the assurance of men of experience that he will never know nor imagine what can be accomplished by application and the profitable use of stray hours and moments devoted to useful study.

READING AND READING.

In the excellent and instructively analytical annual report of Mr. Dela Rosse, public librarian, we are told there was a decrease in the number of books issued to the people last year. On the surface, this would indicate that the public has done less reading. This would be a hasty assumption. Without the slightest disparagement of the Public Library, it, by no means, furnishes the total supply of reading matter. It must not be forgotten that the great educators in current topics, the newspapers, are at this time good with more than usual attention and interest. Of course there is a reason for this. The universal interest in the war and the fortunes or misfortunes, brings the people to the daily use of the newspaper; and few will lay down a journal after he has deemed the war news without reading it all. The abundance of good reading claims his attention. As a rule, of course, the information gained from a newspaper is necessarily ephemeral; but, in any well-arranged newspaper there is a wide variety of interesting reading of serious and solid character. The newspaper, with its daily chronicle of events affecting people we know, is a bond of social unity, and through this, of closer civic relationships. It is the medium of public expression of opinion; and, through its pages those an chasis in our civic, educational, and other interests, learn to a large extent, what the people want—a knowledge that under representative institutions they are bound to make the basis of action on the lines of public opinion. What the public read in the newspapers deals with people and things they know and have an interest in, not the shadowy and fancied people and things they read of in the generally thin-blooded novel of the period. The element of human interest is what constitutes the chief appeal of the newspaper. What people like to talk about in their homes is dealt with, or suggested in, the daily paper. The death of a neighbour, the birth of a baby, or the wedding anniversary is more of local moment and interest than the sorrows of the heroine of a three-volume novel. The newspaper touches home and heart topics—our neighbours, our friends and our enemies. Even the advertisements, the offer made to bargains in effect through intelligent high prices, taken in connection with other considerations, assisting the popularity and indispensability of the newspaper, help to explain, especially in war time, why fiction, in the form of novels, is crowded out by fact in the form of the daily or weekly newspaper.

While briefly and imperfectly presenting the reasons for the popularity of the newspaper, in war time, it should be pointed out that it may be made the medium of great comfort to the Canadian soldier boys in the trenches. It is safe wagering that, no welcome as are "eatables" and cordite dainties to the trench boys, their welcome would not equal that given to a newspaper from home. It is more than a letter from home, for the superscription on the wrapper of the sender's name gives the personal touch, and the interest of the newspaper gives more of local interest to the thirsty souls in the trenches than a hundred letters would cover. Read your local paper, tie it up and send it to some Peterborough boy "somewhere in France or Flanders." It will be read to rags by every soldier from this district, though his home is scores of miles from the Royal Bank corner.

WHAT NATIONAL SERVICE MEANS.

During the past two and a half years Canada has had a strenuous wrestle with stern experiences. We think and know that we have sacrificed much and done much in connection with the tremendous condition of war in which we have borne a creditable share. We may think that we have had our testing time. But we have not had our real trials yet. The whole nation in the past has buckled to its work with a will—with no compulsion but the compelling force of duty and patriotic interest. Our true test time is only coming now; we are only now differentiating the true from the false, the real citizen from the other citizen; the patriot from the parasite. The parasite is the citizen who is willing to enjoy all the blessings of quiet citizenship in a free country and willing to do his share in protecting them when they are threatened; willing to continue enjoying all at the expense of those who are not in duty bound to fight in the trenches for the able-bodied who are enjoying the highest kind of employment and other prosperity.

The soldiers we have had in the field and now have there, are there by their own free will—noble volunteers who are as really guarding our homes and our home interests, as if they were holding the lines of our menaced frontiers with loaded guns and bayonets fixed. These number nearly four hundred thousand men; young men, the flower of our citizenship in muscle and bone and blood, as in moral qualities of courage, patriotism and high sense of duty.

We have in Canada perhaps as many more of young men eligible in the matter of age and physical fitness for military service. But they do not understand the seriousness of the situation— some don't want to understand it—or they would act as patriots. Patriotism is not a mere sentimental catch word, but the simple quality of being the ruling, dominating spirit of a man willing to preserve what makes a country worth regarding as a country worth living in.

Patriotism is at once selfishness and unselfishness. The young man who volunteers to fight to save Canada and the Empire; to save our liberties; to save opportunity of peaceful living—peaceful working at one's job; peaceful and certain and regular reception of the pay cheque — in a word is fighting for all that he is worth or hopes to be worth. In doing this selfish duy he is incidentally and inevitably fighting with the unselfish result of benefitting every fellow citizen and retaining him or her as a co-worker, under the best conditions, in his interest.

The young man who is not willing to do this for himself, but willing to take the mean position of having others do it for him, is not a patriot; he is a parasite. The average working man with possibly a dash of the socialistic spirit, thinks of the rich man only as a parasite, the man who lives in the enjoyment of the good things of this life on the labour of others. But the real parasite is the young man of able body who selfishly enjoys the priviege of working and living on the labours of others—not the well paid labour of bench and floor, but the thankless, ill paid labours of his alumae, his fellow workman, but now a Canadian soldier in the fighting line.

We don't know what to do with such men. If they don't value their own country enough to fight for it—even though in doing so they are fighting for themselves—they are not good citizens, and in this view the future of Canada will not be an auspicious one—if that future rests in the hands of small-spirited, unpatriotic and selfish citizens, who in the matter of flesh and blood and bone and muscle, are the backbone of the country, but weaklings in spirit or courage or altruistic interest, that makes the true, the profitable, the nation-building citizen.

In civil life, when citizens fail to live up to the responsibility of good citizenship, they are compelled to do so. If they refuse to pay just and necessary taxation, they are made to do it. If they refuse to serve on juries, if they refuse to obey many of the numerous requirments of the laws of the land, they are compelled to do so. In regard to military duty there is talk of conscription. But the only talk of conscription is among those who feel that they have earned its application. They look askance at the National Service cards and regard them as the opening wedge of conscription. They are nothing of the kind. They are simply a national and economic "Who's Who"—a means of classifying the population of the country; of finding out what resources the country has that can be applied to the service of the country. Filling in a card binds nobody—only gets information of willingness to work and makes no mention of enlisting. The cards are intended to furnish information that will enable us to specialize in national service, as great factories and workshops specialize by securing the best men, best fitted to do special work. National registration is not conscription any more than an assessment schedule notice is a tax bill. Sir Robert Borden has specifically assured a Trades and Labour Council deputation that the National Service cards are not a first step to conscription.

ONTARIO ARRESTS DECREASE UNDER TEMPERANCE ACT

Taking the police records of drunkenness for the calendar months of October and November under the new law in Ontario cities and towns, and comparing them with the arrests for October and November of last year, under license, the following results are obtained.

Name of Place	1915.	1916
Belleville	37	12
Brantford	104	15
Brockville	23	11
Chatham	27	6
Cobourg	10	2
Collingwood	7	2
Cornwall	8	8
Galt	5	1
Guelph	8	14
Hamilton	279	33
Kitchener	2	2
London	244	58
North Bay	25	13
Orillia	19	6
Oshawa	8	4
Owen Sound	22	15
Peterborough	70	18
Port Arthur	139	27
Port Hope	6	0
St. Thomas	16	0
Woodstock	11	5
Toronto	1928	419

It is also remarkable that in nearly every case the arrests for other offences have also fallen off, making it clear that crime in general is largely attributable to drinking and drunkenness. Here are the police court figures for all offences in the places and for the periods named:—

Place	1915.	1916
Belleville	84	53
Brantford	206	164
Brockville	48	44
Chatham	67	47
Cobourg	34	18
Collingwood	37	20
Cornwall	31	29
Galt	46	17
Guelph	72	69
Hamilton	926	504
Kitchener	54	50
London	68	44
Orillia	23	21
Oshawa	66	36
Owen Sound	126	107
Peterborough	147	60
Port Arthur	230	118
Port Hope	19	6
St. Thomas	50	34
Woodstock	55	60
Toronto	5622	3912

Even in the towns of Collingwood, Galt and Orillia, where local option has been in force for some time, the reduction in police court cases also prevails.

GERMANY'S SELF-ASSUMED AND "OVER-RATED" MILITARY GENIUS"

Those Americans and hyphenates who are arguing for immediate peace with Germany are writing a good deal in the American papers to the effect that the Allies might do well to conclude a peace now, less worse befall them at the hands of Germany. A good example of this kind of argument is contained in a letter signed "W. H. Kirk (not Kirsch), appearing in last Wednesday's New York Times. Mr. Kirk remarks that Germany only stated her intention at the outset to "defend" herself, and that she had done this far better than had been anticipated. The campaign of the Allies, on the other hand, had been a long series of blunders, and there was no hope that they could do any better, since they could not produce military leaders capable of planning and executing such campaigns as that of Germany against Russia in 1915 and German against Roumania. He then quotes the London Saturday Review as stating that the Russian campaign "stamped the Berlin General War Staff with the hall-mark of genius," while the Times (New York, we presume) is quoted as characterizing the Roumanian campaign as "a military classic." But not even genius, thinks Mr. Kirk, can extricate the Allies "from the seeming impasse into which they have been brought by over-confidence and a long series of blunders."

If Mr. Mirk's name is really not spelt "Kirsch," it is difficult to understand his undiluted admiration for German military genius. Germany's campaign against little Roumania may have proved "a military classic," but what shall we say of the German campaign which preceded it — the campaign against Verdun? That surely, from the point of view of military conception and execution, was one of the ghastliest fiascos in all history. Then again Mr. Kirsch or rather, we should say, Mr. Kirk, tells with beaming delight of the genius which stamped Germany's campaign against imperfectly-armed Russia in 1915, but he has not a word to say of the time when Russia came back with the Brusiloff drive that disposed of over one million of the enemy, whereof 425,000 were actually taken prisoners. One might go on like this indefinitely. It is sufficient, however, to sum up by saying that Germany's principal successes have been against little weakly-armed nations, and that her defeats at the hands of the larger nations have been nothing less than catastrophic. If it is "military genius" which has brought Germany to her present position, well may the people pray to be delivered from it. As for the leer of Mr. Kirk that Germany will put the Allies in a much more unfavourable military position than they now are if they do not agree to German terms, all we can say is that Mr. Kirk must be blind in the right eye and afflicted with myopia in the left.—Montreal Herald.

TOTAL ECLIPSE OF THE MOON THIS MORNING

Early this morning there was a total eclipse of the moon. The eclipse commenced with a slight shadow on the moon at 12.50 a.m., one hour and ten minutes later the entire surface of the moon was plunged in the earth's shadow. At 4.30 this morning the shadow had left the moon completely.

It is interesting to note that during the present year there will be seven eclipses. Not for a hundred years have there been seven in one year, nor will there be seven in any one year again during the present century. Generally there are three eclipses in one year, and there may be as few as two, but never can there be more than seven, and that, as has been shown, only at long intervals.

In every 18 years, there are 70 eclipses, 41 being of the sun, and 29 of the moon. The eclipses of the moon, although fewer, are the more noticeable, for they very frequently are total, and are visible over nearly the whole earth, while eclipses of the sun are usually partial, and then visible only in small areas.

A total eclipse of the sun was visible in Canada in 1905, in a lonely, almost uninhabited part of Labrador. There will not be another total eclipse of the sun visible in Canada for some years.

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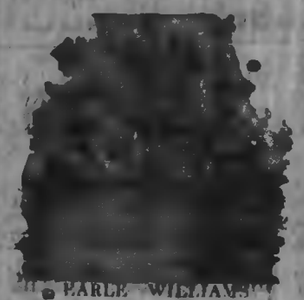
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To-morrow Night's Battle Is Last Home Game For Next Ten Days

Last Chance For Peterboro' Fans to See a Game Until a Week From Friday—Juniors Will Practice To-night Before Intermediate Game in Final Preparation For Their Tussle With Bowmanville.

The Peterborough junior O. H. A. team will have their final workout for their opening game with Bowmanville at Brock street rink to-morrow night, this evening at 7 o'clock before the Cobourg-247th intermediate battle. The local squad is in good condition, and a lively workout to-night should put them right on edge for their clash with Bowmanville to-morrow. With good ice assured the fans can count on a red hot game all the way to-morrow night. The boys from the Rubber town are reported to be fast and clever and as a win here to-morrow night would give them a big start in the race for the district honours, they can be counted on to carry the battle to the local kids from gong to gong. However, the young Petes have been going good in practice, and Manager Hynds' aggregation will realize that they have been in a game. The Peterborough team will line up as follows:

Goal—Murray.
Right defence—McIntyre.
Left defence—Montgomery.
Rover—Graham.
Centre—Cherrett.
Right wing—McFee.
Left wing—Bartley or Frost.

To-morrow night's game will be the last home game, either junior or intermediate, for ten days, so that the fans cannot afford to miss this fixture. On Thursday the juniors go to Oshawa, while on Friday the intermediates will visit Cobourg. Next week the only scheduled game at Brock street rink will a junior O.H.A. game with Oshawa.

Cobourg Will Be Strong For Their Game With 247th To-night

Cobourg will be here to-night with a greatly strengthened line-up to tackle the 247th in an intermediate O.H.A. Game. The Lakeshore crew are not to be judged by the beating they got at Lindsay. In the first place they hadn't their regular line up in action and in the second Lindsay game were much stronger than they were in their game here. Cobourg have dug up a stronger lineup from goal out to centre and the soldiers will not have a snap at any stage of the proceedings. Bobby Armstrong the lanky centre player of the 247th will be out of to-night's game as a result of a bad knee and his place will be taken by Lieut. Barney Quinn, who is back in the hockey game after two season's spent overseas. It is doubtful whether Sergt. Harry Thornton who is suffering from a bad cold will be in the battle or not to-night. In case he is unable to play he will be replaced by Lieut. Shaw. Adams, Flanagan, Halpin, Evans and Legros are all in good shape, however, and will be on the firing line to-night. They had a lively workout on Saturday night and showed fine form. A win for Cobourg to-night would leave the 247th Lindsay and Cobourg tied for the leadership.

The 247th line up:
Goal—Legros.
Right Defence—Thornton or Shaw.
Left Defence—Halpin.
Rover—Flanagan.
Centre—Quinn.
Right Wing—Adams.
L. Wing—Evans.

HOCKEY GOSSIP

It looks like a busy week for Peterborough's two hockey teams. To-night the 247th play Cobourg here, the juniors tackle Bowmanville here to-morrow night, the 247th will likely go to Lindsay for their postponed game on Wednesday, the juniors travel to Oshawa on Thursday and on Friday the soldiers play a O.H.A. game in Cobourg. Here is the bill for the week:

Monday—Cobourg vs. 247th at Brock Street Rink.
Tuesday—Bowmanville vs. Peterborough juniors at Brock Street Rink.
Wednesday—247th vs. Lindsay at Lindsay.
Thursday—Peterborough juniors vs. Oshawa at Oshawa.
Friday—247th vs. Cobourg at Cobourg.

The Peterborough junior O.H.A. team will practice at Brock Street Rink to-night before the Cobourg—247th fixture in final preparation for their opening O.H.A. game of the season with Bowmanville to-morrow night. The following players are asked to report at 7 o'clock sharp to-night: Murray, McIntyre, Montgomery, Graham, Cherrett, McFee, Bartley, Frost.

The Peterborough juniors will journey to Oshawa on Thursday of this week instead of on Friday as scheduled. The change has been made on account of a conflicting intermediate game in Oshawa. Oshawa will play the return game here on Friday, January 19th.

The 247th Battalion team's next game after to-night will be in Cobourg on Friday night.

George Street Methodist Hockey players will practice on East City rink from 7 to 8 Tuesday and Thursday nights. Come out.

Harold Lees the Peterborough boy who is playing goal for Queen's Senior O.H.A. team starred in the goal at Toronto on Saturday. The Mail says:

The wonderful work of Lees in goal was responsible for the Riversides only securing a 2-to-1 victory over Queen's Saturday afternoon at the Arena in a senior O.H.A. contest. The champions had much the better of the play throughout, but the Presbyterian net custodian gave one of the best exhibitions of goalminding ever seen around here, and was simply unbeatable on occasions that looked like sure score for the locals. Without Lees in goal the visitors would have been beaten badly, but then Lees is part of the Queen's team; in fact, he is about sixty per cent. of it.

WHITBY, Jan. 6.—On Friday night last night the Whitby intermediates opened the O.H.A. season here by winning an 8 to 2 victory over the 182nd Batt. The game was well contested until the last period, when the locals scored six. The line up:—

182nd Battalion—Goal, MacInally; right defence, Jacobi; left defence, Beaton; centre Ryerson; rover, Gillespie; right wing, Blatchford; left wing Lequayer.

Whitby—Goal, O'Connor; right defence, Smith; left defence, Bunting; centre, F. Rios; rover, A. Blanchard; right wing, Lavery; left wing, C. Blanchard.

OSHAWA, Jan. 6.—The 228th Battalion juniors of Toronto came down to Oshawa this evening and played an exhibition game with the local juniors and won by 10 to 5. The score indicates the strength of the two teams. It was Oshawa juniors' first appearance for the season, and the soldier boys had it all over and around them. The Battalion boys used eleven men the first line-up:—

228th Battalion—Goal, Montgomery; right defence, Bousquet; left defence, Spence; rover, Barns; centre, McDivett; right wing, Cowley; left wing, Lessard. Spares—Brennan, Ortmen, Lenghorn, and Robinson.

Oshawa—Goal, Smith; right defence, Wilson; left defence, Osborne; rover, Rowden; centre, Flintoff; right wing, Venini; left wing, Swingard. Referee—Hall of Oshawa.

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Wholesale and Retail

ALDERMEN COMPLAIN OF UNSOUNDED SIDEWALKS AT THE FIRST MEETING

A new Council greeted the New Year this morning with a complete representation of the wards, with an infusion of new blood, with a confidence that had drawn a veil on the past without forgetting it, and an optimism and readiness to grapple with the problems 1917 will produce. If it isn't exactly a new broom, it is the old one repaired and renewed. The meeting was not without a thought of the aldermen of last year. Their work provided an intangible monument to their memory.

After Mayor Duffus' inaugural address, Alderman Stratton congratulated him upon his re-election by acclamation, an evidence that the citizens appreciated his interest in the affairs of the city and to his public service. He thanked the Mayor for his reference to the efforts of the Finance Committee last year, and added that 1917, should find a similar policy of keeping the rate as low as possible consistent with good business. Alderman Stratton referred to the Police Commission which he suggested should be waited upon early. The force should not have one man more than necessary. It might be that some of the policemen might be induced to transfer to the Fire Department which had gone shorthanded for a year. While this had enabled a saving of money, the Finance Minister regarded that policy as a detriment to the city.

He moved, seconded by Alderman Dobbin, that the address be referred to the chairman of the committees.

Light for Rinks.

Alderman Dobbin moved, seconded by Alderman Duncan, that the Utilities Commission be requested to install sufficient lamps at the public skating rinks.

Walks Need Sand.

Alderman Langford stated that the sidewalks on Water and George streets on Sunday were so slippery that pedestrians were forced to take the road. Not only should the business sections of the central streets be sanded, but also the main thoroughfares in the residential districts. Three city officials were well paid to look after this work, and it should not be necessary that the Aldermen be constantly nagged about the condition of the sidewalks. Alderman Langford felt that the officials should take the initiative without being told, especially in winter when their duties were comparatively light.

Alderman McIntyre stated that he had instructed the City Engineer and Street Commissioner Evans at 10 o'clock on Saturday morning, to put sand on the sidewalks and they said they would attend to it. Alderman McIntyre felt that they might have done more streets. He had particularly asked that the streets in the vicinity of the churches be sanded.

Alderman Duncan remarked that the merchants should be requested not to sweep the sand from in front of their stores. This had been brought to his notice by one of the police constables.

Montreal's method of scraping the sidewalks was referred to by Alderman Weir, who suggested that information should be obtained as to where their combined plow and scrapers are secured.

New Member Heard From.

Alderman Smith added that information might be obtained from Ottawa where, he said, a very effective appliance was used for removing the slippery surface of sidewalks. He also recommended that householders should shovel off the sidewalks fronting their residences to prevent the formation of the enclosed hollow resulting from the snow-removal by the plows.

The Mayor's Stipend.

Alderman Stratton moved, seconded by Alderman Dobbin that the usual grant of $500 be made to the Mayor, and that it be paid quarterly.

Board of Trade Representatives.

Alderman McIntyre moved, seconded by Alderman Stratton, that three members of the Board of Trade be included in the composition of the Manufacturers' Committee.

BOWLING

A very exciting game took place Saturday night on Water street alleys between De Laval office and factory. the factory. Fitzgerald pulled off the last game the factory won out from the eighth frame. Up until then the both teams were even up. Fitzgerald for the office was high, and Byers for the fatcory. Fitzgerald pulled off the best spare of the evening.

To-morrow night, league game.

The second round of the games start. Printers and Business Men meet. A good game should be played, as both teams are leading in the Peterborough City League.

George Cairns won the bowling shoes for last week's prize with a score of 237, 226, 181. Total 554.

De Laval Office—

	1	2	3	Total
Fitzgerald	160	126	118	404
Hamilton	133	91	103	327
Hill	133	137	133	403
English	154	82	90	307
Wilson	124	115	109	348
	664	552	553	1899

De Laval Factory—

	1	2	3	Total
Byers	170	183	124	477
Downing	127	115	108	350
Pinter	101	114	105	320
McDonald	109	151	129	389
Carter	166	182	140	488
	673	795	608	2004

CURLING

TO-NIGHT'S GAMES.

The scheduled games after nearly a week of postponements will begin to-night at the Curling Rink. The ice looks good for the following games:

Sturgeon vs. Archibald.
Morrow vs. Foote.
W. G. Ferguson vs. A. C. Kay.
Davidson vs. Wightman.
Dr. Greer vs. R. Hicks.

LAKEFIELD'S CURLERS.

The curling season opened on Monday last and the curling club has splendid prospects for a successful season. The membership is larger than ever and a great deal of interest is being taken in the game this season. The following rinks are drawn against each other for the President's prize:

R. Ball,	Lloyd Rodgers,
L. Armstrong,	W. W. Leonard,
Dr. Gibson,	Theo. Crawford,
O. A. Langley, skip	N. A. Moore, skip
Geo. Spence,	H. Beavis,
G. G. Hendren,	J. H. Sherin,
E. J. Galvin,	T. Braden,
D. H. Morison, skip	J .W. Ridpath, skip.
P. Spence,	R. Oliver,
D. H. Charlton,	J. M. Simpson,
B. Q. Deneh,	H. Simpson,
W. Sherin, skip.	C. S. Tanner, skip.

—Lakefield News.

SACRED HEART RINK
Band to-night, excellent ice. Admission 10c

GREAT STORM WAVE ABOUT TWENTIETH

Foster Says it will be of the Blizzard Kind, Affecting Much of Continent

WASHINGTON, D.C., Jan 8.—Last bulletin gave forecasts of disturbance to cross continent Jan. 11 to 15, warm wave 10 to 14, cool wave 13 to 17. Temperatures of this will average above the usual, storm forces will be a little more intense than common, but no very great storms are expected. Precipitation is expected in northwest, particularly in northern Rockies. High temperatures are expected to cross continent from 11 to 15 and be followed by a cool wave from 15 to 19.

Next warm wave will reach Vancouver near Jan. 14 and temperatures will rise on all the Pacific slope. It will cross crest of Rockies by close of 15, plains and sections 16, great lakes and Ohio valleys 17, eastern sections 18, reaching Newfoundland near Jan 19. Storm wave will follow about one day behind warm wave and cool wave about one day behind storm wave.

This will be the greatest and most important storm of the month and we give positive and particular warnings to our readers, hoping they may avoid its dangers. It will be of the blizzard kind and will affect much of the continent, particularly in northern half and more particularly its northwest quarter. This will be the first section of the storm; next section will be described in next bulletin.

HEAVY STORMS.

Some heavy snows will reach the plains and sections of middle Canada, very deep snows are expected in the northern Rockies, dangerous storms on northwestern North Pacific coast and in all parts of Alaska. All northern States will get a share of these great winter storms which will be further described in next bulletin.

Another section of these great storm forces will affect the West Indies, Gulf of Mexico and Central America, where unusually severe weather is expected, particularly from Jan. 18 to 23. Near Jan. 19 a great norther, a blizzard, is expected in the northern Rockies and central valleys; much suffering and inconvenience may be avoided by being prepared.

These storms will belong to a new weather era and will inaugurate the 1917 crop season. For January the precipitation for this continent will go to the northern Rockies, Pacific slope and particularly to Alaska. A second part of the precipitation will go to Central America, northwestern South America and eastern Cuba.

Another severe storm period is expected during last week of January. Better not plan outdoor matters for that week. The 1917 storms are not expected to be so severe as were those of 1916, but the crop weather will be a matter of exceedingly great importance. We are now inclined to believe that Joseph knew something about planetary influences on the weather, otherwise he could not have advised the king of Egypt to lay up a bountiful supply of grain and other supplies for use during a series of drouth years which he predicted.

NAIL THIS OPPORTUNITY

IT MEANS YOU, SIR—

Judging from the eagerness with which men and women responded to our January Sale opened Saturday Morning, we are determined to exceed our former resolutions. Your response warrants our greatest efforts. We almost feel like throwing down the gauntlet and calling it a Challenge Sale.

We can honestly challenge competition, to offer greater inducements on good, honest, worthy Clothing, Hats and Furnishings.

We repeat our Saturday ad. and say we have not one single undesirable article in Oak Hall Store. All choice merchandise, and we told you the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth about our January Sale.

Note—Previously advertised goods are at your pleasure during January or until lines are sold out.

Below are some additional bargains—

Large Men's Ulsters
10 large sized men's double breasted, convertible collars, some with belt backs, good strong tweed ulsters. Worth up to $13.50. Sizes 42 to 48 only. Special ... 9.95

Light and Medium Weight Overcoats $15.00
Here is your chance to buy a beautiful all-wool grey or black fly front overcoat, self collar, wool linings, some with bluff edges. A gentleman's dressy coat. Most suitable for spring wear. Worth $18.00 and $20.00. Special ... 15.00

Young Men's Overcoats
All our choice short, smart, nifty young men's coats, Canadian, Jellicoe, Oxford and Beatty styles. Single and double breasted styles, small and medium sizes only. Made especially for young men. Worth up to $20.00 and $22.00, for ... 15.00

Boys' Ulsters
Heavy diagonal tweed ulsters for boys from 13 to 18 years. Convertible collar, belt back, well made and lined. Coats well worth $8.50, for ... 5.95

Boys' Overcoats
Sizes 3 to 8 years, heavy brown, grey and blue chinchilla and light tweeds, flannelette lined, button close up at neck, belt all around. Coats worth $5.50, for ... 3.95

Men's Suits
Extra good quality tweed suits. All sizes from 36 to 46. Linings, trimming and make guaranteed. Not many of any size, mostly old cloths. Worth up to $15.00, for ... 10.75

Boys' Suits
56 fine tweed suits for boys from 7 to 15 years. Made double breast, good full bloomers, mostly light colours. Just the thing for spring suits. Good quality at old prices. Suits from $6.50 to $12.00 selling at ... $4.95 to 8.50

Men's Shirts
Soft and Hard Cuffs ...
Hard Cuffs—Regular $1.00 and $1.25 ...
Work Shirts—Worth 75c ...
Work Shirts—Worth $1.00 ...
Shirts and Drawers—(Penman's) ...
Men's Combinations (Special) ... $1.00, $1.50, $2.00 and $2.50

Men's Hats
Hard and soft, newest style. Worth $2.50 and $3.00 ... 1.95

Raincoats $8.95
Boys' Jerseys—All colours ... $1.00 and $1.25
Buy a raincoat now. You will soon be needing it. An all-wool parawaitex sewn and gummed seams. Worth $12.00, for ... 8.95

Let Quality influence you and not the price. We respectfully ask you to come to our January Sale and see what price will buy here in way of Quality.

OAK HALL *M. J. MAHER Manager*

SUPPLY OF COAL CAME ON SATURDAY

It was reported to-day that the arrival of a number of cars of coal on Saturday had relieved the tension locally. few of the dealers received supplied and others report cars on the way, but they are provokingly slow in arriving. It is expected that the stringency will be entirely remedied in a short time.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

TORONTO, Jan. 8.—Live Stock Market—Receipts heavy, trade active. Prices: Choice heavy steers, $9.40 to $10.25; choice butcher, $8.75 to $9.25; hogs, fed and watered $12.50 to $12.60. Others unchanged.

"BUFFALO BILL" WORSE.

Col. Cody Nearing Death At His Home in Colorado.

Gledwood Springs, Col., Jan. 8.—The condition of Col. Wm. F. Cody ("Buffalo Bill") took a turn for the worse early Saturday, and his physician announced he was hurrying the colonel back to Denver.

"Col. Cody is slowly nearing the end, and cannot recover from his present illness," the physician in attendance announced.

VIENNA HAS ANOTHER CRISIS.

Government Denies Home Rule to Galicia.

Copenhagen, Jan. 8.—via London.—A Vienna despatch published in the Lokal Anzeiger of Berlin, says a new Austrain Cabinet crisis has arisen owing to the refusal of the Government to grant home rule to Galicia as promised by Emperor Francis Joseph.

Dr. Sylvester president of the Austrian Chamber of Deputies has resigned.

EVER ENVY THE RICH?

Read Names Found on Pawn Shop Register.

Ever have to make a quick "touch" from an "uncle" and envy the well known rich as they winter in Palm Beach and summer most everywhere? Then cheer up, see what the records of New York pawn shops show, to wit:

Item—"Vincent Astor" pledged pair of trousers for 75 cents three months ago.

Item — "Lillian Russell" hocked satchel containing a toilet set, and if she doesn't rustle up the interest before long she'll lose it.

Item—"Andrew Carnegie" soaked his razor and strop—perhaps because he needed the money to endow some college or other—and never even paid the interest.

BROCK ST. RINK
TO-NIGHT!
HOCKEY MATCH
COBOURG
VS
247th BATT.

MODEL SHOE SHOP
Quick shoe repairing done in a manner; fashionable shoes made to order. Cripples' shoes a specialty. heels put on, skates sharpened and so on. Come in and see us workmen our trio shoe finisher.
M. VENERANDA West of Simcoe and Murray
SIMCOE STREET

Dawson Bros.
GROCERS
Cor. George & London

Currants, re-cleaned, pound ...
Valencia raisins, choice, pound ...
Mixed peel, lemon, orange, citron ... pound ...
Fresh dates, pound ...
Cooking figs, 2 pound ...
Allen's famous apple cider, per gal. ...
Home-made mince meat, pound ...
Cranberries for your Christmas turkey, quart ...

SPECIAL.
Swift's premium bacon, put up expressly for boys at the front. Packed in sealtite and waterproof paper. Each piece sells at ... White beans, fancy, picked, ... pound ...
Prunes, large and meaty, 2 pound ...
Malaga grapes, pound ...
Lemons, large and juicy, dozen ...
Auto brand salmon extra value ...
Turnips. We have a limited amount of real choice turnips. Your goose will taste better if you serve turnips. Per bag ...
Oranges, large, sweet and juicy. Doz., 25c., 40c. and ...
Prompt Delivery - - 'Phone ...

BOWLING FOR HEALTH
THE WATER ST. ALLEYS
J. J. SOLOMON, Prop.
Bowlers Never Get Appendicitis

Industrial Night School Technical Re-Opens Jan. 8

FOR FULL PARTICULARS SEE PAGE 10

COMFORT IN THE HOME

¶ *Half the pleasure of living springs from the comfort derived from the HOME-FURNISHINGS—in them their should be restfulness for the body and charm for the eye, and to be still more truly helpful, the consciousness that they will stand the wear and tear of time should always prevail.*

¶ *THE LIVING-ROOM FURNITURE we are now making to order in our own workrooms possesses all the virtues that makes for better homes. In construction it is true to the heart, it is good to look upon and as comfortable as Furniture can be made to sit upon.*

¶ *Come in and see some of the good comfortable pieces of Furniture we are showing. Select the coverings to harmonize with your room. Then you will have a Living Room both comfortable and good to look upon.*

¶ *Our Prices are very moderate for this class of Furniture. Workmanship Guaranteed in every particular.*

RICHARD HALL & SON LIMITED

THE POWER OF THE GRACE OF GOD TO FREE A MAN FROM SIN

Impressive Sermon on This Topic by Rev. J. P. Wilson at Trinity Methodist Church Last Evening

THE HABIT OF PRAYER

Trinity Methodist church last ... the Rev. Mr. Wilson delivered ... Sunday evening discourse of ... Year on the power of habit ... a man to sin, and the power ... Grace of God to release a man ... bonds. His choice as his text ... verses of the 13th Chapter of ... which reads: "Can the Eth... change his skin or the leopard ... Then may ye also do good ... accustomed to do evil.

... fatally upon the reference ... to the Ethiopean and his ... Wilson said that one of the ... perplexities to the American ... day was the negro problem. ... Jeremiah will help you out." ... negroes had been bought as ... from their homes to America, ... the United States, as a result ... is trying to solve one of the ... harassing of its problems.

... words of the text, spoken by ... prophet Jeremiah were intended ... to warn men of the condi... which they were living, ... them if possible to remedy ... situation. His utterance seemed ... discouragement because the ... cannot change his skin nor ... his spots. But the people ... ordered so far away from God ... felt no desire to worship ... Him. There were the people ... had been revealed the oracles ... God. These were descendants of ... which shows that the bond... ...ger than blood. We speak, ... Wilson of the chains of vice ... ...ity. Why is it that we never ... of the chains of honour or ... Because the last two men... ...ural qualities are naturally ... of free men and free ... the speaker quoted, ... that heareth these ... and doeth them not, ... unto a foolish man ... his house upon the sand. ... descended, and the flood ... winds blew and beat ... and it fell, and great ... it." The only way one ... is just as we build ... by thinks and step by ... power of the body be ... by habit. We ... told it is useless ... hours for we cannot go ... nor sleep later than ... have been accustomed to. ... and profanity and ... this moral law is just ... virtue as for vice. It ... able to create habits of ... of greed, of sobriety in... ...ness, of morality as ... ...ity. The one way to ... ...ral nature is to culti... ...of prayer. There is no ... other process. The man ... ...ly and earnest and who follows them out is building a character that will stand the test. Every one of us is writing with a chisel and stylet on marble, and every stroke is indelible. We are building ourselves. Thus is the way with Christian character. It is a terrible thing to sin and yet we do not always realise it. Habits are easy to form. We talk about men beginning their lives at twenty one and girls at eighteen. The fact is that most men close their lives at twenty and most girls close their lives at eighteen. The first 20 years of our lives are worth more to us often than the remaining fifty. The danger is that we walk in the ways of sins until we have worn a path a good deal smoother than the surrounding ground and we dislike to leave it for the roughness of the ways of righteousness. There was scarcely a member of the congregation but could look back to days of innocence and say; "If I had only corrected that one sin, how much greater peace of mind would I have known in the years that have passed." Vice is never a side-track to virtue. How much it has cost some young men who just took one drink to be sociable, one game of cards to fill in the table, one visit to the gambling hell just to see what it was like.

Only in way came the moral nature, having been developed wrongly, be unmade. The power of God can, by a sudden bound, become the master of a man's whole nature. Men can sink so low that they cannot change, but no man can fall so into sin that the grace of God can change him. Who can believe in Christ the omnipotent son of a living God and not believe in his power to change man. Who will dare to discount instant conversion? What does history tell us? What else can we believe after studying the lives of Paul, Augustine, Newton, Wesley, Bunyon and others. All of these men came up to the invisible line, and the moment they stepped across it became a son of God. We cannot see the Mighty Hand but we can see men who have been lifted up by it. If there was anyone in the church tonight who were drifting, on that first Sunday evening of the New Year, they need not drink of it another minute. For the Grace of God could clear away their burdens and their worry. Just as we are making ourselves by the Grace of God, we are, and shall be throughout eternity."

FINED $10 FOR BUYING TOBACCO FOR A BOY

A young man was fined $10 in police court this morning for procuring tobacco for a minor. He and the small boy worked in the same office. The boy was too small to secure a supply from reputable tobacconists, but secured a supply from the young man. Under the distraction of greater difficulties the growth of the cigarette habit ... small boys has developed to a ...

FLOUR UP SUGAR DOWN

The following comment on the market situation as regards food stuffs, appeared in Canadian Grocer this week:

The Markets at a Glance.

Flour during the week has held in a steady market with increasing firmness, due to the net gains in the upward price of wheat. An advance of 30c. per barrel is recorded and the market is in continued firmness. Sugar declined 10c. per hundred during the week. This was stated in Canadian Grocer last week to be a strong probability. Conditions in Cuba continue favourable for a good crop of sugar. Butter is slightly easier, with a weakening noted in the price of creamery solids. Egg prices are weaker. Owing to the increased arrivals of new-laids

I will tell you all about what I will do for you in to-morrow night's Examiner.

J. C. O.

the price has declined during the week. Storage eggs, however, are firmly held, as supplies are diminishing. Eggs from the Chicago district will be an increasing factor in the storage egg market from now on. Poultry is in a dull market, many of the wholesalers having to place their left-over stocks from the holiday season in storage in order to save them from a dead loss. Honey is in fair demand and prices are firm in this commodity. Shipments of dried fruits and other commodities from United States points are coming forward better. Embargoes recently in operation on certain railroads in that country have caused much inconvenience and delay to Canadian purchasers. Peppers are in firm market, with an advance recorded in white pepper during the week. Cloves are also in very firm market. Chicory is in strong market and is expected to be much higher in price. Teas have held steady during the week, with possibility of higher prices through the constantly advancing freight rates and marine insurance. Salt has advanced during the week. Certain brands of coffee in the tin have also been marked up. Bulk pickles have registered an advance. Rices are firm. One brand of package oatmeal has recorded an advance. Business during the week was quiet at the year-end but opened up with much promise during the first days of the New Year.

A heavy feeling in the chest which is caused by indigestion, can be relieved by eating the juice from a ...

MAYOR DISCUSSES PROBLEMS ANTICIPATED FOR NEW YEAR

Pays a Tribute to the Management of Departments at City Hall and Unquestioned Integrity of Department Heads—Propose Fixing Assistant Chief.

CONTINUE WISE ECONOMY

The following is a copy of Mayor Duffus' inaugural address at the meeting of the new Council this morning:

Gentlemen,—In accepting the trust which the ratepayers have imposed on us for another year, I am sure you all feel, as I do, that a heavy burden is resting upon us. Each year the business is becoming greater and more burdensome and during the present year many important and intricate problems will require to be solved. We are passing through a critical period in the history of our city by reason of the fact that during this and the next few years we will be carrying what might be turned the "peak load" from a financial standpoint. Therefore it is encumbent that each and every one should do his very utmost to safeguard the city's best interests and thereby measure up to the confidence the citizens have placed in us.

To those of you who were in last year's Council and did not have to seek re-election, let me say I am glad to see you back looking so pleasant and apparently fit and ready to take up another year's work.

Ex-Aldermen Edgar and Evans, who always did their best, will no doubt be missed by all of us. In their places I heartily welcome Alderman Taylor and Alderman Smith. If these gentlemen prove to be as good aldermen as campaigners, they will do good work, which will be gladly accepted and very much appreciated.

It gives me much pleasure to welcome to the Council Board Alderman Worth, who was elected by acclamation in the West Ward, and whom I am sure, with youth on his side and his wide business experience, will prove a valuable member.

I also welcome Alderman Dobbin and McIntyre, two former chairmen who were returned by acclamation. These men are well tried and on account of their experience, we expect much of them, which I believe is forthcoming.

Now, gentlemen, I ask that "Harmony, Co-operation and Astute Business Acumen" be the ever prevailing spirit and policy of the year's Council. This is of paramount importance for without harmony, good business cannot be accomplished, and without good business and an abundant amount of it, we will fail sadly in carrying out our promises, meeting the expectations of the ratepayers and meriting the support they have given us.

I will do my utmost to carry out my part. I promise you I will be strict, but every member will receive just treatment and the rules which have been adopted for the successful carrying out of the business meetings of the Council, will be strictly adhered to, and by everyone doing his best, little difficulty should be experienced. We will also enlist, and I think we will have, the co-operation of the general public in carrying out efficiently the city's business interests during the year.

Finances.

The financial standing of any municipality very largely determines its business integrity and therefore the careful guarding of the city treasury becomes an important factor and should be kept uppermost in our minds, consistent with good, wise and prudent business judgment, more particularly at this time when our country is undergoing unprecedented conditions on account of the world wide crisis.

Last year we brought every reasonable means into effect to keep down the rate. Painful as it was, we found it necessary to relieve long and well tried officials in order to reduce the staff in some of the departments. This was brought about of course, by reason of the fact that the work was curtailed. We found it to be a business procedure ,just the same as any business firm or man would employ if he did not have work enough to keep his whole staff going, and I would recommend the same course this year under similar circumstances.

Peterborough should be proud of the management of its various departments at the City Hall. Smoothness and harmony prevails at all times. None have ever been accused of even the slightest irregularity. It is a matter of unqualified pride that our financial affairs have been so clean. We are not only free from serious reproach, but among municipalities we stand as representative of the highest type of financial integrity. There has been no whisper of scandal and the word "graft" has no local application.

The city debenture debt is reasonably high and as it will be several years before any substantial sums of debentures will have fully matured, it should be the policy of the Council to issue as few debentures as possible until such times as the debt will commence to mature proportionately with the expenditure, or the assessment increases accordingly.

In striking this year's rate you will all be made most familiar with the true conditions so that you will be fully aware of what you are doing, even though we have to hold an unusual number of meetings to accomplish our work.

The fixed expenses of the city, that is, the amount required to provide for debenture debt, schools, Police Department, Fire Department, ... but about one-sixth of the total expenditure. Therefore you will see that the amount over which the Council has control, is very small and consequently we cannot do anything of a very constructive nature without raising the mill rate. For this reason the utmost care will have to be exercised.

Board of Works.

I would advise as far as our Public Works are concerned, that only such work as is urgently essential be undertaken. However, we must keep in good condition our streets and sidewalks. It is not conducive to economy to allow our streets to get into a state of disrepair.

Additional oiling must be done to keep down the dust and preserve our streets. For this work I advise one extra distributing waggon in order that the work may be done more quickly, immediately the warm weather comes in the spring, so that the ratepayers will not experience the same nuisance they have heretofore. We may also be forced to install a storage tank for unloading carloads of oil in order to save demurrage charges.

Owing to shortage of good material for road repairing, we may find it advantageous to seek elsewhere for suitable road metal for such purposes and this should be taken up early so as to be ready for the spring.

A good supply of sewer pipes, cement, etc., should be secured at once on account of the rapidly increasing prices, in fact the same applies to nearly all material.

The foot bridge over the river at the C.P.R. naturally should be taken up and completed as early this year as conditions will permit, and I must ask the Chairman of the Board of Works to lose no time in this regard.

The water main for Auburn must be completed first thing in the spring, for the convenience and safety of the people in that section of the city.

Regarding the present Hunter street bridge, I insist on money being provided at once for a thorough inspection of the present bridge, as it is very old and may not be altogether safe for heavy traffic. This can be done to better advantage when the river is frozen over.

The question of a new bridge at Hunter street must receive the attention of the Council sooner or later and notwithstanding the high cost of material, circumstances may warrant its construction at a date which may require this year's Council to get plans and specifications completed so as to submit a by-law to the ratepayers for their verdict.

The attitude of the Dominion Government in regard to opening the canal, the Provincial Government in regard to Street Railway extentions, and the rebuilding of the Quaker Oats plant will have a large influence in this regard.

Sewers.—Owing to sewers, except at street intersections being wholly paid for by frontage tax and by the ratepayers whose property fronts on the streets they must naturally be built if properly petitioned for or when ordered by the Board of Health on sanitary grounds.

The Sewerage Disposal Location and Plant must be taken up as early as possible and every means adopted to amicably arrive at some solution of the whole problem, which, I hope, will be most satisfactory and advantageous to all concerned.

Surface Drainage is a question which vitally interests nearly the whole city, but I am of the opinion that this work should be left until after the war so as to provide if possible work for all those who may require it.

However, I would strongly advise that plans for such work be prepared so that it may be gone on with when the time comes, without undue delay. The same applies to any other work of a similar nature.

Property Committee.

In regard to some of the responsibilities which confront this committee, I may say that during the last year we have had good satisfaction with the incinerator. However, I regret I cannot say that work of garbage collection has been wholly satisfatory, judging from the number of complaints registered from time to time by many ratepayers. Too often the ashes and garbage are left and allowed to remain for days or until the next collection day. This should not be and will not be tolerated. The work is under the supervision of the Sanitary Inspector, and if he cannot control the collectors, or the collectors will not carry out the work according to contract, the work will have to be given to others who will do it reasonably satisfactory. I will ask the Property committee to take this important matter up at once.

The night soil collection which was very unsatisfactory last year, must receive the earliest attention of the Council and satisfactory arrangements adopted for taking care of the work as it vitally effects a large portion of the population as well as with the general health of the community.

Fire Department.

The Fire Department must receive careful and prompt attention. It has a considerable amount of good equipment, but there are some improvements that can and should be made, as it is not entirely adequate for a city the size, importance and area of Peterborough. The lives of our people, our factories and property are entitled to adequate protection and, must not be allowed to take any undue risk on account of inefficient fire fighting equipment.

The distance which some of our important industries are from the fire station ... is, I should think, impracticable ... appliances would be one way, and a good way, of making that provision, especially as such apparatus would be most useful for all parts of the city. With the quantity of snow we sometimes have, the question arises as to whether a heavy vehicle, such as a combination chemical and hose truck, would be the best, or whether it would not be wiser to procure two lighter vehicles, one for chemical tanks and one for hose, each to carry such other appliances as would be needed at the beginning of the fire.

The city has invested some $700,000 in a waterworks plant, a great amount of which is for fire protection, having installed, in addition to the water wheel driven pumps, which are capable of pumping 10 1-2 million gallons of water per day, an auxiliary steam pumping plant at a cost of $20,000, capable of pumping 3,000 gallons of water per minute, for the express purpose in case of use, anchor ice or accident or impediment to the water wheels from any cause whatever.

This is a large amount of money, and I am satisfied is money well spent by the Utilities Commission for our protection. But, gentlemen, a chain is only as strong as its weakest link. What is the use of having this large amount of money invested in waterworks, mains, hydrants, etc., together with about $45,000 in Fire Station, fire alarm system, steam engine, etc., and yet have inefficiency in other features of the Department. For this reason I would make the following recommendations:

1. That one, two or more pieces of motor-driven fire fighting apparatus be acquired, not too cumbersome or expensive, but such as will be most expedient and efficient for the purposes of the City of Peterborough.

2. That the proper number of good firemen be maintained at the Fire Station at all times, and that a system of efficiency badges be adopted for the members of the Department by which, commencing after the expiration of eight years' continuous service the badge shall carry an increase, and after twenty years of continuous service a still further increase, whereby the men who remain in continuous service on the Department will be automatically compensated from period to period for such service.

3. That a first-class Assistant Chief be engaged so that at any time the Department will have a competent officer to take charge.

4. That the Chief of the Department devote his time to the duties of the Fire Department, that he should not engage in public activities, no matter how commendable they might be, that will unduly detract his attention or cause him to be away from the Fire Station and the duties for which the city has him engaged, thereby reducing the efficiency of possibly half a million dollars' outlay for fire fighting purposes and making our property and the lives of our people that much more hazardous.

5.—That at no time or under any circumstances must the department be left without either the chief or the Assistant in charge.

Gentlemen, I make these recommendations advisedly. Some day something terrible may happen in loss of life and property which might have been averted. We have been placed here by the ratepayers. We must recognize our responsibility.

Legal and Reception Committee.

During the year no doubt a number of soldiers will return and at all instances when we can get the information in time, the trains must be met and the boys given the recognition they deserve.

Likewise, when officials from other municipalities visit our city, they should be given some attention. This is a practice carried out in other places and is always much appreciated.

During 1916 we have had considerable expense. A number of accidents occurred. This, I trust, will not be our experience during the present year.

Hydro Radials and Power.

During 1916 very little could be done in regard to radial railways owing to the attitude of the Government, which was, that no money could be provided for his purpose owing to the war. The power situation is not satisfactory in every respect in as much as it was understood that the municipalities would own the power and that it would be operated for them by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario. At the present time it is owned by the Government and it is the intention of the Government to continue this arrangement and not turn it over to the municipalities, I am of the opinion that the City of Peterborough should take steps towards owning its own power. We have it right at our door and it can be developed almost as cheaply, if not cheaper, than any other place in the province. For these reasons I strongly feel that a meeting should be arranged, and Colonel, the Hon. Sir Adam Beck, M.P.P., the dean of the Hydro, invited to attend and deliver an address in order to allow the people of this District to become familiar with the whole situation. Sir Adam has always been a warm friend of Peterborough and I am sure the people would be delighted to hear him.

The matter as to whether the Street Railway and Gas Plant should be taken over by the city or left in the hands of the Government must be taken up and considered.

Further Street Railway extensions must also be taken up and, if possible, carried out.

New Industries.

The Manufacturers' Committee ... interested ... Peterborough a ... manner in order that they may get operating again with the least possible delay.

More advertising will be required, so that we may get a full share of the new industries that may be contemplating locating in Canada. This will no doubt entail considerable expense but, nevertheless, must be done.

Provincial Highways.

Already an association has been formed along the front and considerable arrangements for the building of a concrete highway from Quebec to Toronto by the Government. This highway is to follow the shore of Lake Ontario along what is known as the Kingston road.

I have been made a member of the executive of the committee which has in hand that portion of the road extending from York County to Prescott, and I am of the opinion that it would be a splendid arrangement for Peterborough if the Government could be induced to build a trunk line from Port Hope to Peterborough at the same time. This road will be a direct route from the States from east and west, as it will no doubt be continued through Western Ontario and the large number of tourists who will use this route will almost invariably visit Peterborough on account of the Lift Lock, our back lakes and other attractions. This would be a good advertisement for Peterborough and will put a large amount of money into circulation.

Of course it will not be built until after the war, but I think it is imperative if we are to benefit by it, that the matter be taken up at once and thoroughly investigated with a view to getting connection at Port Hope if found advisable.

Senatorship.—I think this council with the citizens, should do everything in their power to induce the Government to honour Peterborough and district by appointing one or two representatives to the Senate.

My attention has been frequently called by ratepayers, and especially by the Trades and Labour Council, to the present ward system of holding our municipal elections. I have thought it worth while to direct your attention to this matter, so that if you think it desirable to suggest any change it would have your careful consideration.

Gentlemen, these are some of the questions which will come before the Council, and I trust the taking of them up and giving them the consideration they deserve will meet with your approval.

MANY DEPUTATIONS TO WAIT UPON GOVERNMENT

Examiner Special:

OTTAWA, January 8.—Conferences between Hon. T. W. Crothers and several of his colleagues with the representatives of the western coal operators and employees are being continued with the hope that a solution may be arrived at. The operators are still holding out against a further increase.

On Wednesday the majority of the Provincial Premiers will be in the Capital to confer in respect to Canada's returned soldiers.

On Thursday the Government will be waited upon by a large temperance delegation which will ask for Dominion wide prohibition and failing that legislation which will grant to the provinces larger powers for the restriction or abolition of the manufacture and the importation of liquor within the various provinces.

Other delegations are expected during the week in connection with the National Service movement, including delegation representing the Doukhobors of western Canada, who demand an assurance that they will not be conscripted into the army. They will probably get this.

Something For Your Table

New Year Presents that look well and WEAR well are a source of lasting satisfaction to the giver as well as to the recipient.

BRITISH-MADE SILVERWARE

The Standard of the World

In this line we offer some specially pleasing articles.

A cheerful welcome to all shoppers whether to look or to buy.

SCHNEIDER

The Jeweller, George St.

"It's Confidence That Does It"

Our Apples Selling Fast

We have still left the following Specials in well-known Canadian Apples:

Spies pk. 30c, 40c, 50c
No. 1 Seek-no-Further 50c
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We bought right & give you the benefit

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All Millinery Half Price And Less

Shapes and Trimmed Millinery

There comes a time during the year when every millinery department must make a clearance of hats, and at such a period the cost is not considered and the price must be the salient point. Remember that this sale will not be a clearance in name only, the prices are such that it will be a reality.

None have been spared, every trimmed hat and shape in the department have yielded to reduction. Velvets, Valours—Dress and Tailored Hats, in fact every headpiece in the department at Half and Less Than Half Price.

All $15.00 Millinery - $6.00
All $10.00 " - $5.00
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All $7.00 " - $3.50

$2.50 to $6.00 Shapes 99c

Velvets, Velour Felts and Hatters' Plushes—all this season's styles. The price is one that you will appreciate. Sale each **99c**

Trimmed Millinery at $2.00

We have massed on one table a number of $6.00 & $7.00 Trimmed Hats all this season's models and are offering them for, each **$2.00**

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A WONDERFUL MESSAGE FROM INDIA AS TOLD BY REV. R. H. A. HASLAM

Canadian Missionary From Kangra, India, Delivers Inspiring Address on Mission Work in That Far-away Part of the Empire.

A MODERN MIRACLE

Speaking in St. Luke's Anglican Church yesterday morning, the Rev. R. H. A. Haslam, M.A., of Kangra, India, brought a wonderful message to the congregation of that church. He not only brought a message of assurance and encouragement in regard to the work that has been done and can be done in India, but from the experiences of the missionaries in that land he related incidents which were well calculated to strengthen and renew the faith of all who heard him. If there were any present who listen Sunday after Sunday to sermons on texts from the Bible, and yet remained complacent in the belief that the days of miracle have passed, their conviction must have undergone a radical change while listening to Mr. Haslam yesterday morning. He told how one day in India the great miracle of the Pentecost was re-enacted before his very eyes when a zealous enthusiastic Indian Christian, who could not speak a word of English, spoke at great length on Bible truths to two English ladies who in turn could not speak a word of the native tongue; and yet the listeners understood every word that had been spoken to them. The story he told was not one he had gathered from reading or from other's experience. He had witnessed the whole thing. One day he was passing along the street when he found this fervent native addressing the two English ladies. The eloquence of his address restrained Mr. Haslam from interrupting the speaker, although it was certain that his two white friends could not understand a word of it. When he had finished the native turned to Mr. Haslam and said:

"Is it not true Sahib?"

"It is indeed true," returned the missionary.

"These are wonderful truths," continued the native. "Is it not most wonderful that God has revealed them too poor outcast like me?"

"It is most wonderful," was the reply, "that He has revealed them to any of us."

Then he remarked to the Indian that his remarks had been of such eloquence and truth that he was sorry the ladies could not understand it. Here the two ladies broke into the conversation assuring him that they had understood.

"But that is impossible," cried the missionary. "It is impossible that you should have understood."

The ladies, however, repeated for him the words and theme of what the Indian had just propounded to them so eloquently in his native tongue and he was forced to the conclusion that a miracle had taken place.

The Rev. Mr. Haslam occupied the pulpit at St. Luke's Church in the morning and at All Saints' in the evening. In the morning he took for his text the 20th verse of the 16th Chapter of St. Mark, which reads as follows:—"And they went forth and preached everywhere, the Lord working with them and confirming the word with signs following." Throughout the whole of his address the speaker urged upon his hearers to remember always that, in their efforts to forward His Kingdom the Lord would never fail to work with them, and in them, and through them. That was the secret of the work that was being done and had been done by the church that had won thousands of souls to Christ. Any success that attended the work in Kangra—and there had been success of the right kind there—was due to the fact that every missionary realized that God was working with them and confirming the word with signs following.

If the wonderful opportunity of the days that have just passed is to be redeemed, we must realize that God is working in us and through us. The speaker remembered one occasion was several scores of missionaries gathered together and spent three days on their knees in prayer. Hours would pass without an audible prayer disturbing the silence. The result of this great effort was in evidence in the years that followed. The rate of baptisms and of converts increased marvellously as a result of the indwelling of the Holy Spirit following this period of prayer. Men have given up working in their own strength for God—now they work in the Apostolic spirit, and have God working with them and through them.

The speaker had become more and more convinced as time went on that God had been with them in the choice of a field for their work. The opportunities in Kangra were wonderful. From that district come the best fighters of all India, regiments of whom are at the present time aiding in the trenches of France, and fighting in greater numbers in Egypt and Mesopotamia. If the missionaries in Kangra could but influence these men for Christianity their example would tell upon the whole Indian army as they were the superior soldiers of the Indian ranks. Then again there were regiments of Ghourkas stationed within reach of the missionaries at Kangra. The native soil of these men was closed to the efforts of the missionaries, but the regiments spent two months each year at home. The impression Christianity made upon these soldiers was sure to be transmitted to all at home when they returned.

Another great opportunity came through the location of a great heathen temple just a stone's throw away from missionary headquarters. To this temple daily come thousands of pilgrims and sometimes in a single day as many as ten thousand people from all parts of India opened the missionaries in the course of their pilgrimage to this heathen temple. The speaker had talked with men who believed that the only way of Salvation lay through holding one of their arms above their heads until it withered. He had come in contact with men who had kept the vow of silence for as many as ten years and had seen others who had cut their tongues out because they had offended them. Upon as many of these as possible the missionaries sought to impress the ideals and truths of Christianity, thus extending the influence of their work throughout the whole of India. From all these things it could be seen that God had been with them in the choice of a field.

God had been with them too, in the choice of a Governing Board. It was no haphazard event that the first Chairman of the Board was the greatest Bishop on the bench of the Church in Canada. As a member of the Board they had, too, the strongest evangelist in the whole of the province of Punpal to-day. The British Representative, who at first announced himself as not particular at all in attending church (much less a bigger church) became a convert himself and spent all the time not actually engaged in his official duties in efforts to assist in the forwarding of the Kingdom of God there. The British Governor of the Province, Colonel Thompson, who was in office at the beginning of the work, was an enthusiastic helper. He aided the missionaries in procuring a site for their building at a nominal sum, from the Government, and placed them in control of the work among the lepers. This latter gave them a greatly added power in the community. When the attitude of Colonel Thompson, who did all in his power to aid the missionaries, was contrasted with that of his successor, a Jew who did all in his power to hamper them, the speaker held the conviction that God had indeed favoured them unusually in the launching of the work in Kangra.

His special guidance could also be seen in the defining of the missionary policy. This had taken of the form of a threefold effort along the following lines—(1) Educational, (2) Medical and, (3) Evangelical. At first sight this plan seemed an easy one to perfect. This was not, however, the case as it was possible to waste any amount of money in schemes which, while in themselves good, were failures from the evangelistic viewpoint. The educational branch of the work took the form of a Normal school. In this school every single teacher who goes out to the pupils in that Province is brought under the influence of Christianity for a year.

The medical work proved an immense source of help. One day a whole crowd of strange women were gathered on the verandah of the hospital. When asked for an explanation one of them spoke out. She had been a patient in the hospital, and returning home had told of the wonderful institution where all casts were treated with love and given every attention. The women of her community would not give the slightest degree of credence to her story so she had said, "Come and see." After three days of walking they arrived at the hospital and stood on the verandah, a crowd of unexpected but welcome visitors.

The speaker referred to what had been accomplished by the native churches in India through their faith and prayer. "I have learned more of the power of prayer from Indian converts that I had ever any conception of here at home," said the speaker. Concluding he made an earnest appeal for the congregation to invest in lives—to give of their life for the lives of others. The people at home must do the work. The missionaries were but their agents. The speaker made a special plea in closing for those at home to let God work in them and through them.

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The sisters of St. Joseph's Hospital gratefully acknowledge the following donations received during the Christmas season and extend to their many friends sincerest wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year.

A Friend—3 Turkeys.
Rev. Mgr. Casey—$5.00.
T. Anthony—Holly and Crate of oranges.
Rev. Dean McCoh—$5 gold-piece.
Rev. F. O'Sullivan—$5.00
Dr. McNulty—Fluoroscopis Stand for X-ray department.
F. F. Garden—Oranges.
Campbell Flour Mills—Bag of Flour
Rev. J. O'Brien—Turkey.
Rev. P. McGuire—Turkey.
Douros & Co.—Apples and Holly.
Mrs. G. A. McDonald—Chicken Jelly, candy and plants.
Dr. and Mrs. Cameron—5 pounds candy.
Fountains Bros.—25 lb. Box Raisins
Mrs. T. Galvin, Ennismore—Goose.
M. J. Carroll—Turkey.
Graduate Nurses—5 Boxes Chocolates.
J. Driscoll—Cream.
Mrs. Gardiner—Chicken Jelly and Fruit.
Dr. Hammond—Large Fern.
Mrs. Geary, Ennismore—Goose.
T. Collins—Box of Raisins.
Mr. D. O'Connell—Goose.
Mr. Denham—Cut Flowers.
James Lynch—Candy.
J. Longe—Fruit.
Mrs. R. Stewart—Plants.
The Daily Review—Year Subscription.
John McGibbon, Lakefield—A goose.
The Evening Examiner—Year Subscription.

"GLAD TO LIVE AND NOT AFRAID TO DIE"

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Canada's War.

"This is Canada's war as well as that of Great Britain," said Dr. Edwards. "Don't imagine that the United States, with one hundred million people, would help you if Canada was in danger. They are not able to help themselves even when their own women and children are murdered as they were when the Lusitania was sunk. They are too busy making money. If we cannot depend upon the United States we can depend upon the British navy, to which every country in the British Empire, except Canada, has contributed. We were too busy talking 'autonomy.'" Dr. Edwards closed with an appeal to the young men of Peterborough to enlist and serve their King and country.

Good Missionaries.

Col. Ponton, who has three sons on active service, was the next speaker.

"I don't see enough young men here," said Col. Ponton. "This is a good meeting, but where are the young men. You who are here tonight can go out and be good missionaries in a citizenship movement to get behind the Peterborough Battalion. I hope your City Council will take it up, also the Board of Education. In Belleville, the Board of Education served notice on the eligible young men on the teaching staff to the effect that their services would be more appreciated in the ranks.

"I would rather be a dead soldier with his assurance of immortality than a dead citizen," said Col. Ponton. I do not ask you to send your sons to go and die, but I ask you to send them to go and live. Look up to heaven's canopy and say—glad to live and not afraid to die. There are many men in Peterborough as well as in Belleville, who can be found in the poolrooms. There was a hundred of them in there Saturday night.

Good Judgment.

The need of exercising good judgment in the matter of determining who should enlist was emphasized in a little story told by the speaker concerning a man in an Old Country town who one day was publicly humiliated by a representation of girls who undertook to present their victim with a white feather. The girls were astonished to discover that the man wore on his breast under his coat a Victoria Cross, which he had earned some time prior to the occasion referred to.

Col. Ponton produced a number of bulletins from the bulletin boards of some of the big London dailies, which referred to a big gain made by the Canadians in the vicinity of Ypres. They were as follows:

"The Chronicle" — Canadians retake lost Trenches.

"London Globe" — Gallant Canadians. The Ypres Recovery.

"Westminster Gazette" — Canadians Brilliantly Retake Lost Ground.

"Mall Mall Gazette — Canadian Success at Ypres.

"London Telegraph" — Canadians Recapture One Mile of Trench.

"London Evening News" — Brave Maple Leaf.

"Is that not worth fighting for?" asked Col. Ponton amid an outburst of applause. The speaker produced a gas helmet which was perfected by the British authorities twenty-eight days after the Germans made their first gas attack on the western front.

Col. Ponton closed with a stirring and effective appeal for men. The meeting closed with the rendition of the National Anthem by the Band.

NOTICE

If you have any kegs, cases or bottles of the Calcutt Brewing and Malting Co., please 'phone 98 and our driver will call and get them.

Calcutt Brewing and Malting Co. Peterborough.

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George Street Church Notices

An interesting meeting will be held to-night in connection with the Epworth League. Mr. G. O. Cameron, local manager of the Bell Telephone Company, will give an illustrated address on the evolution of the telephone.

The regular monthly Church Women's Missionary Society will be held in the church parlours on Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock.

The regular mid-week prayer service will be held on Wednesday evening.

The Ladies' Red Cross League, will meet on Thursday afternoon at two o'clock.

The Sunday school anniversary will be held on Sunday, January 21st. The Sunday school concert will be held on Friday, January, 19th. The special preacher for the occasion will be the Rev. Mr. Pearson, a former pastor of George street church.

At the morning service yesterday, the Rev. Mr. Peever referred to the death of Mr. James Stubbs. The deceased was an active church worker and his death will be regretted by a wide circle of friends.

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

Chicago grain: May wheat 139 1-4; July 153 1-2; May corn 99 3-4.

NEW YORK STOCKS.—Anaconda 46½; 107 1-4; B. & O., 84; C.P.R. 163, 159 1-4; C. P. Central 103 7-8, 105; Erie 35 1-8, 35; N. Y. 103, 103; Penn. 57, 56 3-4; Reading 103 1-8, 102; U. P. 134 1-2, 134 1-4; Rep. Steel 89 1-2, 89 3-4; U. S. Steel 112 3-4, 113 1-4; Anaconda 46 1-2; Amer. Loco., 77 3-4, 77 1-2; Beth. Steel 91 1-4, 91 7-8; Mex. Pet. 96 3-4, closed.

CANADIAN STOCKS.—Steel of Canada 68 1-4, 68 1-2; Dominion 64 1-2, 64 1-4; North Ston 92 3-8, 92 1-4; Shawinigan 78 1-4, 78 3-4; Dom. Textile 112 1-2; Can. Loco., not open ed; M. & Steel 67 1-4.

Talk of a new "look" forthcoming which will have a bullish effect is heard on Wall Street.

American Hides & Leather quarter's profits exceed $800,000 net, against $110,000 for previous quarter.

MILITARY NEWS

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Acknowledging a Christmas parcel from the British Canadian Club, signaler Allan MacNabb, of Peterboro writes from France as follows:—

Dear Members:

Your very fine and much appreciated Christmas parcel arrived two weeks ago.

You will likely think me a very ungrateful chap for not writing you before. However I hope you will forgive me when I tell you that the day after I received the same I was sent to dear old Blighty on leave, my, but it did go fine but it seemed to be over before it had really started.

On my return to France I was sent up the line almost at once, and as we are very busy up here at the present time this is about the first real opportunity which I have had to thank you for your great kindness.

It is certainly due of the club to send us boys these parcels. You cannot realize how good it is to receive a box out here.

The assortment of your box was splendid and everything arrived in A1 shape.

I shall now close wishing you all a very merry Christmas and a happy New Year, and the Club the best of success.

Sincerely yours,
ALLAN E. MacNABB.

When ironing delicate garments put powdered brits rest between the folds of the ironing blanket. A delicate perfume will permeate the clothing.

Ald. Weir Raises Question of His Duty and Power

In assuming the chairmanship of the Board of Works this morning Ald. Weir said he desired an understanding of his authority in connection with the Engineering Department. He wished to avoid friction in his relations with the City Engineer and desired to profit by Ald. McIntyre's experience. Ald. Weir wanted his position and his duties clearly defined.

Mayor Dallas gave it as his opinion that the Chairman of the Committee should be supreme for the working of the department for which he was responsible.

Ald. Smith, with the savoir faire of an old timer, stated that the chairman of each committee "should be boss of the job." Friction would follow any other method. He had carefully followed the Council meetings and had noticed that many small jobs ordered to be done were never carried out. The Council would look to the committee chairman to see that such work was done. They would be responsible to the aldermen.

WIFE FOUND KILLED CLASPING HER BABY

Husband Fled After the Shooting — Boarder in Rossi Home Tells the Police.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8. — With her baby, six months old, asleep in her arms, and with bullet wounds in her head, Mrs. Katherine Rossi was dead in her home, at Paterson, N.J., late Thursday night by Chief of Police Frederick Pickering. Feldasaro Rossi, her husband, a silk printer, was said by the police to have fled immediately after the shooting.

According to Vincaso Giardamo, a border, Rossi came in from work late and asked why supper was still on the table. Mrs. Rossi replied, he said, that she was waiting for him, whereupon Rossi went into his room and came out with a revolver. Giardamo, who said he fled after trying to protect Mrs. Rossi, was so frightened that he could not at first tell the police the location of the house.

Rossi was said by his acquaintances to have been moody and to have been in the habit or working off fits of anger by shooting at a target in the yard. Such a target, almost shot to pieces, was found by the police.

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PRIVATE SALES

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As there still remains unsold a large balance of my stock of Watches, Diamonds, Rings, Jewelry, Silverware, Cut Glass, etc. I am compelled to begin a more decisive clearance of the remaining stock by Private Sales, for the balance of this month

NO ARTICLE WILL BE SOLD AT FORMER REGULAR PRICES. GENUINE REDUCTIONS FROM

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Ladies' Gold Filled Watch—Regular $18.00, for $12.00

10Kt. Gold Links—Regular $5.00, for..... $2.50

14Kt. Gold Tie Pins—Regular $4.50, for.... $2.50

Gold Filled Locket and Chains—Regular $4.50 and $5.00, for $2.50

14Kt. Gold Brooches—For $2.50

Diamonds in rings, tie pins, cuff links and brooches at greatly reduced prices.

Rogers' Tea Spoons—½ dozen for..... $1.25

Rogers' Knives and Forks—Best grade. Regular $7.00 dozen, for $4.50

Cut Glass Berry Bowls—Regular $6.00 for $3.25

Gents 'and Ladies' Umbrellas—Regular price $5.00 and $6.00, for..... $2.75

SAFE AND BALANCE OF STORE FIXTURES FOR SALE

FIRST MEETING OF THE 1917 CITY COUNCIL WAS HELD THIS AFTERNOON

Mayor Duffus and His Colleagues Set a Dizzy Pace at the Initial Meeting--Meeting Lasted One Hour

Expeditious and business-like was the first meeting of the 1917 City Council which was held at two o'clock this afternoon. The meeting concluded at three o'clock, and in the hour devoted to the transaction of business the Council waded through a dense volume of business, which included such weighty problems as the smoke nuisance and votes for women.

Appropriation Higher.

The Peterborough Library Board's request for an appropriation of $4,500 was referred to the Finance committee. The appropriation is a couple of hundred dollars higher than last year.

Report on Debentures.

A report from City Treasurer Adams regarding the respective advantage of sinking fund and instalment debentures seemed to favour sinking fund debentures in preference to the instalment variety. Higher rates are usually secured for sinking fund debentures. The report was referred to the Finance committee.

Hunter Street Bridge.

City Engineer Parsons, in a letter to the Council drew attention to the condition of the Hunter street bridge which has seen forty-two years' service. Mr. Parsons suggested that a competent steel expert be secured to examine and report upon the structure.

Ald. Duncan said that one of the piers on the north side was being undermined, due it is thought to the current at that point.

The question of inspecting the bridge was left with the chairman of the Board of Works, the City Engineer and the Mayor, with power to secure an expert.

Tree Planting.

The matter of tree planting was also referred to in the City Engineer's report. Mr. Parsons favours the adoption of a system of organised tree planting.

Final Settlement.

The settlement of a number of matters in connection with the arbitration held some time ago between the city and the Peterborough Light and Power Company, was left with the Mayor, City Solicitor G. N. Gordon and the Legal committee. The matter of deciding how much the city shall be required to pay the company for new business obtained by the company prior to the final acceptance of the plant by the city, is one of the chief points at issue.

An Acknowledgment.

A letter acknowledging with thanks the receipt of a cheque reimbursing the Lindsay firemen for their assistance at the time of the Quaker Oats fire was received.

Smoke Nuisance.

In a letter to the City Council Mr. G. O. Cameron, local manager of the Bell Telephone Company, suggested that the question of minimizing the smoke nuisance be dealt with during the coming year. "Yours for a bigger and better city" was the concluding sentence of the communication. The matter will be taken up later.

Votes For Women.

A letter was received from the Ontario Franchise Campaign Association thanking the Council for its support in the matter of securing the Dominion franchise for married women and soliciting further efforts in an endeavour to secure the Provincial franchise. The Council on behalf of the municipality was asked to write to the parliamentary representatives and solicit their interest in the matter. Mayor Duffus expressed his approval of the movement.

Salary Increase.

Mr. F. W. Miller's request for an increase in salary was referred to the Finance committee. The City Relief Officer at present receives $700 a year.

Park Street Drain.

A communication was received from the clerk of North Monaghan respecting the Park street drain effecting the property of the De Laval Dairy Supply Company. Mayor Duffus asked Ald. Weir, the 1917 chairman of the Board of Works, to take the matter up at once and see that the work is completed.

Garbage Collection.

Mr. C. H. Clementi in a letter to the Council complained of the work of the garbage collectors. The matter was referred to the Property committee. "If the work is not done according to the contract we will call for new tenders," said Mayor Duffus.

Added to Committee.

At the request of Ald. Saunders, Ald. W. H. Taylor was added to the Fire, Water and Light committee, as a representative from the South Ward.

Taking No Chances.

A letter was received from Ald. W. H. Taylor requesting that an insurance policy respecting a company locally represented by Ald. Taylor, be returned in order to avoid the possibility of any question being raised as to the legality of the transaction. The matter was referred to the Finance committee.

By-law Passed.

A by-law confirming the contract for the removal of ashes from the city incinerator was passed. Mr. H. F. Doig agrees to do the work for one year at a cost of $155.

Board of Health.

Ald. Saunders, Ald. Duncan and Mr. James Murty were appointed as members of the Peterborough Board of Health.

Was Re-appointed.

Ald. Stratton was re-appointed as member of the committee to distribute the charitable funds under the will of the late Almira Grover Foley, for a term of two years.

Public Library Board.

Mr. E. H. D. Hall was re-appointed member of the Peterborough Public Library Board for a term of three years.

Protestant Home.

Ald. Dobbin was appointed a member of the Board of Directors of the Peterborough Protestant Home for the ensuing year.

A Starter.

Ald. Stratton moved that the sum of $3,000 be appropriated for the Board of Education until such time as the Council is in a position to take up the estimates.

Weekly Meetings.

Ald. Dobbin favoured a Saturday night meeting each week attended by the garbage men, night soil men, the Sanitary Inspector and others interested in the collection of garbage, where complaints could be heard and dealt with.

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PROBABILITIES.

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Through the courtesy of Mrs. H. O. Fiske, 204 McDonnel street, who has given her house to the Progressive Club for the day, an afternoon tea, with musical numbers, and evening, with special programme prepared by Miss Florence Gladman, will be held from 4 to 6, and from 7.30 to 10 on Tuesday, January, 9th. Silver collection both afternoon and evening.

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A SPECIAL MEETING.

A special meeting of the members of Lansdowne Lodge, S.O.E., will be held this evening at eight o'clock, to arrange for the funeral of the late Bro. Elcombe.

RETURNED SOLDIERS.

There will be a meeting of the Returned Soldiers' Club in the Armouries to-night at 8 o'clock. The meeting will take the form of a euchre drive, and refreshments will be served afterwards.

PIANO, ORGAN, VOICE.

Mr. J. H. Henwick, organist and chairmaster, George Street Methodist Church, has resumed teaching. Pupils prepared for examinations. Many present and former pupils holding good positions. Studio, 567 Aylmer street. 'Phone 1098. 28d-2

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ST. JOHN'S NOTICES.

Monday, 8:15 (daily)—Service of Intercession for Allied forces.
7:30—Girls' auxiliary.
Tuesday, 8:30 — W. A. monthly meeting.
7:30—Girls' Association.
Wednesday, 7:30—A. B. C. Club meeting.
Thursday, 3:15—Mothers' Union.
8:00—Choir practice. Boys at 7:30.
Friday, 2:00—C. W. A. Red Cross.
8.30—Business meeting.
4:15—Mission Band.
Saturday, 9:00—Boys' Choir practice.

On Sunday next Archdeacon Warren will preach at the morning service, 11:00.

IS CHAIRMAN AGAIN FOR THE SIXTEENTH TIME

Mr. T. F. Matthews Elected at the Meeting of the Utilities Commission.

At the meeting of the Peterborough Utilities Commission on Saturday afternoon, Mr. T. F. Matthews was re-elected chairman. This is the sixteenth year in succession that Mr. Matthews has filled the position with the Utilities Commission and with its predecessor, the Water Commission. In accepting the office, Mr. Matthews thanked his fellow-commissioners for the confidence they displayed in him.

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OBITUARY

ALICE CROLY.

Alice E. Croly, the five year old daughter of Mr. Lodi Croly and Mrs. Croly, formerly Miss Helen Croly, daughter of the Rev. John Trotter, pastor of the Murray street Baptist church, in Peterboro, some years ago, died in New York on Saturday. The funeral took place this afternoon at 3.30 from the Murray street Baptist church, the Rev. Mr. Webb officiating.

ALPHONSE McGEE.

The body of Alphonse McGee, another of the Quaker Oats victims, was found on Saturday afternoon. Mr. McGee, who was born in Kinmount, was 21 years old, and the son of Mrs. John McGee, Kinmount. Mrs. John Brady, a sister of the deceased, resides in East City. The body will be sent to Kinmount to-morrow morning on the 9.20 train, where interment will take place.

The remains which were badly charred were identified by his watch and chain which were found with the body.

MATTHEW McILWAIN.

On Sunday morning, after one week's illness, with pneumonia, an old and respected resident of this city died at 340 Aylmer street, in the person of Mr. Matthew McIlwain, aged 67 years. The deceased leaves to mourn his demise, five sons, William, Matthew and Robert of this city, Jas. and Herbert of Winnipeg, Man., and five daughters, Mrs. C. Burns and Mrs. Marvihill of Toronto, Mrs. W. Bates of Lanark, Mrs. Shrobbrook of Los Angeles, Cal., and Mrs. Ed. Cooney of Peterborough.

The funeral will be held to-morrow and interment will take place at Lakefield. Service will be held at the home of Mr. Edward Cooney, 340 Aylmer street, at 1 o'clock.

E. W. ELCOMBE.

Mr. E. W. Elcombe died last night at Nicholls Hospital aged 66 years. Mr. Elcombe came to Canada from Maidstone, Kent, England, 34 years ago and was prominent in the grocery business in Peterborough. He resided in Campbellford about 12 years. He took a keen interest in military affairs and was a member of the 57th Regiment. He was a member of the Lansdowne Lodge S.O.E., in which he had served as president, secretary and district deputy. He is survived by his wife, formerly Josephine Greer, daughter of Mr. W. J. Greer, Dundalk, formerly of Otonabee and three sons, Sergt. Clarence, 128 Canadian Overseas Battalion, R. F. Corporal Harold, 4th Canadian Reserve Battery, England and Frederick at home and five daughters, Lena, Georgie, Lulu, Audrey and Olive at home. The funeral will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the family residence, 527 McDonnel street to the Little Lake cemetery under the auspices of the S.O.E. The Rev. Mr. Greatrix and the Rev. Mr. Peever will officiate.

THOMAS LAPLANTE.

The death took place about noon today of Thomas Laplante at the family residence, 220 Rubidge street.

The deceased who was 78 years of age came to Peterborough in 1866 from Lepairie, Que., and has been a continuous resident of the city ever since. He was for a number of years bailiff of the First Division Court of Peterborough, but relinquished the position several years ago, when he was unable to fulfill the duties of the office. He has been ill for a long period but it was only a short time before Christmas that he was altogether confined to his bed. His widow who was Margaret McGrath survives, as well as four sons and two daughters: Frank in Rochester, Fred and Harold at Home and Roland with the 92nd Battery in France, Mother at home, and Mrs. E. M. Glover of this city. Mr. H. T. Laplante and Mr. H. Laplante, Crescent street are brothers and Mrs. Lesellier of this city is a sister.

The deceased who was of a very kind disposition had many friends who will severely regret to hear of his death.

The funeral announcement will be made to-morrow.

MRS. ROBERT BYERS.

Death claimed one of the pioneer residents of Cavan Township at an early hour Sunday morning, January 7th, in the person of Mrs. Robert Byers, who passed away after a short illness.

Mrs. Byers, always a very active woman, had been in fairly good health until the past year. On Christmas Day she seemed particularly well, but the day after became ill, and, though she rallied since that time, she took another bad turn about one o'clock yesterday morning, and shortly after passed peacefully away.

The late Mrs. Byers was in her seventy-eighth year, being born Oct. 31st, 1839. In February, 1860, she was married to Mr. Robert Byers, and with her husband, went to live on their farm in Cavan Township, on the boundary road between Manvers and Cavan Townships. At that time the land in that district was covered with forest and sparsely settled, and many were the hardships they endured in the ensuing years in clearing their farm. Her husband, who survives her, is in his eighty-first year. Four daughters, Mrs. Sarah Fallis, Millbrook; Mrs. J. A. Perry, 316 Maitland Ave., City; Mrs. Jos. Ingram, 304 Pearl Ave., City, and Mrs. D. S. Cairns, Bethany; three sons, Messrs. William Byers, Bethany; Amos Byers, on the homestead, and Pte. Milton V. Byers, with the 2nd Canadian Mounted Rifles, France; nine grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren, also survive.

Pte. Milton Byers, the youngest son, enlisted in Calgary, and was unable to get home to see his parents before going overseas.

The funeral will take place to-morrow (Tuesday) afternoon.

MRS. OCTAVE TROMBLEY.

This morning, in the death of Mrs. Trombley, widow of Octave Trombley, Peterborough lost one of its oldest citizens, one who has been a continuous resident for sixty years. Mrs. Trombley, nee Levasseur, was a native of St. Martins, Quebec, from which she came to Peterborough with her late husband, in the early fifties, and has lived here until she reached the advanced age of 89 years, outliving her husband about 20 years. Her death was due to an attack of la grippe, acting upon a constitution enfeebled by advanced age. During her three score years in Peterborough, Mrs. Trombley has seen Peterborough advance from the village stage to its present position of importance.

She leaves behind her two sons, Mr. John C. Trombley, 436 Charlotte street, and Mr. Napoleon Trembley, 149 Rutherford avenue, and one daughter, Mrs. Broughlow Hamilton.

The date of the funeral will be announced later, but will be from 536 Charlotte street.

Miss M. Wallace, daughter of the Rev. Mr. Wallace, formerly pastor of the Methodist church, Peterborough has taken Mr. Stubb's place at the Collegiate and will reside at 758 George street.

BIRTH.

FONTAINE.—To Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Fontaine, 311 McDonnel Street, Dec. 28th, 1916, a daughter.

DIED.

PERCY—Died suddenly at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. I. Sanderson, 800 Bloor Street, West, Toronto, on Friday, Jan. 5, 1917, Mary J., beloved wife of Stephen R. Percy, of 336 Aylmer street, Peterborough, in her 70th year.

Industrial Night School Notes

1. Registration for all classes in Industrial Night School will begin on Monday and continue on Tues. & Wed.
2. Every effort will be made to give instruction in all the subjects called for, if the requisite number of students enroll.
3. Register early in order to give the management a chance to properly organize the classes.
4. Look for further announcement.

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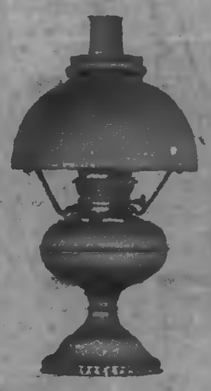

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NEWFOUNDLAND LOYALTY

Bereaved in War Recent Sympathy—Look to England

No British colony responded to Britain's call for men in the war with more alacrity and thoroughness than has Newfoundland, in proportion to her population. The other day a correspondent of the Boston Transcript, who had travelled through that island, told how the people are inclined to repeat sympathy for the loss of their sons in battle, so great is their pride in making that sacrifice. To one who came to condole with him on the death of his son at the front, a citizen of St. John's said: "I have a great mind to knock you down! I do not want sympathy; I have only done what I ought to do for my country."

England, therefore, is still the Newfoundlander's "country," after the centuries that have passed since Sir Humphrey Gilbert formally took possession of the island in Queen Elizabeth's name. Newfoundlanders cling to the English connection and the English loyalty as their one link with the great world.

We may regard the spirit which refuses sympathy in bereavement as the very fanaticism of patriotism. But we must nevertheless admire the spirit of this group of sturdy people, fewer in number than the people of our single county of Bristol, in the cold northern sea, who have built up a solid and self-governing community under great obstacles.

FOR HORSE BREEDERS

Ming Wastage Enormous—Start Breeding Now

The breeding of horses has become a matter of prime necessity. The demand is increasing and will continue to increase long after peace has been declared. If Canada is to take advantage of the situation the time to start in is now. There will be an assured market demand for foals at weaning time from mares bred now. Not only has the wastage by reason of war been enormous, but in all the belligerent countries, not omitting Great Britain, there has either been a partial stoppage or a whole stoppage of breeding by reason of the scarcity of labor, the disturbed conditions, or entire devastation.

Whether the war lasts or ceases there must continue an undiminished demand for horses. When peace comes there will be a long period of replenishment. Then quality as much and even more than quantity will be required. Hence the evident call to every Canadian farmer is to breed and to breed to the best available, to utilise his mares for production and to secure the immediate services of the best pure bred sire of type in his neighborhood.

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Russians Take 800 Prisoners And 16 Guns

Examiner Special:

PETROGRAD, Jan. 8.— The Russians take eight hundred prisoners with a village and sixteen guns near Riga.

LONDON, Eng., Jan. 9. —Russia's thrust on the Riga front assumed the importance of a continued offensive today. It has already gained considerable ground against the German columns and was apparently proceeding to-day with extraordinarily violent fighting.

It is along the reaches of the Aux river, apparently, that the most bitter fighting is proceeding.

Russian forces have made a distinct advance in this sector.

Artillery firing has increased violently all along this line.

Trade Routes Reported Cleared Of Submarines

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—Arrivals from Europe say that the British navy has again cleared the trade routes of German submarines several being captured or sunk.

Canada Leads In Democracy

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Jan. 9.—At the Bonne Entente gathering here yesterday it was declared that Canada has taken the place of the United States as the leader of North American democracy.

Accused of Blowing Up Italian Warships

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

ROME, Jan. 9.—An official of the Vatican has been accused of blowing up Italian warships.

Demand Arrest Of Market Brokers

Special to The Examiner:

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—The arrest of Tom Lawson and other brokers is demanded for creating a market scare.

Serbians Advance At Several Points

Examiner Special:

SALONICA, Jan. 9.—Battle on the Macedonian front reopened. Serbians advance at several points.

Sixteen Passenger Trains Cancelled

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Jan. 9.—Sixteen out of forty passenger trains in and out of Toronto will be cancelled to relieve the freight congestion.

GENERAL ELECTION IN AUSTRALIA

Special to The Examiner:

MELBOURNE, Australia, Jan. 9.—A general election is again likely to be held here.

VERNON CASTLE IN AIR FLIGHT

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Vernon Castle has been heard from. He is in the field in France with No. 1 Squad of the Royal Flying Corps. Here is his message to his friends in America at New Year's:—

"I have been out in France for six months now, and after the first of the year I am going to be sent to England on home service for a few weeks' rest. I hear that London is very gay now, and will be glad to see the old place again.

"On fine days we get quite a lot of excitement around here. Yesterday I had a battle in the air with two Hun machines. One of them I chased away. The other I shot down. He went down in a spiral nose dive and flattened out on the ground. At first I was delighted that another German was gone. Now I am sorry, for he was a brave man.

"I suppose you in America have heard of our good old friend, Lionel Walsh, who has entertained you many times in Broadway musical plays. A shell burst right where he was standing. That was the end of another brave Englishman."

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STORY OF A "TANK" GUNNER

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, January 9.—Winter weather forecasts renewed activity by the British "tanks," which the terrible mud on the Somme front for several weeks kept off the firing line. With a surface of hard frozen ground, the enormous possibilities of the "Willies," are likely to be demonstrated in telling fashion.

Some light on the discussion as to origin of the "tank" idea is given in the London Gazette announcement that Lieutenant-Colonel E. D Swinton has been temporarily appointed a General Staff Officer, first grade. This promotion is in line with reports that Colonel Swinton was largely responsible for the "tanks."

Colonel Swinton, who is a "D. S. O." and "R. E." was known the world over in 1914-1915 as the "eye witness" who officially recorded the French and British exploits on the firing line.

The London Gazette in citing some 1,200 men for valor does conspicuous honour to soldiers attached to the "tank" service.

Writing in a Swiss periodical Colonel Gablonsky says that the war has developed only one new invention and that is the "tank," which he considers far more wonderful than the submarine or the Zeppelin.

"It sounds like a myriad of hailstones beating against the window panes of a moving train," when in a "tank" under German infantry fire, writes a French machine gunner in the Frech magazine "Lecture Pour Tous."

"We were in the front line with our 'tanks,' in little groups of 'crews,' writes the gunner who was there.

"There was the crew of the 'creme de Menthe,' of the 'Diplodokus,' and one ironically styled 'The Boches' Victory.'

A SHARP WHISTLE.

"Suddenly the glare of a rocket lights up the sky, followed by ten, twenty, thirty others. A sharp whistle sounds strangely in our prison. The hour has really come; we are to start.

"My heart is beating violently—I do not know why. One needs to have 'sea legs' in this carcass of steel. The motor system of our 'tank' is gripping the soil, sticking to it, gliding and dragging itself along like a centipede. As we advance the earth everywhere around our track is ploughed up and thrown aside. Heavens, how stifling it is!

"A heavy thud, then a flash over by head. Our 'tank' is trembling from top to bottom, and has stopped for the eighth of a second. We have just fired. This perpetual rumbling over my head has a disturbing effect; the machine resounds, the air vibrates. They are getting it, those Boches. 'Tock, tock, tock! Thousands of 'Tock! tock!' re-echo on the steel sides of our 'tank.' The German guns have opened fire on us. But they have as much effect on our machine as pellets of bread against a wall.

"Splinters of wood jump up on all sides of us, the chevaux de frise are beaten down. I have the sensation of being in the interior of a gigantic iron wedge which is cutting through something like butter. We fire without ceasing, hand on gun and eye glued to the loophole pierced in the steel with the sweat pouring down our foreheads.

"Another violent shock, a heavy blow and a crashing. We are going straight through a wall. We are pulverizing machine guns. Grenades burst upon our armour. We are in the midst of the 'nest.' All at once, German heads with terror on their faces appear on both sides of use! To Work! Now it is my turn and that of my comrades! Our machine guns crackle.

"The Germans are in the greatest disorder. They throw themselves flat on their stomachs, they raise their arms to heaven, some of them try to run away. A whistle sounds in the 'tank' and it stops. Then wild cheers come faintly to my ears. And I see our boys in possession of the German 'nest'."

Death Sentence For Conspiracy

Special to The Examiner:

LONDON, Jan. 9. — Six persons sentenced to death in India for conspiracy against Britain in India. It was hatched in the United States.

To Encourage Metal Refining

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, Jan. 9.—Legislation to encourage metal refining in Canada is to be put through.

Admiral Is Dead

Special to The Examiner:

LONDON, Jan. 9. — Admiral George Warrender, aged 66, is dead.

Marked Activity Near Trieste

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

ROME, Jan. 9.—There is marked activity in the rear of Trieste. Italian raiding parties secure many prisoners

NORWEGIAN STEAMER HAS BEEN SUNK

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 9. — Norwegian steamer "Hans," 1,468 tons, has been sunk.

A Place For His "Staff"—A certain general, who is very small in stature was going to adjudicate upon some manoeuvres which were to take place some little distance from headquarters. Being somewhat pressed for time he had not changed into uniform, but drove to the railway station in muft intending to change in his saloon. The officers forming his staff were awaiting him, and so was the train but where the general's reserved accommodation was situated no one seemed to know. A guard was passing, and the general tapped him smartly with his cane. "I say, guard," he said, "where am I and my staff to go?" The guard hated to be tapped, and furthermore, he did not know the general. "You can go in that compartment there," he said severely, surveying the walking-stick, "and as for your blessed staff, as you call it, you can put it on the hat-rack."

GREEK SITUATION APPROACHED ANOTHER CLIMAX TO-DAY

Another Note Has Been Despatched to Greece Demanding Compliance With All Requests as to Disarmament and Neutrality Within 48 Hours

BLOCKADE CONTINUES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 9.—The Allies have sent another note to Greece insisting on their demands being granted in forty-eight hours. The Greek situation approached another climax to-day.

The Times to-day declared that the Allies' conference in Rome formulated and despatched another note to Greece, this time equivalent to an ultimatum, demanding compliance with all previous requests as to disarmament and neutrality within forty-eight hours.

Other despatches from Greece today indicated a serious food shortage, due to the continuance of the Allies' strict blockade of Greece. King Constantine personally set the example to his people by applying for and receiving a bread card.

Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Routley, accompanied their daughter, Miss I. Routley as far as Toronto who is on her way to California.

The many friends of J. N. Mann will be pleased to know he is slowly recovering from his recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Mann wish to thank their many friends for the kindness to them in Mr. Mann's severe illness.

Mr. Louis Potwin, Homewood Ave., spent a few days in Montreal last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Croly, New York City are in the city.

While in the city Col. W. H. Ponton, Belleville and Dr. J. W. Edwards Cataraqui, who addressed the Patriotic meeting last night were registered at the Empress.

Pte. James Freeman, 247 Battalion was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Freeman, Tweed last week.

Mr. W. J. Abraham, East City, left for his home in Stratford to-day upon receipt of word that his sister, Laura, was very ill and small hopes are held out for her recovery.

Mr. R. N. Early, lately of the Fairbanks Engineering Staff, Indianapolis, has returned to the city to take a position in the Engineering Department of the C. G. E.

Mr. Thomas H. Gemmell, brother of Mr. J. Gammell, of this city, was elected to the Guelph Board of Water Commissioners.

The condition of Dr. R. F. Morrow, who is confined to the Nicholls Hospital, is still serious.

Mr. Chas. R. Nixon, who has been ill for the past two months, is improving.

Mr. T. J. White, Lindsay, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Spence.

Mrs. S. F. Coulin and niece, Oshawa, are registered at the Empress.

Mr. and Mrs. Corney Burns, Toronto, are in the city to attend the funeral of Mrs. Burns' father, the late Mr. Mathew McElwain.

Major Walter Denison, a near relative of Mrs. W. H. Dunsford, recently received the D.S.O.

Mr. R. A. Dutton of Toronto, formerly of Peterboro, who was seriously ill last week, is reported out of danger.

Mr. F. M. DeLaFosse, librarian of the Peterboro Public Library, leaves to-day on an official trip to Toronto, Kitchener, Galt and Guelph, where he will inspect the libraries.

The Peter Robinson Chapter I. O. D. E. were hostesses of a very successful tea on Saturday afternoon. The unusual colour scheme of black and white was tastefully carried out in the dresses, aprons and mob caps worn by those assisting, who were the Misses Jessie Spence, Margaret Eastwood, Maisie Armstrong, Robina Cummings, Margery and Norah Hatton. Amoung those who came in to tea were: Canon and Mrs. Cornish, Col. and Mrs. Chas. Ackerman, Miss Edith McQuaig, Picton; Major O'Flynn, Mr. and Mrs. Basil Hall, Mrs. Carruthers, Mrs. A. E. Coulthard, Mrs. R. R. Hall, Mrs. Jas Hamilton, Miss E. Irwin, Mrs. Aylmer, Mrs. A. H. Stratton, Miss L. Jobbitt, Mrs. John Allen, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dunsford, Mrs. Geo. Hatton, Miss Georgie Stevenson. Miss Margaret Stevenson, Cadet Geo. Hatton, Cadet Donald Cameron, Miss Phyllis Cumberland, Miss O. Cavanah, Mrs. Cavanah, Mrs. May, Mrs. Chas. Graham, Mrs. Denne, Mr. McLaren, Mrs. J. Birks, Miss Quartermaine and Miss Wood.

Miss Mabel Patterson entertained at a small tea on Saturday afternoon.

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Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, $2.12 3-4, track, bay ports; No. 2 $2.09 3-4; No. 3 $2.06 1-4; No. 4 $1.92 3-4; old crop, 4c above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W. 73c.

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Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 64c to 66c; No. 3 white, 63 to 65c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter per car lot, $1.70 to $1.80; No. 3 $1.76 to $1.76.

Peas—No. 2 nominal, car lots $2.40.

Barley—Good malting, $1.16 to $1.18; feed barley, nominal.

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Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal; No. 2 new $1.36 to $1.35.

Manitoba flour—First patents in jute bags, $9.90; second patents, in jute, $9.40; strong bakers, in jute $9 Toronto.

Ontario flour—New winter, $7.30 to $7.50, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment.

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Hay—Baled, No. 1, track, Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots, $13 to $13.50; No. 2 $9 to $11; straw, $9.50 to $10.

CATTLE MARKET.

Union Stock Yards—Receipts yesterday, 124 cars, with 2,413 cattle, 164 calves, 786 hogs, and 448 sheep and lambs.

Market was strong and active all round, with prices from 15c to 25c higher on good to choice butcher cattle. Several loads of extra choice steers sold from $10 to $10.25 and two single steers sold at $10.50. Choice loads of butcher were firm at $9.25 to $9.75. Cows, canners and cutters all firm.

Sheep and lambs firm.

Hogs—Packers quote steady at last week's prices.

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Butcher cows, choice	6 25	7 00
do medium	5 75	6 25
Butcher bulls, choice	6 85	7 50
do good	6 50	6 60
do medium	5 00	5 50
Feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs.	6 50	6 75
do bulls	5 25	5 75
Stockers 700 to 800 lbs.	6 50	6 75
do med. 650 to 750 lbs.	5 50	6 00
do light 600 to 650 lbs.	5 00	5 75
Canners	4 10	4 40
Cutters	4 50	5 25
Sheep, light	8 50	9 50
do heavy	7 50	8 50
Spring lambs	10 75	13 75
Calves	8 00	12 50
Hogs, fed and watered	12 50	13 00
do weighed off cars	12 75	

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GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
CORRECTED JUNE 6, 1916.

7.00 a.m.—For Lakefield.
8.10 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg, and points east, connecting at Port Hope for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 11.05 a.m.
8.35 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
8.39 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
11.40 a.m.—Mid-day express for Toronto, reaching Toronto at 2.15 p.m.
12.30 p.m.—For Lakefield.
11.40 a.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
1.30 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
6.15 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
6.40 p.m.—For Lakefield.
7.15 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
9.05 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Boston.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
CORRECTED JUNE 5, 1916.

*8.30 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*12.12 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N.B., Boston, and New York.
*2.20 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed Perth, Smith's Falls and Ottawa.
*11.27 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and intermediate points, and all points east of Montreal.

GOING WEST.—
*4.55 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Galt, Woodstock, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*3.54 a.m.—Mystic and North Toronto.
*7.35 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York. Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
*9.15 a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port Nichol and intermediate points
*2.42 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Buffalo, New York, Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, London, Detroit and Chicago.
*4.45 p.m.—North Toronto and West Toronto and intermediate points.
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OUR SERIAL STORY

"DESTINY"

By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday.)

And while these things went forward Mary Burton sat alone in the private office of Jefferson Edwardes, waiting. Through century-long hours she had in her ears only the din from the street and that incessant ticking of the stock tape at her elbow.

Every few minutes she arose, and anxiously ran through her fingers the long thin coil of paper which it fed so endlessly into its tall wicker basket. She could make but little of those abbreviated letters and numbers though she realised that every succeeding glance showed a shrinkage of each value. One thing she could read with a deadly clarity—those hideous words that meant the falling of the outposts. "So and So announce that they cannot meet their obligations." There were other grim scraps of information, too, wedged between the hurried quotations, such as "Police reserves called to quell riot at closed North Bank," and finally, "Troops from Governor's Island to guard the sub-treasury."

Finally she went to the window, and raised the sash to let the cold air blow against her fevered cheeks, and as she did so she heard yells and the gongs of patrol waggons. The madness was spreading beyond the confines of enclosing walls.

Mary Burton turned, heavy hearted, back to the room's interior, and her glance fell on the clock. It recorded two-forty. She wondered when Edwardes would return. She had spent the day in his office because she knew that when he came in, as he had done several times, only to hasten out again, he found in her forced smile renewal of strength for his combat, which enabled him to go out smiling through the drawn agony of his harassment.

The hateful ticker drew her back with its light clatter. Perhaps at last it had good tidings to offer. Unless it brought them soon it would bring them too late—like a reprieve after execution. She took the narrow thread of paper in her hand, and glanced at its latest entries. As she watched the small type wheel revolve and stamp, it broke upon her that the inanimate herald was spelling out letter by letter, a familiar name.

"EDWARDESANDED WARDES."

With a smothered shriek Mary Burton dropped the tape as though it had scorched her fingers. She groped her way half blindly to the chair by Jefferson's desk, and, sinking into it, buried her face in her crossed arms. She could not have shed a tear or uttered a word. She was paralysed in an icy terror. That was how all these other announcements had begun: With the name of the failing firm. After what seemed a decade she drew herself up and sat erect and white, trembling from her throat to her feet. She forced her agonised features into a semblance of artificial calm. Suppose that he should return to her now, defeated, ruined, crushed and open his door on that picture of despair and surrender!

The clock said two-fifty-five. So she had been sitting here ten minutes! Grasping the arms of her chair, and bracing herself, she rose with a labored effort and went resolutely back to the ticker where, as one draws to one side a veil which may reveal tragedy, she picked up the tape again. She saw no name this time, and suddenly it called to her that the monstrous thing had passed callously on to other news—as though there were other news!

She dragged it out of its twisted coils in the basket and read in cold unpunctuated capitals, EDWARDES AND EDWARDES FAIL TO MEET OBLIGATIONS.

The girl reeled and leaned limply against the wall, and as she stood there overpowered and dizzy, a low, incoherent moan came up from her throat. Then, as she mechanically held the tenuous death-warrant in her pulseless fingers, her eyes fell on an item just finished:

MARKET TAKES TURN BURTON BROKERS BIDDING UP.

A comprehension came to her and her brain reeled in fury and torture. Now that his end was accomplished the Great Bear had turned bull. He would sell back on the rise what he had slaughtered on the fall, and when to-morrow's reaction came with its roster of deluded misery he would harvest vast profits on his massacre.

She heard a sound beyond the ground glass as though a hand groped before its fingers found and closed upon the knob. Then slowly the door swung inward and Jefferson Edwardes entered. His overcoat hung over one arm, and as Mary saw his face, her hands clutched at her heart, but he did not seem to see her—or to see anything. With a most careful deliberation the ruined man closed the door silently behind him. He did it as though he were entering a sick room, where he must guard against disturbing the patient with the slightest sound. Then he took a step or two forward and halted to stand gazing straight ahead of him, while with the sleeve of one arm he brushed at his forehead and moistened his lips with the tip of his tongue.

Mary wondered for an agonised instant whether the cord of his sanity had snapped under the day's terrible ordeal, and she stood there still leaning limp and pallid and wide-eyed against the wall, holding before her the tape that had told her the story—and not realising that she held it. Then the man awoke from his sleep-walker's vacancy and realised her presence. At the sight of her despairing eyes and inert figure restin- for support against the mahogany panels, his expression altered. His eyes woke to life and again moistening his lips, he forced the ghost of a smile which at first succeeded only in being ghastly.

"So you know?" he questioned.

Mary Burton did not reply in words—she could not, but she nodded her head and something between a groan and a sob came from her parted lips. Then her voice returned and she murmured in heart-broken self-accusation—"It was because of me."

He stood shaking himself as a dog shakes off water. His drooped shoulders came back with an abrupt snap and his head threw itself up and his chest out. With a swift stride he had reached her and folded her into his embrace. For once the regal confidence had left her and the courage was dead in her heart. She lay in his arms a dead weight, which but for his supporting strength, would have crumbled to a limp mass on the floor. But as he held her, fresh bravery flooded his arteries and his voice came clear and untainted of weakness:

"We still have each other," he told her passionately. "You once asked me whether, if you were penniless, I should still want you. To-day I am penniless and owe millions—do you still want me?"

Her arms clung to him more closely and the eyes that gazed into his revealed as they had on that first night, all that was in her soul. Once more she answered him with a question: "Look at me—do I want you?"

He swept her from her feet and carried her to an arm chair where he put her gently down, then he knelt by her side with her hands clasped convulsively in his own. For a moment it is doubtful whether he realised anything save her presence. His voice was the voice of the man who had met her by the mountain road, of the man who had come to her in the darkness at Haverly Lodge, and claimed her without preamble.

"The mountains still stand—and there are cottages there where even a very poor man may find shelter. I would rather have it with you, than to own Manhattan Island without you."

There was a knock at the door of the private office, and Edwardes, rising from his knees, went to receive the message. He came back very gravely.

"I have to face an unpleasant interview, dearest," he said. "One of those bankers who were crushed as incidents to my ruin—who was guilty only of standing in your brother's path, is here. I'm told that he is half mad, and I must do what I can." He opened a door into a small conference-room. "Will you wait for me—there?"

With his arm around her he led her across the threshold, and then, closing that door, he came back and opened the other.

The man who half-stepped, half-stumbled in staggered to the desk chair and dropped into it to raise a face in which the eyes burned wildly. The whole figure shook in an agony of unnerved excitement. He spread two trembling hands and tragically announced "I'm ruined."

Edwardes nodded gravely. "You need a physician, Fairley. You're unstrung," he suggested. "Perhaps a drop of brandy would help. I think I have some here."

"No" the reply was violent, and the President of the Metallic National shook his head with the uncontrolled air of a man is close to the border of insanity. "No, by God, I'm past physicians. What I need next is an undertaker." He dropped his head to the desk and broke into a crazed storm of weak sobs.

"There is no profit in wild talk," his host reminded him. "I'm ruined, too. We must make a fresh start."

"Fresh start, hell!" The words rang queerly through the accompaniment of a bitter laugh. "Hamilton Burton took me and squeezed me dry. He put the thumbscrews on me and bled me of my Coal and Ore stock. He made me a traitor to Malone and to-day when Malone might have saved me I had no friends. Then because you sought to befriend me, Burton turned on me and ruined me. My family will be in the streets. Now—" the voice rose into a high treble of frenzy which penetrated to the room where Mary Burton waited—"I'm going to kill Hamilton Burton first and myself next."

With the wild threat the banker rose unsteadily and his palsied hand went into his overcoat pocket, to come out clutching a magazine pistol which he brandished before him.

Edwardes' first thought was to seize the wrist, but the breadth of the table intervened and he knew that he was dealing with a man of temporarily dethroned reason. So he held the wild and shifting gaze, as well as he could, with the cool steadiness of his own eyes and spoke in a measured, soothing voice:

"I shouldn't do that, Fairley. In the first place you don't know where to find him. Your efforts would probably fail and you would only be locked up before you accomplished either purpose."

The noise of the outer offices had drowned the visitor's excited tones among the employees, but to Mary Burton, standing anxiously in the conference-room, all the words were intelligible.

Fairley leaned across the table, and for an instant left the weapon unguarded. With a movement of cat-like swiftness Edwardes seized it, but a wild snarl of rage burst from the other's lip and his fingers closed vise-like over Jefferson's hand.

"No—by God—you don't!" he screamed.

Mary Burton threw open the door, and saw the two figures bent across the table with four hands desparately gripped while between them glinted the blued metal of the pistol, which the frustrated Fairley was striving to turn upon his own breast and Edwardes struggled to divert.

Before she could give outcry or reach them, there came an out-spitting of fire from the ugly muzzle and a report which she confined space magnified to a stulen roar. Edwardes lurched suddenly forward and remained motionless with his face down and his arms outspread upon the desk, while a tiny red puddle spread on the mahogany.

Fairley had leaped back and cowered, suddenly sobered, against the wall as the outer door opened and figures poured into the room.

(To be continued.)

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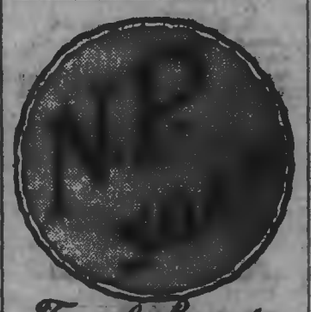

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Another tells you the same story, but tells it as some wear their rue, "with a difference." "Yes, we miss our men, but what we'll lack in crop we'll more than make up in glory. The Kaiser wishes we'd kept 'em home, I bet a cent; he knows by this time what the homestead lads can do when they start in. Sure thing!"

Out in a settlement beside the Saskatchewan Valley we came upon a little company of volunteers in training. The members have not uniforms yet, and there is no band or bugle. They have a marching song, though, and as they pass us, fine upstanding lads, they sing it lustily. It sounds good, a little strong maybe, but good. It was composed for the company, so these same volunteers tell us later, by the mother of the Armenian minister, and, translated into English by the interpreter over at the land office; and here it is:

"Ho! lads of the west, we must do our best
Wherever we happen to be;
We'll march against evil, and fight like the devil
For Britain, the land of the free!"

Did we say a little strong? We take it back, and wave our handkerchiefs wildly as the soldiers give the author three rousing cheers, following them with, "What's the matter with mother? She's all right!" The minister tells us gently that he asked to have the second last line altered to read, "We'll march against evil, and fight like true soldiers," but the two parties most interested objected. His mother said there was no rhythm to it, and the men said there was no "pep" in it. "So," he concludes with a smile. "I let it go at that—after all it is their song, and they're the ones to be suited." Just so.—Jean Blewett in Toronto Globe.

Our National Parks.

The national parks of this country cover a great area, 4,665,966 acres in all. If all were put together it would mean an area of 7,290 square miles, as large, nearly, as the state of New Jersey.

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Mr. Edwards was aggressively on the rector's side, Mr. Wells quite the reverse, and on one occasion their difference of opinion cropped out in a lively though brief dialogue which incidentally suggests the possibilities for expansion of the servant problem.

Mr. Edwards, having exhausted his arguments on his unresponsive brother warden, said:

"At least you will own that art is the handmaiden of religion."

"Yes," returned Mr. Wells savagely, "and I wish religion would give her a month's notice!"

Great Acting. — During the recent Shakespeare celebration a number of local amateurs appeared in the great dramatist's most famous tragedy. Next day the principal actor inquired of a critical friend what he thought of the performance. "It was great! Simply great!" was the reply. "As you played 'Hamlet' it was easy to see why 'Ophelia' should go and drown herself."

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OUR DAILY SHORT STORY

Fellow Mortals

By LYDIA PERKINS

"You are a worthless nigger, George."

"Yes, little mistiss."

"And your master and I will have to go to the almshouse."

"Yes, little mistiss; spec yo' will."

"Then what will become of you, George?"

"Go dar too."

"Do you think they would take in a nigger? You are more likely to get on the chain gang."

"Te, he, he, little mistiss!"

"What are you giggling about?"

"Dey ain't no chain gang. We goes on de fahm."

"You have been there?"

"Yes; I got sent dar 'bout a yeah ago."

"George, have you been a criminal?" His mistress looked at him with shrinking disgust.

"Spec I has," he returned glibly. "I been mos' eberyt'ing—crap shooter, buck dancer an' de res', an' crimmel," he added, with a touch of pride.

Mrs. Custis was paying no heed to the negro now. She looked dreamily out through the window at the mellow sunlight of spring. A longing came over her for her old home. She had endured the long and cruel winter with a stoical patience, but the reluctant spring made the sap of yearning rise in her veins. Suddenly she buried her face in her handkerchief, and like a faithful dog George began to whine:

"Dar, little mistiss; jes' yo' wait till de udder side de cloud flummux over, an' yo'll see 'nough silver to mek a braid pan."

"Oh, go away, you worthless nigger!" Mrs. Custis exclaimed, putting down her handkerchief, and he jumped extravagantly just for the delight of hearing her sweet old laugh, like the ringing of pure thin silver.

"But, George," Mrs. Custis resumed, with renewed dignity, "it is true that your master and I are seriously thinking of seeking public assistance." Her delicate cheek flushed at the admission; but, seeing his look of childish horror, she proceeded firmly:

"As simple as our living expenses are, we cannot longer meet them, and we must ask for help."

She threw up her little figure and proudly left the room, but she stumbled on the threshold, and the negro, with intuitive devotion, knew that her eyes were blinded with tears.

He stared with a dropped jaw at the open door through which she had gone. Then, with a volatile grin, he jumped to his feet and, performing a skillful clog dance, seized his disreputable hat and bolted from the house.

About a year before this Mr. Custis and his wife had drifted to the great city of New York. They came from Georgia, leaving their home desolate in order to be near their daughter, who had married a clever young artist. It did not take the parents long to discover that their son-in-law had difficulty in supporting his little family, so they, protesting grandly that they had an ample income, moved to a cheap little flat on the east side and in the frightful closeness of a few narrow rooms began an existence that was slow torture to their pride.

One day George Harries, one of the most unregenerate negroes in all New York, sidled up on their front steps and pulled the bell. A negro is not naturally a tramp, but he was idle and thought he could bully something from these forlorn old people.

Mrs. Custis opened the door and looked her wrath at his presumption.

"Does yo' hab any wuk fo' a po' cullud man?" he drawled insolently.

"No; I don't want any niggers to work for me!" she blazed out. "Get off my front steps!" She was preparing to slam the front door when he jerked off his filthy hat and burst out:

"'Fo' de Lawd, I didn't know yo' was a south'n lady; 'deed I didn't, little mistiss. Kin yo' give a po' niggah a bite o' somethin' to eat, an' I'll wuk my fingahs to de bone; 'deed I will."

And that was the beginning of a strange household — George Harries, crap shooter, low comedian and natural singer and dancer, and these poor, fine old southern people. And he was as faithful as though he was their slave—they as autocratic as though he was theirs by right of purchase.

So on this sunny afternoon in spring he shuffled along the street, dipping into old haunts that had not known him for a year. When he reached one of his former stands, he looked shrewdly about for a policeman and, not seeing one, began with great vigor and skill what is known to the initiated as a "buck dance." By the time he had danced for five minutes the crowd was so dense about the performer that it took a tall man to peep over the heads.

George paused in his dancing, took off his hat and, singing in a musical voice, "coon, coon, coon," went around collecting. This was all very well, but a policeman sauntered up. Finding the attraction was a live negro and not a dead horse, he virtuously redistributed the coins to the amused crowd, and George took a free ride to the police station.

By the time he was hustled before the desk his most reckless look had settled over his hardened face. The magistrate, who was looking bored, roused slightly when the officer explained that the negro was indulging in a disorderly dance.

"Why were you dancing?" he asked, with a yawn.

"'Cause I wuz," was the sulky retort.

"George," said the magistrate severely, "I had hoped you had stopped your evil living. It has been nearly a year since you were arrested."

A subtle change passed over the homely features.

"'Deed, boss," he stuttered, "I been livin' all right an' wusn't doin' nothin' today 'cept a little dancin'. I ain't shot no craps in a yeah mos'—no, sah. 'Deed, jedge," the fellow suddenly blubbered, "I don't know what my po' ole marster an' mistiss is gwine to do if you sen' me down. It wusn't fo' me I wus dancin'; it wus fo' dem—fo' Gawd it wus. Dey's quality folks, an' dey'd sta've befo' dey'd beg."

"That's a likely story," began the policeman contemptuously.

The magistrate motioned him to be quiet as he said more kindly:

"George, suppose you show me what sort of dance this was."

The negro's face broke into sudden smiles. Like so many of his race, he had a childish smile and beautiful teeth. He stepped forth willingly, and it was a pleasure to watch the posturing and gestures so absolutely African and yet dramatic.

The magistrate watched him intently. When he had finished and leaned panting against the desk, his honor shot a sarcastic look at the policeman and rapped out, "Case dismissed."

George lost no time in putting the police station behind him. He was hustling along toward home when a sharp faced, theatrical looking man overtook him and briefly explained that he had seen him dance and wanted to engage him for his company of minstrels.

George had been in New York too long to make an easy bargain, and at last the theatrical manager reluctantly came to his terms. George even got an advance on the strict promise that he would report that night for orders. Then he flew over the ground to the Custis flat.

He fell up the steps and burst into the kitchen, where Mrs. Custis was cooking a meager supper.

"Law, little mistiss," he ejaculated, not forgetting to pull off his hat, "'deed de Lawd has flummuxed dat brack cloud over, an' dar's some o' de silver linin' right dar." And he triumphantly gave her $5.

Then he told how he got the money. The poor old lady's tears were streaming and he himself was sobbing like a child.

"George," she said brokenly, "the ways of Providence are past finding out."

And he answered humbly:

"Dat's so, little mistiss; dat's so."

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Ottawans in England.

Talking of Canada, on my way up to London, while waiting for a connection at one of the big Midland Railway stations, a train pulled in bearing reinforcements for the Ottawa Regiment, says a writer in The Toronto Mail and Empire. They had just landed in England and were on their way to camp, preliminary to being despatched to the front. They stopped for about fifteen minutes and were let loose from their cages, so for that brief space the big, silent, sombre station swarmed with a cheery, laughing, chaffing crowd of khaki-clothed men, who looked the absolute embodiment of good spirits and vitality. They swarmed round the bookstall and I was amused to hear the discussions which resulted over a sixpence and half crowns. Owing to the liquor restrictions the refreshment rooms were only open for the sale of buns, tea, and such like, harmless and nourishing commodities, and as the recall sounded and the compartments filled again men and officers scurried back to their seats carrying paper bags in one hand and steaming cups of tea or coffee in the other. As for the penny-in-the-slot machines, which provided chocolates, cigarettes, and matches, I imagine anyone who wanted either after that train moved out of the station would have been disappointed, for they clicked incessantly under the influence of a continual stream of pennies.

Enlarge Maple Leaf Club.

Lady Drummond has secured two houses near Hyde Park, London, for an extension of the Maple Leaf Club, one to be run by the club and the other by the Daughters of the Empire. As some 600 men were turned away last month, the need of extension is evident.

Father's Definition of an Optimist.

Freddie—"What's an optimist, dad?"

Father—"He's a fellow who doesn't know what's coming to him."

Had Severe Cold
PAIN IN CHEST
SPASMODIC COUGHING

Many people when they contract a cold do not pay any attention to it, thinking perhaps it will pass away in a day or two. This is a mistake for before they know it, it has settled on the lungs.

Too much stress cannot be laid on the fact that on the first sign of a cough or cold it must be gotten rid of immediately, otherwise it may cause years of suffering from some serious lung trouble.

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Flattering to the Original

But Imitations Only Disappoint

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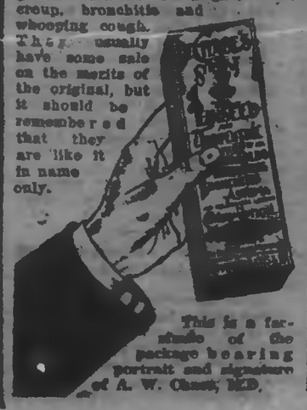

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Shakespeare's Benefactors.

Of the millions who keep Shakespeare's memory green to-day, how many have even heard of Heminge and Condell? Yet, to the faithful labors of these two poor players we owe the first attempt to give the world a complete edition of Shakespeare's plays. No collected edition of the poet's work was issued in his lifetime, nor did many of the plays even find their way to print, until John Heminge and Henry Condell, Shakespeare's intimate friends and fellow-actors, took the task of publication in hand, disclaiming "ambition either of self-profit or fame in undertaking the design," and being moved solely by desire "to keep the memory of so worthy a friend and fellow alive as was our Shakespeare."

Who Invented the Steam Engine?

The Marquis of Worcester, while imprisoned in the Tower of London in 1656, invented and constructed a perfect steam engine and had it publicly exhibited the same year at Vauxhall in successful operation. Thirty-four years later, in 1690, Dennis Papin added the piston to the marquis' discovery. In 1698 Captain Savary devised and built a steam engine different in many details from those made by Worcester and Papin, and in 1705 Newcomb, Cawley and Savary constructed their celebrated atmospheric engine, which was complete in every detail.

The above array of historical facts notwithstanding, James Watt, who was not born until sixty years after these great men had given the steam engine to the world, enjoys the distinction of being the veritable inventor, originator and author of the most useful contrivance of the present day.

Fulton, who lived and worked in the early part of the century, is given the credit of being the man who demonstrated that steam could be applied to navigation; this, too, in face of the well known historical fact that De Gary propelled a vessel by steam in the harbor of Barcelona in 1543.

The Great Vidocq.

Vidocq, the great French detective, was born in Arras in 1775. He began life as a baker and early became the terror of his companions by his athletic frame and violent disposition. At the same time he was a notorious thief, and after many disgraceful adventures he enlisted in the army. In 1796 he returned to Paris with some money, which, however, he soon squandered. Next he was sentenced at Lille to eight years' hard labor for forgery, but repeatedly escaped, and in 1808 he became connected with the Paris police as a detective.

His previous career enabled him to render important services, and he was appointed chief of the safety brigade, chiefly composed of reprieved convicts, which purged Paris of the many dangerous classes. In 1818 he received a full pardon, and his connection with this service lasted until about 1828, when he settled at St. Mande as a paper manufacturer. Soon after the revolution of 1830 he became a political detective, but with little success. In 1848 he was again employed under the republican government, but he died penniless in 1857.

Her Apology.

The local singer was resenting mildly to the hostess the large amount of praise which her guests was bestowing upon the visiting vocalist.

"They didn't applaud me that way," he complained.

"Oh, well, you know," she said apologetically and sympathetically, "he is a visitor whom we don't hear often, while we think of you as the Bible says, 'The poor we have with us always.'"

Then she was very much hurt because he refused to accept her apology and left the house in a huff.

AN EXPERT ON COLDS

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"Helen," he declared, "I was a beast."

And she replied contritely: "You must not call yourself names. I was horrid. I was a perfect little cat, Dick, and"—

But Mr. F. could not stand her self reproachings. He told her that he could not and that he would not bear to hear her slander the dearest, most generous, most noble woman in the world.

"Hush, hush—sh, Dick," she entreated. "We're forgetting that a telephone is not so awfully secret. Suppose Central should hear?"

Whereupon a strident voice took up the tale. "Central!" it sneered. "Central listening! I like that! Central's got something else to do but listen to the lovemaking of a pair of idiots. I can tell you that I've got other fish to fry besides paying attention to the like of that truck!"—New York Herald.

Two Cases of Eczema and How They Were Cured

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Mr. J. Brice, Temperance road, Parry Sound, Ont., writes: "Just a line to praise Dr. Chase's Ointment for what it has done for my wife. She has been suffering from eczema in her head for two years, and has spent no end of money with doctors and for ointments, which did her no good. She had about given up hope of ever being cured, when someone told her to try Dr. Chase's Ointment. By the use of this Ointment the trouble has left her entirely, so we have unbounded faith in it. I have told several people about the Ointment."

Mrs. W. G. Dowden, Greenspond, Bonavista Bay, Nfld., writes: "I suffered with eczema on my hands, and for eighteen months was so bad that I could not use a needle to sew or do anything. I could scarcely dress myself. Though I had lots of salves from doctors, I could never get much benefit from them. Then I sent for a sample of Dr. Chase's Ointment, and found it very different in action. It was not long before my hands begn to heal, and four 60c. boxes made them well. I cannot praise Dr. Chase's Ointment too highly, and frequently give some to others to get them using it, for I know that it will cure."

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POTATOES FOR THE ARMY.

Potato growers and merchants met in London and nominated a committee to act with the military authorities to secure the necessary supply of potatoes for the forces, says London Mail. Mr. A. G. Harper said Mr. Runciman had told them in conference that 20,000 tons of potatoes are needed every month for the army. A small expert committee is to assist the Board of Trade as regards the civil supply.

Toole Was Fooled.

Bret Harte was often asked to write his autobiography, and it is said that the idea had taken possession of his mind in his later years, but not a line of it did he write. It would have been worth reading, for the author knew most of the interesting people of his time. There is an amusing story told by J. L. Toole, the English actor, of a luncheon with Harte: "After a greeting from my host he said, 'Let me introduce you to the Duke of St. Albans.' 'Oh, yes,' I said, with a smile, and shook hands with the gentleman who was assuming that character, as I thought. Then he introduced me to Sir George Trevelyan, and I had hardly shaken hands with him when my host said, 'I would like to introduce you to Count Bismarck.' 'Oh, yes,' I said, bowing to the newcomer. 'How many more of you are there? There is Von Moltke, for instance?' Bret Harte laughed; so did Trevelyan. A comedian is allowed certain privileges, and my remark was considered, I dare say, more or less complimentary; but I had no idea what a fool I was making of myself. At luncheon I said to the man who sat next me, 'Who is the gentleman Harte introduced me to as St. Albans?' 'The Duke of St. Albans,' he replied. 'And the man opposite?' 'Herbert Bismarck, the prince's son.' 'No,' I said. 'Really?' 'Oh, yes,' he said. 'And the man talking to him?' 'That is Sir George Trevelyan.' I was never more sold in my life."

Swallows' Nest.

Two swallows, writes a correspondent of an English paper, built their nest in an outhouse, and the hen laid five eggs. Before they were hatched she was killed by knocking her head against the lintel of the door. For a month the nest remained unused and deserted, the eggs cold. After that time the cock bird found another mate, and he and the little hen were very busy for a few days bringing fresh hay and mud to the nest. I did not like to watch too closely, but I certainly wondered what they were doing to the eggs, as no traces of broken eggshell, etc., were to be seen on the ground. I let them bring up their young brood undisturbed and then removed the nest (it was getting late in the season), when I discovered that they had built a false bottom to it, with a new edging of mud to hold the hay together, and that the new family was brought up above the cold eggs. The false bottom, with mud attached, was easily lifted off, the cold eggs being found intact beneath. I do not know if this is a common occurrence. I have not come across it before.

TOO MANY ORDERS.

Canadian Implement Makers Cannot Keep Up With Sales.

Canadian implement manufacturers are not able at the present time to handle all the business available to them, not because of lack of plant, but of labor and certain classes of raw material. In some cases it has been possible to assemble all the parts and all the material up to 95 per cent. of the actual requirements, but neither "love or money," as one manufacturer put it, would get the balance. Even under this handicap, the Canadian manufacturers have been able to send abroad, during the past fiscal year, as many implements and of as great a value as in the fiscal year which ended March 31, 1915. This, however, is below normal. When war broke out the hopes of implement men were not bright. In Russia and Germany they had a large outstanding, which is still outstanding, and for a time it was doubtful if trade with other countries could be carried on. This uncertain condition followed, or came at a time when no responsible concern would push business in Canada. Our own farmers at that time, speaking now more particularly of the west, had bought more than they could pay for, and the manufacturers had to wait for their money before they could either go ahead and make stock, or, in some cases, make peace with their bankers. As the implement trade now sends half its output abroad the demoralization of the home and foreign market at the same time looked disastrous.

It was very soon evident, however, that the British navy would keep clear the road to Australia and to Argentina, with which countries trade has on the whole been normal. To the former shipments have been heavier, and to which reference will be made later on. The road was open to Russia, but there was another obstacle to trade with that country, and it was the value of the Russian rouble. During the week the price has ranged around 30 cents, as compared with a mint par of 51.45 cents. The exchange value is therefore at a discount of about forty per cent. Since the outbreak of the war Russian exchange has suffered most and has been altogether out of line with both the commercial reputation, which the Russian business man has earned for himself, and also with the resources of that great nation. It was impossible for the Canadian manufacturer to take orders, or fill them, under such conditions, and in consequence business fell off for a lengthy period.

But the Russian Government realised that it was as necessary to have the grain crop harvested as it was to maintain the trenches on their western front. Implements of agriculture were as essential as those of war, and this explains why the Russian Government detached vessels employed in carrying munitions of war to carry Canadian-made implements to Vladivostok. Still more effective steps were taken to procure necessary implements. Realizing that the Canadian manufacturers or those of the United States could not depend upon the value of the Russian rouble, the Government itself agreed to buy the implements needed and then resell them to the Russian farmers. After taking this step it was then found that to deliver them at Russian ports was a matter of time—a lot of it—which too frequently resulted in the needed implements reaching their ultimate destination when the harvest had been past without crops being garnered. To avoid loss in this respect very large orders have been placed with a view to having a supply ready in advance of the need for distribution.

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BAITING FOR BASS.

Reverse of the Usual Form Answers Well.

The following advice for Canadian fishermen regarding the best methods of baiting for the king of our game fishes:

When using minnows for bass (shiners are the only reliable ones), pass the hook in at the mouth, then out through the gill, and finally bed the barb in the flesh just above the tail. This is the reverse of the usual way; but answers very well. Keep the bait moving in a natural headforemost manner by means of a slight turning of the wrist. A bass seizing this bait, will either grab it crosswise or by the tail, and then bore toward his stronghold before swallowing. If given plenty of time he will flirt the minnow around so as to take it head first in swallowing. This is natural, but do not wait for it.

Upon the first twitch strike sharply and trust to luck. The bass has the minnow either crosswise or tail first in his first grab, and in either event the hook has two chances of taking hold. Two to one is good odds. If given time the bass will reverse the bait, and in so doing he may find the hook and promptly reject the imagined dainty. When hooked head upward the minnow plays in a natural manner; if hooked merely through the lips it may be taken without giving a chance to plant the barb firmly, and good minnows are scarce. If hooked first through the lips and then through the skin of the back, or the back fin, there is still a goodly portion of it at which a fish may grab with impunity. Therefore, hook the bait as described, and strike at the first sign, without giving any chances for gorging at leisure and subsequent trouble in removing a fairly swallowed hook.

When using white grubs pass the hook in at the mouth, or just below it, and on to the tail. This gives a natural curve, which few bass can resist. When the bait is crayfish pass the barb in at the mouth and through to the tail. This also gives the important natural curve, and a bait so rigged and sent down with Mr. So-and-So's compliments, is well nigh irresistible.

Another important thing is that baits so rigged may serve two or three times. This is no trifling matter, when fish are biting freely. As a rule, crayfish, frogs, minnows, and so on, are difficult to secure in numbers and the more service one can be made to render, the better. And furthermore, a bait so rigged will almost invariably slide up the gut, at the fish's first rush and so be preserved to do another turn.

When using a frog pass the hook first through the lips and then through the skin at the juncture of the legs with the back. In this position the frog can kick out and swim more or less, and in so doing make himself the more attractive. The grasshopper and the bee may be hooked crosswise behind the wings, and so serve their purpose.—All Outdoors.

Alberta's School Survey.

With a view to relating the Provincial Institute of Technology at Calgary not only to the existing educational system, but also to the commercial and industrial situation, the Principal and staff of the Institute have been charged by the Minister of Education with the responsibility of making a careful pre-vocational survey of the boys and girls in the Province between the ages of fourteen and eighteen, whether in attendance at school or not, with a view to vocational guidance and educational adjustments.

Also with the making of a careful industrial survey of the Province with the assistance and co-operation of the various departments of the Government, the local school and municipal authorities, and the commercial and industrial organizations of the Province; co-operating with the Military Hospitals Commission in the retraining of disabled soldiers, and, as far as may be, in the supplementary training of returned soldiers, whether disabled or not, who desire technical instruction; the organization of the Department of Mining in the Institute on the basis of the need as found in the experience of the past two years in developing technical instruction in the mining centres; the provision of such course in the School of Trades and Industries of the Institute as the limited staff of the first year may be able to provide over and above those involved in the retraining of returned soldiers; and the provision of special classes for teachers in technical subjects in Calgary, and, where feasible, the organization and supervision of similar special classes in the other two cities of the Province.

Nova Scotia's First Coal.

Garrulous old Samuel Pepys writing in 1667 mentioned that there is "Newcastle coal" in Nova Scotia, but it was not discovered in Pictou County till 1798. In that year the outcrop of the seam still known as the MacGregor and still being worked, was found on the bank of a brook at the rear of Dr. MacGregor's farm near the old Middle River road. For a time nothing was done to exploit the discovery, but the Doctor and his neighbors dug what they required for their own use. But in 1826 the General Mining Association obtained a lease of the mines and minerals in Nova Scotia, and next year they began work on the East River. The spot chosen for their first operations was close by Dr. MacGregor's house. It was soon apparent that his farm was necessary to the association. A sum that now seems small, but then was princely 1,150 pounds was offered for it and accepted.

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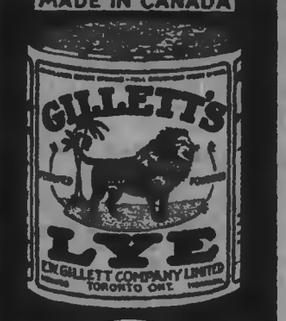

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GOING TO THE CIRCUS

By CASPAR DEAN

Aunt Sarah Bebee, after whose father Bebee's Corners had been named, was a widow past fifty the day a sporty looking man drove up to her farmhouse in a fancy rig and wanted to arrange with her to cover the front of her barn with circus pictures.

"Why, bless your heart, I never went to a circus in all my life!" she exclaimed in reply.

"But you are not too old to begin," he suggested. "Let me put the pictures up, and I'll leave you ten tickets of admission. You can go and take all your friends."

"Land o' massy, but you don't know Bebee's Corners! Everybody around here is a Methodist or Baptist or Presbyterian—everybody but me—and they won't even attend camp meeting if lemonade is to be sold on the grounds. I don't exactly know what my religion is, but if I went to a circus nobody would ever speak to me again."

The circus man wanted his bills on that barn, and he argued and reasoned for half an hour. He saw that Aunt Sarah was an independent character and that if he could get her started she'd be ready to defy public opinion. The result was that she finally said:

"Well, go ahead with your pictures. I never saw an elephant or lion or tiger in my life, and I'll go and see the menagerie part anyhow. There'll be an awful row around here, and folks will think that Satan has got hold of me, but I'll have to stand it."

The pictures were hardly up when Deacon Danforth happened along the highway and saw them. He turned pale and trembled. Not in twenty years before had a barn on the Red Mill road been thus defiled. When he had recovered a little from the shock, he walked to the house and confronted the widow. For the first fifteen minutes the conversation was devoted to Satan, hades, Lot's wife, Judas Iscariot and other interesting subjects. But it gradually tapered off to hyenas, boa constrictors and alligators, and the deacon was almost smiling when he left the house.

Next day Deacon Bidwell saw those pictures as he sat in his buggy behind his old white horse. The horse saw them before he did and stopped so suddenly that the deacon was pitched against the dashboard. For a long minute the good old man thought his eyes deceived him, but the true state of affairs finally dawned upon him, and he groaned and sighed and drove up to the widow's gate.

"Widder Bebee, have you sold your livin' soul to Satan?" was his greeting, and then the fur flew. It was nearly an hour before he left the house, but he wasn't sighing and groaning as he went. On the contrary, he looked rather cheerful, and he called back from the gate:

"Yes; I s'pose there 'll be camels there with two humps, mebbe with three, and they'll be wuth lookin' at."

There was one more deacon in the neighborhood, Deacon Burton. He was driving to town to get a pitchfork mended and was humming the air of "I Want to Be an Angel" when the colored posters suddenly confronted him. There were short skirted, long legged damsels poised on barebacked horses or jumping through paper covered hoops. He stood and gazed and felt cold chills go up his back. He drove on to the farmhouse, half expecting to find the Widow Bebee trying to turn handsprings over a kitchen chair.

"I wouldn't 'a' believed it, widder—I wouldn't 'a' believed it!" he began as he entered the house. "It's the awfulest thing I ever heard of, and you know I've been in Chicago twice and seen some awful things."

The widow had a reply ready. It began with hyenas and worked up to elephants, taking in lions, tigers, grizzly bears and sea lions as it rose upward. She talked so earnestly and well that when Deacon Burton was ready to go he reluctantly admitted:

"No, I don't 'spose it's any more harm to look at a lion than to look at a woodchuck if you don't git mad and rip and swear over it."

There were others besides the deacons. There was old Mrs. Gaynor, for instance. She wasn't exactly a scalot, but she never took a dozen eggs to market without asking Heaven to bless them and make the price 14 cents a dozen. She wasn't a bigot, but she contended that her own brand of religion was the only one to be saved by. She wasn't narrow minded, but when she heard of those circus peddlers she went down to see Aunt Sarah and to say:

"I've just stepped in a minit to say that if you go to that circus I can't never let you enter my doors ag'in."

Aunt Sarah started in to argue, but old Mrs. Gaynor was on her guard against the wiles of Satan and wouldn't wait for further talk.

The day of the circus arrived, and the widow drove into Medina to attend it. For some reason not to be explained a dozen farmers around her had business in town that day and made an early start—some of them before daylight. Some of them also lingered and drove home after dark.

It was all over the neighborhood that Aunt Sarah defied public opinion, and it was old Mrs. Gaynor who determined to bring her to book. She went about it in malevolence. She got up what she called a quilting bee and asked the three deacons and their wives and three or four others, and at a proper hour Aunt Sarah was sent for to be crushed. She arrived, and when asked if she had anything to say she very calmly replied:

"I didn't intend to see nuthin' but the animals, but when I got in there Satan beckoned me into the circus tent, and I went. The jokes of the clown tickled me almost to death. That's all I've got to say."

"Deacon Danforth, what do you think of such conduct?" asked Mrs. Gaynor as she folded her arms and rolled up her eyes.

"Nuthin', 'cept that I sat jest behind Aunt Sarah and was tickled, too!" he replied.

"And you, Deacon Bidwell?"

"Waal, the hosses was wonderfully trained—wonderfully. I can't sharsely make out how they do it."

"And you, Deacon Burton? You ain't goin' to tell me you was there too!"

"I got kind of tired lookin' at the two hump camels, and as one ticket admitted to all I went into the circus part," admitted the deacon.

"And where did you all git tickets?" demanded the accuser as a sudden thought flashed across her mind.

"Aunt Sarah gave us deadheads!" answered the three deacons in chorus.

"And left me out, when she knew I was jest dyin' to see the whole thing! Well, now, you can all go home without any supper, and if I ever speak to one of you ag'in I hope to fall dead on my own doorstep!"

Betting on a Certainty.

Peter Schemm, says the Philadelphia Times, was fond of telling the story of a German typesetter who had been boasting of his capacity for lager.

"Youse Dutchman," he was told by a bartender, "don't drink as much beer as people says youse do!"

"Of course not," chipped in one of the customers. "And I'll bet you, Dutchy, you can't drink a bucketful."

The German was lost in thought for a moment and then hurriedly rushed from the saloon, while the others roared with laughter. His boasting was still the topic of conversation when he returned, five minutes later, and calmly said:

"I'll take that bet."

The money was posted, a bar bucket holding five quarts was filled and the German promptly drank the beer and took the $5. Nobody questioned that he had won fairly, but one of the onlookers asked:

"Say, what did you leave the saloon for that time?"

"Why," he said as he winked with the air of a man who was far too smart for his fellows, "I just went down to Schmidt's and drank a bucket to see if I vould be safe in taking dot bet."

Standardized.

"Do you like Welsh rabbits?"

"I prefer real rabbits."

"Why so?"

"Then you know what you're eating. Nature makes all her rabbits alike."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

In Doubt.

"Sometimes," confided Mrs. Longwed to her intimate friend, "I think my husband is the patientest, gentlest, best natured soul that ever lived, and sometimes I think it's just laziness."—Christian Herald.

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Eating meat regularly eventually produces kidney trouble in some form or other, says a well-known authority, because the uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish; clog up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and misery in the kidney region; rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and urinary irritation.

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FOOD DISTURBANCES INCREASE IN GERMANY

The Russians Win Another Victory In The North

SERIOUS DISTURBANCES AND FOOD RIOTS ARE REPORTED IN GERMANY

Newspapers From All Parts of Hunland Also Disclose an Outbreak of Disease Caused by Underfeeding---Berlin Admits Russians Captured the Island of Glandon By An Attack in a Blinding Snowstorm---German Raid on French Trenches a Failure.

A SUMMARY OF TO-DAY'S WAR CABLES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, January 9.—Newspapers from all parts of Germany report serious disturbances and food riots, while they also disclosed an outbreak of disease caused by underfeeding. Similar situations exist in Austria. This phase of Teutonic unrest is assuming tremendous proportions.

Germans Failed in a Raid on French

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS (French Official Communique), January 9.—An unsuccessful attempt was made by the Germans to raid a French trench north of Ribecourt, following an active bombardment.

Elsewhere along the front the night was calm.

Lawson Will Be Reported to House

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, January 9.—The committee probing charges that a leak on the President's note to belligerents made millions in Wall Street for speculators, to-day voted to report Thomas W. Lawson, the Boston financier, to the House for refusing to divulge the names of the men who, he said, had linked a Cabinet officer's name with the leak profits. This may incur an arrest.

Berlin Admits a Defeat in North

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BERLIN, January 9.—A Russian attack, made in a dense snowstorm, recaptured the Island of Glaudon, north of Illuxt, said to-day's statement in describing the fighting south of Riga. A big snowstorm was raging when the battle took place.

Renewed advances on both sides of the Aa River were completely repulsed, the statement asserted.

The capture of Galreaska in Roumania was announced.

The town was taken by storm, in hand-to-hand fighting, and successfully maintained against all attacks.

Lawson Promises To Give the Name

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, January 9.—The revelation of the name of a "high official," which if now given would be "disastrous to the nation and administration" was promised by Thos. W. Lawson, financier today, should an investigation body with higher powers than the present House rules "leak" committee be ordered. This promise came after Lawson confessed that all he wants is to have Wall Street probed to the bottom.

Cabinet Proposals in Regard to Soldiers

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, January 9.—The Cabinet has drafted proposals for occupations and the general care of returning soldiers preparatory to submitting them to the provincial repesentatives to-morrow. While one of the important proposals is that of land settlement, it is realized that not all of the returning men will desire to take up farms. Other proposals are designed for the benefit of the latter class.

Whitehead Will Handle the Bell

Ice Will Be in Good Shape in Spite of Mild Weather and Junior Game To-night at Brock Street Rink Looks Like the Classic of the Season.

In spite of the mild weather, the ice at the Brock street rink is in good shape for to-night's big junior game when the Peterboro Juniors will clash with Bowmanville. The fans are asked to note that the game will start sharp on time as the Peterboro club have arranged with the O.H.A. to have the referee reach here on the 5.30 G.T.R. train, so that there will be no delay on that score. Dr. Jerry Laflamme was slated to handle the game but Secretary Hewitt informed the local club this morning that the popular player-referee would not be able to leave Toronto until the 5 o'clock train this evening. This would mean a delay in starting the game so the Peterboro management asked for another official who could reach here earlier, and Lawson Whitehead was named by the O.H.A.

The Petesboro team had their final work out last night before the intermediate game and are in good shape for their battle to-night. It promises to be a hard fight all the wayway as Bowmanville come here with a big reputation.

The game will start sharp at 8.15 o'clock.

FEW REFUSALS TO SIGN NATIONAL SERVICE CARDS

About Forty Local Men, is Estimate of the Mail Carriers —Chinamen and some Italians Couldn't Understand Cards.

FORWARDED TO-NIGHT

The number of Peterborough men who have refused to sign the National Service Registration cards is estimated at about forty, according to the count of the mail carriers who have made the collections. A Simcoe street citizen nailed his card, blank, on the verandah post. There wasn't one question answered and the method of conveying his refusal was accepted as a positive rejection of the card. Some persons have not been home when the postmen called, but on subsequent days they had their cards ready and added an apology for rendering a second call necessary.

That every citizen fared alike is shown by the fact that even the foreigners were included. But most of the Chinamen and many Italians professed inability and probably were unable to read the cards. Postmen are not linguists, especially in the Oriental languages. When the Chinamen blandly registered incomprehension, and it was out of the question to drag an interpreter, if in fact one could be found, from eating house to laundry, the "posties" renewed their explanations but without arousing a sign of intelligence upon their audiences. Some of the Italians showed a corresponding ignorance of English.

However, the collection is regarded as a complete success, and it remains for the government to deal, if it intends to, with those who rejected the cards. The rural districts are sending in their cards. It is likely that the city's collection will be forwarded to Ottawa to-night.

BILINGUAL SCHOOL QUESTION TO BE AN ISSUE

Special to Examiner:

CREEMORE, ONT., Jan. 9.—Hon. Isaac Lucas' speech last night indicated that Conservatives have determined if possible to make the Bilingual School question the big issue of the West Simcoe bye election in last effort to stem the tide which is rolling surely and swiftly against them in the present campaign.

Lacking the advantage of a farmer candidate and aware that Mr. Scott, the Liberal nominee and a farmer, is making great inroads upon the vote of the solid agricultural classes here. The Conservatives foresee defeat unless another expedient is employed to stop the landslide.

In a constituency where half the voters are Orangemen and Orangeism flourishes like a green bay tree the school phantom can be trotted out to try do the work which other agencies have failed to do.

SON OF HON. R. LEMIEUX TO JOIN THE ARTILLERY

OTTAWA, Jan. 8.—Another of the Liberal leaders has given his son to the war. Rodolphe, the only son of Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, ex-Postmaster-General, enlisted to-day, and will go to the front with an artillery unit from Quebec. He has just entered his eighteenth year, and has just completed a course at Bishop's College, Quebec. He enlisted with his father's consent as soon as he came of military age.

LADIES.

Would you like to know how to Cook. Investigate the possibilities of the Household Science class at the Technical Night School

CHICAGO CHIEF OF POLICE IN TROUBLE

CHICAGO, Jan. 9.—Arrested on a series of warrants, charging him with receiving graft money for allowing vice and illegal liquor selling to operate in Chicago, Chief-of-Police Charles Healey was free to-day under $100,000 bond. Warrants were issued to-day for several other Chicago police officers.

State-Attorney Hoyne says he has traced $25,000 graft money directly to the chief's pocket.

TWO MORE MEMBERS OF 93rd BATTALION HAVE BEEN WOUNDED

Casualty List of the Peterboro' Unit Has Been Again Increased---Buckhorn and Birdsall Soldiers on the List --Red Cross Reports as to the Fate of Corp. Fred. Stanley--To-day's Orders and General Military News

DIED OF WOUNDS.

Pte. Harry Watkins, Infantry.

WOUNDED.

Pte. W. G. Davidson, Mounted Rifles, formerly of the 93rd Batt., Birdsalls.

Pte. Charles Jones, Mounted Rifles, formerly of the 93rd Battalion, Buckhorn.

The casualty list of the 93rd Batt. continues to grow. Two more members of the Peterboro county battalion are reported wounded to-day. The casualty list contains the name of Pte. Harry Watkins who enlisted here in the spring of 1915, and went overseas with an Ottawa battalion. He is officially reported died of wounds. Pte. Watkins boarded at the home of Mr. Wm. Stanley, 455 Stewart street.

Another 93rd Batt. member, Pte. Charles L. Jones, 196105, is reported wounded in the engagement of the 28th December. A telegram was received on Saturday by Pte. Jones' mother, Mrs. John Jones, Buckhorn, and merely announced that he was wounded. His father is the postmaster at Buckhorn.

Pte. Jones was attached to B Co., of the 93rd Batt., and shortly after reaching England, was sent in one of the first drafts to France, and transferred to the 5th C.M.R.

Pte. W. G. Davidson, a Birdsall member of the 93rd, who was drafted to the Mounted Rifles, is also officially reported wounded to-day.

The Returned Soldiers' Club met last night at the Armouries for an enjoyable evening. It was intended to have a euchre drive, but most of the time was taken up with discussing the future plans of the club. Three new members were enrolled including Pte. White, who just recently returned to Peterborough from overseas. The attendance was rather small. This was due, it is believed, to the fact, that the announcement calling the meeting was not made till last night. A special meeting is to be called Monday next, January 15th at which every member is asked to be present, also returned soldiers who are not members are invited to come and see what this club is trying to do for them. Further announcement will be made later.

Mr. Robert Elliott, 196 Reid street has received a card from his son, Pte L. H. Elliott of the 21st Battalion now in France. Pte. Elliott states that he is in good health and working nineteen hours out of the twenty-four. At the time of writing he was suffering from a cold. "I am in the front line getting a few Fritzies, making up for my poor brothers and I can't get too many" writes Pte. Elliott.

The brothers referred to are the late Russell Elliott who was shot by a sentry at Kingston and Pte. W. W. Elliott who died from wounds in France. Another brother, Gordon Elliott is in England employed as a harnessmaker. He went overseas with the 93rd Battalion but was rejected in the medical examination in England.

TO-DAY'S ORDERS.

Daily Orders by Lieut-Col. C. H. Ackerman, Commanding 247th Battalion, C.E.F.

Orders for Tuesday, January 9th 1917.

1. District Orders No. 30:

QUALIFIED OFFICERS UNAPPOINTED.—

It is desired that all qualified officers (of any branch of the service) who are not at present employed, forward their names to the Assistant Adjutant General, Military District No. 3, Kingston, Ont., together with unit to which they belong and full postal address, with the least possible delay.

All Commanding and Recruiting Officers are requested to assist in bringing the contents of this Order to the attention of any such officer with whom they may come in contact.

2. WEEKLY RECRUITING REPORT.—

The attention of all Officers is called to the Weekly Report Original to be sent to the Chief Recruiting Officer, M. D. No. 3 and duplicate to this office.

3. INNOCULATION.—

The Medical Officer will innoculate on Wednesday, January the 10th at 10 a.m. Officer commanding A Co'y will arrange. The Battalion Sergeant-Major will supervise casuals at Battalion Headquarters.

4. QUALIFICATIONS.—

No. 1063025—Pte. R. Ray A Co'y

No. 1063033—Lance Corporal J. Wilkis, have been awarded Qualification Certificates, No's 2892 and 2890, as per District Orders No. 29, January 6, 1917 for Cole and Lewis Gun.

5. DUTIES.—

Orderly Officer for Tuesday, January 9—Lieut. R. B. Brooks.

Next for Duty—Lieut. T. Quinn.

A. E. BRITTAIN, Lieut and Adjt., 247th Battalion, C.E.F.

Corp. Stanley's Fate.

Mr. Wm Stanley, 455 Stewart street, has received the following from the Canadian Red Cross Society in regard to his son, Corp. Fred Stanley, of the 4th C.M.R., who has been missing since June 2nd:

LONDON, Dec. 22, 1916.

Dear Sir,—Re F. Stanley, 113570, 4th C.M.R.

Your letter addressed to the British Red Cross Society has been forwarded to us as we make all enquiries regarding Canadian soldiers. In reply we much regret to inform you that up to the time of writing we have received no good news. We are enclosing herewith copies of two reports that we have received from a British Red Cross searcher as no doubt you will like to read them. You will, of course, understand that these reports are simply statements made by comrades and that we cannot vouch for their accuracy.

On hearing anything further we will communicate with you at once. Assuring you of our great sympathy in the suspense you are enduring, I am,

Yours truly.
W. B HARRISON.

The enclosed reports read as follows:

4th Canadian Mounted Rifles (Stanley, F., 113570, missing 2nd June, 1916):

Stanley was in C Company, 12th Platoon. I saw him in No. 47 trench by Maple Copse on the 2nd of June, 1916. I was with him from 10 a.m. to 12:30. He was very badly wounded, hit by shrapnel in the arm and hip. I

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IT IS IMPORTANT

To benefit your defects of vision; it is important that your lenses shall be held in an optically correct position at all times. Our Mountings are correctly adjusted and will not pinch your nose. See Dr. Lacey and see better. 410 George street.

Lansdowne Lodge S. O. E. Members are requested to meet at the S. O. E. Hall on Wednesday to attend the funeral of our late brother E. Elcome.

Russians Bag 800 Prisoners in Advance

Extend Their Successes on the Northern End of Their Front—German Trenches Penetrated and Berlin Admits Loss of Ground.

GERMANS USED GAS

LONDON, Jan. 8. — The Russians have extended their successes on the northern end of their front, west of the Riga-Mitau road. Yesterday they captured a village on the edge of the Tirul Swamp and penetrated the German trenches north of the village of Kalnzem. Loss of ground on the River Aa is admitted to-night by Berlin, which states, however, that at every other point the Czar's troops were beaten back without gain.

In the operations south of Lake Babit the Russians claim the capture of 800 prisoners and sixteen cannon in the last three days.

Gas Attack Repulsed.

The Germans launched a violent gas attack against the Russian positions in northern Galicia Sunday night, but were repulsed. Petrograd states that the assault was preceded by three gas waves, accompanied by artillery and mine bombardments. The enemy, advancing in massed columns, was driven back to his trenches before the Russian lines were reached.

Russian aviators have been exceedingly active, bombarding the important enemy positions in Galicia and Volhynia. Kovel especially has suffered from frequent aerial attacks.

What Petrograd Claims.

The Russian War Office communication issued to-day says:

"Our detachments gained possession of a village in the vicinity of the northwestern corner of the Swamp of Tirul. After a stubborn struggle we captured enemy trenches north of the village of Kalnzem, and south of the western end of Lake Babit we took some prisoners, machine guns, trench mortars and one heavy battery. All the fierce counter-attacks by the enemy were repulsed.

"In the battle south of Lake Babit since the beginning of the operations on Saturday we have captured sixteen cannon and about 800 prisoners. Our troops have displayed extraordinary endurance and unrestrained bravey."

LIEUT. COL. JOHNSTON OF 93RD BATTALION IS NOW IN FRANCE

Commanding Officer of Peterboro Unit left England on December 23rd in Charge of a Body of 31 Canadian Officers.

CHRISTMAS AT THE FRONT

His many friends, who knew that it was the dearest wish of his heart, will be glad to learn that Lieut.-Colonel Johnston, who went overseas as officer commanding the 93rd Battalion, has been given an opportunity to see some service in France. It was a heart-breaking task for Lt.-Colonel Johnston to say good-bye to the men of whom he was so fond, and he invariably was on hand to say good-bye to the different drafts as they left. Now he is in France himself, as the following letter received by his wife shows:

"I am leaving for France this morning, December 23rd, at 8 a. m., in command of a unit of 31 Lt.-Colonels and Majors. I expect to spend my Christmas holidays in the trenches."

Peterboro' Poultry Show Opened This Afternoon

The Show Will Continue For the Next Three Days—Mr. George Robertson, of Ottawa is the Judge—Largest Entry List on Record

MISS YATES HERE

The annual three days show of the Peterborough Poultry Association opened this afternoon with the largest entry list on record. Between thirteen and fourteen hundred entries were recorded at noon to-day. This is fully a third more than last year. The largest class is that of White Wyandottes, and one of the largest exhibitors in this class is Mr. A. Breault of this city with twenty-one birds. Mr. Harry Lush, of this city, has the largest entry with one hundred and forty-eight birds to his credit.

The show was opened to the public this afternoon and will continue each afternoon and evening until Thursday. Miss Yates of the Department of Agriculture is here and will give lectures each afternoon and evening, commencing to-day.

The judge is Mr. George Robertson, of Ottawa. Mr. Robertson is recognized as one of the best poultry judges in the business. He officiated at the Guelph show. A number of the Guelph exhibitors are attending the local show.

Hip-Hip, Hooray! The Royal For Fun

Despite the rising cost of everything else, the Royal Theatre continues to give a 25c performance for a 10c bit. The Royal is the storm-centre of fun. The drama and comedy features continue to be popular, uplifting, humorous and enjoyable. To-night is the last chance to see "The Scarlet Runner," the million dollar drama—at the Royal. The rest of the bill to-night includes other dramas and comedies that makes a splendid variety entertainment.

Employees Left For Sudbury

A number of the employees of the Quaker Oats Company left for Sudbury this morning, where they will remain until the company re-establish their plant.

ONLY THE "LOCAL" TO BE AFFECTED

Peterborough is practically unaffected by the reduction of passenger trains on the Ontario railways. The C.P.R. local will revert to the service it formerly provided. That is it will call at all the stations between Tweed and Toronto, whereas at present it has a straight run between Burketon and Toronto, these stations being covered by a Lindsay train, which is one of those withdrawn. In all about seventy-three train crews will be released from the various lines. This will facilitate the handling of freight which has been congesting for months past.

JOKE ON LLOYD GEORGE, JR.

Finds Letter Saying Other Officers in Company Are Gentlemen.

LONDON, Jan. 8. — An excellent story is told by Major R. Lloyd George in the magazine of the Fourth London General Hospital. Major Lloyd George recounts how he was called upon to censor some soldiers letters home and in one of these a private wrote:

"Our company commander is a son of Lloyd George, but the other officers are perfect gentlemen." No doubt he earned it, but the private is a corporal now, adds the Major.

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PROTECT THE HOME MARKET.

The journalistic situation in Canada hints of troublesome times ahead for newspapers, pointing to the growing necessity of putting them on a war basis. Of two splendidly conducted newspaper ventures in Montreal, one has failed, and another's existence is problematical. The cost of news print has been placed by the manufacturers at what is regarded as prohibitive figures. If these are insisted upon, many newspapers will be compelled to economize sharply or go out of business.

Newspaper publishers have appealed to the Government and it is said an investigation is being made into the price conditions and causes. There is no doubt that the cost of producing printing paper has increased, but does that increased cost justify the large advance in prices? It is proceeds from an artificial scarcity and increased demand, that is a thing that can be remedied. We know that we consume much less printing paper in Canada than we produce. In face of this fact there should be no such thing as a shortage that would justify increase in price. In this regard the demand frequently made by The Examiner that exportation of paper should be subject to ample protection of the home market and the supply, at reasonable prices as may be, of the needs of Canadian newspaper proprietors, in the interests of the public, is receiving considerable press endorsation. We may be unable to overcome the advance of prices in print paper that are due to increased cost of production; but we should prevent any increase in the price due to limiting home stocks by exportation to an extent to compel advance in home prices by urgency of home demand. This is war time, and the government will be justified in taking such measures as the situation legitimately demands.

THE BONNE ENTENTE.

It is a remarkable and regrettable thing that after half a century of disinterested association, British subjects should find it necessary to resort to organized endeavour to establish relations of civic fellowship that should have been existent and operative during the past half century. Ever since Confederation there has been in both provinces a more or less systematic propaganda carried on with the effect if not the object of separating, instead of uniting the peoples of the two provinces. It is true that these peoples are of different racial origins, but under centuries of British rule and of domination of the British spirit, one would have thought that these peoples would be as homologous in character as they have been in relation and interests.

That the narrow spirit of partisanship — the animating spirit of the cleavage it operates, has prevailed over the patriotism that should have aimed to weld these two people together. Partisanship, sharpened on the whet-stone of bigotry, has sought its own in spite of its separating influence and fact.

Now we have to begin over again. And the beginning is made in the interests of the fatter pocket, better conditions of interprovincial trade intercolonial. Not the highest motive towards national solidarity of sentiment; but none the less promising from beginning at the bottom.

The proposed rapprochement began by a visit of representative business men of Ontario to Quebec, and now the return visit is due. Sunday the Bonne Entente enthusiastic left Montreal for Toronto where a dinner was given yesterday to Quebec delegates. The more promising feature of this closer accord movement is that it is fathered and patronized by the Liberal Premier of Quebec and the Conservative Premier of Ontario. If the movement can be kept clear of party politics; if the members of the two great parties can cold-track politics and practise real patriotism it has large promise. The two provincial leaders can do no higher service than to attach to the exchange of sentiment of fraternization the distinct intimation that neither of them want or will countenance any political help or support that has its foundation upon divided citizenship, that is, citizenship antagonized by the partisan firebrands of either part, whose malignant activities have helped to thrust the people of Quebec and Ontario asunder and make them antagonistic in spirit instead of cooperating to promote the common interest."

There is no place in this new movement for the operation of prejudice in the matter of the language question. Two portions of Canada are bilingual — of different languages. It would be well if the bilingualism could be made mutual, reciprocal; if more business men of Ontario would learn French and vice versa. This applies especially to Ontario, for it will be found that the majority, if not all of the visitors from Quebec, will be able to speak both English and French, while in regard to linguistic ability the majority of their Ontario hosts will be tongue-tied. Ontario business men are handicapped in the race for interprovincial trade advantages by the fact that the majority of educated Quebecers know and speak and write both English and French, and few Ontarioans are similarly gifted: The effect of a larger knowledge of French in Ontario would be an advantage not only from a cultural point of view but from an economic point of regard.

The more we interchange of speech and business, the greater will be the business advantage of both sections of the Dominion. Two neighbours, each individually estimable, would not make much progress in neighbourliness and good understanding if both were ignorant of the other's language. Business and social intercourse are conducted by words spoken or written and the man is best equipped who can turn his tongue or his pen to either of the two great languages of Eastern Canada.

RESPONSIBILITY.

A glance at Mayor Duffus' inaugural address, shows what a large area of ground is to be covered in the civic administration of a city of the size of Peterborough. There seems a multiplicity of things to be done, with a paucity of financial resources. This indicates that the work must be subdivided—as is done, between seven committees, and that each committee must be responsible to the Council for the discharge of its share of duty. This argues the desirability of a fixed policy for each department and a programme of activities laid out—to be worked up to during the year—a plan of campaign.

At the first business meeting of the Council the question of responsibility—who is to be the "boss"—as between the chairman of the Board of Works and the City Engineer, cropped up: This seems to be a matter easily settled. It is the function of the committee—apart from minor details—to decide upon the extent, character and quality of the work to be done, and the amount to be expended, and it is the function of the Engineer to carry it out. The Board or the Chairman is supreme—or "boss" in the matter of policy, and the Engineer should be supreme in regard to the technical and professional details; he should be given a free hand, and held to strict accountability, which is only reasonable in case his purely professional part of the work is not unduly interfered with. He knows his business, or he wouldn't be city engineer, and can reasonably demand that he have a free hand, subject only to the policy and programme of the board and sometimes subject to extraordinary conditions.

There need be no friction if each party to the contract for doing the work of the Board of Works does his duty in his own province. With frank consultation and reasonable attitude on both sides there need be no friction except what is inevitable in the course of business. As to the ward case of "small jobs," ordered to be done but not carried out," that is a matter of detail that it seems can be arranged. Make some blanket arrangement with the city engineer as to maintaining certain street services and conditions and give him the means and the staff to carry them out, and hold him responsible, remembering, however, that he is held responsible for the performance of the general engineering and street work laid out for the season by the committee. "Small jobs" that some persistent ratepayer urges upon his alderman, and within the competency of the street inspector or superintendent, should not be thrust upon the city engineer, if more important work demands his well-paid professional skill and personal presence. If the chairman and members of the Board of Works get together and pull together—if there is no offside play on either side there need be no friction, no conflict of authority, or no evasion of responsibility.

In this connection it seems obvious that, of all departments, that of the Board of Works should be completely organized. The functions of each part of the organization clearly defined, yet effectively dovetailed with the general machinery. Thus in the case of the important work of street maintenance referred to by the Mayor, somebody would be intrusted with means and power to attend to such work without specific instruction, only subject to the general oversight of the chairman of the committee and the city engineer. This is a most important matter; for neglect of timely repair of street surfaces at nominal expense, accounts for extensive street deterioration and expensive reconstruction in addition to depriving the public of the interim enjoyment of comfortable streets.

Thorough organization of the Board of Works department might well employ the attention of the Council. If well effected it would lead to better results, with less waste of effort and less haphazard and ineffective expenditure.

A "CONCLUSIVE PEACE."

If there is one point that all the belligerent peoples and all the neutrals will agree upon, it is that the present war, more devastating in extent than any other in the world's history, shall be followed by a "conclusive peace." "Never again" expresses the mood of most men, and the hope that somehow a peace which shall last may be achieved, probably is the only thing that sustains them in the midst of the tremendous effort and sacrifice they are making.

We are all talking therefore, of a "conclusive peace." But what is a conclusive peace? The militarist and the extreme partisan think a conclusive peace is one which follows a "knock-out." If the adversary is not prostrate, if he is not helpless and hopeless, the peace is nonconclusive.

History does not support this theory. In a military sense most of Napoleon's victories were conclusive, most of his peaces based on them were conclusive. Yet they were never conclusive in the sense of bringing enduring peace. Nothing could be more conclusive than the debacle which France suffered in 1870. But 1914 was an answer to that fatal fallacy. The German armies triumphed at Sadowa, but instead of sweeping over Austria and ruining her, Germany made an inconclusive peace, Austria was left standing, and to-day she stands shoulder to shoulder with her conqueror of 1866 against a common foe. The Crimean war closed with an inconclusive peace. France and England, who fought Russia then, are her allies to-day. Our war with England in 1812 ended with an inconclusive peace. It has been followed by a hundred years of peace. The war between Russia and Japan ended in an inconclusive peace. Russia and Japan are fighting side by side little more than a decade later.

The statesmanship of Bismarck discerned the fallacy of the conclusive peace on that occasion. He did not hope to destroy his adversaries. It is said that he opposed the taking of Alsace and wished to make an inconclusive peace with France, but was overruled by military opinion, which hoped to end forever the threat of a resurgent France. As a result of a conclusive peace in 1870 France cherished revanche for a generation, and to-day Alsace is a rock in the path of a sorely needed peace.

In history the "conclusive peace" has often been most inconclusive; the inconclusive peace the most enduring.—Chicago Tribune.

The Late Sir Frederick W. Borden Minister Militia, Laurier Cabinet

By the death of the Hon. Sir Frederick William Borden K.C.M.G., B.A., M.D., for thirty-two years representative of the county of Kings, N.S., in the House of Commons, and for fifteen years a member of the Laurier administration, Nova Scotia has lost one of the most distinguished sons, and Canada a statesman who rendered it yeoman service.

On the day of the dissolution of Parliament in 1911, on the question of Reciprocity with the United States, Sir Frederick was, with Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the only member remaining in the House who has been first elected in 1874. From that day until 1911 with the exception of the five years that he was out of the House—1882 to 1887—Sir Frederick had represented King's county, in which no man was more universally known as a medical practitioner, and more popular with Liberals and citizens generally. In his long career he had to put up with many hard fights but he did so in a gentlemanly manner because, by nature and training, Sir Frederick was a gentleman in the fullest meaning of the term.

First as a supporter of Alexander Mackenzie and then as a follower of Edward Blake and as a colleague of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Dr. Borden did good work for the Liberal party and for the country. Always courteous in debate, affable in manner, courtly in bearing and hospitable in his home, he and Lady Borden were among the most popular people with all classes under the Liberal regime at Ottawa.

On the formation of the Laurier Cabinet in 1896, Sir Frederick was entrusted with the Militia Department which did not count for much at that time. Friend and foe have long since proclaimed that Canada never had a more efficient Minister of Militia. The Militia of Canada, its permanent force, the department itself, with headquarters staff were all revolutionized by him.

When Canada decided to take part in the South African campaign, which was the first time that a genuine military task had been imposed on the Militia Department, Sir Frederick Borden, ably seconded by his Deputy, the late Lieut.-Col. Pinault, and his Council gave the country and the Empire an object lesson in what Canadians could do in a crisis. Not only did the late Knight render gigantic services, but as a token of his loyalty to the flag he was called upon to mourn in the campaign the death for the cause, of his only son. It was as a result of Sir Frederick's work that the basis was laid for Canada's participation on a larger scale in the present European war. The services he rendered the country and the Empire both in Canada and in London as a member of the Imperial Defence Committee will be forever embalmed in Canada's military records.

Sir Frederick had been out of politics for the last five years following his defeat in King's county on September 21, 1914, but had he lived until the next election he would again have been returned for his old constituency.

In his death Nova Scotia loses another of the many distinguished men it has sent to the Dominion Parliament and the Liberal party a stubborn fighter and wise friend.— Montreal Herald.

Notice to Creditors

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN C. ANDERSON, LATE OF THE CITY OF PETERBOROUGH, ACCOUNTANT, DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to Chapter 121 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914, that all creditors and other persons having claims against the above named JOHN C. ANDERSON, who died on or about the 23rd day of September, A.D., 1916, at the said City of Peterborough, are required to send by post, prepaid, or deliver to the undersigned Solicitors, before the 15th day of February, 1917, full particulars of their claims, their names and addresses duly verified by Statutory Declaration, and the nature of the security (if any) held by each of them, and that after the said 15th day of February 1917, the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and they will not be liable for any part of the said assets to any person of whose claims they shall not then have had notice.

DATED at Peterborough this 9th day of January 1917.

GORDON & WIDDIFIELD,
PETERBOROUGH, ONTARIO,
Solicitors for the Executors.

GEORGE C. CARRUTHERS, AND CHARLES E. ANDERSON, EXECUTORS.

6d-7-858

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LOST

LOST, SEVEN JEWEL WALTHAM WATCH in silver case. Finder leave at Examiner Office or 617 Bethune. 3d-7-849

LOST—MEMORANDUM BOOK CONTAINING cheque and papers, Saturday. Finder leave same at Examiner Office. 3d-6-823

LOST—BETWEEN POST OFFICE, DALHousie and Stewart streets, a Waterman fountain pen. Finder please leave at Examiner. 3d-6-798

LOST—TIRE CHAIN OFF FORD CAR ON George or Charlotte streets. Reward at Examiner Office. 6d-6-799

LOST—SUM OF MONEY IN COVER OF bank pass book in Union Bank, Saturday, $16.00. Finder please leave at Examiner Office or Union Bank. Reward. 3d-7-852

LOST—ON FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16TH, 1916, $110.00 in handkerchief tied with navy blue silk thread. Will the lady with a little boy who entered the car at Bridge street, who was seen to pick it up please return to owner or Examiner Office and receive reward and save trouble. 3d-6-808

WANTED

SALESMEN OR SALESLADIES, GOOD proposition for ambitious persons. Apply between 7 and 9 p.m. M. Taylor, King George Hotel. 3d-7-856

WANTED—MALE OR FEMALE, WHOLE or spare time as agents for Real Estate, Life and Fire Insurance. Apply by letter only to Box 849 Examiner Office. 3d-7-849

WANTED—LARGE ROOM, CENTRAL FOR returned soldier's club. Apply 287 Stewart street or 'phone 933. 3d-7-846

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WANTED—A GOOD BOOK-BINDER—APply at the Examiner Office, Peterboro.

WANTED—TWO GENTLEMEN TO SHARE warm room, board if required, home comforts, central. Apply Examiner Office. 3d-6-817

LADY GOING WEST WANTS THREE feather beds, highest cash price paid and quickly. 215 Charlotte street. 6d-6-732

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NOTICE

WHERE ARE THOSE LETTERS IN ANswer to Box 85, at the Examiner Office. Will the advertiser kindly call and get same and oblige.

FOUND

FOUND—A SMALL SILVER WATCH WAS found on Thursday, January 4th on Ashbridge street north, near Trinity Church. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this advertisement, or by calling at 221 Ashbridge street. 3d-4-777

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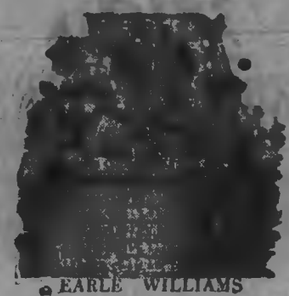

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ROUMANIAN PICTURES

When War Is a New Experience

(By a Correspondent)

(Article 5.)

Bucharest, Sept. 12th.

(By a Correspondent.)

It is a curious experience after more than two years of war, when the other warring nations have settled down to its conditions, and almost forgotten that there were ever any others, to come among a people who are in the first flush of war's excitement and alarm.

As I waited yesterday in the crowded Prefecture of Police for my "Permis de sejour," as I looked out upon the empty evening streets, all the theatres and cafes and restaurants closed by order at nine o'clock, as I sought in vain to-day for a taxicab or a horse cart, I seemed to be repeating my experiences in Paris during the first days of August, 1914. Paris, like London and Petrograd, soon adapted itself to altered conditions; soon was able to dove-tail its old habits and methods of life into the new ones.

So will Bucharest be able before long. But just now all the aspects of war are fresh and vivid to the quickly impressionable Roumanians. They are taking it very seriously indeed, which is meet and right, and a good sign of their earnest intentions, though a little bewildering and difficult for strangers who come hither to this rich and attractive country from other lands which have unhappily become accustomed to war.

One circumstance there is, I must admit at once and gratefully, which softens all difficulties; I mean the unfailing kindness of heart, courtesy of manner and friendly consideration which are shown by Roumanians of every class. Officials lead one through the maze of formality with encouraging smiles. They administer long interrogations with sympathetic, deprecating eye, which says as plainly as possible, "We know how all this bores you. And probably most of it is superfluous, but you see it is our job." French is spoken very widely by all educated people one may say, in most shops in all hotels, in all public offices. The fine buildings of this handsome city owe much to French taste.

In a great many other directions French examples have been followed, down to such minor matters as that of uniforms for policemen, who look exactly like the Paris "sergeants de ville." And this admiration of the Roumanians for France has given them something of the charm of the French, a suave, easy attractiveness of manner, a readiness to look at life in its humorous aspect, a preference if possible for making things pleasant all round.

I found this out as soon as I entered Roumania and began the long journey from the Russian frontier to Bucharest. Everybody—railway officials, posters, customs authorities, passport examiners, and fellow travellers—made us feel that we were welcome guests. Eighteen hours in a crowded ordinary carriage, with neither sleeper nor restaurant car, would have been very irksome but for this pleasant solace of friendly attentions.

Usually the run from Jassy to the Capital is a run of a few hours. Just now there is but one train a day to serve the whole line, which passes through a well-farmed, well-populated country, and has stations every few miles. So leaving at eight on a brilliant autumn morning we did not get to Bucharest until 2 a.m.

The journey was enlivened by many kinds of interest. First there was the Roumanian landscape to study a landscape now of wooded hills, with villages sheltering on their slopes, now of immense plains; all the land is golden just now with the maize harvest. The corn and other crops have been gathered; cattle graze among the stubble fields. The peasants' houses are neat, whitewashed, with tin roofs for the most part, some thatched. There are very fair roads. The country has a civilized, well-governed appearance.

Very attractive are costumes of the peasants. Their working dress is a kind of loose skirt and kilt in one, worn over tight cotton trousers. Round the waist they wear a broad, red band, which make them look like Venetian gondolins. On Sundays—it was luckily a Sunday on which we travelled the greater part of the way—their skirts are of linen and adorned with embroidery; hussar jackets, braided and furred, hang jauntily from their shoulders; they sport feathered hats.

The women are less gaily plumaged, though some of them exhibit beautifully worked blouses beneath padded coats of many colours, and now and then one sees the traditional Roumanian maidenly head-dress, a delicate, filmy veil.

Although we stopped very often there was no stop long enough for a meal. At one station food was ready, but the rush of hungry passengers overwhelmed the restaurant staff. The only thing to do was to seize whatever one could seize and fall upon it. Several enterprising spirits invaded the kitchen and bore out bowls of soup or dishes of stewed meat. I picked up a water melon, one of those refreshing fruits with pink flesh, and made my lunch off that. While we were all hurriedly eating a small boy dashed in and shouted something unintelligible. Some thought he said the train was starting. Some ran out and looked into the sky for a hostile aeroplane.

Whether he had anything to communicate or whether he was hired by dishonest people to give them the opportunity to make off without paying I could not determine. In any case payment was difficult. Only by grasping a waiter's arm firmly and forcing money into his hands did I succeed in keeping my conscience clear.

Bucharest, when we reached it, was lighted only by the moon, and there were no means of reaching the hotels save by walking a mile or so and hiring porters to carry luggage at rates varying from 6s. to 12s. 6d. a head. Bombardments from the air have caused the town to be darkened, and all cabs to disappear from the streets after sunset. No one may be abroad after nine without a permit. Very thoroughly the darkening order is obeyed.

At 7.30 the chamber maid marches into my room, shuts the outer windows, pulls down a Venetian blind, shuts also the inner windows, which have thick blue paper pasted over them, then pulls down a green baize blind. No light can get out, and alas, no air can get in.

Very stringent, too, the postal censorship regulations. Useless to write letters in English or in any language save Roumanian or French. These are the only tongues the censor recognises. Telegraphic restrictions are even more severe, and the telephone has been suppressed altogether. Even the favourite afternoon tea shops are closed lest people should gossip there too much and disturb one another's minds.

Thus quickly, in a few days, war has transformed the life of the country. All measures were prepared down to the 5d. stamp on every bill for the benefit of soldiers' families. This readiness, this care for every detail is an earnestness of the business-like spirit in which Roumania has entered the war. She is fighting, remember, for a national ideal, the bringing under her flag of Transylvania, chiefly inhabited by people of Roumanian blood.

It is an idea which has been in the minds of all Roumanians, peasants as well as land owners and middle classes, for a great many years past.

They are resolved with firm perseverance and vigour to make it a reality now. This is why, although this city is one of the most pleasure-loving in Europe, they are so ready to undergo inconveniences, and even if need be, privations. That is why they are taking these precautions so seriously. It does them credit. It proves the steadiness of their interest.

J. E. H.,
Canadian Overseas.

Voice of The People

Correspondence under this heading, containing or involving attacks on individuals or violent or extreme statements, must to secure insertion, be signed with writer's real name, the owner of which thus assumes the responsibility.

Editor of The Examiner:

In last Thursday's issue of your paper there appeared a letter re Harry Hill, over the signature of Richard J. Devey. There are one or two statements that are misleading and unfair to Mr. Hill, to say the least:

The following are the facts, so far as I have been able to learn them.

I. The Instrumental exam. passed (with 1st class honours) was a Piano examination (not organ.)

II. The two vocal examinations (under Mr. Devey) were passed with first class honours and honours respectively.

III. The comparison in the last paragraph as to the grades in passing is incorrect. There is no such thing as second class honours. Refer to Toronto College of Music Year Book 1915-17. Page 31, paragraph 4. "Examinations results will be given under the headings of Pass, honours, and first class honours."

IV. Mr. Hill no doubt had his own reasons for changing his teacher. He came to me unsolicited. I had never met him until he came for his first lesson on Jan. 4th, 1916. Five months and two weeks later he passed the Third year or final Vocal examination, which I consider is very much to his credit. A year and a half or two years' study is usually advised for this examination.

V. Mr. Hill never studied organ under Mr. Devey.

Let me say in conclusion, that it seems a pity that any older musician should say or do anything that would tend to discourage any of the younger generation of musicians. They are the hope of the future.

In Mr. Hill's case he is especially worthy of commendation, as he has followed his musical studies, while still continuing his business calling.

John H. Renwick,
567 Aylmer Street.

Peterboro, Jan. 8, 1917.

The facts implied in clauses I to V are correct.

Harry Hill.

Dear Sir: Will you kindly allow me space in your paper to express my opinion as regards the treatment of Soldiers' Wives. I am a soldier's wife myself, and have always found the government just and generous in their treatment. I feel I must speak as I find matters, in defence of what has been said against the government by some of the soldiers' wives.

I myself feel more than grateful for all that has been done for me. I cannot understand the discontent of some soldiers' wives as all are treated alike according to their family. It takes a lot to satisfy some people. I think some of these discontented women must either be very ignorant of the enormous expense the government is being put to on account of this war or else they are bad managers with their money somewhere. All the soldiers' wives I have met seem to be very comfortable. Why don't these women go and tell their troubles to Mr. Dobbin instead of making a public show of them and trying to stir up discontent in others, who are satisfied with what they are getting. I am sure Mr. Dobbin would be pleased to assist them if he knew that they were without the necessities of life, as one of them admits. It is strange that some should find so much fault with the government, but I think if things were looked into the fault would be on the other side. My advice to these women is to be thankful for small mercies, when we know what women and children have suffered and are still suffering in Belgium, and other countries over the war, and they would be glad to have one-quarter of the peace and the comfort we are getting here in Canada. "A fellow feeling makes us wondrous kind."

A Soldier's Widow.

Mr. Cock and Mrs. Hen will be the attractions before the footlights for three days of this week in Peterboro, and it will be well for the citizens to sit up and take notice.

Mr. Cock certainly has something to crow about and his wife can be excused if she should assume a certain hauteur of manner on this particular occasion,—for surely never before did they have society dancing attendance upon them in so marked a manner as during the present winter. Eggs selling at sixty cents per dozen in Peterboro, and as high as $1 per dozen in Toronto is certainly a new record—something to strut about indeed.

And yet—and yet—the remedy for this matter is close to the hand of every citizen who has a back yard large enough to hold a small chicken house. An energetic boy of 12 years or over, and a piano box, or a large dry goods box, given a half dozen pullets and some encouragement — the scraps from the dinner table, (which otherwise must go to the scavenger's bucket) and a small stock of grain, will solve the problem of the high cost of living in the matter of eggs at least.

The writer knows whereof he speaks for has he not a few pullets of his very own?—twenty-three to be precise, and these after laying all through the past summer (there were only about ten days in September when no eggs were gathered) have continued all through October, November and December to furnish the house with from four to eight eggs per day,—and are still doing so, with no sign of growing weary in their labor of well doing.

When the Butter Lady called last week, she had no butter. "All gone into the cow's horns," she reported. Neither had she any eggs. "Got one egg from 100 hens last week!" So there you are, Mrs. City Housekeeper. If you are depending on the farmer's wife for your eggs, you are surely leaning upon a broken reed. It failed you last winter, it has failed you this winter, and it will fail you next winter. But next winter you can be independent of it if you will just drop around to the Poultry Show in the Market Hall this Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday,—and make your choice of the particular breed you fancy, and arrange with some of the breeders to supply you with a setting of eggs, or a batch of chickens next spring. If you have a boy get him interested, for most boys like to have something alive to look after—and it always sends an electric thrill through them to discover eggs in a nest—and these eggs are always the biggest ever, when laid by their own particular pullets.

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MILITARY NEWS

(Continued from Page 6)

bandaged him as well as I could, but could not stop the bleeding. He was too bad to move. We were ordered to retire about 2 p.m. Stanley was left behind. I am almost positive that he could not live.

Charles Rutledge, 109073, 4th C.M.R., C Company, 11th Platoon, now a corporal, helped to bandage Stanley. Informant—Pte. T. J. Quay, 113069. 4th C.M.R., C Co., 8th Platoon, Harfleur Camp.

4th Canadian Mounted Rifle. Re Stanley, F., 113070 (missing June 2, 1916).

I saw him in the front line at Mt. Sorrel in trench 53 on June 2, 1916, fatally wounded on the right arm. I bandaged him but the case was hopeless. I helped to carry him to Davison St., then had to leave him. Others were with him. Pte. Raynor of C Co. stayed with him. I heard no more of him.

Informant—Sergt. F. L. Bunn, 109249 C Company, 11th Platoon, 4th C.M.R. Harfleur.

Two new recruits who have been added to the ranks of the 247th Battalion are: Pte. Wilfred J. Lewis, 58 Wolfe St., Peterborough, and Pte. Jas. Saltern, Clarina, Dummer.

Lt.-Col. Ackerman and Lieut. Quinn, of the 247th Battalion, are in Millbrook to-day.

Mrs. J. Kimberley has received the following letters from the front:

France, Dec. 12th, 1916.

I received the socks and I beg you to accept my humble thanks for the same. The fit is just right. Permit me to say that you have a better idea of the length to make the foot than most knitters. The greater portion of the socks we receive here have too long feet. At least I find this trouble, although I am a six footer. I'm not wishing to find fault at all, you know, but I want you to know that yours are right. I shall have comfortable feet this trip in the trenches. Thanking you once more for your kindness, I am,

Sincerely yours,
196800 Lance-Corp. D. H. Pollard.

France, Dec. 9th.

Just a few lines to let you know I am O.K. Hoping this letter finds you the same. I received your bundle of socks in good order and if you could have only been here to hear the praise the boys gave your League when I handed them the socks. I am sure you would have found that the good work your League is doing in keeping the boys in comforts isn't being done in vain. I must tell you that they came just at the right time for we have been getting very bad weather of late and the mud has not been pleasant. Well I must tell you that the boys are all keeping O.K. and still going strong, also letting Fritzie know that he would have been better off if he had stayed at home. Well, it is time for me to close, so good-bye with many thanks from the boys and myself.

Wishing the Canadian Kitchener League a merry Christmas and a happy and prosperous New Year. From,

Yours sincerely,
Pte. Chas. Veenman.

Among the returned soldiers who have reached Quebec are Armourer Sergt. Geo. Grange of the 93rd Battalion, and Bandsmen H. Wood and P. Doughty of the 93rd Band. Two other Peterborough soldiers in the list are given as R. J. Saffrey and D. B. Ivieson.

Mr. Chas. Duggan has received a wire from Sergt. Inst. Patrick Duggan, who has returned from the front to the effect that he is proceeding to Winnipeg on duty.

VICTORY FOR "DRYS" IN UNITED STATES.

Webb-Kenyon Law Is Declared Constitutional by the Supreme Court.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—The Webb-Kenyon law, designed to prevent liquor shipments from "wet" to "dry" States, was to-day declared constitutional by the Supreme Court by a vote of 7 to 2, which also upheld West Virginia's prohibition amendment prohibiting citizens from receiving liquor for personal use shipped by common carriers in interstate commerce.

Attorneys for national liquor organizations who were in court said the decision upheld and applied the Webb-Kenyon law "in its broadest sense."

Wayne B. Wheeler, counsel for the Anti-Saloon League of America, argued the case before the court, and made this statement on the court's decision:

"The states may now prohibit the possession, receipt, sale and use of intoxicating liquor and not be hampered by the agencies of interstate commerce."

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Women's and Misses' Hand Crochet Aviation Caps. Made of heavy wool. In colours Maroon, Grey, Navy and White. Regular up to $1.00. January Clearance Sale **50c**

MISSES' SWEATER COATS
Made of heavy quality of Yarn, in plain and fancy stitch. In roll and high collar. In colours of Navy, Cardinal, Khaki, and Grey. January Clearance Sale, each **2.00**

WOMEN'S WAISTS
Women's Waists. Made of good quality of Royal Satin. In tailored style, with plain or tucked fronts and convertible collars. In Black only. January Clearance Sale **1.19**

MISSES' & SMALL WOMEN'S SUITS
Made of heavy quality of All-Wool Serge. All this season's styles, with full skirts and coats, with Russian effects. Trimmed with braid and buttons. In colours of Navy or Brown. Regular up to $20.00. January Clearance Sale **12.98**

Opportunity To Save

Is GREATER now at the Hall STORE than at any other time during the whole year. Every Department throughout the store has a big list of genuine good bargains awaiting you sharp at 8:30 To-Morrow Morning.

Watch for the YELLOW Price Cards all through the store.

Mr. J.C.O. says: Start a Bank Account on what You Save on

SILKS and DRESS GOODS

This January Clearance Opportunity to save money on Silks and Dress Goods of the newest weave and colour is not to be ignored by any thrifty woman. Included are fabrics that will be worn into late Spring, and the prices are in many instances less than manufacturers.

SHANTUNG SILK
34-Inch Natural Shantung Silk. Suitable for Children's Dresses, Women's Waists and Dresses, and a good material for Men's Fine Shirts. Regular 60c yard. January Clearance Sale, yd. **35c**

STRIPE TWEEDS
40-Inch Stripe Tweeds, suitable for Children's Dresses and Women's Suits or Skirts. A good range of colourings. Regular 75c yard. January Clearance Sale, **47c**

BLACK AND WHITE DRESS GOODS
36-Inch Black and White Check Dress Goods, in two sized checks. Used for Children's Dresses and Women's Skirts. January Clearance Sale, yard **29c**

SILK AND WOOL DRESS GOODS
36 to 40-Inch Coloured Silk and Wool Dress Goods, composed of Crepe Buttas, Crepe de Chene, Poplins, in a rich range of colourings. Suitable for Ladies' Dresses and Waists. Regular up to $2.25. January Clearance Sale. **1.50**

REMNANTS—REMNANTS—REMNANTS
We have a good selection of Remnants of Coloured and Black Dress Goods, composed of Tweeds, Armures, Plaids, Checks, Poplins, etc. A clean up after the season's selling in ends of 1¼ yards to 4½ yards. At greatly reduced prices for the January Clearance Sale.

CHINCHILLA COATING
54-Inch Chinchilla Coating. Suitable for Children's and Women's Coats. Will not require lining and will wash perfectly. Regular $2.50 yard. January Clearance Sale **1.89**

HABUTAI SILK
An extra heavy quality of White Habutai Silk. A fine wash silk. Suitable for Waists, Dresses, or linings. 36 inches wide. Regular $1.25. January Clearance Sale **98c**

MERCERIZED POPLIN
A heavy quality of Mercerised Poplin, with a rich finish, suitable for Ladies' Skirts and Children's Dresses. In colours of Navy, Tan, Brown and Belgian Blue. 38 ins. wide. Regular 75c yard. January Clearance Sale.. **59c**

Mr J. C. O. says:

All Millinery

Must Go. No Matter what the price.

NEW YORK PATTERN HATS
3 Only. Regular $10.00 each. January Clearance price, each **4.98**

6 Only. Regular $7.50 each. January Clearance price, each **3.99**

$1.25 CHILDREN'S BONNETS, 79c
16 Children's Bonnets. Made of Corduroy Silk and Bear Cloth. In White only. Regular up to $1.75. each **79c**
January Clearance Sale,

LINEN CENTREPIECES
Very dainty Linen Centrepieces with hemstitched and scalloped edges. Size 18 inches. January Clearance Sale, each **37½c**
Also 12-Inch Doylies to match **17½c**
And 6-Inch Doylies to match, each **9½c**

CLUNY LACE EDGE CENTRES
Very dainty Cluny Lace Edge Centre Pieces, with square drawn work centre. Size 15 inches. January Clearance Sale, each **29c**
Also 9-Inch Doylies, each **15c**

10c LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS 3 for 25c
Women's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs. Neatly hemstitched. Large size. Regular 10c each. January Clearance Sale, 3 for **25c**

20c LACES & INSERTIONS
Odd lines of Laces and Insertions in Vals, Torchons and Net tops. Some slightly soiled. In White or Cream. Assorted widths. Regular up to 20c yard. January Clearance Sale, yard **9c**

$1.50 LEATHER HANDBAGS
Women's Leather Hand-Bags in all the new shapes. Neatly lined and fitted with coin purse and mirror. Regular up to $1.50. January Clearance Sale, each **98c**

HOSIERY & UNDERWEAR BARGAINS

An opportunity to procure remarkable values in Hosiery and Underwear of the better grade now awaits everyone who has a desire to save money. Some instances:

75c WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR, 65c Garment
Women's Underwear, in Wool and Cotton Mixture. In White or Natural shades. Vests and drawers to match. Unshrinkable. Regular 75c garment. January Clearance Sale, garment **65c**

75c CASHMERE HOSE, 59c Pr.
Odd lines of Coloured Cashmere Hose. In colours of Mauve, Rose, Green, Fawn and Copenhagen. Sizes up to 10. Regular 75c. January Clearance Sale, pair .. **59c**

"Mr. J. C. O." Says: This Extra Local News Concerns Buyers of

Blankets, Linen and All Staples

You could more fully appreciate this extraordinary opportunity to save money if you were in our position and knew the present market conditions. Prices are advancing every day—labour is higher than in many years. Suffice to say that we cannot hope to duplicate these prices again. Buy liberally.

30c KIMONA CREPE, 19c
A heavy quality of Kimona Crepe. In plain colours, White and Sky, and Floral design with combination colours of Sky and Rose, Grey and Mauve, Rose and Grey, and Blue and Rose. Also Japanese patterns. Regular 30c yard. January Clearance Sale, yard **19c**

LINEN PILLOW CASES
An extra fine quality of Linen Pillow Cases. Neatly hemstitched and embroidered in several dainty designs. January Clearance Sale, pair **1.25**

LINEN TOWELS
An extra heavy quality of Linen Towels. Neatly hemmed with plain border. Size 21 x 36 inches. January Clearance Sale, each **50c**

SIX-INCH DOILIES
Six-Inch Linen Doilies, with fine Vienese Lace edge. January Clearance Sale. **12½c**

$1.50 CROCHET QUILTS, 98c
A good serviceable quality of Crochet Quilts. In Pure White with dainty blocked design. Size 67 x 84 inches. Regular $1.50 each. January Clearance Sale, each **98c**

FLANNEL
A very heavy quality of Pure Wool Flannel. 30 inches wide. In Grey or Navy. Suitable for Middies or Blouses. January Clearance Sale, yard **65c**

GINGHAM
An extra heavy quality of Coloured Dress Ginghams and Chambrays. In plain stripe and check designs. 30 inches wide. January Clearance Sale, yard **18c**

DIMITY
A very fine quality of Coloured Dimity. Suitable for Blouses or Dresses. In colours of Sky, Green, Rose, Raisin and Tan. 27 inches wide. January Clearance Sale, yard **25c**

COTTON DELAINE
A very fine quality of Cotton Delaine with dainty floral designs. In combination colours of Navy and Pink, Grey and Mauve and Blue and Green. 30 inches wide. January Clearance Sale, yard **25c**

CEYLON FLANNEL
A very fine quality of Ceylon Flannel. Suitable for Blouses. In Pure White, with pink, green and mauve stripes. 34 inches wide. January Clearance Sale, yard **35c**

18c FACTORY COTTON, 8c
An extra heavy quality of Factory Cotton, with a firm even weave. 36 inches wide. Regular 10c yard. January Clearance Sale, yard **8c**

CIRCULAR PILLOW COTTON
An extra heavy quality of Circular Pillow Cotton. 40, 42 and 44 ins. wide. Pure White. January Clearance Sale, yard. **25c**

We must clean-up our

Embroideries and Insertions

Here's the way we will do it.

18c EMBROIDERIES AND INSERTIONS, 11c Yard
Neat patterns of Embroideries and Insertions in fine Cambric. Widths up to 9 inches. Regular 18c yard. January Clearance Sale, yard .. **11c**

35c EMBROIDERY FLOUNCING, 29c Yard
Very fine quality of Swiss Embroidery with Corset Cover Embroidery to match. 18 inches wide. Regular 35c yard. January Clearance Sale, yard **29c**

Hall's Specials

CORSET COVERS
Made of fine quality of Nainsook and Cambric. Daintily trimmed with Swiss Embroidery and fine Lace. Run in with ribbon. Regular up to 69c. January Clearance Sale **39c**

INFANTS' WOOL JACKETS
Infants' Jackets, made of Fine Wool. Made with high neck, fastened with cord and tassel and long sleeves. In White only. January Clearance Sale **79c**

ICE WOOL SCARFS
Made of fine Ice Wool. In fancy stitch. Suitable for head or neck. In White only. January Clearance Sale **69c**

CREPE KIMONAS
Women's Japanese Crepe Kimonas. Made of heavy quality of Crepe. Hand embroidered in white. In colours of Pink, Copenhagen and Sky. January Clearance Sale **1.98**

OVERALL APRONS
Made of extra good quality of Percale. Neatly bound around the neck, pockets and sleeves. In light and dark colours, in stripes and checks. January Clearance Sale **50c**

"Mr. J. C. O." Says: You're Safe in Buying

Home-furnishings at These Prices

Safe in quality, safe, in a satisfactory selection, and safe in the savings these prices offer.

$1.00 CURTAIN NETS, 25c
Fine Curtain Nets from Scotch Madras Muslin in White, Cream and Ecru in lengths from 2¾ to 8 yards to a pattern. Some slightly soiled. Regular up to $1.00 yard. January Clearance Sale, yard **25c**

35c SCRIMS, 15c
Scrims, Voiles and Marquisette in White, Ivory and Ecru. Some plain; others finished on either edge with plain band or fancy edge. Regular 25c and 35c yd. Lengths up to 18 yards. January Clearance Sale, yard **15c**

FURNITURE COVERING & DRAPERY MATERIALS
Reg. up to $1.25 for 50c Yard
Furniture Covering and Drapery Materials. 50 inches wide. Regular up to $1.25 yard. January Clearance Sale, yard **50c**

75c CHINTZ, 25c
English, French and American Chintz. Odd lines, 31 to 36 inches wide, in a big range of splendid designs and colour combinations. Suitable for draperies and coverings. Reg. up to 75c yard. January Clearance Sale, yd. **25c**

PRO-BRUSSELS RUGS
Very heavy quality of Pro-Brussels Rugs in shades of Brown and Green. In small all-over designs. Suitable for living-room, dining-room or bedroom. Very strong and durable.
Size 2 yds. by 3 yds. $6.50
Size 2¾ yds. by 3 yds. $10.50
Size 3 yds. by 3¾ yds. $14.50
Size 3 yds. by 4 yds. $16.50

AXMINSTER RUGS
In Three Good Sizes
Fine Axminster Rugs, both seamless and seamed, in fine Persian and Floral designs. Suitable for any room. Splendid assortment to choose from.
Size 3 yds. by 4 yds. $45.00
Size 3 yds. by 3½ yds. $40.00
Size 3 yds. by 2¾ yds. $35.00

Extra Special

EVENING DRESSES
EXACTLY HALF PRICE
Silk, Crepe de Chene, Satin and Net Evening Dresses in a big range of beautiful evening shades. Regular $15.00, $20.00, $23.50, $25.00, $30.00, $35.00 and $50.00. January Clearance Price, **Exactly Half Price.**

$22.50 COATS, $7.69
17 Only Women's Coats. Made of heavy qualities of Tweed, Cheviot and Camels' Hair. Regular up to $32.50. January Clearance Sale, each **7.69**

NECKWEAR

Can now be had at a fraction of their real worth. Some are a little soiled from handling, but a little soap and water will restore them to natural life.

FANCY COLLARS
Regular up to 50c for 15c
Made of fine Voile, Organdie and Flowered Crepe. Trimmed with fine lace. Suitable for Dresses or Coats. In White and Colours. January Clearance Sale, each **15c**

50c SCARFS, 15c
Men's, Women's and Children's Knitted Scarfs. Made with dome fastener to fit snugly. In all colours, including White and Black. Reg. 50c each. January Clearance Sale, each **15c**

Little Things at Big Savings

Pennies saved are pennies made. Don't neglect an opportunity to save pennies—stock up for now and later. You won't buy at these prices again.

Hair Brushes	19c	Wash Basins	15c
Shoe Laces, 2 Prs.	5c	Potato Kettles	49c
Unshrinkable Mending Wool, skein	5c	Pudding Pans	10c
White and Black Hooks and Eyes, 3 Cards for	5c	**FANCY CHINA**	
Hair Nets, with or without elastic, each	5c	60c Hair Receiver	25c
Tooth Brushes, each	10c	40c Cream Jugs	25c
Electra Safety Pins, 3 sizes, per card	5c	$1.95 Cream and Sugar Sets	98c
Bias Seam Tape, White and Black	12½c	$6.75 Fruit Sets	$3.98
GRANITEWARE		30c Salt and Pepper Shakers	15c
Double Boilers	50c	50c Mustard Pots	25c
Large Spoons	10c	$6.00 Fruit Sets	$3.00
Pie Plates	10c	$2.25 Celery Dish	$1.19
2-Quart Coffee Pots	35c	$1.50 Cream Bowls	75c
Dish Pans	25c	$5.50 Tea Sets	$2.75
		$2.25 Fruit Bowls	$1.19
		$1.50 Pickle Dishes	75c
		$3.00 Cream and Sugar Sets	$1.50
		$3.75 Biscuit Jar	$1.50

RICHARD HALL & SON LIMITED

584th Bargain Annex Event — **Wednesday, Jan. 10th, 1917**

Bargain Annex

Reg'd

Leader, $1.25 White Venetian Bed Spreads 89c

Imported White Spread. Heavy quality. Size 63 x 80 inches. Sells regularly at $1.25, and at that price are excellent value. Annex Leader Price will be 89c

Leader, 18c Yard Wide White Nainsook, 13½c yard

Four hundred yards English White Nainsook, that sells in our regular stock at 18c, but in to-day's market is worth considerably more. Worth while on Wednesday at such a price. Annex, yard 13½c

Women's Dollar White Flannelette Gowns 79c

Made of a Pure Bleached White Flannelette, and self embroidery trimmings. Good generous sizes. To-day's price less than the cost of making. Annex 79c

Women's Winter-weight Underwear 24c garment

A splendid quality winter weight—both Vests and Drawers—in White and Natural Grey. Bought the same qualities to sell next season at 40c. Annex price, garment 24c

75c Full Bleached Table Linen 59c yard

Selection of three patterns, full bleach, and sold regularly for 75c yard. When you consider the present price of linens you will see the value in this line. Annex, yard 59c

Boys' and Girls' Honeycomb Knit Toques 23c

Comfortable Warm Underwear for Boys and Girls. Honeycomb knit, in plain colours and two-colour combinations. Splendid assortment. Annex Bargain price 23c

Leader, Women's 65c Overall Aprons 44c

They are worth to-day at least 65c, and that is placing it at a minimum. Belted waists, and pockets bound with tape. Sizes 36 to 42, and Misses 14 to 16. Colours are mostly Greys and Blues. Leader price, each 44c

Two o'Clock Leader
10c yard wide Factory Cotton 7½c yard

Six hundred yards of Factory Cotton at away less than to-day's mill price. Cut in five and ten-yard lengths only. Two O'clock Leader, yard 7½c

No 'phone orders and only one length to a customer.

Leader, Women's Striped Fl'ette Night Gowns 47c

Not a cheap quality gown, but a well made garment and a good quality striped English Flannelette. Made full generous sizes. If bought to-day would sell for 75c. Wednesday Annex Leader price will be, each 47c

Bleached Steambloom 8½c yd.

This line is extra value. Ten pieces of "Monarch Cotton," full bleached, soft longcloth finish. Bought nine months ago, and the Annex price is less than to-day's actual mill cost. Annex, yard 8½c

98c Black Sateen Underskirts 49c

Have a full wide flounce and cut on fashionable lines. The price will be just half for Wednesday. The price is truly exceptional. Wednesday Annex price 49c

$1.55 Flannelette Blankets $1.33

White only "Lakeside Flannelette Blankets." Can be had with either pink or blue borders. Size 64 x 76. Sell regularly at $1.55. Only sixty pairs to sell. Annex, pair 1.33

Boys' and Girls' 1-1 Ribbed School Hose 15c pair

Worth at the mill to-day $1.00 dozen. Fine ribbed seamless feet and fast colour. Worth buying a quantity of for future use. Wednesday's Annex Special price, pair.. 15c

Leader, 15c Semi-Bleached Flannelette 10½c yd.

Six hundred yards in this new Annex shipment (twenty pieces) of this splendid quality soft combed finish Flannelette. Twenty-eight to twenty-nine inches wide. Worth to-day 15c yard. Leader price, yard 10½c

Staple Remnants to Clear

Before stocktaking there are hundreds of Remnants that have to be cleared before our stocks are called in at the end of this week. Great variety of materials and qualities. Most noticeable are Flannelettes, Towellings, Cottons, Linens, etc. All marked exceptionally low before stocktaking. Rush Clear Away prices.

The Best "Mill End" Value ever Offered $1.95 end

Dress Goods, Skirtings, Coatings and Waistings. Many ends were left with us after Christmas, and we are now cleaning them up at greatly reduced prices. Lengths up to five yards, and would sell regularly up to $4.00. Wednesday's Leader price, end 1.95

The CRESSMAN Company Limited

THE GREAT WORLD WAR IN THE LIGHT OF SCRIPTURE

Interesting Address by Rev. Mr. Doner, Pastor of Bethany Tabernacle —A Panoramic Outline of the Great Universal War From its Cause to its Consequence—"War Began in Heaven"—The Strategy of War.

The above was the subject of Pastor Doner's address at Bethany Tabernacle on Sunday night. He admitted in his opening remarks that he was so full of his subject that he scarcely knew where to begin. His purpose was to give a panoramic outline of the great universal war from its cause to its consequence, and in order to do this it would be necessary to present it as a continued theme.

He said, "War began in heaven. Men have learned the strategy of war from the devil and his rebel angels. All world wars since the beginning of man's military history are mere incidents of the great universay conflict incessantly raging. The real belligerents in this stupendous struggle are God and Satan, with men and angels supporting either side according to their choice. When Lucifer rebelled against Jehovah, war began. God punished this wicked conspiracy with drastic reprisal resulting in his expulsion from the mount of God and his eternal degradation.

Unparalleled Patience.

See Isa. 14: 13-17. Eze. 28: 14-19.

Since then, he is the "Prince of the power of the air," and though his rendezvous is in the aerial heavens, he is vigorously operating in the earth, recruiting his armies from the manhood of every nation. No event of history ever disclosed such unparalleled patience as that exercised by His Divine Majesty while permitting the insolent insubordination of men and demons for four thousand years.

Then as if to stagger the angels of heaven, He executed a supreme stroke of diplomacy in sending His only Son as His Royal Ambassador to earth. This matchless kindness was met with earths characteristic revenge and hate, and found expression in the cry of Matt. 21: 38, "Come let us kill him." After 33 years of cruel plotting they accomplished the murder of this Royal Prince, but their exultation and triumph were short-lived. This apparent defeat was in reality the mightiest victory over hell and the grave while Satan and his legions realized the conflict had only really begun.

The King's Palace.

Being recalled at this time to the King's Palace in the home-land, the Hero of Calvary has since then been sitting upon the throne of His Royal Father where in intimate counsel a marvellous plan is being developed for the future righteous government of the earth.

Following the recall of the ambassadorial prince, the Holy Spirit who is the third person in the Imperial Counsel, was appointed to the exalted and important post of Consul-General and Chief of staff, and immediately delegated to the earth. See Heb. 1: 1-2. Ps. 2: 7-9. Acts 2: 33-36.

Under his skilful direction an army of astounding magnitude and magnificent equipment is being rapidly mobilized in preparation for the great coming crisis known in Scripture as the Battle of Armageddon. See Rev. 16: 16, also Rev. 19: 11-21. The present conflict in Europe believed by many to be the Armageddon of Scripture, is not to be compared to that day. It cannot possibly be Armageddon. With Armageddon all earth wars will cease and the purple and gold of Millennial glory will begin. Its locality, nationality, purpose and magnitude will be entirely diverse from anything existing during this present struggle, great as it is.

Scarred World.

Poor, blind, battle-scarred world, little do you dream how dreadful the tribulation preceding the day of Christ's Royal Reign. Any peace that might be arranged now or at the close of hostilities in Europe cannot be permanent. There can be no real or abiding peace until the Prince of Peace returns. This is not His hour, but the day of His patience and preparation. He will come and then will be the day of His power. Ps. 110: 5.

Meanwhile, His saints who fight the battle for right are exhorted to take courage, remembering that though our arsenal is in the heavens, it is not on record that a soldier was ever allowed to run short of supplies or suffer defeat when orders had been observed. Our equipment is absolutely up-to-the-minute. God is never behind the times. We have a wireless field system known to us as Prayer that is a working marvel. Our messages, when according to code go through. The devil can delay them, but cannot prevent them going through. Our Aerial Guard is indefatigable and invulnerable. The holy-watchers (angels) never sleep or fall, nor are they hindered by the weather. We have indisputable supremacy in the air, the very home of the arch-fiend, and we must win.

Note:—The next address will describe the escape of the Bride, the battle of Armageddon, the capture of the devil and his imprisonment in the bottomless pit for a thousand years. Be sure to hear it.

LADIES.

Are you interested in learning how to make your own blouses, skirts, and dresses? If so, join the Dressmaking class at the Technical Night School.

Industrial Night School Notes

1. Registration for all classes in Industrial Night School will begin on Monday and continue on Tues. & Wed.
2. Every effort will be made to give instruction in all the subjects called for, if the requisite number of students enroll.
3. Register early in order to give the management a chance to properly organize the classes.
4. Look for further announcement.

Five Thousand Dollar Installments For Patriotic Fund

Ald. Langford Hints at the Possibility of the War Ending Before the Close of the Year

At yesterday's council meeting Ald. Langford asked if any steps had been taken to define the manner in which the sixty thousand dollars to be raised by the city for the use of the Patriotic Fund is to be paid over. Upon receiving a negative reply Ald. Langford suggested that the money be paid over at the rate of five thousand dollars a month, instead of paying it over in a lump sum. Should the war end before the year is out the remainder of the money will be available for other purposes. Five thousand dollars a month for 12 months means $60,000 for a year.

The suggestion was accepted as a good one, and Ald. Langford was informed that the matter would be taken up when the by-law is submitted to the Council.

CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE RED CROSS SOCIETY

The Treasurer of the Red Cross Society reports contributions to the funds of the Society for the month of December from the 1st to the 31st, inclusive, as follows:

Mr. J. M. Greene, receipts from concert	$ 19.50
Mrs. Alfred Johnston	2.00
Mr. Frank Convery	5.00
A Friend	1.00
57th Chapter I.O.D.E. wool	89.50
Miss Dorothy Allen	5.00
Sale of wool	7.50
Miss M. Archer	2.00
Mrs Walter Stocker	25.00
Donation from King Edward	
St. Paul's Auxiliary, wool	30.00
Miss Jean Davidson	2.00
Mr. R. Routley	10.00
Roseneath Women's Institute, wool	7.50
Mrs. J. Lowrie	1.00
Mrs. Abbott	2.00
Robert Harstone	60.00
Prisoners' Fund.	
Warsaw Womens' Institute	50.00
Thursday Club	15.00
Mrs. B. F. Ackerman	5.00
Mrs. James W. Jackson	7.00
King's Daughters	35.00
Peter Robinson Chapter, I.O. D.E.	28.00
Mrs. T. N. Greer	2.50
Mrs. Robt. Harstone	5.00
Progressive Club	84.00
Mrs. W. J. Mitchell, (New Orleans)	10.00
Misses McRae and McBride	10.00
Anonymous	25.00
St. John's Girls' Auxiliary	2.50
Berean Bible Class, Knox Church	7.00
Mrs. James Wood	10.00

LIVE STOCK MARKET

Toronto, Live Stocks: Receipts were light; demand active. Prices, choice heavy steers, $9.40 to $10; hogs fed and watered, $12.60 to $12.75; off cars, $12.90 to $13. Others unchanged.

MR. GORDON GAVE ADDRESS.

Mr. G. N. Gordon gave an address last night at the monthly meeting of the Belmont Club. His subject was "Everyday Points of Law," which he discussed in an interesting and practical manner.

GASTINE COMPANY OF BRIDGETON, WISH TO LOCATE HERE

Mr. R. J. Johnston, 1035 Burnham Street, has received the following self-explanatory letters from the Gastine Company of Bridgeton, N.Y.:

Dear Sir,—We are in receipt of letter, under date of January 1, and are glad that you too have convinced some of your local people of the merits of our product. We knew it would come, because our past three years have taught us that people appreciate a good thing; and our business has grown so largely in the past year that we are casting about for new factories.

As you know, our sales in Canada have been very large, and would be still larger if it were not for refusal of some few dealers to pay the Customs, etc. Therefore, will it be too much trouble for you to advise us on the following, and if the requirements are met we might build a factory in Peterborough or some other good city, that you might suggest to us? We would need a lot of about between 85 and 95 feet frontage, and 46 to 65 feet deep, although these can be reversed in case we can have more light; preferably near the business centre and not far from the railroads. Give us this data in full and complete detail, also advise if the laws of your city would allow us to build a five-storey fire-proof building. Give us all this data. What about your railroads, telegraph lines, the employment of help, etc., as we would need about 85 girls and about 10 men? We pay very good wages, but we need competent help. Can we get this in your city?

We would desire a building wherein we could have everything under one roof, such as chemical department, packing warehouse, shipping and general offices, and we would also desire from you advice on all these points. You see, by us having our factory in Canada, it would eliminate all the Customs and save us a lot of money, as we always ship our product f.o.b. the buyer's city; and by having this branch in Canada it would be in our line of advancement and greatly to our financial benefit; also for the sake of the dealer, who could then get prompter shipments. We are going after the sales of gastine in Canada stronger than ever, and we will win, if modern methods will allow it, and with a responsive product such as we have, as you know by this time.

If the lot that is near the schoolhouse is, in your opinion, the ideal location for us, will you give us an option for $10,000 on this for thirty days? Please advise on this point at once. What inducements will the city give us? Taxes? Water? Fire protection? We find on investigation that as Peterborough is so situated because of its railroad facilities, that we would prefer this city if our compliances can be met reasonably, and if you can obtain for us the lot you speak of. Our building would take a space of nearly 47 x 89 feet. Is this lot suited for our purpose and, if so, get us the option on it at once.

We are going to sell four times the amount of gastine in Canada during 1917 than we did during 1916. We have prospered, and we have enough orders here right now to keep us working every day for six months without getting another order. It might interest you to know that several armies of the world are using gastine in their tractors, motor cars, aeroplanes, boats, stationary engines, etc. Our sales have been very large, but we are getting cramped for want of room, and here in the States, while we pay very good wages, want of help is becoming the factor; this and for the advancement of our business interests in Canada, forces us to spread out our manufacturing end. This will also help the sales too. It works both ways. You know we are now selling our product in every part of the world, as the enclosed circular shows you, and our factories work six days in the week, the year round; no vacations, only in rotation, wherein we allow each employee two weeks with pay.

We sincerely hope you will give this matter your very best attention, and at once, and until we hear from you soon, we are, Dear Sir, very truly,

The Gastine Co., Sales Dept.,
I. W. Goldberg.

PHYSICAL ACTIVITIES IN THE "Y" GYMNASIUM

On Saturday morning the Junior Collegiate League got off to a splendid start. Two games were played and both were well contested. The Cubs sprang a surprise on the Dodgers by winning with a much weakened team. The game was very close, however, with the score 5-4. In the basketball game the Braves won from the Giants.

Last night in the Senior Employed League the Athletics fought hard to hold first place, but were defeated by the Tigers in a hot game, the final score being 7 to 6. Harold Copp, captain of the winning team, scored six of the seven points. In the last game McLeod's Indians won by a big score from the Senators, who were without the services of their best men, score 20 to 3. On Thursday night and Saturday morning the 60 yds. potato race will be run off and as the scores of each boy count, every member of the teams should be on hand. A prize will be given for the best score in the all round handicap in the six events, handicaps to be based on performances during the last four months.

The Junior Employed Boys organized a six team League on Friday night and will begin their schedule this week.

NOTICE

If you have any kegs, cases or bottles of the Calcutt Brewing and Malting Co., please 'phone 98 and our driver will call and get them.

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Spanish Cabinet Has Handed in Resignation

Special to The Examiner.

MADRID, January 9.—The Spanish Cabinet resigned to-day.

Spain has been very restive under the German submarine campaign. It is possible the Ministry under Prime Minister Romanones has fallen because of lack of public confidence in their policy in dealing with Germany.

Russians Withdraw Along Sereth River

Special to The Examiner.

PETROGRAD, January 9.—The withdrawal of the Russian forces to new positions along the line of the Putna and Sereth rivers was announced to-day.

The beating back of enemy attacks south of the River Oitus and the region of Rekozo was also reported.

NEW YORK, January 9.—Sir Sam Hughes, former Canadian Minister of Militia, declared in an interview here to-day that Canada is not fighting for peace, "but for human liberty."

Sir Sam said it would be an easy matter for Germany to land troops in this country or Canada if the British navy did not prevent it, and they could march right through to San Francisco or Vancouver.

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

New York City.—The slump in General Motors new stock was increased by a 3 1-2 point break to 128 1-2 at the opening of the Stock Exchange to-day.

There were many fractional losses at the opening, rails particularly selling lower. U.S. Steel was up 1-4 at 112 5-8, and Crucible gained 1-8 to 98 3-4.

Chicago Grain: May wheat, 186 7-8; July 151; May corn, 98 5-8.

New York Stocks:

Atchison, 108 3-8, 105 1-2; B. and O., 84; U.P.R., 150, 150 1-2; N. Y. Central, 107 7-8, 107 3-4; Erie, 33; N. P., 108 3-4, 108 1-2; Penna., 55 7-8; Reading, 103 1-2, 102 1-4; U.P., 144; Rep. Steel, 79 5-8, 80 1-8; U.S. Steel, 112 5-8, 113 3-8; Anaconda, 83 1-8, 83 5-8; Am. Loco., 76 1-2, 77 1-4; Inter. Nickel, 42.

Can. Stocks:

Steel of Canada, 87; Gen. Elec., 112; Smelters, 38 1-4, 23; Dom. Steel, 66 1-4, 67 7-8; N. S. Steel, 119 1-2, 119; Cement, 64 1-2.

Orange Special

For the balance of this week, we will sell first-class Sun-Kist Navals, at 20c. per dozen, or 2 dozen for 35c.

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5d-7 Under Market Clock

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New Year Presents that look well and WEAR well are a source of lasting satisfaction to the giver as well as to the recipient.

BRITISH-MADE SILVERWARE
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Only values extraordinary will be offered in this 19c Sale. Come early and inspect all items offered. See the Display Tuesday Afternoon and Evening in Windows.

WEDNESDAY 19c CLEARANCE SALE

Ladies' Wool Hosiery, pair 19c
Ladies & Children's Seamless Hosiery, pair 19c
Girls' & Boys' Wool Mitts, pair 19c
Hair Brushes 19c
Large Bars French Castile Soap 19c
Imitation Ivory Shoe Horns 19c
Imitation Ivory Button Hooks 19c
Imitation Ivory Nail Files 19c
Soap, 3 Large Cakes in Box 19c
Peroxide Bath Soap, 2 Cakes 19c
Pears Windsor Soap, Large Bars 19c
Taylor's Liquid Soap, Bottle 19c
Ladies' Neckwear, different patterns, some with cuffs 19c
Novelty Flag Handkerchiefs 19c
Souvenir Cushion Tops 19c
Stationery in fancy box 19c
Stand Covers, all sizes, Embroidered 19c
5 O'clock Tea Covers, Embroidered and Hemstitched 19c
Pillow Shams, 27 x 27 inch, Embroidered and Hemstitched 19c

WEDNESDAY 19c CLEARANCE SALE

Centre Pieces, sizes 27 inch, Embroidered and Hemstitched 19c
Blue Percales, 36 inches wide, various patterns, old dyes, yard 19c
Glass Toweling, 1 yard wide, Red and Blue Check, per yard 19c
Bath Toweling, 15 inches wide, 2 Yards for 19c
Kimona Cloths, per yard 19c
Books, by "Henty," well bound 19c
Baby Slip-over Feeding Dresses, 2 for 19c
Baby Bibs, long, different designs 19c
Striped Flannelette, per yard 19c
White Flannelette, per yard 19c
White Longcloth, per yard 19c
White Nainsook, per yard 19c
Oxford Shirtings, Plain and Stripe 19c
Kiddies' Hats 19c
Wings, Assorted, for Hat Trimming 19c
Handkerchiefs, Ladies, 6 for 19c
Handkerchiefs, Children's, 5 for 19c
Scribbling Books, 5 for 19c
1 Writing Pad and 2 Pkgs. Envelopes for 19c
Dolls, Unbreakable Heads, Stuffed Bodies, Neatly Dressed 19c

WEDNESDAY 19c CLEARANCE SALE

Clothes Lines, 100 foot 19c
Toilet Paper, 4 Rolls for 19c
Stair Whisks, Large Size 19c
Brackets, all complete, pair 19c
Soap, Laundry, 7 Cakes for 19c
Flour Sifters, large 19c
Glass Sauce Dishes, 5 for 19c
Glass Tumblers, Imitation Cut, 4 for 19c
Dinner Plates, White Semi China, 2 for 19c
Pitchers, Fancy or Plain, Large Size 19c
Sauce Dishes, Semi-Porcelain, decorated with sheaf of wheat or maple leaf, 6 for 19c
Tea Pots, 5 and 6 cups, Rockinghams 19c
Nickle Silver Sugar Shells 19c
Kitchen Cutlery, set consisting of Butcher Knife, Bread Knife and Paring Knife, set 19c
Special Table of Fancy China, consisting of Plates, Bowls, Cups and Saucers, Bon-Bon Dishes, Cream Pitchers, Spoon Trays, Cake Plates and numerous other useful pieces. Worth up to 50c. Choice for 19c
Parian Bust of Lord Roberts 19c

1 Clothes' Line and 5 dozen Clothes' Pins for 19c
Root Scrub Brushes, Large 19c
Steel Meat Saws 19c
Steel Meat Tenderer 19c
Cuspidors, White Enamel 19c
Coat Hangers, Wire, 3 for 19c
Skirt Hangers, Wire, 3 for 19c
Granite Pie Plates, 2 for 19c
Large Platters, Semi China, size 10 inch 19c
Cups and Saucers, "Blue Willow" China 19c
Tea Spoons, Nickle Silver, 3 for 19c
Forks, Nickle Silver, 2 for 19c
Kitchen Bowls, set of 3, decorated, set 19c
Granite Sauce Pans, with Cover 19c
Pudding Pans, Aluminum 19c
Jelly Moulds, Large, 2 for 19c
Cream Whippers, quart size 19c
Shawl Straps, 3 for 19c
Egg Cups, 8 for 19c

WEDNESDAY 19c CLEARANCE SALE

CARPET DEPARTMENT 19c CLEARANCE SALE

Curtain Scrim, Ivory colour, 2 Yards for 19c
Chintz, one yard wide, yard 19c
Cretonnes, ¾ yard wide, 2 Yards for 19c
Telescope Sash Rods, flat pattern, round ends, extend 54 inches 19c
Curtain Net, in White and Ecru, yard 19c
Sateens, 30 inches wide, all colours, yard 19c

RESULTS OF THE CHRISTMAS EXAMINATIONS

What the Collegiate Institute Pupils Accomplished in the Tests Set Them at the End of the Fall Term---Results in the Upper, Middle and Senior Lower Schools

Following are the results of the Collegiate Institute Christmas examinations:

UPPER SCHOOL.

Faculty Entrance, Part I.

Crowe, Hazel 81%
Armstrong, Olive 75
Steele, Ethel 73
Pakenham, Roderick 70
Smith, Marjorie 64
Moloney, Teresa 62
Halstead, Helen 60
Thompson, Helen 56
Lowry, Lillian 31

Not ranked
Galvin, Mary—54% (4 papers).

Faculty Entrance, Part II.

Austin, Hugh 66%
Williamson, Hillier 67
Deyell, Esther 61
Thorndyke, Kathleen 81
Carroll, Cyril 55

Honour Matriculation.

Smith, Harry ..... 82% (11 papers)
Rodman, Florence 83% (8 papers)
Gladman, Gretchen 77% (11 papers)
Young, Phyllis ..75% (11 papers)
Grady, Marion ..73% (9 papers)
Dafoe, Essa ..69% (8 papers)
Kirn Marvin ..68% (6 papers)
Donoghue, Casimer 40% (6 papers)

MIDDLE SCHOOL.

Form IV.

Herridge, Marguerite 76%
Carmichael, Agnes 75
Scadding, Simcoe 74
Dobbin, Clara 71
Perrin, Wilhelmine 71
Bogue, Stanley 71
Hardwicke, Elizabeth 71
Ward, Myra 71
Bergoine, Daisy 70
Conner, Maida 68
Eastwood, Mary 68
Jones, Hazel 68
Gardner, Mary 67
Stuart, Alex 67
Meredith, Elton 67
Connal, Margaret 66
Stewart, Edna 66
Green, Jack 65
Gardner, Mabel 65
Atkinson, Mary 64
Shearer, Ferne 64
Macdonald, Nellie 63
Crane, Hal 62
Stinson, Greta 61
Hood, Phyllis 60
Green, George 59
Long, Harold 59
Shelton, Ada 54
Haratone, Kyle 53
Rutherford, Walter 53
Munro, George 46

Pharmacy Matriculation.

Plunkett, Elmer 72%
Skuce, Harland 62

Not ranked—
Braund, Stanley.
Campbell, Mollie.
Hamilton, Lottie.
Knox, Vera.

Absent—
Baird, Isabel.

Form III.

Copp, Harold 75%
Dunbar, Kathleen 74
Morrison, Ethel 71
Braund, Aileen 71
Buckham, Violet 70
Stephenson, Jack 69
Bulmer, Helen 67
Hood, Gertie 66
Moore, Helen 66
Neill, Agnes 66
Rowe, Ethel 66
Hutchison, Scott 66
Purvis, Grace 66
Anderson, Jean 65
Conway, Amess 64
Mason, Claire 64
Elliott, Charles 64
Mowat, Elizabeth 63
Carlisle, John 62
McClelland, Gerald 62
Finnie, Gladstone 62
Johnston, Quinnie 61
Catchpole, Alvin 61
Ego, Gordon 60
Park, Bernard 59
Canniff, Douglas 58
Miller, Audrey 57
White, Roy 57
Brownscombe, Minto 57
Barrie, Earl 57
Cottingham, Morgan 56
Webb, Leon 53
Allin, Edna 52
Stock, Vera 51
Arnott, Rilla 42
Eastwood, Jean 37

Absent—
Staunton, Florence.

SENIOR LOWER SCHOOL.

IIA.

Horn, Aloha 78%
Doupe, Fred 71
Armstrong, Charles 69
Beaudoire, Joseph 68
Cunningham, Annie 67
Hewson, Charles 66
Worr, Lena 64
Carter, Helen 61
Graham, Evart 59
Harvey, Muriel 58
Huston, Verda 56
Hunter, Herman 55
Noftall, Mabel 53
Hunter, Alberta 53
Dryden, Annie 52
Curtis, Stanley 49
Doucette, Mildred 48
Ingoll, Marjorie 47
Brooks, Helen 47
Cunningham Mabel 47

Absent—
Hutchison Mabel.
Quffe, Willa.

Form 2B.

Meserve, Ralph 80%
Pammett, Florence 78
Petrie, Earl 76
Leggett, Clement 74
Mills, Dorothy 72
McNevan, May 72
Sanderson, Janet 71
McIntosh, Allen 71
Rightmeyer, Roberta 66
Middleton, Jean 66
Lewis, Allen 66
Shelton, Marion 65
Middleton, Helen 64
Westlake, Willard 62
Whitfield, Vera 61
Pulkinghorn Madeleine 61
Madden, Helen 60
Peever, Rhea 58
Webber, Daisy 57
Nelson, Marion 57
Stenton, Marjorie 54

Dandruffy Heads Become Hairless

If you want plenty of thick, beautiful, glossy, silky hair, do by all means get rid of dandruff, for it will starve your hair and ruin it if you don't.

It doesn't do much good to try to brush or wash it out. The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop, and your hair will look and feel a hundred times better. You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive and four ounces is all you will need, no matter how much dandruff you have. This simple remedy never fails.

POLICEMAN KILLED BY BITE, HE SAYS

CORONER STATES AUTOPSY SHOWS HUGH McKIERNAN SUFFERED INFECTION WHEN MAKING ARREST LAST JULY.

An autopsy on the body of Policeman Hugh McKiernan, of the West 125th street station, who died in the Knickerbocker Hospital on December 7th, revealed the fact, according to Coroner Feinberg, that he had died of an infection suffered when he was bitten by a man that he arrested last July. Edward O'Neill, a machinist, was arrested by McKiernan after a fight last July, and McKiernan's right thumb was severely bitten. The following day O'Neill was found guilty of disorderly conduct in the Washington Heights Court and was released on suspended sentence.

O'Neill was arrested again on Nov. 27, after the death of Robert Weir, of No. 606 St. Nicholas avenue. During a fight in Broadway Weir was knocked down. His head hit the curb and he died. A charge of homicide was placed against O'Neill, but he was released on bail and was at liberty last night.

"This case opens an entirely new field in criminal procedure," said Coroner Feinburg last night. "If a policeman dies as a result of a disease contracted by a bite several months before can the man who bit him be prosecuted for manslaughter or homicide? The matter will be submitted to the District Attorney."

SHOT SWEETHEART BECAUSE SHE FOUND HE LOVED ANOTHER

MONTREAL, Jan. 9—Bert Haines, 24 years of age, living with his parents at 16 River street, Verdun, is dead, and Eva Boyle, 20 years old, a waitress, who gave her address as 477 Alymer street, is dying in the Royal Victoria Hospital as the result of a shooting affray at the corner of McTavish street and Pine avenue early yesterday morning. The man's body was found lying in the snow at 1:30 o'clock with a bullet through the heart. A little earlier the girl had staggered into the Royal Victoria telling an incoherent story of meeting some one on the street. She was suffering from a bullet wound. The doctors examined her wounds and pronounced them very serious—probably fatal. Late last night the girl was still alive but in a dying condition.

Found Muff and Revolver.

The hospital authorities, unable to understand the stories the woman told, sent for the police. When they arrived the body had been discovered in the snow. A muff, alleged to have belonged to the woman, lay beside it and inside the fur was a revolver with two empty chambers. This was taken in charge by the officers. In a few minutes Detective Desgroseliers was sent to guard the dying girl at the hospital, and Detectives Weston and McManus were detailed for the investigation. The body of the man was taken to the morgue where the inquest will be held.

The girl, according to the police, has admitted the shooting. Jealousy is supposed to have been the cause. Haines had been keeping company with the woman for about a year and it is said she was very anxious for him to marry her. His mother had met the girl a couple of months ago. According to the confession to the police the girl shot the man because she had discovered that he did not love her any more. Then she turned the gun on herself. His faithlessness had been made very evident to her, she declared, within the last three weeks. She did not explain that further.

Knew There Was Gun.

The victim of the tragedy left his home in Verdun Sunday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock and at three o'clock yesterday morning his mother was informed of his death. The girl did not work at all Sunday. Haines was a plumber by trade and worked for the Allis-Chalmers Company.

The first news of the tragedy was received about two o'clock yesterday morning, when the undertaking and ambulance establishment of Wm. Wray, University street, was called to send an ambulance to remove the body of Haines. The woman Boyle, was then seen to be seriously wounded and she was rushed to the Royal Victoria, where, it is alleged, she exclaimed on arrival: "I did it."

The girl had been out of work, it is said, for the last two weeks. She had planned too to return to her relatives in England last December but changed her mind at the last minute.

Cry of "Insane" At Bridegroom Halts Wedding

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Somebody broke up Harry Barman's wedding, but who did it nobody knows. At first it was said it was his two sisters, but they denied that vigorously.

But, whoever it was, the voice of City Clerk Scully was stopped just as it was about to pronounce Barman and Miss Ethel M. Gross man and wife, and two irate women did the stopping.

Barman and his bride to be walked into the marriage license bureau and obtained a license from the clerk, Julius Brosin.

The prospective bridegroom then told Brosin he had made a million in the last few months in motor stocks, and asked who would marry them. He was sent to City Clerk Scully, who led the party into the marriage chapel for the ceremony.

THINGS HAPPEN SWIFTLY

Then the telephont tinkled. An excited feminine voice asked if Barman had been after a license, and insisted that the marriage be stopped, alleging Barman was insane. The speaker said she was Barman's sister.

Scully was informed of this, and there followed a few moments of watchful waiting. Soon two young women rushed in.

"This man is insane and in no position to get married. In justice to this young girl and to my brother, we demand that the marriage not take place," one of the young women shouted to the clerk.

BRIDE-TO-BE FAINTS.

The would-be bridegroom straightway declared that untrue; the bride to be fainted, and had to be carried to the next room.

In a few minutes, however, the four walked out, without giving an inkling of their future plans.

Miss Lily Barman, one of Barman's two sisters, asserted that she had not known her brother was in town, had not done anything to prevent a marriage, and did not know whether she knew Miss Gross or not.

AN APPOINTMENT FOR WELL KNOWN PETERBORO' BOY

Mr. Herbert S. Wood, a son of the late R. E. Wood, former Crown Attorney of Peterborough, has been appointed by the Government of British Columbia Counsel to advise in speedy trials and the administration of Criminal Law within the Province.

This is a very responsible and lucrative office and Mr. Wood is to be congratulated upon his rapid promotion and success in his practice of law.

The many friends of the family will be pleased to know that Mr. Arthur Wood, and Dr. Edward Wood are reported to be in good health although both have been nearly two years at the front.

NEW BOOKS AT THE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Following books have lately been placed on the shelves at the Public Library:

In the Day of Battle—Holman.
Wonderful Year—Locke.
Sons of Canada—Bridle.
Lubrication and Lubricants—Archbutt and Deeley.
Treasure Island—Stevenson.
Barnaby Rudge for Children — Dickens.
Molly-make-Believe—Abbott.
Dombey and Son for Children — Dickens.
Oliver Twist for Children—Dickens.
Further Foolishness—Leacock.
Tale of Two Cities for Children — Dickens.
Peveril of the Peak—Scott.
Waverley for Children—Scott.
Days of Bruce, for Children—Jackson.
Ivanhoe for Children—Scott.
Clansman—Dixon.
Peter Pan—Barrie.
Canadian Almanac for 1917.
Mary 'Gusta—Lincoln.
Tales of the Round Table—Andrew Lang.
Trusty John—Andrew Lang.
Elf Maiden—Andrew Lang.
Little Wild Rose—Andrew Lang.
Snow Queen—Andrew Lang.
Tales of Romance—Andrew Lang.
Beauty and the Beast — Andrew Lang.
Invisible Prince—Andrew Lang.
Three Dwarfs—Andrew Lang.
Golden Mermaid—Andrew Lang.
Theodore Watts-Dunton—Douglas.
Turkish Fairy Tales—Bain.
Ancient Pagan and Modern Christian Symbolism—In man.
Fishes—Jordan.
Five Rebellious Dolls—Nesbit.
Wild Animal Stamp Primer—New York Zoo.
Daily Mail Year Book for 1917 — Presented.
In a Desert Land—Hawtrey.
My Lady of the Island—Grimshaw.
Sea-Hawk—Sabatini.
Heart's Content—Barbour.
Girl at Central—Bonner.
Rich Man, Poor Man—Foster.

TO ISSUE SUGAR COUPONS.

Pound and Half Monthly Allowance in France.

PARIS, Jan. 8.—M. Herriot, Minister of Supplies, has decided that the rations of sugar for the French people shall be one pound and a half for each person per month after February 1, according to The Matin. It is expected a system of books of coupons will be adopted, each coupon giving the right to a certain quantity at the grocers. The object in restricting the sale of sugar is to reduce purchases abroad and release shipping for more urgent needs.

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I purchased one of the Branston Violet Ray Generators and I am happy to state that I have received great benefit. It has saved me from going to the Hotel Dieu for an operation.

I was suffering intense pain with Rheumatism in my left ankle and it was very much swollen. After three or four applications of the Branston Violet Ray the swelling was greatly reduced and the pain has entirely left.

At present my ankle could not feel better and I am able to walk on it for hours with no pain or swelling at all. This I consider very remarkable as I could not put my foot on the floor before without suffering a great deal.

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I cannot honestly advertise a want-money sale, a hard-up sale, or any other slaughter sale with some catchy name. I would not be permitted. Honestly I would not have this season, with prices soaring as they are for Fall, put on sale other than a few odd broken lines; but in order to be sure to obtain my bonus, I have put my stock at your pleasure. - - - - QUALITY AND PRICE AT OAK HALL MERIT YOUR ATTENTION.

Walk into our well arranged department for men and boys. Everything is easy for you to see and easy for salesman to get at. You see what you want and get it without any bother.

HURRYING FOR A SUIT LIKE HIS FRIEND GOT FOR $15.00

Good quality English Tweed, not ordinary $15.00 Suits but broken lines from our higher priced stock lines, in the new brown and grey patterns, small stripes and checks, tailored in fashionable single-breasted sack style, round and peaked lapels, Sovereign brand made garments all-wool linings and guaranteed shape keeping. In the lot are suits worth up to $20, for $15

Young Men's Overcoats & Ulsters $15

Single-breasted, three button coat, small lapels, double breasted, two button coat, heavy lapels. Just the right length and width of shoulder, perfect fitting backs, velvet collars, also heavy double breasted Ulsters, convertible collar, belt back, smart styles, Canadian, Jellicoe, Beatty, Oxford. Just the right colors and good quality English cloths, worth up to $20 $15

Good Tweed Trousers at $1.95

Serviceable Tweeds, in grey and mixed Tweed effects. Sizes 34 to 42. Worth up to $3.00.

Worsted Trousers at $2.95

Men's Dark Grey Striped Pants. 5 pockets, belt loops, side buckles, flaps on pockets, cuff buttons. Heavy, strong, neat pants. Sizes 33 to 40.

Boys' Double Breasted Suit at $5.95

Broken sizes in medium shade, brown and grey Tweeds. All wool linings. Full cut bloomers. Worth up to $9.00.

Norfolk Suits at $6.95

All this past Fall's selection in Tweeds. Greys, browns, heathers. Various styles of Norfolks. Full cut bloomers. Worth up to $8.50. Sizes in both, 29 to 35.

Children's Fancy Overcoats $3.95

Broken sizes in tan, brown, navy, dark and light greys. Double-breasted, belts, button close to the throat; check linings. Worth $5.50. Ages 2½ to 9 years.

Blue Serge Norfolk Suit $8.95

Made standard Norfolk style. All-Wool Blue Serge Cloths; Wool trimming. Full cut bloomers. Old values. Extra special. Sizes 29 to 33.

Men's Hats at $1.95

All this last Fall's styles. Rope and flat rim and Fedora's in blue, black, tan, grey, steel slate; also Christie's, Kenmore & Imperial Stiff Hats. Worth $2.50 and $3. Sizes 6⅝ to 7½.

500 Men's Shirts 75c

Broken ranges of our regular stock. Single, double and cluster stripes. Laundered cuffs and soft cuffs, with collars. Buy for next summer now 75c

Combination Underwear $1.00, $1.50, $2.00 and $2.50

Watson's, Penman's, True Knit, Stanfield's make, in spring needle elastic rib, closed crotch. Buy for next winter: prices will be 40 per cent. higher. All sizes, 34 to 44.

Men's Caps 98c

Heavy Tweeds, with and without fur bands. Also medium weight Fancy Tweeds and Worsteds. Made from high-priced sample ends of worsteds. Worth up to $1.50 for 98c

Boy's Blouses 59c

Best American Prints. Dark and medium patterns, plain white, cream and chambray, tapeless blouse. Large full size and well shaped. 59c

Boys' Sweater Coats

Varsity knit, fancy weave, in garnet and black and grey and garnet, 2 colours only. Sizes 28, 30, 32. Worth to-day $3.75, for $2.59

Boys' Jerseys

English Jerseys for boys, 2½ to 12 years, in tan, grey, blue, khaki, green. Button neck, elastic finish, cuffs, neck and skirt. Special ..... $1.00 & $1.25

Boys' Shirts, Hard and Soft Cuffs 75c

Boys' Shirts and Drawers .. 50c, 65c & 75c
Boys' Wool Toques 50c

Men's Shirts

Men's Work Shirts. Special 59c
Men's Work Shirts, Jess Willard 85c
English Flaxman Shirt $1.25
Dress Shirts, soft cuffs and collars, stiff cuffs; broken ranges. Worth up to $1.25. 95c
Men's Flannelette Night Shirts 75c
Men's Flannelette Pyjamas $1.50

Underwear

Odd Shirts only, Fleece-lined 50c
Shirts and Drawers (Penman's), each . 75c
Heavy Ribbed Shirts and Drawers .. $1.00
Stanfield's Heavy Ribbed $1.50

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Heavy Jumbo Knit Coat, in grey, khaki, cardinal and steele colours; shawl collars. Worth to-day $7.50, for $5.00

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Buy now for spring. A good strong bulb runner, paragon frame, stitched edge. Worth $1.50, for $1.00
Same as above, with taped edges. Special, $1.25

Gentlemen—Why not buy your Summer Underwear now. Ladies buy their Whitewear. Why not you. You can save money.

Porous Combinations

White Porous Combinations, short sleeves, long legs. Worth now $1. In Spring $1.35, now for 75c

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Long sleeves and legs. Worth 50c in spring when you want it, it will sell for 65c, now 39c

Come Saturday Morning early, if you can. At any rate come as soon as you can. Keep this page of specials before you. We are determined to reduce our stock and will keep above specials and many other inducements for you during this month.

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IN THE WORLD OF SPORT

COBOURG EASY FOR FAST SOLDIER SEVEN IN INTERMEDIATE O.H.A. GAME

247th Won From Lakeshore Bunch By 23 Goals to 5—Result Was Never in Doubt—247th Led by 8 to 2 at End of First Period and 17 to 3 at Close of Second

SOME RAPID SCORING

The Cobourg 247th Battalion intermediate O.H.A. game at Brock Street Rink last night was nothing more than an exercise gallop for Major O'Flynn's soldiers who won, going away by 23 goals to 5. The 247th led by 8 to 2 at the end of the first period and 17 to 3 at the close of the second and won as they pleased. It was a peculiar game at that, inasmuch as the Cobourg seven looked a lot better than the score would indicate. A 23 to 5 tally usually means a continuous bombardment of the losing team's nets but such was not the case last night for Cobourg kept trying all the time and showed considerable speed, breaking away fast and giving Legros more work than any one who did not see the game would imagine. However, the red skirts from the lake front lacked the punch around the nets, where the soldiers scored with ridiculous ease. Bulger the Cobourg goal keeper was as full of holes as a Swiss cheese in the first period, although he came to and made some nice saves later on, while the Cobourg defence, although fast offensively, was as wide open as a farmer's mouth on circus day and the soldier's had little trouble in working through.

The game was very late in starting, owing to the fact that no referee turned up. Finally Percy Bond was secured and the game got under way after 9 o'clock. The peculiar thing about it was that Bond was supposed to officiate in the first place, but had not been notified by the O.H.A. The local boy handled the game satisfactorily.

Although the soldiers have not by any means perfected their team play they showed all kinds of speed and stick handling and did some effective passing around the nets. Armstrong and Adams were the big guns in the attack, the lanky rover bagging eight goals, while Adams slipped seven past Bulger. The two fed each other nicely and had the Cobourg defence mystified. Armstrong's bad knee did not seem to interfere very much with his speed. Flanagan travelled nicely at centre and uncovered a shot like a rifle bullet while Evans at left, although he failed to break into the scoring, passed nicely and a number of goals were the result of his work. Halpin and Thornton were strong, both on the defence and attack and Halpin's unselfish playing is indicated by the assist column which shows that four goals were scored on his passing. Legros was in fine form in the nets.

For Cobourg, Payne and Drumm, the defence pair both showed speed on the attack, but were easily beaten as a defence. The veteran Glidden worked hard, while Frank Barrie the Peterborough boy who played for the local juniors three years ago did some nice work at left wing. The first two Cobourg goals were scored as the result of his work.

The line-up:

COBOURG		247TH
Bulger	Goal	Legros
Payne	Defence	Thornton
Drumm		Halpin
Glidden	Rover	Armstrong
Maher	Centre	Flanagan
Fox	Right Wing	Adams
Barrie	Left Wing	Evans

Referee—J. P. Bond, Peterborough.

The game was hardly underway when Armstrong with a circling rush fooled the Cobourg defence and slammed goal No. 1 past Bulger. Almost from the next face off Thornton dashed in and although he was checked in front of the net Adams nailed the rubber and beat Bulger.

Cobourg broke away for several passing rushes but Legros nailed their shots. Then Adams passed out from behind the nets to Armstrong who made it 3 to 0.

Adams and Flanagan drew penalties but there was no damage done while they were off. The teams were even again when Adams tipped one past Bulger on a rush by Flanagan.

The latter made it 5 to 0 when he batted one through after a combination rush. Flanagan also got goal No. 6, with a neat shot.

Then Cobourg took a hand in the scoring when Barrie broke away and passed to Glidden who hoisted one past Legros at close range.

The Lakeshore bunch also got the next one a minute after when Maher and Barrie combined nicely the latter finding the nets. That left it 6 to 2, but the figures did not remain at that point long. Adams going in alone for a nice goal a minute afterwards. Then Grover Halpin slipped down the ice with a beautiful rush and flipped the rubber over to Adams who had no difficulty in fooling Bulger. That ended the scoring for the period.

The soldiers opened the second period as if they were going to score a million. Within 30 seconds of the face-off Halpin got away and passed to Armstrong who did the needful. Back came Armstrong alone for another thirty second goal. They nearly had half a dozen more in the next couple of minutes but Bulger tore off some good stops, and it was finally Cobourg who scored. Payne batting in a rebound after a combination rush.

Thornton drew a penalty, but the Petes kept on pressing. Armstrong made it eleven when he took a pass from behind the nets but Adams slipped the rubber between the posts. Drumm was chased for tripping Armstrong. Flanagan changed the score to 12 to 3 on a pass from Evans and then added another when he brought the puck around from back of the nets after a duel with Payne.

Just after the face-off Flanagan drew a five-minute penalty for charging Payne. The 247th kept hammering away and Adams scored twice in quick succession, making it 15 to 3. Armstrong added another on a pass from Halpin and then Thornton tore through all by himself and scored.

Thornton opened the scoring in the third period with another long rush, pulling the goal keeper out. That made the figures 18 to 3. Payne got that back when he tore off an individual rush and went in on top of Legros for a goal.

A pass from Halpin to Armstrong gave the latter a chance to boost his total and he grabbed off another, a minute later on a pass from Evans. Adams got goal No. 21 and Halpin drew his first counter of the evening on a pass from behind.

Payne was apparently not satisfied with the number of goals the soldiers were getting so he hammered one past his own goal keeper, making the score 23 to 4. Just before the game ended Fox scored for Cobourg on a nice shot. The goals were scored as follows:

FIRST PERIOD

1. 247th—Armstrong, 1.30 minutes.
2. 247th—Adams, 30 seconds.
3. 247th—Armstrong, 3 minutes.
4. 247th—Adams, 4 minutes.
5. 247th—Flanagan, 2 minutes.
6. 247th—Flanagan, 1 minute.
7. Cobourg—Glidden, 3 minutes.
8. Cobourg—Barrie, 1 minute.
9. 247th—Adams, 1 minute.
10. 247th—Flann, 2 minutes.

SECOND PERIOD.

11. 247th—Armstrong, 30 seconds.
12. 247th—Armstrong, 30 seconds.
13. Cobourg—Payne, 4 minutes.
14. 247th—Armstrong, 3 minutes.
15. 247th—Flanagan, 2 minutes.
16. 247th—Flanagan, 1.30 minutes.
17. 247th—Adams, 5 minutes.
18. 247th—Adams, 2 minutes.
19. 247th—Armstrong, 2 minutes.
20. 247th—Thornton, 1 minute.

THIRD PERIOD.

21. 247th—Thornton, 2 minutes.
22. Cobourg—Payne, 3 minutes.
23. 247th—Armstrong, 2 minutes.
24. 247th—Armstrong, 4 minutes.
25. 247th—Adams, 3 minutes.
26. 247th—Halpin, 1.30 minutes.
27. Cobourg—Payne, 3 minutes.
28. Cobourg—Fox, 2 minutes.

THE SUMMARY.

247TH	Goals	Assists	Penal.
Legros	0	0	0
Thornton	2	1	1
Halpin	1	4	0
Armstrong	8	3	0
Flanagan	4	3	2
Adams	7	3	2
Evans	0	3	1
	23	17	6

One 247th goal scored by Payne of Cobourg.

COBOURG	Goals	Assists	Penal.
Bulger	0	0	0
Payne	2	0	0
Drumm	0	0	2
Glidden	1	1	0
Maher	0	1	1
Barrie	1	2	0
Fox	1	0	0
	5	4	3

THE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Gls. for	Gls. Agnst
247th	2	0	37	7
Lindsay	1	1	22	16
Cobourg	0	2	9	43

CURLING

The weather's relapse has taken the edge off the ice at the curling rink to-day. Last night there was not the required degrees of frost, and the same condition prevailed this morning. The games scheduled for to-night are as follows, although it is unlikely that they will be played:

J. H. Ferguson vs. T. F. Matthews.
F. M. Dale Fenne vs. W. D. Campbell.
R. M. Waddell vs. J. W. McDermid.
Ald Taylor vs T. Brightman.

G. H. Giroux vs. W. M. Lang.

Last night's games resulted as follows:

R. B. Allen	G. Copping
L. A. Turner	F. Brownscombe
W. J. Thompson	W. M. Lang
W. G. Morrow	H. F. Foote
Skip	11 Skip 16
H. Meredith	J. McCabe
J. C. Read	E. H. D. Hall
R. Harstone	E. G. Patterson
W. G. Ferguson	A. Kay
Skip	6 Skip 19
H. Johnston	S. J. Graham
R. Grant	C. B. Browne
C. H. Pennefather	J. Wyllie
D. Davidson	Dr. Wightman
Skip	7 Skip 16
J. M. Lowes	H. Dearle
C. E. Smith	W. J. Henry
J. Skinner	G. L. Bowes
Dr. Greer	R. Hicks
Skip	10 Skip 17

LADIES' CURLING CLUB.

A meeting of the Ladies' Curling Club is called for Wednesday morning at ten-thirty o'clock in the Charlotte Street Rink. All members are urged to be present as business of importance is to be discussed.

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Shrewd Buyers will not overlook these Specials on Sale from 9.30 to 11.30

PURE WHITE FLANNELETTE—27 inches wide (only 200 yards on sale). As there are no cheap flannelettes to-day this will prove an extra bargain. Former price 12½c. Two-hour price (no 'phone orders)..... 10 yards for 1.00

RED CROSS BRAND LONGCLOTH COTTON—A pure soft cotton, 36 inches wide. Best quality for underwear and general household use. Sells at 20c. Two-hour special ..... 6 yards for 1.00

FINE NAINSOOK COTTON—36 inches wide for making up dainty undergarments. The 30c quality. On sale for ..... 4 yards for 1.00

TWO-YARD WIDE WHITE SHEETING — A good heavy English make, that will give the wear. Sells at 35c. Two-hour sale price, per yard 29c

A SWEEPING SALE OF ALL-WOOL MANTLE CLOTHS — Plain, cardinal and navy, and cardinal and black plaid. 54 inches wide. Regular $2.50. Sale price, per yard..... 1.50

Sale of White Cotton and Factory Cotton

SPECIAL VALUE IN WHITE COTTON—A better quality than you usually get at 12½c. Sale price .....10 yards for 1.00

EXTRA VALUE IN LONGCLOTH COTTON — Shrewd buyers will buy this cotton in large quantities for future use, as it is much below regular at 15c. Sale price.....8 yards for 1.00

36-INCH FACTORY COTTON—Without dressing. A cotton you will pay 12½c for. Sale price.....10 yards for 1.00

HEAVY SHEETING FACTORY COTTON—36 inches wide. Very clear cotton, free from the usual specks. Can't be beaten for making sheets, pillow cases, etc. Former value 15c, but now would be worth 18c. Sale price .....10 yards for 1.25

HEMMED PILLOW CASES—One size only, 40 inch. Made from a good English cotton. Worth 20c. Sale price, each 15c

HEAVY CREAM FLANNELETTE — A limited quantity of this wonderful flannelette value. Worth 18c. Sale price .....7 yards for 1.00

Blankets and Comforters

UPHOLSTERING AND CURTAIN MATERIAL — 36 inches wide. A few pieces that sold at 40c, 45c, 50c. All placed on sale at the one price, per yard 25c

SEMI - BLEACHED DICED LINEN TABLING—Almost white, will give good wear. What we sell at 50c. Sale price ..... 2¼ yards for 1.00

FLANNELETTE BLANKETS—12/4 size. Only 25 pairs in white and light grey, pretty borders. Worth $2.10. Sale price, per pair 1.69

ODD LINES OF COMFORTERS TO BE CLEARED OUT.

3 only—Silkoline covered, 72 x 72 inches. Regular price $2.20. Sale price 1.69

4 only—Chintz covered, 72 x 72 inches. Regular price $3.75. Sale price 2.29

5 only—Chintz covered, 72 x 72 inches. Regular price $3.50. Sale price 2.69

ALL LINEN TOWELLING—For hand, roller or dishes, with or without border, light or dark shades of linen, 17 inches wide. Former price before the advance 18c. Sale price 4 yards for 50c

Ladies' Fleece Lined Hose 3 Pair For 50c

Regular Price 25c Pair

A word to those requiring Children's All Wool Stockings in Sizes 4, 4½, 5, 5½, 6, 6½

MORLEY'S OF ENGLAND —Makers of high-class hosiery, sent us to many pairs in the above sizes. They are 2/1 and 1/1 black heavy rib knit. All-wool winter weight. Regular prices are 40c, 45c, 50c. All to go at one price, per pair 29c

Yarns, Hosiery and Embroidery

WRAPPERETTES AT 15c — A case of wrapperettes just arrived. Should have been here two months ago. The prices range at 20c, 22c, 25c. Widths 27 to 36 inches. A rush sale price will be, per yard 15c

MONARCH HAND-KNITTING YARN —4 ply, in grey, white, black, khaki. Put up in half-lb skeins only. Regular retail price per lb. $2.10. One day price per pound $1.70, or per half-pound. 85c

EMBROIDERIES, EDGINGS AND INSERTIONS—A big collection to choose from. Values are 12½ and 15c. All one price, per yard 10c

BLACK CASHMERE HOSE—An extra good lot that are worth 35c pair. One day special price, per pair..... 25c

A CLEAN UP ON DARK COLOURED WICKER BASKETS—Silk lined. Regular price $1.50. 9 only. Your choice for 50c

BARGAINS IN READY-TO-WEAR

A Collection of Blouses at 98c

Odd blouses grouped to sell at one price. They comprise black or white silk, black poplin and other fancy styles, that sold up to $1.50. Your choice at 98c

Jap White Silk Wash Blouses 1.69

A new line bought for the Holiday trade but arrived too late. Needless to say that they are the latest style. Regular price $2.50. Clearing sale price 1.69

Children's All Wool Knitted Underskirts

A very warm garment in good shades. Not many left, but a great bargain. Regular price $1.25. Sale price, each 75c

Ladies' and Misses' Wool Underskirts

A very heavy all-wool garment. On sale for the one day. Worth $1.75 Sale price..... 1.10

Ladies' White Flannelette Gowns 98c

Many styles to choose from in both kimona and highneck. Excellent quality of material. Would be a bargain at $1.25. Sale price..... 98c

Rush Sale Prices on Ladies' and Misses' Smart Winter Coats

Of Plush, Sealette, Curl Cloth, Zibeline, Novelty Tweeds, etc.

25.00 and 30.00 Coats

$15.00

15.00, 18.00, 22.00 Coats

$10.00

10.00 and 12.00 Coats

$5.00

SWEATER COATS, TRIMMED HATS

10.00 Ladies' Grey Sweater Coats at 5.00

One only, size 40. An extra heavy all-wool make, has four pockets, large collar. Would be a perfect sweater for skating or outdoor sport. A lucky bargain for some one. Regular price $10.00. Sale price 5.00

Ladies' 5.00 Sweater Coats 2.98

Very fine all-wool, in plain cardinal and brown, fine rib knit (2 only). Regular price $5.00. A bargain for two customers. So come early to get them at, each 2.98

Children's Sweater Coats at 98c

They come in pretty combination colours good warm garment that sells at $1.25. Sale price, each 98c

6.50 Trimmed Hats at 2.98

A few Velvet Hats in black and colours, trimmed with ribbons, mounts and flowers. Regular price $6.00. Your choice..... 2.98

Mounts up to $2.00 on sale at, each 50c

HOUSEFURNISHING DEPT.

SALE OF ODD PAIRS OF CURTAINS—Some of them have been used as selling samples in the curtain department. 12 pairs in all, marked this way:—

Curtains that sold at $2.50 for, pair $1.50

$2.75 for, pair $1.75. 5.50 for, pair $2.98

WINDOW SHADES WITH INSERTION — At a bargain price. About 19 shades left of this line in cream only. Regular value 75c. Sale price..... 59c

LINOLEUM REMNANTS—A few ends of the very best qualities. We mention the sizes as it will help you to see if they would fit your room:—

6 x 12 ft., or 8 sq. yds. Regular 75c sq. yd. The piece for 5.00

6 ft. 6 ins. x 12, or 6 sq. yds. Reg. $1.10 sq. yd. The piece for..... 5.00

7 ft. 6 ins. x 12, or 10 sq. yds. Reg. 90c sq. yd. The piece for 7.00

INLAID LINOLEUM—Two yards wide one end of 14, and 1 end of 3½ square yards, that sold at $1.50 To clear, per square yard 90c

HOUSEFURNISHING DEPT.

FEATHER BED PILLOWS—Well filled and covered with fancy ticking. Size 18 x 26 inches. Regular $1.25. One-day price, per pair 98c

TWO-YARD WIDE FLOOR OILCLOTH—In a good variety of designs and colourings. We place two lines on sale for the one day:—

Regular 60c. Sale price per sq. yard 48c

Regular 55c. Sale price per sq. yard 45c

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Lieut. George Fleming, of the 253nd Battalion, Lindsay, spent Sunday in the city, the guest of his aunt, Mrs. A. B. Ross, 264 Stewart street.

Miss Connor of Wisconsin, daughter of Mr. T. P. Connor, formerly of the Cordage Company in Peterborough now of Waupon, Wisconsin, has taken the vows in the Ursuline Order at Chatham, Ontario. Bishop Fallon was present and delivered an instructive address.

Mrs. Jack Wallace and Miss Kathleen Wallace, formerly of this city, now residing on Jarvis street, Toronto leave shortly for England to be near Mrs. Wallace's sons, Capt. Hugh Wallace, and Lieut. Harold Wallace, and brother, General A. C. McDonald.

Miss Grace Elston who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. V. J. McElderry for the past two weeks returned to-day to Toronto University.

Mrs. O. A. Langley, Lakefield, left yesterday for Montreal where she will undergo a serious operation at the Royal Victoria Hospital.

Amongst those who will take part in the musicale given by the Progressive Club at Mrs. H. O. Fiske's residence to-night are Mrs. Cameron Wilson, Miss Helen McLaren, Miss Agnes Logan and Mrs. Carlisle.

Miss Helen McLaren, Homewood Avenue has returned from Toronto, where she spent the holidays, the guest of her parents.

Mr. O. A. Langley, is in Montreal for a few days.

Mrs. James P. McNichol of Saskatoon is visiting her home, 186 Lansdowne.

Sergt. W. Phillips of the 235th Battalion has returned to Belleville after spending his leave in Peterborough.

Miss Meta Meredith has returned to Toronto University after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Meredith, Water street.

Mr. Leo Kennedy returned to St. Michael's College to-day to resume his studies.

County Magistrate O. A. Langley is in Montreal to-day.

Mr. H. A. Robinson, of the Mines Department, Ottawa, who spent the holidays at his home, 412 Gilmour street, returned yesterday to Ottawa.

Mrs. Wm. H. Robertson and Miss M. Robertson, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Creasman, Hunter street, returned this morning to Fenelon Falls.

Miss Jessie Starr, who has been visiting Miss Mary Gibson, George street, returned yesterday to her home in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Marr, who moved to the city recently, have moved into their new home, 118 Hunter street.

Mr. Gaynor Powell, Toronto University, spent the week-end the guest of friends in the city.

The many friends of Dr. R. F. Morrow who underwent a serious operation recently at the Nicholls Hospital will regret to know that his condition shows no improvement to-day.

Inquiries late this afternoon at the Nicholls Hospital found the condition of Mr. S. Clegg, 295 Stewart street and a brother of Major Clegg to be unimproved.

A few friends gathered at the C.P.R. station this morning to say goodbye to Mr. Harry Hoyle (formerly with the Bonner Worth Co., Ltd.) and his wife who are returning to Woonsocket, U.S.A.

BIRTH.

McGRATH.—On Monday, Jan. 8, 1916, to Mr and Mrs. D. McGrath, 275 Romaine street, a daughter.

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Will meet for rehearsal to-night at 8 o'clock in the church. Every member is requested to be present. Those kindly assisting from other choirs please note.

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We have still on hand some of our 1916 stock, which we will put on at the old price. This is without doubt the best strip on the market, and is guaranteed to stop draughts. Chas. H. Huffman & Sons, 297 Boswell Ave. 'Phone 1235. 3d-6

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BOYS,

If you are interested in learning how to read a blue print, join the Draughting class at the Night School. If you feel the need of more training in Arithmetic join the Mathematics class.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Industrial Exhibition will be held in the City Council Chamber, Peterborough, on Saturday, January 20th, 1917, at one o'clock p.m. G. A. Gillespie, President; F. J. A. Hall, Secretary. 5-9-12-16-19

PIANO, ORGAN, VOICE.

Mr. J. H. Renwick, organist and choirmaster, George Street Methodist Church, has resumed teaching. Pupils prepared for examinations. Many present and former pupils holding good positions. Studio, 567 Aylmer street. 'Phone 1098. 28d-2

NEW SONGS.

Three fine new songs, "Good-Bye Sweetheart," "Day Dreams of Love" and "God Bless our Empire," have just been received by The J. M. Greene Music Co., Charlotte Street. Come in and hear them. See our window. 3d-6

DENTAL.

Dr. McKenty, Dentist, 370 George Street, on the ground floor, first door north of Peterborough Hardware Company. Nitrous oxide and oxygen administered for painless operations 28d-12s

MOTHERS' CLUB.

The regular meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Mothers' Club will be held at the Y. M. C. A. on Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock. Reports from all the committees and the schools' Mothers' Circles will be given.

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THE LITTLE LAKE CEMETERY COMPANY.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Company will be held at the City Council Chamber, Peterborough, on Monday, the 15th of January, 1918, at 3 p.m., for the purpose of electing Directors for the present year, receiving and considering reports for the past year, and for the transaction of any other necessary business.

Dated 6th of January, 1917.

W. H. Moore,
President.

E. A. Peck,
6d-6-1w-2 Secretary-Treasurer.

A JAPANESE TEA

Will be held on Thursday, 11th Jan., 1917, at the home of Mrs. Robert Bury, 249 Aylmer street, in aid of Red Cross Fund, "Trinity Church Branch." Musical programme. Special feature will be tableaux by members of Returned Soldiers' Club, who have kindly promised to assist. Anyone desiring to bring or send cake or pie will be welcomed, as any left over will be sold at end of evening and put with collection taken. Special invite to members of Wives' and Mothers' Club, also 'Geisha' members and friends. Come and put your mite for the worthy cause. We want to have standing room only.

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SOLD CIGARS ON SUNDAY.

George Burbulis of the Boston Cafe was fined $5 and $3 costs in the police court this morning for selling cigars on Sunday.

MEET TO-NIGHT.

Peterboro Operatic and Dramatic Society members are asked to assemble at 285 Park street to-night at 8 p.m.

ANOTHER NOMINATION.

James Sullivan, elected to the Ennismore Council, failed to qualify, and nominations to fill the position will be held on January 15th.

MRS. OCTAVE TROMBLEY.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Octave Trombley will take place to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock from the residence of her son, Mr. J. C. Trombley, 536 Charlotte street, to St. Peter's Cathedral, and thence to St. Peter's Cemetery.

SUNKIST ORANGES, 25c. DOZ.

We have received over 2,000 Sunkist Oranges in fine, firm condition, which we can sell at 25c. per doz. or two dozen for 45c. Also, Florida Tangerines at the same price, 25c. doz. or two doz. for 45c. Porter S. White, Grocer. 1d.

SHIPPED SOCKS.

The Soldiers' Wives' and Mothers' Club last week sent a parcel of socks to the Peterborough boys in the 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st and 52nd Battalions.

The Soldiers' Wives' and Mothers' Club desire to thank Mr. Wearing for the use of the "Children's Aid" boxes on Flower Day.

PETERBOROUGH CHORAL SOCIETY.

An announcement of the next rehearsal will appear in next Monday evening's issue of this paper. There will be no rehearsal to-night. A meeting of the executive will be held at the Secretary's house, 16 Inverlea street, at 8 p.m. to-night. Members will please hand in their returns to the Secretary, c/o Barrie's Limited, at once.

KITCHENER LEAGUE.

The Canadian Kitchener League will hold their weekly tea in the Oriental Tea Rooms, Hunter street, to-morrow afternoon Wednesday, January 10th, at 3 o'clock. The League needs your assistance in helping to make the boys in the trenches more comfortable and they ask you to drop in and enjoy a good cup of tea in these very pleasant rooms, and so assist in the good work.

WEDDING BELLS

DONOGHUE—SULLIVAN.

A pretty wedding was celebrated at the Church of the Sacred Heart this morning at 6.30 o'clock, when Miss Evelyn Sullivan, daughter of Mr. M. J. Sullivan, 112 Park street, was united in marriage to Mr. Ray Donoghue. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father McAuley at the Church of the Sacred Heart at 6.30 o'clock. After the wedding breakfast, Mr. and Mrs. Donoghue left on the noon train on a honeymoon trip.

OBITUARY

R. J. SHIELDS.

Mrs. Graham, of East City, has received word of the death of her brother, R. J. Shields, at Calgary, January 2, 1917. Mr. Shields January 2, 1917.

Mr. Shields was born at Lakefield on Feb. 14, 1857. He leaves to mourn him his wife and one brother, John A., of Okotoks, and a sister, Mrs. Graham, of East City.

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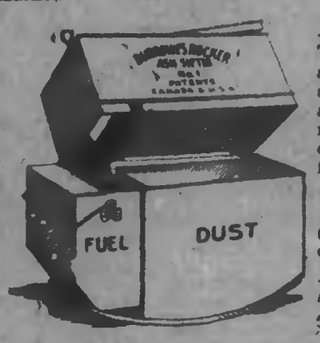

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LAKEFIELD PERSONALS

LAKEFIELD, Jan. 10.—Mr. Wm. Preston of Smith was in the village to-day.

Mr. John Arotte of North Smith spent Saturday in the village.

Mr. E. Garbutt of Dummer was in the village to-day.

Mrs. Wm. Campbell of Eyebrow, Sask., are visiting in the village, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Campbell.

Mrs. S. Ridpath of Toronto is visiting in the village the guest of her son, Mr. J. W. Ridpath.

Mr. Robert Payne of Dummer was in the village to-day.

Mr. Wellie Dunsford of Douro, was in the village to-day.

Miss Myrtle Moore is spending the week end at her home in Douro.

Mr. Thomas Hockaday of Young's Point spent Sunday in the village.

Mr. Perry Edwards of Peterborough spent the week end at his home here.

A most enjoyable Spider Party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Fitzgerald on Monday evening. About thirty-five people were present to enjoy the affair. During the evening the guests engaged in dancing and other amusements, after which a dainty lunch was served.

A large safety pin sewed to the lining of your shopping bag is convenient to hang safety pins, keys, and other small articles on.

The Chancellor Is Preparing A New Note

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

GENEVA, Swiss., Jan. 10. — The German Chancellor, Von Bethmann Hollweg, is preparing a new note, in which he will define the war, aims of the Central Powers and outline peace conditions acceptable to them, it is stated here in diplomatic circles.

Submarine Sank A Battleship

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BERLIN, Jan. 10.—One single submarine, according to the Admiralty, sunk the French battleship Gaulois, the British transport Invernia and two contraband freighters.

Liberals Name A Candidate

Special to The Examiner:

TORONTO, Jan. 10.—James G. Cane was nominated by the Liberals to fight in the North Toronto bye-election against the Hon. W. D. McPherson.

Cunard Liner Was Rammed

Special to The Examiner:

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 10.—Cunard liner Laconia was rammed just before sailing time and will be unable to make the voyage until repaired.

CANADIANS AWARDED MILITARY MEDALS

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 10. — Many Canadians awarded military medals.

Allies Prepare To Answer Wilson's Peace Note

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 10.—The Allies, answer to President Wilson will be handed to Ambassador Sharp at Paris possibly to-day. It will not be made public for several days, an agreement for simultaneous publication in America and Europe having been made.

The note will thoroughly detail the Allies' war aims and purposes and for this reason it is desired to make the text absolutely perfect and capable of no misconstruction or misconception.

Premier Trepoff Has Resigned

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, Jan. 10. —Premier Trepoff resigned after two months' service.

Belgians Will Be Returned

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

THE HAGUE, Jan. 10.—All the deported Belgians will be returned to their homes.

GREEK SITUATION STILL UNCERTAIN

Special to Examiner:

LONDON, Jan. 10.—The Greek situation still uncertain.

SENATE VOTED CAPITOL DRY

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—The Senate to-day by a vote of 55 to 32 voted this city and district dry after November first.

Hindenburg Will Smash at Russia

Special to The Examiner.

BERLIN, Jan. 10.—The Teuton forces now number six millions. Hindenburg will smash Russia this year.

Canadian Breaks Up Peace Meeting

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON Jan. 10—Young Canadian Sergeant-Major breaks up a peace meeting here. Ramsay McDonald, M.P., and Mrs. Snowden evicted.

Will Make Another Bid For Peace

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 10.— It is reported that Germany will make another bid for peace in the near future.

APARTMENT HOUSE FOR SOLDIERS

Examiner Special:

TORONTO, Jan. 10.—W. J. Gage gives a hundred thousand dollars to build an apartment house for soldiers' widows and orphans.

SENIOR OFFICERS NOT REQUIRED

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Jan. 10.—198th Battalion warned for overseas and senior officers told they cannot get farther than England except as lieutenants.

Germans Capture Norwegian Steamer

Special to The Examiner:

BERLIN, Jan. 10.—The Norwegian steamer Lupus, formerly the American steamer Gilchrist, was captured and brought into Hamburg with contraband.

SHIP ABANDONED IN NORTH SEA

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 10. — American steamer Portland abandoned in the North Sea.

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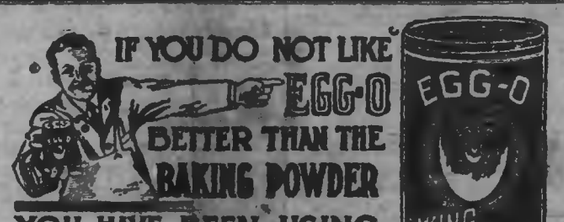

Canadian Torpedo Boat Destroyer Grilse Was Saved By Heroic Men

Crew's Work at Pumps and Devotion Kept Leaking Ship Afloat—Lieut C. McL. Fry Tells Fine Story—Operator Sent Call For Help, and Was Swept o Death—Two Seamen Drowned.

The tremendous two-day fight which the little Canadian torpedo-boat destroyer Grilse made was told to a reporter yesterday by Lieut. C. McL. Fry, her navigating officer, who was in duty at the wheel, and is now in Toronto on sick leave.

"The sea rolled the ship right over on her side," he said. "Water poured down her funnels. The engine-room skylight stove in, and the engine-room half filled with water. It seemed just a matter of minutes till the ship would take her final plunge, but in a miraculous way a cross sea from the other side seemed to toss her right up, and she settled down on a more or less even keel."

"This was the culminating point. She was not yet out of danger, but the devotion and tireless energy of her crew did the rest."

Lieut. Fry is at present stopping with friends at 1425 Queen street west. When his position on the bridge was no longer necessary he attempted successfully, with four men, to cover the engine-room skylight, but was dashed along the deck against the torpedo propellers and had his lips severed right from the nose to the chin. His face is now wonderfully healed, and he expects to soon be able to go back to duty. He is quite emphatic on the point of the Grilse's seaworthiness. "She is a fine little ship," he declared, "and as well found as any torpedo-boat destroyer afloat, and all the men will be glad to rejoin her when required. In torpedo boats weight and thickness of plates have to be reduced to a minimum to allow for high speed, but it is the same with them all. The men know it is a dangerous service, but they are paid at higher rates than in the other branches of the service."

Lieut. Fry told the story in simple sailor language, magnifying nothing, and practically making no mention of the difficult part he was called on to play as navigating officer. "The Grilse was built at Yarrow, England," he began, "for a torpedo boat destroyer. She was a sound little ship, but necessarily thin to obtain high speed, being built of 3-16-inch plating. She was probably the fastest vessel on the Atlantic seaboard, having a speed of more than 35 knots an hour (more than 40 miles). We left Halifax on Monday afternoon, Dec. 11th, with a picked crew of the best men available from the Canadian Naval Service, as the ship was assigned to the south for special duty. Bermuda was to be our first stop."

TWO SEAMEN DROWNED.

Everything went satisfactorily until Tuesday afternoon when our instruments indicated the approach of a cyclonic disturbance, which afterwards proved to be of exceptional severity, the barometer being the lowest recorded for many years. To avoid the centre of the storm we put about and set a course for Shelbourne, N.S., being then 280 miles from Cape Sable, N.S. In spite of our high speed we were unable to avoid altogether the track of the storm. As working on deck was dangerous while running before the sea, we hove to at about 6 o'clock in order to get the gear about the deck better secured for the storm which was obviously nearly on us."

"While hove to with the sea about three points on the starboard bow the ship pounded in an alarming manner, the sea being very steep on account of the current from the Gulf stream and against the direction of the wind. About 6:30 we began to jettison oil barrels from the deck having taken on additional oil for our long cruise south. It was while engaged on this work that two seamen, Ashburn and Harris (of Toronto) were washed overboard by a big sea. At the same time A. B Seaman Chandler was severely injured, having his leg bruised and suffering internal injuries from being sent along the whole length of the ship under the torpedo raiser."

HOPE ALMOST GIVEN UP.

"Of course, it was impossible to turn back for these men, and there is no doubt that these and the others were drowned. The ship was now reported leaking in No. 2 forward watertight compartment. All hands were immediately put on pumps, and the engine room pumps also got to work, but in spite of these the water gained, the ship having probably opened in one of her forward seams. The wireless was now reported partially destroyed, and as the water was gaining considerably forward, it seemed unlikely that the ship would remain afloat. We hove to, and it was decided to attempt to turn round and run for the nearest land. Considerable risk attended this manoeuvre, but as it seemed our only chance we decided to take it.

"Before attempting to turn round a quantity of fuel oil was distributed all over the deck, and allowed to run freely from the scuppers in order to reduce as much as possible the seas which were bound to strike us on the beam in turning. The turn was eventually accomplished without mishap, and a course set again for Shelburne.

HEROIC WIRELESS OPERATOR.

"In the meantime Mr. E. Clement, the young wireless operator from Hamilton, Ont., had been endeavouring up aloft to re-rig the wireless aerial leading-in at very considerable risk. I repeatedly warned him and told him to keep one hand for himself and one for the ship while doing the work, but he said: "It's got to be done and I'll have to take a chance of going over the side." He was successful in getting the aerial temporarily working and immediately this was finished our S.O.S. call was sent out, but was only sent once, as young Clement, who was trying to make a more permanent job of our temporary aerial, was most unfortunately washed overboard by a tremendous sea, the mast, aerial and most of the things on deck going with him."

"I can't speak too highly of the pluck of this youngster, who was only about 19," went on Lieut. Fry. "His heroism would no doubt have been recognized in some substantial form and he survived."

TORONTO MAN'S DEATH.

"It was not without great difficulty that the ship could now be kept running before the sea. Soon after this a tremendous sea was observed following the ship, and although everything was done to take the sea properly, the ship swung round and broached to, and thousands of tons of water poured over her decks. Chief Petty Officer Trenbee, who was at that time trying to cut the boats adrift, and Signalman McAuliffe were washed overboard by this sea, which took the boats and everything movable on the deck.

"Chief Engineer Wilkinson, who had just come up from below, was also washed overboard. Chief P. O. Trenbee displayed great heroism in trying to save the ship at the sacrifice of his life.

THE STOKERS' DEVOTION.

"In order to save the ship at this time it was absolutely imperative that the engines be kept going. The stokehold staff had naturally come up after the ship had nearly foundered to see what was going on, but to a man, at the request of the captain, they all returned to the stokehold, showing great pluck, as there is but one manhole entrance to the stoke-hold, which is screwed down while the men are below, and affords absolutely no chance for escape.

"Second Engineer Swarbrick now took charge, and, showing great skill, the engine-room staff again got the engines running, although the turbines were completely covered with water. The speed was now necessarily slow, being in the vicinity of six knots, as the engines were running under water and the propellers all tangled up with wire and wreckage which had gone overboard.

"The ship was now practically waterlogged, as the forward compartment was full and the engine room three parts full, leaving only about one foot of freeboard.

"It seemed the end. Were the engine room to fill completely the ship

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Wheat Markets Closed Weak

Cash Prices Are a Little Easier —The Cattle Markets

Wheat markets were weak at the close yesterday, due in part to the action of the British Government in refusing to allow information as to wheat prices at Liverpool or as to visible supply. This action had the effect of checking speculative buying of futures. Cash prices are a little easier.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, $2.12, track, bay ports; No. 2 $2.09; No. 3 $2.05 1-2; No. 4 $1.91; old crop 4c above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W. 72 1-2.

American corn—No. 3 72 1-2; shipment within 30 days.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 64c to 66c; No. 3 white 63c to 65c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1.78 to $1.80; No. 3 $1.76 to $1.78.

Peas—No. 2 nominal, car lots $2.40.

Barley—Good malting, $1.16 to $1.18; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal, $1.25.

Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal; No. 2 new, $1.35 to $1.37.

Manitoba flour—First patents, in jute bags $9.90; second patents in jute $9.40; strong bakers, in jute $9, Toronto.

Ontario flour—New winter, $7.30 to $7.50, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered Montreal; shorts $37; bran $32; feed flour, per bag, $2.80.

Hay—Baled, No. 1 track, Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots $13 to $13.50; No. 2 $9 to $11; straw $9.50 to $10.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Union Stock Yards—Receipts yesterday 48 cars, with 838 cattle, 185 calves, 597 hogs, and 117 sheep and lambs.

There was but a light run and business was comparatively quiet, with prices good and steady at Monday's advances. Sheep and lambs steady, but trade not quite so brisk.

There were very few hogs in and price quotations were somewhat mixed, but the market was firm and sales were made 15c to 25c higher than Monday's quotations.

Latest quotations.

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Choice butcher	8 75 9 50
do good	8 25 8 50
do medium	7 75 8 00
do common	7 00 7 50
Heifers, good to choice	8 00 8 50
do medium	7 00 7 50
Butcher cows, choice	6 25 7 00
do medium	5 75 6 25
Butcher bulls, choice	6 85 7 50
do good	6 50 6 60
do medium	5 00 5 50
Feeders 900 to 1,000 lbs.	6 50 6 75
do bulls	5 25 5 75
Stockers 700 to 800 lbs.	6 50 6 75
do med. 650 to 750 lbs.	5 50 6 00
do light 600 to 650 lbs.	5 00 5 75
Canners	4 10 4 40
Cutters	4 50 5 25
Sheep, light	8 50 9 50
do heavy	7 50 8 50
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CROWN COUNCIL FAVOURS ACCEPTANCE OF ALLIES' DEMANDS

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ATHENS, Jan. 10. — The Crown Council of Greece favours the acceptance of the Allies' demands as outlined in the note just received, according to an apparently reliable source.

Government Has Seized Alcohol

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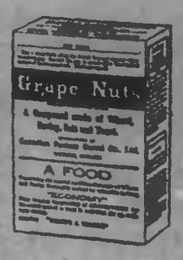

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Railway Time Tables

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
CORRECTED JUNE 6, 1916.

7.40 a.m.—For Lakefield.
8.10 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg, and points east, connecting at Port Hope for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 11.45 a.m.
8.25 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
8.30 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
11.40 a.m.—Mid-day express for Toronto, reaching Toronto at 3.15 p.m.
12.20 p.m.—For Lakefield.
11.40 a.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
1.30 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
5.35 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
5.40 p.m.—For Lakefield.
5.55 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
5.55 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Boston.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
CORRECTED JUNE 5, 1916.

*9.30 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*12.12 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N.B., Boston, and New York.
*1.20 a.m.—Norwood, Hayelock, Tweed Perth, Smith's Falls, and Ottawa.
*11.27 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and intermediate points and all points east of Montreal.

GOING WEST.—
*4.58 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Galt, Woodstock, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*5.54 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
*7.35 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York, intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
*9.15 a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port McNichol and intermediate points
*2.43 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Buffalo, New York, Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, London, Detroit and Chicago.
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CHAPTER XXIV.

After the low scream that came moaningly up from her breast, which was drowned in the echoes of her report, Mary Burton made no outcry. She no longer leaned limp and nerveless against the support of the doorway. Something had seemed to snap the cords of her paralysis and out of her blanched face her eyes stared wide and piteous. As the older banker staggered back she was quick to reach the motionless figure and to lift its head to her breast. Yet she did not really have to look, something fateful and unquestionable told her from the first instant that no human aid could avail—and that he would not speak again or move a muscle in life. His employees found her supporting the weight of his shoulders against her bosom and seeking to staunch with her handkerchief the flow of blood from the temple.

In one trivial respect the cruelities of her day of cumulative tragedy were abated. The steel-nosed bullet, even at that close range, had cut clean and spared his face, save for the trickle of red and the smirch of powder burn—such defacement as she could not have endured. The eyes, not yet glazed, gazed out with their accustomed resolute calm and the lips were firm, a little grim with the purpose of thwarting another's death, but it was still, though lifeless, a face without surrender.

The girl bent low, whispered into the ear which could not hear her, and then she raised her eyes, still holding his head against her shoulder, to see the little circle of stunned faces, and hear Fairley's voice announcing in broken syllables, but very quietly, "I was—attempting suicide—and he grappled with me."

She knew even while she waited the physicians that no spark of life remained and that this was the last time her arms would ever be closed around him in life or death, and she stood there, for the time upheld by a strength beyond her ordinary physical powers, strange inconsequential little fragments of talk, things he had said to her and she to him, were repeating themselves in her memory, and the exact inflections of his voice were renewing themselves in her ears.

Then as two physicians hurried in, closely heeled by two policemen, she surrendered her beloved burden to stronger hands, and, as she moved back with still no trace of tears in her wide eyes, the whole picture darkened and but of muscle and nerve and brain-cell went every vestige of autonomy and consciousness. They caught her as she fell and laid her on a broad upholstered window seat. When her eyes next opened hot pains were scorching her temples and her gaze turned instinctively toward the desk. It was empty of its human burden, and, save for the clerk who had that morning received her in the outer room and a physician, the private office was empty, too.

Following the hungry question of her mismated eyes, the doctor gravely nodded his head.

"It was instantaneous and painless," he said. Then he added, "We who have sent for your brother. He was not in his office, but—"

With the startling ferocity of an aroused tigress, Mary strove to rise, and make her way to the door, but the physician restrained her. "Not yet," he gently commanded. "You are hardly ready for exertion," and even before he had finished speaking her knees gave away and she sank back.

"My brother!" she whispered, and her eyes burned feverishly. "It will kill me to see him. I shall try to murder him—I—"

She was interrupted by noiseless opening of the door, and Hamilton Burton stood across the treshold of the enemy whose life he had that day broken.

He was no longer the Napoleonic Burton. For the instant he was stunned and pale. It was breaking on him that the price of conquest may be excessive. Even before this staggering news had reached him he had seen the headlines of the extras, had read his name coupled with the open and bitter denunciation of public hate.

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But with a cry as though for protection from the touch of something unspeakably foul, she threw both arms across her face and turned, shuddering, from his touch.

"Doctor," she besought in a voice of supreme loathing, "in God's name protect me from this murderer!"

She struggled to her feet and stood with her back to the wall, her breast heaving and her pupils blazing out of the death like pallor of a drawn face. Her hands lay flat against the wainscoting with spread fingers that convulsively twitched as if she were seeking to press back the solid partition and escape that way.

"Listen to me, or you will break my heart!" pleaded Hamilton tensely. "I thought it was a curable infatuation. If I had known that you cared so much—"

"Break your heart! I wish to God I could, but you have no heart," she screamed, and she swayed to the side, until had the doctor not supported her shoulder, she would have fallen, but her words flowed on in a fierce torrent. "You have broken my heart, and you have killed him. You know how much I cared. You are a monster but not an idiot. You have sacrificed a country to your one unspeakable Moloch of a god—I hope you—and your god—are satisfied."

For an instant some echo of the old dominance flickered in the man's face. "Edwardes fought and defied me," he said. "I punished—" But his sister interrupted with a wrath which nothing could stem:

"You have overreached yourself—you, too, will go down in this carnage—I shall pray God that you do—my God who is over your god; my God and his." Her voice became calmer, but her phrases were broken by gasping pauses. She spoke as though her God had commanded her to read this bitter indictment against her brother. "Because he shrined his honor above your insatiable greed you undertook to doom him. You have written a page into history....a page full of horror....you have made criminals of honest men....and suicides of brave ones. Now in the trail of your incendiary malice you cast his life—" her voice fell in a tortured sob—"the life....he so bravely fought for there in the hills....and after it you toss my heart!"

The financier moved a step forward and his lips opened, but the doctor laid a hand on his arm. "You must leave her, sir," he said quietly but firmly. "She is in no condition to stand more of this."

"How can I leave her like this!" remonstrated Hamilton and once more the physician raised his hand. "In such a case the doctor must be obeyed—unless—" his own voice hardened—"you are anxious to add even worse results to to-day's work."

Hamilton Burton turned. "Do what you can," he said. "I will send Paul." So he left the place, passing between the employees of the bankrupt firm of Edwardes and Edwardes in the anterooms.

At his elbow followed young Bristoll but when they had reached the ground floor the secretary halted his chief with an impetuous touch on the arm.

"It is of no use, sir—we separate here," he said passionately. "I must give you my resignation at once."

At another time such an announcement as this would have been greeted by this imperious master with swift acceptance and quiet irony. This day he had smitten his enemies and they had withered before his power. Results had differed in no respect from the outlines of his preparations and yet so poignantly personal had been the recoil that he found himself when his brain needed its most alert resourcefulness, inwardly admitting a new and strange sense of uncertainty—almost of uneasiness.

Once before for a weak moment he had felt that sagging of confidence—when Mary had left his house, but he had swiftly conquered it. He would as summarily conquer its repetition. His nerves were not such unconstrolled agents as to be shaken by the wild folly and accidents that grew out of weaker natures. All battlefields have black scars and pictures which are not pretty pictures. To pause and surrender to brooding over these details is to clip one's wings and dull one's talons. He forced a smile.

"As you please, Carl," he said "Though I had made the mistake of counting on your loyalty as dependable."

The young man answered with an effort.

"It's a hard thing to do. I have not just worked for the salary. I have made a hero of you and been very proud of even my small part in your career. It was as though I were a staff officer to a Man of Destiny."

"And now," the voice was bitingly satirical, "finding that the Man of Destiny cannot always fight with confetti and the blowing of kisses, you grow fainthearted."

"Put it as you like, Mr. Burton.... All I know is that, after to-day, I should no longer feel proud. I should feel like an accomplice in crime."

Hamilton Burton laughed. It was a short and not a pleasant laugh.

"Please yourself. To me no man is indispensable. Good- night."

Mary did not wait for Paul. As she drove up town with the physician, she had in her ears the shouts of newsboys heralding the death of Jefferson Edwardes and other deaths.

When she was in her own bed they mercifully gave her something which smoothed her brain into the black velvet softness of sleep. The future must tell whether her body and mind could ever be brought back to the harbour of health.

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Hamilton Burton's lights burned late that night at his office, and up to them many baleful glances turned from the sidewalk below. The financier told himself that he was the same man that he had been, safeguarded by his star; but as he worked he soon found himself instinctively turning to the chair where Carl Bristoll should be and where now sat a more inept subordinate. Each such moment brought its tiny stab at his pride and self assurance and brain which he must concentrate kept straying to the disquieting vision of a grief-maddened girl leaning against the wall, with her fingers twitching in little groping gestures as lips rained accusations. To-day he had made a panic, but between the opening and the closing peals of to-morrow's gong each hour must be filled with the most exact and brilliant manoeuvrings.

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He had no doubts of the morrow, but these troubling remembrances came blurringly across the crystal of his brain.

Abruptly he took up his telephone, and rang his house number. "Yamuho," he said when he heard the sibilant, quaintly distorted voice of the Japanese from the other end, "ask Mr. Paul to wait for me there until I come in." Paul's music should soothe him.

"'Scuse, please," came the apologetic reply. "Mr. Paul, she no here. When she come Yamuro tell. Thanks."

It was late when the financier left his car at his own door, and demanded of Harrow, "Where is my brother?"

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"Now, then, young man," yawned Uncle Bill as he got slowly out of his easy chair and surveyed his oldest nephew, who had begun to show marked signs of unrest over his occupation of building block churches. "what shall we do to put in the rest of this rainy Sunday afternoon?"

"Let's play pingpong," Bobby suggested.

"You're not big enough yet. Guess again, or I'll pingpong you."

"Let's tell stories," ventured Bobby.

"All right, old sport. You begin."

"We-ell," drawled the youngster in the singsong of rote, climbing into Uncle Bill's lap, "once on a time, w'y, they wasn't an-ny little boys 'n' little girls, 'n' pretty soon they was Cain 'n' Abel. 'N' they didn't have an-ny sisters or brothers or nothin' 'cept just a papa 'n' mamma, nor no Uncle Bills or nothin'. 'N' their papa 'n' mamma were cross one time 'n' told their little

"UNCLE BILL, WHAT MAKES YOUR EYES SO BIG 'N' SHINY?"

boys to go 'n' play, 'n' Cain he played too rough, 'n' he killed his little brother with a jawbone of a jackass!"

"No!" ejaculated Uncle Bill in horror. "Did he now, really?"

"Yes, sir. 'N' that's all of that story. Now you tell one, Uncle Bill."

"Well," began Uncle Bill, "once there was a lazy old uncle, and he had a nephew whom he loved very much."

"I know somebody else you love," remarked Bobby, wriggling. "Don't you, Uncle Bill?"

"Oh, lots of people," the young man agreed boldly. "Whom in particular, Bobby?"

"Miss Josephine," said Bobby in accents of firm conviction.

Uncle Bill shifted uneasily, but gave his nephew a hug.

"What made you think so?" he asked, with a studied air of indifference.

Bobby was silent, but his little mind busied itself wondering what caused Uncle Bill's chest to rise so high when he breathed the long breath he had just taken. It was intoxicating to feel oneself lifted up and let down exactly like being on a seesaw.

"Do it again, Uncle Bill!" he cried. "It's lot of fun."

Uncle Bill did not seem to hear. He was looking wistfully out of the window, and Bobby looked, too, but saw nothing.

"Do you love her, Bobby?" Uncle Bill inquired presently, smoothing the child's yellow hair. "Bobby, do you love Miss Josephine?"

"Yes," Bobby answered.

"Why? What makes you do you know?"

"W'y, Uncle Bill, the other day I fell 'n' hurted my knee, 'n' she—w'y, she kissed me 'n' made my knee all well."

"H'm!" muttered Uncle Bill. "Should think it might."

"Uncle Bill," asked Bobby, "did Miss Josephine ever kiss you?"

"Little boys shouldn't ask questions," was the quick reply, and a soft cheek was drawn close to a rougher one.

"I won't," Bobby agreed. "But did she, Uncle Bill?"

"Yes, little boy, she did."

"Well, but didn't it make you all well?"

"No."

"Did you hurt yourself?"

"Yes."

"Where—in your knee?"

"No."

"In your stomach?"

"There or thereabout."

"Did it hurt much?"

"I say, Bobby," exclaimed Uncle Bill, with more or less feeling, "let you and me talk of something else. You are a very little boy, and you ask questions that are painful. I don't"—

"Does it hurt you yet?" queried Bobby, thinking of stomachs.

"Yes. Now, Bobby, if I"—

"Why don't you go 'n' see Miss Josephine? She'll try again. Maybe—w'y, she'll have better luck."

"I can't."

"Why?"

"Oh, because. What a lot of questions you can ask and how little you know, Bobby!"

"I know the 'twos' in multiplication table anyway—so now. Miss Josephine taught me yistiday. See? I wrote 'em all down."

Bobby put a chubby hand inside his small jacket, where was a pocket, and proudly drew forth an assortment of documents.

"There it is," he announced after a careful search, spreading a paper on Uncle Bill's knee. "It's the 'twos,'" he remarked, indicating a tipsy column of hieroglyphics, the only legible character in which was the letter X. "That means 'times.'"

"A very interesting exhibit," observed Uncle Bill. "What is that letter you have with the—the bunch, Bobby? No, not the picture card, the letter—the one in the blue envelope. Let me see it. What don't boys have in their pockets? Why, bless me, it's for me!"

"W'y, w'y, Uncle Bill," stammered Bobby in a sudden spasm, "w'y, I forgot! Miss Josephine gived me that for you. She said to bring it right straight to you. I—I—forgot, Uncle Bill. W'y—w'y, Uncle Bill, what makes your eyes so big 'n' shiny? Oh, Uncle Bill! Don't—don't hug me so! You're hurtin' me awful!"

"Am I, old man?" Uncle Bill said in a queer voice. "Tell me, Bobby, when Miss Josephine kissed you, how did you feel?"

"All nice," answered Bobby, with full satisfaction.

Uncle Bill hugged his nephew again.

"Did that hug hurt you, Bobby?" he asked.

"Some," the child replied.

"Then you get an umbrella, Bobby, just as quickly as ever you can, and I'll take you on my back, and we'll run over and see if Miss Josephine can make us feel all nice again, as you call it."

"Are you going, too, Uncle Bill?"

"Yes."

"Right now?"

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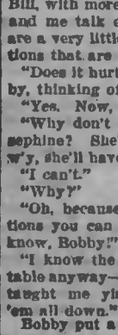

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W. H. Davies Called the "Genius in a Doss-House."

Poets seem born to poverty, and the vicissitudes of their lives have provided stories far beyond the imagination of the novelist. Yet even Chatterton, the boy whose poetical genius has since been sung the world over, but who, penniless and starving, locked himself in his London garret, poisoned himself with arsenic, and was buried in the paupers' pit of the Shoe Lane Workhouse, did not suffer the prolonged hardships which Mr. W. H. Davies, the Welsh poet, has had to bear. To-day a Civil pension of £100 a year enables Mr. Davies to live and work in quiet retirement; but he has known what it is to tramp hundreds of miles without a penny in his pocket, earning a livelihood at odd jobs as he went along.

Mr. Davies' literary talent evinced itself when, at a very early age, he wrote a paper at Newport, Mon., where he was born, "In Defence of the Stage," which he read to a religious gathering, and which so startled the deacons that they prophesied for him an unhappy end. Young Davies, however, was not allowed to follow his literary bent. In due course he was apprenticed to a picture-frame maker, and became an efficient workman. The "wanderlust" seized him, however, and when, on the death of his grandmother, he found that he benefited under her will to the extent of a few pounds, he promptly paid for a passage to America, where he proceeded to tramp the States in search of those adventures and experiences which so appealed to him.

It was through trying to board a train that the poet, missing his footing, caught his foot in the step of the car and was dragged several yards, the accident necessitating the amputation of his leg at the ankle.

It was shortly after this that Mr. Davies returned to England, and with his belongings—a cotton shirt, a pair of stockings, and a handkerchief, wrapped up in brown paper, he reached London with a couple of sovereigns in his pocket. Then he settled down to literary work, composing verses, tragedies, and comedies in the kitchen of a doss-house. And as no one would publish his verses, he had a couple of thousand copies printed in pamphlet form, which he hawked from door to door.

In due course he got together a few pounds, which he promptly paid to a London printer to print and bind an edition of 250 copies of his poems. This cost him £19.

Once again, however, he was doomed to disappointment. Nobody would buy the book, and he was thinking of destroying the lot, when it got into the hands of Mr. A. St. John Adcock, the distinguished author and critic, who read it, went and interviewed Davies, and wrote a column article for an evening paper on how he found a great poet living in a common doss-house. And it was in this singular fashion that the genius of this Welsh writer became known.

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Kitchener Heir in Navy.

The new Earl Kitchener's only son and heir, Commander Henry Kitchener, will be styled Viscount Broome, after the family seat near Canterbury, Broome Park. Viscount Broome, who is nearly 40, has been a commander in the navy for several years and has acquired a reputation as a gunnery expert. He has an only sister, Norah, the wife of a captain of artillery. As Viscount Broome is unmarried the second in succession to the Kitchener peerage is now Lt. Henry Kitchener, of the Royal Flying Corps. This young officer, "K. of K.'s nephew, was engaged to be married last March, and the announcement of his betrothal was made on the same day as that of his sister, Philippa.

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Silence Often Best Rebuke.

Because a fault exists is no reason that it should be pointed out with no regard to time or place. It might not be difficult to prove that there is wisdom in allowing persons to make mistakes unrebuked for the time, but such wisdom can only flourish in a mind strong enough not to accept the evil of the day as final.

No mother, for instance, really thinks that her little daughter of twelve or fourteen is going to be a lifelong slattern because she keeps her bureau drawers in a tumble and is often seen without proper buttons, nor does any mother believe that a lie on the lips of her little son condemns him to a life of shame.

The faults must be met, but if they are not met by instant fault finding, but rather by the inculcation of higher standards and better habits, the actual offense needs little comment. Indeed absolute silence after a misdemeanor is often a more severe rebuke than a storm of protest and correction.

To make this silence judicious we must first of all cultivate in ourselves a just perception of values and proportions. We must train ourselves when to see and when not to see, what to leave out and what to keep in our lives.

Charles Lever's Characters.

Whence did Charles Lever get his rollicking Irishman? Professor Oman in his preface to the reissue of William Grattan's "Adventures With the Connaught Rangers" discloses the secret. It was clearly, he avows, from the domestic annals of the old Eighty-eighth foot in peninsular days that Lever drew the greater part of the good stories which made the fortune of "Charles O'Malley." Many of the characters in that romance appear in the flesh in Grattan's reminiscences. Notably:

"The fame of the eccentric surgeon, Maurice Quill, was so great throughout the British army that the novelist did not even take the trouble to change his name. His colleague, Dr. O'Reilly, was almost as great an original. Many of the humors of Micky Free seem to be drawn from the doings of Grattan's servant, Dan Carsons."

"Comparing the 'real thing,'" Mr. Oman goes on, "with the work of fiction, one is driven to conclude that much of what was regarded as rollicking invention on Lever's part was only a photographic reproduction of anecdotes that he had heard from old soldiers of the Connaught rangers."—London Outlook.

KITCHENER'S RELIGION.

His Conduct at Cairo Proved a Real Tonic to That City.

Rev. J. H. Molesworth, late incumbent of All Saints', Cairo, writes as follows on Lord Kitchener's religion:

"No one could be long in his company without realising that he was a man who viewed life seriously. I may illustrate this from the effect he produced on society in Cairo, when he went there to take up his position as British Agent and Consul-General. Cosmopolitan places like the capital of Egypt, which are largely the haunts of pleasure, are often given over to a frivolity which is not seen in cities of commerce and business. There is frequently a relaxing of morals beyond what is witnessed elsewhere, and a general air of undisciplined, and it goes without saying that in such places Sunday and Sunday worship are at a discount.

"It would be foolish to assert that Cairo was free from these vices. But the coming of Lord Kitchener instantaneously wrought a change. He was known to be a man of unswerving devotion to duty, of disciplined life, of resolute purpose. Instinctively we all braced ourselves up, and it was as though a tonic had been administered to the place. So far as his work permitted, Lord Kitchener was regular and punctual in his church attendance, and this at once told beneficially upon the Sunday habits of the community.

"He was president of All Saints' Church committee, and I never remember his omitting to take the chair, even when hard pressed by State business.

"Earl Kitchener was indeed a type of that simple, manly, straightforward Christianity which we associate with the best English laity, which does not trouble itself indeed about subtle questions and, controversies but rests on the broad facts of revelation, and in simplicity practises its tenets."

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"Oh, I'm a Hungarian."

"How comes it, then, that a big, strong fellow like you is not in the firing line?" asked the visitor.

"Well, sir, it's like this," replied the knight of the napkin, pointing to a brother waiter a few tables off. "You see that man? Well, he's a Serb, and we have what you call 'paired.'"

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CANADIAN TORPEDO BOAT DESTROYER GRILSE WAS SAVED BY HEROIC MEN

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would sink. It was necessary to get some kind of temporary covering over the now-open engine room skylight down which every sea was running. I had left the bridge by this time. The engines were going but she would not steer but picked up her own course and ran fairly decently. In company with four seamen I tried to fix this temporary covering. We had succeeded completely, though all the men engaged were pretty severely knocked about, when another big sea hit us. I lost my hold, carried along the deck and smashed my face against the torpedo's propellers.

STEAMER SCARED AWAY.

"This was now about 10 o'clock on Tuesday evening. All hands were now engaged on the pumps, when the welcome lights of a steamer hove in sight. Although it would have been impossible to assit us in the sea that was running we fired rockets to attract their attention. The only result was that the ship immediately put out her lights and disappeared, as merchant ships are highly suspicious of anything unusual seen nowadays in the North Atlantic.

"The engines and pump brigade were kept going all night. By morning the sea had gone down somewhat but the turbine bearings were all frozen for want of lubrication and it was evident we could not get further without reducing the water in the engine rooms below the bearings of the turbines, so all hands were now transferred to the engine rooms and with buckets baled all that day (Wednesday) and that night.

"There was no fresh water in the ship, as it had been near where the leak occurred, and there was also no food, as it had all been destroyed by seawater, but ten dozen bottles of beer which belonged to the officers' mess proved an absolute godsend. The only half bottle of water we could find was by common consent reserved for the ship's bulldog, who did not seem to care for beer.

"On Thursday morning about eight o'clock, as the result of very strenuous efforts by all hands, the water was reduced, with the result that the engines were started again. The position now was found to be 120 miles south of Shelburne. The course was accordingly set, and the Shelburne lighthouse sighted about 9 a.m. that evening

"ARE WE DOWNHEARTED?"

"During the day several steamers were sighted, but they all showed great concern in making a quick get-away on spotting us, as we doubtless looked pretty much like a sub. in a half-sunken condition. We miraculously managed to make Shelburne harbour, the ship steering so badly that she sometimes took a complete cricle of her own accord.

"We eventually reached the wharf about 11 p.m., where every kindness and consideration was shown us by the people. As soon as we made fast a soldier on the wharf called out: 'Are we downhearted?' which was met with a simultaneous yell of 'No!' from all the crew."

Lieut. Fry was sent to Yarmouth hospital, and Seaman Chantler to Halifax. The Grilse is now being repaired at Halifax, and all the remaining men, according to Lieut. Fry, "are looking forward to rejoining the little ship when required."

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WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.

Installation of Officers.

An interesting meeting was held in the W.O.W. Hall last night and the following officers were installed for the ensuing year, 1917:

P. C. C.—Robert H. Carr.
C. C.—Ernest S. Ivey.
Adv. Lt.—Maitland Wells.
Banker—Richard Waram.
Clerk—Fred Sutcliffe.
Escort—Edgar Lebar.
Watchman—Robert G. Symonds.
Sentry—Charles H. Cress.
Managers—John Penrose, Jos. Wm. Worth and Wm. Dummitt.

At the close of the Installation ceremony, Lawyer G. W. Gordon, a member of the Head Executive delivered a splendid address on the "Sound financial standing of our Order" and also complimented the members of Sherwood Forest Camp in general for the way they were showing the fraternalism towards each other in our city. A hearty vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Gordon by Fred. Sutcliffe and seconded by Jos. Wm. Worth for his address which was carried unanimously. Refreshments were afterwards served by the ladies.

DUTCH TAKE OVER SUBS INTERNED DURING WAR

LONDON, Jan. 9.—The Dutch Minister of Marine, J. J. Rambonnet, says, a Reuter despatch from The Hague, announces that because naval construction has been hampered by the war, negotiations have been opened by the British and German Governments with a view to Holland taking over interned submarines. The transfer of one British and one German submarine has thus far been arranged.

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If one is to judge by the skirts seen in the smart New York shops there is a very strong tendency toward the panel front, and often it is made prominent by being formed of contrasting goods.

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Those who make over their clothes will find this a most desirable model for using goods left over from another season or transforming a skirt of different design. One may have something "striking" on really dignified lines by developing this in serge and satin, silk and velvet or similar combination.

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MR. BERT ARMSTRONG ORDAINED PRIEST

Mr. Albert E. ("Bert") Armstrong, a resident of Peterborough for a number of years, while engaged in the engineering department of the Trent Valley Canal, was ordained to the priesthood by Archbishop Gauthier in Ottawa on Sunday. He had many friends in this city, to whom the news of his consecration will be of more than passing interest. Father Armstrong forsook a promising career, for which he had equipped himself, and after two years at the Grand Seminary, Montreal, began his theology and other studies at St. Augustine's, Toronto, when it opened. The Ottawa Citizen refers to the ordination, in part, as follows:

Yesterday was a big day in the history of the Blessed Sacrament church. At eight o'clock mass His Grace, Archbishop Gauthier, raised to the priesthood, Albert E. Armstrong, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Armstrong, of 152 Carling avenue, and grandson of the late Senator Costigan. The ordination ceremony, which was impressive, extended over an hour, and was the first of its kind to take place in the Blessed Sacrament parish, and the church during the ceremony was thronged to the doors.

The Rev. Father Armstrong was the first student to complete his theological course at the newly constructed seminary of St. Augustine's, Toronto, and he only came from there on Saturday night for his ordination.

Yesterday afternoon a private dinner was served at his father's home, 152 Carling avenue, at which were present several of the clergy and his brother, H. Armstrong, and Mrs. Armstrong's brother, Mr. H. A. Costigan, of New Brunswick.

In the church last evening at 7:30 the young priest offered the benediction. As yet he has not been appointed to any parish.

Father Armstrong was a very popular member of the Blessed Sacrament parish and on the eve of his ordination was the recipient of many beautiful presents which he will use in his priestly office.

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Inaugural Meeting of the Havelock Town Council Was Held On Monday

Municipal Officers Elected For the Ensuing Year—Sudden Death of Havelock Citizen—Dropped Dead While Loading Bags of Feed—Public School Report—Havelock Items of Interest.

HAVELOCK, Jan. 10.— The Havelock Council met on Monday evening, when the following business was disposed of:

Reeve Mathison, Councillors Jones, Davidson and Haig having taken their declaration of office, took their seat. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

By-law No. 298 to appoint municipal officers.

Moved by Jones, seconded by Haig, that by-law be read a first time.

Moved by Haig, seconded by Jones that by-law be read a second time, the Reeve in the chair.

Moved by Jones, seconded by Davidson, that J. W. Bryans be appointed clerk and treasurer for 1917.

Moved by Coun. Jones, seconded by Coun. Haig, that the clerk and treasurer's salary be $140 for the year.—Carried.

Applications were received from Elias Williams and A. D. Armison for assessors.

Moved by Haig, seconded by Davidson, that Elias Williams be appointed assessor and collector at a salary of $50 for both offices.—Carried.

Moved by Jones, seconded by Davidson, that Rev. Jas. Skene be appointed auditor.

Moved by Jones, seconded bby Davidson, that H. Wing be auditor and that their salaries be $10 each.—Carried.

Application was received from P. J. Hill for the position of municipal officer.

Moved by Jones, seconded by Davidson, that the appointment be laid over and the clerk advertise for applications.—Carried.

The Medical Health Officer's report was read for the year 1916.

Moved by Jones, seconded by Davidson, that the M.H.O. report be accepted.—Carried.

Moved by Haig seconded by Jones, that Dr. Holderoft be appointed M. H.O.

Moved by Jones, seconded by Haig, that the M.H.O. be paid $10 as retainer and $90 for all other duties performed.—Carried.

Moved by Jones, seconded by Davidson, that H. Wing be re-appointed member of B. of H.—Carried.

Moved by Jones, seconded by Davidson, that by-law be read a third time, signed and sealed.—Carried.

Moved by Jones, seconded by Davidson, that the treasurer's bond be renewed.—Carried.

Moved by Jones, seconded by Haig, that we advertise for tenders for snow ploughing.—Carried.

Moved by Jones, seconded by Davidson, that collector's time for returning the roll be extended to next meeting.

Moved by Jones, seconded by Davidson, that the following accounts be paid: S. R. Hart, reg. for Adams, $1.13; Thos. McMullen, labour, $4.50; A. M. Buchanan, labour, $3.00; E. Youmans, labour, $2.50; W. Menzie, labour, $2.00; Bank of Toronto, overdrawing park bond, $1.00; T. Morrow, 3 trips snow plough, $6.00; G. Rutherford, 1 trip snow plough, $2.00; E. Youmans, 1 trip snow plough, $2.00; School Board, $550.00; Elec. Light Co., $76.60; constable's salary, $45.00; P. J. Hill, supplies, 58c.; J. C. Buchanan, wood, $6.00; Sick Children's Hospital, $5.00; Municipal World, 6 copies, $5.00.—Carried.

Council adjourned.

Dropped Dead.

Havelock citizens were greatly shocked on Friday evening on hearing of the sudden death of Mr. Matthew Foley, who dropped dead while on duty from heart failure. Deceased was employed by Mr. F. J. Squire, as clerk and delivery man, and while engaged in loading some bags of feed in the store house about 5 p.m. dropped dead. When found three bags of feed were lying across him, and it was thought at first that he had been smothered, but Dr. Holdcroft was called in, and after examining the body, found that death was due to heart failure.

Deceased was 68 years of age, and has resided in Havelock for a number of years, moving here from Norwood. During his residence here he had won many warm friends by his kind manner and actions. He leaves to mourn his loss a widow and eight children, Mrs. Henry of Peterborough, Mrs. McGregor of Detroit, Laura of Toronto, Helen and Elsie at home, Vincent of Toronto, Leo of Peterborough and Pte. Foley, now at the front. To them the heartfelt sympathy of the citizens is extended in their sad bereavement."

The funeral took place on Monday at 9 a.m. services being held at "Our Lady of Mt. Carmel church," thence to the Catholic cemetery for burial.

HAVELOCK RECRUITS

The latest recruit in Havelock is Mr. Jas. A. Freeman, a C.P.R. fireman. Mr. George Pymer of Cordova has also enlisted in the 247th Battalion. Mr. W. O. Buchanan, son of Mr. A. M. Buchanan, and who has but lately returned from his homestead at Claydon, Sask., has also signed up with the 247th.

The farm stock and implements of Mr. Wellington Hart were sold by auction on Saturday, January 6th at the residence of Mr. Freeman Hart, Round Lake.

PUBLIC SCHOOL REPORT

The Public School report for month of December is as follows:

Sr. IV.—D. Armstrong, E. Easterbrooke, B. Williams, M. McGregor, R. Bush, L. Plunket, M. Spencer, A. Haig.

Jr. IV.—H. Buchanan, L. Gibb, J. White, N. Hilton, C. Brennan, R. Wood, J. Hooper, D. Brennan.

Promoted from Junior 1. to Senior 1.—W. Denike and C. Burnett, honours, T. Watson, B. Watson, R. Buchanan, J. Sanders, A. Seabrooke, G. Pogue, D. Wright.

Absent—R. Wright, F. Adams, G. Baxter, V. Rorke.

Senior 1 to Junior 1.—L. O'Brien, D. McGregor, H. Kierman, E. Matheson, S. Aboud, J. Aboud, D. Timmerman, C. Spencer, M. Palmateer, R. Barton, N. Kennedy, H. Hillier.

Absent and recommended — M. White, R. Weymark, A. Laing.

MISS THOMPSON, Teacher.

PERSONALS.

Capt. J. C. Dyer was in Toronto last week on business.

Miss Birdie Crowe of the Ottawa Ladies' College spent the holidays at her home here.

Mrs. Henry Williams and children are visiting friends in Tweed.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wallar spent New Year's with their daughter Mrs. (Dr.) Kindred of Tweed.

Mr. Jack Mack of Toronto spent New Year's at his home here.

Mr. Quinlan of Peterborough is the guest of his son, Mr. Robert Quinlan.

Mr. Garnet Barlow of Trenton spent New eYar's at his home here.

Miss Marie Overend of Orillia, spent New Year's at his home here.

Miss Catherine Pacy of Toronto, spent New Year's with her parents here.

Mr. Wm. Corneil of Hastings was in town last week.

Mr. Vincent Foley of Toronto spent New Year's with his parents here.

Mr. Wm. Houston of Shaughnessy, Sask., has lately moved back to town and taken up residence on George street.

Mr. Aran Munroe of Cheboygan Mich., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs Dan Munroe.

Miss Helen Rodaway of Clinton has been engaged to teach the old Havelock School and commenced her duties last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thorndyke of Toronto, were the holiday guests of Mrs. M. Clarke.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rose and Masters Jack and Billie, spent the holidays at the latter's home, Mr. and Mrs. John Wright, of Port McNichol.

Mr. Robert Barlow of Toronto was in Town on Monday last renewing old acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stephens and children of Peterboro, spent New Years in town with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mack.

Mrs. Patrick Flood of Northfield, Vermont, is the guest of her brother, Mr. Mike Clarke.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Donnelly and her daughter Helma, have returned home from Watertown, N.Y., where they were the guests of their daughter, and sister, Mrs. John Farmer.

Miss Annie Hutchinson of Toronto, spent the holidays at her home here.

Mr. Alex. Sexsmith of Toronto, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tobias Sexsmith, of Cordova Mines.

Mr. Watson of the University of Toronto, spent the holidays with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Watson.

Mrs. James Campbell is visiting her son, Mr. Willie Campbell of Napanee.

Miss Josephine Barnett of Toronto is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Barnett.

Masters Douglas and Charlie Brennan spent New Years in Hastings, with Mr. and Mr. Albert Armstrong.

Mrs. Robson has returned home from Rosmore, where she was engaged nursing.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brennan of Gravenhurst were the guests of their son, Mr. Reginald Brennan over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bound and children of Bowmanville, spent the holidays with the latter's parents, Mr and Mrs. Charles Armstrong.

Miss Florence McWilliams of Toronto is spending a couple of weeks with her sisters, Mr. L. Clarke and Miss M. McWilliams.

Captain Dyer hopes to enlist a few young men from Belmont in the course of the next few days.

Misses Bertha Bryans and Alice Rennington spent last week in Peterboro, as the guests of Miss Vera Knox.

Misses Pearl and Flossie Jones and Master Charlie Jones, spent the Christmas holidays with friends in Toronto.

Mr. and Mr. R. F. Covert, spent Wednesday in Peterboro.

Pte. Hugh Houghton of the 34th Batt., C.E.F., Reserve, now at Shoreham-by-the-Sea, has been promoted to be corporal.

Mr. V. McGinty, C.P.R. operator here, was operated on for appendicitis, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Peterboro, on the 23rd ult., and his many friends in town will be glad to know he is recovering rapidly.

The annual meeting of Havelock L.O.L. No. 336, for the election of officers, will be held on Jan. 8th.

Rev. Mr. Patterson has returned home from Toronto where he spent the past two weeks.

Mr. Elias Williams and Mrs Henry Williams were in Castleton last week attending the funeral of Mrs. Gould who formerly lived in Havelock.

SKIN SOFT AS A CHILD'S.

"I was a great sufferer from eczema and salt rheum for years," writes Mr. John W. Hass, Lunenburg, N. S. "Five years ago three cakes of Dr. Chase's Ointment cured me and the old trouble never returned. My skin is as soft as a child's now, and I shall always say a good word for this Ointment."

APPLES, ORANGES, FIGS AND PRUNES

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OMITTED WAR STAMPS.

Three Stratford Merchants Fined $50 and Costs Each.

STRATFORD, Jan. 9.— Three local merchants, James Bremner, A. Searth and H. J. Near were yesterday afternoon fined $50 each and $3 costs for selling articles subject to war tariff without affixing the required war stamps. Bremner sold a bottle of Florida water, value 25 cents; Searth ten cents' worth of health salts, and Near a bottle of Castoria for thirty cents. Inspector Dakir, Inland Revenue Officer, laid the charges. Bremner runs a notions store and the other two dealers fined are grocers.

WOMEN SHOULD GET THIS HABIT AS WELL AS MEN

Don't eat bite of Breakfast until you drink glass of water

Happy, bright, alert—vigorous and vivacious—a good clear skin; a natural, rosy complexion and freedom from illness are assured only by clean, healthy blood. If only every woman and likewise every man could realize the wonders of the morning inside bath, what a gratifying change would take place.

Instead of the thousands of sickly anaemic-looking men, women and girls with pasty, or muddy complexions; instead of the multitudes of "nerve wrecks," "rundowns," 'brain fags" and pessimists we should see a virile, optimistic throng of rosy-cheeked people everywhere.

An inside bath is had by drinking each morning before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten yards of bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour fermentations and poisons, thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Those subject to sick headache, biliousness, nasty breath, rheumatism, colds; and particularly those who have a pallid, sallow complexion and who are constipated very often, are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store which will cost but a trifle, but is sufficient to demonstrate the quick and remarkable change in both health and appearance awaiting those who practice internal sanitation. We must remember that inside cleanliness is more important than outside, because the skin does not absorb impurities to contaminate the blood, while the pores in the thirty feet of bowels do.

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GRANT SIX

If you are in the market for a six cylinder car, be sure and see the Grant Six, at PULKINGHORN'S AUTO AND TAXI LIVERY.

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RUSSIAN OFFENSIVE IS SPREADING OUT OVER A VERY WIDE FRONT

Czar's Troops Are Attacking the German Line on a Three Hundred Mile Front---Berlin Admits the Loss of an Island in the Dvina River--Russians Are Gaining Ground--Berlin Claims Further Gains in Roumania.

A SUMMARY OF TO-DAY'S WAR CABLES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, January 10.—(Special Cable) — A brief phrase in to-day's Berlin official statement indicates that the Russian offensive which first manifested itself in the Riga region has now spread over a front of approximately three hundred miles. Berlin speaks of the Russian attacks as extending from the coast to Lake Narocz, and yesterday the Germans admitted losing an island in the Dvina River, north of Dvinsk. Lake Narocz is about seventy-five miles south of Dvinsk, and only a little further north than Vilna. The Russians are, therefore, sturdily assaulting the German line from the Gulf of Riga to the Vilna region, a front which in itself equals in distance the whole front held by the Italians against the Austrians.

Russians Forced Back at Sereth River

Examiner Special:

BERLIN, January 10.—German forces have gained a footing on the left bank of the Hutna River, in Roumania, and have forced the enemy to give up positions behind that river and retreat behind the Sereth line, it was officially announced to-day.

A REPORT FROM BERLIN.

BERLIN, January 10.—An Italian submarine destroyer was recently sunk off Corfu with an army staff on board, said Basler Anzeiger newspaper.

British armoured cruiser Shannon, of 14,800 tons, built in 1905, was sunk last November by a mine explosion, according to a statement from the same newspaper.

The London Admiralty has not confirmed this.

Calm On the Entire Front, Says Paris

Examiner Special:

PARIS, January 10.—"The night was calm on the entire front," the French official statement asserted to-day.

Consolidated Replaces The Country School

Lincoln, Neb., January 8.—"Take a good, lingering look at the little red school house, for so far as Nebraska is concerned it is going. By the end of another generation it will be little more than a memory, a vanishing landmark."

That in effect is the advice and conclusion of State Superintendent of Schools Thomas in one of a series of reports he has made in turning the office over to his successor.

Supt. Thomas says the people of the state should look upon it with reverence and its leave taking with regret, because it was the beginning and the making of a new era. The little red school house, lonesome and boxlike on the prairies of Nebraska, he says, must go, because it has had its day. In its place is springing up the consolidated school and the community centre.

The closing weeks of Thomas' administration has witnessed the disappearance of five of the district schools—one in Washington county, which is merged with a nearby larger school, and the consolidation of four in a southeastern Nebraska district, two in Richardson, and two in Nemaha county, the four to form what will be known as the Bratton union, an educational institution which will be ready for occupation the coming week.

The Bratton union is a large two story building with schoolrooms, an auditorium, and a basement fitted for a gymnasium and for domestic science, and manual training work.

The advent of the automobile, the community centre, and the consolidated school has brought about the end of the district school and the red schoolhouse.

MANY OF MILITARY AGE LEAVE CANADA

Figures compiled by the immigration department show that immigration from Canada into the United States during the past few months has surpassed that of any period in the country's history. Kingston and district has contributed her share to the "skedaddler" roll, and reports here show that in the last three months many of military age have left for the United States. Some go for their health, others to seek wealth, but none admit that the fear of enlistment has sent ice chills spineward. The majority, however, are suffering from a bad cold, which, strange to say, has settled in their feet.

Anniversary of Penny Postage

Today marks the seventy-seventh anniversary of the inception of penny postage in Great Britain. It was some time later before it was introduced in Canada. Penny postage was introduced in Great Britain on January 10th, 1840.

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

New York Stocks—

Atcheson, 104 3-4, 104 3-8; B. & O., 84 1-8 83 3-4; C.P.R., 156 3-4, 156 5-8; N.Y.C., 103, 102 1-8; Erie, 33, 32 3-4; Nor. Pac., 109, 108; Penna., 56 3-4; Reading, 102, 101; Beth. Steel, 485, 475; Rep. Steel, 80, 79; U. S. Steel, 113 1-2, 111 5-8; Inter. Nickel, 41 7-8, 40 3-4; Anaconda, 85 5-8, 83 3-8.

Chicago Grain—

May wheat 183 1-2, July 147 3-8. May corn 97 1-4.

Canadian Stocks—

Steel of Canada, 67 1-2; Cement, 65; N. S. Steel, 117; Smelters, 32 1-2; Dom. Steel 67 3-4, 68 1-4; Steamers, 35, 35 1-4; Gen. Elec., 111 1-2 bid.

New York Equitable Trust Co. trustees have voted to double the capital from $3,000,000 to $6,000,000.

Certificates of Merit Will Be Presented

Every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock Mr. R. C. Braund conducts a Directory Class at the Temple on Simcoe street.

This Directory corresponds largely with the Church Catechism, and after an examination of those who studied last quarter over 30 of those who wrote the examination won the "Certificate of Merit." The certificates will be presented publicly at a special gathering in the Temple on Simcoe street to-morrow night at eight o'clock, to which all are invited.

Good Curling Ice To-night

The ice at the Charlotte Street Curling Rink is in excellent condition and skips who are due to play to-night are asked to be on hand with

"ROUGH ON RATS" THE PROBABLE POISON THAT KILLED BOY

Howard Clarke, Park Street, Ten Years Old, Died on Dec. 22nd—Jury Enquired Into Cause of Death

ARSENICAL POISONING

That Howard W. Clark died, according to the evidence, of arsenical poisoning from some source your jury has been unable to determine; but there is strong presumption that he obtained it from rat poison placed on bread for rats.

Such was the verdict presented to Coroner T. N. Greer, M.D., last night in the police court room, by the jury that enquired into the death of Howard W. Clark, the ten year old boy who died at his home, 46d Park street, on Friday, December 22nd. The jury was composed as follows: W. J. Stacey, foreman; J. E. Firth, H. P. Beal, Wm. Menzies, And. Brown, S. Houlihan, T. Borland, R. J. G. Sutherland, William Lytle, Adelard Guerin, J. Malane, and Elrio White.

DR. McCULLOCH.

The evidence of the boy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Clark, and of Drs. McCulloch and Eastwood, who performed a post mortem examination was heard. Dr. McCulloch, whose testimony was corroborated by Dr. Eastwood, stated that he believed death was caused by an overdose of arsenic. The boy's body was beginning to grow cold when the doctor arrived, but the symptoms described by the mother, the convulsions and other signs, were those of arsenical poisoning. Mrs. Clark had stated in her evidence that she thought that it was only a stomach disturbance, resulting from soup made from canned tomatoes, but afterwards in conversation with the doctor recalled having placed some "Rough on Rats" in a closet. She had mixed it with jam and spread it on two pieces of bread which she had placed on top of a hat box. Dr. McCulloch stated that only one piece of the bread was found, and there were no crumbs or other likely evidences of a mouse having eaten it. Dr. McCulloch stated that he had received word last night from Toronto prior to the inquest, that the report on the examination of the internal organs disclosed the presence of arsenic in quantities in the viscera of the child. By the qualifying expression "in quantities" Dr. McCulloch explained as being sufficient to cause poisoning.

Mrs Clark had told him that she put out the bread with the poison on it the previous night and had warned Howard about it. He had no occasion for going into the closet, except for picture books. His wraps were not there. The regular dose of arsenic was from 1-60 to 1-50 of a grain. "Quantities" would be more than that. Dr. McCulloch said he had been Clark's family physician for four or five years. The bread was on a hat box about ten or twelve inches from the floor. The boy had become ill about noon and died shortly before Dr. McCulloch arrived that evening at nine o'clock. The father said when he called for the doctor that he did not regard the child as in a serious condition.

It was assumed from the evidence that Howard Clrak had picked up a piece of the bread with its inviting jam covering, and was poisoned by the arsenic in the "Rough on Rats" it contained. The mother and the father, according to the evidence, regarded the illness as the effect of soup that he had eaten and were not unduly alarmed. This was indicated by the fact that the father did not leave home for a doctor until the boy was near to death.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

TORONTO, Jan. 10.—Live stock receipts fair, trade active. Good to choice heifers, $8 to $9. Heavy steers, $7 to $7.50. Spring lambs, $10.75 to $13. Hogs, fed and watered, $13, off cars, $13.15 to $13.25. Others unchanged.

IT IS IMPORTANT.

To benefit your defects of vision; it is important that your lenses shall be held in an optically correct position at all times. Our mountings are correctly adjusted and will not pinch your nose. See Dr. Lacey and see better, 410 George street.

If the tough outer surface is removed from the ends of the asparagus stalks, the entire stalk can be cooked tender.

SAVE YOUR PAPERS

The Ladies' Patriotic League of Ashburnham beg to announce their intention of again making a collection of papers, old books, magazines, etc., in about three months' time. The League takes this opportunity of thanking the citizens who saved papers for them in the past, and solicit their further efforts in the next collection, the date of which will be announced later.

Anyone desirous of having their papers taken away before the general collection will please telephone Mrs. R. H. Parsons, Mrs. G. L. Hay, or Miss Lizzie Scott, Ashburnham.

Another Peterboro' Boy Mentioned In Gen. Haig's Despatches

Sergt. Alex. Gillespie Recently Reported Seriously Ill is Honoured---Lieut. Jesse Ketchum, Formerly of the 93rd Battalion, Tells of an Exciting Experience at the Front---Lieut. Crisp Reported a Prisoner--To-day's Orders and General Military News.

Another Peterborough boy has been mentioned in despatches by Sir Douglas Haig in the person of Sergt. Alex. Gillespie, whose name appears in the last list issued by the Commander-in-Chief of the British Army. Sergt. Gillespie, who only a few days ago was reported seriously ill, went overseas with a Canadian Pioneer Battalion. He is a well known local boy, whose exploits on the rugby field are well remembered by Peterborough followers of the game.

Lieut. Jesse Ketchum, who went overseas with the 93rd Battalion, and is now at the front with the 20th Battalion, gives a vivid account of a recent adventure in no man's land in a letter to a member of The Examiner staff. This time last year Lieut. Ketchum was playing hockey with the 93rd Intermediates—now he is in the thick of things on the western front.

He says: "I was chosen with a small party for patrol duty in no man's land, and it was my first experience of that kind. We ran into a Hun patrol out there and had some fight with bombs and revolvers. We got the worst of it, sorry to say. I discovered the Huns coming from behind us to attack, and with our party and went after them. It was one grand fight, bombs all around us. One let right at my feet but I did not get hit. Two of our party were badly wounded, and when the fight was over here I was with moving to get that man on my back and go for our wire. When I got not a person around but one wounded man. Believe me I had some tall about 200 yards away in front of our own wire I found I could not get through.. Just as I was picking the wounded man up to carry him across no man's land the Huns opened their machine guns on us but failed to hit us. Finally I found a hole in our wire and got in."

Lieut. Ketchum adds: "I see where Dick Crisp (former machine gun officer of the 93rd, who went to the Royal Flying Corps, has been taken prisoner in the flying corps."

TO-DAY'S ORDERS

Daily orders by Lt.-Col. C. H. Ackerman, Commanding 247th Batt., C. E. F.

Orders for Wednesday, Jan. 10th, 1917:

1. District Orders No. 42: ((Extracts from). It is published for the information of all concerned, that attention has been drawn to the fact that numerous soldiers who have been given employment by the Department of Militia and Defence, and who are indirectly employed in connection with Military work, such as with the Military Hospitals Commission, Patriotic Fund, etc., are in the habit of wearing uniform.

As such men are liable to arrest under the provisions of the Order-in-Council, relating to the wearing of uniform, instructions are to be issued that in future no man who has been discharged from the Canadian Expeditionary Force, may be permitted to wear military uniform without special authority, in writing, from competent military authority, (i.e., District Headquarters.)

2. Recruiting Competition:

Silver Cup, presented by the Mayor of Kingston:

The Unit as undermentioned, who secures the greatest number of recruits (not counting transfers) between the 1st of January and the 30th of April, 1917, will become sole possessor of this cup. Said cup will have the number or designation of the unit engraved on the shield and attached to the base stating number of recruits obtained during the specified period.

The officer commanding hopes that officers, N.C.O.'s and men will vie with each other in bringing up the recruiting average of this unit, so that the winning of the cup may be possible for this Batt.

3. Duties: Orderly Officer for Wednesday, Jan 10, Lt. T. Quinn.

Next for duty: Lt. Strickland.

A. E. Brittain, Adjt.,
247th Batt., C. E. F.

The Peterborough Returned Soldiers' Club have been taking up the matter of "honourably discharged" badges, with the Canadian Patriotic Fund. The last quota of soldiers home from England were not given these buttons which are very similar in design to the Active Service badges. The following letter received by Pte. C. J. Wilcox of the local Returned Soldiers' Club gives the reason.

Dear Sir,—Replying to your letter of the 19th re honourably discharge badge, I regret to inform you that the issue of these badges was discontinued some months ago.

The "Active Service" badge is given only to those men who have been in France.

If you will apply to the director of recruiting for your district he will advise you re the government badge shortly to be issued.

E. M. McNAUGHTON.

Wallace Kennedy of Peterborough who enlisted with the 52nd Battery, C.F.A., has been awarded a commission in England, and has passed his examinations successfully at Witley Camp.

Suicide Was Not the Man

Examiner Special:

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Jan. 10.—B. C. Brown, a travelling salesman who was passing the Wilton apartment in Philadelphia at the time the murderer of Marie Colbert a corset model, leaped from the apartment window, said positively to-day that Bernard W. Lewis, who suicided later, was not the man he saw leaving the Wilton apartments.

Conference Opened This Afternoon

Special to The Examiner:

OTTAWA, Jan. 10.—The conference between the Government and Provincial representatives in connection with returned soldiers, opened to-day at two-thirty. The Provincial delegates were lunched by Sir Robert Borden at noon.

This afternoon Hon. Robert Rogers stated that no definite settlement on the western coal difficulty had been arrived at. He appeared to be hopeful, however, of early success.

FUNERAL HELD THIS MORNING

The funeral took place this morning of the late Thomas Laplante, first to St. Peter's Cathedral and thence to St. Peter's cemetery. The funeral was largely attended. The pallbearers were Messrs. T. B. McGrath, L. D. Letellier, Clement Gordon, John Clancy, John Grady and D. Donoghue.

Mr. Frank Laplante of Rochester, eldest son of the deceased, was in the city attending the funeral.

Fifteen Years Of Wedded Life

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Rooke, Prince street, celebrated their crystal wedding anniversary last evening. About twenty-five relatives and friends gathered and an enjoyable evening was spent. Mr. and Mrs. Rooke were the recipients of a large number of presents.

Skating at Brock St. Rink To-night. Band in attendance

Brings A Message From Boys At Front

PTE. GEORGE COWAN RETURNS HOME WITH LEFT LEG MISSING

Was Blown Up By Shell in Engagement in Which 21st Battalion Was Decimated

WEARS OTHER SCARS

With his left leg amputated close to his hip and bearing other and less conspicuous scars of battle, Pte. George Cowan, of the 39th Batt. arrived home yesterday evening at 5.30 o'clock unannounced and unwelcomed, except by his wife and children and several friends. He walked with the aid of crutches, and after a two weeks' stay at his home on Chamberlen street west, he will return to Toronto to be fitted with an artificial leg.

Although he went over nearly two years ago with a draft of the 39th Batt., Pte. Cowan has been in the 6th, 8th, 10th and other battalions, and when he was wounded was with the 21st Batt., when it was nearly cut up. In that engagement he was blown into the air by a shell. He underwent four or five operations on his left leg. Pieces of it had to be removed at different occasions until only a short stump remained.

Besides this disability Pte. Cowan has parts of three fingers missing, and scars in both arms above the elbow with a piece of shell still remaining in one arm.

Pte. Cowan landed at Halifax on January 2nd, and has been at a Toronto hospital since. He brought home with him a gift pipe he received when leaving Peterboro. He clung to it with his teeth when he was shot into the air and afterwards finding it still with him decided not to part with it.

An explanation of his return unannounced is found in the fact that Mrs. Cowan did not receive his telegram until four o'clock yesterday afternoon that he was coming to Peterboro from Toronto.

Big Fire in Quebec City

Special to The Examiner:

QUEBEC, Jan. 10.— The business section of this city suffered another big fire this morning, when damage to the extent of $125,000 resulted in a blaze which started in the wine shops of Turcotte and Co. and spread to other premises.

THE WEATHER

A decided change in temperature has occurred during the past 24 hours. This morning at 8 o'clock the thermometer stood at 2 deg. above zero. Later on it went to 2 deg. below, and all day it has hovered around the cipher mark. A strong wind from the north makes the cold severely felt.—W.P.

NOT GUILTY.

In the course of last night's inquest, which showed that the death of the lad Clark did not result from ptomaine, but other, poisoning, Coroner Greer made some apposite remarks. He said it was regrettable that the press was so ready to ascribe the causes of deaths from suspected poisoning, to ptomaines, thus, as had been done in the present case, by printing erroneous statements, doing an injustice to, and discrediting tinned fruits, meats, etc. While the coroner was amply justified in referring to the offence of the press, he would have done no injustice by being more discriminating. While the Examiner does not claim exemption from the weaknesses of its class, it is only justice to ourselves to say that in this case the Examiner was not an offender and should not be classed with a contemporary that specifically earned the coroner's condemnation. Nor should the Examiner be punished by exclusion from the meetings of the Utilities Commission for the indiscretion and bad faith of which, not it but another, was guilty.

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"Don't See Us Stuck" Say the Canadians in France—Capt. Burnham Talks of Conditions Overseas.

AN INTERESTING LETTER

The following letter has been received by The Examiner from Capt. J. H. Burnham, M.P., who has just returned from Europe:

Having been asked to give some little account of my experiences since last July, I am very glad to do so if they are of interest or can serve any good purpose. We landed last Tuesday from a Cunarder which had just come from Salonika and had missed there the fate of her sister ship by a narrow margin. We were sixteen days at sea and travelled about 4,000 miles passing boats recently torpedoed and pursuing a zig-zag course. One day out from Ireland we were stopped by a French cruiser and our course was immediately changed going south as far as the latitude of Florida. We were more than a week over-due and war vessels were sent out to meet us as they said, but we did not see any.

The enemy submarines soon learned the despicable trick of sending out S.O.S. signals, and when rescuers flew to answer torpedoed them. As a consequence no ship takes any notice of wireless messages, and people out in boats can get to land the best way they can. We had 250 wounded men aboard coming home for further treatment and discharge. Fifty of them were minus either a leg or an arm. I had charge of one of the ships boats which were kept slung over the side with the list of the ship after mine or torpedo strikes it, and with half of my 60 passengers unable to help themselves in such an event, and with ships sinking in from 3 to 10 minutes after being struck, the prospects were not at any time cheering.

Still one gets used to these things when once one makes up the mind to it just as we did at the front where large shells that shook the earth and nearly shook our teeth out exploded within a hundred yards of us and sent up a houseful of clay, failed to shake our nerves. Such is the nerve of a politician. Our visit to the front was most interesting and complete. We explored Ypres which is a mass of ruins, and the region of Hill 60, and the Sanctuary Wood. The Germans were shelling it and the battle raged round about just as before. Ypres may come and go, but the glory of the Canadians there and at Givenchy (where Lt.-Col. Charles Ackerman was wounded) and Festubert, will never fade. The general who failed to send up reinforcements to them is now wandering about England unemployed. At the Vimi Ridge and Souchez where no less than three of our divisions hold the line, I visited the firing line, the front trenches, and went out into the foremost sap and into the observation post where 40 yards away I saw Germans in their trenches looking past sandbags for any unlucky wight who might stick his head up. The minenwerfers which the Germans send up high in the air to fall near by on the trenches exploded with appalling force and nearly shook our heads off. But the only sound that hurts the ear is that of the 18-pounder which is sharp and high-pitched. When we went down to the Somme on the forward line the shells fell in some cases very near us, but it is impossible to see things as one must see them if it is to be from start to finish, from Canada to the very face of the foe, unless all these things are taken as a matter of course just as the troops take them. We, of course, saw plenty of tanks and examined them. We saw all the generals and talked with them from the Corps Commander-in-Chief down.

We talked with the brave lads in the trenches, and General Currie told me next morning that one hour after I left a certain front trench it was raided by the Germans. Eight of the lads I had been taking to were killed, fourteen wounded, and the remaining men of the 20 held the trench with a Lewis machine gun! That is the sort of stuff our lads are made of.

I explained to them that if we were to get more recruits there must be a message from the boys in the trenches, and they have sent one by me. On board ship when I told the wounded lads about it they asked to be allowed to sign, and it was worth a King's ransom to see them hobbling up at the double to put their names down in so good a cause. Two hundred of them were able to sign this appeal or message which I am preparing for publication and use in the recruiting campaign. There is a vast deal to tell, but it would take too long, and what Canada wants, and must have, is recruits, not talk.

The boys at the front say: "Don't see us stuck," and stuck they must be if you do not prepare to reinforce them by next September.

J. H. BURNHAM.

EAST CITY RINK

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RECOGNITION.

It is noticed by press reports that among other places Brantford and Windsor opened their inaugural council meetings with prayers. Whether this is due to piety only, or to deeper religious sentiment, it is an encouraging sign. A man who by even formally religious acts or attitude recognizes the fact of divine rulership in his life is still within the zone of hope. Why, indeed, should not city councils as well as parliaments have prayers? In this terrible time of testing, the sense of the vanity of the help of man comes over us all, and there is a greater inclination to put trust in and invoke the alliance of the divine. If we are a Christian people; if we at all believe that the Almighty Father exists, that the principles He represents have their origin in Him; if we believe as we say that this war is a fight of Christianity against the powers of darkness, we are not consistent but merely hypocritical, if we do not by our actions show that we believe in, trust to, and depend upon divine aid.

THE SWORD OF DAMOCLES

Hunters of big game tell us that a wounded anaconda is more dangerous, more capable of doing injury in his death struggles, than perhaps when in possession of his natural strength. Germany in the desperation of her dying struggles, shows signs of new energy of "frightfulness" and outrage. Not content with sinking allied ships and committing wholesale murder in the process, she has adopted flat piracy. Content before this with merely sinking ships and their cargo and crews and passengers, she is now seizing—stealing—the cargoes of neutral shipping. She claimed a sort of excuse for her other forms of outrage at sea, but there is nothing but black-flag piracy in stealing the cargoes of neutral ships.

The one redeeming feature of this latest display of Germany's utter degeneracy of morals is the indication it gives of Germany's consciousness, of the desperate character of her prospects in this war. She feels and knows herself beaten, but is determined to make the inevitable victory of the allies as bloody and costly as possible. Another good thing about something utterly bad, is the stiffened impulse Germany's attitude of frightfulness gives to renewed and more aggressive measures to destroy the spirit by destroying the fact of power to implement it. We must all do more, do our most to help strangle the military power of Germany and bring her to stern reckoning.

The appeal comes to us in Canada with intensified emphasis. We must turn out more and more munitions, and we must provide more and more men to use them. The whole citizenship is called upon. The call is not only for recruits at for military service, but for recruits of all kinds. Those who cannot fight must do their share in their own way.

If Germany is allowed to triumph in her damnable enterprise of destruction, the blow will fall upon us. "World domination," the German dream, if accomplished, will include among the first Canada, to be subjected to the tender mercies of the Teuton conqueror if he is permitted to prevail.

We must smash as we have done in Canada, do more. We must mobilize all our forces. One means of doing this is through national registration. We must accept that as a present vital fact. We must not argue. It is not a question of what better and more direct means might have been employed. The duty is to accept and make the most and best of the method now presented. There should be universal cooperation in making the registration complete, for its effectiveness depends upon its completeness. All the help we can give in men and munitions or in other ways is part of the national service— links in the chain that is destined to bind the German giant of militarism. We all want to see the war end. It will end by the destruction of Germany's military power to outrage and destroy, if we contribute our share, each in his or her own way, to the eclipse that is impending; if we help cut the hair that holds the sword of Damocles, menacing over the head of the Hohenzollern bandit.

IS IT RIGHT?

At a time when the Premiers of Ontario and Quebec, Tory and Grit; at a time when patriotic Canadians of both races, and both provinces, irrespective of party considerations, are striving to better the commercial, social and citizenship relations between the people of Ontario and Quebec—when these splendidly patriotic efforts are being made, does it seem right that the Dominion Government should help the dividing work; should retain in its ranks, and promote in and to its ranks, rank Nationalists? Hon. Mr. Blondin, of flag-shooting fame, has been advanced from the nominal portfolio of Secretary of State to the highly important office of Postmaster-General; Devigny, another Nationalist, is taken into the Cabinet, and Patenude, former Minister of Inland Revenue, is made Secretary of State. The Nationalist succession in the Borden Cabinet is sacredly guarded. Nationalism is not allowed to lose a fraction of its grip on fat offices, while loyal supporters of the Empire, and loyal supporters of the Government, have to stand by wondering, and see the enemies of the Empire feed successively and comfortably, with no fear of dispossession at the public crib.

This influence of Nationalism has been the dominant force in the Borden Cabinet, from the day the government was formed, five years ago, and the price of Nationalist support was bought by the government consenting to the destruction of the idea and fact of a Canadian navy.

Why is this sinister influence allowed to mar the Borden Cabinet? We all know, for it has been proclaimed from the house tops, that Nationalism is anything but national or imperial. It is a doctrine of negation—it denies that Canada owes anything to Great Britain, it denies that Canada has any responsibility in respect of helping Britain or the Empire in her wars. It is, and has been, a hostile element to recruiting, especially in the Province of Quebec.

And yet it is retained as an antagonistic influence to national effort to do the national duty at the present. The Government is very properly demanding extraordinary response to an extraordinary call to national service. From the Prime Minister down the call comes for a united—altogether—effort to help forward the fortunes of this war. Yet the Government perpetuate the gruesome paradox of asking popular response to an appeal from a government that contains, official authority that has preached and still preaches he doctrine that we must not—have no duty, no obligation—to contribute, especially in the way of manhood, to Britain's success in war in a righteous cause. The government's ringing appeal to national service has the machinery of its application placed in the hands of the Nationalist Postmaster-General, the man who declared that we owe nothing to the English or the flag—"we had to shoot holes through it to breathe the air of liberty."

Does this pattering with treason, this enthroning of treason in high places, create conditions that favour enthusiastic national response to national cooperation in promoting the success of the war?

The adverse effect such conditions have had on national service may not be reducible to detailed record; and it speaks highly for the patriotic spirit of Canadians that in spite of this they have made a magnificent response to the call of duty; and, Canadians will continue to respond to the pressing need of the hour, national and individual cooperation. The people are big enough to see above and beyond—to look over, if not altogether overlook, the shifts of partizanship to protect party interests even at the expense of national efficiency and national interests. Is it right? Is Nationalism in the Borden Government, that denies the duty of helping in the war, an inspiring influence in meeting the appeal of the government to the people to strain every muscle to help Britain in her hour of crisis?

THE POOR WOMAN'S LAWYER.

During and after the American Civil War a horde of pension lawyers arose, who filled the halls of Congress with clamourings for larger and larger pensions to their clients.

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BRITAIN'S MEASURELESS MONEY RESOURCES FOR WAR WAGING MEASURES

When nearly $8,000 million in new money was subscribed in Britain to the war loan of 1915, Mr. McKenna, then the Chancellor of the Exchequer, declared the amount to be "far and away beyond any amount ever subscribed in the world's history." So it was at that time. No belligerent nation has since equaled that performance. The last German war loan, the fifth of the kind, brought subscriptions of $9,980 million; but that amount consisted largely on conversions, re-subscriptions and of loans advanced by Government agencies. France subscribed nearly $2,200 million of new money to the "loan of victory" last Spring. None of these loans, even that in Britain almost two years ago, will approach in magnitude the new loan to be announced on Thursday by the British Treasury.

There are British Treasury bills outstanding of more than $5,500 million, exchequer bonds of $2,500 million and former war stock, on a 4 1-2 per cent. basis of $4,500 million. Since the new loan will clear the market of the Treasury bills, the Exchequer bonds, and most of the 4 1-2 per cent. stock, conversion alone will account for about $12,500 million in the new loan. If the British investors subscribe as patriotically with fresh resources to the new war loan as they did to the former one the new stock to be issued will reach $15,000 million. Mr. McKenna said of the former loan that the Government had not wished for a large subscription than the three billions of dollars. To that loan 500,000 subscribers put their applications through the Bank of England, and 550,000 subscribed $75 millions through the post-office. Unquestionably, on the eve of a tremendous stroke for victory, determined to put up the last man and last dollar for it, the people of Britain will open wide the storehouse of their wealth. The "all-far ballet" will go direct at Germany's vital parts. The "Re-cold haberdashers" will prove to the world that haberdashers can sacrifice for the world's liberty as zealously as the Prussian sword can jump from its scabbard against that liberty. The quiet confidence with which the new Lloyd George Government proceeds to make the vast preparations necessary demonstrates complete faith in the will and ability of the British people to make sacrifices.

It has been a remarkable exhibition of the strength of British financing that Exchequer bonds and Treasury bills should have been issued, in the last year and a half, to the extent of about $8,000 million. The British markets have steadily taken the temporary Government issues, million upon million, without any psychological incentive such as the issue of a special loan brings. Some surprise has been felt that the Government let its temporary financing go on so long without permanently funding its obligations. Had the money market shown ill-effects from the flood of Treasury bills the interval between loans could scarcely have been a year and a half. Germany has issued five loans to Britain's two. The German Finance Secretary boasted that Germany has put all its war obligations, except a few hundred millions, on a long-term basis, whereas the British Government financed from hand to mouth. The truth is that Germany could not have accomplished anything like an issue of $8,000 million of temporary paper. It has had to make practically all loans long-term, because otherwise it could not handle the financial situation. The new loan will demonstrate that in permanently funding its temporary issues, the British Treasury, backed by the strong will of the people, will be as great financially as in carrying along from day to day.—Mail and Empire.

FERGUSONISM AND MUD-SLINGING ARE SYNONYMOUS

Special to The Examiner:

TORONTO, Jan. 10.—Fergusonism in politics is being exhibited in the province again this time in West Simcoe. The Hon. G. H. Ferguson himself has been in the riding "slinging mud" and conducting the campaign on the level that he usually manages to put it on. The trouble about his system of using violent invectives is that the novelty soon wears off and the re-action sets in. This Minister and the methods he represents played a prominent part in both the North Perth and South West Toronto elections, with results disastrous to the government, yet the same tactics are being repeated in West Simcoe. The influence of Fergusonism spreads; the campaign literature of the Conservatives in this contest is violent to a point bordering on hysteria and like most hysteria is almost ludicrously rambling and confused. The more it is circulated in the riding the more public opinion veers toward Mr. Scott, who in such a manly way summed up the case in saying, "If any of my friends should write such stuff about the Conservatives I'd quit. We are going to fight this contest fairly and cleanly and not on any such level."

Another old-timer, who has helped valiantly in losing recent bye-elections for the government is in the riding—the Hon I. B. Lucas. It will be interesting to see what particular sort of gymnastics he attempts in this contest. Whether he will resume his posture of standing on his head with his ear to the ground or whether he has some new act will soon be revealed.

The panicky hurry-scurrying of Cabinet Ministers and government leaders, the jostling each other in their excitement throughout the constituency is an amazing spectacle. Here is a rural constituency with a government majority in 1914 of 1,000 and yet it is obvious that the government is struggling under the shadow of a great fear.

Hastings Welcomes Returned Soldier

Gold Locket Presented to Sergeant Learmouth—Asphodel Couple Celebrate Golden Wedding

HASTINGS, Jan. 10.—On Monday night last, a reception was given in the town hall by the citizens of Hastings, to Sergeant T. E. Learmouth, who has returned from the front. Speeches were given by the Reeve, the Revs. Messrs. Bretherton, Thomson, Snell and McKim. During the course of the evening an address of welcome was read by the Reeve and a gold locket suitably inscribed on behalf of the citizens of Hastings was presented to Sergeant Learmouth who who replied in suitable terms.

Mrs. James Convey is doing nicely after her recent misfortune of having a broken leg.

Schools have reopened after the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Fred Burridge left last week for Oshawa where he has secured a good position.

Mrs. Charles Plant spent a couple of days last week in Campbellford.

Misses Agnes and Grace Wood of Villiers returned to their home, having spent the holiday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Dickey.

Dr. and Mrs. Jos. Hess spent a couple of days with friends at Wooler.

At the parsonage on Tuesday, January 2, 1917 by Rev. J. Snell, Mr. Edward McConnell of Percy was united in marriage to Miss Pearl McArthur of Seymour. Their many friends wish them much happiness.

Miss M. Milligan of Toronto has been visiting friends in and around town.

Miss Laura Webb is holidaying with friends at Lindsay.

The bachelors of the town gave a dance in the Town Hall on Monday night, a good time was enjoyed by all present.

Mr. J. Cameron of Peterborough was in town on Tuesday.

GOLDEN WEDDING.

On Monday, January 1st the family and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Scott, of Asphodel were gathered together to celebrate with them the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding. The most remarkable feature of the event was every member of the family being present. The decorations were suitable for the occasion and during the day an address and purse of gold were presented to Mr. and Mrs. Scott. An enjoyable time was spent by all present.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

The Epworth League of the Methodist church has re-opened after the holidays.

Mr. Archie Thomson occupied the pulpit in the Presbyterian church on Sunday last.

MILITIA OFFICIALS BRIBED?

Faulty Motor Truck Parts Said to Have Been Passed.

OTTAWA, Jan. 10.—Charles Ledoux of the Ledoux Carriage Company of Montreal, was placed on trial in the criminal branch of the Ontario Supreme Court here yesterday on the charge of bribing employes of the Militia Department to pass faulty parts in motor truck bodies supplied to the department by the defendant. Ledoux took the stand in his own default, and, while admitting that he paid the money, $10, to Foreman W. F. Young of the assembling plant, here, and $100 to Inspector F. W. Gray, who was stationed in the Ledoux factory at Montreal, he claimed that it was not done as a bribe, but for services rendered the defendant by the two men outside their duties as Government inspectors.

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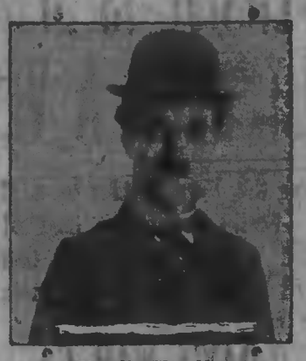

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VISITORS WERE HEAVY

The Peterborough junior got away to a good start in the opening O.H.A. game at Brock street rink last night when they defeated Bowmanville handily by 8 goals to 1. The local youngsters were never in danger at any time. They were in front 2 to 0 at the end of the first period and 6 to 1 ahead at the close of the second, while they boosted their total by two more in the final stanza. The ice was very bad and the conditions did not give the homesters much of a chance to display any team work, but they did their best under the circumstances to play combination, and the fans seemed pleased with their efforts. They are at their best, however, on hard ice, and last night's going did not suit them very much, especially as they were outweighed by the visitors, who loomed up like an intermediate team.

The home brigade had it on the visitors both in speed and stick-handling and on hard ice would have increased their margin, as they had little difficulty in outskating the boys from the Lake front. The latter, however, stick to their guns well and never let up trying. The game was played with the best of feeling on both sides, and although heavy ice usually has the tendency to roughen up the play, the contest was clean all the way through, and although a couple of men were slightly hurt, it was accidental in all cases. Dr. Jerry Laflamme handled the game to perfection. Nothing got away from him, and he kept the teams playing legitimate hockey all the way.

The Peterborough team seemed to look pretty good to the fans. Young Murray, playing his first O.H.A. game in the nets, was as cool as a veteran, handling the fire of the Bowmanville team in good style. He had no chance with the goal that beat him, which was scored on a rebound. In front of him Montgomery and McIntyre made a hard-checking defence, and the former's rushes were a feature of the play. The lanky youngster galloped through the opposition for three pretty goals. Graham was as good as ever at rover, rushing nicely, while his persistent back-checking was a great help to the defence. Bartley shone all night at left wing, showing plenty of speed and stick-handling ability. Cherrett worked well in centre, although the ice conditions were not in his favour. McFee was handicapped by a very sore leg and was hardly in shape to do himself justice, but he tried hard all the way.

The visitors were bigger all along the line than the Petes, but they failed to take any advantage of their weight, not a body check being handed out. Jeffrey was good in the nets, and Corden and Rowe, although they did not help the attack any, played a good defence game, refusing to be drawn out. Grant was the best of the forwards, although Williams, the left wing, did some nice work in spots.

The line-up:

Bowmanville		Peterborough.
Jeffrey	Goal	Murray
Corden Rowe	Defence	McIntyre Montgomery
Grant	Rover	Graham
Tucker	Centre	Cherrett
Mingeaud	R. Wing	McFee
Williams	L. Wing	Bartley

The pace was fast at the start and the Petes breaking away well gave Jeffrey some busy moments. The Bowmanville goaler tore off two pretty stops on shots from the side by Bartley and a hard one from Cherrett. McFee drew a penalty for tripping, but the odd man advantage did not seem to help the visitors any. Finally after five minutes playing Montgomery broke away for a rink length rush that carried him in on top of Jeffrey for a goal.

A minute and a half later Cherrett bulged the curtains with a neat shot on a pass from behind the nets. There was no further scoring in the period although the homesters lost several chances by wild shooting. Corden was chased for holding and Graham was also banished. Mingeaud was hurt and retired for the rest of the period, Cherrett being dropped to even up. Just before the end of the period Graham was hurt when he was spilled tearing into the Bowmanville nets.

The teams were at full strength when the second session started. The Petes threw away several good opportunities right at the go-in, and then Montgomery got away again and sailed in alone for Goal No. 3. Almost from the face-off, Cherrett broke loose, and after a neat rush, passed to McFee, who fooled Jeffery at close range. That made it 4 to 0, and Graham added another on a pretty rush and quick shot.

Then Bowmanville took a hand, and after Murray had turned aside one hard shot, Williams secured and beat the Peterborough goaler at close range.

Graham boosted the figures to 6 to 1 when he scored from a scrimmage on his second attempt. Jeffrey stopped the first one, but the puck drifted out to Graham again and he made sure of this time.

Just before the period ended McFee retired to repair his skate and Montgomery hurt his knee. Bowmanville dropped two men and the teams were only five men aside at the end of the period.

All the casualties were on again when the last period started. Montgomery once more opened the scoring by a pretty rush and shot after three minutes' playing. That made it 7 to 1, and Cherrett hammered in a rebound on a shot from Bartley 30 seconds after, bringing the total 8 to 1. There was no further scoring and the teams were pretty tired when it was all over. Just before the finish Graham was hurt and retired for the evening. The summary:—

First Period.

1 Peterborough, Montgomery.
2 Peterborough Cherrett.

Second Period.

3 Peterborough, Montgomery.
4 Peterborough, McFee.
5 Peterborough, Graham.
6 Bowmanville, Williams.
7 Peterborough, Graham.

Third Period.

8 Peterborough, Montgomery.
9 Peterborough, Cherrett.

O. H. A. To Blame For Delay Over the Referee Question

In regard to the delay in starting last night's game the Peterborough Junior Hockey Club wish to make the explanation to the fans that the wait was not the fault of either team, the players of both clubs being ready to start at the advertised time. The O. H. A. is entirely to blame, and both Peterborough clubs, the 247th and the Juniors are taking the matter up with that body in order that referees may reach Peterborough on the 5:30 G. T. R. train instead of on the C. P. R. local, which invariably means a delay. Yesterday morning the local management called up Secretary Hewitt and asked that the referee be sent down in good time. Dr. Laflamme had been decided upon but Secretary Hewitt stated that he could not leave Toronto until 5 o'clock, whereupon the local club asked for another official who could be here at 5:30. The O. H. A. secretary promised to secure Whitehead and send him down. However, he did not arrive as promised, but Jack Moxon, a well known referee, happened to be in town, so the local club again called Secretary Hewitt at 7 o'clock to find out that Laflamme had left Toronto on the C. P. R. local. They asked that Moxon be permitted to referee the first period in order that there would be no delay, but Mr. Hewitt advised against this, and so the game was held up until Dr. Laflamme arrived at 9 o'clock. To give the popular official credit though he rushed the game through in good style when he got the contest under way.

There should be no further trouble about referees, as both Peterborough clubs are insisting that the officials henceforth must leave on an earlier train than that of the local C. P. R., which after this week will be still later, not being due until 8:40.

LADY CURLERS FORSAKE THE GAME TO DEVOTE TIME TO RED CROSS

With home duties, Red Cross sewing and curling in conflict and with one of these activities to be dispensed with, the members of the Ladies' Curling Club this morning blackballed this season's curling. The grave demands of the Red Cross for which a special effort of six weeks of sewing was recently begun left little room for discussion in so far as the lady curlers were concerned. Naturally they looked forward to the morning games they had enjoyed during recent winters, but, without any hesitation, they decided to forget the game this season and apply the fees for a greater cause. In this disbanding of the Club until another time and, it is hoped, a happier winter rolls around. The ladies acted without any expression of regret, but with the calm conviction arising from an appreciation of the requirements of the Red Cross. Doubtless there was an involuntary sigh at the relinquishing of the pleasure of the old game at which the ladies have been growing quite proficient for the ice looked very inviting this morning.

HOCKEY GOSSIP

The Lindsay Warder says:

It will be a case of when Greek meets Greek and a titanic struggle at the Lindsay street rink Wednesday night, when the Peterborough intermediates will clash with the local Midgets. If the ice conditions remain firm the play will be fast, for be it known that the old-time rivalry still exists between these two teams.

The Peterborough soldiers will be as strong, if not stronger, than they were in the game at Peterborough last week, but the Midgets may spring a surprise on them. At least "Cap" Simpson is rather reticent as to the personnel of his Midgets for this fray.

Last night's game is the last O.H.A. game scheduled for Brock Street Rink until a week from Friday, when Oshawa will clash with the Peterborough juniors. In the meantime the Peterborough teams have three games away from home, the 247th playing in Lindsay and Cobourg and the juniors in Oshawa. It is likely that the 247th will arrange an exhibition game with one of the fast Toronto senior teams for the beginning of next week.

The Peterborough juniors will go to Oshawa to-morrow for a junior O.H.A. game with manager Bradley's outfit. The team came through last night's game in good shape and with fast ice assured, should give a good account of themselves in their first game away from home. The team will leave for Oshawa on the 11.40 G.T.R. train to-morrow. The following junior players are asked to report at Brock Street Rink to-night between 7 and 8 o'clock: Murray, McIntyre, Montgomery, Graham, Cherrett, McFee, Bartley, Frost, Park.

CURLING

To-night's scheduled games at the Curling Rink are as follows:

Sturgeon vs. Morrow.
Hicks vs. Denham.
Archibald vs. Foote.
W. G. Ferguson vs. Davidson.
Kay vs. Wightman.

The sudden turn to colder weather quickly hardened the ice during the night and this morning, and a good sheet is promised for this evening's games. One of these days winter will settle down to real earnest business, and the curling games will proceed with something of the regularity of an ordinary season.

PRINTERS WON THREE GAMES

Last night at the Water street Bowling Alleys the biggest surprise of the season was pulled off when the Printers took all three games from the Business Men, who were somewhat handicapped by the absence of Lush. Hard spares were made by Miller and Henderson for the Prints Miller had the high single game with a 206 count.

THE NEW PINS.

The new pins which were used for the first time were accountable for the low scores and a number of splits were made.

The score:—

PRINTERS

Henderson	149	197	142	488
Miller	186	180	206	510
Wilson	148	144	148	440
Myland	121	132	148	401
Cairns	191	194	189	574
Total	774	806	833	2413

Team average 804.

BUSINESS MEN

Fielder	153	118	162	432
Weber	141	190	160	491
Dawson	186	135	177	498
Cocks	156	144	104	404
Dumsay	125	125	125	375
Total	760	712	728	2200

Team average 733.

The following is a schedule of the remaining games:

Jan. 11—Left Overs vs. Grocers.
Jan. 12—De Laval vs. C. G. E.
Jan. 16—Printers vs. C. G. E.
Jan. 18—De Laval vs. Grocers.
Jan. 19—Left Overs vs. Business Men.
Jan. 23—Business Men vs. Grocers.
Jan. 25—Left Overs vs. C. G. E.
Jan. 26—De Laval vs. Printers.
Jan. 30—Left Overs vs. De Laval.
Feb. 1—C. G. E. vs. Business Men.
Feb. 2—Printers vs. Grocers.
Feb. 6—De Laval vs. Business Men
Feb. 8—C. G. E. vs. Grocers.
Feb. 9—Printers vs. Left Overs.

MEN AND BOYS

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AN OLD-TIME SPORT CAME TO TOWN

The Visit of Jimmy Sheehy the Star "Centre" of the Victorious Lacrosse Teams of the Eighties, Recalls the Good Old Sporting Days

The name "Jimmy Sheehy" has a big meaning, or had a big meaning before he left the city and went to Chicago, where he thrived as he deserved to do and became secretary of the Hyland Publishing Company, and became dignified into Mr. J. J. Sheehy. The name, "Jimmy" Sheehy means a good deal to the Examiner— when the daily was established he was the first member of the reporting staff and the best—he was the only reporter and also the best of reporters. His name meant a great deal to the citizenship of the town, for he was in every way a good citizen and a good fellow. It meant, and it yet means, a lot to the sporting side of the city, especially among old timers. He took, when he was in Peterborough, a great interest in sport. He still takes a big interest in it, and has it next to his heart—for instance. When he called upon the Examiner to-day to say good-bye, "Jimmie"—to keep up the familiar cognomen of his sporting days—drew from the pocket over his heart, and displayed with pride, a pocket scrap book containing reports clipped from the Examiner of all the chief sporting events of his time in the district. The first was a long report of the walking match in the old departed drill shed in May, 1879, when Mark Spencely won the pedestrian championship—in a walk. The scrap book contained also reports of all the lacrosse matches in the district, when the Peterborough lacrosse team held the championship for years, and captured the Gildersleeve cup. They were lacrosse giants in those days, when "Jimmy" Sheehy played "centre" and ranked as perhaps the best man in that position in Canada at the time. Other prominent players, many of whom have retired from the game of life as well as lacrosse, were Harry LeBrun, "Ike" Yelland, "Dod" Fortye, Joe Joyal, the stonewall defence; "Billy" Rudkins, "Paddy" Rudkins, (the late Father Rudkins), "Billy" (W. A.) Sanderson, George Giroux and many others. "Jimmie" Sheehy is full of the sporting events of his day and, get him going, he shoulders his crutch—or "crosse"—and tells how games were won, with graphic enthusiasm.

CARPENTIER WILL REMAIN IN FRANCE

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Georges Carpentier will remain in France until after the war is over, according to word received from the French capital. The Sportsman, one of the most prominent authorities on boxing in England says that it is improbable that the necessary leave of absence will be granted by the War Department of France to enable Carpentier to leave the country.

This news practically kills whatever hope may have lingered in the breasts of the promoters of boxing in America to have the dauntless Frenchman cross the Atlantic and take part in any boxing match, or series of matches.

Carpentier is said to have expressed his willingness to box Darcy provided that his share of the money were turned over to the funds for the benefit of the French war sufferers.

Carpentier's fortune, made in the roped arena, has been wiped out during the war. His mining properties in the Lens district were captured by the invading Germans, and are being operated by the Teutons. The home that he bought for his parents has been destroyed, and it is thought that his father and mother have been driven into exile. No word has been received from them since the start of the war and careful search has revealed no word of their fate.

Losing his fortune, Carpentier has won fame in his country. He has been cited for distinguished bravery under fire and was decorated with the Military Medal, the highest honor in France. Several times he has flown over the German lines at a height of 200 metres, directing the French artillery fire. His plane has been hit and riddled with shrapnel, but he has escaped unhurt.

FRENCH LIKE TEDDY.

"The French too keen interest in the American presidential election," Miss Ethel Thomson, a nurse in the American Hospital Corps, just returned from Neuilly, France, said recently to the Boston Post. "Teddy Roosevelt is to them almost a god. When his picture is flashed on a screen in Paris, it is given more applause than the picture of General Joffre. The French wanted Hughes to win. They were wildly enthusiastic when the first news came that he had won, and they were keenly disappointed when it was announced Wilson had defeated him."

ROMANCE IN WAR.

The romance of war is far from dead, says London Globe. Witness the reports of the French parachutist at Monastir, who jumped from his balloon at a height of 3,000 feet, who too kept his pocket-book with one hand and, holding it in his teeth inserted therein all his important papers, threw it into the French lines as he sailed over them, and himself reached the Serbian front. Then again, we have the account of the fight in the Adriatic between an Italian torpedo boat and an Austrian submarine. Both were sunk, but the survivors of the torpedo boat captured the submarine crew.

She Confessed.—A young woman called at the Post Office in a provincial town and bashfully inquired if there was a letter for her. "Business or love letter?" jokingly inquired the clerk. "Business," was the reply, accompanied by a blush of the deepest crimson. "As there was no such letter to be found, the young lady took her departure. She came back, however, after a little while, and said, in faltering tones, "Please, would you mind looking among the love-letters?"

Voice of The People

Correspondence under this heading, containing or involving attacks on individuals or violent or extreme statements, must to secure insertion, be signed with writer's real name, the owner of which thus assumes the responsibility.

Editor of the Examiner:

Dear Sir,—If you can spare a small space in your valuable paper, I would like to reply to some of the soldiers' wives who have inserted letters recently; these women seem to be kicking about the small pay they receive. Now although our pay is not colossal, all these women know that even those with no children get more than forty dollars a month, and those with no children are perhaps the better paid in proportion, however, we will leave that question on one side. For my own part I have six children and I receive three cheques monthly, namely, assigned pay, separation allowance, and patriotic; each for twenty dollars. Now, I'm not saying I've got much to spare but I find that I can keep myself and children within my present income, and it is not fair to the rest of us for these women to create the impression which their expressions convey to the public, one says she hasn't sufficient bread, and another doesn't get enough meat, such things are untrue and disgusting; are they trying to class us all as paupers? Then there is the women who says that if the same thing came up again, "Would she let her husband go to the front? No, No, No." Now an expression like that isn't worthy of a soldiers' wife, and I would remind her, that if the same thing were to start again, she might not be able to help herself. Now Mr. Editor, my husband is in khaki, and has been for some time in the thick of it, and although I'd be only too glad to get him back home, still, like all of my P.T.O. friends whose husbands are also in France, I'm proud of him, and was quite willing for him to do his bit to help his comrades. When our husbands leave us for the front we place ourselves in the hands of the Canadian Government and the Patriotic Society, surely these are two splendid institutions and I'm satisfied that we can all have the assurance that neither will see us want, even if there are little extravagant things which we manage without in these times of high prices, surely we need not make a fuss about it, when others in different parts of this world are suffering such privations, rather, we should all, thank God that we are in Canada. Now Mr. Editor I'm afraid I'm taking up quite a bit of space, but I hope you will grant me just a little more, for I would like to thank the Patriotic Society and particularly Alderman Dobbin, whom we all know works so hard in our interests, and I'm sure all the other ladies will be glad to join me in wishing him a most happy and prosperous New Year, and now thanking you Mr. Editor and wishing your paper every success. Believe me a loyal soldier's wife.

NOT IN NEED.

GREAT PANIC IN BUCHAREST.

Population Fought to Get on Train as Teuton Army Approached

LONDON, Saturday, Jan. 8.—The Daily Chronicle publishes the following, sent by its correspondent at Jassy the new Rumanian capital, under date of December 15.

"Persons who left Bucharest just before the entry of the German and Hungarian forces, give terrible descriptions of the state of panic which seized the inhabitants. It may be said to have commenced from the day after it became known that the Government had decided to move to this city, and that the allied Ministers, with their staffs, had already left.

"At the station there was a scene of indescribable muddle and disorder. People in hundreds, civil and military with mountains of baggage, in one hopeless mass, were fighting and struggling. Train after train was sent off as fast as it could be made up, either northward toward Jassy or to the west with Galats as its final destination. The writer left in one consisting of no fewer than sixty carriages of all kinds. This train, drawn and pushed by three engines, presented an extraordinary spectacle, as every corner of carriages and corridors, the steps and even the buffers, were packed with people of every class, and the roofs were green with soldiers. It crawled slowly along.

"This, however, was nothing to what occurred a few days later when it became known that the town was not to be defended. Although cordons of military barred the way a regular seige of the station took place. Revolvers were used freely. Many deaths occurred from people being knocked down and trampled under foot. More than one soldier is also stated to have paid with his life for his devotion to duty. An Englishman who left on the day before the occupation of the town states that he saw the most savage of fights for places on the train by which he travelled and that persons fought on the roofs for a few feet of space, more than one being hurled to death on the stone pavement below.

"Those of the better classes who had motor cars at their disposal left town by road on the first alarm and it must be said with regret that many of those whose duty it was to remain were the first to sneak off in the night."

BRITISH FOOD PRICES FIXED.

LONDON, Jan. 9.—Baron Devonport, the Food Controller, has fixed the following prices which home growers may charge for their 1917 crops: Wheat, sixty shillings per 504 pounds; oats, thirty-eight shillings six pence per 336 pounds, and potatoes a varying price of 115 to 130 shillings per ton.

The Minister of Munitions, under the defence of the realm act, has forbidden any manufacturer or assembling of internal combustion engines except under Government permit.

RUN PROFESSOR IN ASTOUNDING WAR ADMISSION

London, January 4. — Professor Meinecke, of Freiburg University, the distinguished historian, contributed to the Frankfurt Zeitung on New Year's Eve, the most remarkable article on the history of the war which has yet appeared in any German newspaper.

Being compelled to lie about the origin of the war plans which Germany began, German writers generally had to lie on all the inconvenient events during the war. Professor Meinecke, on the other hand, adopts the convenient formula that it was only in a "political sense" that Germany "began the war as a defensive war," while in a military sense it is distinctly a knock-out war.

Professor Meinecke has the courage to describe the first phase as follows:

"Our first object was to overthrow France rapidly and compel her to make peace. If we succeeded we would then turn quickly and carry out the same military idea against Russia. We would have the prospect of success then to conclude a final peace with England.

"This peace would have had to assume the character of a compromise, since we did not hope to overthrow England's naval supremacy."

This whole programme, brilliantly begun, collapsed at the gates of Paris during the battle of the Marne. This battle was not a tactical victory but a great strategical success of the French. Perhaps our programme would not have collapsed if we had carried through our original strategical idea with perfect strictness, keeping the Marne forces firmly together, and at the same time abandoning East Prussia."

He then sketches subsequent events. The Germans took to trench warfare and the enemy did likewise. The Germans tried and failed to break through both at the Yser and Bapaume, while the French tried and failed to break through in Champagne.

WAR OF ATTRITION.

People in Germany began to argue that the war had become a war of attrition. Then the Germans succeeded in breaking through in Galicia, but ultimately had to settle again on defensive positions. The British and French then tried and failed again to break through in the West in the battles of Loos and Champagne.

VERDUN AND THE SOMME.

The Professor then gives the following account of the battles of Verdun and the Somme:

"The argument used a year ago was that a decision must be sought, not in the intangible and distant East, but in the concentrated West, the nerve centre of the enemy's forces. The decision however must not be a decision in the old sense. We should break through in a particularly critical position, destroy one of the most important French fortresses, and prove to the French that they could no longer win.

"That was the origin of the undertaking against Verdun. This time the new politico-military idea led only to an heroic episode. But meanwhile the enemies pulled themselves together for still more gigantic achievements. England adopted universal military service and converted industries for the production of a mighty supply of arms and ammunition. At the same time she leaned upon the industrial strength of America. So while Japan helped, she was able to equip the new Russian formations with apparatus which we smashed a year before.

"Thus in June and July, 1916, came a great double offensive by the enemies in the East and West. The result was we had to interrupt operations at Verdun. The enemy offensive also achieved partial successes especially in the East, although the real object to break through and roll up our lines could not be achieved. This was due to the fact that we in the interval had still further developed the possibilities of trench warfare."

NO VICTORY POSSIBLE.

"Professor Meinecke says the battle of the Somme led to the conviction in Germany that it is no longer possible to arrive at a military decision in the full peace-compelling sense, so he describes the German peace overture as arising naturally from the idea that the sacrifices demanded in its continuation no longer bear any relation to the military results which can still be extended.

He contends that it is statesmanlike, intelligent and wise to abandon further destruction and seek a reasonable compromise. With regard to the real guarantees which Germany professes to require, he makes two final observations.

First, Germany has taught all the small Powers in Europe that they are risking their lives if they "touch the electric wire which protects Central Europe."

Second, the war has proved there are limits to the possibilities of a "knock-out strategy war between the great powers." Consequently the knock-out policy aimed at producing fundamental revolutions in European relations of the Powers does not pay.

Thus, according to the Professor, the motto in the future must be: Not overthrow, but balance."

Although no other writers are allowed, like Meinecke, to confess German failures, his account of the peace manoeuvres is confirmed in other quarters.

There is now little or no talk about German benevolence or that Germans dislike bloodshed. It is simply argued that the enemy ought to be persuaded to agree with Germany to a compromise that is inevitable, and then discuss with Germany peace based upon the war map.

TO BE SHOT IN THE BACK.

An Austrian spy named Larace and two Italians have been condemned to be shot in the back by the Ancona court martial for complicity in the attempt to burn the port of Genoa.

With this conspiracy, it seems, were connected explosions in munition factories in Milan and elsewhere, aggregating in damages a total of several millions of dollars.

The Austrian who was at the head of the plot, sought out Italian criminals, gaining an ascendancy over them so that he could command their co-operation for only nominal sums. In one case the price for an attempt to blow up one of Italy's greatest steel works at Terni, was about $80. If this attempt had been successful it would have retarded military operations for several months.

Larace had in his possession when arrested eight jointed walking sticks of about the size of a man's little finger, painted a gray-green, and filled with dynamite. They were hidden in umbrellas when he tried to escape. These dynamite canes had no time fuses but were so arranged as to explode a few weeks after being placed in position.

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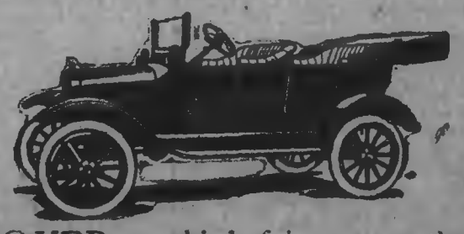

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Lance-Corp. J. T. Hardwicke Says There is a Grand Old Victory Coming — A Cheerful Letter From a Well Known Peterboro' Boy in France.

MORE MEN ARE NEEDED

The following letter has been received from Lance Corp. J. T. Hardwicke, a well known Peterborough boy at the front:

Trenches, France, Dec. 8, 1916.

Sir,—Once again we take the opportunity of writing you a few lines to let you know that we are still playing the game and permeated with the same invincible spirit that has carried us through many months of heavy conflict with the enemy, the same spirit which has brought victory to us and honour and glory to our native land, as you know from your own press despatches, our Canadian battalion have been in the thick of the heavy offensive and they have accomplished objectives that were deemed unsurmountable. Their dash and fearlessness through the terrific shell fire and machine gun fire has carried them along until their objective was reached. The awfulness of the terrific fire and chaos caused by the heavy artillery barrage is indescribable; it is beyond the powers of imagination. One has to be there to realize what it really is. The havoc wrought by our guns on the German trenches and implacements has been unthinkable; hills have been made into powdered dust and valleys into mountains of clay. The whole nature of the country has been changed. Where there was a ridge yesterday, a muddy river may be running to-day. We see some strange sights out here. We live by experience out here, not by days or years, and war makes some strange bed-fellows. Every branch of the Empire from the noblest to the most humble, the rich and the poor, the aristocrat and the plebian have been moulded into a new and wonderful kinship by the sorrow, the sacrifice and the heroic purpose of this war. Perhaps for the first time in our history, the British peoples are actually brothers all; have, in fact, on the battlefields of Europe, found a sense of unity that obliterates all differences of rank and creed. The strife and the hatred, the horror that seems hopeless and the struggle that seems blind, are but a prelude to that new world we hope will emerge from the wreckage. A sense of brotherhood, a larger sympathy, a groping towards a knowledge of men and things in our social life that have hitherto been strange, an acceptance of class aspirations and individual wants that were before incomprehensible — these are but a part of that new sense revealed to our young, heroic British boys by the lurid flames of war. The blood of Britain's youth has made of this war a sacrament for us all. And the message of Britain's youth passing from us, as so many have passed, into the great unknown, contains in itself the seds of a new existence—that better unity of comradeship, that "welding" of our folk in one, which has been handed on to you and me (by the spirits of our fallen comrades) immortally for or realisation To use our own vernacular "it's up to you and me to carry on, to see the universal brotherhood of man, these lofty ideals of our comrades realised."

This war has altered a good many of our lives. Some of us who have been careless thinkers have become serious minded. We take life and the essential things of life more seriously, and I know that when we do return to our native land, we will be the better citizens for all our experiences out here. We try to our "bit" and be a credit to the land that gave us birth, while we are out here fighting for our honour, for justice and liberty, and we should more so try to be a credit to our country when we return. With our work here an accomplished fact, we all look forward to that day when peace will once more reign supreme in all the world, when German militarism will be crushed beyond all hope of reconstruction.

Now, sir, you will think this is a very rambling letter, but we get enough of the hardships and difficulties of war, as it is here, with the rain and mud, cold frost and snow. The weather at times is our worst enemy, the roads are almost impassable, making it difficult to get the transport up with ammunition and rations, the trenches are waist deep in mud, the dug-outs half full of water, and everything seems to be going against you and you feel miserable and "fed up," but there is no use grouching or worrying over it. We are here to "stick it" and we have the nerve to do it. Don't think we always have things our way. We have our brushes up against Fritz every now and again, but we are too much for him to start anything on a large scale. We are improving in artillery and increasing our strength, while on the other hand he is decreasing and deteriorating. "Are we winning?" Well, we wouldn't be staying here if we were not. It's coming our way slowly and steadily, but we need your co-operation, we need your cheering letters, your sympathy for the boys, to help them travel over the rough spots, to imbue them with new spirit, and we need more of our pals at home to come out and give us a helping hand. Get over here for the finish, boys, for she is sure going to be a grand old victory.

Now, I will draw my letter to a close and wish you and all my many friends in my home town a merry Christmas and a happy New Year. Remember us boys who will be spending both days in the front line trenches trying our best to do our duty like men.

Lance-Corp. J. T. Hardwicke,
27th (C. of W.) Battalion.

NORWOOD HAPPENINGS

A Number of Visitors to the Village During the Week

NORWOOD, Jan. 10.—Miss Ethel Searight of Belleville is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Searight.

Mr. Roy Stewart of Stewart Valley Saskatchewan is a guest at the home of his cousin, Mr. H. G. Buck.

Mr. Rutherford of Stanwood was a guest last week of his brother-in-law, Mr. Robb.

Miss Minore of Belleville visited Mr. and Mrs. Minore last week.

Mr. Joe Doherty of Montreal was home last week.

Mr. Sibert of Brooklyn, Ontario visited his sister, Mrs. D. N. King, last week.

Miss Annie Howson left last week for Sudbury where she is engaged on the Public School staff.

Miss Grace Douglas has returned to Brampton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Stewart of Stewart Valley, Sask., are visiting at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Scott.

Misses Mary and Nellie Doherty, have returned home from Montreal, where they were visiting their brother, Mr. Fred Doherty.

Mrs. McIntyre of Whitby visited last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. N. King.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The East Peterborough Agricultural Society will hold their annual meeting on Wednesday afternoon, January 17th, in the Council Chamber of the Town Hall, when the election of officers will take place.

Mrs. Alguire of Neepawa, Man., has been visiting her sister, Mrs. D. King.

Mrs. Cook, Streetsville visited last week at the home of her brother, Mr. C. E. Pakenham.

Mr. Harper of Winnipeg visited last week at the home of Mr. T. Burkill.

Mr. and Mrs. Nesbitt of Stewart Valley, Sask., are visiting friends in Norwood and vicinity.

The marriage took place on New Year's morning in Picton, of Miss Mae Henderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Henderson, Picton to Mr. Arthur Hall of Kingston, formerly of Norwood.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. M. E. Sexsmith.

Mr. R. Richardson of the Union Bank has been transferred to Islington.

Arch-deacon Warren of Toronto conducted the services in the church of England on Sunday.

Mrs. Harold Dancey of Toronto has been engaged by the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church to sing at their entertainment on Friday evening.

Mrs. Duncan Knight of Toronto, spent the week end with her cousin, Mrs. John Marks.

Mr. Thos. Drope of Alnwick, was a guest on Saturday at the home of Mr. John Weir.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Andrews of Havelock were guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. Jas. Andrews.

On account of the illness of Rev. Mr. Wolland on Sunday the services in the Presbyterian church were conducted by Rev. Mr. Peer.

Mr. Nelson of Campbellford was a guest on Sunday at the home of Mr. Cyrus Johnston.

Mrs. Miller of Longford is visiting her son, Mr. Charlie Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Trenouth were called to Bowmanville last Thursday on account of the death of Mr. Trenouth's sister.

OBITUARY.

On Saturday morning, December 6th in St. Michael's Hospital Toronto, the very sad death took place of Katie McCarthy, wife of Mr. Michael McGowan of Toronto.

Deceased was the younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McCarthy, who for many years resided in Norwood and vicinity before going to Toronto a few years ago.

She leaves to mourn her early loss, her husband and four small children also her parents, one sister, May and a brother Ambrose.

A number of the young people from here attended the dance given by the young men of Hastings on Monday night last.

Miss Mary McNichol registered nurse of St. Mary's Hospital, Rochester, N. Y., leaves on Thursday next to resume her professional duties. She will be accompanied by her sister, Miss Josephine, who intends training in the same hospital.

Miss Marguerite McNealy, nurse in training at St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto, who has been home for the past few weeks returned to the city on Saturday.

Mr. John Weir spent Saturday in Madoc.

Miss Annie Farrel of Malone spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thompson.

Confederation Calendar

The 1917 Calendar issued by the Confederation Life Association, is quite a striking hanger, with bold clear months and dates in two colors. Another feature is the striking military illustration which accompanies it, which presents an impressive scene entitled "Canadians in Flanders." This is printed in chromatic colours, and the artist has depicted an incident in the experience of our Canadian soldiers, which is not without its lesson. Mr. S. Taylor is the District Manager for the Confederation.

Contentment Comes to This Prussian Prisoner After Eating a British Meal

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 10.—The latest war stories brought back from the Somme front by Will Irwin, war correspondent, were told at the National Press Club one with apologies to Bertrand Russel and Sir Chas Ramsay, pacifists, who are charged in England with being tools of the German government.

"Things were quiet on a little stretch of the western front one day when some Canadians got hold of two top hats, which put an idea into their minds. A big sign was hoisted over the Canadian trenches, reading:

"Asquith and Lloyd George will be in this part of the line to-morrow morning."

"The next morning the two high silk hats were plainly visible above the Canadian trenches to German observers. As the hats went bobbing along a furious bombardment was begun by the Germans. The hats disappeared, and as soon as the German guns were silenced another sign appeared over the Canadian trenches.

"You d—d fools. You've killed Barty Russell and Charley Ramsay."

The British army, said Mr. Irwin, was undoubtedly the best fed in the world. He told of a German-American captured by the Canadians on the western front who had for breakfast all the boiled beef he could eat, with bacon on the side.

"Do you eat like this every day?" asked the prisoner.

"Sure," said the Canadian cook.

"Dinner, too?"

"Oh, dinner is better than this."

"How about supper?"

"That's the best meal of all."

The prisoner lit a cigarette and gave a contented sign of satisfaction. "Oh, well, to hell with the Kaiser, anyway," he said.

Mr. Irwin described a visit to the Italian front, where, he said, about all that was left of romance in war was to be seen in the Alpine fighting. He told of an artillery duel which he had witnessed from a dugout at the bottom of a mountain.

An Italian battery hidden in a cliff high above the dugout where he was, said Mr. Irwin, located an Austrian battery on an opposite mountainside. An artillery duel followed, which he described as the "most horribly exciting" thing he had ever witnessed.

Mr. Irwin said that the number of American citizens now fighting in Europe is so large that it might be said we are training more of an army over there than on this side of the water. Many of these Americans, he said, had risen to high commands and their services should prove invaluable to the United States army after this war.

He explained that under existing legislation there was no way to get these men into the United States army except in the grade of second lieutenant, and that it was useless, of course, to expect men who had held higher rank in the European war to enter the American army in such circumstances. He urged an amendment to the law which would take these men into the army at higher rank.

"These men are with all the armies in Europe," said Mr. Irwin. "Many of them are native born Americans and some naturalized. There are probably 30,000 of them. I remember on the Italian front meeting a lieutenant in a dugout where the fighting was pretty lively who, recognizing me as an American said:—

"Say, can you give me a cigarette? I can't get one here. This is a hell of a place."

A WOMAN APPEALS TO HER LOCAL SISTERS TO HELP RECRUITING

Editor of the Examiner:

Mr. Editor,—Would you kindly allow me a little space in your paper for a few words to the women of Peterborough. I am still convinced in my own mind that at the bottom of this recruiting campaign, we must get at the women, that "the hand that rocks the cradle still rules the world" and that the women have more influence either for good or bad over the eligible men than the recruiting sergeants or recruiting sermons. Do the young girls of Peterborough know what they are doing when they use their influence to keep their sweethearts with them instead of letting them go out into the world to play a man's part, how can you girls have any respect for a man who can stand by at a time like this and see poor Belgium, who gave up her country, the women gave up their husbands, sons and loved ones and homes to save us. They did not have to do it—they could have let Germany have a free passage through their country and saved themselves, but to Belgium to keep their honour even at the price of death was better than dishonour and life, now when they have saved us and we are pledged in honour to help save them. Can we go back on our word and our men still walk the streets deaf to the cry of the people whom we owe everything to be carried into slavery? Can you men sleep with a clear conscience at night with the cries of women and babies ringing in your ears? Your sweethearts may persuade you not to go, but in after years she will loathe you for not going. You may stay at home and marry but let me tell you the first tiff you have she will throw it up at you, and you will tell her she persuaded you not to go; but she will wriggle out of it some way and will tell you, you should have been a man and chosen for yourself and your life will not be happy. I once remember talking to a great big man, 6 ft. 4in., and he said I can't understand women, they have such funny little ways; but they can make it very unpleasant for a fellow if he doesn't see things their way, his wife could walk under his arm easily, and I am sure that if it had been necessary for him to enlist in those days and she had advised him he would have done it. Surely the girls of Peterborough will not let it be said we had to fill this Battalion with conscripts. What a disgrace it will be to our town, but girls and women the last card is on the table, there is only one card to be played and that is the trump card, conscription and as you know the trump takes the trick. How will you like walking the streets with a conscript, for myself I would feel too humiliated to be seen out and his life will not be happy with the regiment. How can the men who have joined voluntary respect a man who is forced to do his duty? Oh girls and women let me beg of you to do your part, we have been given every chance with the other countries, conscription is the first card, with us it is the last, and the officers and authorities have given to men every chance, nor you don't do your part and send your boys, either to don the khaki or get a button and you can take your pleasure with a clear conscience, knowing that you have done your part. We women generally get what we want in the long run and there is more than one way of killing a cat and it is possible to lead a man without him knowing he is being led. The women of England are brave, both rich and poor. What do you think it means to the women who have ancestral homes to see heir after heir killed and their homes passing to strangers; what do you think it means to see beautiful lawns like velvet that have taken a 100 years rolling and weeding and mowing, ploughed up and growing potatoes, beds that grew the loveliest of flowers used for vegetables? You cannot understand because most people in Canada born have reared in such luxury—but let me tell you those people are suffering more than we will suffer. But again I say our women are brave and I don't believe the women of Canada will be less brave now the test has come. We don't want to shame the men, but the time may come when they will feel ashamed of themselves. You may remember the story of the "Women of Mumbles Head" years ago on the south coast of Wales; there was a terrible wreck, there was a high sea and the vessel was being beaten to pieces on the rock. the people of the Mumbles saw the rockets and begged the men to go to the rescue, the men said no boat could live in such a sea. At last the women could stand it no longer, they launched the boats themselves and brought every soul safely to shore. When the papers printed the story and the women were rewarded, the men denied it was true and made all sorts of excuses, but it was no use and now when you go to the Mumbles and ask the men if it was true, they hang their head and walk away. Then we have Grace Darling and Florence Nightingale and a host of names to be added. After this war is over women of Peterborough, let one name be among them and let us be known as the women who sent their men and not held them back. This very week use your influence for good and let it be a record breaking week for the regiment—you can do it if you will, we are all suffering. If we can smash the Germans this Spring our worries will all be over, our boys home and we will have such a national thanksgiving next New Year's as the country has never known. Now, mothers, wives and sweethearts join me this week and let us see what we can do to help along our soldier boys in our midst. You know the old song:

Bravo the officers, who lead us to the fray,
Bravo the generals who point us out the way;
But when it comes to Tommy—cheer with all your might,
For after all, 'tis Mr. Tommy Atkins, wins the fight.

We have read this week of 2,000 people going to the States, well "birds of a feather flock together" and they have gone to a country worthy of them. We only hope the authorities will see that their return to Canada is barred and if the States gets into the war, we will see if they will get separation allowances and patriotic assistance from Uncle Sam—perhaps they will wish they had stayed to help us in our hour of need for if we fail "the lights of freedom go out all over the world," and it is up to us to see that we do not fail and they can't and shan't beat the boys of the bull dog creed, that's made Old England's fame.

—AN ENGLISH WOMAN AND A SOLDIERS WIFE.

MICHAEL KELLY DEAD.

Composed "We'll Never Let the Old Flag Fall."

ST. JOHN, N.B., Jan. 8.—Michael Kelly, of St. John, who died this morning in the County Hospital, as the result of tuberculosis, was the composer of the music for "We'll Never Let the Old Flag Fall," a song which has become well-known over the entire Empire since the war began. He was a professional musician and the composer of many other works which were less well known. Last year he abandoned a large and profitable connection to become bandmaster of the 132nd Overseas Battalion, but was forced to give up the post on account of ill-health. He was thirty-five years of age and was unmarried.

[EAST CITY RINK]

Good skating to-night and band in attendance. Admission 10c.

JACK LONDON'S ODD MALADY

Suffered From Australian Light and Also Had Leprosy

Sydney, Australia, Jan. 9. — The recent death of Jack London, the California novelist, recalls the extraordinary physical reasons for his stay of about five months in Australia in 1908-09. London was a blonde, and his sojourn from what he himself subsequently wrote in "The Cruise of the Shark," and the alcoholic memoir of "John Barleycorn," and those in the Commonwealth who became intimate with him now remember, was one of torture. He left the cockleboat Snark in which he and his wife had been cruising about the Pacific, at one of the islands, and came with Mrs. London to Sydney in November, 1908, by steamer. He said of his Australian sojourn:

"I went to Australia to go into an hospital, where I spent some five weeks. I spent five months miserably sick in the hotels. The mysterious malady that afflicted my hands was too much for the Australian specialists. It was unknown in the literature of medicine. No case like it had ever been reported. It extended from my hands to my feet so that at times I was as helpless as a child. On occasion my hands were twice their natural size with seven dead or dying skins peeling off at the same time. There were times when my toenails in 24 hours grew as thick as they were long. After filing them off, inside of another 24 hours they were as thick as before. The Australian specialists agreed that the malady was non-parasitic and therefore it must be nervous."

The ailment did not mend and the novelist and his wife had to abandon the cruise in the Snark. Yet when London had returned to California, where his health had invariably been excellent, his recovery was complete, and strangely enough the California climate is very much like that of Australia. Later on London ran across the book written by Colonel C. E. Woodruff, United States Army Medical Corps, entitled "Effects of Tropical Light on White Men," and what had baffled the Australian specialists was no longer a mystery. London wrote to Colonel Woodruff describing his illness in Australia; and the latter whose researches in tropical medicine, especially in the Philippines have given him a high repute in his profession, replied that he had been similarly afflicted in the Philippines. Besides himself, Colonel Woodruff wrote to the novelist, no fewer than sixteen other United States Army surgeons were utterly at a loss to account for the Colonel's malady. But in time the Colonel solved the riddle. London says:

"I had a strong predisposition toward tissue destructiveness by tropical light. I had been torn to pieces by ultra violet rays."

Not only did Jack London suffer from the effects of ultra-violet rays, but while in Australia he had what he described as the "healthy man's disease, European leprosy or Biblical leprosy," according to him its occurrences are attributable to no known cause, although spontaneous cures are on record. The novelist was among those spontaneously cured, for on his return to California the telltale silvery skin which he had in Australia vanished.

It was characteristic of the man that, although he was nerve racked and sick when the editor of a Sydney paper asked him in a private hospital in North Sydney whether he would be willing to write an account of the Burns-Johnson prizefight, which was set for December 26, 1908, at the Rushcutter Bay stadium, he jumped at the chance. He first stipulated, however, that Mrs. London should have a seat beside him.

"She is some boxer herself," he explained. "One day coming over from Fiji we were having a little sparring with the gloves. I gave her an opening, and well, the boat (the Snark) was without a conscious navigator for a minute or two."

At the ringside London confessed to an Australian friend, "I'd rather be the champion heavy weight of the world than the King of England and the President of the United States Rolled into one."

CANADIAN CASUALTY TOTAL

Aggregate Now is Nearly Seventy Thousand.

OTTAWA, Jan. 8.—Canadian casualties from the outbreak of war until December 31, 1916, have been 68,290. These casualties were: killed in action 10,854; died of wounds 4,010; died of sickness, 494; presumed dead 1,108; wounded, 48,454; missing, 2,970. The total Canadian casualties up to December 31, 1915, were 14,459 and during 1916 were 53,837.

The deaths and sickness have been only 494, which if considered a wonderful testimonial to the efficiency of the Canadian Medical Service.

In all other wars the deaths from sickness always outnumbered those killed in action and died of wounds. In the present war the precautionary and effective sanitary measures and the efficient treatment have made losses from sickness only about three per cent. of those killed in action and died of wounds.

BOYS

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Footbinding in China Is Still in Existence

The Ministry of Interior, prompted by Chinese medical men with western scientific training, has just issued a circular to provincial officials calling attention to the edict issued ten years ago against foot-binding and urging them to put it into effect. In remote sections the practice is almost as general as it ever was, and it is no uncommon sight to see young girls with bound feet even in Pekin and other North China cities where the practice never was as much in favor as in the south.

Missionaries throughout China have discouraged the practice to some extent by announcing that girls with small feet would not be admitted to mission school.

Rewards are now to be offered to family and clan chiefs who succeed in stamping out foothinding among the persons under their patriarchal jurisdiction.

A MOTHER'S SON

The following was composed by the nine year old daughter of Mr. P. F. Higgins, chef of the Oriental Hotel.

I see her still—
Sitting close to the window sill,
Waiting patiently for her soldier son
Who has gone to help fight the Hun.
She thinks of his boyhood days,
When he used to play in such childish ways;
But at last she has had to give him up,
And for his welfare she always prays.
In her heart some prayer she mumbles,
Thinking how the cannon grumbles,
Around her dear son,
Who has gone to fight the Hun.
A letter she received two days ago,
Telling her all about his woe.
That he had been wounded in the field;
And, Oh, how her mother's heart must bleed!
She must have prayed for her noble son
Who went to help fight the Hun.

Beatrice Higgins,
Age nine.

Alkali In Shampoos Bad For the Hair

If you want to keep your hair looking its best, be careful what you wash it with. Don't use prepared shampoos or anything else, that contains too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is just ordinary mulsified cocoanut oil (which is pure and greaseless), and is better than the most expensive soap or anything else you can use.

One or two teaspoonfuls will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get mulsified cocoanut oil at any pharmacy, it's very cheap, and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months.

Industrial Night School Notes

1. Registration for all classes in Industrial Night School will begin on Monday and continue on Tues. & Wed.
2. Every effort will be made to give instruction in all the subjects called for, if the requisite number of students enroll.
3. Register early in order to give the management a chance to properly organize the classes.
4. Look for further announcement.

NO ROUMANIAN OIL FOR GERMANS

Oil drillers from Lambton County were in Roumania, as oil drillers from that county are in all parts of the earth where wells have to be sunk. Two or three advance agents of the exodus of Canadian oil drillers from Roumania have already been heard from. Their story is a record of good work done for the Allies and of disappointment for Germany in the oil fields of Roumania.

They report that the Roumanian production of oil will be absolutely nil until new wells are drilled. The Canadian oil drillers worked with the British officers in the Roumanian oil fields. Their letters tell of the complete destruction of machinery and buildings in the Roumanian fields. As for the wells, a Canadian says: Iron was dropped down the bore of every well and concrete poured in on top of the iron. When the drill gets through the concrete it strikes the iron. The drill will go round and round. It will be three years before the Roumanian oil fields are again on a producing basis.

British engineers and Canadian oil drillers seem to have combined to disappoint Germany's hopes of securing an immediate supply of oil from the Roumanian wells.

Swift & Co., Chicago packers, made net profits of $20,485,000 for the past year, compared with $14,087,500 in 1915.

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5 lb. lots mixed 35c Tea, wholesale at lb. 29c
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10 lb. Lots small Pit Prunes, whol. lb. 6½c
10 lb. Rolled Oats wholesale for 60c
5 lbs Quaker Rolled Oats at 22½c
5 lb. lots of Leaf Sugar, wholesale lb. 10c
5 Tin Lots Tomatoes, wholesale at 17½c
5 Tin Lots Corn and Peas, wholesale 19½c
40c Cheese and Sanburn's Coffee at .. 32c
5 Lbs Corn Flakes at 35c
1 Barrel (3 bags) No. 1 Bread Flour, bg. 4.75
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Three Piece Set $1.72

Made of English longcloth; composed of gown, corset cover and drawers. Gown is prettily trimmed with embroidery and gipsy lace, run through with ribbon; attractively shaped sleeves. Corset cover with lace yoke same as gown, also ribbon trimmed. Drawers arranged with groups of tucks and lace frills. Sale price 1.72

Silk Chemise $3.00

White Japanese silk chemise with fine lace trimming and ribbon run through the beading. Very attractive and low priced at the above figure. January Whitewear Sale 3.00

Cotton Drawers 50c

The material is cotton and a fine quality. Made with a five-inch frill, embroidery finish and group of five tucks. Special sale price 50c

Nainsook Drawers $1.69

Beautiful quality nainsook, five-inch frill of Swiss embroidery and neatly finished with group of five tucks. Sale price will be 1.69

Cotton Drawers 25c

Made of English cotton frill formed of group of fine tucks and deep hem. An excellent material and well made. Sale price 25c

Handsome Gowns At Little Prices

Gown Special 79c

Gown of good quality longcloth, slip-over style, yoke of gipsy lace—torchon pattern—run through with ribbon. All sizes. Sale price 79c

Attractive Gown 98c

Open front and long sleeve, made of excellent quality longcloth, yoke formed of groups of tucks; neck, front and sleeves trimmed with 1½-inch embroidery. Sale price..... 98c

Handsome Gown 98c

Made of good quality English cotton, yoke of pretty pattern Swiss embroidery, sleeves kimona style, finished with ribbon at neck and down the front. Sale price 98c

Beautiful Gown $3.75

A beautiful quality fine nainsook, tucked back, yoke composed of alternate tucks and embroidery, full length sleeve, dainty ribbon finish. Sale price.. 3.75

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A garment that is very specially priced. Made fine quality nainsook, yoke of fine embroidery Swiss button-holed edge, run through with ribbon, ¾ sleeve with smart finish. Sale price 2.69

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Of good quality cotton, yoke formed of imitation torchon lace, run through with ribbon, peplum finish. Sale special will be..... 25c

Corset Covers 98c

A very attractive style with pretty yoke of embroidery arranged into an effective design, finished with ribbon. Sale price..... 98c

Envelope Chemise $1.65

In French embroidery styles, button hole edge and eyelets run with ribbon. Lovely quality of French nainsook. Sale price..... 1.65

Envelope Chemise $2.75

Material is fine nainsook, trimmed with fine valenciennes lace in dainty design and worked eyelets, ribbon run and fine organdie embroidery. All sizes. Sale price.... 2.75

Soft, Delicate Silk Undergarments

Pink Satin Gown $9.00

An alluring shade of delicate pink wash satin, showing the prettiness of the Empire style; made with dainty groups of pin tucks and shirring—run with ribbon at neck and sleeves. Sale price 9.00

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One of the daintiest undergarments conceivable. Soft shade of pink, five-inch frill of fillet lace at bottom; a quaint Van Dyke flounce "above the hem," finished with band of lace. Trimmed with pink ribbon and rosettes; elastic band at waist. Sale price 9.00

"Negligee to Match Above" $9.00

Crepe de Chene, delicate pink shade, surplice style with pointed sides and pretty roll collar, finished with fillet lace and insertion; garnished with rosette of knotted ribbon on front. Sale price 9.00

Silk Knickers $1.98

Made of ten mummy Japanese silk. Knicker style and prettily finished with elastic band. Sale price will be an exceptional one.... 1.98

Camisole $1.98

An extremely dainty camisole that any beauty loving woman will delight in. White and coloured wash satin, surplice prettily finished with lace and ribbon. A very attractive and low priced garment. Sale price..... 1.98

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Council of North Monaghan Pass a Resolution to That Effect---Business Transacted at the Inaugural Meeting ---Assessor and Other Municipal Officers Appointed

REEVE RYE PRESIDED

The inaugural meeting of the council of North Monaghan was held at the town hall on Monday, Jan. 8th, at 11 a.m. The new council is composed of the following members: Harold B. Rye, reeve; Jos. H. Bell, deputy; Thos. Henry, R. A. Dobbin and John A. Williams, councillors. Each of the members took the declaration of qualification and office.

Reeve Rye addressed the meeting. He referred to the harmony and good will that prevailed last year, and assured Mr. Dobbin that he wished him, as the only representative of the west side of the township, to bring in any matter which is necessary before the council, and the same would receive just and due consideration.

Communications were dealt with as follows:

From City Clerk Armstrong, re thanks of the committee to the members of the Monaghan Council re the Quaker Oats fire.—Moved by Messrs. Dobbin and Bell that the council hereby acknowledge receipt of the communication re the Quaker Oats fire, and extend their sympathy to the families of those who have met with such terrible deaths, and to the Quaker Oats Co., who have met with such a tremendous loss of property.

From the Department of Public Highways re township road construction.

Children's Aid Society.

From C. A. G. Spence re Children's Aid Society, asking grant from council. — Moved by Messrs Williams and Henry, that communication be received.

From the organization of resources committee, asking for full particulars of all grants and contributions given by the citizens and the council since the war broke out in 1914.—Moved by Messrs. Dobbin and Williams that the clerk fill in the report referred to above and return the same to the committee in charge.

From the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, asking for a grant.—On motion, Messrs. Dobbin and Williams, received.

A Refund.

Moved and seconded by Messrs. Dobbin and Henry that Mrs. F. A. Thomas be refunded the difference on the assessment as per schedule and the tax bill, a difference in assessment of $80, amounting to 60 cents.

From Bert Sanderson, applying for position as assessor at a salary of $150 and postage.—Moved and seconded by Messrs. Williams and Henry that the application be received and that the same be dealt with in the regular order of business.

Moved by Messrs. Henry and Dobbin that the question of the statute labour tax on Mr. W. R. Mather's property be referred to Mr. Peck for advice on the same.

Collect Five Per Cent.

Moved by Messrs. Dobbin and Bell that the meeting refer back to deputations, and that Mr. Thos. M. Hunter be heard. The question then arose regarding the by-law authorizing the tax collector to collect 5 per cent. after Dec. 20; it was fully discussed. Moved and seconded by Messrs. Henry and Bell that the by-law authorizing the tax collector to collect 5 per cent. after Dec. 20 remain in force and that 5 per cent. be collected according to the by-law.

It was moved and seconded by Messrs. Henry and Bell that the reeve and Mr. Dobbin be a committee to engage an auditor for the accounts of 1916.

Appointed Assessor.

Bert Sanderson was appointed assessor, salary $150 per annum, payable half yearly, the above amount to include postage and other expenses, on motion of Messrs. Henry and Dobbin. The assessor suggested that the clerk advertise and ask anyone who had not been assessed properly in the past year to notify the assessor as soon as possible, that a proper assessment may be made this year; also if there is any change in the ownership of property, or any property being sub-divided and sold, that the name of the new owner be given; also lot No., and owner's address.

On motion, Messrs. Bell and Dobbin, Mr. J. N. Lillico was appointed to look after Road Div. No. 2, pro tem., or until such time as the road commissioners are appointed for the year 1917.

Moved and seconded by Messrs. Henry and Dobbin, that the question of the three days from Dec. 20 to 23 as advertised by the tax collector in the local papers, and which was almost compulsory owing to abolishing the custom of collector going to the bank on Wednesdays, be confirmed, and that the collector be exempt from any obligation regarding said three days.

Bylaw No. 731, appointing Dr. T. N. Greer medical health and indigent officer for the township, and defining his duties, was passed.

Mr. Dobbin reported that the work on the Long Swamp road was done under Mr. Ward's commissionership, and had been completed.

It was moved and seconded by Messrs. Henry and Williams that the township do not pay the Peterboro Hardware Co. $3 for cartage on cement.

The following bills were presented: Examiner Printing Co., supplies for 1916, $190.73; Peter Hamilton Co., grinding knife, $1.50; [illegible] re judge's voters list court, $20.32. — Moved and [illegible] Henry and Bell that bills be paid.

Allowances Made.

The following allowances were made under bylaws:

Wm. Laing, D.R.O.	$3.50
James B. Fowler, P.C.	2.50
W. B. Anderson, D.R.O.	2.50
Walter T. Byers, P.C.	2.50
George G. Evans, D.R.O.	2.50
Andrew Kent, P.C.	2.50
Treas. S.S. No. 2, use of the school for election	4.00
W. J. Brady, use of store for election	4.00

Moved and seconded by Messrs. Henry and Bell that the council next meet in May's school house the second Monday in each month at 7 p.m.

Moved and seconded by Messrs. Henry and Williams that a meeting be held in May's school house on Monday, Jan. 15, 1917, at 8 p.m., for the purpose of discussing the road question and the advisability of having stones drawn this winter to be crushed and put on the road next spring. All interested ratepayers are requested to be present.

JAIL BREAKER WAS CAPTURED

BOWMANVILLE, Jan. 10.—Excitement prevails in town over the arrest of George Arnold, the one-armed man who escaped from Whitby jail a week ago by knocking the jailer down and making his escape. The arrest was made by Chief Constable R. Jarvis. When taken Arnold was eating a lunch in the C.P.R. station. On being searched, a loaded revolver was found in his hip pocket, which, fortunately, he did not get an opportunity to use. He is now in the town lock-up, under close guard.

Suffragettes Are Active

Special to The Examiner:

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Carrying their fight for suffrage to the gates of the White House, 13 congressional union women pickets took their positions at the east and west entrances to the mansion grounds at 10 o'clock, and will be relieved at stated periods by other sentinels.

The women stand as mute symbols of women's desire for the vote, and their purpose marked the beginning of a campaign of more militancy to accomplish their ends.

Lindsay Woman Fined $203.20

LINDSAY, Jan. 10.—As a session of the police court on Monday, a woman residing in the southeast section of the town was fined $203.20 by Police Magistrate Moore for selling liquor without a license.

License Inspector Thornbury laid the information. He had suspected that liquor was being doled out in a certain house, and proceeded to make investigation. It was not long before he received sufficient information to warrant him laying an information.

For the past few days heavy fines have been imposed on a number of citizens who have bid the law defiance. The authorities are determined to enforce the law to the letter and will show no mercy to those who attempt to violate it. Public sentiment is behind the new prohibitory law so it is useless for anyone to try and evade it and expect to escape punishment.

AGED PRISONER LIBERATED

Robert Parker Was Serving Life Term on a Charge of Murder.

BELLEVILLE, Jan. 9.—Robert Parker, aged about seventy-seven years, has been liberated from Portsmouth Penitentiary after nearly seven years' imprisonment on a charge of the murder of his neighbour, Wm. Masters, near Tweed, in April 1910. In October, 1910 he was sentenced to die by hanging in December, but early in December his sentence was commuted to imprisonment for life. He has been an exemplary prisoner. His son will take him to the West and give him a home. Parker was a trapper by occupation, and was convicted on circumstantial evidence.

TEA MARKET STILL RISING.

An increase in the ocean freight rates of two and one-half cents a pound added to an advance of from six to ten cents a pound in the cost of Tea at the primary markets, has necessitated the recent increase in the cost of tea in Canada. To keep faith with the public and maintain exactly the same high standard of quality as always, "SALADA" has advanced in price, but, as yet, only five cents a pound.

Dry House Has Been Cleaned Out

The removal of debris from what is left of the dry-house of the Quaker Oats plant has been completed. This section of the building has been cleaned out right to the bottom. A large gang of men are now working on the north section of the mill. The dry-house where so many men lost their lives presents a strange sight. The debris has been cleaned out right down to the basement floor. A few steel columns supporting a number of twisted girders are all that remain of the structure. The boiler room, transformer room have both been cleaned out. Directly north of the plant is enough scrap metal to start a foundry. In fact there are acres of it. It is difficult to believe that any one plant could have housed so much machinery which in a little over an hour was reduced to scrap. It is estimated that at least seventy-five per cent. of the metal will be available for scrap metal. The rest is so badly burned as to be unfit for any commercial purpose.

Considerable speculation exists as to how the remains of the six-storey fire proof warehouse will be taken down. From what is known at present it is the intention of the wreckers to take the building down from the top and not blow it down as was first proposed. The building is bound together with reinforced concrete and will present a number of difficulties.

Harry K. Thaw Is Returning To New York

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 10.—Harry Kendall Thaw is now on his way to New York to surrender to the authorities for trial on an indictment charging that he kidnapped and brutally whipped a Kansas City Youth. That was the declaration shortly after noon by Thaw's attorney.

At Home Was Great Success

The 'At Home' held under the auspices of St. Peter's ladies in St. Alphonsus' Lyceum on Monday p.m. was a financial as well as a social success.

The amount realised being $63.25. In view of the short notice, this was very gratifying.

The gentleman's prize, a silk umbrella, donated by Rev. Father Phelan, was won by Mr. J. McDonald, Sacred Heart parish, and the ladies' prize, a beautiful piece of hand-painted china, donated by Miss M. Lynch, Park street, was won by Miss Marguerite Merrill.

The ladies of the society are very grateful to all those who kindly helped to make it a success. Those contributing towards the music, etc., and to the people who so kindly came to help the orphans. Their reward will be the prayers of the orphans, who never forget to pray for their benefactors.

LADIES

Are you interested in learning how to make your own blouses, skirts and dresses? If so, join the Dressmaking class at the Technical Night School.

Something For Your Table

New Year Presents that look well and WEAR well are a source of lasting satisfaction to the giver as well as to the recipient.

BRITISH-MADE SILVERWARE

The Standard of the World

In this line we offer some specially pleasing articles.

A cheerful welcome to all shoppers whether to look or to buy.

SCHNEIDER

The Jeweller, George St.

THE INDUSTRIAL NIGHT SCHOOL REOPENING TO-NIGHT

City and General

Broken auto cylinders, machinery and stoves welded, by the new Oxo Acetelyne Process. Anything in iron, steel or aluminum made as good as new, not patched up. Millard's Bicycle Shop, Hunter street, near Aylmer.

PROBABILITIES.

Strong north to north-west winds, local snow flurries and cold. Thursday fair and decidedly cold.

EXPRESS AND BAGGAGE.

E. D. Cooney, a returned soldier, has taken over the express business of Eddie Reid and will give prompt and careful attention to all work entrusted to him. 'Phone 847. E. D. Cooney, 340 Aylmer stree. 28d-44

CLEANING, PRESSING AND REPAIRING.

'Phone 1416 for Cleaning, Pressing and Repairing. Goods called for and delivered promptly. Mrs. Read, 159 Rubidge Street. dtf

PIANO TUNING.

'Phone 595, The Greene Music Co., Charlotte Street, when your piano requires tuning or regulating. All work guaranteed. dtf

TRIPLEX METAL WEATHER-STRIP.

We have still on hand some of our 1916 stock, which we will put on at the old price. This is without doubt the best strip on the market, and is guaranteed to stop draughts. Chas. H. Huffman & Sons, 297 Boswell Ave. 'Phone 1235. 3d-6

PIANO, ORGAN, VOICE.

Mr. J. H. Renwick, organist and choirmaster, George Street Methodist Church, has resumed teaching. Pupils prepared for examinations. Many present and former pupils holding good positions. Studio, 567 Aylmer street. 'Phone 1068. 28d-2

NEW SONGS.

Three fine new songs, "Good-Bye Sweetheart," "Day Dreams of Love" and "God Bless our Empire," have just been received by The J. M. Greene Music Co., Charlotte Street. Come in and hear them. See our window. 3d-6

THERE'S NOTHING SUCCEEDS LIKE SUCCESS.

Sit for your picture at the "Vincent Studio" and be convinced. Cabinet size portraits from $3 to $10, and upwards, per doz. We give you a true likeness together with a supreme finish.

JAPANESE TEA.

In the announcement of the Japanese Tea in yesterday's paper at the residence of Mrs. Bugg, 249 Aylmer street, it was omitted that it would be held in the afternoon from 3 to 5:30, and in the evening from 7 to 10 p.m.

HERE WE ARE FOR 1917.

To serve faithfully and well all who entrust their work to us. We constitute a real public necessity, combining Letter Writing, Shorthand Writing and Teaching. We also sell, rent and repair typewriters of all makes and models; also we are the only Real dealers in typewriter ribbons and carbons between Toronto and Kingston. We Forfeit $5.00 If We Cannot Ship Any Underwood Machine the Day Order Reaches Us. NELSON'S, OVER LYNCH'S DRUG STORE.

Orange Special

For the balance of this week, we will sell first-class Sun-Kist Navals, at 20c. ver dozen, or 2 dozen for 35c.

E. A. Pringle

5d-7 **Under Market Clock**

Stop that Cough!

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A prompt relief for Coughs and Colds Bronchitis Sore Throat, Asthma and other diseases of the Respiratory Organs.

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VIOLIN, MANDOLIN, PIANO.

Miss M. Telgmann will resume teaching Monday, January 8th. Information Studio, Green Music Co., or 'phone 1068. 5d-mws-6

CONSERVATORY ORCHESTRA

The Conservatory Orchestra will practice to-night. All members are asked to be present.

MID-WEEK SERVICE.

The congregation of the Murray St. Baptist Church are reminded of the mid-week service at 8 o'clock to-night.

DANCE.

The Woodmen of the World, are holding their annual dance on Friday evening next, January 12th, in the W.O.W. Hall, George Street. Dancing to commence at 9.30 sharp. Tucker's Orchestra. Refreshments provided. Admission 75c a couple.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY.

The funeral of the late Matthew McIlwain took place yesterday afternoon to Lakefield and was largely attended. Among the relatives who were here from a distance was Mr. Herbert McIlwain, who came from Winnipeg for the funeral.

FORESTERS NOTICE.

The members of Court Chemong, No. 580, Independent Order of Foresters, and their friends, also any visiting members, are cordially invited to the social on Thursday evening, January 11th, 8 p.m., in the W. O. W. Hall, George street. Musical programme and refreshments. Come and welcome the new High Chief Ranger, Bro. J. S. Eagleson, of the Government Department, Ottawa.

REGULAR MEETING.

The regular monthly meeting of the W. M. S. of George street Methodist church was held in the church parlour on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Kendry occupied the chair. Mrs. (Dr.) Harvey read the scripture lesson and was also appointed on the Watch Tower for China. Mrs. Moore read a poem entitled, "Miss Edith Cavell," which was greatly enjoyed by all those present.

ST. PETER'S PATRIOTIC TEA.

The members of the St. Peter's Patriotic Club will hold their weekly tea to-morrow (Thursday) afternoon. The hostesses will be Mrs. Jos. White and Mrs. W. J. O'Brien. All the members of the Club are asked to come to work promptly at 2 o'clock and remain till 9 o'clock if possible. Every lady in the city is invited to tea, which will be served from 4.30 to 7 o'clock. Come and help in this good work.

THE LITTLE LAKE CEMETERY COMPANY.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Company will be held at the City Council Chamber, Peterborough, on Monday, the 15th of January, 1918, at 3 p.m., for the purpose of electing Directors for the present year, receiving and considering reports for the past year, and for the transaction of any other necessary business.

Dated 8th of January, 1917.

W. H. Moore, President.

E. A. Peck, Secretary-Treasurer.

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WEDDING BELLS

MAHOOD—CARSCADDEN

At the Rectory, Blackstock, the Rev. J. H. Kidd married Garnet Mahood and Miss Helen Carscadden, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Carscadden, of Cartwright. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother. The young couple left for Peterborough and points east. On their return they will reside in Cartwright.—Toronto Globe.

HICKEY—BLACKBURN.

St. John's church, Newmarket was the scene of a pretty wedding on Tuesday, January 9th at 9.30 a.m., when Barbara, daughter of Mr. George Blackburn of Newmarket, was united in marriage to Mr. D. H. Hickey, old est son of Mr. P. J. Hickey of Peterborough. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Wedlock of Newmarket. After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Hickey will reside at 640 Bethune street.

WHITE—CARR

On Monday morning, January 8th at St. Michael's Cathedral, Toronto, Miss Kathleen Carr, daughter of Mrs. H. Carr, Toronto, was united in marriage to Mr. Elric White, Jr. of Peterborough, manager of Woolworth's store, Port Arthur. After the wedding breakfast Mr. and Mrs. White left for Port Arthur where they will reside.

OBITUARY

MR. JOSEPH STABLER

Died at his home in Harvey on January 5th at the age of 65 years. He leaves to mourn his loss, a wife and four brothers, namely: James of Smith, William and Harry of this city, John of Smith, one sister, Mrs. Wm. McIlmoyl of Smith and a family of three sons and four daughters, namely, Harry of Peterborough, John and Joseph of Lakehurst, Maggie and Rebecca of Peterborough, Mabel and Elsie at home.

LADIES.

Would you like to know how to cook.? Investigate the possibilities of the Household Science Class at the Technical Night School.

FORGOTTEN FRIENDS

We still show a large assortment of Suitable Suggestions for New Year's Gifts, such as

Diamonds	Watches
Clocks	Jewelry
Rings	Necklaces
Cut Glass	Silverware
Wrist Watches	
Military Watches	
Boys' Watches	
Girls' Watches	
Brooches	Fobs
Tie Pins	Crosses
Lockets	Ebony Goods

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DIAMOND HALL

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Social and Personal

Mr. Roy Smythe of the Royal Bank Beeton has been transferred to Winnipeg. He is home for a few days before going West.

Miss Annie Fecteau, a former resident of Peterborough, but now of Ottawa, Ont., is in the city renewing old acquaintances and is the guest of Miss Cecile Kenneally, Scarbrooke street.

The friends of Mr. Harry Huffman, King street, will regret to learn of his removal to the Nicholls Hospital last night suffering from a sudden attack of appendicitis. He was operated on successfully, and this morning is reported to be progressing favourably.

Mrs. Hollingsworth and her sister, Mrs. Arnold, spent the Christmas holidays with Mrs. A. A Perrin, daughter of the former. They returned to their home in Philadelphia To-day.

Mrs. E. Verner, of Toronto, spent the week-end the guest of her sister, Mrs. M. Clarke, 577 Gilmour street.

Mr. G. E. Bruce, former plant chief in Peterborough of the Bell Telephone Company, has been transferred from Collingwood, where he was local manager to Barrie.

Mr. C. P. Doherty, of Lindsay, was a guest at the Oriental Hotel this morning.

Mrs. Alec. Collins, who has been the guest of Mrs. Walter Rogers, Park street, returned this morning to her home in Mount Forest.

Mr. Herbert McElwain, Winnipeg, and Mrs. John Mulverhill, Toronto, were in the city to attend the funeral of the late Mr. McElwain.

The tea and musical given by the Progressive Club yesterday afternoon and evening at the residence of Mr. H. O. Fiske, McDonnell street, was a great success. Those who assisted were Mrs. Walker who presided at the tea table, Mrs. W. Rogers, Mrs. Birks, the Misses Nora and Margery Hatton, Margaret Eastwood, Seaborne Hamilton, Celia Dunsford and Georgie Stevenson, and little Miss Helen Fiske at the door. Amongst those who attended were Mrs. R. R. Hall, Mrs. A. E. Coulthard, Mrs. Goodwill, Miss E. Irwin, Mrs. W. H. Dunsford, the Misses Dixon, Mrs. Walsh, Mrs. (Dr.) Cameron, Mrs. W. R. Morris, Mrs. R. Yeamen, Miss H. MacLaren, Miss Hazel Eaton, Mrs. John Miller, Mrs. Earnest Payne, Mrs. Weldon, the Misses Hall, Mrs. Gus Hay, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. T. A. S. Hay, Mrs. Shneider, Miss S. Lucks, Miss Quartermaine, and Mrs. Fred White. The musical numbers rendered by Mrs. Cameron Wilson, Miss Agnes Logan, Miss Helen MacLaren and Miss Gladman were very much enjoyed.

Mrs. Walker Lindsay, is the guest of Mrs. Bernard Morrow, Water street.

Mrs. Fred Hall, East City, was hostess of a small dance given for a number of the young people on Monday night.

Rev. C. F. Stent, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hilliard, Lakefield, returned to Trinity College, Toronto, this week.

The hostesses of the tea given by the 57th Chapter, I.O.D.E., at the Masonic rooms to-morrow will be, Mrs. Rupert Gliddon and Mrs. D. Parks.

Mr. Jas. Bolger Jr., left to-day for North Bay, where he has taken a position as manager of the Pacific hotel.

Mrs. J. R. Stratton and Mrs. Ormond, who have been the guests of Mrs. Ardiel, Toronto, returned home this week.

Mrs. George Morrow, who has been the guest of Miss Morrow, Gilmour street, returned on Monday to her home in Toronto.

The hostesses of the tea at the Empress on Saturday afternoon will be Mrs. Widdifield and Miss Helen Davidson.

The many friends of Mrs. O. A. Langley, Lakefield, who underwent an operation yesterday at the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, will be pleased to know that the operation was successful and Mrs. Langley well on the road to recovery.

Mr. J. J. Sheehy, Secretary of the Hyland Publishing Company, Chicago, after spending a week in the city visiting relatives, returned home today.

BIRTH.

BULLIED — In Peterborough, on Thursday, January 10th, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Bullied, 578 Romaine street, a daughter.

1400 Birds A New Record At Poultry Show

If you have never heard a "cock-a-doodle-do" chorus, you should look in at the poultry show in the market hall, where fourteen hundred birds are performing. These are not the usual back yard pikers that have neither name nor fame, except that of neighborhood nuisance on summer evenings and early mornings. These are real class, some of them a hundred dollar bill could not separate from their present owners. Fixing the average price at seven or eight dollars a bird, and that is said to be a moderate estimate the value of the entire exhibit runs close to the ten thousand dollar mark.

For these are birds of distinction and class, blue-blooded and blue beribboned, and in spite of, or perhaps because of their rank in the poultry artistocracy, their vocal work is of a high order. The big buff Wyan, dottes, the White and Barred Rocks, and Buff Cochins, constitute the base section. The sopranos are strong in the Leghorns, Games, Andalusians, and others, the Orpingtons take the lead in the tenor row, but the altos are weak or inarticulate. But the supporting symphony comprising the ducks, guinea fowl and other fowls,

The local poultry enthusiasts are delighted with the exhibition and its entry list of 300 or more birds, than ever before. Harry Lush, George Paxman, Archie Brault and others are in their glory with all the birds around, especially fancy birds. Mr. George Robertson of Ottawa, is the judge, and will scarcely complete his work today. Mr. James Baptie, of Springville, is assisting. Both are performing their duties thoroughly and are followed by quite a gathering of poultry fanciers.

Mr. J. J. Hartley had eight birds entered and took eight prizes with his Silver Grey Dorkings. Mr. James Booth is also a winner in this class. W. J. Munroe of Grafton, is represented with White Orpingtons and Langhorns; F. L. Walsh, of Warkworth, and Mr. H. T. Lush practically divide the Buff Cochins. The Brahmas include birds shown by C. H. Bartow of Peterborough, Curtis Bros. of Norham ,and E. S. Waite of Belleville.

Archie Brault has taken two special prizes for White Wyandottes, cock and cockerell.

Miss Yates will give another address to-night on the handling of poultry. If you are interested in fowl you should see this show. It is stated that there are birds shown here that are not placed in the prize list, yet they were winners at Guelph. If you have just plain hens at home you will find an inspiration in the quality of the poultry that crowd the numerous coops at the market hall.

"BUFFALO BILL" PASSES AWAY

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

DENVER, Colo., Jan. 10.—Colonel Cody "Buffalo Bill," is dead.

JUNIOR CHURCH HOCKEY LEAGUE

There will be a meeting of the Junior Church Hockey League executive to-night at 8.30 o'clock in the Y.M. C.A. A full attendance is requested.

Change In Time of Local

The only change affecting Peterboro in the C.P.R. revised schedule is in connection with the local which will leave here at 7.35 a.m., and arrive in Toronto at 10.20 a.m. It will leave Toronto at 5.40 p.m. and reach Peterboro at 8.40 p.m. The change becomes effective on Jan. 15th.

REFORMATORY BURNS.

Two Negro Prisoners Meet Death in Flames.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 10. — Two negro prisoners were suffocated, one was probably fatally burned, and more than fifty others narrowly escaped death in a fire which started in cell house "A" at the State Reformatory at Frankfort.

The building was the oldest reformatory, and it was necessary to unlock each cell individually. Before the rescue could be completed the entrance was blocked by flames, leaving more than fifty prisoners cut off.

A hurry call was sent for dynamite. A hole was blown through the wall and the work of rescue resumed.

More than fifty prisoners overcome by smoke were sent to the reformatory hospital after being revived.

The burned building housed more than 800 prisoners.

HOUSEHOLD NOTES.

Soup bones, dried fruits, the baking of bread or any food that requires long cooking, should be done on the ironing days. This is one method of saving fuel.

To keep a meringue from falling dust the beaten whites of eggs with powdered sugar, then shake a little cornstarch over it, beat quickly again and spread on the pie.

When a head of lettuce or a bunch of celery comes in from the market, clean it at once, wrap it in a cloth and put it in the ice box. It will be ready and crisp when you want it.

FAVOURITE STARS AT THE ROYAL THEATRE

A rare treat is in store for the patrons of the Royal Theatre to-night. The attractions are William Farnum in "Fighting Blood," presenting six magnificent reels. Mr. Farnum may be called one of the world's famous and distinguished actors. "Fighting Blood" was inspired by the popular old song "My Old Kentucky Home." Other star actors of the William Fox Corporation will be presented. And then the new Mutual Charlie Chaplin will be seen in his humorous comedy entitled "The Vagabond," in two awfully funny reels. Hundreds of laughs are in store for the patrons of the Royal to-night.

NO GAME IN LINDSAY

There will be no game in Lindsay to-night, the 247th and the Lindsay management not being able to make the arrangements. The soldiers will practice to-night and may go to Lindsay to-morrow.

STILL "ENGLAND!"

In Britain's day of stress, Scotsmen, Irishmen, Englishmen, Canadians, etc.,—Britons all—are rallying around the old flag; yet Englishmen and the English press continue to speak and write of "England" at war and "English" troops, ships, etc. They may mean well, but we Scotsmen feel "out of it" when the country "runs the Tweed" is seemingly belittled.

The English navy in its might
Is out upon the main;
The English army—some in kilts—
Is at the front again..
The dogs of war are loosened,
And gathering for the fray;
But the British troops and British ships—
I wonder, where are they?

'Twas England that declared war,
And she will see it through:
How kind she is to Britain,
Doing all there is to do!
We Scots and Irish do not count,
We're nothing in the scale;
I wonder if the Scotsmen fled,
Would England have turned tail!

England will stand by Belgium,
And France and Russia, too;
But English papers never say
What Britain means to do.
For treaty obligations
We are told that England fights,
Yet our country's name is "Britain,"
As all know, by treaty rights.

To our treaty obligations,
We Scots have aye been true,
In every clime o'er all the world,
Fought for the Red, White and Blue;
Still Englishmen continue—
Though to their lasting shame—
To speak and write of Britain
Falsely under "England's" name.

When blood has flowed like water,
And midst the heaps of slain
Lie stalwart Scot and brawny Celt
Who victory helped to gain—
The glory will be England's,
Like every other thing!
'Tis England this and England that,
Flag, Navy, Army, King!

Still let Scotsmen do their duty,
In Britain's day of war,
A greater cause than England's
Nerves Scottish hearts by far.
For Britain and the Empire
We Scotsmen draw the sword,
And not like hired mercenaries,
As if England were our lord!

—A Scot of Scots.

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GROCERS

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PHONE 1620

Winter Time is Pork and Beans Time. Why Not Give the Family a Real Good Nourishing Meal of Beans

Hand-picked white beans, 2 pound 25c.
Hand-picked Lima beans, 1 pound 15c.
Quaker Brand beans, Chili sauce, 2 pound tin ..... 15c.
Bacon, Swift's premium, pound ..35c.

TEA.

Get wise! Tea is advancing every day. Now is your time to buy.
Ceylon Orange Pekoe, per pound 40c.
(Extra value) 3 pound $1.10
Uncoloured Japan tea, per pound 40c.
3 pound $1.10
Choice pink salmon, can ..... 15c.
Sweet wrinkle peas (special) 2 cans 25c.
Corn flakes, 3 pkgs. for ..... 25c.
Fresh rolled oats, 5 pound ..... 25c.
Sour pickles, better than home-made, quart ..... 25c.
Swift's shortening in bulk, pound 15c.
Eggs are scarce. Use (Bird's) egg substitute, can ..... 15c.
Prunes, large and meaty, pound 15c.
Chocolatta, beats them all, can, 25c. and ..... 60c.
Fresh sea herrings, dozen ..... 30c.
Turnips, the real good kind, bag 35c.

Don't forget we are the people with the refreshment booth at Brock street rink. While at the rink pay us a visit.

FOWLER'S PEBLO GLASSES

IT IS NO SURPRISE

When Dr. Fowler's patrons are fitted with his "PEBLO" glasses and find their natural sight is restored perfectly, they are not surprised. They expect it. Fowler's "PEBLO" lenses have made a reputation and people come to him in every confidence in his ability to correct their failing eyesight to their satisfaction.

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EVERYDAY READING

"How can we get acquainted with God? How can we know His will concerning us? These are questions that concern us, and demand a clear, unmistakable answer to the same. It was said to me once, quite a few years ago: The trouble with us is: we are not willing not to know; we want to have it as it were down in black and white. In my unsettled and restless state of mind at that time I made answer, saying, I could not believe that God Almighty allowed us to come into the world, and then allowed us to grope our way through in the dark. And yet I did not know how He would let the light shine upon my pathway. Previous to that, when perhaps a mere child, I read in the Old Testament Scriptures of God speaking to different persons at different times, and I looked around to see if I could find anyone who God spoke to in my day. I failed to find anyone. What was I to believe? That these statements in Scripture were untrue? That God never spoke to man in the past, does not now and never will, or God did speak to man in the past, does now, and will do so in the future? I did not accept either statements but remained in a state of doubt. Some one may say, we have the word of God (as they call the Scriptures). This will tell us all and answer our questions satisfactorily. You who speak thus have they done so for you? I suppose there are scores of people in our own little city whose ideas of God and His will concerning them are all different; and who will tell us that they have got their belief from (the word of God) the Scriptures. A man asked me a short time ago: What are you to understand in regard to the many creeds of the people, sincerity and common sense judgment being taken for granted, as being at as high a premium in one person as the other. The whole situation looks absurd, when we look at the many religious organizations calling themselves the "church of God." Surely if God is a pure and holy God His church must be pure, and united. It is said Charles Finney, a noted member of the Presbyterian organization, in his day, stated that until the people came to the conclusion that the religion of the churches was not the religion of the Lord Jesus, there was no hope of a genuine revival. "God is love." "God willeth not the eternal death of any." Man is a trinity of being, body, mind and spirit. God is a spirit, and in order to get acquainted with God we must do so through our spiritual nature. There are a few who attempt to seek God through their bodily nature, very many through their mental nature, and a few find Him truly through their spiritual nature. God speaks to man by the Holy Spirit, in no uncertain way. An ignoring of the Holy Spirit will bring to us no certain conclusion in regard to God, and His will concerning us. Divine assurance is a confidence that is satisfactory. Let us know God for ourselves. Yield to the Holy Spirit, who will reveal to you Jesus as the way, the truth and the life.

VICTOR.

SOLDIERS IN GOOD HEALTH.

French soldiers have withstood the awful rigors and privations of the fighting during the wet fall in the sector around Verdun with notably little sickness. The army doctor in charge of a division told the Associated Press correspondent the number of sick in many of the battalions was as low as three or four per thousand.

Men in the front line are put to the trying experience of remaining for days at a time in the open, crouching in shell holes which have been joined together by stiff spade work. At this period of the year the frequent rains and the wet mists drench them to the skin while the mud in which they lie soon changes their uniforms from a light blue to a colour which is indistinguishable from the field gray of the Germans or the khaki of the British. At the same time their food, which of course has to be eaten cold, is often spoilt by the foul water penetrating their haversacks, and their small supply of water or other drink is often exhausted long before they are relieved.

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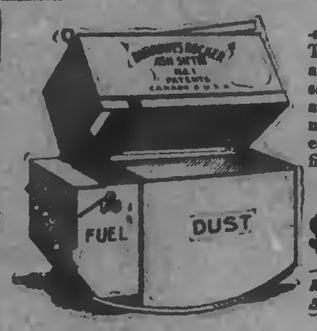

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Greece Yields To The Demands Of The Allies

Examiner Special:

ROME, Jan. 11—Greece has yielded to the Allies on all points, and is already carrying out demands.

France Calls 19 Year Olds To the Colours

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, Jan. 11.—France has called all nineteen-year-olds to colours.

Spanish Premier Asked To Remain

Special to The Examiner:

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—King Alfonso requests Premier Romanones to reconsider his resignation and reform the cabinet.

PROHIBITION FOR UNITED STATES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—National prohibition for all the United States is billed for this session of Congress and it is believed the measure will pass.

Leyland Liner Reported Sunk

Special to The Examiner:

NEW YORK, Jan 11.—The Leyland liner Alexandrian was sunk near the English Coast and the crew was saved.

JUDGE McFADDEN PASSES AWAY

SAULT STE. MARIE, Jan. 11.—Junior Judge Moses McFadden is dead, age 68.

King Constantine Writes Letter To The President Approving Plea For Peace

Hellenic Monarch Declares That Mr. Wilson's Proposal Was Prompted by a High Spirit of Political Sagacity—Ruler Outlines "Wrongs Done to Greece" By Entente Powers.

"THE SOUL OF GREECE"

WASHINGTON, D.C., January 11.—King Constantine of Greece has set the seal of his approval upon the peace proposal of President Wilson, declaring that the President's action looks "to a peace honourable to all" and that the President has been "prompted by a spirit of high political sagacity."

A personal letter from King Constantine to President Wilson was received at the State Department.

After two paragraphs of praise for President Wilson King Constantine employs the rest of his letter to set forth "a succinct and necessarily incomplete picture" of the wrongs done to Greece by the Entente Powers, declaring the suspicions of those Powers of the intentions of the Greek government to be unfounded. After the most bitter denunciation of the Entente Powers, Constantine declares that his letter "is not intended to be a criticism of the cruel attacks on her (Greece) sovereignty and neutrality, the effects of which Greece has been obliged to suffer." Here is the full text of the letter:—

"ATHENS, 16-29, Dec., 1916.

Mr. President:—I desire to express to you, Mr. President, my sentiments of sincere admiration and of heartfelt sympathy for the generous initiative that you have taken with a view of determining whether this is nit a propitous moment to undertake a negotiation that might put an end to the sanguinary struggle which is devastating the earth.

HIGH POLITICAL SAGACITY.

"Coming from a statesman who in this critical period of humanity is at the head of the great American republic, your humanitarian efforts, prompted by a spirit of high political sagacity and looking to a peace honourable for all, can only contribute notably to hastening the re-establishment of normal conditions and to assure in a permanent state of international relations the evolution of humanity toward progress in which the United States of America have at all times taken a large part.

"Greece, more than any other neutral country, has suffered in this world wide crisis; without being a belligerent she has known the horrors of war; for more than a year since the landing of the Allied troops at Salonika the entire territory of Macedonia has been invaded on all side by the opposing armies, which entered the cities and ports, suppressed the authorities of the country and even seized war material therein. Long before this the islands and ports of Greece were occupied by the foreign fleets, and this desire of the Powers to insure the safety of the Allied armies operating in Macedonia, which no one in Greece had any thought of threatening, has brought about the guarantees that have been required and furnished, even to measures of violence and coercion, after thrusting themselves into the domestic life of the country, abolishing, in fact, the functioning of the constitutional Powers. Our fleet has been sequestrated and our army, reduced so as hardly to suffice for the preserving of order, has been forced to disperse and withdraw toward the south.

"A misunderstanding which we, ourselves, were the first to regret and which resulted in a sanguinary conflagration when the foreign battalions attempted to occupy the heights dominating the capital even provoked a bombardment of an open city and of my palace.

STARVATION FACED.

"At the present time, in spite of the acceptance of the last ultimatum, a so-called pacific blockade has been established over the Greek coasts and islands, intercepting all communication and all commerce, even with neutral countries, and exposing the entire population of the country to starvation.

"We proposed a mixed commission of inquiry, which would have laid the responsibility where it belonged, and we were ready to accept its verdict in advance. We have never received a reply. As if that were not enough, a violent revolt has been added to a movement, which in the beginning appeared to have an object co-operation in the war with the hope of spreading to the capital when the sailors that had been landed marched against Athens after having spread terror throughout our new provinces, where action on our part was rendered impossible. The revolt was easily repressed, thanks to the loyalty of almost the whole of the Greek nation faithfully devoted to her institutions.

"Such are the conditions in which your proposal finds my country. This succinct and necessarily incomplete picture is not intended to be a criticism of the cruel attacks on her sovereignty and neutrality the effects of which Greece has been obliged to suffer.

"I have only desired to show you, Mr. President, how much the soul of Greece aspires to peace at the present time, and how greatly she appreciates your proposal, which marks so important a stage in the course of the sanguinary, world-wide tragedy which we are witnessing.

(Signed) CONSTANTINE R."

FREE BOOKS IN MANITOBA

And Also Free Meals For Children in Public Schools.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 10.—The School Board of Winnipeg has called on the local Government to supply free text books to children of the Public schools of Manitoba. These are supplied from Toronto. The convention of school trustees of the Province have endorsed the idea. It is the intention of the School Board of the city to shortly supply free meals to children as is done in Glasgow.

Appeal to Reason

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GERMANS REVIEW THE FIGHTING IN RUMANIA

BERLIN, Jan. 11, via Sayville.—The following official review of recent military operations in Rumania was given out at army headquarters.

"In regard to the fighting from January 4 to January 8 the headquarters of the Ninth Army reports: Victory was obtained in a battle of five days on the Outaz River.

"The enemy's positions were naturally strong and well fortified the principal points being the bridge heads of Rundeni and Fokshani. After preparations had been made, an attack was delivered on January 4. The fortified positions were taken on January 5. A German division penetrated the bridge head of Fundeni on January 6.

Wheat Markets Closed Weak

Wheat markets closed weak. There was no export buying reported, and winter wheat crops in Southern States are in excellent condition. Manitoba cash wheat lower, but Ontario wheat holds steady, with a good local milling demand and some enquiry for export.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, $2.07 1-2; track, bay ports; No. 2 $2.04 1-2; No. 3, $2.01 1-2; No. 4, $1.86 1-2; old crop 4c above new crop

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W. 70 3-4c.

American corn—No. 3, $1.08 1-2; shipment within 30 days.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white 64c to 66c; No. 3 white, 63c to 65c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, per car lot $1.73 to $1.80; No. 3, $1.76 to $1.78.

Peas—No. 2, nominal, car lots, $2.40.

Barley—Good malting, $1.16 to $1.18; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal $1.25.

Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal; No. 2 new, $1.35 to $1.37.

Manitoba flour—First patents in jute bags, $9.90; second patents, in jute $9.40; strong bakers, in jute $9 Toronto.

Ontario flour—New winter $7.80 to $7.50, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered Montreal; shorts $37; bran, $32; feed flour per bag, $2.80.

Hay—Baled, No. 1, track, Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots $13 to $13.50; No. 2, $9 to $11; straw $9.50 to $10.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Union Stock Yards—Receipts yesterday, 89 cars, with 1,300 cattle, 110 calves, 2,252 hogs, and 524 sheep and lambs.

Market was strong and active. With a moderately light run for the mid-week market, prices were firm to 25c higher than Monday's opening. There was an active demand for all grades, and cows, canners, and cutters all share in the general advance. Sheep and lambs steady to firmer. Hogs 25c higher.

Latest quotations:

Heavy steers	$9 40 to	10 00
Choice butcher	8 75	9 50
do good	8 25	8 50
do medium	7 75	8 00
do common	7 00	7 50
Heifers, good to choice	8 00	9 00
do medium	7 00	7 50
Butcher cows, choice	6 25	7 00
do medium	5 75	6 25
Butcher bulls, choice	6 25	7 50
do good	5 50	6 00
do medium	5 00	5 50
Feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs.	7 00	7 50
do bulls	5 25	6 75
Stockers, 700 to 800 lbs.	7 00	7 50
do med. 650 to 750 lbs.	5 50	6 00
do light 600 to 650 lbs.	5 00	5 75
Canners	4 75	5 00
Cutters	4 50	5 25
Sheep, light	8 50	10 00
do heavy	7 50	8 50
Spring lambs	10 75	14 00
Calves	8 00	13 00
Hogs, fed and watered	13 00	
do weighed off cars	13 15	13 25

Russian Troops Capture Six Thousand Germans

Special to The Examiner:

PETROGRAD, Jan. 11.—Russian troops have captured a mile of German trenches with 21 heavy guns and 11 light guns and six thousand prisoners in the Riga region, since Friday.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 11.—Russians recapture position south of Rekona, capturing 270 prisoners and three machine guns.

GERMAN RAIDER REPORTED SUNK IN THE ATLANTIC

But No Details Are Available to Back Up This Rumour—British Cruiser Credited With It—Lamport and Holt Liner Said to Have Been Recaptured.

RAIDER WAS WELL ARMED

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

NEW YORK, January 11.—Persistently rumoured here that a British cruiser has sunk a German raider in the Atlantic, and the French liner Voltaire has turned up at Bermudas.

NEW YORK, January 11.—Persistent reports that a German raider was met in the Atlantic and sunk by a British cruised were current yesterday in well-informed steamship cricles. Details are lacking, as is the identity of the vessels engaged and the location of the encounter.

Coupled with these reports was a statement by the Lamport and Holt line, owners of the overdue steamship Voltaire, that rumours had come to them that their vessel was in one of the ports of Bermuda. The officers of the line say they had heard that the Voltaire, after capture by a German raider, had been re-captured and taken to Bermuda, but that their information was unofficial. The Voltaire was last reported to have left Liverpool on November 28 for New York.

WAS WELL ARMED.

Cable advices from London under date of December 9 told of reports that a German raider had succeeded in getting through the British cordon around the North Sea. Soon after, wireless warnings from naval stations at Gibraltar and the Bermudas were heard at frequent intervals cautioning allied shipping to look out for a raider. One of the warnings intercepted by a neutral vessel and made public here, described the raider as a vessel of about 4,000 tons, 400 feet long, well armed, and fitted with torpedo tubes. Allied ships were instructed to "take all precautions when approaching any other ship at sea."

Several unconfirmed reports of a raider being sighted have reached shipping men here. One report put the unknown in the vicinity of the Azores; another several hundred miles off Halifax, and a recent report brought here by a pilot, was that the raider was 400 miles off Sandy Hook. The wireless warnings have been repeated daily since December 9.

Municipal Dairies Coming And Will Lower Milk Cost Declares Leading Expert

Farmers Are Urged to Grow More Potatoes Than Ever, by Speaker Who Tells of Big Profits To Be Made—A Comparison of the Production of Barley and Oats—Weed Eradication.

GUELPH, Jan. 11.—The 38th annual meeting of the Ontario Agricultural and Experimental Union opened at Massey Hall, Ontario Agricultural College. There was an exceptionally large attendance and the short course students completely filled the hall. In each of the past five years the annual meeting of the experimental union has been held at the time of the opening of the short courses in seed and stock judging, poultry and beekeeping. This year several other courses are also in proportion, so the attendance is exceptionally large.

President J. B. Fairbairn of Beamsville presided, and Dr. Creelman welcomed the delegates commenting on the importance of the work they are carrying on, and paying a tribute to the work of Dr. Zavitz, secretary of the conference and head of the field husbandry department at the college.

Splendid Growth.

Dr. Zavitz, in his report, showed the remarkable growth of the union and the experiments that had been carried on. In agriculture alone there had been no less than 84,306 district tests made throughout the province.

Owing to scarcity of labour and unfavourable weather conditions, the number of experiments in 1916 was only 3,336. The co-operative experiments of the past year, however, have furnished valuable results, which should assist in the betterment of crop production in Ontario.

"In each of the past two years," said Dr. Zavitz, "the weather conditions in Ontario have been abnormal, and the results of the experiments, therefore, have a peculiar interest, and in some instances a special value. Caution should be taken not to draw definite and permanent conclusions from the results of the past two years. In comparing these results, however, with those of other years, they are of special importance and in many cases are quite suggestive."

Highest in Test.

In his report on experiments, Dr. Zavitz pointed out that out of 46 tests of oats, O.A.C. No. 72 stood highest, with an average yield of 47.07 bushels to the acre; out of four tests of six-rowed barley and emmer, O.A.C. No. 21 was high, with a yield of 25.42 bushels per acre. Hulless barley yielded an average of 25.91 bushels to the acre; spring wheat an average of 20.37 bushels; winter wheat, Imperial Amber, stood high with 39.08 bushels; spring rye, O.A.C. No. 26, 23.14 bushels; field peas, Potter, 29.52 bushels; field beans, Pearce's Improved Tree, 22.09 bushels; soy beans, brown, 14.67 bushels.

A comparison of the production of oats and barley in 1915 and 1916 showed that the latter was very much lower than last year, in some cases the difference being very marked. The root crop of 1916 was also very poor. The growing of cabbage for feed was also urged.

Results showed the potato crop the poorest in Ontario for 35 years.

Weed Eradication.

"Weed Eradication" was the subject of Professor Hewitt's address. Seven experiments in all have been tried, viz.: The use of rape in the destruction of the perennial sow-thistle; a system of intensive cropping and cultivation to kill the same weeds; the use of rape to kill twitch grass; spraying with iron sulphate to destroy mustard in cereal crops; deep cultivation to destroy the ox-eye daisy. It was found that good cultivation, followed by rape sown in drills, provides a means of eradicating both perennial sow-thistle and twitch grass; rape is a more satisfactory crop to use in the destruction of twitch grass than buckwheat; in this the seeding should be done deep in a drill and not broadcast.

Professor Dean, in advocating the food value of milk, urged that at 10 cents a quart it was still cheap food. He had a new idea, as follows: "It looks as though the milk business will in the near future be controlled and managed by the municipalities, similar to the plan adopted for water supply, gas, electric lights, etc., thus doing away with unnecessary duplication of plants, etc., and the cost should come down as a result." He also urged Government control of cold storage plants.

On Potatoes.

F. C. Hart of Toronto, spoke on "Potato Growers' Co-operative Association.' The speaker stated that in the province of Ontario there were eight or nine organizations, but only two that were producing potatoes solely. One-third of the production of potatoes in Canada came from Ontario, and yet it was necessary to import from both ends of the Dominion. Ontario should grow enough to hold the position to export, because it had been proved that the potato-growing industry here was a profitable one. Where organizations had been effected this result had been particularly noted. The individual grower could not properly market his production properly. He strongly advocated the grading of potatoes, and suggested the following grades: Fancy, No. 1 and No. 2. In figures, the potato industry in Ontario amounted to nearly $20,000,000, and that was more than any three provinces in Canada.

Prices Not Proper.

Andrew Elliott of Galt, gave it as his opinion that the present high cost of living was due to the fact that the farmers in the past had not received the proper price for their produce. Since the days of the old time farmer education has been so pronounced in furthering farming, that the new school of farmers want the proper price for their produce, and insist on their farms paying. The new condition of the market for potatoes should make it a profitable industry, but still the farmer hesitates because, as the speaker said, he had been bitten before, and was wary of taking another chance.

In his opinion he Irish Cobbler was the best early potato and the Green Mountain a good late potato. He considered that at the present time it was a short-sighted policy on the part of the farmer to refrain from going in strongly for potatoes. But he should go in for one variety or a kindred of variety. He advocated an educational propaganda as to how potatoes should be grown and marketed. The market should be watched carefully and steady prices should prevail, or it would go back to old conditions again.

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German Plotters Found Guilty

Examiner Special:

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 11.—German Consul Bopp and four others found guilty of plots to blow up munition plants.

Parks To Be Made Productive

LONDON, Jan. 11.—Fodder and cereals will be grown in the parks of London this year.

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Railway Time Tables

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
CORRECTED JUNE 6, 1916.

7.40 a.m.—For Lakefield.
8.10 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg, and points east, connecting at Port Hope for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 11.05 a.m.
8.35 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
8.50 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
11.40 a.m.—Mid-day express for Toronto, reaching Toronto at 2.15 p.m.
12.30 p.m.—For Lakefield.
12.55 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
1.30 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
3.35 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
5.40 p.m.—For Lakefield.
5.55 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
6.05 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Boston.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
CORRECTED JUNE 5, 1916.
*3.30 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*12.12 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N.B., Boston, and New York.
*1.20 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed Perth, Smith's Falls and Ottawa.
*11.27 p.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and intermediate points and all points east of Montreal.

GOING WEST.—
*8.55 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Galt, Woodstock, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*2.55 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
*7.35 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York, Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
*9.15 a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port McNichol and intermediate points
*2.42 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Buffalo, New York, Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, London, Detroit and Chicago.
*6.45 p.m.—North Toronto and West Toronto and intermediate points.
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OUR SERIAL STORY

"DESTINY"
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(Continued from yesterday.)

"In the music room, I think, sir." Hamilton thought that he detected in the butler's voice a note of anxiety, and for a moment he glanced with a keen scrutiny into the servitor's eyes and the eyes dropped under his gaze.

"Very well. I shall not need you again to-night." The Titan turned, and climbed the stairs.

The lights of the music room were burning brightly and on a table stood siphons and bottles and glasses. At the door Hamilton paused and glanced uneasily about, then he saw Paul, and smiled. Weary with his vigil, Paul, the affectionate and faithful, had evidently fallen asleep in his chair. Hamilton crossed and laid a hand on his brother's shoulder. Then as quickly he withdrew it. Something unaccustomed in the younger man's appearance arrested him and he stood gazing down.

The musician sprawled in an attitude of demoralized inertia and over his cameo face the dark hair hung disordered. His hands fell grotesquely and his closed eyes were puffed. Hamilton bent down and with a low oath studied his brother. His sleep was no natural napning. It was a drunken stupor proclaiming itself in a stertorous and uneasy breathing.

Angrily Hamilton shook the sagging shoulders until the sleeper's lids opened heavily and his lips voiced some incoherent thing. Then Paul attempted to turn his face away and go to sleep again.

"So," exclaimed the elder as he began to drag his brother to his feet, and restored him to a semblance of consciousness, "so this is the way you waited for me?"

Paul blinked owlishly through the stupidity of his condition, and upon his delicate features the unaccustomed and swollen flush dwelt in a disfiguring blot. He shook his head and informed thickly, "Jefferson Edwardes is dead!"

"I know that—and you're drunk."

The musician stupidly nodded his assent to so incontrovertible a statement and as he gradually awoke to a fuller realization, he rose and made his way unsteadily to the piano. But his fingers were stiff and unresponsive, and after a brief effort he gave that up.

Once more he looked up and an expression of deep terror spread over his face. Tears welled into his eyes, and he wept for awhile in silence as Hamilton looked on.

"Jefferson Edwardes's dead," he reiterated with parrot like singleness of idea. "Mary's heart's broke. . . . I am drunk." One hand waved broadly in an oratorical gesture. After a moment he added in solemn afterthought "Father's drunk, too."

Hamilton ground his teeth. "I suppose," he said bitterly, "you regard the first two acts as justification for the others."

Paul rose and through his condition something of his more normal self asserted itself. He laid his hands on his brother's shoulders. "Hamilton, I think my heart's broke, too. Mary's a sweet girl. I haven't slept for a long, long time—been worrying—an' to-night—"

"Never mind explaining." Out of the elder brother's voice the wrath had died. 'That won't help now. Come, I'll put you to bed."

As he turned away from Paul's bedroom a half hour later the face of Hamilton Burton was not the face of a conqueror. In his own room he went to a window and looked out. He saw a star and some fancy identified it as the same star that had caught his eye that night when he came back to the farm house and found his father ill. Once more it was not in the east riding towards the upper heavens, but in the west, setting beyond the Palisades of Jersey—soon to drop from view.

For a breathing space Hamilton Burton felt faint and uncertain as one might feel in a dream which is half-wakefulness.

Then he was conscious of his own voice speaking half-aloud:

"Slivers Martin paid me ten for 'em and I got 'em for seven—an' he had to go after 'em."

The words had come involuntarily—as from another person speaking with his tongue; and they started him. With a fierce impatient gesture he brushed his hand across his forehead and picked up from a table a new appreciation of the life and the campaigns of Napoleon Bonaparte.

Yamuro slipped in with his cushioned tread and stood waiting orders, and after a while the master whose attention refused to remain fixed even on Napoleon, glanced upwards.

"You may go, Yamuro," he said in a wearied voice, but the Japanese valet did not go. Instead he approached and his face grew anxious as he noted the confused and fatigued droop of his master's eyes and lips.

"Souse, please," he hazarded as his white teeth flashed in an apologetic grin. "You tired. You go down gymnasium—take exercise—one half hour. Yes, one half hour, and me rub you Japanese way; make you sleep—yes, please."

Hamilton Burton raised his head slowly. "Perhaps," he acceded in a dull voice, "that might not be a bad idea. I do feel a bit fagged—for some reason—and I need to be fit to-morrow. To-morrow will be a decisive day."

So with the narrow-eyed little servitor in whose breast beat a heart of unquestioning loyalty, the un-triumphant victor went down into the basement of his house where between the marble slabs and porphyry columns he had equipped a small gymnasium finished with the magnificence of a Roman bath.

Beyond an arched portal was another room where the basin of a swimming pool spread cool and inviting between mosaic floors.

Here each morning Hamilton plunged into the icy water and came out with a splendid vitality glowing on his firm flesh. But at night he used only the warm shower and when they came into the gymnasium they did not touch the switch which lighted the pool.

Then Hamilton Burton stripped and attacked the punching bag until his muscles glistened and shone as if they had been freshly oiled. Yamuro stood looking on with sparkling eyes. Hamilton Barton stripped and in action, would have brought a glow of delight to the face of those Hellenic masters of training who saw in the human body the most sacred temple of the human soul and paid tribute to physical perfection. The flow and ripple of those strong, justly modelled sinews were like the play of steel under satin and their smoothness was as rhythmic and full of power as some young gladiator's, who might have stirred the appreciation of Phidias or Praxiteles. When at last he had burned his mental restlessness into physical weariness, Burton halted and stood with his shoulders thrown back, and his head erect, the breathing of chest and abdomen as regular and deep as the sequence of waves at flood tide. Yamuro went into still another room for the accessories of his Japanese art of muscle-kneading and Hamilton turned idly toward the darkened swimming pool. He strolled over to the edge of the marble basin and walked out on the spring board. It was all very dark in here but his feet were familiar with every foot of space

"I might as well cap it with a plunge," he told himself, and lifting his hands above his head launched outward in a graceful arc.

Yamuro came back a moment later and looked about the empty gymnasium. His face suddenly went pale. "Mr. Burton—please!" he screamed, and in his excitement his voice was more than ordinarily sibilant. Then he turned on the pool light and rushed frantically back. It had not occurred to him to warn his chief that that afternoon the basin had been emptied and repaired, and that below the diving board were only six inches of water, just enough to give back, in semi darkness, a liquid reflection, and beneath that solid slabs of marble.

Yamuro peered over the edge and a deep groan broke from him. At the bottom lay the figure of Hamilton Burton with its head bent to one side. It lay very still and the water was slowly coloring from a bad wound in the scalp.

CHAPTER XXV.

Hamilton Burton had always denied with scorn the existence of blind luck as an element in human greatness or failure. Now if he had leaped headforemost into an empty swimming pool, at the exact moment when he stood midway of an enterprise which should crown him as omnipotent—or ruin him, perhaps it was a thing beyond coincidence. Yesterday he had aligned colossal forces for to-day's conflict—and taken his toll of vengeance. To-day he must turn to profit the chaos he had wrought to that end through plans known only to himself—and to-day he lay with a fractured skull—sleeping the sleep of unconsciousness.

To-day every hand in the world of finance was turned against him with the desperation of a struggle for survival—save those of his own lieutenants who were leaderless. All the way down the line from the Department of Justice to the small sufferers of the province a slogan of war without quarter sounded against the most hated man in America. That such would be the case he had known yesterday but he also knew—or thought he did—that his directing hand would still be on the tiller and his uncannily shrewd brain would be puzzling, bewildering and deluding his enemies into unwittingly serving his ends.

From the morning papers the secret of his accident had been successfully withheld. So the press of the country sounded forth a united thunder peal of stinging and bitter anathema, pillorying Hamilton M. Burton as the most menacing of all public enemies and an ogre who had in a single day fattened his already superlative wealth on his sufferings, the starvation and the lives of his victims. Editorial pages from Park row to a thousand main street, double leaded and double-columned their clamorous demand that such a plunderer should be nailed to the cross of punishment. Burton-Phobia was epidemic. At first the physicians who gathered in his darkened room would not commit themselves to any promise of recovery. The skull was fractured. Ahead lay a long illness at best—after that—but here they left off words and resorted to a non-committal shrugging of frock-coated shoulders.

"Do you mean," Elizabeth Burton put the question with trembling lips and chalk white cheeks, "that perhaps—even if he gets physically well—She, too, broke off.

"Frankness is best," responded the family physician, who feeling the most personal responsibility, assumed the hard role of spokesman. "Sometimes in cases of this sort the brain is left—with a permanent scar upon its efficiency."

The mother groaned. At her home lay a daughter in that collapse which had followed the over taxed courage of the first shock. Here lay Hamilton, her oldest; her Napoleonic boy, for whose condign punishment a nation's voice cried out. To her they were simply her children, equally dear.

Only one child was left her in his proper condition of mind and body. He because of his sensitive clairvoyant nature, had always been very close to her. Now she turned to Paul, and Paul, although his heart was shaken with terror and distress, rose for the time beyond his weakness and was almost a man as he sought to brace his mother's need.

From her first interview with the doctors she went to the music room and pausing on the threshhold, heard him at the piano. He was singing very low.

"If I were hanged to the highest tree
—Mother o' mine, Mother o' mine,
I know whose prayers would come up to me—Mother o' mine.'"

She went in and Paul took her in his arms and then helped her to a chair. Then as he had used to do when a little boy he knelt down, gazing into her face while she talked, and she reached out a hand, which was much thinner since her own late illness, and ran it through the dark hair over his white forehead. For a merciful little moment it seemed to this grief stricken woman that she was no longer white-haired and beautifully gowned. In her fancy the fingers with their wealth of rings were again red with the drudgery of the washtub, and the head that she caressed was the head of a little boy who because he was delicate and shrinking found a greater delight here at her knee than in the rougher companionship of playmates. Paul spoke softly.

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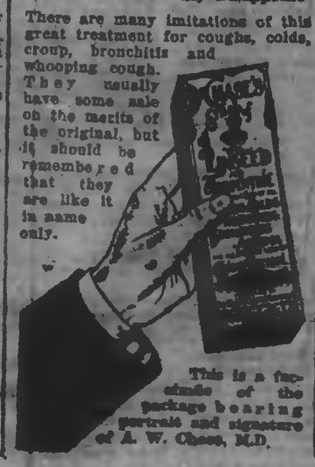

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BRAILA ONCE A FORTRESS.

Save for Galatz, ten miles below, Braila was the last defence on the right bank of the Danube, the last town in Wallachia on the threshold of Moldavia, opposite which lies the peninsula of Dobrudja, formed by the innumerable esturies of the great river.

In the approaches to Braila from the southeast on Dec. 21, the Russo-Rumanian forces made a firm stand. It was at Cerna, a village about 30 miles southeast of Braila. This gave the armies in the north an opportunity to consolidate their defences on the Sereth which flows almost due south through Moldavia and enters the Danube just south of Galatz. The importance of the stand made at Cerna on Dec. 21 and succeeding days, as obstacles of a drive on Braila and Galatz, may be judged from the following note from Berlin:

"The front of the Germanic powers has now been reduced by a distance of 560 miles, which is the limit to which it is considered possible to reduce it."

Still the capture of Braila reduces it a little more as will a further direct advance on Galatz.

Braila, a port of some 60,000 inhabitants, principally engaged in the export trade of grain, was once a formidable fortress, playing an important part in the varied history of the country. Since 1838 it has had communication by rail through Moldavia and to the Southwest, via Buzen, with Bucharest, 103 miles away. During the last 30 years it has rapidly supplanted Galatz in trade importance, but not in strategic importance, for Galatz forms the right of the important Sereth line of fortifications and has a modern fortified front of some ten miles facing north and west from Lake Bratisu to the mouth above the Sereth-Danube confluence.

During the Russo-Turkish war of 1828-29 Braila, one of the strongest Turkish fortresses, was besieged and captured by the Second Russian Corps. In the forty five weeks war of 1877-78 it again suffered the same fate.

When Rumania absorbed the terrain in 1878 the old fortifications were demolished, as those of Galatz were deemed of sufficient protection from the north. No measures had been taken before the present war to protect the port from the south, east or west.

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Prussian Super-Zeppelin Carries 60 Bombs, 9 Guns

Ruin of the L-33, Destroyed in Raid on England, Is Inspected by Party of Newspaper Men—Weaknesses of Air Monster Before Foe Is Shown.

(Special Dispatch.)

LONDON, Saturday.

That airships of the Zeppelin type are vulnerable, that when they come in contact with things that can hit back they are helpless indeed, is what the remains of the L-33, now lying open to the public gaze in a field "somewhere in Essex," tell.

The most serious blow to the Prussians in their airship raids on London in September and October, in which they lost four airships, was the present they were compelled to make of a super-Zeppelin—the L-33—to the British authorities.

As some compensation to the suburbs which suffered damage on the night of September 23 it may be said that the Zeppelin which caused most of it has provided means to all the drawings in the construction of just such a machine—and a better—though it is doubtful whether the English want such things unless for naval reconnoissance. Otherwise they are useless, because it is no part of the English game to raid undefended places for the slaying of the helpless.

Under the guidance of experts a party of newspaper correspondents had a private view of this super-Zeppelin. As was said on the morning that she fell, she looks just like the Crystal Palace in need of glazing. There is a marked depression in the centre of the framework. She is big, certainly, but whichever way she is looked at in detail she suggests the thin skinned and mortal balloon. Yet she was the best that Count Zeppelin could do as things are. She was built this year, and it is believed that the raider was on her maiden voyage. Undamaged petrol tanks bear the date "July 14, 1916," and there are evidences to show that this date does not apply to the tanks alone, but indicates the period at which the fabric was completed and the "Zep" fully equipped for its mission of frightfulness.

Ingeniously Constructed.

There is not much about the structural details which was not fairly well known to the Admiralty before, but minute examination does not detract from the tribute which may, without prejudice, be paid to the ingenious lines on which this monster of the air was built.

"The weight of the Zeppelin," said an officer, "with crew and full load aboard is sixty tons," and for a full hour he talked figures full of interest.

There were six engines, he explained, each developing 250 horse power. All were in gondolas, small and large, shaped like boats.

"This is one of the gondolas," he said, and showed a little aluminum 18-foot boat. The inside was bristling with machinery. In the centre was a large engine which was started by a hand lever. In front of the engine was a little seat. "In that seat," explained the guide, "sat the man who tended the engines. Here, almost touching him, sat the man who manipulated the machine gun, and forward was the place for the sailor who looked after the wireless machinery."

That gondola told the story of the "Zep." Everything was compact, well thought out, strong and efficient, with not an inch of spare room. The beauty of the work and the excellent craftsmanship were apparent to all. Some of the work probably was done by women.

Fabric Was Burned.

Coming to the remains of the main body, which is 750 feet long, the guide explained that 2,000,000 cubic feet of gas were used to expand the twenty-four compartments. Nothing now remains of the fabric, some of which was made of Manchester shirting. It perished in the fire which was started by one of the crew before he deserted the ship.

But the girders remain, and they convey vividly the enormous size of the airship when intact. To demonstrate the lightness of the structure one of the officers lifted with one hand aloft a strip of laced aluminum metal work.

"This piece of wood," he proceeded, pointing to some charred remains in the centre of the tangled wreckage, "is all that remains of what is called the 'catwalk.' It is really the keel of the Zeppelin, which runs the whole length of the ship. Inside the keel is a tunnel, along which the crew can walk and reach any of the gondolas, or indeed any part of the ship."

Another part of the ship which was specially interesting was that which was used as a receptacle for bombs. "The actual bomb dropping apparatus," the guide explained, "has been taken away, but here is the window through which the bombs were dropped. All that the man in charge of the bombs had to do was to open this window and press a button. The machinery did the rest. There was room for sixty bombs in this 'Zep.'"

The guns, or rather the places where the guns had been, was one of the most interesting features. "One was there, two there, two there and another there," said the guide pointing to the sides of the ship. "Another was perched up in the tail and two were on top of the airship. There were nine in all. The calibre of some of them is greater than our English machine guns."

Small metal cylindrical tanks at intervals along the ship contained coiled ropes, which were used for mooring purposes. When the ship was about to come to anchor a lever was pulled and all these ropes shot to the ground simultaneously. By this means the soldiers were able to capture her quickly and guide her to her shed. But that shed will never see her again.

The commissary department of an army is undoubtedly the most necessary and important of all, for it is a well established fact that soldiers cannot fight on empty stomachs. Here we have a scene which conveys the impression that the French soldiers occasionally indulge in the luxury of lamb stew and the like. The large photograph shows a flock of sheep on their last gambol. The smaller one gives a view of the scalding tubs in the army slaughter house, "somewhere in France."

Increased British Maritime Losses Emphasize Menace of Submarines

(Special Dispatch.)

LONDON, Saturday.

The recent raid on allied and neutral commerce in the West Atlantic lends special interest to some new figures relating to the war losses of the British mercantile marine, which have been given out by the president of the Board of Trade. He informed the House of Commons during the debate on the increase of food prices that Great Britain had actually lost by enemy action and by marine risks 2,000,000 gross tons of shipping since the war began. Mr. Runciman was necessarily vague on this matter, but the round figure which he gave shows that of the 21,045,049 tons of shipping which the British Empire possessed at the start of the war in 1914, there has been a shrinkage of about nine and one-half per cent from all causes during the twenty-seven months of the conflict.

Some part of this large volume of lost tonnage has, of course, been replaced by new construction, but the proportion is very small. It is also considerably below the usual amount of mercantile shipbuilding turned out by the British yards. An article in the Liverpool Journal of Commerce shows the total shipbuilding for the present year to September 30 is 200,000 tons gross, which compares with a normal output of 1,000,000 tons for the same period.

It would be interesting to know how much of the 2,000,000 tons lost was due to the ordinary hazards of the sea and to breaking up, dismantling &c. Roughly, one may estimate that three and a half per cent may be set down to these causes, leaving six per cent as the proportion of loss inflicted by the action of the enemy. Taking the latter figure, it is clear that the rate of loss is on the increase. Nearly a year ago the Board of Trade issued an official return showing that between August 4, 1914, and October 31, 1915, the steamships and sailing vessels sunk, were of 658,190 tons, or a little over two and a half per cent of the whole British mercantile tonnage. If the proportion indicated above is to be accepted, the losses caused by the enemy have more than doubled within the twelve months.

It is manifest from these official figures that the extent and scope of the submarine menace is increasing. Though it is not developing to a vital degree, yet it is becoming more and more difficult to deal with. Earlier in the war the localities in which they operated made it simpler than it is now to find and combat the U-boats, but measures of suppression which are suited to narrow channels and shallow waters obviously cannot be applied when the submarines work in large areas of deep water.

This extension to ocean routes makes interesting a comparison between the operations of, and the damage inflicted by, the cruisers employed in raiding on the one hand, and submarines on the other. The two classes are typified by the Moewe and by the U-53. The former, during the three weeks or more that she was at large on the Atlantic trade routes sank or captured fifteen vessels of 57,835 aggregate tons. The submarine, in one day sank six ships of about 24,000 gross tons.

WHEN A "ZEP" APPEARS OVER OLD LONDON

(Special Dispatch.)

LONDON, Saturday.—Thousands of incidents attend every Zeppelin raid on London. During one of the raids a physician, watching the giant airship from the roof of his house, became so excited that he dropped through the skylight into a room where two housemaids were sleeping. The latter rushed to the street in their night clothes and asked a policeman to apprehend the "burglar" in their room.

While many slept unconscious of the raid, others, terror stricken, ran about the streets in nightgowns and pajamas, not knowing what to do. As one raider was brought down a great crowd in one district sang the national anthem.

COMMODORE SUETER, EXPERT IN SEA AND AIR, CHIEF AUTHOR OF "TANKS"

Submarine Commander and Aviation Student Gets Credit for Innovation.

(Special Dispatch.)

LONDON, Saturday.

Since the advent of the "tanks" in the second phase of the great offensive on the Somme some secrecy has shrouded their history. Mr. Lloyd George, in the House of Commons recently, mentioned the names of several officers to whom credit was due, but his statement went very little beyond the mention of names.

The story of the "tanks" has not and cannot yet be fully told, but the mention of the name of Commodore Murray Sueter, R. N., in the House of Commons has carried it one step further.

Commodore Murray Sueter, according to those who are familiar with the facts, had probably more to do with the appearance of the "tanks" as the most modern engine of war than any other man. To him, says the Pall Mall Gazette, must be given the credit for the inception of the idea, whatever part others may have played in its development and application.

In the early days of the war the naval authorities deemed it necessary to establish an aeroplane base at Dunkirk, with temporary bases as far inland as the circumstances at the time permitted. In connection with this plan it became essential that some system of armored car support should be developed. There was not a moment to spare, and Commander Samson, who was on the spot, with characteristic ingenuity and skill, made the most of the material available. Within a very short time there were armored, or protected, cars at work, based on Dunkirk.

These cars were protected by steel plating, but the thickness of the plates they were able to have gave them little real value.

The failure of his first effort did not discourage Commander Samson, and the experiments were continued until a protected car was produced which was capable of resisting enemy rifle fire at point blank range.

The immediate result of this success was that the War Office began to make inquiries, but they went on their own way, and the naval authorities continued to experiment along the lines they had worked out.

Commodore Murray Sueter is understood to have returned to London immediately before the fate of Antwerp, where he had, in the course of his duties, obtained a mass of valuable information with regard to the cars—their weaknesses and defects.

On every hand it was admitted that the wrong lines were being pursued. The cars which "worked" between Antwerp and Dunkirk were obviously lacking in overhead protection; their crews were exposed to fire from houses and trees, against which they were not secure. It was toward the remedying of this grave weakness that the attention of the authorities directly concerned was then directed, with the result that a car with a revolving turret was produced. This, of course, added materially to the weight, but it was found that several well known chassis were capable of carrying it. After much experimental work the cars were produced, and when the time for their employment came they were successful in doing all that was expected of them.

The need for heavier guns than the machine guns the cars carried presented another problem for solution, but lorries were built and protected by shields of armor plate which served the purpose with considerable efficiency.

At this period the insistent demand was for heavier guns, and to the naval men engaged upon the work the "land battle ship" idea made an irresistible appeal.

With energy, enthusiasm and skill Commodore Murray Sueter tackled the problem, and within a few weeks it was possible to subject to practical tests a "battle ship" which answered the requirements as to armor and armament.

Mr. Churchill, the then First Lord, and Lord Fisher, the First Sea Lord, approved the "land battle ship" idea, but when Sir Percy Scott was consulted he was not favorable to it, being convinced that the enemy would quickly succeed in wrecking the "battle ships" by heavy artillery even before they could be brought into action. The size of the target supported Sir Percy Scott's contention, and the strength of the position the famous gunnery expert took up was admitted.

It was at this point that Commodore Murray Sueter hit upon the idea of adapting the Pedrail system to the "land battle ship."

Without delay all the information available in this country and America was obtained, and before Mr. Churchill, Mr. Lloyd George and a group of high War Office officials a demonstration was given of the powers of the "caterpillar" in forcing wire entanglements and surmounting obstacles.

The demonstration was so convincing that instructions were given for the building of a considerable number of "battle ships." Commodore Murray Sueter was instructed to take an important part in bringing the squadron into being, but circumstances interfered to prevent his doing so.

Commodore Murray Sueter, to whom therefore a large share of the credit for the "tanks" must be accorded, was in the early days of the present century perhaps England's most distinguished submarine officer, the book he then wrote on the problems of organizing that service, in the light of his actual experiences as commander of a submarine, being still regarded as the standard work on the subject. He was at one time commander of the ill fated A-1, and before that he commanded the earlier Holland submarines.

From submarines he turned his attention to the air, and he may justly be described as the maker of the Royal Naval Air Service, both before the war and after.

He is an expert on the technicalities of both aeroplanes and seaplanes, and also of airships.

This war has taught France many lessons in the equipment of her soldiers and the transportation of vast armies. In this respect it is safe to say that she leads all other nations at war, with the exception of Germany, whose splendid arrangement in every department of her military system is well known. In the above photographs the reader gathers a fair idea of the efficiency of one branch of the equipment department of the French government. The large picture shows a number of women in the workroom rounding lines sent back from the front. The inset in the corner gives a view of the outfitter's shop.

OLD 13 FIGURES IN STRANGE SUIT OF LAW

(Special Dispatch.)

LONDON, Saturday.—No. 13, king of superstitious signs, has caused the institution of an action in the Westminster County Court, a young married couple being the defendants.

It all came about this way:—The man and his wife looked over some new houses in a new street and decided they would like to live in one of the dwellings. They talked with the owners of the property and everything was rosy until they came around a week later to feast their eyes on their prospective home. Ah! No. 13 stared at them from its resting place over the front door.

Shivering with fear, they said "Nay! nay!" and left the premises. They later received notice of the suit begun by the solicitors because, it was alleged, they stopped negotiations for taking the house on mortgage.

HAS NO FEAR FOR IRON HAND OF THE LAW

(Special Dispatch.)

LONDON, Saturday.—Michael Fitzpatrick has been convicted so many times in the police courts of London that he has the reputation of being one of the worst characters in the city. When arraigned at Marylebone for being "drunk and disorderly" Fitzpatrick was sentenced to twenty-one days. His familiar face recalled the numerous convictions against him. Records were produced, and a list of convictions measuring fully a yard in length was the result.

STORIES FROM BEHIND THE FIRING LINE

Indomitable Spirit of Wounded Soldiers of Allies Described.

(Special Dispatch.)

PARIS, Saturday.

The indomitable spirit of the French soldiers fighting at the front is nowhere so clearly set forth as in a series of articles by Miss Kathleen Burke, who has been to the trenches and knows whereof she speaks. The Litany of the Poilu, as revealed by Miss Burke is as follows:—

"Of two things one is certain; either you're mobilized or you're not mobilized. If you're not mobilized there's no need to worry; if you are mobilized, of two things one is certain; either you're behind the lines or you're on the front. If you are behind the lines there is no need to worry; if you're on the front, of two things one is certain; either you're resting in a safe place or you're exposed to danger.

"If you're resting in a safe place there is no need to worry; if you're exposed to danger, of two things one is certain; either you're wounded or you're not wounded. If you're not wounded there is no need to worry; if you are wounded, of two things one is certain; either you're wounded seriously or you're wounded slightly.

"If you're wounded slightly there is no need to worry; if you're wounded seriously, of two things one is certain; either you recover or you die. If you recover there is no need to worry, if you die you can't worry."

LONDON, Saturday.

Offers of as high as $25 were made for brooches made out of the Zeppelin which was wrecked at Cuffley. There were forty miles of wire in the wreck. This was all cut up into small pieces for souvenirs and the sale fetched many thousands of dollars for the Red Cross Society.

There have been several cases recently of soldier boys who were stricken dumb at the front suddenly recovering their speech. The latest is that of Private Thomas Shaw, a young Manchester lad and a member of the London regiment. In Shaw's case his speech was returned to him in a curious manner while he was confined at the Smithston War Hospital. A gramaphone was playing at his bedside when one of the records fell on the floor. Shaw suddenly made an attempt to catch the record and then shouted "Oh, it's back." He is now able to speak as well as ever.

Service as conductors on the street railways in England seems to be the best paying employment for women who work as unskilled laborers. Since the war has demanded the services of men who formerly were conductors, railway officials have experienced no trouble at all in filling their places.

Hundreds of young women are leaving the factories throughout England to seek employment on the tramway cars. Much machinery is now standing idle in the Manchester cotton mills, owing to a scarcity of female labor.

The following story is told describing the fate of a Church Army hut at the front:—

"One of our men invited a whole battalion to dinner and borrowed crockery amounting to some five hundred plates for the purpose. While they were in the midst of the festivities an enemy aeroplane came over and all the men were ordered out. Within a few minutes of their leaving a shell directed by the aeroplane fell on the hut and hut and plates were things of the past."

Stung by the marriage bee, many of London's fair telephone operators are leaving their posts to begin housekeeping. This epidemic of marriages, combined with the shortage of women workers, is likely to place the telephone exchanges in a difficult position.

Every week the list of resignations is increased. In one week the telephone company lost two assistant supervisors, four girls from the central exchanges and three from other exchanges. In the country districts the telephone girls are marrying as soon as they can find THE man. Thus far the marriage wave has spread from the London district to Belfast.

The luck that follows a man when he is intoxicated is proverbial. An instance of this sort of good fortune was noted in the Brentford police court during the arraignment of an inebriate who, with hilarious laughter and uncertain steps, had almost fallen as he entered the courtroom.

While his case was being heard the prisoner paid no attention to the testimony, but kept joking with one of the attendants. Finally he dug his hand into one of his pockets and drew forth a hand grenade. He raised the iron ball and was about to throw it when nearly one seized his arm, removing the weapon. The Chairman of the Magistrates was greatly excited and he remarked:—"For goodness' sake, take that thing out of here and have it destroyed."

—N. Y. H. Posts.

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OUR DAILY SHORT STORY

Philosopher And King

By F. A. MITCHEL

There was once a boy who was born a prodigy. When he was twelve years old he could dispute with the most learned philosophers and when he was sixteen employed much of his leisure time in working out military problems as some persons in these days contend with an imaginary enemy at chess.

He would set up imaginary enemies, only to attack and overwhelm them. Then he would set them up again and conquer them by another method of campaign.

This boy's name was Paulus, and he was destined to accomplish great feats. Indeed, from the time he was five years old he seemed imbued with this idea. During his youth his only intimate friend was a philosopher named Heraclitus, who was a sort of Diogenes, placing small value on anything mundane. Heraclitus told Paulus that even if he conquered the world it would avail him nothing. "Whatever goes up," he said, "must come down, and the higher it goes the greater the ruin when it falls."

But Paulus being young this pessimistic statement had little effect upon him. "I feel," he said, "an impulse to climb and climb. I will, and I shall accumulate power as I rise. The higher I climb the greater my power. I cannot escape death in the end, but I can establish myself so strongly that I shall die at the summit of my career."

When Paulus was twenty years old a war broke out between his countrymen and a neighboring kingdom. In this war Paulus so distinguished himself that he was made a general. All the other generals on his side were whipped, but Paulus by his genius made up for all their defeats and with his own army alone conquered a peace.

He was then transferred from the army to the king's cabinet, and soon by his recommendations gained so much credit that he was made prime minister. The king meanwhile was growing old and relied more and more on Paulus. Xanthus, the prince who would inherit the crown, was a weakling, and the king, realizing that after his own death Paulus would be the only man able to protect the country against its enemies, gave him the hand of his daughter in marriage that he might reign as king.

When the king died the people insisted on Paulus and his wife assuming the reins of government, and Paulus yielded. He became king, and, since the presence of the legal heir to the throne was not desirable, he was banished.

Paulus then began a career of conquest, by which he subdued many neighboring kingdoms. When they were all brought under subjection he called his old friend Heraclitus to him and said:

"Behold my power. I am now an emperor instead of a king. I have accomplished all I set out to accomplish. It now remains to be seen whether I shall retain what I have or lose it."

"The stone that is thrown in the air must come down," replied the philosopher. "In your youth you were strong. You have passed the building up of your powers, and from this point you will begin a process of decay."

"I have provided against that," replied Paulus. "I am so strongly intrenched that my enemies cannot prevail against me."

For several years all went well, and Paulus again sent for the philosopher and said to him:

"Am I not as powerful as ever?"

"No," replied Heraclitus. "You are in the position of the stone when it has finished its ascent and before it begins to fall."

"What will be the cause of my fall?"

"Nothing in nature stands still. If we are not advancing we are retrograding."

The king dismissed his old friend with sorrow, for he felt that vigor had gone out of him. If called upon to defend his empire from enemies he could not do what he had done in building it up.

Meanwhile Cheros, the son of Xanthus, had been growing to manhood in exile and in the knowledge that his father was king and he heir presumptive to the throne. His father's death was the signal for him to begin secretly to dissatisfy the peoples that King Paul had brought under his sway. The prince had the advantage of legitimacy, and he not only pleaded this, but promised the conquered that if they would make him emperor he would give them their freedom.

Here was an opportunity that had not been given them before. The conquered peoples formed a league to dethrone Paulus and put Cheros on the throne. When all was ready the bolt was shot. Paulus, now an old man, put himself at the head of his armies, but he had lost the courage of youth and, finding his joints stiff, was not only unable to lead, but to keep pace with his subordinate commander. He was beaten in one battle after another and at last obliged to flee in order to save his life. Being hunted, he sought safety in an island where were no human beings except himself. His only companions were the beasts.

One person only visited him there, his old friend the philosopher.

"Do you come to triumph over me in that your prophesies have come true?" asked the exile.

"No; I come because you are the same to me as you have always been. A stone going up in the air, resting at the summit of its arc, falling or on the ground is still a stone."

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Concert Was Well Attended

WARSAW, Jan. 10.—A large audience enjoyed the concert given in the Town Hall on Wednesday evening January 3rd by the pupils of the Presbyterian Sunday School. The programme was as follows:

Chorus—"The Maple Leaf."
Address—Rev. Mr. Brown.
Recitation—Marion Payne.
Song—Fred Gunn.
Girl's Doll Drill.
Recitation—Verna Miller.
Tableau—"Better bide a wee."
Recitation—Russell Payne.
Boy's Cane Drill.
Dialogue—"A close shave."
Khaki Song—Class of boys.

Intermission and presentation of Robert Raikes Diplomas by the Superintendent, Mr. Edward Hawthorne. These diplomas were awarded for steady attendance at Sunday School and were presented to Clifford Selkirk and Hector Munro, the latter's having a seal attached in recognition of his having won it for two consecutive years. Helena Miller and Gerald Crowe were each awarded a Bible for their attendance at church services during the year. Nursing Sister S.M. C. Miller, of Wear Bay House, Folkestone had sent a parcel containing a gift for each of the girls of her former class and these were distributed by Mr. Brown who spoke of the splendid sacrifices Mrs. Miller has made and her thoughtfulness in remembering old friends.

Tableau—"Preparedness."
Wand Drill—Class of girls.
Recitation—Beatrice Clifford.
Tableau—"Keep the home fires burning."
Recitation—Clifford Selkirk.
Tableau—"I want my Daddy."
Dialogue—"Playing school."
Address—Rev. Mr. Clare.
Address—Rev. Mr Robert.
Dialogue—"The quack doctor."
Distribution of Candy.

Mrs. Booth, of Peterborough, is visiting her niece, Mrs. J. A. Crowe.

A concert under the auspices of the Warsaw and Lakefield Choral Societies will be held in the Town Hall, Warsaw, on Friday evening, January 12th. Lunch will be served by the ladies of the Women's Institute.

Mr. Wasson Lynn, of Carstairs, Alta., who has enlisted in the British navy, was in the village for a few days this week renewing acquaintances prior to his departure for Halifax, N.S., where he will join the crew of the "Niobe" for training.

A basket social and dance will be held in S. S. No. 12 on the boundary line between Dummer and Douro at Mr. Forsythe's corner on Friday evening, January 12th. Ladies are requested to bring baskets.

The Women's Institute has made a shipment this week of the following articles to the amount of seventy dollars: Quilts, flannel day shirts, sculletus binders, pyjamas, flannel and eiderdown dressing gowns, trench caps, eiderdown mufflers, hot water bag covers.

IF KIDNEY'S ACT BAD TAKE SALTS

Says Backache is Sign You Have Been Eating Too Much Meat

When you wake up with backache and dull misery in the kidney region it generally means you have been eating too much meat, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood, and they become sort of paralyzed and loggy. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog you must relieve them, like you relieve your bowels; removing all the body's urinous waste, else you have backache, sick headache, dizzy spells; your stomach sours, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, channels often get sore, water scalds, and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable physician at once or get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness.

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SHIPBUILDING IN ENGLAND.

Lloyds "Register of Shipbuilding" for the quarter ended September 30th, shows there were 409 merchant vessels of 1,780,054 tons under construction in the United Kingdom at the close of that quarter against 440 vessels of 1,540,218 tons in the June quarter and 432 vessels of 1,586,177 tons in the September quarter of 1915. Of the vessels under construction 185 are under 500 tons gross, 58 between 4,000 and 5,000, 47 between 6,000 and 8,000, 28 between 8,000 and 10,000, 16 between 10,000 and 20,000, 8 between 15,000 and 25,000, one of 30,000 and two between 30,000 and 40,000 tons.

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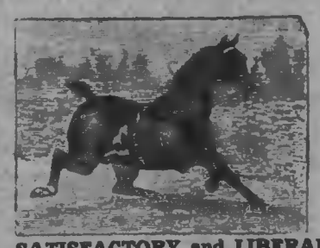

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LOCAL WEEKLY MARKET REPORT

A recent feature of the market has been the announced strength that has developed in the price of live hogs. Locally they are quoted at $12.60 representing a steady advance in the past two weeks. A traveller for a packing house stated that he expected to see pork touch fifteen cents. There is nothing authoritative behind this prediction, and is merely offered as one opinion of what the coming months may produce.

Cattle prices are also advanced and the grain market shows further increases. But butter is off slightly and eggs are holding steadily, although the beginning of a new laying season is evidently at hand.

Some butter sold as high as 45c on the market a week ago but at that figure it was several cents above the general quotations. The winter dairy butter has depreciated in quality below the fall and summer article and the price should react in sympathy. The present trend in butter and eggs is slightly downward.

Most of the other markets are quiet. The grocery staples have not moved either way with the probable exception of flour.

Keene Items Of Interest

Report of the Keene Ladies Patriotic Society

KEENE, Jan. 10.—The following is the report of the Keene Ladies' Patriotic Society for 1916:

Cash Received:	
Donations	$ 117.70
Public entertainments	528.34
Waste paper sold	75.55
Patriotic quilt	35.65
Patriotic buttons sold	11.00
Total	$ 768.24
Red Cross for medical supplies	$200.00
Canadian Red Cross	25.00
British Red Cross	25.00
Belgian Relief Fund	25.00
Yarn for socks	235.00
Dry goods for Red Cross work	100.00
Villiers' Patriotic Society for share of paper sold	12.64
Sixth Line Patriotic Society for share of lunch on Fair day and share of papers sold	27.00
Total	$ 649.64
Expenses of entertainments and sending socks to trenches and general expenses for the year 1916, $117.55	
Cash on hand Jan. 1st, 1917	$ 1.05
Total cash returned	768.24
Expenditure	767.19
Balance	$ 1.05

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Otonabee Agricultural Society will be held in the Town Hall, Keene, on Thursday, Jan. 18th at 1 p.m. for the purpose of receiving and dispensing of the report of the Board of Directors, and for the election of officers for the ensuing year, for the revising of the by-laws and for any other business in connection with the society.

Mrs. (Dr.) Harrison is spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. T. B. Sharpe at Ottawa.

The Red Cross meeting which was to have been held in the Town Hall last Friday evening, had to be postponed owing to inclement weather, until Friday night of this week.

Mr. William Fletcher, who has been spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fletcher, returned on Monday to Belleville, where he is attending school.

Messrs. James McNeil, Sr., and Richard Skinner had the rural 'phone put in their homes last week.

Mrs. Marshall Weir and family, of Bethany, have returned to their home at Bethany after a pleasant two weeks' visit with Keene friends.

Pte. Ernest O'Toole, of Barriefield, is a guest this week of Mrs. William Plunkett.

Mr. and Mrs. James Foley entertained about fifty guests with cards and dancing on Tuesday evening of last week. A very enjoyable time is reported.

Mr. John O'Han of Westwood, was a week end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Roche.

Miss Eliza Stewart of Peterborough, spent Monday of last week with her sister, Mrs. R. N. Johnston.

Mr. J. Byers of Toronto, has accepted the position of manager of the Toronto Bank upon the resignation of N. A. Sawtell, the former manager.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley McBride and family were the guests the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Richardson.

Sewing Bee.

A sewing bee and social afternoon will be held by the Keene Ladies' Patriotic Society on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 17th, at two p.m. in the Council chambers, to which all ladies are cordially invited to attend.

Miss Mary Foley spent the week end with friends at Peterborough.

The W. M. S. of the Methodist church will hold their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. L. Burley on Thursday afternoon of this week.

Mr. William Campbell returned on Friday from Toronto, where he spent the past week with friends.

Mr. Peter McFarlane is moving into the village this week. He will occupy the residence on High street which he purchased from G. F. Hall.

Miss A. McIntyre who has been quite ill of pneumonia, is improving nicely.

Mr. Richard Kylie, Mayor of Lindsay, and Mrs. Kylie, spent New Year's at the home of Mr. Edmond Foley.

Miss Isabella McCarthey returned on Tuesday to St. Joseph's Academy, Lindsay, after a pleasant holiday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel McCarthey.

Mr. Robt. Brown, the manager of the Keene rink, is busy this week making ice and hopes if the weather permits to open the rink on Saturday night of this week.

Mr. W. A. Sawtell left on Saturday for his home in Montreal.

Miss Ella Foley, who has been spending the holidays at the home of her parents, has returned to Notre Dame Academy, Kingston.

Mrs. H. McLachlan requests that the parents and friends of the boys enlisted from Otonabee to send to her the regimental numbers with address, as soon as possible.

Miss Margaret Bolin has returned to St. Josephs Academy, Lindsay, after a pleasant holiday at her home.

Natural Protection.

India is one of the best-protected countries—naturally—in the whole world. Her shape is a triangular peninsula. Two sides are washed by the ocean and the third is bounded by the mighty wall of the Himalayas.

Probably the land most immune from invasion at this moment is New Zealand. Its nearest neighbor is the sister colony of Australia, over a thousand miles away. Japan is 5,000 miles distant, and 'Frisco 6,000 miles. Hardly any conceivable development of flying or submarine craft would suffice to get there.

An Equal Test.

It is an interesting fact that the two studies of arithmetic and geography often seem to be opposed to each other in the affections of school children. Pupils who are particularly proficient in the one are apt to be backward in the other.

A story is told of a youngster who was slow in arithmetic and whose apparent stupidity in this field was a great source of grief to his father, a clever mathematician.

One day when the father and son were walking out they passed a place where a "learned pig" was on exhibition, and the father took the boy in to see the prodigies that the animal could perform.

"Just look at that!" said the father. "Why, there's a pig that can count and add up numbers! Don't you wish you were as smart as he?"

"Ha!" answered the boy. "Just let me ask him a few questions in geography! I reckon I could beat him at that!"

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BRITISH FORCES CAPTURE TWO THOUSAND TURKS

FOURTEEN THOUSAND TON BATTLESHIP SUNK BY SUB.

THE BRITISH BATTLESHIP "CORNWALLIS" WAS SUNK IN THE MEDITERRANEAN SEA

Thirteen Men Are Missing---The "Cornwallis" Was Built in 1901 and Carried Four Twelve inch Guns in Addition to Thirty Guns of Lesser Calibre--Large British Forces Marching Eastward From the Suez Canal in an Attempt to Wrest the Entire Holy Land From the Turks---Germans Gain in Roumania.

A SUMMARY OF TO-DAY'S WAR CABLES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 11.—The British battleship Cornwallis, 14,000 tons, was torpedoed and sunk by a submarine in the Mediterranean Sea on Tuesday, the Admiralty announced to-day. Thirteen men are missing.

The seaplane carrier Bonoychree was also sunk to-day in Kastelorrizo Harbour.

The Cornwallis was built in 1901. She carried four 12-inch guns and thirty guns of lesser calibre.

British Administer Heavy Blow to Turkish Forces

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 11. — (Special Cable). — Large British forces marching westward from the Suez Canal have administered a heavy blow to the Teutonic forces in a new and unexpected quarter, and are now on the borders of Palestine, with apparent designs on marching through that country, from Dan to Beersheba and wresting the entire Holy Land from the Turks.

This is indicated by the War Office announcement to-day that the British have advanced to Rafa, thirty miles north-east of El Arish, capturing nearly two thousand Turks, some guns and much stores on the way, as well as inflicting severe other losses on the enemy. Sheial was taken.

Another similar advance will bring the British to the important Turkish base of Beershaba, which is also regarded as the only important post left in the Turkish defences of Palestine. An early junction between this new British expedition and that of General Maude in Mesopotamia may also be expected.

German Attack Repulsed With Heavy Losses to the Ene my

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, Jan. 11.—(French Official Communique).—A German attack in Caurrieres Woods, next to Verdun, was repulsed during the night, after a fively combat, in which the Germans suffered serious losses, the official statement asserted to-day.

GERMANS CAPTURE TWO HEIGHTS.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 11.—A gain by German forces of two heights north of the mouth of the Oituse River (Roumania), as the result of repeated attacks, was announced in to-day's official statement.

Answer to President Wilson's Note Arrived This Morning

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11. — The Entente answer to President Wilson's note to the belligerents reached the State Departmnt shortly before noon to-day. Wilson and Lansing will peruse it this afternoon.

Italians Have Occupied Gremni in Albania

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

ROME, Jan. 11.—It is officially announced that the Italians have occupied Gremni, in Albania, which renders more apparent a junction between the Italian forces in Albania and the troops in Macedonia, under General Sarrail.

German Freighter Deutschland Is Reported Lost

Special to The Examiner:

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 11.—The Chicago News cable says it is stated in England that the Deutschland, with ten millions in gold as well as an immensely valuable cargo of nickel and rubber, has been lost. As it is four weeks overdue. Another report some time ago said that the Deutschland had arrived safely.

HARRY K. THAW CUT HIS THROAT THIS AFTERNOON

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

Philadelphia, January 11.—Harry K. Thaw, the slayer of Stanford White, and now wanted in New York to answer an indictment charging that he flogged Frederick Gump, cut his throat in a West Philadelphia apartment this afternoon.

At St. Mary's Hospital at 2:10 this afternoon Thaw's condition was said by the attendants to be serious.

LANCE-CORP. HARVEY STAUNTON RETURNS INVALIDED HOME

Went Over With First Contingent in 1914 and Left Trenches Sept. 2nd 1916—Through the Thick of it

GOES TO TORONTO HOSPITAL

Lance Corporal Harvey Staunton a well known Peterborough boy who has seen many months of service on the firing line in France reached home yesterday and will spend ten days leave here before going to the Convalescent Home in Toronto for treatment. Lance Corporal Staunton was employed by the G.T.R. when war broke out and enlisted in Lindsay. At Valcartier he became a member of the 15th Battalion, 48th Highlanders and went overseas as a member of the Toronto Scottish. He was wounded at St. Julien and was in the hospital in England for some time afterwards, being attached to the 39th Reserve Battalion at West Sandling where he met many Peterborough boys. Lance Corporal Staunton returned to France as a member of a Trench Mortar Battery and as one of the crew of a stokes gun was attached to the 21st Battalion. Finally after months of service his health broke down and he was invalided back to England and eventually to Canada.

Lance Corporal Staunton was a member of the 57th Regiment for a long period before the war and was quick to respond to the call for men. His many friends in Peterborough will gladly welcome him back and unite in wishing him a speedy recovery.

His home-coming is saddened by the fact that his brother Ernest Staunton was one of the victims of the Quaker Oats fire.

Demonstration Will Be Continued

Interesting Demonstration of Electricity's Curative Power at Madill's Drug Store

Mr. Wm. Madill is to be congratulated on having secured a demonstration of the Branston Violet Ray High Frequency Generator.

Many people are calling at the store and receiving free trial treatments and in every instance those treated are amazed at the almost instant relief from pain. A man from the Examiner was an interested witness of several such cases yesterday. It is a recognised medical treatment and the fact that the demand exceeds the supply is proof of its popularity. It is entirely Canadian Made.

The present demonstration will be continued for a few days longer. The Charles A. Branston Company, Toronto, manufacturers of this wonderful appliance, have an expert demonstrator in charge who will be pleased to give a free treatment to any one suffering from rheumatism, neuralgia, insomnia, catarrh, headache, or any disorder of the nervous or circulatory system.

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SACRED HEART RINK

Best ice in the City. Band in attendance TO-NIGHT. Admission 10c.

"Armies Will Cleave Road To Victory During Year 1917"

Lloyd George Was Given a Tremendous Ovation as He Outlined the Empire's Position in Regard to the Recent Peace Terms Which He Characterized as "A Trap Baited With Fine Words"---Prime Minister Addressed An Enthusiastic Gathering in the Guild Hall This Afternoon.

TERMS OF THE NEW WAR LOAN

Examiner Special:

LONDON, Jan. 11.—Britain and her Allies have told the President of the United States they desire peace, but it must be a real peace. War is preferable to Prussian domination of Europe.

Prime Minister Lloyd-George told a Guild Hall meeting this afternoon that this position of the Entente Powers had been "made clear in the reply to Germany's peace proffer, but clearer still in reply to the American note."

It was a vociferously enthusiastic crowd that greeted the Premier as he delivered his first speech since his opening address in the House of Commons, voicing Britain's refusal of Germany's peace terms and outlining the aims and purposes of his new Ministry.

The meeting was called to energize the gathering of subscriptions to "win the war loan," and Lloyd-George took the opportunity to emphatically reiterate Britain's determination to win the war.

Did Not Reject Peace Terms.

"We did not reject the peace terms," the Premier said. "None were offered. It was only a trap, baited with fine words."

The British Premier said he had been impressed at the air of confidence over the "increasing extent to which Allied peoples were looking toward England."

"I am more than confident," he continued, "that Britain will not fail in the trust thus imposed on her. Our navy has strangled enemy commerce, and will continue this despite piratical devices."

Defeat Was Impossible.

Referring to the counsels of the Entente nations recently, the Prime Minister said:

"All the Allies felt that if victory was difficult a defeat was impossible. Arrangements were made there to deal with the whole situation."

Referring to the loan, for which the meeting was called, Lloyd-George said:

"A successful loan will help shorten the war, will save lives and will save the British Empire, and Europe's civilization. With proper support, our gallant armies will cleave the road to victory during 1917."

Lloyd-George was given a tremendous ovation, and there were prolonged cheers for both the Chancellor of the Exchequer Bonar Law and former Chancellor Reginald McKenna, who explained the terms of the loan.

The loan will be at five per cent., issued at 95, for a term of thirty years. There will also be an optioned loan at four per cent., par, and free from tax.

QUAKER OATS CO. TAKE OVER MILLS

Two or Three Year Lease of the Premises have been Secured by the Company, With Option of Purchase at End of Term

Definite announcement is made that the Quaker Oats Company will take over the plant of the Sudbury Four Mills, at Sudbury, Ont. Officials of the Sudbury Flour Mill have been formally notified to this effect, and expect officials of the Quaker Oats Company, will shortly arrive to undertake such re-arrangement of the plant as may be necessary to meet their needs, and to commence immediate operation thereafter. The negotiations have been conducted at Ottawa and Chicago, and the exact nature of the deal is not known, but it is believed that a two or three year lease of the premises have been secured by the Quaker Oats Company with the option of purchase at the end of the term.

Following the recent disastrous fire which destroyed the huge plant of the Quaker Oats Company at Peterborough, Ont., officials of the company visited Sudbury and expressed themselves as well satisfied with the arrangement of the local milling plant for their purposes and more than impressed with Sudbury as a commercial centre.—Journal of Commerce.

A Fine Programme At The Empire

In Addition to the Regular Programme To-morrow the Empire Will Show Mutt and Jeff

Donald Brian, the popular stage favourite, returns to the screen under auspicious as well as thoroughly amusing circumstances in the Famous Players Film Company's comedy production, "The Smugglers." The laughable series of comic tragedies which results from the attempt of John Battleby Watts, who has made millions by converting hay into breakfast food, to recover his wife's $30,000 pearls which he has carelessly lost, and for which he has substituted bogus pearls, is presented with much humour and many thrills. The culmination of Watts' trials occurs at the Customs House, when he attempts to smuggle in the bogus pearls in order to avoid the exposure which would result from his declaring them at their supposed $30,000 valuation. In spite of his efforts, however, the indignant Mrs. Watts learns of the substitution of her pearls. In the following scene Watts learns that the belief that "pearls are made of tears" is composed of more truth than imagination.

Also a good comedy and Mutt and Jeff, on Friday and Saturday Special at the Empire Theatre.

Be sure to wash the face with hot water and soap before retiring this will do a great deal toward a clear complexion.

4,297 Service Cards Collected In the City

LARGE DEPUTATION DEMAND THE TOTAL ABOLITION OF LIQUOR

Gathering which Waited upon Premier Borden To-day was Representative of all the Temperance Organizations Throughout the Country

THREE MONTHS GRACE

Special to The Examiner:

OTTAWA, Jan. 11. — Demanding the prohibition of the manufacture, importation and sale of liquor as a war measure, two delegations waited upon Sir Robert Borden and his colleagues to-day.

One deputation which say the Government at noon was representative of practically all the Dominion and Provincial temperance organizations throughout the country.

The second deputation included a large number of members of the National Council of Women, of Montreal, who came to the Capital in special cars, and who saw the Prime Minister at one o'clock.

The larger deputation at which Hon. Justice LaFontaine, of Montreal, was the principal speaker, asked for the immediate enactment of a war measure of temperance, the question of its continuance in force to be determined by a referendum to be taken three years after the war or as an alternative that a referendum be taken before June, and the result to become effective within three months.

Premier Borden, replying, practically put it up to the individual provinces. He said that the moment a province prohibited liquor to the full extent of its constitutional powers, then the Dominion law stepped in and prohibited importation.

He promised full consideration of all the deputation's arguments.

Probe Comes To An Abrupt End

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—The investigation of the leak to Wall Street of advance information on President Wilson's note to the belligerents came to an abrupt end to-day. The House Rules Committee defeated the second Wood resolution providing for a probe of Thomas W Lawson's charge.

PETERBOROUGH BOY IS IMPROVING

Sergeant Alexander C. Gillespie, whose home is at 198 Hunter street, and who was recently reported wounded, is improving. A second message has been received from Ottawa stating that Sergeant Gillespie's condition has improved.

CONDUCTED LOTTERY, GUILTY, BUT LET GO

Regina Women Plead They Were Aiding Soldiers.

Regina, Jan. 11.—Mrs. Charles Hickey and Miss Christine McIvor were found guilty in the Supreme Court of conducting a lottery, with a strong recommendation to to mercy and were allowed to go on suspended sentence.

With the assurance they were aiding the returned soldiers' fund, the women started to sell tickets for a lottery at one dollar each and to raffle an automobile, which they proposed to purchase when they had realised sufficient funds from the sale of the tickets.

Peterboro's Response to National Service Almost Unanimous—Only 37 Refusals—568 From the Rural Districts.

NOT YET FORWARDED

The total number of National Service Cards received at the Post Office has reached 4,865. This number is comprised of 4,297 from the city and 568 from the rural routes practically all of which have been received. In the city there have been exactly 37 refusals to sign the cards, and these names will be forwarded to the government.

The local cards have not yet been forwarded for the reason that they must first be listed. The fact that there have been so small a number of refusals in Peterborough is generally regarded with complete satisfaction. In fact the response from the city has practically been unanimous.

APPLICATIONS FOR RETURN OF CHILDREN

Children's Aid Society has arranged to be Represented when Cases come up

At the regular monthly meeting of the Children's Aid Society it was decided to have the secretary secure further information concerning a couple of applications that have been made for the return of children now in care of the Society. The original parents are applying for the return of their children, but the Society is inclined to the opinion that to return the children would be unfair to the foster parents who are now caring for them. In one particular case, application has been made to a High Court judge. The Society has arranged to be represented when the cases are heard, and in the meantime more information concerning the children involved, will be secured.

A committee was appointed to nominate the standing committees for the year, consisting of the purchasing committee, the finance committee, the house committee, etc. A meeting respecting this matter will be called by Mr. E. A. Peck, President of the Society some time this week.

A number of accounts were passed. Those present were: Messrs. Pennefather, H. Beal, Dr. Fortune, Fire Chief Howard, E. A. Peck, J. Wearing, Rev. Father Phelan. The ladies present were: Mrs. Gibbs, Mrs. Stocker, Mrs. Hopwood, Mrs. Birdsall, Mrs. Sanderson and Mrs. Montgomery.

PETERBORO BOY ON NAVAL TRANSPORT SHIP

Mr. Vincent J. Corkery, who is training for the navy at Portsmouth, England, recently wrote to his mother outlining the schedule of the day's work. From the studies and practical work at the naval barracks he has advanced to the duties on the training ship "Argonaut," which makes daily trips to sea with the recruits for the naval reserve. Swabbing the deck at a quarter to six every morning is one of the necessary items of the routine of a "tar" for which Mr. Corkery is qualifying.

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WOMEN, WAR AND WORK.

When the ladies of the Peterborough Curling Club saw the seductive glister of the curling ice at the rink, there must have been a sharp tussle between desire and duty, before they decided to abandon the pleasures of curling for the season, and devote their membership fees and embodied energies to Red Cross Work. This action is not surprising. The women of Peterborough, in common with many of the women of Canada, have shown a magnificent spirit of devotion and sacrifice in order to do a splendid lot of work for Red Cross and other interests associated with the war. It is to their work that the soldiers in camp and trench and hospital, owe much of the continuous supply of comforts they would not have had, but for the tireless, knitting, sewing and sacrifice of home comforts and social pleasures by the Girls they Left Behind Them.

If the gallant lads in the strenuous or relaxed moments of war life could know what interest, what enthusiasm, the women at home unite in their work; what womanly tenderness, sympathy and prayers they stitch and knit into the socks and garments for the soldiers, they would be cheered without measure, and feel that the Red Cross at home make it greatly worth while, to risk the wooden cross, to win the Victoria or other cross, in the defense of the women at home, we stand for the best they are fighting for in this war of high ideals.

But they can't know, and won't know, when we in the city, next door to our petticoated home paladins don't know and can't realize, what they have done, and are doing. We do not know the extent of Red Cross work in Peterborough, for the workers are too busy to trumpet their activities from the house top; they stick to their knitting and sewing, and the invoice of their shipments, of completed comforts alone constitute one record. From casual inquiry it is found that there are at least five hundred women busily at work on Red Cross work, several hours a day together or separably at home; plying hundreds of needles, guiding the whirr of fifty or more sewing machines, keeping busy countless clicking quartelles of knitting steels. Every church has its Auxiliary to the central body, with headquarters at the Public Library, and there are many subsidiary societies each doing its splendid best in the great industry that keeps the battalion of Red Cross patriots at work.

Accidental information shows something of what is being done. At the T. A. S. rooms seventy workers are busy and ten sewing machines are kept at work—a type, no doubt, of similar activity in several other centres. Two men are kept busy in the packing department, a not surprising thing when the total of one week's shipment—comprising hundreds of made articles—representing, individually, perhaps little money value, but much hard work—amounts to $548.40 From the Public Library centre 240 pairs of soldiers' socks per month are sent out—enough to warm the feet of half a battalion.

No doubt, the activities of Peterborough women in Red Cross work is repeated all over Canada every day; and the universality and spirit of enthusiasm of women's work in the war, are at once a magnificent reproach and a splendid example to the manhood of the country. If one-tenth of the men of Canada eligible to fight or do other work, were as busy as the women of the country, there would be no necessity of the Government breaking its neck to get the manhood of the country wakened to the fact and duty of national service. The women of Canada in their surrender to the spirit of voluntary sacrifice, are a practical demonstration of the proverb—"Woman's work is never done," but always in the doing. Our women are worthy of the glory, laud and honour we give them.

FIND A WAY OR MAKE IT.

Coroner Dr. Greer was commendably considerate in pointing out the indesirability of indiscreet assumption, in attributing poisoning, in cases where no other cause is known, to ptomaine. Such cases are in fact extremely rare and, and alarmist guesses unwarrantably increasing the number are to be deprecated. Ptomaine, or ptomaine products consist of the virulent form or forms of alkaloid or organic bases, the effects or results of putrescent degeneration of animal and, sometimes, vegetable substances, and sometimes found in tinned foods. But these occurrences are comparatively rare, perhaps one in a million of tins. The chances of ptomaine poisoning—that is the real thing, not hasty assumption ,is practically negligible, not one perhaps, in a million. It is not probable that one tin among the many millions of packages of tinned foods used in Canada, there can be found many, if one or two instances the materials of ptomaine poisoning.

But if we can fortunately give the canners a fairly clean bill of health for their products, we cannot unfortunately extend our absolution to the prices which which we are told the canners in combination are responsible for. If there were any any other than infinitesimal risk from using possibly affected tinned goods, the damage is greatly lessened by the difficulty of getting such goods over the barrier of high prices. Newspapers which may glibly talk ptomaine poisoning are known to be defenders of a policy that permits a far greater and more present evil— combiantions to advance or with the effect of advancing, prices. Such "combines are alleged, and a coroner's or government's inquest to investigate them is much more indicated than inquiry into extremely problematical cases of ptomaine poisoning.

But if we can't get the government to take off its gloves and handle the combines—miners and others — we fortunately have the means of largely circumventing them. In the matter of fruits housewives, if they are alive and not too lazy, can do their own fruit supplies. In the summer time, all fruits, small and great, are plentiful and cheap, and and every housewife can and should put down a supply of home-treated fruit—enough to make the family independent, and indifferent to whatever price outrages combines may perpetrate. The work is easily done, the most that is needed is the fruit, the sugar and the will to imitate even the firvolous squirrel that in spite of all the seductions of pleasure or play, lays up a store for the winter.

This war time forces a good many things upon us—the most insistent being the necessity of economy and self-help. It is claimed that bread can be baked at home more cheaply than it can be got from the bakers, and there are many ways in which the home larder can be helped, by doing a little more home work. New laid eggs are from the financial point of view, a forbidden fruit, and much harder to get at than Mother Eve found the apple. A correspondent in yesterday's Examiner pointed out how easy it is to keep a few hens, which means a few eggs, that won't cost a king's ransom per dozen.

To widen the field of possibility—there are hundreds of vacant lots that would grow most of the vegetables a family needs, and would be better growing food than weeds. This war times teaches as many things; has taught us that we can do many and great things when the necessity is forced upon us. There are many women in the city who before the war couldn't knit a doll's garter, now knitting well shaped socks for the soldiers; and in a hundred ways, hundreds of people have shown that the back can be broadened to the burden—than we can do almost impossibilities when the necessity is brought home to us. The war and its perplexities have made us all more resourceful. It has taught us that we can do more than we should have believed possible three years ago; has taught us that we can save to an extent that would have meant pauperistic expendient a year or two ago, and even incompatible with respectability. If we want to do things, we can't either find a way or make it.

DEUTSCHLAND HAD CASH.

How Bernstorff Received his Salary From Germany.

Washington, Jan. 11.—The German cargo submarine Deutschland was the German embassy's "purse" on its last trip to New London, Conn., it was learned yesterday.

The Deutschland brought over several good sized fortunes in German treasury notes which were not negotiable until signed by German Ambassador Von Bernstorff. These notes will be used to pay the embassy salaries and expenses, the salarie of sailors on interned German merchantmen and auxiliary cruisers, the upkeep of these vessels, and any other expenses which the embassy may have to disperse here, Bernstorf said to-day.

What We Are Fighting Against And What We Must Overcome

"The most highly significant evidence of the German mind, and, by the same token, never intended for publicity outside Germany, is to be found in a recent article in The Berliner Lokal Anzeiger, over the signature of Walter Rathenau, the individual who for a number of years before war had complete charge of official Organization among war-need industrial establishments in the German Empire, and who has been deputized to continue this particular work in the supreme effort the Teutonic nation is about to put forth.

"This article, which is before my eyes as I write, says in full, copied verbatim:

"'We began the war a year too soon. When we have secured a German peace we must begin at once a reorganization upon a broader and firmer basis than ever before. Establishments that produce raw materials essential to the army must not only continue their work, but enter into it upon lines of increased energy, forming thus the kernel of economic Germany in preparing, in the economic sense, for the next war. We must carefully calculate in advance, in view of lessons learned in this war, what our country lacks in raw material or essentials of raw materials, and secure immense reserves to remain unused until a day in the future. We must organize as genuine an industrial mobilization as we had a military mobilization. Every technician or semi-technician, enrolled or not in the list of mobilized, must be empowered through official credentials to take charge and direction of a given establishment upon the second day following a new declaration of war. Every establishment manufacturing for commercial purposes must be mobilized also, and understand officially that upon the third day after declaration of war their entire abilities are to be devoted to serving the army upon demand.

"'It must also be determined in advance just what qualities and sort of essentials such establishment can furnish the army in a given time. Each establishment also should be required to furnish a detailed list of workmen who can be dispensed with, these only to be mobilized in the military sense.

"'We must finally establish some definite commercial understanding with nations outside Europe that will offer them advantages, to be duly specified in detail, whereby these nations as neutrals will find it to their direct disadvantage commercially to trade or sell munitions during war to either ourselves or our enemies. We can afford to offer such conditions ourselves. And finally, when the next war comes, it must not be a year too soon.'

"Here in a nutshell, or 'kernel,' to quote frank M. Rathenau, is what Allied Europe has long understood, and what has not been truly understood in the United States, save by a relative few.

"It is the reason why the war would be continued for ten years, if necessary, by France, England, and their allies. It is the reason why nothing short of the 'knockout' will serve. It is the reason why any talk or effort for peace would be ill received, even if backed by the best of motives and official sanction from the greatest of neutrals, or the smallest, or all the neutrals collectively.

"The war cloud that hung over Europe for thirty years prior to August, 1914, must be dispersed finally and for ever. The intolerable conditions prevailing must be finally made impossible of repetition. The horrors and miseries, the suffering and privation, the whole gamut of evil that no single individual can understand through reading the writing of another, that must be seen, felt, experienced through the sense to be grasped even in outer circles, must never again be a worldly portion.

"This will only be possible through making war against war until a human peace is the reward. It would be as impossible under a German peace as would a railway journey to Mars.

"Germany realizes all I have here written in a sincerity beyond mere words for the telling. She feels her setting sun. She is reaching out at the two extreme extremes of the compass in vain effort to remedy that beginning the war a year too soon."

"One is her present huge peace propaganda in the United States. The other is her last supreme effort in the levee en masse, the deportation of the Belgian populace, the 'Kingdom' of Poland, and all the rest of it.

"Neither scheme, neither plan, will avail. She feels it, and sense but a desperate postponement of the inevitable. The mills of the gods are grinding.

"The article from the Berliner Lokal Anzeiger is but reiterative proof of an open stupendous fact patent to individual or nation who will judicially examine the evidence at this 860th day of hostilities.

"The fact is the issue is no longer between the Allied and Central Powers. They but represent two ideas! One champions justice, humanity, civilization, the right of people, respect for moral law, and understanding as to definition of the word honour. The other has deliberately as aim the ultimate domination of the globe by a Prussianized Germany."—New York Tribune.

BLUE-BLOOD HEROES.

Part Played by Sons of England's Noble Houses in the War.

When the full story of the war is written it will have no more inspiring chapter than that which describes the magnificent part the sons of our noble houses have played in it—their devotion, their heroism, their splendid deaths for the land they love.

Already, although the war has barely reached its turning point, the list of these heirs to coronets they will never wear is appallingly large. Since the Master of Burleigh, eldest son of Lord Balfour of Burleigh, as gallant a soldier as ever bore the historic name of Bruce, perished in the first month of the war, nearly fifty peers have lost the sons who ought to have succeeded to their honors.

These Heroes have come from all grades of our peerage. One of them was heir to a dukdom, who, if he had lived, would have been premier duke, marquis, and earl of Ireland. Four were sons of marquises, five had earls for the fathers, seven were heirs to viscounties, and twenty-nine were successors to baronies. Six of them were the last heirs to the family honors, and the peerages which should have been theirs are now extinct.

The Marquis of Lincolnshire, Lords Knaresborough, Playfair, Ribblesdale, Rosmead, and Stanford have now no heirs to follow them; though their sacrifice has not been so great as that of Lord Desborough, who has lost two successive heirs in the war within nine weeks of each other.

In this roll of honor, so far, there are comparatively few names that have won fame in old-time battles, such as Stanley, Percy, Clifford, and Cholmondeley—names that recall long dead generations of warriors. There is little, if any, martial strain in the blood of a Gascheu and a Mills, a Playfair and a Robinson; but the bearers of these and many other historic names have fought as gallantly and died as heroically as any armored knight of the age of chivalry.

Young Lord Weymouth, a boy of twenty, who died so bravely a few weeks ago, had plenty of fighting blood in his veins, and proved himself a worthy descendant of his ancestor, Sir John Thynne, who won his knighthly spurs so valiantly on the field of Musselburgh more than three centuries and a half ago. Lord Bridport's heir, who gave up his brave life one June day last year, had in his veins the blood of England's hero, Lord Nelson, and also of that grand old sea-dog, Sir Samuel Hood, Admiral of the Blue.

Lord Spencer Douglas Compton, son of the Marquis of Northampton, who died a year ago, could look back to a long array of fighting ancestors.

Generation after generation, the Comptons were among the doughtiest warriors of England. There was a Compton in every battle in the Civil War, including the third earl, who, with his father and all his brothers, fought so bravely for their King at Edgehill and Banbury and in many another battle.

Lord Arthur Hay, heir to his brother, the Marquis of Tweeddale, who died in the second month of the war, had one ancestor who fell on Flodden Field, and another who commanded a regiment at Marston Moor and Preston; and Viscount Templetown's heir, who died on May 9th, 1915, had many a warrior among his forefathers, including that Upton who covered himself with glory at the Siege of Limerick, under the standard of our third William.

England's First Scientist.

The first great English scientist was Roger Bacon, who died 621 years ago. The exact date of his birth is unknown, but it is believed that this year marks the 700th anniversary. He was persecuted and condemned and much of his work destroyed so that the extent of his discoveries cannot be definitely known. It is certain that he was centuries ahead of his ignorant and credulous times in chemistry, mathematics and mechanics. Branded as a magician, he was thrown into prison. From 1277 until a short time before his death Bacon was immured in a filthy cell. He is said to have invented the camera obscura, the air pump and the diving bell, and he was acquainted with the uses of optical lenses and the nature of gunpowder, although the projective power of gunpowder appears not to have been discovered until the following century. It is said that during a war Bacon set fire to the oldest buildings in a town by using burning lenses.—Chicago Journal.

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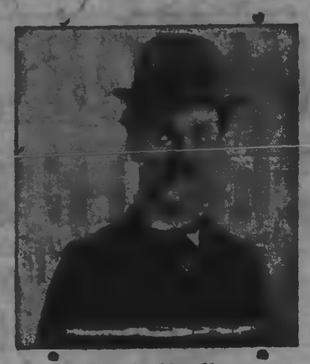
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THE WORLD OF SPORT

HOCKEY GOSSIP

The Peterborough juniors left for Oshawa on the 11.40 G.T.R. train today and will clash with manager Bradley's outfit to-night. The certainty of fast ice was welcomed by the youngsters and they will try their best for a win to-night as a victory would give them a decided edge for the district honours. McFee was unable to get away and will be replaced by Frost of last year's pennants. The line-up will be as follows:

Goal—Murray.
Right Defence—McIntyre.
Left Defence—Montgomery.
Rover—Graham.
Centre—Cherrett.
Right Wing—Frost.
Left Wing—Bartley.

The Lindsay 247th postponed game will not be played to-night and so far no date has been set for this fixture, which has already been postponed twice. The soldiers were anxious to get the game played this week in order to clear th slate for an exhibition game next week. They play the return game in Cobourg to-morrow night and should earn the decision by a comfortable margin especially as the ice conditions will be fast.

COUGHLIN WITH PROS.

Jerry Coughlin appeared with the Torontos last night in their game with Wanderers of Montreal. The Mail refers to his appearance as follows:

Corbett Denneny, who is suffering from the grippe and talks in only a whisper, was not used after the first period, while the crowd saw two new players perform for the Torontos, in Speck of Haileybury, and Jerry Coughlin of Peterborough who played for Houghton last year. Jerry created a favourable impression, but Speck seemed to lack speed. He may get this later on, as he is only eighteen.

HOCKEY RESULTS.

The following were the hockey results last night:

N. H. A.

Torontos .....9 Wanderers 4
Canadiens .....6 236th Battalion..1
Quebec .....5 Ottawa 4

Senior O. H. A.

227th Battalion 8 Dentals 4

Intermediate O. H. A.

Oshawa .....12 Bowmanville ...3
Depot Batteries 5 Queen's H. 1
Port Hope .... 3 Whitby 2
xMitchell .....8 Milverton 7

Junior O. H. A.

De la Salle .... 4 Univ. Schools ..2
Kitchener .... 8 Preston 4
xPlayed on Tuesday.

OSHAWA 12, BOWMANVILLE 3.

Bowmanville, Jan. 10.—In the intermediate game played here this evening between Bowmanville and Oshawa Oshawa defeated the home team by a score of 12 to 3. Oshawa led by 8 to 0 at the end of the first period by 6 to 3.

Bowmanville—Goal, Edger; right defence, F. Williams; left defence, Christie; rover, R. Williams, centre, R. Hooper; left wing, H. Hooper; right wing, Thompson.

Oshawa—Goal, Childs; right defence Hamblyn; left defence, Kemp; rover Fair; centre Hall; left wing, Jacques; right wing, Rowden.

Referee—J. Moxon.

PORT HOPE 3, WHITBY 2

Port Hope, Jan. 10.—In the first home game of the season Port Hope defeated Whitby intermediates last night by a score of 3 to 2. Both teams were very evenly matched and the result was in doubt until the final sound of the gong. The teams were:—

Port Hope—Goal, Micks; right defence, Hamly; left defence, Jex; rover, Chalk; centre, Hilb; right wing, Sculthorp; left wing, King.

Whitby—Goal, O'Connor; right defence, C. Rice; left defence, Smith; rover, A. Blanchard; centre, F. Rice; right wing, Watson; left wing C. Blanchard.

Referee—H. Sproule.

CHURCH HOCKEY LEAGUE

The Executive Committee of the Knox church hockey team will meet to-night in the Y.M.C.A. at eight o'clock.

CURLING

To-night's scheduled games are as follows:

Matthews vs. Waddell.
Campbell vs. Taylor.
McDirmid vs. Giroux.
Brightman vs. Best.
Lang vs. J. H. Ferguson.

The members of the various rinks are reminded that they should be on the ice ready to play at eight o'clock sharp.

Last Night's Games.

Last night's games resulted as follows:

A. L. Killaly,	J. K. Parkins,
W. J. Henry,	R. Dobie,
G. T. Bowes,	W. M. Lang,
R. Hicks	W. H. Bradburn,
Skip.....10	Skip.....12
J. R. Costain,	R. B. Allen,
G. A. Benor,	L. A. Turner,
C. J. Seymour,	S. Ray,
R. G. Sturgeon,	W. J. Thompson,
Skip.....14	Skip.....12
J. O. Donaldson,	G. Copping,
J. F. Linton,	A. J. Grant,
M. C. Tooley,	G. Boucher,
A. W. Archibald,	H. F. Foote,
Skip.....5	Skip.....16
G. W. Green,	H. Johnston,
W. H. Meredith,	A. Nichol,
J. C. Read,	G. H. Logie,
R. Harstone,	D. Davidson,
Skip.....5	Skip.....17
J. McCabe,	S. J. Graham,
E. H. D. Hall,	C. Brown,
E. G. Patterson,	J. Wiley,
A. Kay,	Dr. Wightman,
Skip.....7	Skip.....18

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Police Dogs Guard The Phipps Children in Palm Beach Surf

PALM BEACH, Fla., Jan 11.—When the children of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Phipps strolled down the beach toward the surf for their swim they were flanked by two large police dogs. The children entered the water and swam about, the dogs swimming with them as guardians. The dogs have been trained as life guards, and amazed the spectators by the skill and fidelity with which they tended their small charges. The youngsters, who are good swimmers, played at being in distress, and at all times the remarkable animals responded. Whichever way the children would swim the dogs were right alongside. Mr. Phipps had them trained to swim close to a child in difficulty, offering their sturdy backs as a support.

There were many pleased comments on this exhibition of canine intelligence, and Dr. H. C. Russel said:—"It should become a custom to train dogs in this fashion and have them at beaches for duty as helpers to the life saving corps."

TO-DAY'S MILITARY NEWS

Lt.-Col. Ackerman, of the 247th Battalion, is addressing the following letter to eligible young men in the surrounding district:

Peterborough, Ont., 1917.

From the Officer Commanding,
247th Battalion, C.E.F.

To———

Dear Sir:—

Your name has been given to me as the name of a man apparently eligible for active service. If you are not eligible and know yourself that you are not, then this letter will not apply to you.

I have been entrusted with the work of recruiting a Battalion, and the only way in which this can be done successfully is by securing the names of every available man and then personally pointing out to each individual, reasons why he should enlist. The Prime Minister has given us his word that unless the remaining 190,000 men volunteer, conscription will have to be resorted to; so that if you are eligible you will be affected anyway.

You should understand how serious the situation is at the present time, and must realize how you would feel if you were compelled to enlist as a Conscript. I ask you, as man to man, to think this over very seriously, realizing that the eyes of every person in Canada are upon you. If you feel that you are Medically Unfit, for service, go before the Medical Officer for examination, and if he finds you to be unfit for service, you will receive a rejected button.

In closing I again appeal to you to enlist and take up your share of the responsibility in putting down a ruthless enemy of all mankind. I can give you my personal assurance that military life is both mentally and physically the greatest game in the world, and you have an opportunity of serving under officers who have served in France, been wounded, and are going back again.

Trusting you will treat this letter as a personal matter and favour me with a reply. I remain,

Yours truly,
C. H. ACKERMAN,
Lieut.-Col.
O. C. 247th Battalion, C. E. F.

Pte. Fred Todd, of Centreville, was added to the strength of the 247th Battalion this morning.

The 247th Battalion will hold big recruiting meetings in Norwood and Millbrook next week—in the former place on Monday, and in Millbrook on Tuesday. The band will be in attendance at both places.

The reference in Lieut. Ketchum's letter in The Examiner last evening to the reported capture of Lieut. R. P. A. Crisp, former machine gun officer of the 93rd Battalion, has caused considerable anxiety among many of his friends who did not know that Lieut. Crisp has not yet left England, where he is in training for the Royal Flying Corps. It is evident that Lieut. Ketchum must have mistaken the name of some other officer in the casualty list for that of the 93rd officer, who the citizens of Peterborough will be glad to learn is still free and well.

Corp. V. G. Mulligan, of the Army Medical Corps, London, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Mulligan, 804 George street. Corporal Mulligan leaves for overseas on Monday, January 15th.

Among the holiday greetings received by the Examiner was a pretty card from Lieut. D. J. More of Peterborough who is in France with the 21st Battalion. Lieut. More enlisted here as a private with the 57th regiment's quota to the 2nd division, won his Sergeant's stripes at Kingston and his commission in the field.

Private Arthur Frost of the 93rd Battalion writing to his mother, Mrs. John Frost, Albert street, sent a warm acknowledgment of a Christmas parcel from the pupils of the King Edward School.

DIED TO SAVE A RETREAT

French Colonel Bravely Awaited Death—Set Fine Example.

PARIS, Jan. 11.—Allowing himself to be killed resting on his cannon to give an example and prevent a precipitate retreat, reads the order of the day, recording the death of Lt.-Col. Patrice Mahon.

It was at the pass of St. Marie Aux Mines, in the Vosges. Twice before this he had tried to save the pass, the second time leading a victorious counter-attack. A hot enemy attack the third time forced the French to retire. Mahon, dismounting from his horse, crossed his arms and stood in front of one of the French guns, facing the enemy until he was killed.

The body still lies between the French and German lines, although a number of officers have tried to recover it.

COOKING FOR AN ARMY ON CANADA'S MILITARY "SPECIALS"

4,000 lbs. fresh meat and bacon.
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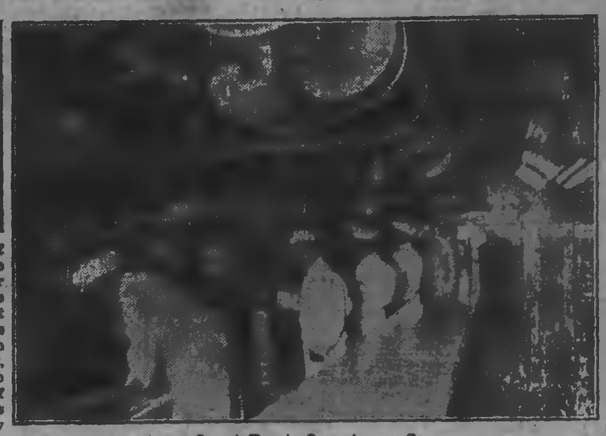
50 bags of potatoes.
1,400 lbs. of sugar.
400 lbs. of coffee.
100 lbs. of tea.
300 gals. of milk.
500 lbs. of butter.
600 lbs. of oatmeal.
Some of the staples provided for a battalion en route Camp Berdan, Ont., to Halifax, N.S.



Grand Trunk Commissary Car.

When the full account is written of Canada's participation in the war there will be no more interesting chapter than that dealing with the methods employed in transporting this great army of men from the training areas to the seaboard, over distances, in many instances, of thousands of miles, and thence from our Atlantic ports to the English camps and the trenches of Flanders and France. One side of this work which stands out most clearly is the use of the Military dining cars which have been specially created in Canada to provide our soldiers with meals while on their long railway journeys. No country in the world ever faced the problem of carrying over so great a distance by rail so many men and to meet the situation something new in railroad equipment had to be provided to attend to the cooking and serving of meals. The ordinary dining car, as compact as a watch in its arrangement, can feed thirty people at one sitting, but how to cope hundreds of men at one time was the problem. That it has been mastered in splendid fashion is a compliment to the dining car experts of Canada, and particularly to Mr. E. W. Smith, Superintendent of dining and parlor car service, Grand Trunk Railway System. So successful have been the methods adopted on the Grand Trunk that they have attracted the attention of authorities in all parts of the world and were recently inquired into by the United States Government.

The Grand Trunk Commissary Car shown in the illustration is the largest travelling kitchen ever devised. It is eighty feet long, has a full-sized hotel range ten feet in length, steam-cooking apparatus and sixty-foot refrigerator space and store-room capacity for many tons of provisions. Eight cooks work in it without confusion, while a passageway running the whole length of the car allows the military waiters to pass on their way to and from the coaches. In the movement of a battalion two of these cars are used, the military special being run, as a rule, in two sections. The commissary car is placed in the centre of the train in order that it is easy of access from all the coaches. When a battalion entrains the Commissary Department is always the subject of keen interest among the men in khaki. The military cooks are for the time being out of action. The comfort of the men, so far as diet is concerned, depends upon the railway's crew, in charge of a specially chosen steward. The system of service is explained to the soldiers by the steward at the first meal on the train. The non-commissioned officer in each coach appoints his own waiters. Punctually as the minute hand of the watch reaches the meal hour the waiters from the first car on the train and the last car walk through to the commissary. The cooks have been preparing for hours and everything is ready and piping hot. Along the great counter is spread the various portions of the meal. It is breakfast time and the morning menu calls for oatmeal porridge, meats, potatoes, bread and butter, jam and coffee. Two men take the big trays of meats and potatoes, another the bread, already sliced and buttered, another the porridge, another the coffee and so to the end. As soon as the first two coaches have been supplied two more squads of waiters arrive until all are served. Within fifteen minutes every man on the train is busy with his meal. Serving over twelve hundred men in fifteen minutes without fuss or furore means organization and that is the secret of this railway's method of handling the problem. The rule is that every man shall be amply supplied and nothing delights the cook more than to see boys relish some favorite dish so well that they come back for "more." Three fine meals a day make happy interludes on the long rail journeys. The appreciation of the officers and men for the service given makes the hard work necessary in carrying out the task a pleasure to the men concerned.

FRENCHMEN ARE CALLED.

Consul Here Will Supply Necessary Documents.

Orders have been received by the Consul-General for France to invite all Frenchmen born in 1898, and those omitted from preceding classes, to ask for their inscription on the lists of the class of 1918, in which they are to be incorporated.

The documents necessary for this inscription will be supplied to them upon request by the French Consul in Toronto, or in whose district they happen to be located, which documents must be returned to the Consul's office before the 15th day of February, 1915, in order that they may be presented in France on the 15th day of March, 1917.

Those who consider themselves entitled to exemption must furnish a medical certificate, stating in what state of health they are, with full details and precision as to fitness or unfitness for military service. Mention must also be made as to size, weight and power of eye sight.

Those suspended from previous classes are also subject to the same obligations, and exemption of which should be attended to without delay in order to regularize their military situation.

70 P.C. WOUNDED RECOVER.

Claim That Is Made by the German Government.

BERLIN, Jan. 10.—Of the total number of officers and men in the German army who were wounded during the second year of the war, seventy per cent. fully recovered and went back to the trenches, according to official figures published to-day by the German Government. Only 6.4 per cent. of the wounded were completely unfit for military service, and the other men wounded were able to do military duty at home. Twelve hundred and fifty soldiers went blind during the war.

WAR SAVING CERTIFICATES.

Finance Department to Aid Campaign.

Ottawa, January 11—On the payment of $21.60, a certificate to the face value of $25 payable at the end of three years, will be issued, under the plan of the Finance Department, for war savings certificates in connection with the campaign of national saving.

These certificates will be issued soon, and the yield on the investment will be 5.6 per cent. The plan is especially designed to promote saving on the part of the people who have only small incomes.

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The prices at which we have marked these goods for Saturday shoppers are so remarkably low that they will surprise you. No such sensational values in Graniteware have ever before been offered in this City. No doubt the combination of price and quality will ensure the clearing of the entire assortment in one day. May we suggest that it will be to your advantage to shop early, as you will thus be able to select your requirements before any lines become depleted or sold out.

It is impossible here to quote prices on all articles and sizes offered, but an indication of the astounding values which this one day sale places within your reach, may be gathered from the following—

2 qt. Milk and Rice Boilers ...	29c	8 inch Fry Pans.....	14c
10 qt. Water Pails.....	39c	9 inch Pie Plates	4c
10 qt. Dish Pans	39c	10 inch "	5c
8 qt. Preserving Kettles	39c	8 inch Pot Covers.....	4c
10 qt. " "	49c	8½ inch "	5c
12 qt. " "	69c	14 inch Spoons.....	5c

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ROUMANIAN PICTURES

A Talk With the Queen of Roumania

(By Hamilton Fyfe, British Correspondent.)

"The Queen will see you between ten and eleven" wrote the lady in waiting, "at the Palace Hospital." Only the day before this the Palace Hospital had been opened. All the ground floor, where the state rooms are, had been turned into wards for wounded, into bathrooms, bandaging rooms, operation rooms. Under the archway they were carrying in wounded on stretchers when I arrived.

In the hall of the palace was a working party, stretching hard at bed shirts, dressing gowns, and so on. Nurses in white, with their headdress arranged like that which one sees in France, passed frequently through. After a few minutes two of them came quickly toward me. One was the lady-in-waiting, whom I knew, the other was the Queen. She held her hand out 'How do you do?" she said. "Let us sit down here." "Here" was the long table in the hall littered with needlework, books for the soldiers, packages of cigarettes. The Queen drew a chair up to it. The lady-in-waiting retired. "Sit down please," said the Queen. You must excuse our being in rather a muddle. You see we have only just started work.

There was nothing to distinguish her from the other nurses, except that across her forehead she wore an ermine bandeau instead of linen. Yet without that even I should have recognised her at once for her portrait is to be seen in almost every house. It is customary to say of Queens that they are beautiful. But the beauty of Princess Marie of Edinburg, niece of King Edward, cousin of King George, was admired and spoken about long before she was Queen. Fair haired, with deep blue-grey eyes which suggest the image of deep pools, now tranquil and smiling, now dimmed by passing clouds, now flashing and piercing like the shafts of vivid light, with clearly cut slightly aquiline profile, tender in repose, she has been from her girlhood, valued not only by these charms of feature but for that subtle, far less common quality, distinction. And thus her mind and soul have developed, so that gift of distinction has become more and more noticeable. At forty she is still a beautiful woman, and many say "more beautiful than ever," for the spirit that shines through the flesh has been tried in the fires of pain and of joy, has sounded the depths of life and drawn from them knowledge and sympathy and strength.

It is her understanding of life, her disregard of the mere trappings and suits of her great position, her quick intelligence and warm humanity that have won her the affection of the Rumanian people.

I could see at once from her manner to be a strange, why she was loved. To begin with she is entirely free from any stiffness or self-consciousness, defects from which royalty too often suffer. She has the happy knack of putting everyone immediately at ease. She shows the real woman in herself and draws out the reality from others.

We talked first about the hospital. "I wanted to give them the whole place," she said but there would have been the difficulties about carrying stretchers up the staircase and then, she added with a little laugh "I suppose we must live somewhere, some have kept our own private rooms."

I asked whether the women of Buchrest had come forward readily to help in the Red Cross work. "Splendidly" the Queen answered. They do not mind how hard the work is.

"Here in the Palace" she went on, "I have no difficulty about getting anybody or anything I want. You can understand that. But it isn't so in all hospitals and our needs will increase as time slips on. We have got a wonderfully good medical service and Red Cross organisation, when you consider what a little country this is, only 8 million people. But we do want to be guaranteed against any shortage in the future. We want surgeons, we want trained nurses and we want all kinds of hospital stores." We were walking through the hospital. Every now and then the Queen stopped to make some poor fellow more comfortable. They are such fine people, our peasants," she said. "So patient and uncomplaining." We had one man very badly wounded in another hospital where I visit. As soon as he was settled in bed I asked him how he felt. "Not very grand, your Majesty," he told me, but I don't care so long as you become Empress of all the Rumanians. Of course you know how they all feel about their brothers in Transylvania. I feel with them, for I have become thoroughly Rumanian.

The process of becoming thoroughly Rumanian, cannot have been altogether pleasant for the young Princess. What sustained her all through the years of storm and stress? Chiefly her abundant vitality. Let her answer for herself. We were speaking of the field hospitals at the front, "I want so much to go and see them," she said, I think they would like it." But I know for the present, at any event, visitors are not wanted. Later on I hope, for I feel that perhaps I might be able to stimulate them, as I did the workers in the cholera camps a few years ago. You see I am always in good spirits and that helps to cheer the people up. I dare say it is the result of having such good health. I wasn't in the least afraid of cholera. I never am afraid of anything in that way. I suppose I must be a fatalist." Those who have read any of the Queen's books, know that there runs through her nature a strong vein of mysticism. Nearly all the chapters have lines from "Lionn Macleod" on Rabindranath Tagore to introduce them. How many Queens are familiar with these authors, I wonder? But her mysticism, her fatalism, have nothing in common with Oriental fatalism. They are bound up with a notable practicality. She was eminently practical when she visited the cholera district. She is showing the same valuable, and I like to think the same British quality now. She is practical in her view of the war and Rumania's share in it. Bloodshed and the hideous maiming of men, the tears of women, and the cry of orphaned babies, move her to detestation, as they must every woman's heart. But she sees that there is no road to peace, save the one which the allied nations are now pursuing. I have been told that since Rumania came into line the Queen had seemed relieved of a burden. We can easily understand this. King Ferdinand is a Hohenzollern. She was an English Princess. Each of them has become "thoroughly Rumanian," and, thinking only of Rumania's good; never a shadow of antagonism came between them. But one can imagine the strain which each had to endure. —J. E. H. (Canadian Overseas.)

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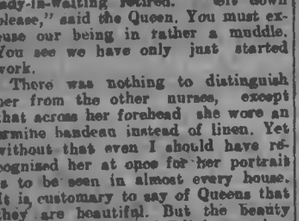

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SPRINGVILLE PERSONALS

Springville, January 11. — Miss Hazel Hunter of Galt is visiting with friends here.

Mr. J. Grandy of Oxbow, Sask., is visiting at the home of his brother-in-law here.

A meeting of the Girls' Mission Band was held at the home of Miss K. E. Cathcart on Monday afternoon at two o'clock. A very enjoyable time was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Ball and Miss Thelma, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. J. Cathcart.

Miss Marion Armstrong is visiting Mrs. A. Laing.

POINTED REVOLVER AT OMEMEE YOUTHS

LINDSAY, Jan. 11.—A well-known lady of Omemee, who is now in the county jail on a week's remand dating from last Saturday, is the only inmate of the prison. The woman in question is charged with pointing a revolver at some of the village youths, whom, it is reported, has been a source of annoyance to her and had by their continued taunts worked her into a state of frenzy. She is the mother of three children, her husband being at the front fighting in defence of Canada and the Empire. It is probable that her case will be dealt with by the magistrate before Saturday.

AIDING GERMANY'S INVALIDS

Work and Not "False Sympathy" Is Burden of Appeal.

BERLIN, Jan. 10.—The War Ministry has made public an appeal on behalf of war invalids asking especially that they be given work whenever possible and never "false sympathy which is likely to be exemplified more and more by the purchase of postal cards and knick-knacks from invalids who have taken to hawking and who are deliberately playing upon sentimental sympathies."

The appeal says: "Even with the most favourable peace there will be no prospect for a long time of sufficient wealth to enable the state wholly, or even in large part, to support its invalids. Therefore, charity will not suffice. Work alone uplifts and ennobles; even the poorest work creates and sustains health." The appeal warns against noticing or commenting on invalids' wounds.

FOOD SWINDLE IN BERLIN.

Suburban Municipality Was Willing to Buy Supposed Military Food.

BERLIN, Jan. 10.—Neukoelin, a suburb of Greater Berlin, has been the victim of a clever food swindle and is mourning the loss of 210,000 marks which it paid three crooks for non-existing carloads of sausage and bacon. The swindlers informed the suburban officials that the food, supposedly military property, was at Aix-La-Chapelle, but could be procured quietly for the mentioned sum.

HIGH COST OF LIVING IS FELT BY THE MINISTERS

The Situation is Discussed by the Ministerial Association of Millbrook and Cavan---Resolution is Passed Commending the Matter to the Consideration of the "Respective Congregation.

The regular monthly meeting of the association was held in the Board Room of the Methodist Church, Millbrook on Monday, January 8th, 1917.

The meeting was largely attended and the office bearers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:

President—Rev. G. I. Craw, Springville.

Vice President—Rev. W. H. Higgs, Millbrook.

Secretary Treasurer — Rev. W. Wickett, Fraserville.

Among the matters discussed was the question of ministerial support, in view of the great increased cost of living.

After full consideration of the subject the following resolution was unanimously passed:

That whereas the cost of living has enormously increased during the last two years, so that the purchasing power of the dollar only amounts now to about 67c, and whereas the people generally are enjoying unusual prosperity, good crops and better prices than ever before known, the Association considering all these circumstances, feel that for the efficient discharge of the duties of the ministry and for the providing of recruits for the ministry in the future, some consideration is due them, so that they may continue to give their whole time to the ministry of the word and the book of the church.

Therefore they desire to commend this important matter to the prayerful consideration of the respective congregation.

Signed on behalf of the Association,
G. I. Craw, President.
W. T. Wickett, Secretary.

Lloyd George May Reveal Conference Details

Monster Meeting is Being Held Today in the Guild Hall, London

Special to The Examiner.

(By-Ed. L. Keen, London.)

LONDON, Jan. 11.—Britain is hoping Premier Lloyd George will reveal some of the proceedings of the recent allied conference at Rome, when he speaks late to-day at the Guild Hall. The meeting, unique in that it will bring on the same platform as speakers in favor of England's 'victory loan' three men who have held the post of Chancellor of the Exchequer, will be Lloyd George's first public appearance since his address in the House of Commons.

The great interest has been manifested in the Rome conference but little information beyond an expression of satisfaction at the cordial spirit of co-operation developed there between all nations of the Entente has been made public, save that the conference was a momentous one. It would be characterstic of Lloyd George if he seized upon to-day's occasion to kindle enthusiasm for "win the war loan' by revealing some details of the conference. It is unprecendented that three such diverse elements at Lloyd George, Andrew Bonar Law and Reginald Mackenna all Chancellors of Exchequer at one time, should be united as they will be this afternoon in the advocacy of a measure. Mackenna was Chancellor in the days of the Asquith regime, having succeeded Lloyd George in that post. Bonar Law is the present Chancellor.

Fifteen hundred tickets have been given out for this afternoon's meeting. The demand for seats far exceeded the supply and there were suggestions of several overflow meetings.

FORGIVES GIRL WHO SHOT SON

MONTREAL, Jan. 11.—A pathetic little group of relatives and friends gathered yesterday in the house at 16 River street, Verdun, where the funeral service was held at two o'clock over the body of the late Albert Haynes, who was shot to death by Eva Boyle early Monday morning. This is the place where the boy lived with his mother, and although it was her only son who was laid to rest this afternoon the broken-hearted woman bears no malice for the girl who was responsible for bringing such a sorrow into her life. She has entirely forgiven the girl at whose hands her son met his death, and expressed the hope that it would be the act of a benign Providence if the girl did not recover from her self-inflicted wounds and so be prevented from standing trial for murder.

MANY EXPRESS SYMPATHY

A continual stream of friends called at the house during the morning to express their sympathy with the mother of the boy who was popular among his associates. His body was lying in the front room of the house, and numbers of floral tributes were laid around it as they had been received from his comrades.

Although bearing the bereavement very bravely, the mother is concealing her broken heart, for, as she said this morning, "I can scarcely realise that my boy is gone." He was an only son, and the mother thought the world of him. "He was a good boy," she said "and was never away from me twenty four hours. He had friends everywhere, and although he only worked at the Allis-Chalmers-Bullock plant for seven weeks, the foreman said he was one of the straightest and steadiest boys he ever had under him. If he had been a bad boy, I could have understood it better; but he was not. He was my only comfort."

PITY FOR THE GIRL.

The forgiving nature of the mother was very evident, as she showed no vindictive spirit against Eva Boyle, and expressed regret when told this morning that the girl had passed a quiet night at the hospital, and was slightly better this morning.

"I do not know the girl," she said "but it would be better for her if she were to die. Although she took my darling boy from me I would not like to see the poor girl tried for murder."

The esteem in which Albert Haynes was held by his comrades is evidence by the fact that the night gang, with whom he had worked for only a few weeks, called on his mother last night and left her a purse of $25 as a mark of their esteem and expression of their sympathy. They also attended the funeral in a body to-day.

DAUGHTER SHARED VIEWS.

The only other child left Mrs. Haynes is a daughter, and she shares the same feeling in regard to Eva Boyle as her mother. She could not understand why her brother should be shot, but she is not bitter against the perpetrator of the deed.

"I only wish they would let me see her," said the daughter. "I went to the hospital just to ask her why she killed my brother, but they would not let me see her. I hope she will not get better."

And so resigned to their fate, mother and daughter are left to their mourning with nothing but forgiveness in their hearts for the unfortunate girl who is held responsible for the deed.

The funeral arrangements were very simple and entirely in keeping with the family's wishes. The father of the boy came to the house for the funeral service, and even here there seemed to be a family reunion. Th service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Bruce, of St. Jude's church, and a pathetic little sertege left the house for Mount Royal cemetery, where the remains were deposited.

And so ended on of the chapters in a tragedy that has left a mother's heart empty and that has cut off a life of twenty-five years.

Preparing For "Victory Loan"

LONDON, Jan. 10. — Although the formal terms of the new British war loan will not be made public until Friday, a nation-wide campaign for subscriptions will formally be launched at a mass meeting in the London Guildhall to-morrow. Premier Lloyd George and Andrew Bonar Law and Reginald McKenna, the present and former Chancellor of the Exchequer, will be the chief speakers.

From this meeting as a starting point will begin a sweeping canvass carefully organized with the aim of getting all available pence, shillings and pounds from every nook and corner of Great Britain and Ireland.

Mass Meetings Everywhere.

Mass meetings will be held in every important town with speakers of various degrees of prominence. These meetings will be followed by an elaborate programme, including even house to house visits by experts who will explain in detail the necessity of the national effort and the means whereby everyone can get the largest possible amount of the new "victory loan."

Millions of Leaflets.

The war savings committee which has been in existence for more than a year with its 900 sub-committees and 17,000 local associations, will be the principal agency to appeal to the small investors. Millions of leaflets and posters and thousands of columns of newspaper space will be used to explain the appeal in simple language. Information bureaus are to be opened at every centre of population, and every post office will have counters specially devoted to the business of the war loan.

Soldiers To Be Asked.

Even soldiers at the front and in training will be asked to subscribe, and it is believed the amount realized from this source alone will run into millions of pounds.

The terms of the "victory loan" as they have become known in a general way in the financial district, contain nothing financially sensational. The bonds will yield a shade over five per cent. or four per cent. free of income tax.

Easy Payments.

Payments of subscriptions will be stretched in easy instalments over a period of several months while the banks have agreed to lend practically to the par value of the new securities during the period of the war.

The amount of the loan will be unlimited, and the total subscription no doubt will be the greatest in history.

One reason for the certainty of an enormous total, even at the comparatively moderate interest rate is the amount of outstanding Government paper having the right of conversion. This conversion right will be enjoyed by the holders of the £800,000,000 old war loan, and the £1,600,000,000 short term obligations. In addition to this sweeping up of old paper, it is hoped enough money will be realized to carry the Government well through the year.

EXPERIMENTS MADE IN WAR ON WEEDS

GUELPH, Dec. 10.—The quantity weeds found in the seed each year has been steadily increasing and to control the situation, co-operative experiments have been conducted for the last five years. According to a report presented to the Ontario Experimental Union by Prof. J. E. Howitt, of the Ontario Agricultural College.

The object of this is to have carried on by the men on their own farms experiments in the eradication of weeds. The results of which will furnish data from which definite statements may be made regarding the best methods of controlling the various injurious weeds. Each year early in the spring, circulars are sent out, inviting men who have any of the weeds included in the list of experiments on their farms to co-operate in the work. Those who sign the application forms for any of the weed experiments are furnished with detailed information concerning the carrying out of the work, and late in the fall they are supplied with blank forms on which to report the results.

SEVEN EXPERIMENTS MADE

Seven experiments in all have been tried, viz.: The use of rape in the destruction of perennial sow thistle. A system of intensive cropping and cultivation for the eradication of perennial sow thistle. The use of rape in eradication of twitch grass. A method of cultivation and cropping for the destruction of twitch grass.. Spraying with cereal crops. A method of cultivation for the destruction of the ox eye daisy.

During the past five years some sixty farmers co-operated in this work.

These experiments have been carried on for five successive years in many parts of the Province, on various types of soil and under different climatic conditions. The results therefore, should be a safe index for the whole Province. They may be briefly summarized as follows:

First, that good cultivation followed by rape sown in drills provides a means of eradicating both perennial sow thistle and twitch grass; second, that rape is a more satisfactory crop to use in the destruction of twitch grass than suckwheat; third, that rape gives much better results in the eradication of twitch grass and perennial sow thistle when sown in drills and cultivated than it does when sown broadcast; fourth that thorough deep cultivation in fall and spring followed by a well cared for hoed crop will destroy bladder campion; fifth, that mustard may be prevented from seeding in oats, wheat and barley by spraying with a twenty per cent. solution of iron sulphate without any serious injury to the standing crop or to fresh seedings of clover.

DESTRUCTION OF MUSTARD

Points of interest brought out by the experiments in spraying with iron sulphate to destroy mustard were:

(1) The necessity of spraying early, just when the plants are coming into bloom. If the spraying is left too late, the older plants will not be destroyed by the solution, and will form seed, and hence the experiment will not be entirely satisfactory.

(2) To spray thoroughly, and with a good pressure. In order to spray thoroughly with an ordinary broadcast attachment, it is necessary to keep the horses walking very slowly. If an attempt is made to cover the ground quickly some of the plants will be missed and the results will not be entirely satisfactory.

(3) In regard to the cost of spraying with iron sulphate it was found that the cost of material per acre varied from $1 to $2.40. Iron sulphate has advanced in price from $1 to $2 per cwt. so that it now costs from $2.80 to $3.80 per acre for material to spray mustard.

Simple Way To End Dandruff

There is one sure way that has never failed to remove dandruff at once, and that is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, just get about four ounces of plain, common liquid arvon from any drug store (this is all you will need), apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

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ALLIES DISCUSS ITALY'S CLAIMS

Washington Hears Officially of Subject of Conference.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—One of the chief reasons for the allied conference at Rome was to discuss Italy's claim to territory on the eastern shore of the Adriatic Sea, according to official reports to this Government yesterday.

PLEBISCITE ON SUFFRAGE

Women of Kingston to Secure Opinion of the Citizens.

KINGSTON, Jan. 10.—Before the end of the month the men and women of this city are to have an opportunity of expressing their opinion as to whether women should have a vote at elections. This was decided upon at a largely attended meeting of women held at Queen's University. The ladies will cover the city with cards to be signed by citizens, stating whether or not they are in favour of giving she vote to women. The result will be forwarded to the headquarters of the Equal Franchise Association, Toronto, and later on to be presented to Premier Hearst when a deputation of women from all over Canada will wait on the Premier.

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CALL CONFERENCE ON BARN FIRES

Means Must Be Found to Prevent Spontaneous Combustion.

TORONTO, Jan. 11.—In order to work out a solution of the problem raised by the great epidemic of barn fires in Ontario during the late summer and fall, a conference of representatives of all the Mutual Fire Insurance Companies in Ontario will be held in Toronto on March 1.

Preparations for the conference have been under way for some time, and the selection of the date fits in with the two-day convention of the Mutuals, which will be held on February 27 and 28.

Mr. E. P. Heaton, Provincial Fire Marshal, will address the convention on barn fires and spontaneous combustion, and at the conference following will lay before the representatives of the co-operative insurance companies the mass of information on barn fires gathered during the past few months. If methods can be devised to prevent spontaneous combustion in stored hay and grain the remedy lies in the hands of the companies in their right to refuse insurance unless the farmer takes the precautions required.

Press Comment On Peace League Talk

"Neutrality fails to Protect."

Philadelphia Public Ledger: "Our neutrality has failed to protect us precisely because we are not isolated and cannot be. The president himself has said that our position is 'intolerable.'"

"Should make very Sure."

Springfield (Mass.) Republican: — "Before we joined such a league we should want to make very sure as a people that we should 'play up,' or, in our American phrase, that we had not started something that we could not and might not wish to finish."

"Proposes to Mix."

Hartford (Conn.) Courant: "Now, all of a sudden the president proposes to mix in with the greatest war that ever sorrowed the world. What if peace prevailed abroad and Germany called on us to stop the trouble in Mexico!"

"Interesting to watch Fate."

Washington Post: "It would be interesting to watch the fate of any treaty proposing to make the United States a party to European affairs, with the inevitable provision that Europe should become a party to pan-American affairs."

"Must Remain Inviolable."

Baltimore American: "The Monroe Doctrine is apart from the world peace programme, and must remain inviolable."

"Idea is Catching."

Baltimore News: "The idea of a league to enforce peace is catching. But there is a vast difference between its public agitation by private individuals and the commitment of this country to it by the Government."

"Ensuing State Would be Bad."

Pittsburg Gazette-Times: "The ensuing state would be as bad as, if not worse than, that which brought on this war. The United States must remain out of any political alliance of that kind. To join it would be to put our neck in a noose."

"Subject to Review."

Charlestown News and Courier: "Any move that the president might make to commit the nation to such a change would be subject to review, and perhaps to rejection by Congress and the people."

CARDS BY THE THOUSAND

They Are Being Returned, Filled in, to National Service Headquarters

OTTAWA, Jan. 10.—The ten days in which National Service cards are supposed to be filled in are up, and the response is remarkable. Men occupying the highest positions, nationally, politically, commercially, and professionally, have volunteered the information sought and answered "Yes" to the query as to whether they would be willing to undertake other work of a character essential to the successful prosecution of the war. Sir Robert Borden set the example.

The big bulk of the replies which are coming by tens of thousands are from the towns and rural parts and from the west. From the cities of the east they will come later. A staff of several hundred is engaged in tabulating the cards as to occupation, ages and other particulars. About three or four months will be required for this work.

ONE FAMILY'S SACRIFICE

Four Sons and a Daughter Killed on Active Service.

LONDON, Jan. 10. — A Scottish Canadian family's tragic sacrifice in the war became known on departure from Granville Canadian Hospital at Ramsgate of Nurse Murray and her brother, Corporal Murray, who wore three gold stripes on his sleeve. They are the only surviving children of Colonel Murray, Toronto, formerly of the Black Watch. Two of Col. Murray's sons were killed at Ypres, two fell on the Somme and a younger daughter was killed by a shell whilst nurse at a Belgian clearing station.

SACRED HEART RINK

Best Ice in the City. Band in attendance TO-NIGHT. Admission 10c.

SEVEN PASTORS EVICTED FROM THEIR CHURCHES

TORONTO, Jan. 11. — "I have here the names of seven preachers in this Presbytery who have been practically evicted from their congregations in the past year. Have we enquired into the reason for such a state of affairs? Have we got to the bottom of the matter? I believe that we ministers have lost our mooring. Instead of preaching the gospel, we have fixed our considerations on other things such as the collection and the crowd."

Rev. Dr. Murray, of St. Paul's church, startled the ministers at the meeting of the Presbytery held at St. Jame's Square Presbyterian church, when he uttered the above statement in submitting the report of Rev. Dr. McTavish on church evangelism in connection with the Home Missions of the Presbyterian church. Although those who were present laughed heartily at Dr. Murray's remarks concerning his fellow ministers, there were some who whispered that his remarks would have a bad effect, particularly in view of the fact that Dr. Andrew Robertson's resignation was to be accepted.

Dr. Robertson, whose resignation as minister of St. James Square church was to be brought before the Presbytery, occupied the chair as moderator. As soon as Dr. Murray had concluded his remarks, he stopped the debate on the motion for the adoption of Dr. McTavish's report, and proceeded with the business of the day, which was his own resignation.

He resigned the chair in favour of Rev. Dr. John Neill. Mr. Wallace Anderson, on behalf of the session of St. James' Square church declared that he was placed in a unique position. It was he who had gone to the Presbytery at Halifax, Nova Scotia, seven years ago to ask that Rev. Dr. Robertson be released from his church at St. John's, Newfoundland, and allowed to come to Toronto. "At the meeting of the congregation last Wednesday it was unfortunate that undue publicity was given, which we would be glad to blot out to-day, declared the speaker.

NO PEACE SIGN IN NEW ORDERS

OTTAWA, Jan. 10.—There is no evidence of an early peace at the offices of the Imperial Munitions Board in Ottawa. On the contrary, all the preparations are for a protracted struggle. Since the elevation of David Lloyd George to the premiership, the War Office plans as interpreted from orders received by the Ottawa Munitions Board, have redoubled in vigor. The expenditure in Canada of scores of millions of dollars on munitions plants of many kinds has been recently authorised. In some cases the new plants cannot possibly be ready for months. When they are completed the National Service Commission will be strained to provide labour for their operation.

The policy of the new British War Council is evidently to deal some smashing blows at the enemy as soon as possible, and to continue these blows to a "block-out," to use Lloyd George's own words, no matter how long it takes.

The staff of the Imperial Munitions Board in Ottawa has grown enormously. It is housed in one temporary building and several smaller ones. Yet more room is required.

An idea of the extent of the Canadian board's work may be gathered from the statement that it has been purchasing steel at the rate of 90,000 tons a month for manufacture into shells, and that this amount is likely to be increased.

The Idling Life Of A Reporter

Those Columbia School of Journalism students who went on strike recently because they considered an essay of Journaliam in Philadelphia too arduous an assignment, will probably seek a new profession after reading in the Herald recently of the quarter hour's work of a Herald reporter.

The reporter, who earlier in the night had reported a dozen individual New York histories without threatening to strike, discovered a fire, turned in an alarm, blew a police whistle ran to the burning residence, alarmed the sleeping family, carried a fainting servant from the fourth floor to the street, assisted the police in rescuing five other persons and then telephoned a detailed account of all these happenings to the Herald office—all in fifteen minutes.

This incident is cited not to indicate that this Herald reporter is more dextrous than other men in the profession but to give to the School of Journalism students an idea of the work a real reporter can perform when he has nothing else to do.—New York Herald.

A CHANGE OF ZERO TEMPERATURE

TORONTO, Jan. 11. — Ontario's loyal "Sons of the North" might take their choice in zero temperatures today, from forty-eight below at White River, on the C.P.R. main line, to balmy atmosphere at eight below along Lakes Ontario and Erie. Other cities reported various degrees between these figures.

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Buffalo Bill Had A Stirring Career

DENVER, Colo., Jan. 14.—Wm. F. Cody (Buffalo Bill) is dead. The noted plainsman and scout breathed his last yesterday.

The most romantic figure left over from the thrilling days of Indian fights and clashes with white renegades, a figure at once the ideal and despair of every red-blooded boy in America, remnant of an organization that once roamed the plains of the fast-vanishing wild west, disappeared with the death of Buffalo Bill.

Hero of hundreds of cheaply-bound paper books designed to catch the youthful eye, and foremost figure in book after book of Morocco bound, treasured adventure tales, he was the ideal of boys, old and young, the country over.

He killed his first Indian when he was only 12 years old, while he was with a troop of U. S. soldiers on their way from Lawrence, Kansas, to Utah.

Young Cody was only ten when he left Iowa and went with his father and mother and seven sisters and brothers to Kansas. Isaac Cody, his father, was forced to leave when he became too ardent as a champion of anti-slavery.

Cody served in the civil war, first as a horse buyer for the Government, then as a guide to Col. Clarke, commanding the 9th Kansas Volunteers.

He gained his nickname in 1867, when he killed 4,280 buffaloes while under a contract to supply a Kansas Pacific Railroad gang with buffalo meat.

He quit as a buffalo hunter to become a scout, serving under Generals Forsyth, Hazen, Custer, and other famous men. General Sheridan and Serman obtained for Cody the rank of chief scout in the United States army in 1872. He led in 1876, as a scout, General Terry's punitive expedition against the Sioux Indians after the Custer massacre.

Cody appeared on the stage in a play written by Ned Buntline, "The Scout of the Plains," playing the lead. He returned to the stage at the close of the Indian wars. His famous Wild West show was organized in 1883, touring Europe and the United States. Cody was president of the Cody Military College and International Academy for Rough Riders. Besides an autobiography Cody was author of "The Great Salt Lake Trail."

Sale of Graniteware

There can be no better time during the entire year when a sale of good kitchen graniteware should be well patronized than at present. Such a sale is announced in another column of to-day's issue by Messrs. Campbell & Best, next to the post office, to take place on Saturday. It will be of special interest to housekeepers to make themselves familiar with the particulars of this sale. Surprisingly low prices characterize this sale. About 1,000 pieces of gray graniteware are offered, and the little bits of prices constitute their noteworthy bargain offerings. No matter how low the prices may seem for such goods, the quality may be depended upon as being as represented. See the special display in the east window. Read the advertisement and see the granite Saturday morning.

Dried fruits are sometimes made palatable by the addition of a fresh flavour. Orange juice improves prunes; ginger root, pears and so on. In papering a room remember that large patterns and dark colors make a room seem small, and a plain, light paper makes it larger.

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PRACTICAL TALK BY MR. G. O. CAMERON

Evolution of the Telephone Revealed to the Boys of the Y. M. C. A.

An interesting programme has been drawn up for the Standard Efficiency groups which meets every Wednesday night in the Y.M.C.A.

The following practical talks have been arranged: The Evolution of the Telephone; How to Classify Birds; Sex Education; Books and Reading; Craftsmanship; Collection Night — when the boys exhibit articles which they have collected and made; History of Religion; Music; Art; Sculpture; and Architecture; Nature; 1st Aid to the Injured; and the Growth of Altruism in the Individual.

Last night Mr. G. O. Cameron of the Bell Telephone Co., delighted the boys with an address on the Evolution of the Telephone. Mr. Cameron held the attention of his audience from start to finish, which places him in the class of experts in talking to boys.

At the close of the address James Pogue moved a vote of thanks to Mr. Cameron for his kindness in coming to the Y and giving the boys such a fine and interesting talk.

Harold Copp seconded the motion, which met with the hearty approval of the boys.

Next Wednesday night Mr. Elcome will give an address on "How to Classify Birds."

The Junior Employed Boys had a large turn out to their Gymnasium and Bible Class last night. Tonight the Junior Employed Boys' Club will hold a social for their club in the "Y."

Programme To-night.

To-night the Senior Employed Boys' Life Problem Club will meet at 7.30.

Saturday morning the Junior Collegiate and the Senior School Boys' Bible study group, will meet for study. All boys will find a welcome to any of the study groups.

Mr. Bruce Hamilton has a fine group of employed boys which meet for Bible study every Wednesday night.

The Boys' Skating Rink is in fine condition now, and every day sees a large number of boys playing hockey and enjoying themselves.

SHE GAINED 10 POUNDS.

Mrs. George Bradshaw, Bostwick, Ont., writes: "I was troubled for many years with weak watery blood and dizziness, bad nervous headaches, dizziness, and sinking spells, and was in fact a complete invalid. Doctors told me my heart had kidneys were diseased and gave me up hope by going to home of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. I have taken several boxes of this old complaint and gained 10 pounds in weight."

Omemee Items Of Interest

Omemee, January 10. — Mr. Dewey Stinson of Toronto, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Stinson.

Miss M. Davidson of Montreal was the guest of her aunt, Miss M. Davidson during the past week.

Mr. A. J. Campbell of Lindsay, paid a business visit to town on Tuesday.

Miss Olive McQuade of Toronto, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Robert McQuade, during the holidays.

Miss Myrtle Clementt is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Fred Clemett.

Mrs. H. R. Murray visited her mother, Mrs. Lambe, of Peterboro, last week.

Mrs. A. C. Hodgetts and son, Master Burnie, are the guests of the farmer's parents at Coldwater.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Sluce of Toronto, visited the former's father, Mr. Samuel Sluce, during the holidays.

Mr. Albert Yelland left on Monday, for Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Shepherd, and daughter, of Coldwater, visited Mrs. Shepard's grandmother, Mrs. Currie, during the week.

Mr. Archie English of Peterboro, was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. A. R. Murray last week.

Mr. Walter Elliott of Toronto, spent New Years with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Parsons were visitors to Peterboro on Saturday last.

Mr. Fred Cunningham of Lindsay was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cunningham over Sunday.

Mrs. McCrea has accompanied Lady Eaton and family back to Toronto, where she will spend the winter months.

Miss Olive Brooks was a visitor to Peterboro on Saturday last.

Mr. Moss Wylde of the Bank of Toronto staff, spent New Years at his home in Havelock.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Emily Agricultural Society, will be held in the council chamber on Wednesday, Jan. 17th, for the purpose of electing the officers for the ensuing year. A full attendance is requested.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Cornell have returned home after a pleasant visit with their daughter, Mrs. Melville Cornell of Boston.

Mr. W. Shepard of Peterboro made a business trip to town last week.

The many friends of Dr. J. N. Thompson will be pleased to know he is slowly recovering under the skilful treatment of Dr. Cameron of Peterboro.

Mrs. R. Jones is the guest of friends in St. Thomas.

Miss Blanche Elliot has returned to Toronto after an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Elliott.

Miss M. Davidson of George street, is slowly recovering from her recent illness, nurse Garbutt of Lindsay being in attendance.

Dr. Cameron of Peterboro made a professional visit to town on Saturday.

Mr. Ira Toole was in Lindsay on business last week.

Rev. Father Galvin of Downeyville was in town on business the beginning of the week.

FOUR CHILDREN AND A MAID BURNED TO DEATH

Special to The Examiner:

MONTREAL, Jan. 11.—While J. H. Leblanc, dentist, and his wife were away with some friends at 2 o'clock this morning, fire broke out in their living apartments and their four children ranging from 2 to 11 years, lost their lives, together with a maid, Carmel Vendette, aged 22. The apartments were over a moving picture theatre, which was also destroyed.

SEVERAL CANDIDATES TO BE INITIATED FRIDAY EVENING

The officers of the Protestant Benevolent Federation expect every member to be in his place at 8:00 p.m. sharp on Friday, Jan. 12th, in Victoria Hall, as several candidates are to be initiated. The balance of the officers elected, and the Premier, Mr. Wm. J. Hanna, with the leader of the opposition, Col. J. W. Miller, are to make final selections for their respective sides, so be on hand if you want a part in the "Mock Parliament," which it is hoped will assemble on Jan. 29th, 1917. To-morrow night's meeting will be one of the most important and all members who have the organization at heart should try and be present.

BRITISH TAKE TURK TRENCHES

Capture 1,000 Yards North-East of Kut-el-Amara.

LONDON, Jan. 11.—It was announced officially last night that Turkish trenches on a front of 1,000 yards, northeast of Kut-el-Amara, on the Tigris front, had been captured.

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PROBABILITIES.

North to northwest winds; fair and very cold to-day and on Friday.

AUTO CHAIN FOUND.

A non-skid auto tire chain awaits an owner at the police station.

CHOIR PRACTICE.

All Saints' Choir will practice to-night.

EXPRESS AND BAGGAGE.

E. D. Cooney, a returned soldier, has taken over the express business of Eddie Reid and will give prompt and careful attention to all work entrusted to him. 'Phone 847. E. D. Cooney, 340 Aylmer stree. 28d-44

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MEN'S ASSOCIATION

The Men's Association of Murray Street Baptist church will meet this evening in the church at eight o'clock. All the members are asked to be present as important business is to be transacted.

OTONABEE CHAPTER.

The regular meeting of the Otonabee Chapter I.O.D.E. will be held on Tuesday instead of Monday, at their rooms over Lynch's store. The change of days on account of the banquet the Chapter will hold on Monday for the returned soldiers.

RECITAL ON THE NEW EDISON.

There will be a Recital given on the New Edison in the Recital Hall of the J. M. Greene Music Co., Ltd., Charlotte St., to-morrow evening (Friday) at 8:15. You are invited. Come and bring your friends.

AN INTERESTING ADDRESS.

On Friday evening, February 19th, the Revv. E. N. Baker, D.D., Principal of Albert College, Belleville, will give his entertaining and instructive address "On his Travels Through Rome," in St. James' Church. Tickets, adults, 25c; children, two for 25c. 2d-8-11

PIANO, ORGAN, VOICE.

Mr. J. H. Renwick, organist and choirmaster, George Street Methodist Church, has resumed teaching. Pupils prepared for examinations. Many present and former pupils holding good positions. Studio, 567 Aylmer street. 'Phone 1098. 28d-2

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The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Company will be held at the City Council Chamber, Peterborough, on Monday, the 15th of January, 1918, at 3 p.m., for the purpose of electing Directors for the present year, receiving and considering reports for the past year, and for the transaction of any other necessary business.

Dated 8th of January, 1917.

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ST. JOHN'S CHOIR.

The choir of St. John's church will meet this evening in the Guild Room for practice. Boys at seven-thirty.

PROCEEDS TOTALLED $226.47

The proceeds from the Melting Pot of the 57th Chapter I.O.D.E. which have just been made up, amounted to $226.47.

The members of the Chapter take this opportunity of thanking all who contributed to make the Melting Pot such a success, and to announce their intention of making a collection of scrap paper. All arrangements for the collection will be announced later.

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KNITTING SOCKS.

Will those who are knitting socks for the Canadian Kitchener League, kindly hand in all finished articles by the 16th inst., as the league desires to make a shipment about that date. The letters from the boys in the trenches still ask for socks, and during these winter months we cannot send too many pairs. The league has the yarn and will be very pleased to give it to every lady who will sacrifice a little time for the comfort of our own boys in the trenches. Yarn can be obtained from Mrs. Knox, 481 Gilmour street, Mrs. Fligg, 576 Aylmer street, and from G. Mowat, at the Peterboro Creamery.

BUILDING SOCIETY TO INVEST SURPLUS IN CANADIAN WAR BONDS

The 28th annual meeting of the Peterborough Workingmen's Building and Loan Society was held last night when the board of officers were re-elected and the usual dividend declared. The officers are as follows:

President—T. B. McGrath.
Vice-President—James Lynch.
Treasurer—John Corkery.
Directors — George Ball, Frank Fairen, E. A. Peck, Jas. Garroe, Richard Sheehy, John R. Corkery, Jr.

It was decided to invest the surplus in Canadian war bonds.

SEES MENACE IN LOVELESS MATING

Chief Magistrate McAdoo also Assails "Lop-Sided, Fishy-Eyed Young Men."

New York, Jan. 11. — Temporarily deserting the bench for the pulpit, Chief Magistrate William McAdoo addressed the Men's Bible Class of the Fifth Avenue Baptist church on the necessity for love in marriage, and on the menace facing this city in its army of "lop- sided, fishy eyed and round shouldered young men with nicotine stained fingers, who are starting from anywhere, going nowhere." The magistrate urged the necessity for certificates of physical and moral fitness for all men about to be married, and he predicted that such a law would be passed.

"A man cannot have a good or noble character," the magistrate said "unless he has the capacity to see the good in God. We don't see God through the intellect. Scientists have tried to find God with the intellect and have failed. It is only through the windows of the heart that we can find Him, and unless the windows are clean of the dust and the grime of selfishness, greed, tradition and lust, He cannot be found."

Paying his respects to the army of the "fishy-eyed," the magistrate declared that they were a dangerous menace to the community.

"Talk about universal training," said the chief magistrate, "I would like to be a sergeant with about eight stripes on my arm and have about two hundred of them down on Long Island for drill. I'd get something out of them or make life miserable for them."

The happy marriage he added, was the marriage of love, "and nothing else."

"Marriage of convenience is nothing but a bargain and sale," he added. "I don't mean by love just a maudlin, silly sentiment. Becoming enamoured of a pretty girl is not real love. I do not advocate hasty marriages. It is the hasty marriage that is leading us to the divorce courts."

In the audience were John D. Rockefellar, Jr., and Mrs. McAdoo.

One Egg in 19 Days For Berlin Citizens

LONDON, Thursday, Jan 11.—The Berlin municipality says Reuter's Amsterdam correspondent, has announced that, notwithstanding the unfavorable conditions of production, it will be possible for every citizen in Berlin to have one egg between January 19 and January 31, but that nothing at present can be said regarding the supply of eggs after this time.

VIOLIN, MANDOLIN, PIANO.

Miss M. Telgmann will resume teaching Monday, January 8th. Information Studio, Green Music Co., or 'phone 1098. 5d-mws-6

FORGOTTEN FRIENDS

We still show a large assortment of Suitable Suggestions for New Year's Gifts, such as

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Social and Personal

Miss M. Little, 481 Gilmour street is in Toronto for a few days.

Mr. Mervin Knox returned yesterday from a weeks' visit in Toronto.

The Peter Robinson Chapter I.O.D.E. will hold their bi-weekly tea on Saturday, January 13th at the Empress. The hostesses, Mrs. Widdifield and Miss Davidson will be assisted by Mrs. John Birnie, the Misses Kathleen Powel, Jessie Spence, Marian Grigve, Amy Clementi, Georgie Stevenson, Flossie Mitchell, Madge Graham, Ola Cavanagh and Florence Scott.

Miss Bemington, Miss Brown, Miss Davidson who have been visiting Miss Vera Knox, Gilmour street, for the past week have returned home.

The Otonabee Chapter I.O.D.E., will hold a sock shower at the residence of Mrs. Harry Thompson, Hunter street on Saturday, January 20th in aid of the "Secours Nationale". A stirring appeal has been received by the society from France where socks are scarce and wool almost impossible to procure. A hearty response is hoped for, and the society hopes all will send socks and come. Tea will be served.

Miss Nora Smythe, Cobourg, is the guest of Judge and Mrs. Huycke, Englehurne, East City.

Mr. W. H. Hill returned yesterday from a business trip to Toronto.

Miss Helen Davidson who has been the guest of Mrs. Yoris Ryerson, Toronto, returned home yesterday.

Miss Elsie Anderson, Gilmour street is spending a few days in Toronto.

Miss Annie Halliday, Fenelon Falls, is visiting Mrs. Knox, Gilmour street.

Miss Lucille Doris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Doris, Sophia street, East City, met with a very serious and painful accident on Monday last when she fell and broke her ankle. She will be confined to her home for sometime, and her many friends will be pleased to learn that she is doing as well as can be expected.

The friends of Mrs. E. McKinlay will be pleased to learn that she has been removed from Nicholls Hospital to her home, 498 Aylmer street, but still confined to bed, Mrs. E. McKinlay wishes to thank Mrs. Major Medd for the beautiful flowers and the Soldiers' Wives and Mothers' Club for their plant; also kind friends for the sympathy during her stay in Hospital.

Dr. J. C. Wray and Mrs. Wray, who have been visiting the former's aunt, Mrs. Patterson, 675 Water st., left this week for their home in Redcliff, Alberta.

Miss Catharine Moher has returned to Toronto after spending a few days in the city with her parents, Patterson street.

Mrs. E. Plouffe and little daughter, has returned to Ottawa after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Moher, Patterson street.

WEDDING BELLS

McMURRAY—CROWLEY.

On Wednesday, January 10th, 1917, Thomas J. McMurray and Miss Annie Crowley, both of Peterboro, were united in marriage by Rev. Dean McColl of the Immaculate Conception Church.

MEETING HELD IN HAVELOCK

A very successful meeting on benalf of the Children's Aid Society was held in the Town Hall Havelock last night when Mr. Spence gave an illustrated lantern lecture on the work of the Society. In the unavoidable absence of Reeve Matheson, the chair was taken by the Rev. Mr. Skene. At the close of the lecture it was decided to form a County Committee in accordance with the Children's Protection Act of Ontario and the following ladies and gentlemen were elected:

Mrs. Alex. Anderson, Mrs. H. Andrews, Mrs. Ghent, Mrs. A. C. Peake, Mrs. W. Vance; the Revs. Skene, Patterson, Adams, Messrs. F. L. Squire, J. P., C. A. Ghent and H. Andrews. The following officers were subsequently elected. President Rev. Mr. Skene; Vice President, Mrs. W. Vance, Secretary Treasurer, Mr. C. A. Ghent.

The success which Mr. Spence is meeting with in his publicity campaign is very encouraging and beneficial results to the Children's Aid Society are bound to accrue.

Next Wednesday Mr. Spence repeats his lecture in the Town Hall at Norwood when Reeve Squire will preside.

PETERBORO BOYS IN THE TRENCHES ARE BADLY IN NEED OF SOCKS

The Kitchener League, through the President, Mrs. Jos. Knox, Gilmour street has received an urgent appeal for sox and supplies sent by the League through letters received from the boys of Peterborough who have already benefitted by the wonderful work done by the Society. Since the outbreak of war five thousand pairs of sox have been sent, 500 scarfs and 825 different useful gifts. In part the letters run: Lieut. W. F. Hamilton—Many thanks for the scarf and socks your league has sent. The scarf is most useful in this English climate.

Pte. F. G. Quigley—A dry pair of socks is a luxury and much appreciated.

Pte. Charles Cove—Fully appreciate the value of a good pair of socks, army socks are useful we never take them if it is possible to get home-knit ones. Corp. Cove had received his issue of socks from Lieut. Martin Dunsford.

Pte. Chas Veenman, 93rd Battalion Received the socks just in right time as it was just our turn to go into the trenches and with the mud and frost a good dry pair of socks is fully appreciated.

Willie Holeroft, who is with Dr. Young of this city; thanks for the cigarettes. The ones we get here are extremely poor and the boys enjoy good ones in the trenches.

Wm. True—Everyone who gets a pair of your league's socks will be happy. My feet had been wet for days and I had only the one pair left so you may judge how warmly they were received. The best we get are from the Peterborough people.

With these few extracts of warm encouragement the League hopes the people will redouble their already splendid endeavour to keep the boys who are fighting for us as comfortable as possible.

MAJOR CARRUTHERS IN NEW POSITION

In a letter to a friend in Peterborough Major Carruthers states that he has resigned from the 39th Battalion and has been transferred to the Canadian Army Medical Corps and detailed as Quartermaster of the Military Hospital at Shorncliffe, Kent, in the hope that as soon as possible he will be sent to France.

THE WEATHER

The temperature took a decided drop last night, and this morning the thermometer marked 16 below zero; no lower during the night. At noon it stood at exactly zero. —W.P

MYSTERIOUS DEATH

American With Much Money Dead in Compartment.

LONDON, Jan. 11.—The body of an unknown middle-aged man, apparently an American, was found in a compartment of an express train from the south, which arrived at Carlisle Monday morning. A large sum of money was found in the clothing and also a letter, which, from the instructions on the envelope, apparently had been handed to him when he embarked at New York on December 30. The envelope bears the address: "Patrick Cotter, care American Steamship Co., Pier 62, North River, New York."

BRITISH STEAMER SUNK.

Elder Line Steamship of 3,188 Tons Reported Lost.

LONDON, Eng., Jan. 11. — The British steamer Andoni has been sunk, Lloyds Shipping Agency announced yesterday.

The Andoni was an Elder Line steamer of 3,188 tons gross. Her recent movements have not been reported in marine registers.

KITCHENER SIGNED CARDS.

KITCHENER, Jan. 10.—The manpower of this city will be fully reported on the National Service cards circulated by the post-office staff of Kitchener, and which were practically all collected to-day. Up to noon over 8,000 out of 8,800 were in the hands of Postmaster H. F. Boehmer and the remainder were being collected. Postmaster Boehmer states that the cards were fully signed by the men of all classes which make up the mixed population of the city.

KITCHENER LEAGUE MEETING.

A meeting of the Canadian Kitchener League will be held on Monday evening next, Jan 15th, at the Y.M.C.A. building, at 8 o'clock sharp. As there is much business of importance to come before the meeting, every member is asked to be present.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Industrial Exhibition will be held in the City Council Chamber, Peterborough, on Saturday, January 20th, 1917, at one o'clock p.m. G. A. Gillespie, President; F. J. A. Hall, Secretary. 5-9-12-16-19

MAYOR DUFFUS IS OUT OF THE CITY

First trip of the Year for the Mayor and Ald. Dobbin promises to be a good one

His Worship Mayor Duffus and Ald. F. H. Dobbin, chairman of the Fire, Water and Light Committee, are still out of the city. They have been away since Monday and are not expected home before the end of the week. They took in the trip of the Bonne Entente to Niagara Falls and other points, and on the return to Peterborough will endeavour to visit a number of places for the express purpose of inspecting motor driven fire apparatus. It is hardly likely they will find anything more antiquated so far as rolling stock is concerned than the horse and buggy fire department which they left behind. Even Lindsay is a lap ahead of Peterborough in this regard.

A MISSIONARY TO ONTARIO.

Western Man Tells What Has Been Done by Grain-Growers.

"The subjects which proved most interesting to our audiences were direct legislation and sane methods of taxation," said Mr. John Kennedy, Vice-President of the Grain Growers' Grain Company, Winnipeg.

The audiences referred to by Mr. Kennedy were those that assembled at Palmerston, Woodstock, Petrolea, Forest, Brechin, Belleville, Chesterville, Stouffville, Orillia, and Beaverton, under the auspices of the United Farmers of Ontario, to hear Mr. Kennedy and other speakers deal with subjects of special interest to farmers.

"Despite the fact that farmers were in the midst of haying from 100 to 300 turned out at each meeting," Mr. Kennedy continued.

By way of introduction, Mr. Kennedy usually began by telling of the work accomplished by the organized farmers of the western Provinces. And it was a wonderful story he had to tell. "To begin with," he said, "it was the farmers' organizations of the prairies that made the west dry. It was the resolution adopted at our local and Provincial conventions which crystallized the sentiment that banished the bar from the western limits of Ontario to the foothills of the Rockies. It was our organization that secured the enfranchisements of women in Manitoba and obtained the pledge of the same for Saskatchewan and Alberta. In Manitoba, again as the result of our efforts, a direct legislation act has been passed that is to be brought into force by proclamation, and in Saskatchewan and Alberta an incomplete system of direct legislation has been provided for, with an assurance of completion of the work at the next session of the Legislatures of those Provinces. The principle of direct legislation has already been applied in Manitoba, Provincial prohibition having been brought about by a popular vote, the reform being carried by three to one.

"In a business way the organized farmers of the west have created the largest grain commission business on the continent, and what is said to be the largest grain exporting business in America. Through our commission business we will handle 40,000,000 bushels of western grain for the year ending with August. Through our export organization we will handle 60,000,000 bushels, largely American grain. We are financing the elevator system of Alberta, where there are seventy-five elevators, and handling the grass passing through these elevators. We operate the two C. P. R. elevators at the head of the lakes. By means of our activity in the grain business we have created real competition in the western grain business, and so have added literally millions of dollars to the returns of western farmers. We have handled five million pounds of the binder twine purchased by the prairie farmers. That is not over 10 to 20 per cent. of the requirements of the west, but by our activity in this line we have created real competition here, too, and by so doing have saved our people 2 to 2½ cents per pound on their twine purchases. We have bought farm machinery and vehicles in wholesale lots and for cash, and have thus saved our people 30 per cent. in the cost of the same. By all this we have made all the differences between tolerable and intolerable conditions for the western farmer."

Having told what western farmers have done, Mr. Kennedy drove the lesson home to his Ontario audiences. "Who accomplished all this?" he asked. "Men who went from Ontario and settled in the west. You have thousands of farmers still in Ontario who are just as intelligent as those who have gone to the prairies. What western farmers have accomplished in the way of improving their conditions, Ontario farmers can do in improving conditions here.

Escaped From Germany.

Privates Lovell and V. Adick of the 3rd Battalion, Toronto, arrived in London after an exciting escape from a German prison, says a despatch to The Toronto Telegram from its special correspondent in London. They were captured on the 24th of April, 1915, at Langemarck, and taken, with other Canadians, into Germany. At first the treatment was harsh, but later it grew better, and there were not many complaints.

These Toronto men had been working some time to escape. At the farm where they worked they were paid 30 pfennings daily, equal to about six and a half cents in Canadian money. Eventually they were able to make a dash by night across the frontier, slipping past the sentries.

They were treated with the greatest kindness and sympathy by the Dutch people. The British Consul sent them at once to England.

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Extra Judge Was Called From Lindsay For Poultry Show

The 1400 birds exhibited at the poultry show in the market hall, proved too big a task for the judges Mr. George Robertson of Ottawa, and Mr. James Baptie of Springville. The work had to be completed to-day, and in order that it would be completed in time the directors this morning phoned to Lindsay, and secured Mr. D. C. Trew, who arrived at noon and is helping finish the judging this afternoon.

This feature of the 1917 show illustrates the development of the Peterboro show. Mr. Robertson commenced the judging this afternoon for the 150 Special Prizes.

The public is reminded that the exhibit will be open this evening and that the distribution of the silver cups and other specials will take place. This is always an interesting event and there should be a large attendance. Thus far the show has been marked by big crowds.

A bird placed in the sales class yesterday by Mr. Everson at a price of $3, the limit, was sold to a man named Webster, who immediately resold it for $15 before it was judged. It was a white Wyandotte cock.

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

New York Stocks—

Atcheson 104¼, 104½; B. and O 83½, —; C.P.R. 158¾, 159½; N.Y. Central 101¼, 101; Erie 32⅛, 31¾; Erie Pfd. 47⅜, 47⅛; Nor. Pac. 107½, —; Penna. 56½, 56¼; Reading 99½, —; U.P. 142⅞, 142½; Beth. Steel 168, —; Rep. Steel 78, 78¾; U.S. Steel 110½, 112¾; Anaconda 83½, 84⅛; Am. Loco. 75½, 77; Inter. Nickel 40½, 41⅛.

Canadian Stocks—

Steel of Canada 65, 64¾; Cement 64, 66; Dom. Steel 67¼, 66; Smelters 52, —; N. S. Steel 116, 113½; Steamers 34½, 34; Gen. Elec. 110¾ bid.

CHICAGO, Jan. 11.—Grain—May wheat 107¼, July 151; May corn 93½.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

Toronto, January 11th.—Live stock receipts were light, and the market strong; heavy steers $9.40 to $10.25; hogs, fed and watered, $13 to $13.25, off cars, $13.40.

YACHT FLORENCE SOLD BY GOVERNMENT

New York, Jan 11.—The steam yacht Florence, formerly owned by Sir John Eaton, of Toronto, and since the war began in the service of th Canadian Government as a patrol and scout vessel, has been sold to the French Trading Company, of Martinique, F.W.I. It is understood she will be used by her present owners for commercial purposes. She left here Monday for Fort de France, Martinique.

Orange Special

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5 lb. lots mixed 35c Tea, wholesale at lb. 28c
5 or 10 lb. lots Green Tea, 35c whol. at 28c
10 lb. Lots small Pit Prunes, whol. lb. 9½c
10 lb. Rolled Oats wholesale for 35c
5-lb Quaker Rolled Oats at 12½c
5 lb. lots of Loaf Sugar, wholesale lb. 8½c
5 Tin Lots Tomatoes, wholesale at 17½c
5 Tin Lots Corn and Peas, wholesale 13½c
40c Chase and Sanborn's Coffee at .. 35c
5 Lot Corn Flakes at 35c
1 Barrel (3 bags) No. 1 Bread Flour, bg. 4.70
6 Bags No. 1 Bread Flour, bag 4.60
25c Choice Peanut Butter, lb. 15c
5 lb. Tins of this choice P. N. Butt. lb. 12½
5 lb Lot Seeded Raisins, wholesale 64c
15c Evaporated Peaches, wholesale lb. 10½c
20c Evaporated New Apricots, lb. 14½c

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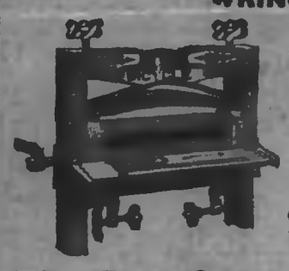

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EVERY OUNCE OF FOOD THAT ONTARIO CAN PRODUCE WILL BE NEEDED BY THE ALLIES

Province Has Wonderful Opportunity to Be of Vital Service to the Empire—War Conditions Have Stimulated the Export Trade of Dairy Products and the Scarcity Throughout the World Has Resulted in Prices Never Before Realized.

ADDRESS BY MR. N. W. ROWELL

Woodstock, January 12. — Dairymen from all over the district are here for the fiftieth annual convention of the Western Ontario Dairymen's Association, which opened on Thursday. The exhibits in all classes were never so numerous or of such a high quality.

President James Bristow in his address referred to the important part Woodstock and Ingersoll and all of Oxford county have had in the dairy industry.

The first cheese factory was started in 1864 at Norwich, and the Dairymen's Association of Western Ontario was organized at Ingersoll in 1867. Tremendous progress has been made and dairying adopted in all parts of Canada as the keystone in the arch of Canadian agriculture.

Every country in the world laying claim to progressive legislation had adapted to a greater or less extent the fundamental principle of dairying in some form as a basis for maintaining soil fertility and thus assisting productive agricultural operations.

Prices Stay High.

The indications were that never again would there be a surplus on the world's markets of dairy products sufficient to cause a return to the low prices of fifteen or twenty years ago. War conditions had stimulated the export trade of dairy products and the scarcity throughout the entire world had resulted in prices never before realized. The question of labor would be one of the chief factors in future production.

The president deplored the fact that milk condensers, milk powder factories and milk supply plants, were branching out and securing control of the cheese factories in certain localities, and that some of the best cheesemakers were leaving the business for various reasons.

The directors' report called attention to the fact that the season just closed was not so favorable to the production of milk as that of 1915, owing to the weather conditions. It was pointed out however that the unprecedented high prices resulting from the war conditions would to some extent make up for under-production. There had been practically no export of cream during the year due to the high price of butter in Canada and the heavy shipments of butter abroad.

Buying up Cream.

The increase in the number of cream buying stations was referred to and doubt expressed as to the wisdom of this on account of possible deterioration resulting from intense competition. Satisfaction was expressed that Canada had been able to supply the mother country with such large quantities of dairy products. The prices had been high, and should stimulate production for some time to come. The prospects for 1917 were encouraging.

The directors expressed the hope that although prices might decline temporarily after the war, milk producers would continue to make dairying a prominent feature of their operations, as past experience had shown that there was no other line of agriculture which paid better than dairy farming in a period of years.

A passing reference was made to the dairy standards act passed at the last session of the Legislature, and the opinion was given that, with the co-operation of all dairymen, it would eventually prove a strong force in the improvement of dairy conditions.

Regret Deaths.

An expression of sincere regret was uttered at the death of Hon. James F. Duff, Ontario minister of Agriculture; Dr. C. C. James, agricultural commissioner for Canada, and Hon. D. Derbyshire, for many years president of the Eastern Ontario Dairymen's Association.

The financial statement showed receipts for the year totalling $6,220.79, and expenditures, $5,790.95, leaving a balance on hand of $469.84.

An interesting feature in connection with the convention, and one which is attracting a great deal of attention is an exhibit of butter and cheese which is described by dairymen as by far the best in the history of the association. The prize list is considerably larger than in previous years and the exhibits are so uniformerly excellent in quality that the judges had considerable difficulty in making the awards.

Mr. Rowell Speaks.

Mr. N. W. Rowell, M.P.P., in the course of a splendid address on the food supply and the war, expressed the opinion that the Dairymen's Association was doing a very real service to the country by encouraging the production of larger quantities and better quality of one of the most important articles of food.

Especially at the present time, Mr. Rowell continued, was such a service valuable. He referred to the food restrictions in England and said: "We here in Canada can hardly realize what such conditions mean. The question of food supply is even more important in France than in England, and still more important in Germany and Austria.

"Nothing has done so much as the present war to emphasize the importance of agriculture. No country can prosper unless its stock breeders and agriculturists are producing an adequate supply of foodstuffs. It has only been possible for Germany to continue the war up to the present time by radical measures to increase the agricultural output. It was stated in connection with the agitation for conservation in England that had Germany been able to produce only as much food products per acre as was produced in England, she would have collapsed in the first year of war."

Short of Fertilizers.

Mr. Rowell went on to say that in spite of the blockade by the Allies, Germany might still be self-supporting but for the fact that she is unable to get in the necessary fertilizers. The year 1917 would be one of the most critical in Britain's history, as well as in that of the other belligerents, because of the fact that the production of wheat all over the world had fallen off 25 per cent. in 1916.

Mr. Rowell referred to the fact that Great Britain had been financing her allies to a very large extent, with the result that by August 1 next, if the war lasted that long, the British national debt would have become so huge that the annual interest charged at five per cent. would amount to £250,000,000. If the time should come when Britain could not pay in gold or could not get credit for supplies in neutral countries, she could not make the purchases and could not carry on the war unless she could produce enough to supply all her demands, either within her own borders or in her dominions. There would be a greater demand this year than ever before for supplies of both food and munitions, supplies absolutely essential to her life.

Wonderful Opportunity.

"Produce, produce, produce every ounce of food that can be raised," urged the leader of the opposition. "We have a wonderful opportunity in Ontario to give much needed assistance to the mother country. The man who leaves idle land which could be cultivated is diminishing to that extent the ability of Britain to carry on the war."

In this connection, he spoke of the wonderful work of the women of France in doing the agricultural work of the country, while the men were away fighting. It was owing to the self-sacrifice of the women of France that France was able to be fed and live. The people of Canada had not begun to feel the burden of the war and he asked, "While men pass through the Gethsemane of sorrow, sweating great drops of blood, is it possible that any in this Empire can sleep on. It is time we awakened. This is Canada's war, and we must be prepared to see it through."

Won Silver Cup.

The De Laval Dairy Supply Company, Peterborough, Ont., special, a silver cup to highest score on butter made during the month of October from collected cream Class IV, section 1, was won by W. R. Pollock, Kerwood.

Harry K. Thaw Will Recover

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 12. — Harry K. Thaw will live, despite his attempt to end his life by cutting his throat and wrists yesterday. Physicians at St. Mary's hospital declared early to-day they were greatly concerned over the possibility that Thaw may have taken poison tablets from a bottle found in his pocket. He is being closely watched.

Germans Suffer Heavy Casualties

Special to The Examiner:

PETROGRAD, Jan. 12. — Russian progress near Riga in terribly cold weather continues. Germans suffer heavy casualties.

ECZEMA AND SORE EYES.

"My boy, Frank, seemed weak chested and took a very severe cold," writes Mrs. D. Stevens, Ninga, Man. "The many medicines used did not seem to benefit him, until we tried Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine, and found it to be exactly what was wanted to cure him." No treatment is so thorough and effective as a cure for croup and bronchitis.

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President Wilson's Next Move in The Peace Game

Constantinople and the Turks in Europe May Turn Out to Be the Chief Bone of Contention in Any Peace Manoeuvre

Special to The Examiner.

(By Robert J. Bender.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—President Wilson's next move in the international peace game depends upon what confidential information he has or will receive from Germany as to the terms upon which she would consider peace.

Officials here to-day believe the Entente reply leaves practically no loophole for further advances by the President now.

Germany must furnish Wilson grounds for the next move.

It is understood, the President has information indicating Germany would agree to the following concessions:

Evacuation and indemnifying of Belgium, evacuation of France, Poland, Serbia and Roumania.

Germany would demand return of her colonies, a point not touched upon in the Entente reply.

Constantinople and the Turks in Europe may turn out to be the chief bone of contention in any peace manoeuvre.

Germany is willing to indemnify Belgium because she admits violation of a treaty 'through military necessity.'

Ultra secrecy is promised now until the President has decided on his next step.

THE ALLIES' REPLY.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.— The Allies' reply to the President's note is a clear, positive and historical document. It demands restoration, reparation, restitution, eviction of the Turks from Europe and peace guarantees for the future.

A NEW NOTE.

BERLIN, Jan. 12.— The German Government has addressed a new peace note to the neutrals, disclaiming fault for starting the war.

DOOR IS OPEN.

LONDON, Jan. 12.—The peace door is still open, but no tangible results are to be expected in the near future.

This was the British view as reflected in the press and on the streets today as to the effect of the Allies' reply to President Wilson's peace suggestions.

WHEAT MARKET SHOWS STRENGTH

Cash Wheat is Up Two to Three Cents—The Cattle Markets

After a weak opening wheat markets developed sudden strength at the close, due it was said to the first reports of Lloyd George's speech, which put an end to peace talk for the present. Cash market is up 2c to 3c above Wednesday.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, $2.11, track bay ports; No. 2, $2.08; No. 3, $2.05; No. 4, $1.90; old crop 4c above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W. 72c.

American corn—No. 3, $1.10; shipment within 30 days.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white 64c to 65c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1.89 to $1.92; No. 3 $1.78 to $1.80.

Peas—No. 2 nominal, car lots $2.40.

Barley—Good malting, $1.16 to $1.18; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal $1.28

Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal; No. 2 new $1.38 to $1.40.

Manitoba flour—First patents in jute bags, $9.90; second patents in jute $9.40; strong bakers, in jute $9 Toronto.

Ontario flour—New winter, $7.40 to $7.50, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered Montreal; shorts $28; bran $33; feed flour per bag, $2.30.

Hay—Baled, No. 1, track, Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots $12.50 to $13; No. 2, $9 to $11; straw, $9.50 to $10.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Union Stock Yard—Receipts yesterday, 40 cars, with 900 cattle, 100 calves, 2,700 hogs, and 300 sheep and lambs.

Market very strong and active for choice butcher cattle and prices firm to a little higher for the best. Sheep and lambs strong. Hogs touched new high records at $13 to $13.25 fed and watered.

Latest quotations:

Heavy steers	9 40	to 10 25
Choice butcher	8 75	9 50
do good	8 25	8 50
do medium	7 75	8 00
do common	7 00	7 50
Heifers, good to choice	8 00	9 00
do medium	7 00	7 50
Butcher cows, choice	6 25	7 00
do medium	5 75	6 25
Butcher bulls, choice	6 85	7 50
do good	6 50	6 60
do medium	5 00	5 50
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CORRECTED JUNE 6, 1916.

7.40 a.m.—For Lakefield.
8.10 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg, and points east, connecting at Port Hope for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 11.45 a.m.
8.25 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
8.30 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
11.40 a.m.—Mid-day express for Toronto, reaching Toronto at 3.15 p.m.
12.20 p.m.—For Lakefield.
11.40 a.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
1.30 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
5.35 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
5.40 p.m.—For Lakefield.
5.55 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
9.05 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Boston.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
CORRECTED JUNE 5, 1916.

*1.30 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*12.15 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N.B., Boston, and New York.
*1.20 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed Perth, Smith's Falls, and Ottawa.
**11.27 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and intermediate points, and all points east of Montreal.

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*8.54 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
**7.35 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York. Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
**3.15 a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port Mc-Nichol and intermediate points
**1.43 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Buffalo, New York, Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, London, Detroit and Chicago.
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"DESTINY"

By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday.)

"Ham"—it had been a long time since he had used that abbreviated name! Perhaps he, too, had slipped back into the past—"Ham will get well—and work more miracles, mother—he won't surrender even to death. His spirit and his star will bring him through."

"I almost wish," her words were faint, "he had never had a star. I wish that we were all back there—close to the strength of the hills and the graves of our dead."

During these days Paul was very constantly with his mother and by a thousand little attentions made himself indispensable to her.

It was a small thing but costly to his feelings since for every one of these moments redolent of suffering and sadness, his own soul fiber, delicate and thin as a silk thread, must afterwards pay in the reaction of a deep depression. To him echoes meant more than a positive sound, and the tears in his mother's voice, the unshed tears in her eyes, brought him a suffering so intense and genuine that when he went out the thought of returning to either of the stricken houses when she needed him was like returning to a jail. Then, too, there was the unexpressed fear which gnawed incessantly at his heart, that in spite of his belief in Hamilton, business disaster might lie ahead. He wrote often and with more effort to Loraine Haswell—and thought longingly of Marcia Terroll, who had forbidden him to see her.

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Such a pregnant item of news as Hamilton Burton's accident could not long be kept from the street, and the public. On the morning following the occurrence it burst into print, and for a time the chorus of invective was silenced.

But the hands that had been raised to pull him down could not be stayed. He himself had never halted when the Gods of Chance had tossed in his lap a mighty advantage. At the first announcement that "Ursus Major" lay ill, perhaps mortally hurt, the trampled prices of securities began to revive like dusty blossoms under a shower. Day long came extras from the press heralding a bull day almost as wild and swift in its price recovery as yesterday's bear day had been terrific in its avalanche.

From post to post the deep voice of Len Haswell and other Burton lieutenants thundered in an effort to stem the altered tide—but they were generals of brigades without their field marshal, guessing blindly at a plan which had not been revealed by the master tactician. Into the eyes of Jack Staples stole a glitter of premonitory triumph as he met them, and beat them back. Burton's millions were melting like hailstones falling on hot metal and when the session ended Len Haswell turned away with an empty face. For two days he had almost forgotten in his battle lust his own heartache. Now it was over and because he had followed Hamilton Burton with his own small fortunes as a camp follower trails an army corps, he knew that he was wiped out and ruined. Hamilton might lose many millions, and "come back," but he and many like him were irretrievably done for.

One day when Hamilton had been ill for a week and had not yet emerged from the distorted land of delirium Tom Burton strolled, as immaculate and well groomed as ever, into the National Union Club, and looked about for a bridge quorum of his cronies. The doctors held out hope and the father sought relaxation from anxiety. His face was flushed, for old Thomas Burton too had felt sorely the strain of these days, and had sought his own means of dulling apprehension's edge. His brain was not versatile in such matters.

General Penfrit occupied his customary chair by a Fifth avenue window and the newcomer smiled with pleasure to find him there. General Penfrit shared many interests with him and was willing to share as many more so long as Thomas Burton's bridge game continued to be of the contributory type.

Burton strolled over swinging his stick and nodded with a bland smile, but to his dismay the general glanced up and acknowledged the greeting without warmth. Perhaps his old friend was not feeling well.

"I was wondering," suggested Burton, "whether we couldn't arrange a little rubber." He caught the eye of a waiter at the same moment and beckoned. "What will be yours, general?" he genially inquired.

"I don't believe that I care to play." The voice was chilling at the start and became more icy with each added syllable, "and I won't have anything to drink!"

Tom Burton stood looking down a little blankly.

"Nothing to drink?" he repeated in a perfectly warrantable astonishment. His ears must have tricked him.

The general rose stiffly. "With you—no," he spoke curtly, and took himself away with a waddle of studied dignity. For a full minute Hamilton Burton's father gazed vacantly out at the avenue, then he turned on his heel. Henry O'Horrisey was just entering the door and with him were two other members of a little group which had launched and chatted, played bridge inseparably for several years. Each knew all the other's anecdotes and could laugh at the proper moments. They formed one of those small cliques of intimates into which this club resolved itself, and Tom Burton was of their valued brotherhood.

"Good afternoon, gentlemen," accosted Burton. "How are you all today?"

With three silent nods the trio at the door turned and drifted aimlessly across to the billiard room.

Tom Burton went and sat alonesby a window. Slowly a brick like flush spread and deepened on his full face—this club life had been very important to him, even indispensable. There was nothing with which to replace it. He wheeled his chair so that he might be plainly seen from the door and as man after man came in with whom he had spent his time and his son's money, men who had been pleased to court the father of the great Hamilton Montagu Burton, he genially accosted them, and one after another they returned their greetings of frigid formality.

Then he turned his chair with its back to the room and looked out and the stubborn pride died in his eyes, and his face grew old and pathetic. There was no further room for doubt. He was tasting ostracism and being included in this wave of hatred for his son which he had regarded as newspaper rubbish. He leaned forward with his gloved hands on his cane and once or twice under his fastidiously trimmed beard his lips twitched painfully. Finally he rose ordering his next cocktail over a hotel bar, and though the stubbornness of pride forced him back on the morrow to lunch at his accustomed club table, he lunched alone, and was grateful for the solicitous courtesy of the negro who served him.

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One afternoon Paul made his way down Fifth avenue on foot.

The sky was unbelievably blue and a flashing brilliancy sparkled in all the splinters of color that embroidered themselves along the parquetry of the street. The avenue has at times a magic of its own and to-day it was a flowing stream of brilliancy and life and laughter. But this was a mood to which Paul Burton found no response. His heart was attuned to echoes of a more somber tone—and he was bound on a mission which was for him a bold one.

He was disobeying orders which till now he had not ventured to disobey. Marcia Terroll had banished him from her presence. Since that day in her apartments he had seen less of her than before and for many weeks now nothing at all. Marcia unlike Loraine Haswell, recognized that they could not meet without dangerous drifting and that such drifting could end only in disaster, so at last she had forbidden his visiting her even occasionally and to all his arguments she had steadfastly shaken her head with gentle obduracy.

For a time they had met as they might have met had the interview in her apartment on the grisly afternoon never occurred. She had torn that page out of her chronicles of acquaintanceship, and assumed that it had never been included. Her wit had sparkled for him and her individual charm had blossomed as though her life had never known a season other than spring and blossom-time. Sometimes he found himself wondering if that afternoon had been actual.

He discovered himself using quaint phrases of her invention as part of his own conversational equipment, and often he found himself applauded for some flash of repartee which he knew was only a quotation from her. But also he found himself incapable of that continuous self-restraint which she required of him under their agreement of a future basis. He had his moments when he could no more avoid feeling and acting and declaring himself her lover than he could avoid later regretting them, and for this inability he had been exiled.

"To you," she told him, "it means a minor thing—but it's not minor to me. I have had unhappiness enough without risking more. We must not see or write to each other." Paul knew nothing of what this decision cost her nor of the many letters she had written to him—and destroyed unmailed.

Now he was utterly miserable and his heart was aching for companionship outside the two houses where the mildew of misery tainted even the sunshine that came through the windows. He craved cheer and strength of a heart braver than his own and in defiance of her orders he was going to see the woman in whose presence he would find these things; the woman whom he had not seen for months

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The total imports of coal oil, petroleum products, gasoline, crude oil, and lubricating oil in 1916 was 238,151,648 gallons, valued at $9,563,588.

If we add to the foregoing figures the quantities of vegetable and animal oils consumed in Canada, the aggregate will not be very much less than 250,000,000 gallons.

Very few realize that, per capita, Canadians consume annually about thirty-five gallons. This does not include vegetable oils brought into the country; only mineral oils are taken into account.

The different uses to which the products of crude petroleum are being put multiply almost every year. Many years ago the ardent promoters told the public that eventually the engines which drew freight from the Atlantic to the Pacific would be propelled by oil. Scientists confirmed these statements with the conditions as to supply attached to their findings. Some of the prognostications made have come true, but many were made as to profits from the exploitation of oil wells that very properly led the over-sanguine to jail. It is true now that oil is used for hauling big trains over our mountains and for a hundred other purposes that were not thought of in the years which do not seem to be long past. Many thought that the old-fashioned paraffin lamp was doomed to pass away, but the oil companies to-day tell us that as much is being used as ever. The farmers not within reach of the gas and the electric current utilities are still very numerous and they are better off than they used to be. Moreover appliances for the use of oil have vastly improved. For illuminating purposes oil has been adapted to produce results that would astonish the age of fifty years ago. To-day far more cooking is being done by oil stoves and the accidents resulting therefrom are less numerous and the general results are very much better. Advances of this character have served to maintain the demand for oil and which fully explains the development within the Dominion of a very large and successful industry.

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OUR DAILY SHORT STORY

TIM DONNAN'S LUCK

By D. H. TALMADGE

There are people who scoff at the theory of luck, but Tim Donnan is not one of them.

Tim was a brakeman on the P. and T. railway six months ago, and a freight brakeman at that, with a pretty slim prospect ahead of him. He despaired whenever he thought of a certain girl who was so practical that she refused to marry him until his salary was adequate for an establishment. The fact that she called it an "establishment" showed plainly that her emotions were under control of her intellect. A sentimental, impulsive creature who loved a man as this girl loved Tim would have called it a little home.

Tim isn't a brakeman on the P. and T. now. He is a conductor on the F. and L., and he and the girl have their "establishment" and are deliriously happy.

Luck did it, Tim says, and he proves it by telling the story.

"Mebby you know and mebby you don't," he begins in a subtle brogue, "that the windows of heaven were opened over a small spot in the northern part of Missouri one night last June. Mebby, again, you know and mebby you don't that the P. and T. road runs parallel with the F. and L. for about six miles after leavin' St. James. They cross the Blue river each on its own nice little bridge within two miles of each other, the P. and T. bridge bein' up stream from the bridge of the F. and L.

"'Twas lucky for me they fixed it so. I was sittin' on the back platform of the caboose the night when the cloud busted. My work was finished for the minute, and I was restin' and nursin' a bad fit of melancholy. My hopes were blacker than the night just then, and the night was blacker than the inside of a brunette cat. I saw nothin' to look forward to, and that's a worse state to be in than Arkansaw. I was sayin' to myself that I believed I'd commit suicide and end the agony when all of a quick sudden the train stopped.

"Mebby you never experienced the sensation of bein' on a freight train when it stops suddenly. 'Tis like a ton of coal droppin' into a man's throat.

"For a minute I forgot my troubles. I grabbed my lantern and went up ahead to see what was wrong. 'Twas easy to see. By the gleamin' of the headlight on the engine I saw a roarin', howlin' flood of water. Blue river was full and runnin' over—way over. The track on the bridge was all but covered. 'Shall we try it or not?' says the engineer to the conductor. 'Wait till we look at the bridge,' says the conductor. 'Come, Donnan, we'll go and see if 'tis safe.' And we went.

"'Twas a fool thing to do what I did then, but I was in a desperate mood, and the rushin' of the flood affected my brain, I'm thinkin'. I told the conductor I'd go across and take a peep at the anchorage on the other side. And I started, the conductor offering no objections visible to the naked ear, and got half way across mebby when—big!—a tree that made

BRUSHED ME OFF WITH ITS BRANCHES.

ordinary sawlogs look like matches struck the bridge and brushed me off with its branches as easy as a whiskbroom disposes of a crumb.

"Ar-r-rah, the swim that followed!

"I don't know the words that describe it. But luck was with me. I got my hands on to a regular Pullman of a railroad tie, and I clung to it as the ivy clings to the molderin' wall. 'Twas nothin' resemblin' suicide the way I stuck to that tie. And every once or twice in awhile a chicken coop or a woodshed or a cord of wood bumped into me, knockin' out prayers like sparks from an anvil.

"'Tis my humble opinion that the current was runnin' at a rate of 410 miles to the hour. Mebby 'twas more, and mebby 'twas less. I didn't stop to measure it. Anyway, 'twas but a short time till I brought up against the F. and L. bridge with such force that six of my teeth took refuge in my stomach and a constellation of stars danced before my eyes, furnishin' sufficient light to enable me to crawl on to the bridge.

"The bridge was about ready to break loose. I crawliest off of it rapidly. I'd had all the trip by water that I wanted. I crawled off at the first end I come to, and that was luck again.

"There was a station a ways up the track, and after I'd found my hind legs again I hustled along till I got to it.

"The night operator was surprised to see me. Bein' a young chap, he reached nervously for his gun.

"'Put it away,' says I to him, 'put it away, Willy, and get a wringer.'

"'Heavens!' says he, 'is it rainin' again? You're soppin' wet.'

"'Am I?' says I. 'Sure 'tis the true nose for news you've got. You should be in newspaper work. But tell me,' says I, 'how soon the train's due.' I knew a train was about due, else he'd been snoozin'.

"'The flier goin' south,' says he, lookin' at his watch, 'will be along in three minutes.'

"'Does she stop at this station?' says I.

"'No,' says he.

"'Then,' says I, 'you'd better get out your red lamp, for the bridge is all but gone.' And he did it.

"With the flier came more luck for me. The general manager's car was on and the general manager himself, artistically arrayed in a suit of pink pajamas, was up and rubberin' around almost before I'd told the conductor about the bridge. 'Tis the way of general managers. They're mostly built so.

"He looked me over with his sharp eyes, all the time spittin' out questions as a rapid fire gun spits lead, and I answered him as intelligently as was possible without my teeth. He seemed impressed. 'You'd better go and get dry. I'll look you up and remember you,' says he. 'Thank you, sir,' says I.

"'Twas about a week after that I got an invitation to the general offices of the F. and L. at St. Jim. The doctor said I might go if I'd be careful. Another touch of pneumonia, he said, might prove disastrous. So I went, and they didn't do a thing after I got there but put me through an examination and give me one of the best runs on their system, though why they did it I'll be blessed if I can understand.

"Luck? Well, say!"

Pride Had a Fall.

"Yes, it is a pretty good cigar," said Brown, as he held it up and looked at it critically. "Jones bought it, but if he thinks he bought my silence with it he is mistaken, as the story is too good to keep. Jones, as you know, considers himself a great ladies' man, although he is old enough to know better. I was walking with him this afternoon, and he could talk of nothing but his 'latest.' Suddenly he exclaimed:

"'By Jove! There she is now, across the street. Isn't she a peach?'

"Off came his hat with a flourish, exposing his bald pate, and an idiotic grin spread over his features.

"Much to my surprise, for she did not look like a girl who would indulge in a street flirtation, she waved her hand, hesitated a moment and then started to cross the street where we were.

"'They can't resist me,' said the beaming Jones. 'Excuse me, old man; see you later; ta, ta!'

"Hat in hand and grinning like a monkey, Jones approached the young lady, who suddenly stopped, looked startled for a moment and then gasped:

"'Goodness! I mistook you for my grandfather!'"—Detroit Free Press.

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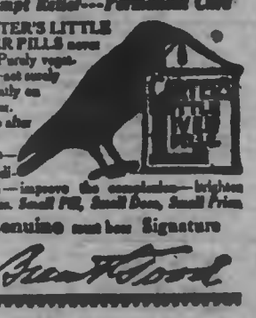

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HATCHING BASS FRY

ONTARIO'S RESTOCKING WORK IS FULL OF DIFFICULTIES.

Artificial Methods Pursued With Most Fish Will Not Work With the King Fighter—Culture of Black Bass is a Science Which Has Only Been Recently Developed—Male Fish Guards the Eggs.

TO the expert the reports from the Ontario hinterland that "the bass ain't bitin' so awful good this season" mean only one thing, namely, that such-and-such lake or river is getting fished out. Luckily our wealth in bass-ground is so considerable and the number of anglers who exploit them so small, comparatively, that the depletion of a lake or two is no crying matter, says Thomas Millsburgh in The Toronto Star Weekly. Yet the Government will very shortly find itself obliged to go into the distribution of bass fry on a scale to which their present operations are negligible. They do it in Michigan. Thirty years ago Muskoka's three picturesque lakes were a fisherman's paradise. Then the summer tourist started coming, and, yearly, the supply has dwindled while the demand increased. Think what additional popularity Lake Joseph or Rosseau would acquire if the bass were always "bitin' good this year!" It will come to that; for every extra fisherman who hies northward accounts for so much money taken out of hoarding and put into circulation, where it does most good.

Black bass culture (small-mouth) is a science which has only very recently been successfully elaborated. The small-mouth black bass is a nest-builder. It makes its nest by cleaning up a circular patch of gravel two to three feet in diameter, in shallow water, and the female lays her eggs thereupon. But experience has shown that if artificial nests are provided in suitably sheltered places the male fish, which attend to the business of nest building, will occupy them on their own account. It took an immense amount of experimenting to arrive at the best style of nest, but it was worth it all to solve the problem of propagating artificially, "inch for inch and pound for pound, the gamiest fish that swims."

In a state of nature the male black bass picks out a place for his nest where there is coarse gravel, in shallow water. Standing upright, with a sweeping movement of his tail he brushes away all the sediment from an area two or three feet across. Then, standing on his head, he roots over the gravel, and alternately he roots and sweeps until all the sand and smaller stones are swept to the edge of the saucer-shaped nest, so left perfectly clean. When the nest is thus prepared the male stands guard, but makes frequent circles into deeper water in search of a female bass, fetching her home with him, and remaining at hand until she has deposited her eggs on the clean gravel. If she attempts to run away she is pursued and brought back, but directly the spawning is completed he no longer detains her, and he may even drive her away.

It now devolves upon the male bass to care for the eggs and "fry." As for the female, she takes no part in the subsequent proceedings. He remains over the nest, guarding it until the eggs are hatched and the young fry are ready to leave the nest. Swimming slowly back and forth, he fans the eggs with his pectoral fins and tail to keep them free from sediment. At frequent intervals he leaves them and circles about the nest to assure himself no enemies are nigh. If another fish approaches it is attacked. When the eggs are hatched the young bass remain for some days hovering over the nest, and then leave it, accompanied and guarded by the male. Usually they seek very shallow water along shore, and the parent swims back and forth in a half circle outside his "school" of young hopefuls. This care is taken until the fry are an inch to an inch and a quarter long; then they scatter.

Unless cared for thus, comparatively few of the bass would live to grow up. Both eggs and young fish have numerous enemies — various kinds of minnows, sunfish and young bass of larger growth—which are ready to attack during even a brief absence of the parent. The same description would apply to the large-mouth bass throughout, except that their eggs usually are laid on the fibrous roots of water plants, dead leaves, or other such materials on the bottom.

To accommodate all these vagaries then was the endeavor of the artificial propagator. It was soon found that methods employed with other fish would not work; one male bass must by no means be able to see another; it always disturbed him, he generally wanted to fight. With other fish they "strip" the females of their eggs, let the males fertilize the eggs, and place them in a continually flowing current of water in trays or glass jars to hatch. It cost thousands before it was found this would not work with black bass.

It Wasn't Catching.

At a local cricket match the fielding of the home team was very poor, catch after catch being dropped in aggravating persistence. Geordie, who bowled mainly for catches, was riled to see catch after catch dropped from his bowling, and when one of the offenders, failing to hold the ball, muttered something about an "epidemic," Geordie angrily retorted:

"Hepedemic be blowed! It canna be a hepedemic, cos it's not catchin'."

The Silver Ankle Chain.

A pair of new slippers recently unpacked was provided with very long tongues which extended well up on the instep and were held in place by a slender silver chain round the ankle.

ECZEMA ON FACE

WAS SO BAD HAD TO STAY IN HOUSE

All skin diseases such as eczema or salt rheum, itching or burning rashes, eruptions, ulcers, boils, pimples, etc., are all caused by bad blood, and while not usually attended with any fatal results, may sooner or later develop into some serious blood trouble and the entire system become affected.

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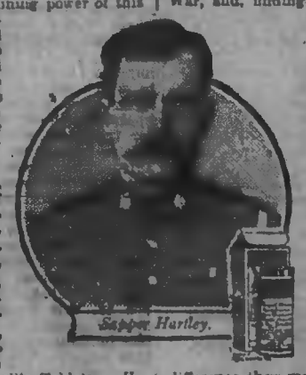

Sapper Hartley.

SAPPER A. HARTLEY, OF THE A. COMPANY, CANADIAN ENGINEERS, whose home address is 806, TRAFALGAR STREET, LONDON, ONTARIO, is one of many who have written in praise of Dr. Cassell's Tablets. He says:—"As a constant user of Dr. Cassell's Tablets I would like to add my testimony to their value. I used them when I was in the South African War, and, finding the benefit of them there, have taken them since whenever I felt run-down. I always recommend them, for I know they do all that is claimed for them. In my opinion they are the best tonic anyone can take for loss of appetite, poorness of the blood, or general weakness of the system. We have had a lot of hard training here, and some time ago I began to feel the strain, but I got some Dr. Cassell's Tablets, and the boys are surprised at what a difference they made in me. I mean to have some with me always on active service."

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A Matter of Gloves.

"Did you never notice how much better men's gloves look than women's?" said the man. "Go into any public conveyance and look at the gloves of the passengers and you will be impressed by the superior condition of those worn by men. Two-thirds of the women you meet cover their hands with suedes and dogskins that are shockingly soiled and worn. It is not only women of generally shabby appearance who are guilty of wornout finger tips and ragged seams; many who are otherwise well groomed and who could afford to put on a fresh pair of gloves every day are equally culpable. Men would be ashamed to go on the street wearing such disreputable things, but women flaunt them unblushingly."

"That sweeping condemnation is unfair," protested the woman. "The condition is easily explained. Women wear their gloves much more than men, and besides it is awfully destructive to finger tips to dig around in purses for change and samples and to handle candy, to turn over books and to examine dry goods."

"Now you have jumped the subject," said the man. "I am not talking about cause. I am talking about effect. The majority of men certainly do wear better gloves than the majority of women. You cannot deny that."

"That is true," the woman admitted. "I cannot deny it; they can better afford it also."—Philadelphia Times.

The Cue Could Wait.

An American traveler in China, making his way out of the province of Shensi over the mountains, after five days of rough riding overtook his servant, who had been sent on ahead with the baggage. He reports the conversation which followed:

As a soldier half lifted me from the saddle Wang, the servant, handed me my razors. "For five days," he said, "the beard of my master is growing. I think maybe he like to cut it off."

I thanked him for his thoughtfulness, but I added, "You are in a great deal worse shape than I am. You needn't trouble about me. Have your cue braided, and then lie down on your pooka and take a nap."

He smiled with the faraway, rather sad smile of his race. "It would not be right for me to sleep, sir," he said, "before I see that you are resting. The cue is Chinese. It can wait patiently. But the beard is European. It cannot wait. It must go quickly."

Painfully Frank.

Hostess (to departing guest)—Must you go so early, Mr. Blank? Blank—I'm very sorry that I must leave, Mrs. Park. The fact is, not expecting to have such a pleasant time this evening, I made another engagement."—Boston Transcript.

Worse Still.

"Did Mr. Jobbleis pay his bill?"

"Yes, sir," answered the collector, "but he made a lot of fuss about it."

"Um! Don't let that trouble you, son. It's the fellow who bellows and doesn't pay that we should worry about."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Hint That Failed.

Visitor (waiting an invitation to lunch)—Two o'clock! I fear I'm keeping you from your dinner. Hostess—No, but I fear we are keeping you from yours.—Meggendorfer Blaetter.

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Peterboro' Man Struck By Train

Limbs Broken and Loses Part of Hand —Struck by Train.

TIMMINS, Ont., Jan. 12.—W. J. Thompson, member of the Legislature for Peterborough was struck last evening near Monteith by the northbound National train. Believing the train to be No. 47 he attempted to flag it, and the speeding express struck his lift hand and hurled him in against the side of the train. He was rushed to Iroquois Falls hospital and will recover, but half of his right hand was amputated and his right arm and left leg broken. Mr. Thompson is manager of the Monteith Pulp Company.

When making apple salad, put a little lemon juice over the apples. This blends with the salad dressing and keeps the apples white.

GERMAN BREAD LINES PLAN FOR REBELLION

Ominous Upheavals in Germany Cleverly Hidden From Britain—Neutral Correspondents Gagged

D. Thomas Curtin, the United States writer, who spent ten months in Germany in 1916 for British papers, wrote as follows: The feeling of German women of the lower classes seems to rise and fall in curves, changing apparently about every three months. There was a great curve of rebellious talk, food talk and peace talk, in July, of 1916. Immediately following the Somme offensive, the losses in which were not known for some weeks, but which trickled through gradually, there began the agitation for the great munition strike which was to have taken place on August 1, 1916. The dimensions of this proposed rising seem to have been effectually concealed by the German censorship. I found very little about it in the English newspapers which reached Berlin, but what I did read were isolated fragments, such as the Kaiser's appeal to the people on August 1, 1916, which, if it be referred to, will be found to include a special appeal to the workers. No one in England seems to know about this important movement.

Machine Guns Very Busy

What happened was that there was a significant movement of machine guns to all points of danger, such as the Moabit district of Berlin and Spandau, together with countless warnings against so-called "Anarchists." The German Government went through a period of anxiety, and the story, if I had space here to tell it, is one of intense dramatic interest. Casual visitors to Berlin hotels knew nothing of the subject. The interned American and other neutral correspondents dare not say a word about it, and this great suppressed upheaval has passed away for a time with other incidents of the war that have been so effectively gagged.

In the Bread Line

The notices summoning semi-revolutionary meetings are whispered from mouth to mouth by the women standing in the food lines, waiting for their potatoes, morning bread, half-pound of meat weekly, and the other ticketed supplies, for the war has produced among the lower third of the population of women a distinctly revolutionary feeling. These women do not pay the attention they formerly did to the bell ringings and flag displays which were ordered by the Government on every possible occasion, such as the safe arrival of the submarine Deutschland at Baltimore, its return to Bremen, and the first success against Roumania.

BRONCHITIS SUFFERER

Chatham, Ont., Woman Cured by a Simple Remedy.

Chatham, Ontario. "My mother came to visit us last spring and was suffering with what doctors called bronchitis, or a bronchial asthmatic cough. She coughed dreadfully, had difficulty in breathing and tightness all through her chest. She had tried Emulsions of Cod Liver Oil and other remedies without help. We had her try Vinol and the result was it soon loosened the cough and helped her to breathe easier and now she is all right." Henry Schmidt.

Vinol, you know, contains beef and cod liver peptones, iron and manganese peptonates and glycerophosphates. It enriches and revitalizes the blood and conveys to the system the vital elements necessary to strengthen the body and throw off the disease. That is the reason it was so successful in Mrs. Schmidt's case.

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THE GREAT DEPARTED

Joffre Trained Nivelle to Take up the Burden

Of Joffre at his retirement, the Paris Matin said: "But General Joffre cannot be everywhere. The French General Staff cannot always be made up of the same men. The war has been terribly fatiguing for those upon whose shoulders lay the responsibility of conducting it, and the conditions under which this war has been fought have become modified to a considerable degree by the immobility into which it has fallen. It was perfectly natural, therefore, that the burden of active command of the armies at the front should be taken from the shoulders of General Joffre and placed on younger shoulders and that the profound wisdom, vast experience, and genius for command of the victor of the Marne and liberator of France should be put to other uses. It was also just as natural that no change should be made in the organization of the General Staff, which he created, which had proved of incomparable excellence, but only in the men upon whom devolves the maintenance and direction of this organization.

General Nivelle, who becomes Commander-in-Chief of the troops at the front, was one of the favorite pupils, one of the most faithful friends, one of the discoveries of General Joffre. It is to Joffre, therefore, that France owes her new Commander-in-Chief—one more debt of gratitude. The new officers who take up their duties in the General Staff feel respect and devotion for the achievements of those who preceded them. They admire the marvelous mechanism placed in their hands. Their only contributions are new strength and new zeal for making the instrument in their hands yeld its maximum of results.

PROFIT FROM AGONY

Scottish Ironmaster Was Willing to Pay Extra Taxes

"To my mind there is something absolutely revolting in the idea of anybody making profits out of the nation's agony," said Mr. W. Lorimer, LL.D., in delivering the Chairman's address at the meeting of the Steel Company of Scotland. He said: "This war, God knows, will bring untold sufferings in more than one form to millions who have no war profits to collect and no war bonds to receive, and therefore I have felt in my own mind, long before this proposal was made, that in that direction the Government would be entirely justified in asking those who have made profits to assist those who are less fortunate. It may be, indeed, that before the war is ended the Government may find it necessary to take not 50 but 100 per cent. of those extra profits, and if they do, I hope that none of us will complain."

A considerable number of munition workers left Australia for England.

Two thousand French soldiers in Switzerland signed an album thanking the Pope for his intervention on their behalf.

For failing to produce his registration card to the police, who were visiting him on another matter, a man was fined $100 at the Marylebone Court.

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TOWNSHEND—"WHAT A MAN TO FOLLOW"

Private's Tribute to Heroic British General Who Defended Kut—Tragic Incidents

Little by little the heroic epic of the British defence of Kut under the great Townshend comes to light. A despatch rider, Private Lutener of the Seventh Hussars, since returned to England, has added incidents to the general store of knowledge. One evening Lutener was lying in his bed in Kut hospital chatting to two comrades, a sergeant and a private. Suddenly there was a great rending explosion; the hospital had been struck by a bomb from above.

"I was not touched," Lutener says, "but both the men at my bedside were killed; and for three days I was conscious of nothing but the terrible shock I had sustained. I kept feeling my head and my remaining leg; it was the only way by which I could convince myself they were still there." Thirty-one men were injured by that one bomb and eighteen of them died of their injuries.

Lutener himself is a pretty tough specimen of the British soldier or he could never have survived the deprivations of that long siege. Among the Kut wounded upon whom it was necessary to perform amputation he is the sole survivor. He had wasted to a very shadow when the end of the siege came, and the doctor attributed his existence in such circumstances to the clean life he must have led. One day, when he was slowly struggling back from the shock of the amputation the general came to see him.

"I know this man," he exclaimed at the first glance. "Private Lutener, sir, of the Signal Company; carried despatches." "And how are you getting on, laddie?" I told him I was all right, and he patted me on the back, saying: "Keep on smiling, laddie. And always think that when you get home there will be thousands like you, worse luck."

When the doctor came back he said to me: "Lutener, you are a lucky man. I've been instructed that you are to have a bottle of port wine all to yourself. It is the General's last bottle, and you must take care of it." I hardly liked to take it, but I think if I had not I should never have been here to-day. But what a man to follow!

Use Cocoanut Oil For Washing Hair

If you want to keep your hair in good condition, be careful what you wash it with.

Don't use prepared shampoos or anything else, that contains too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and is very harmful. Just plain mulsified cocoanut oil (which is pure and entirely greaseless), is much better than the most expensive soap or anything else you can use for shampooing, as this can't possibly injure the hair.

Simply moisten your hair with water and rub it in. One or two teaspoonfuls will make an abundance of rich creamy lather, and cleanses the hair and scalp thoroughly. The lather rinses out easily, and removes every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves it fine and silky, bright, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get mulsified cocoanut oil at most any drug store. It is very cheap, and a few ounces is enough to last everyone in the family for months.

BRITISH COOLNESS

Changed Shirts During Charge—Much Hun Booty

An Englishman writes: Splendid work, even in the capture of prisoners, was done by the signallers, many of whom went forward with the first wave. One of them found himself all alone and wounded at the mouth of a crowded German dug-out. By way of occupation he told the men they were his prisoners, and then, using the telephone strapped round his body, called for assistance and guides for the prisoners.

The whole battle—this soldier's battle—was marked by unnumbered episodes of individual personal acts of dash and coolness. Some men were too cool. They stopped to light German cigars, to taste the excellent food or don the enemy's helmets—which they wore hilariously for the rest of the day. One man, who discovered an ordnance store, deliberately changed his damp and muddy shirt for a clean German garment from the packets.

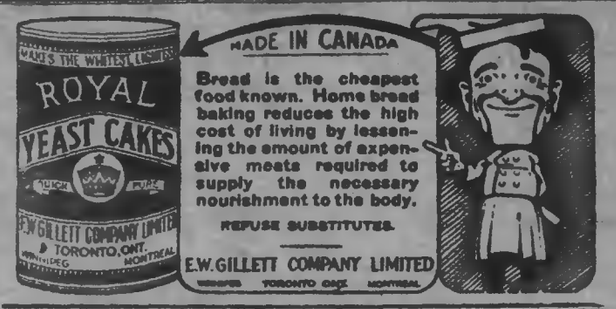
I have never heard higher praise of our artillery, and the signs of its excellence are written on the soil. Everywhere in the near neighborhood of a trench the ground is like a Gruyere cheese. Beaumont-Hamel itself was pounded to the highest pitch of powerful precision. Some of the nests, apart from their human occupants, were worth robbing. One food dump contained excellent butter, white bread, tinned hams, soda water, and other luxuries. Cigars were "frequant and free," and the ordnance stores seem to have been of good quality. One brigade took 54 machine guns and 1 heavy mortar.

ZEPPS. IN MIDLANDS

Wonderful Escapes of Villages From Heavy Bombing

A Zeppelin which visited districts in the North Midlands about 1.30 a.m. dropped at least a dozen bombs in a small area, which, however, escaped serious damage. In one locality where a number of bombs fell there were no casualties. One missile, probably an incendiary bomb, fell in a brick yard in the midst of rows of houses, and the buildings were badly splashed with molten metal, but no fire occured.

One Zeppelin was over this area for about half an hour. The inhabitants were first warned by a rapid succession of violent explosions. They retired to their cellars until the danger was passed, after which the whole population ran into the streets.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Sunday School Lesson Questions

John the Baptist and Jesus. John 1:19-34.

Golden Text: Behold, the Lamb of God, that taketh away the sin of the world. John 1.29.

1. Verses 19, 20—Why did some think that John the Baptist was the Messiah, while they rejected Jesus Christ the true Messiah?

2. How did John know that Jesus was the Messiah?

3. What are the advantages of being content to be our true selves, and to do our own work with joy and not to wish we were some great person?

4. Verses 21, 22. Would it be desirable, or easy, or hard, for you to answer truthfully, Who are you? What are you doing? What is your supreme aim in life?

5. Verses 21, 22. Why has the community a right to ask of every man, Who are you? What are you doing? What are you worth?

6. Verses 23, 24. What is the substance of John's answer to the priests and the Levites?

7. What should be done with the man who cannot give a proper account of himself?

8. Verses 25. Why did John baptise, and what did his baptism signify?

9. Verse 26. What does water baptism stand for to-day, and how much better off are the members of churches that practice baptism, than the Quakers for example who do not?

10. Verse 27. If John was the godly and brave man the Gospels picture, why did he say he was worthy to untie Christ's shoe strings?

11. Verse 27, 28. We ought to be humble is it true humanity to speak of ourselves in a more disparaging way than the facts warrant?

12. Verse 29. What did John mean by calling Jesus, "The Lamb of God, which taketh away the sin of the world?"

13. Has Jesus taken away your sin, and if not, why not?

14. What reason if any is there to believe that the day will come when Jesus shall literally have taken away the sin of the world?

15 Verse 30. Was Jesus as a man superior to John, and every other man, on account of his divinity, or on account of the fact, that he had been more faithful as a man?

16. Does the fact that a man has a very superior ancestry, great ability, and is highly educated, give him any favor with God over a man of plebian birth, and ordinary ability, who is equally faithful to his Maker?

17. Verse 31. God had clearly appointed John to be the forerunner of Jesus but would you say, or not, and why, that God has a specific work for every man to do?

18. Verse 32. Did John see with his outward eyes, the spirit, in the form of a dove, resting upon Jesus or was it a mental picture? Why?

19. Verses 33, 34. If God could give John such specific instructions that he could infallibly recognise Jesus by certain signs, why cannot he give similar, clear instructions to-day, to the faithful soul?

20. How may we recognise Jesus now when he comes to us?

Lesson for Sunday Jan 21, 1917. First Disciples of the Lord Jesus. John 1:35-51.

A WEAK CHESTED BOY.

"My daughter suffered from inflamed eyelids and eczema on her head," writes Mr. H. W. Lear, Port Planford, Nfld. "The child was in a bad state and suffered greatly. The doctor failed to help her and on recommendation of a friend I used Dr. Chase's Ointment, which made a complete cure. With a grateful heart write you this letter."

LEGACIES FOR WRITERS

LONDON, Jan. 11.—The will of Lord Lucas, killed while a member of the Royal Flying Corps in November, includes bequests to two well-known writers, Halaire Belloc, $15,000; Gilbert Chesterton $5,000.

German Losses Estimated at Four Millions

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 12.— Official summary here places the German casualties in the war to date at over four million.

FOOD ORDER RESTRICTS CANDY

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 12.—New food order forbids candy and chocolate trimmings for cakes and also bans expensive sweets.

Further Success For the British

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 12.—British successes on the Sinai peninsula and on the River Tigris continue.

Jump from Bed in Morning and Drink Hot Water

Tells why everyone should drink hot water each morning before breakfast.

Why is man and woman, half the time, feeling nervous, despondent, worried; some days headachy, dull and unstrung; some days really incapacitated by illness.

If we all would practice inside-bathing, what a gratifying change would take place. Instead of thousands of half-sick, anaemic-looking souls with pasty, muddy complexions we should see crowds of happy, healthy, rosy-cheeked people everywhere. The reason is that the human system does not rid itself each day of all the waste which it accumulates under our present mode of living. For every ounce of food and drink taken into the system nearly an ounce of waste material must be carried out, else it ferments and forms ptomaine-like poisons which are absorbed into the blood.

Just as necessary as it is to clean the ashes from the furnace each day, before the fire will burn bright and hot, so we must each morning clear the inside organs of the previous day's accumulation of indigestible waste and body toxins. Men and women, whether sick or well, are advised to drink each morning, before breakfast a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, as a harmless means of washing out of the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the indigestible material, waste, sour bile and toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Millions of people who had their turn of constipation, bilious attacks, acid stomachs, nervous days and sleepless nights have become real cranks about the morning inside-bath. A quarter pound of limestone phosphate will not cost much at the drug store, but is sufficient to demonstrate to anyone, its cleansing, sweetening and freshening effect upon the system.

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MISSES' AND SMALL WOMEN'S DRESS.

By Anabel Worthington.

Individuality, simplicity and grace are perfectly expressed in this one-piece frock, designed especially for misses and small women.

Successful style treatment is shown with a panel, full length at back and front. The waist has the becoming open neck outlined with contrasting goods; the sleeves extending to neck edge give added interest to the model—they are cuffed neatly with a turn back of the same material that contributes the collar.

At normal waistline a belt fastening in front with a fancy buckle arranges the fulness and marks a skirt section that flares fascinatingly at the lower edge. While the combination idea is most effectively carried out, all one material may be employed with satisfactory result.

In the wool materials, serge, gabardine, striped and checked goods will be smart looking in this style. Navy blue serge with cream cadet broadcloth for collar and cuffs is another choice; all wool poplin trimmed with black satin is also suitable. Then if you really want to set yourself up, there is velveteen to develop this model in. There is almost no work at all to the making of it.

The dress pattern, No. 8,019, cuts in sizes 14 to 20 years. To make in size 16 requires 4 yards of 44 inch goods, with 1⅝ yards for front panel, collar and cuffs. In all one material 5 yards of 44 inch goods will do.

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When ordering remember to give your name and address as well as the number and size of pattern required, and age of a child.

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PETERBOROUGH FRIDAY, JANUARY 12, 1917

GRANT SIX

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CANADA HAS SPENT 170 MILLIONS ON THE WAR IN THE LAST NINE MONTHS

Expenditures During December Alone Amounted to $22,702,217---Revenue Shows An Increase of 44 Millions---British Conduct Successful Local Operations on the Western Front--Paris Reports Everything Quiet.

A SUMMARY OF TO-DAY'S WAR CABLES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, January 12. — Canada's total revenue for the first nine months of the fiscal year ending December amounted to 166 millions, which is an increase of forty-four millions as compared with the corresponding period in the preceding year. The expenditures exclusive of the war for the first nine months totalled one hundred million.

Should the average not be exceeded for the remaining three months there will be a surplus of revenue over the ordinary and a capital expenditure of about sixty millions to be applied for war purposes.

Of the increase in revenue, customs is responsible for about twenty-eight million dollars, excise for about two million dollars, and the post office for a million and a half. At the end of December the net debt stood at 722 millions, an increase of over two hundred millions as compared with December, 1915.

Canada has spent for war purposes during the nine months 170 millions, which is just about exactly the amount expended for the same purpose during the first nine months of the preceding fiscal year.

The total war expenditures during December were $22,702,217.

PARIS (French Official Communique), January 12.—A calm night on the whole front was reported to-day.

British Pull Off Successful Attack

Special to The Examiner:

LONDON, January 11.—The British official communication issued to-night says:—

"A number of minor enterprises were undertaken last night, with excellent results. South of the Ancre we entered the enemy trenches at two places in the neighbourhood of Grandcourt and took prisoners.

"Early this morning a local operation on a large scale northeast of Beaumont-Hamel was completely successful. Our troops carried an enemy trench on a front of three-quarters of a mile and established our position. An enemy counter-attack this afternoon was caught in the open by our artillery and broken up. One hundred and seventy-six prisoners, including four officers, were taken in the course of the operations in this area.

"Enemy trenches also were raided last night east of Armentieres and northeast of Ypres. Many casualties were inflicted on the enemy.

"The artillery activity has been marked in the area north of Bouchavesnes and in the neighbourhood of Lesars, Beaucourt and Forguevillers."

Greece Must Return More Definite Answer

Examiner Special:

LONDON, January 12.—Greece must return a more definite answer to the Allies' ultimatum. An authoritative report today was that such a demand had been cabled.

Higher Temperature Is In Prospect

The lowest temperature during the night was seventeen degrees below zero. This was one degree lower than the previous night when a temperature of sixteen degrees below zero was recorded. This morning the mercury in the thermometer had travelled back to fourteen degrees so with the exception of the policemen on night duty and a few transients the minimum temperature was only fully appreciated by a small number of citizens. In the opinion of the weather man the back of the cold spell has been broken and a higher temperature is in prospect.

Mr. J. R. Corkery Enters New Law Firm

Following the opening of Mr. Daniel O'Connell's new law office in Toronto, he and Mr. John R. Corkery have formed a partnership and in future the Peterborough business of both will be carried on under the name of O'Connell and Corkery, at the offices formerly occupied by Mr. O'Connell.

C.P.R. TRAIN SERVICE.

Temporary reduction, passenger train service to facilitate freight movements, effective Sunday, January 14th, 1917. Particulars from Ticket Agent, Canadian Pacific Railway or W. B. Howard, District Passenger Agent, Toronto. 3d-887

ADDRESS THIS EVENING BY REV. E. N. BAKER IN ST. JAMES' CHURCH

This evening in St. James' church, the Rev. E. N. Baker, D.D., Principal of Albert College, Belleville, will give his entertaining and instructive address on his travels through Rome. The Rev. Mr. Baker is a good platform speaker and his address this evening should be of more than ordinary interest. By mistake the address was announced for Friday, February 13th instead of this evening. Tickets, adults 25c., children two for 25c.

RECITAL ON THE NEW EDISON

There Will Be a Recital Given on the New Edison in the Recital Hall of the J. M. GREENE MUSIC CO., LTD., CHARLOTTE STREET

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PROGRAMME:

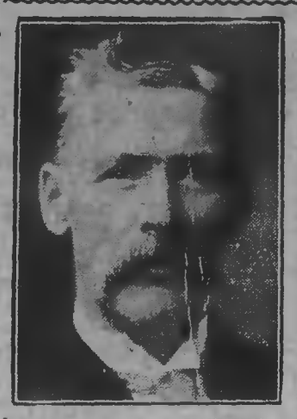
1. "The Thunderer March" (Sousa)—New York Military Band.
2. "When the Haying Time is Over" (Jacobs)—Spencer and Van Brunt.
3. "Just for To-day" (Abbott)—Contralto Solo by Christine Miller.
4. "I'm on my Way to Dublin Bay" (Lampe)—New York Military Band.
5. "And a Little Child Shall Lead Them" (Harris)—Walker Van Brunt and Chorus.
6. "Poet and Peasant Overture" (Suppe)—Gering Orchestra.
7. "Desperate Desmond"—Vaudeville Specialty.
8. "Whisper and I Shall Hear" (Piccolomini)—Soprano Solo by Elizabeth Spencer.
9. "A Spring Morning" (Carey)—Soprano Solo by Julia Heinrich.
10. "Carnival One-Step" (Pulloch)—Jandas Society Orchestra.
11. "The Nightingale Song" (Zeller)—Helen Clarke and Chorus.
12. "I Love a Lassie" (Leader & Crafton)—Scotch Song by Glen Ellison.
13. "Bridal Blushes Waltz" (Schmid)—Jandas Society Orchestra.
14. "Siciliana-Cavalleria Rusticana" (Mascagni)—Tenor Solo in English by Reed Miller.

GOD SAVE THE KING

PETERBOROUGH BRANCH CANADIAN PATRIOTIC FUND.

The annual general and quarterly meeting of this Branch of the Patriotic Fund will be held in the rooms of the Fund on the evening of Tuesday, January 16th, at eight o'clock. Members are earnestly requested to attend. By order,

3d-10-12-15 F. H. Dobbin, Sec'y.



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PRESENTED SILVER CUPS TO WINNERS OF SPECIAL PRIZES

Ald. Duncan Presided at Closing Event of the Poultry Show—List of the More Important Winners

SHOW A BIG SUCCESS

The conclusion of the Poultry Show last night drew a fairly large crowd for the presentation of the silverware and other special prizes by Ald. Geo. Duncan.

The Poultry Association's two silver cups, one each for the best male and female birds in the show, went respectively to Mr. James Baptie, of Springville, with a coloured Dorking cock, and to Mr. Archie Breault with a white Wyandotte hen. Mr. Breault has taken this prize five years in succession with white Wyandottes.

Other winners of specials were as follows:

Silver cup, by Mrs. H. W. Clarke—Best shaped male in the show: Jas. Baptie.

Silver cup, by F. S. Schneider — Most points in white Wyandottes: A. Everson.

Silver cup, by George McClelland—Most points in black Orpingtons: Geo. Buller.

Silver cup, by Clarke & Son—Most points in Light Brahmas: Curtis Bros., Warkworth.

Silver cup, by Fire Department — Best White Wyandotte cockerel: Geo. Harris, Belleville.

Silver cup, by Peterborough Examiner—Most points in S. C. White Leghorns: Hibbert & Griffith, Wilfred, Ont.

Silver cup, by F. R. Clarke—Most points in S. C. Black Minorcas: R. D. Robson.

Silver cup, by Schneider Bros. — Most points in Columbian Wyandattes: Harry Daniels, Lindsay.

Silver cup, by S. C. Warne, Diamond Hall—Most points in Golden Laced Wyandottes: S. J. Cox, Colborne.

Silver fruit bowl, by E. V. Warne—Most points in White Orpingtons—W. J. Munroe, Grafton.

Silver cup, by H. T. Lush—Most points in Black Hamburgs: H. T. Lush.

Hat, valued at $2.50, by D. H. Hickey—Most points in Buff Rocks: John Meharry.

Silver cup, by J. T. C. Lang—Most points in S. C. Brown Leghorns: Curtis Bros.

Silver cup, by F. R. Clarke—Most points in S. C. Rhode Island Reds: Geo. Buller.

Silver cup, by G. A. Gillespie — Most points in R. C. Brown Leghorns: J. Heffernan, Donegal St.

Silver cup, by Schneider Bros—Best cock, hen, cockerel and pullet; all varieties competing: Curtis Bros.

Bronze medal, by Canadian Poultry Review, 184 Adelaide St. West, Toronto, the leading poultry paper of the Dominion. Price 50c a year. Will contain a full report of the awards of this show. Sample free—Awarded to the Exhibitor winning the first prize

(Continued on Page 7.)

90 PER CENT. OF CARDS HAVE BEEN FILLED IN

TORONTO, January 12.—That approximately ninety per cent. of the National Registration cards distributed in Ontario cities filled in and collected by letter carriers, is summary of returns to-day from Ontario cities. Many of those outstanding are accountable to the fact that men are away from home. Men in smaller places and rural districts are mailing direct to Ottawa, but country post offices report the general response good.

THOUSANDS OF A.R. MEN NOW HAVE A CHANCE TO ENLIST

Standard of Fitness Has Been Lowered For the Newly Authorized Construction Battalion--Age Limit is 48 Years--News of the 247th Battalion and To-day's General Military News.

Toronto, January 12. — So great is the demand for men to build railways behind the firing line that Canada has been called on to recruit and equip ten railway construction battalions for service in France. Several of these battalions have already been organized, and the 257th Batt., which will be in command of Lt.-Col. L. T. Martin, an able, experienced railway contractor of Renfrew, Ont., started recruiting yesterday. It is also announced that the 238th (New Ontario) Battalion, which is spending the winter in Toronto, has been turned into a construction battalion, as most of the men have special qualifications for railway construction, bridge building, and other branches of railway engineering work. Now that the 238th unit has been changed from an infantry to a construction battalion, it is believed that it will not be long before orders are received for the regiment to proceed to France.

Lowering of Standard.

In connection with the call for construction men announcement is made of a lowering of the standard for physical fitness for men for the newly authorized construction battalions. According to the details received yesterday by Col. F. W. Marlow, Asst. Director of Medical Services for the Toronto Military District, men with only one eye and moderately flat feet and men who have lost one or two toes, will be accepted for service. This means that many of the "A.R." men (those who have already applied and been rejected) will be eligible for service in the new battalions.

A. R. Men Eligibe.

The communication makes it clear that thousands of men who could not pass for the infantry, cavalry, engineers or artillery will be accepted for service in the Forestry, Construction and Skilled Railway Employees Battalions. The minimum height is educed to four feet eleven inches, while the age limit for these units is raised to 48 years. Men over 41 must be carefully examined as to the condition of their arteries and care must be taken that boys under the age of 18 are not enlisted. It is considered at the Toronto headquarters that the railway construction battalions will never be turned into infantry battalions, having regard to the lower standard physically of its members. Men deaf in one ear or minus a finger or two will be recruited for these very necessary regiments and the authorities point out that men joining these regiments will be "doing their bit" in the fight against the Hun just as effectively as the boys who are in the front trenches. Men whose feet are bad will be tested by a five mile route march.

TORONTO, Jan. 12.—Lost in a Toronto church while its owner was packing Christmas parcels for soldiers at the front, a costly diamond ring, the property of Mrs. R. H. Mitchell, 17 Summerhill Gardens, has been found in a front line trench in France by Lieut. Howard Webster, son of Mr. A. F. Webster, the steamship ticket agent, and is now on its way back across the ocean.

The remarkable journey of the ring commenced last November when, together with the other ladies of Bloor Street Presbyterian Church, Mrs. Mitchell was assisting in packing parcels for the members of the church at the front. Unknown to her the ring slipped from her finger into a box, and before the loss was discovered the boxes had been sealed and shipped. Immediately letters were sent to the men to whom the boxes were addressed asking them to be on the lookout for the ring.

The friends of Charlie Manners will be pleased to hear of his promotion as full Corporal, as well as winning the Military Medal, and is at present engaged carrying the food to the firing line for the signallers, to which unit he belongs. This is the third year of war for him, and he is still in the best of health, and is going to fight till the finish. He is well liked among his chums.

The Otonabee Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire, wishing to do honour to the returned soldiers, are giving a banquet in the Recreation-Room of the Armouries on Monday evening, January 15th, at six o'clock. They sincerely hope that every returned soldier in Peterborough will come. Personal invitations are being sent out, but it is difficult to get all the names, so if any returned man does not get one, the Chapter trusts he will accept this invitation. You are included in this invitation if you have enlisted and have been discharged, no matter whether you have seen overseas service or not.

LAKEFIELD, Jan. 12.—Major A. T. Le Fevre, of this place, who went overseas with the C.P.R. Construction Corps, has been given the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, according to word received here, and appointed Assistant Director of Light Railways with the 4th Division in France.

Vote Will Be Close in West Simcoe Election

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

Creemore, Ont., Jan. 12. — Three days from the polling it is impossible for a neutral to pick the winner in the West Simcoe bye election. The vote will be close (possibly very close) with the probability that the winning candidate will have less than 100 of a majority. Who he will be, those who have followed the campaigners on both sides from start of the fight profess inability to judge.

The forecasts made by the Conservatives and the Liberal organizations differ greatly of course. The Conservatives say that T. W. Allan will win by 400 while the Liberals claim a majority of 200 for Isaac Scott.

If it could be determined with exactness how far Hon. Mr. Lucas' appeals to the race and religious passions on bilingualism have succeeded, the result of the election could be forecasted with certainty. Mr. Lucas has never deviated from using the bilingual issue to win votes since he opened his speech making tour here last Monday night.

The Orange vote in the riding is very heavy.

The Liberals point out that the Conservatives are not claiming the heavy majority they did a week ago. Undoubtedly the farmer vote will go practically to Mr. Scott.

From Collingwood the Liberals expect a majority of 200 which would be a big turn over.

Certainly the Liberals are now concentrating their forces to win Collingwood. They expect much from the great mass meeting to be held there to-morrow night, closing the campaign, to be addressed by Hartley Dewart, Sam Carter, and J. C. Elliott, three of the best platform speakers among the Liberal members of the Legislature, but more particularly upon the earnest and loyal labors of an enthusiastic corps of workers whose confidence in victory in Collingwood it is difficult to shake

G.N.W. Office Gutted By Fire

Examiner Special:

ST. CATHARINES, Ont., Jan. 12. — The Great North-Western Telegraph office was gutted by fire this morning. The instruments were destroyed, but the books were saved.

NOTICE

The Y. M. C. A. Annual Meeting and Election of Directors, will be held on Tues. evening Jan. 16th at 8 o'clock. Every Y. M. C. A member, who is als a member of an Anglicaon Church, should be present. 3d-10

Gigantic Explosion In Munition Plant

Monetary Loss Estimated at From $4,000,000 Up to $10,000,000 —No Men Killed, But Some Are Reported Missing — Workmen Fled in a Panic.

ALDERMAN W. LANGFORD
Chairman of the Railway Committee of the 1917 City Council.

TELEPHONE HEROINE

NEW YORK, Jan. 12. — A fire which broke out in the munition plant of the Canadian Car & Foundry Works near Kingsland, New Jersey, yesterday afternoon completely destroyed the factory, with a loss estimated all the way from $4,000,000 up to $10,000,000, forced the evacuation of a large part of the town of Kingsland, making 1,000 people homeless for the time, and furnished a spectacle which was more magnificent than the munitions fire on Black Tom Island last September, more splendid even, in the opinion of some observers, than such a conflagration as the Baltimore fire of 1904.

For the space of more than five hours northern New Jersey, New York city and the western end of Long Island listened to bombardment that approximated the sound of a great battle, a bombardment in which more than half a million three-inch high-explosive shells were discharged. Yet so far as the police and hospitals of all that section have been able to learn not a single life was lost, and no one was injured. Comparatively few windows were broken in the surrounding districts, and, indeed, the material loss outside the plant itself and the telephone lines running near it was very slight. The reason for this is chiefly that the shells, which were being loaded for the Russian Government, were not to be equipped with detonating fuses until they reached Russia. As fast as they were filled with trinitoluol they were set aside, point upward, in cases, like bottles of beer.

Police Prevent Casualties.

Consequently, as the flames reached each case of shells, and exploded the charges, the projectile shot high into the air — often several hundred feet. But as it descended without the fuse, which alone could explode the charge, its fall was only that of so much metal. Even so, the fact that not one of the thousands of people in the neighbourhood was hurt, so far as could be learned, was due principally to the prompt police measures in clearing out the houses in the endangered districts near by.

The muntion plant lies in the Jersey Meadows, seven miles west of the Hudson, and about a mile east of the edge of the hill on which lie the twin towns of Kingsland and Lyndhurst. The company was just finishing an $83,000,000 contract for the Russian Government, which had kept the plant busy for the past two years. Thirty-eight one and two storey buildings had been erected in the meadow, and three shifts of 1,400 workmen each, mostly negroes, were employed in filling the explosives purchased from powder companies into the shell cases, some of which were brought from the Bethlehem Steel Company and others made by the Canadian Car & Foundry Co. elsewhere. The contract was within two weeks of completion, and one of the shifts was laid off Tuesday night.

Fourteen Hundred Men Employed.

At work in the plant when the fire broke out were the 1,400 men, a considerable number of office employees and two or three hundred guards in uniform, who have been patrolling the factory ever since its erection. It was 3.40 when the blaze broke out in building No. 30, when ten or twelve men were at work cleaning the brass cases of the shells with denatured alcohol. Somehow, from somewhere, a spark fell into a tub of the alcohol and set it ablaze. One theory is that an electric drop light hung above the tub had become short-circuited, and that the spark was a piece of burning insulation.

There was another story that the spark fell from the carbon of an arc light high above. However it began, the tub of alcohol was ablaze in a moment, and the workmen in the building turned and fled without delay.

N. D. MacArthur, Chief of the factory's fire department, blew the fire whistle, and got out his volunteer workers at once, but before they could get a single stream of water to bear on the fire all of the building was ablaze. At first, too, the men were handicapped by the lack of water, many of the hydrants about the plant

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TEMPERANCE FORCES WILL INAUGURATE A BIG CAMPAIGN

The "Consideration" Promised by Premier Borden Does Not Satisfy the Temperance Deputation That Invaded Ottawa Yesterday

A BIGGER DEPUTATION

Examiner Special:

Ottawa, Jan. 12.—Not satisfied with the reply of Sir Robert Borden to the request for Dominion wide prohibition of the manufacture and importation of liquor, the temperance deputation which waited on the Premier yesterday, has decided to inaugurate big campaign, covering the whole of Canada, with a view to forcing the government's hand.

The organization is placed entirely in the hands of George A. Warburton, chairman of the Ontario Committee of One Hundred, who organized the campaign that resulted in prohibition in Ontario.

Petitions for Dominion prohibition will be circulated in every province, and a monster deputation will invade the capital during the coming session and wait on the Premier, and the Government.

"NEW DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE"

(New York "Herald")

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—Prominent United States papers to-day as a rule commend the definiteness and tone of the Allies' reply to President Wilson's peace note. The "New York Herald" says it is a new declaration of independence on behalf of civilization. The "Times" asks if Germany and the Central Powers will have the effrontery to say that every one of the Allies' peace terms are not just. The "Philadelphia Enquirer" thinks the note leaves no hope of early peace.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12. — The Entente reply to President Wilson's note to the belligerents was the basis of a general advance in munition stocks on the Exchange to-day.

Cold Weather Did Not Daunt St. Peter's Patriotic Workers

In spite of the severe cold yesterday a good crowd was present at the work-room at St. Alphonsus Lyceum and a great deal of work was done. Mrs. Jos. White and Mrs. W. J. O'Brien, the hostesses, were assisted by Mrs. M. Tooley, who poured tea, and the young ladies who served the different tables were the Misses Annie Simons, Veronica O'Brien, Bernice Giroux, Marie O'Dette, Madalyn Hickey, and Genevieve Carson.

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POLITICAL FRIGHTFULNESS.

The Ontario Government has two by-elections on its hands, evidently two more than is agreeable or hopeful. In Northwest Toronto, Hon. W. J. MacPherson is seeking re-election consequent on Provincial Secretary in the stead of Hon. Mr. Hanna. In West Simcoe, the Government is trying to elect a lawyer to take the place of the Hon. Mr. Duff, who represented the riding as Minister of Agriculture. The Government is not contesting of electing both, or either, of its candidates, a significant condition of mind when we remember the difficulty of getting a Grit at the head of the poll in Tory Toronto, though the election of Mr. Lowell, the Liberal candidate in Southeast Toronto, rather broke the charm, and showed that the Government had achieved a reputation to neutralize the magic potency of the party label. In West Simcoe, the Government candidate has the prestige and precedent of a majority of 1085, piled up for its candidate only two short years ago. The Government is mentally afraid of losing the riding and is overrunning West Simcoe with its heaviest oratorical batteries.

There is a striking similarity between the Germans and the Government. When the Germans feel that they are getting licked they redouble their practice of frightfulness. Under the influence of a similar feeling the Hearst Government in the West Simcoe by-election are pursuing a campaign of frightfulness—personal abuse, and resort to every outlawed political trick and expedient. On the Government side discussion of issues have been dropped and "cries" have taken their place. Billingsgatism, which is not an issue between parties in Ontario, is resurrected in the hope of influencing a strong partisan element in the riding to cast yellow when it comes to marking the ballot. The Liberals are charged with being in alliance with the liquor interests, with strange forgetfulness of the fact that in 1914, the combination of the liquor interests and the Conservative party supporting the Government, beat Rowell, the Liberal leader, out of his boots on the temperance—his banish-the-bar policy. Beaten in debate on public issues, the Government orators have degenerated into common scolds, abusing Liberal platform speakers, and resorting to frantic appeals to prejudice and bigotry. Mr. Bowman, the Liberal whip, is denounced as a German sympathiser, because an alderman of German origin, who was elected in Kitchener, is named Bowman. Mr. Bowman is a Canadian of three generations, his forefathers having come to Canada as United Empire Loyalists—to be under the British flag—over a hundred years ago. But that does not matter; if appeal to prejudice and bigotry can hold a wavering vote it is held to be good policy. German frightfulness in the eyes of the Hun is a good policy, but it wins no victories; it only solidifies the enemy. The Government policy of frightfulness in West Simcoe—personal abuse and slander—may help the Government candidate to win—a majority of 1085 is hard to overcome, especially when the elector does not see his duty through the clear eyes of convinced judgment, but is hustled to the polling booth drunk with prejudice and blinded by the comrade of bigotry.

SAVE TO SERVE.

Among the most important of the many duties that demand our attention during this war is that of saving and thrift. The war is creating a monstrous waste in all things—manhood, money, materials, and one potent way we can neutralize this waste—and it—is to cease waste at home, to save to the uttermost, that we may help provide means for strengthening our share in the struggle to end the ghastly work of war in Europe. In this the appeal of Sir Thomas White, Finance Minister of Canada, especially appeals:

"The people of Canada should practice economy, which results in greater national saving. Every man over twenty-one understands how to economize, and every man may carry it out if he wants to carry it out. I believe the people of Canada will rise to this as to all other occasions, and that the men at the front will not suffer for lac kof shells, so far as the industrial facilities of Canada are able to provide them. Let us economize. Let us make out savings serve the purposes of war. Let the people of the Dominion, by thrift and economy, make their dollars fight the Hun."

At no time in the history of this country has ready money, resulting from abundant and well-paid employment been more plentiful or more generally distributed; but at the same time never in the history of the country or the world has there ever been more need in Canada of devoting every dollar possible to the purpose of promoting our share of the war. Especially at this time, the money we have is not our own to do as we like with; it is part of a great national trust fund to be devoted to the saving of our country and its liberties.

This war is a war of endurance; the side that holds out the longest in the availability of resources—especially money resources—is bound to win in the end. Great Britain is the financial backbone of the entente organization; and she is practising the greatest thrift; saving to the utmost. We must do the same in Canada. We can do this without much sacrifice, except in the matter of living conditions, by saving on all the items of our daily living, by practising economies, by forgoing the use and enjoyment of many things we have heretofore considered indispensable, but which, in face of the conditions of the time, have become luxuries.

The money we save can be well invested, profitably to the saver and profitably to the state. There are offered by the Dominion government bonds of debenture stock in low denominations. These bonds bear interest at 5 per cent. and are repayable in 1919. They, with accrued interest, will be accepted as equivalent to cash in payment for any future war loan that may be decided upon.

Great Britain is calling upon the people—the wage earners, the people of moderate means and small savings, to contribute to the British "loan of victory," which was launched in London yesterday. The chief points upon which Premier Lloyd George and two former Chancellors of the Exchequer, insisted at a great Guild Hall gathering, was the necessity of economy. This is the slogan by which Canada's finance minister appeals to the people.

It is to be hoped that the people of Canada will take the injunction to heart. The lesson we most need is the wisdom of economy; of forming saving habits. There is no doubt that if we could get reliable information of the amount of waste in all the homes of Canada, we should find that much more is wasted in money and money's worth in house hold operations, in waste of food and fuel, in careless care of clothing and house furnishings, and upon frivolous pleasures and objects, than is profitably and usefully employed. In the matter of waste our governments show a bad example. It is a safe venture to hazard the statement that, in the administration of the affairs of government, as much if not more money is wasted, devoted to extravagance, with inadequate value for the expenditure made, than would suffice for proper, economical, business-like and effective administration of public affairs. The government, through its Finance Minister, appeals for popular economy. Its very proper appeal would be better met if the government, if all governments, civic, provincial and national, would set the example of hewing to the line, in the matter of economical use of the public money. The public will be more ready to subscribe to war loans if they have the assurance that the expenditure of this and other public money, is to be made upon the same principle of economy, which the people are urged to practice in order to lend to the government.

THE FUNCTION AND DUTY OF A PARLIAMENTARY OPPOSITION

When Parliament meets next week at Ottawa the opportunity will immediately be availed of by Government supporters to decry all criticism in war time. War has brought many sacrifices of liberty, but neither in Great Britain nor in any of the British Dominions have the legitimate and necessary rights of the Parliamentary Opposition been surrendered. During the war the Opposition in the Canadian Parliament has scrupulously refrained from any action that might tend to embarrass or impede the Government in the vigorous prosecution of the war. But it has been found necessary to oppose the Government and some of its agents because of reckless extravagance and corruption in the expenditure of war funds and in the allocation of war contracts, and other acts calculated to destroy the efficiency and impair the military strength of the nation, so essential to the success of Allied arms. With the experience of the past two years before it, his Majesty's loyal Opposition will best consult the interests of the country and the interests of Canada's allies in this war by declining to betray its high trust through the abrogation of its constitutional functions.

Every important attempt made to eliminate criticism of the Government in past days came to naught, from the days of William III. down to the present. The war against Louis XIV. was, like the struggle with Napoleon and the present gigantic conflict, a war for individual and national freedom. But this did not deter the Tories from opposing the war and concluding a dishonourable peace. The Tories engineered the famous Bed-chamber plot, Queen Anne dissolved Parliament and called the Tories to power. The Peace of Utrecht followed. The nearest approach to a national Government in England was during the Seven Years' War, 1756-63, when Canada was the scene of British victory. The House of Commons rarely met and never debated. Then followed the intrigues against Pitt, the Peace of Paris, and the revolt of the American colonies. Waged with great bitterness for ten years by the Tories, the war with the Colonies was fiercely opposed by the Whigs in Parliament. Some of the greatest speeches in the English tongue were made during this period in both Houses by Burke and Chatham.

Between the Napoleonic wars that deluged Europe in blood a century ago and the war now raging are many points of resemblance. Then, as now, the battle was for the rights and liberties of individual nations. But this did not save the Government and Wellington from fierce attacks. The Whig opposition was carried to such extremes that Wellington was charged with exaggerating his victories, and a demand was made for his recall and for peace. The Aberdeen coalition in later years found opposition in Disraeli, who attacked the Government on the ground that it did not prosecute the war with Russia with sufficient vigor. Opposition also came from the Bright-Cobden peace party. Yet his admirers claim that Disraeli was the first to enunciate the doctrine that the duty of an Opposition in time of war is to support the Government. In the South African war Mr. Lloyd George kept up a guerrilla warfare with Chamberlain and the Government, and became so unpopular that he was forced to escape from a public meeting in Birmingham disguised in the uniform of a policeman. The Liberal party under Campbell-Bannerman never surrendered its rights as an Opposition, but criticized freely the Government of the day.

Now, when the British nation is confronted with the gravest crisis in its history, a coalition on the broadest non-party lines does not long exist without an Opposition. There is nothing in the experience of the past to justify the suggestion that the conduct of a war may be more successfully prosecuted by the elimination of a Parliamentary Opposition. The notion seems to have originated in the minds of those who are apprehensive of entrusting to democracy the conduct of a great war. Neither in the actual achievements of the soldiers nor in the temper of the people at home has it been shown that the healthy exercise of the functions of an Opposition in the Parliament of Canada is a handicap in the prosecution of the present war.—The Globe.

Alleged She Left Child on Step of Door in Hastings

The local police this morning effected the arrest of Alice Townsend, who is charged with child desertion in Hastings. Provincial Inspector Miller, of Toronto, was working on this case when he stumbled across that of a somewhat similar nature for which Andrew Magee was let go on suspended sentence and Dolly Taylor narrowly escaped conviction. Miss Townsend was arrested at a house on McDonnel Street. It is understood that the charge she will probably face is that of having deserted a child in Hastings, having left it on a doorstep.

IMPORTANT CHANGES

While there have been no trains removed from the local lines of the G.T.R. there are a number of important changes the public should notice. The early morning 8:10 train for Toronto is set back to 8:55 and is due to arrive in Toronto at 12:25. The 8:25 train to Belleville will leave at the usual time, but there will be no west close connection at Belleville. The 11:40 a.m. train to Port Hope will also leave at the usual time, but in its case there will be no close connection as heretofore at Port Hope. The west bound express with which this train usually connected has been advanced two hours and a half. These last two changes affecting the connections with the main line are the results of the alterations to the schedule on that line. But the only new feature concerning Peterborough directly is the 8:10 changed to 8:55 to Toronto.

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MEETING OF THE PETERBOROUGH FENIAN RAID VETERANS

Lieut.-Col. Ackerman Entertained the Members by Relating Some of His Experiences at the Front—Patriotic Lines From the Pen of a Former Peterborough Girl Were Read at the Meeting

Wednesday evening, of this week, was the occasion of a very pleasant gathering of the members of The
That they all may be strong in
The meeting was held in the Recreation rooms of the Armouries.

President J. W. Miller, chairman.

Lieut.-Col. Ackerman, Mr. J. Crane, and Mr. J. Firth, were guests of the evening.

Col. Ackerman entertained the members by relating some of his experiences at the front and in the trenches. Col. Ackerman made his address more interesting and instructive by using the black board giving diagrams of the different shells now in use.

The construction of the trenches was also an interesting feature.

The members appreciated the kindness of Mr. J. Crane and Mr. J. Firth in contributing some fine selections of song and instrumental accompaniment.

Refreshments and smokes were served during the evening.

The appended patriotic lines were read by one of the members and found favour by those present.

The singing of the National Anthem concluded the evening's entertainment.

CANADA'S SONS.

Canada's sons have answered the call,
Canada's boys so brave and strong,
Recked they nothing that some would fall,
As shoulder to shoulder they marched along.
Yes, well they knew, but their hearts beat true,
And they cheered each other with laugh and song.

Oh! we are proud of our boys to-day,
We, who would join them if we might,
Gladly to share in the fiercest fray,
Ready to suffer as well as fight.
For fight they must, let us hope and trust
That they alal may be strong in doing right.

Some loving hearts will have cause to mourn,
And eyes not used to tears will weep,
For all who have gone will not return.
And sorrowful vigils some will keep.
But let them know in their deepest woe
That earth a harvest of good will reap.

What is there now for us to do,—
Those of us long since past our prime,—
The years that are left us are but few,
How can we best redeem the time.
Let us live to show our men who go,
For us to forget their work is crime.

Our men at the front have left their All,
Their loved are ours till they return,
Some will come back, but many will fall:
Friends, let it ever be our concern
To do our part, with a willing heart,
For sick and wounded and all who mourn.

—Camilla Sanderson.

Toronto.

The above is from the pen of Miss Camilla Sanderson, a former Peterborough girl. The writer is a daughter of the late Rev. John Sanderson, a former pastor of this district. The lines were read at the meeting by Mr. Richard Sanderson of this city, and a brother of the writer.

A Remarkable New Year Opportunity

Very Special Saturday Offering of

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We have been fortunate in securing what is known as the **1917 Wan[illegible] Syndicate Assortment of Gray Graniteware,** which we will place on sale on Saturday. This ware is of good quality, and the assortment covers a very wide range of kitchen equipment, comprising in all, over 1500 pieces, consisting of saucepans, milk and rice boilers, preserving kettles, water pails, dish pans, dairy pans, cake pans, pudding dishes, pie plates, mixing bowls, bread pans, tea and coffee pots, and many other articles necessary to make the furnishing of the kitchen complete.

The prices at which we have marked these goods for Saturday shoppers are so remarkably low that they will surprise you. No such sensational values in Graniteware have ever before been offered in this City. No doubt the combination of price and quality will ensure the clearing of the entire assortment in one day. May we suggest that it will be to your advantage to shop early, as you will thus be able to select your requirements before any lines become depleted or sold out.

It is impossible here to quote prices on all articles and sizes offered, but an indication of the astounding values which this one day sale places within your reach, may be gathered from the following—

2 qt. Milk and Rice Boilers ...	29c	8 inch Fry Pans.....	14c
10 qt. Water Pails.....	39c	9 inch Pie Plates	4c
10 qt. Dish Pans	39c	10 inch "	5c
8 qt. Preserving Kettles	39c	8 inch Pot Covers.....	4c
10 qt. " "	49c	8½ inch "	5c
12 qt. " "	69c	14 inch Spoons.....	5c

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Major Medd Left For France Last Night

Major S. T. Medd, who two years ago recruited B Squadron of the 8th C.M.R., and went overseas in command of it, left last night on the midnight on his return to duty in France after being at home on sick leave for some weeks. He reports for duty on Feb 1st.

THE WEATHER

The lowest point reached last night was 17 degrees below zero, though the temperature had moderated several degrees towards morning. At the noon hour the mercury stood at 5 degrees above zero.—W.P.

A satisfactory polish for white canvas shoes is made with ordinary lump starch mixed with sufficient water to make a thin paste.

Presented Silver Cups To Winners

(Continued from page 5)

on breeding pen, heavy: H. T. Lush, Dark Brahmas.

Rocking chair, donated by D. Belleghem—Largest exhibit of any one variety in the American class: A. Breault, 21 White Wyandottes.

Rocking chair, by A. Comstock—Largest exhibit of any one variety in Mediterranean class: Jack Heffernan, 14 R. C. Brown Leghorns.

Rocking chair, donated by Lane & Eano — Largest exhibit of any one variety, Asiatic class: H. T. Lush, 11 Buff Cochins.

Pipe, by A. Breault—Best White Wyandotte, pullet: Jas. Vinson, of Oshawa.

Pipe, by A. Breault — Best cock, hen, cockerel and pullet in White Wyandottes: A. Breault.

Whitest bird in show: A. H. Pigott, Sulphide, Ont. S. C. White Leghorn hen.

Best bird in English class: Jas. Baptie, Coloured Dorking cock.

The birds were all crated during the night, and were ready for shipment this morning. The G. T. R. handled a carload of birds on the morning trains.

The success of this year's show must be gratifying, not only to the members of the local Poultry Association, who have been most industrious in arranging for it, but also to the city, when it is realized that birds from many sections of the province were shown here. The association has gradually developed a splendid reputation among Provincial fanciers, and the effects in Peterborough are shown by the greater interest that is taken in thorough-bred fowl.

It Cures Others It Will Cure You

About six weeks ago I met with an accident and felt since that time have been unable to raise my arm above my elbow due to injury and rheumatism that set in afterwards. I have been under the Doctor's care ever since but have been unable to receive any benefit from the use of liniments, etc. A few days ago I received a treatment from your demonstrator. That night my arm felt much better and after the third treatment I could use my arm freely.

I am very thankful for the benefit I have derived from your Generator as I would otherwise have had to leave my battalion (176th) which is going overseas shortly.

I purchased a Branston Violet Ray Generator and used it for rheumatism. It certainly has done me good, as I have been troubled with it for 14 years or more and am now practically cured.

I am deriving a wonderful cure for falling hair with your Generator. I can see a change every week.

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Dandruff	Deafness & Ear Diseases	Eczema	Sciatica
			Sprains

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It Cures Others It Will Cure You

It is only fair that I should write and tell you that the Generator I purchased from you a few months ago has entirely cured my Neuritis. The best Doctors and high priced specialists treated me without success, and I can confidently state that I owe my restoration to complete health and strength to the Branston Generator.

I purchased one of the Branston Violet Ray Generators and I am happy to state that I have received great benefit. It has saved me from going to the Hotel Dieu for an operation.

I was suffering intense pain with Rheumatism in my left ankle and it was very much swollen. After three or four applications of the Branston Violet Ray the swelling was greatly reduced and the pain has entirely left.

At present my ankle could not feel better and I am able to walk on it for hours with no pain or swelling at all. This I consider very remarkable as I could not put my foot on the floor before without suffering a great deal.

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Russia's Premier Born in Prussia

The accident of birth may or may not be significant in the appointment of Prince Golitsine of Galtsine, who succeeds M. Trepoff as Premier says the New York Times. He was born in Wiesbaden, Prussia, fifty-six years ago, and in 1887 married Olga Semenovna, who then became known as Princess Dmitri Petrovitch Golitsine-Mouravline. This name "Mouravline" is the pseudonym ever which her husband writes:

The Prince has been a member of the Council of Ministers for several years, and has besides held general executive offices principally concerned with charity.

The Golitsine family is a very large one and is descended from Guedimimus, Grand Prince of ithuania.

In no European chancellery have so important and repeated changes been made in the last twelve months as in Russia's. The causes are as numerous and conflicting as they are mysterious—the attempt of the Baltic Germanic-Russians to control the Czar and Duma; and the final revolt of the latter against the pro-German sentiment of the Sturmer administration last November, which had indicated that Russia was prepared to seek a separate peace.

Within the last fourteen months there have been eight successive holders of the portfolio of the Interior now administered by M. Protopopoff, former Vice President of the Duma, who when he became Minister last Autumn spoke for equal rights for Jews and the immediate renewal of commercial treaties with the United States.

On Feb. 1, 1916, M. Sturmer succeeded M. Goremykin as Premier, and on July 23 he also took over the portfolio of Foreign Affairs from the veteran Sazonoff. In the meantime, on March 29, General Chonvalev replaced General Polivanoff as Minister of War.

The dropping of Sturmer after his defeat in the Duma in the middle of November, and, as it was supposed, of his questionable policies, occurred on November 24, when Alexander Trepoff was appointed to succeed him as Premier, and the next day M. Neratoff, Assistant Minister for Foreign Affairs, was made Foreign Minister. Already on Nov. 9 M. Krivoshein had been relieved of the portfolio of Agriculture.

It appears, however, that there was some hitch to M. Neratoff's appointment, for on Dec. 14 it was officially stated that M. Pokrovsky, Controller of the Empire, has been appointed Foreign Minister, his place being filled by M. Feodossieff, Deputy Minister of Finance.

Nicolas Nicolaievitch Pokrovsky had been for many years in the Financial Department, and has an intimate acquaintance with all the allied statesmen.

On the very day that Germany issued her note inviting the belligerents to a peace conference, Dec. 12, M. Trpoff, in the name of the Czar, ratified the compact of the Entente in a speech to the Duma, and a few days later, before the same body announced the agreement of the Allies that Russia had a just claim to Constantinople and to the straits leading from the Aegean to the Black Sea.

Peeress Tells of Her Success With War Economy

LONDON.—The Times says:

"A month ago the Women's Branch of the National War Savings Committee sent a series of questions to Peeresses and wives of members of Parliament. About a hundred replies have already been received. A number of them show that some women at least are endeavoring to cut expenses.

One Peeress writes that her husband is "cutting down indoors and out, putting an end to all luxury."

NO MAIDS, NO TOBACCO.

She personally is doing without a maid, while His Lordship has dispensed with his valet, tobacco and spirits. Chocolates, theatres, motoring, travelling and visiting have been cut out, and there is no more entertaining of shooting parties.

Economy is being practised in the matter of clothing, evening dresses being tabooed.

The writer continues:

"The castle is being closed; only a few rooms in one corner are occupied. We dismissed all the staff except the women, thus making drastic reductions possible in every direction. Outdoors, no eligible men have been kept on the estate. Girls are employed instead of men in the gardens and potatoes are grown in the flower beds. The lawns are used for hay. The stock in the deer park has been systematically reduced for food supply and the keepers have gone.

NO EFFECT ON PEOPLE.

The wife of a member of Parliament writes:

"Personally I economise in every way we can. I now have only three servants, I have given up my maid and motor cars and never eat meat more than once a day. I have no bedroom fire, and buy no clothes; every penny goes into war loan exchequer bonds.

"I sold all my American securities but don't find my example makes the slightest effect upon our surroundings. We hold meetings constantly, but people hate them, as they ate having the time of their lives."

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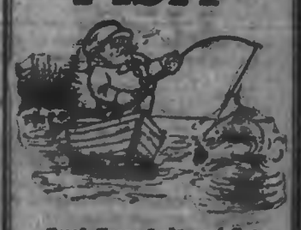

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Women's Petticoats, made of extra heavy quality of Satin. Six-inch pleated flounce. In colours of Cerise, Sky, Gold, Apricot and Black. Regular $3.50 each. January Clearance Sale, each.. **1.69**

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2 Only Axminster Rugs in animal designs. Regular $5.00 each. January Clearance Sale, Saturday .. **2.98**

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10c Pie Plates	8c
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$2.00 Fruit Bowls	$1.00
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Officers Elected By Mothers' Club Of The Y.M.C.A.

The regular meeting of the Mothers' Club of Y.M.C.A. was held at the association building on Wednesday, Jan. 10th.

As this is the parent Mothers' Organization of the city, reports from the Mothers' Circles of the schools were received. These reports showed that much had been accomplished, largely in Red Cross work.

Their reports showed the hearty co-operation of the teachers with the circles.

The work of the Y.M.C.A. Mothers' Club has been the consideration and investigation of current problems closely related to the homes. Several pleasant and helpful social events have also been conducted.

Parents' Night was held at the Association building in March, when one hundred and fifty parents of the boys met and listened to a fine address by Mrs. John Allan. This was followed by a social hour.

Very helpful addresses have been given throughout the year by Dr. Harvey, on "The Mother and Child," by Captain Pearson, on the Y.M.C.A. work at the front; also by Mrs. James Kendry, on "The High Cost of Living."

Mrs. J. F. Canniff gave an excellent paper on the "Education of the Child," and Rev. J. R. Webb's address on the "Dignity of Motherhood," was much appreciated.

The treasurer's report showed a balance of $7.75.

The election of officers took place, resulting as follows:

Pres., Mrs. C. N. Meserve.
1st Vice-Pres., Mrs. M. A. Morrison.
2nd Vice-Pres., Mrs. Charles Rishor.
Rec.-Sec., Mrs. W. J. Lamb.
Treas., Mrs. George Grange.
Cor.-Sec., Mrs. J. D. Craig.

British Holding Heaviest Front

GENERAL MAURICE ISSUES AN ENLIGHTENING STATEMENT.

LONDON, Jan. 12.—In discussing with the Associated Press yesterday the new line which the British have taken over in France, Major-General F. B. Maurice, chief director of military operations at the war office, replied to the frequently uttered criticism based on the fact that Great Britain with her great army, holds only a comparatively small portion of the western front. He stated that the ninety miles held by the British has as many Germans along its front as the 230 miles extending from the Swiss border to Rheims.

A simple remedy for a squeaking door hinge is the application of the rubber tip of a lead pencil to the hinge.

Government To Put Soldiers on Farms

OTTAWA Jan. 11—Representatives of the Federal and Provincial Governments are holding a round-table conference in Ottawa to deal with a pressing problem of great importance—that of dealing with the returned soldiers. Application of the "back to the land" policy will be the principal means of taking care of the soldiers. There will need to be co-operative action, because while, in the west, the title of the public domain rests with the Federal Government, in all the other provinces Crown lands are vested in the provincial governments. The interchange of views has shown that the provinces are ready to supplement, within their territory, the legislation of the Dominion Government as regards land grants to soldiers in federally owned lands. Similarly, co-operation is proposed in lines of technical and vocational education fitting for employment in new lines of activity those soldiers who come back with physical disabilities preventing them from following their erstwhile callings.

DOMINION GOVT. PLANS.

A bill relating to land settlement, drafted largely by Sir Thomas White, to be presented to Parliament shortly, contemplates the setting aside of good agricultural lands, available not only to returned soldiers, but also to the widows of those who have fallen. A Government commission of three will administer the lands in question. It is intended to provide agricultural instructors who, before and after the men take up land, will train them in the principles of the work, likewise, there will be domestic science teachers. Each settler will get an advance of $1,500 towards building, stock and equipment, without interest being charged. A further advance of $1,000 may be made on the recommendation of the supervising commission.

RESTRICTION ON SELLING.

A settler who has lived three years on his farm and repaid one-half of the advance may dispose of his rights, but others may sell out only with the commission's consent.

Case To Go To The Privy Council

Special to The Examiner:

TORONTO, Ont., Jan. 12.—The Divisional Court at Osgoode Hall here has sustained the lower Court's decision, setting aside the writ issued at Welland, Ontario, by the Electrical Development Co. against the Hydro Commission and Attorney-General of Ontario. This is another skirmish in the fight between Sir Wm. McKenzie power interests and the Ontario Hydro. The case will go now to the Privy Council.

Have Secured a Rolled Oats Mill in Neepawa, Man.

The Quaker Oats Co. are opening in a short time a rolled oats mill in Neepawa, Man., according to information received to-day. A number of the company's employees will leave in a day or two for this property, which they will put into shape and operate. Among those going are Wm. C. Frost, of Bethune Street; Albert Wolff, Donegal Street, and Wm. McAuliffe, of East City.

POULTRY EXHIBITOR INJURED AT OSHAWA

W. J. Munroe, of Oshawa, one of the prominent exhibitors at the Poultry Show, met with a serious accident while at work the day after he had expressed his birds to Peterborough. Some exhibitors merely forward their entries and leave the care of them to the local management. Mr. Munroe narrowly escaped losing both arms while at work in an Oshawa factory, and is laid up at his home.

"DICK" SHEEHY WITH THE DENTAL SERVICES.

Lt. Richard A. Sheehy has been appointed and detailed for duty in connection with the Dental services of the Toronto Military District.

SATURDAY BARGAINS
IN SHOES

SHOES AT OLD PRICES WOULD BE BARGAINS, BUT FOR SATURDAY WE ARE REDUCING EVEN OUR OLD PRICES. DON'T MISS THEM. LAST CHANCE.

LADIES' FINE BOOTS—Patents, with cloth tops, fancy trimmed. A dressy style. Reg. $4.00. Very Special at .. **1.98**

LADIES' DRESS BOOTS—In Patents, with cloth tops, buttoned style. Reg. value $5.00. Saturday only **2.75**

LADIES' HIGH TOP KIDS—The newest line in the store. Pointed toes, lace or button, French heels. Reg. $6.00 to $7.00. Saturday Special only **4.50**

MEN'S FINE BOOTS—Gun Metal, Goodyear Welt. Reg. $5.00. Special **2.98**

MEN'S FINE BOOTS—Patents, with Gun Metal or Cloth tops. Lace or button. A regular $6.00 boot. ..... Saturday only **3.98**

D. ZACKS

424 Georgie Street — Next to H. J. Zacks

WATCH FOR THE GREEN PRICE CARDS

Saturday Snaps

$2.00 Blouse $1.29

The materials and styles are presented in great array. Tailored and fancy designs, convertible and large collars. This is the season of big bargains and these blouses by no means fall short of the big values throughout the store. Snap price..... 1.29

$14.00 Coats $7.95

If you are in need of a coat you will do well to examine these. The price sounds small, but the garments are genuine $14.00 value. Boucles, chinchillas and tweeds, all new designs and good assortment of sizes. Snap price..... 7.95

Smart Skirt $3.98

In tweeds, serges and twill cheviots, made in various designs, smartly flared and pleated effects. Cut on smart trim lines. Sizes are well assorted. Saturday Snap price will make it worth your while 3.98

Corset Covers 25c

A handsome corset cover made of good quality longcloth. Pretty yoke of combination and cluny lace. The design is very effective; neatly finished with peplum. All sizes. This is one of four designs at this price. Snap..... 25c

Others up to $4.00.

$15.00 and $18.00 Dresses $8.90

This is a clean-up sale and the prices are in keeping. The lot includes both serges and silks—the styles are too numerous and varied to describe, but they all have a distinctiveness that brands them as stylish garments and just what you would expect to find in $15.00 and $18.00 dresses, for such they are. Snap price will be 8.90

50c 2-1 Ribbed Cashmere Hose 39c pair

Considering to-day's mill prices this is an extraordinary hosiery value for Saturday. 2/1 ribbed cashmere. Small sizes have double knees. Sizes 7½ to 10. Snap price, pair 39c

$1.00 and $1.25 Corsets 89c pair

A great corset buying opportunity on Saturday. The best corset values we can buy to sell regularly at $1.00 and $1.25. Excellent quality French coutil. Medium bust, long skirt, and made with guaranteed aluminum steels. Sizes 18 to 30. Saturday Snap price will be, pair..... 89c

Street Floor Snaps That Ensure Quick Selling

Ladies' Pure Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, ... 3 for 25c

Imperial Linen Writing Pads, Empress Style, ... 2 for 25c

Fabric Linen Envelopes. Regular 7c....2 pkgs. 10c

Bonner-Worth Yarn, Special value, lb.....$1.50

25c Wide Silk and Satin Ribbons, yard.....17c

50c Value Honeycomb Knit Wool Toques, each 39c

18c—2 and 3-yard Cushion Girdles.....2 for 25c

$1.60 Flannelette Blankets, white only, pair....$1.39

All Millinery Reduced

If you feel inclined to have a second hat, now is your opportunity. The prices have been cut in two and in many cases are less than half. Here is the Schedule:

All $15.00 Millinery..$6.00

All $10.00 Millinery..$5.00

All $12.00 Millinery..$5.00

All $7.00 Millinery..$3.50

Trimmed Millinery $2.00

Trimmed Hats worth regularly $6.00 and $7.00. Every one this season's model. Saturday they will be priced at..... $2.00

Saturday The Last Day of The "Linen and Cotton Reduction Sale"

$1.50 Linen Sheeting, yard.....$1.25
$2.75 Bleached Table Cloths.....$2.35
$5.00 Linen Table Cloths.....$3.50
$1.25 Circular Pillow Linen, yard...79c
65c Bleached Table Linen, yard....50c

$18.00 Table Sets.....$13.25
40c Bleached Sheeting, yard.....33c
$2.50 Bleached Sheets.....$1.95
Scotch Wool Blankets Reduced.

28c Circular Pillow Cotton, yard...22c
$2.25 Linen Pillow Cases, pair.....$1.95
80c Hemstitched Pillow Cases, each 25c
18c Longcloth, yard ..15c, 10 yards $1.35

$1.75 Bed Spreads $1.59
59c Huck Towels, pair.....49c
20c Fine Nainsook, yard.....14c
Comforters Reduced.
Reduced Prices on Soiled Linens.

Ladies' $4.50 High Cut "Walking" Boots $3.79

The winter weather demands something substantial and here it is. Can be had with either cloth or kid tops, lace or button style; cloth tops have patent lowers — both lines high heels. Regular value $4.50. Snap price..... 3.79

Ladies' "Miner Brand" Rubbers 69c pair

These rubbers are positively first quality, and every pair is fully guaranteed not to tear or leak at the seams. Sizes and lasts to fit every foot. Saturday will be your opportunity 69c

10c Wall Paper 6c roll

A ready trimmed wall paper, suitable for bedrooms; four different patterns to choose from. This season's stock. Regular price 10c. Snap, roll..... 6c

45c Curtain Scrim 29c yd.

Ivory and beige colours, 36 inches wide; one-inch edging of lace on one side. Regular 45c yard. Snap price, yard... 29c

15c to 30c Cretonnes 13c yd

Dark colours, suitable for cushion covers, upholstering, etc. Regular 15c to 30c yard. Snap price, yard..... 13c

$2.19 Kindergarten Sets 1.95

Consist of one table and two chairs, can be had in red or brown colours. Regular $2.19 set. Snap price, set... 1.95

50c Coco Door Mats 39c ea.

Outside coco door mats, size 14 x 24. Regular price is 50c. Snap price will be 39c

Store Opens 8.15, Closes 9.30 Saturday

The GRESSMAN Company Limited

The Store of Better Values

FAR LESS DRUNKENNESS.

Striking Results Achieved by Central Liquor Control Boards.

London, January 11.—The central liquor control board's statement of the results of its operations shows that in twenty of the largest towns of Great Britain, where the weekly average convictions for drunkenness totalled 2,415, its operations had reduced to number to 1,372, or about 43 per cent. In the English towns there had been a decrease of over 46 per cent. in the weekly average of drunkenness convictions. Scotch towns shows a reduction of 35 per cent.

Beer and spirits retained for home consumption in the United Kingdom for eight months of the financial year are eighteen million barrels of beer against nearly twenty-one millions in the corresponding period last year; while spirits have decreased from twenty-one million gallons to fourteen millions. Suicides and cases of delirium tremens are also very much smaller since the board's restrictions of the liquor trade began.

The board now controls 170 licensed houses; twenty seven of these sell no alcohol, and sixty others will soon do likewise. Five hundred and fourteen canteens are at work providing meals and refreshments for 1,900,000 munition workers. In addition there are sixty canteens, supplying transport workers at the docks. Over two hundred are being provided from current profits of controlled establishments and the total allowance made from current profits is well over $2,000,000.

The GRESSMAN Company Limited

HIST! SEMI-ANNUAL LONELY SALE ON TO-MORROW

A BRIEF STATEMENT

SOME men never patronize a sale, some never buy unless there is one. Both hold radical views. Its a case of "head I win, tale you lose." But the man who requires an overcoat, suit or other article, at a time when a reliable clothing house says "$25 Suits for $17.85," & pledges that such is the case, it is then sound business and good judgement for him to purchase, and he strikes a happy medium. We assure you that every item is what the former price indicates.

FACTS TERSELY TOLD

THIS Sale is held annually and patrons look forward to its arrival. Its object and achievement is to stimulate trade in January, which would otherwise be a dull month. The name "Lonely" is because the garments offered are broken lines. The assortment is liberal, and contains all sizes. Each year its success increases; we can trace it to but one source "the remarkable values". Purchasers at former sales will uphold these statements

SMART SUITS

$30.00 Suits $22.75
$25.00 Suits $17.85
$20.00 Suits $14.90
$18.00 Suits $12.75
$15.00 Suits $10.95

$1.25 & $1.50 Negligee Shirts 95c, 3 for 2.75
1.50 and 1.75 Underwear 95c
Men's Shefford Brand Rubbers 79c
Men's Fancy Vests, reg. 2.50 & $5 ..... 1.39
Cashmere Hose, fast black dye 35c; 3 pr. 1.00
50c Neckwear ..... 3 for 1.00
75c Neckwear ..... 55c or 2 for 1.00

OVERCOATS

$30.00 Overcoats..... $21.75
$25.00 Overcoats..... $16.90
$20.00 Overcoats..... $13.85
$18.00 Overcoats..... $11.90
$15.00 Overcoats..... $9.90

12 Odd Overcoats, Not This Season's Styles, Reg. $15 to $25 $9.90

The GRESSMAN Company Limited

Barries'
LIMITED
Furriers, Peterboro

BRANCHES AT
REGINA
SASKATOON
MOOSE JAW

Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Department

Semi-Annual January Sale
NOW GOING ON

Ladies Attire

Suits, Coats, Dresses, Skirts and Blouses

25% to 50%
DISCOUNTS

Phone 340

A Genuine Sale

COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE EXAMINATION RESULTS

Appended are the results and percentage of the Collegiate Institute Christmas examinations:

SENIOR LOWER SCHOOL.

FORM 2C.

Lloyd Gillespie 75, Grace Read 72 Russell Pogue 72, Ralph Cowan 71, Fred Brooks 71, Marjorie Best 69, Clifford Might 69, Garth Pretty 65, Herbert Young 65, James Pogue 63, Verne Wall 62, Dorothy Thompson Currie 60, Karl Kirn 60, Willie Mowat 58, Redvers Jobe 58, Harry Jackson 57, Herman Whitecroft 57, Gordon Yeaman 55, Reginald Dixon 54 Hubert Martin 53, Leonore Lyle 52, Jack Eaton 51, Newell Peever 49, Fred Rutherford 49, William Rebill 48, Lorne Conway 47, Mildred Mahood 47, Otto Glidden 39, Jack Gillespie 36.

NOT RANKED.

Marguerite Fanning, Alice Macfarlane, Eva Waugh, Emma Worth.

ABSENT.

May Read, Gordon Hill.

JUNIOR LOWER SCHOOL

FORM 1A

Jean Elliott 87, Mary Harstone76, Homer Borland 73, Katie Anderson 72, Lulu Elcombe 72, Stanley Anderson 70, Donald Carmichael 68, Alex. Donnelly 67, Jean Kelly 66, Gerald Cunningham 65, Frances Auston 61, Jack Hardill 60, Arthur Johnston 60, Sophrona Craig 60, Laura Gardner 56, Annie Matchett 58, Allan Stevenson 58, Bertha Sargent 58, Rebecca Arthurs 56, Harold Laing 55, Alice Douglas 55, Fred Dawson 54, Snowdon Ecobichon 54, Jack Thirnbeck 54, Madeline Porter 54, Mildred Archer 53, Baden Cranfield 51, Norman Foote 49, Everett Greenly 47, Grace Allen 46, Arnold Hardwick 46, Florence Mervin 44, Charles Reynolds 44, Verna Johnson 43, Kenneth Anderson 43, Gordon Evans 42, Allan Doughty 41, Lillian Moore 34.

FORM 1B

Madeline Stinson 84, Archie Zacks 74, Fred Marshall 73, Isobel Donnelly 70, Cecil Edgar 69, Dorsey Davis 69, Roy Morrow 68, Daisy Stalker 67, Muriel Bridge 67, Gertrude Middleton 64, Velma Sanderson 63, Kathleen Dunsford 63, Marjorie Ketcheson 63, Marion Clark 62, Jean Shearer 62, Donald Munro 61, William Chesney 61, Helen Thompson 60; Edna Conner 59, Florence Saunders 55, Helen Sanderson 55, Ruth McDeish 55, Mabel Mahood 54, Lawrence Madill 53, Freemont Doan 53, Claude Nelson 52, Amy Beal 52, Grace Patterson 52, Vaughan Walker 51, Roderick Davidson 51, Lionel Lipsett 49, Kathleen Edgar 49, Grace Conway 49, Frances Park 49, Beatrice Meredith 46, Ruby Kerr 45, Gordon Manicee 45.

FORM 1C

Arthur McClure 73, Reginald Huff 69, Archie Hood 69, George Richardson 65, Cyril Flowers 63, Stewart Greenly 63, George Dunsford 61, Cranston Layfield 59, Grant Braund 58, Fred Green 58, Harold Pollock 58, Alex. Sollitt 56, Earl Manicee 54, Noel Fisher 54, Harold Huff 52, Opal Waterman 52, Herbert Mason 52, Fred Hill 52, Herbert Gowan 50, Stanley Pethick 47, Wilbert Kimberly 43, Norwood Taylor 42.

COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

Senior Commercial.

Alice Mackenzie 82, Louis Low 81, Stanley McNeely 69, Beechem McDonald 67, Victor Curtis 66, Dorothy Hanna 66, Bert Hagerman 63, Edith Savigny 63, Frank White 60, Ray Moffat 59, Isabel Taylor 56, Aggie Eason 55, Alma Beavis 50, Elsie Northcott 47, Florence Vickers 47, Marion Powell 46, Hettie Record 46, Harvey Webber 43, Hazel Derrick 36, James Coursey 33.

ABSENT

May Greaves, Alice Stephens.

Special Class (6 subjects)

Phyllis Cumberland 88, Edith Brumwell 81, Leith Johnston 77, Isabel Morphet 76, Marguerite Hanna 75, Dorothy Hill 66, Greta Rountree 65, Marjorie Gladman 64, Vera Welsh 52.

JUNIOR COMMERCIAL.

Alma Morrison 82, Hazel Anderson 77, Cecil Lebar 77, Alice Ebbs 76, Thomas Stinson 76, Harold Jackson 71, Irene Maconomy 69, Marion Stuart 67, Harold Throop 64, Nita Lucas 64, Kathleen Hawley 64, Sarah Fowler 64, Stanley Rathbone 63, Wallace McWilliams 63, Violet Phillips 63, Vera Brock 62, Isabel Westall 61, Ola Parker 61, Harry Huston 60, Amy Lawrence 60, Audrey Meredith 60, Blanche Sloan 58, Olive Bradshaw 55, Ernest Christopher 55, May Reid 54, Olga Hawes 54, Eileen Murray 52, Leslie Plunkett 52, Meryl Cornell 51, Robert Cunningham 50, Amy Arthur 48, Helen Cassidy 48, Bessie Adams 48, Grace Primeau 45, Georgie Clementi 44, Phyllis English 44, Mona McDonnell 43, Anthony Murray 29.

Absent—Lois Braund.

Gigantic Explosion In Munition Plant

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had frozen in the intense cold of the afternoon, and the fire spread from building No. 39 to eight carloads of trinitoluol that were on a siding next to the building. The explosives puffed out in huge flares, driving the firemen back in all directions, and the plant was abandoned to the fire.

Workmen Storm Gates.

Meanwhile the other workmen, dropping their tools and swarming toward the exits at the sound of the fire whistle, had made their way to the iron fence, topped with barbed wire, which surrounded the grounds. Here the armed guards were on patrol, and their commander, Harvey D. Hatch, was trying to herd the frightened men out by the regular gates through which they come to and leave the plant every day.

But not many of them would wait for the gates. They poured in a pushing, frantic throng to the nearest point of the fence and literally rolled over it, barbed wire and all, by the dozens. Many of them said afterward that the guards had tried to restrain them, to push them all back through the gates, but at any rate they all got out as far as could be ascertained. There were stories of twenty or thirty men locked in a building who had never been seen after the flames broke out, but it was impossible to get anything like authentication of these statements. The retreat signal was given to the last fighting rear guard of the fire brigade a little after 4 o'clock, twenty minutes after the fire started, and Chief MacArthur said that everybody else was out before his men dropped their hose and fled from the rolling sheets of flame that were spreading in every direction.

A Telephone Heroine.

As a matter of fact, it appears that the last person out was Tessie McNamara, who operated the telephone switchboard in the factory. From the time the blaze was first discovered she was busy getting into communication with the various departments, making sure that nobody had been overlooked, and when at last it was time for her to leave she was exhausted and partly overcome. But Fred Walters, one of the office force, had stayed behind with her and he picked her up and carried her through the main gate while the shells were falling all around them.

From building twenty-eight the fire spread to eleven cars full of loaded shells on the Lackawanna tracks, and then began the bombardment. Like the steady firing of many batteries of 75's the shells exploded one after the other, the projectiles rising high into the sky and falling in long arcs on all sides of the plant.

SPECIAL VALUES IN

LADIES' FURS

THIS is the time when it will pay you to invest in a HIGH-CLASS SETT OF FURS, Jacket or Odd Piece.

Our Qualities speak for themselves.

See our styles and prices before buying elsewhere

W. E. LECH
256 GEORGE STREET
Manufacturing Furrier and Hatter
NEAR SIMCOE ST

Service Cards Are Returned In Kitchener

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

KITCHENER, Jan. 12.—97 per cent. of the National Service cards sent out by Postmaster Boehmer, have been fully signed and returned to him ready to be forwarded to Ottawa. Two hundred still out are accounted for largely by absentees from the city.

350 CUPS FROM A POUND OF THIS TEA.

The increased cost of tea in the country of origin and enormously advanced ocean freight rates have forced up the price of "SALADA," but only five cents a pound as yet. However, as "SALADA" will yield 350 cups of delicious tea to the pound, it is still far and away the cheapest of all beverages, and more than that, possesses a unique flavour of unequalled quality.

WANTED

An all-round Man for Machinery steady work, good wages. Apply Bonner-Worth Co.

While the River Road Retired Carpenter was on his way home from Hastings the other day his horses ran away. They kept the road all the way but when they turned at Mud Cat Corner the driver and a small box slipped off the sleigh. When asked what happened, he pointed to a corner of the box which read "from Quebec." You'll get caught yet.—Hastings Star.

Something For Your Table

New Year Presents that look well and WEAR well are a source of lasting satisfaction to the giver as well as to the recipient.

BRITISH-MADE SILVERWARE
The Standard of the World

In this line we offer some specially pleasing articles.

A cheerful welcome to all shoppers whether to look or to buy.

SCHNEIDER
The Jeweller, George St.

"Win the War" Loan Meets With A Ready Response

Special to The Examiner:

LONDON, Jan. 12. — The Bank of England smashed all tradition to-day by opening its doors before nine o'clock in response to the demands of eager throngs outside demanding hundreds of copies of the prospectus on 'win the war' loans.

ANNIVERSARY CONCERT
Trinity Church Choir
Monday Next Jan. 16th
At 8 p.m.
In The Church
Tickets 25c 3d-10

Big Chance For Thrift

It is pointed out that the epicure at a sitting may eat, drink and smoke the equivalent of munitions to astartling amount; the follower of fashion may waste still more on dress; and yet a greater indictment can be levelled against luxurious indolence. A series of comparative values has been worked out broadly thus:

10s., saved on feasting, equals eighty cartridges.

Bottle of champagne equals 100 cartridges.

Box of cigars equals 400 acrtridges.

Lady's new hat equals four steel helmets.

New dress equals four service rifles.

Diamond tiara equals one field gun.

Motor car equals airplane.

Piano equals 100 shells.

Lap dog equals twenty shells.

Berlin Suburb Pays Out $10,000 To Food Fraud Band

Offered Carloads of Food Diverted from the Army by Underground Methods, Paid Over Money, and Received Useless Keys in Return.

BERLIN, Jan. 12. — Neukoelen, a suburb of Greater Berlin, has been the victim of a clever food swindle, and is mourning the loss of 210,000 marks which it paid three crooks for non-existing carloads of sausage and bacon. The swindlers informed the suburban officials that the food, supposedly military property, was at Aix-la-Chapelle, but could be procured for the sum mentioned. The officials agreed on the purchase and to pay the money through the Essen bank on presentation of duplicate bills of lading.

Through a forged manifest the crooks collected the money and disappeared after leaving with a Neukoelen official the supposed keys to the freight cars. The official waited a week before cautiously enquiring as to the whereabouts of the food, only to discover that it did not exist.

To Rebuild Rheims Cathedral As Soon As Not Dangerous

Present Battle Line Brings it Within Range of German Guns.

Paris, January 12. — Albert Dalimier, under-secretary for fine arts, has made a brief statement regarding the Rheims cathedral, which, it has been reported the pope is very anxious to have restored and has asked permission to this end from the German authorities.

"Orders were given by the French Government for provisional repairs to the roofs of the Cathedral in Autumn, 1914,' said' M. Dalimier, "but we were unable to begin work without an agreement with the military authorities, and they begged us to do nothing. They pointed out that the cathedral was still under German fire, that from Nogent LaHassee, where the batteries firing on the town were installed, everything that passed could be distinctly seen, and that workmen on the cathedral would therefore be sure to be observed and fired upon. When the situation permits the work will be undertaken."

RELIABLE
RUBBER GOODS

Just received, a New Stock of Reliable Rubber Goods to which your inspection is invited. Among these are IMPROVED

Water Bottles

with re-inforced rubber fittings and fastenings and other wear-well & non-leak improvements

NEW RUBBER SYRINGES
Rubber Gloves, Droppers, Atomizers, Sponges and other Sanitary Articles.

MISS E. M. COUGHLIN
Pharmacy—347 George Street *Phone 836*

Skirt & Waist Clearance

We have just received a large purchase of Skirts and Waists, representing a manufacturer's season's balance, which he bought at a ridiculously low rate, considering the high cost of materials. We have marked them at a very close figure for immediate clearance, and Saturday should see them practically cleared out at these prices. The entire purchase of these New Shirts will be grouped in three lots for Saturday selling.

LOT 1—Skirts, comprising All-Wool Serges, in Navy and Black; also Plaids, all the new season's styles, and practically all sizes. Regular wholesale price ranges from $4.50 to $6.00. .... Our price, Saturday 1.98

LOT 2—Skirts. All-Wool Serges and Corded Velvets. Neat assortment of styles, and all the popular shades. Wholesale value from $6.00 to $8.00. Saturday only 2.98

LOT 3—Skirts, consists of the very latest New York styles, in Black, Navy and guaranteed All-Wool Indigo Serge. Wholesale values range up to $15.00. Saturday 3.98

WAISTS—A lot of travellers' samples in all styles and shades. Made up in handsome Voiles. Worth up to $2.00. ..... Saturday only 49c

WAISTS—A mixed lot of Voiles and Silks. A beautiful line. Worth up to $3.00. Saturday 98c

WAISTS—An assorted lot of Silks in all shades and styles. Worth up to $4.50. Saturday only 1.99

WAISTS—A splendid line of Crepe de Chene, in Flesh colour only. Just a few left. Reg. $6.00. Saturday 2.98

Space does not allow us to enumerate all our Saturday Bargains, but we have hundreds of new lines just in this week, that we are offering at Half their regular value.

B. CHESLER
289 George St. New Lundy Block
NEXT TO PETERBORO SHOE STORE

PLAN FOR WOMEN IN AUSTRALIA TO MARRY BY PROXY

SYDNEY, Jan. 11.—Mr. Hughes has introduced a Bill in the Federal Parliament making provision for women domiciled in Australia to marry soldiers at the front by proxy.

The Bill was desired by several Australian women's organizations on the ground that the duration of the war was greatly disturbing the normal cause of engagements. It was argued that prolonged absences made for uncertainty, and that immediate marriages, where desired, would make the position of the women secure and entitle her to the usual separation allowances.

Very many hundreds of Australian soldiers have married English girls while in England. A desire was expressed also by soldiers, who did not expect to be away from home so long when they enlisted. The example of the French law was much quoted in the controversy.

Bavarian King Urges A Peace By Conquest

SAYS IT "MUST BE HONORABLE, LASTING, AND WORTH GIGANTIC SACRIFICES."

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 12.—The Munich correspondent of the Dusseldorf General Anzeiger, a copy of which has been received here quotes the following address delivered by the King of Bavaria on the occasion of a garrison parade in honour of his birthday, Jan. 7:

"Although we are victorious, the German Emperor, in agreement with his allies, offered to conclude a peace. The offer was rejected.

"We know what we have to do; We must continue to fight until our enemies are obliged to ask us for peace which must be honourable, lasting, and worth gigantic sacrifices. It was not we who started the terrible war. We have shown our enemies what it means when the German Empire and its allies are attacked."

I. O. D. E. TEA

In spite of the weather conditions the tea given by the 57th Chapter, I.O.D.E. at the Masonic dining room yesterday was one of the most successful teas of the season. The colour scheme of the afternoon was tastefully and cleverly carried out in the table decorations, which were yellow candles and daffodils. The hostesses, Mrs. Gliddon and Mrs. (Dr.) Park, were assisted by Mrs. (Dr.) Greer, who poured the tea, Mrs. (Dr.) Young, Mrs. Edgar Worth, Mrs. (Dr.) Amys Mrs. Jamieson and the Misses Roma Langford, L. Gladman, F. Collins and M. Rush. Some of those who came in to tea were Mrs. F. M. Dela Fosse, Miss Rubidge, Mrs. Goodwill, Mrs. (Dr.) Buchanan, Miss Porter, Miss A. Wood, Miss Holden, Mrs. and Miss Stuart, Mrs. (Dr.) Middleton, Mrs. A. W. Belaghem, Mrs. Westbye, Mrs. Gillman, Miss Williams, Miss McBride, Miss Rannie, Miss M. Wallis, Miss Rannie, Miss McCrae, Miss Erskine, Miss Kennedy, Mrs. W. R. Morris, Mrs. W. H. Denham, Mrs. McDermid, Miss Lillian Hurley Mrs. Popham, Mrs. Widdess, Miss Laura Logan, the Misses Hill, Miss Dorothy Allan, Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Fessenden, Miss Fair, Mr. and Mrs. Killaley and Mrs. Gordon. Mr. R. Gliddon entertained the members of the Morning Musicale.

IF FOOD DISAGREES DRINK HOT WATER

When food lies like lead in the stomach and you have that uncomfortable, distended feeling, it is because of insufficient blood supply to the stomach, combined with acid and food fermentation. In such cases try the plan now followed in many hospitals and advised by many eminent physicians of taking a teaspoonful of pure bisurated magnesia in half a glass of water, as hot as you can comfortably drink it. The hot water draws the blood to the stomach and the bisurated magnesia, as any physician can tell you, instantly neutralizes the acid and stops the food fermentation. Try this simple plan and you will be astonished at the immediate feeling of relief and comfort that always follows the restoration of the normal process of digestion. People who find it inconvenient at times to secure hot water and travelers who are frequently obliged to take hasty meals poorly prepared, should always take two or three five-grain tablets of Bisurated Magnesia after meals to prevent fermentation and neutralize the acid in their stomach.

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THE WORLD OF SPORT

Peterboro' Juniors Beaten By One Goal In An Exciting Battle

Lost Their O. H. A. Fixture at Oshawa Last Night by 11 Goals to 10---Outscored the Lakeshore Bunch by 5 Goals to 1 in Last Period---The Referee Was Bad.

On very few occasions has a Peterborough team suffered such a hard luck defeat as that sustained by the Peterborough juniors in an O.H.A. fixture last night, when battling until the last second the red white and blue sweatered team were beaten by 11 goals to 10. Oshawa led at the end of the first period by 5 to 4 and at the end of the second by 10 to 5, but the Peterborough kids came back with a vengeance in the last period, playing the Lakeshore gang off their feet and scoring five goals to one, and losing by an eyelash.

It is old stuff to kick about a referee, but Mr. Clarence Gorrie of Toronto, who mishandled the game, had the Petes handicapped from the start. He opened out by benching them so fast that he soon had the Peterborough defence men afraid to run into anybody, and the result was that they were at a loss how to handle the attacks in the second period, when Oshawa ran up a lead of five goals. Even in the last period, when the Petes were running away with the game, they were generally a man or two short. The climax decision, however, that lost the Petes the game, came in the midst of the Peterborough spurt in the last session. Montgomery broke away, and tearing down the side beat Smith with a pretty shot from the wing. After he had got his shot away, one of the Oshawa defence men crashed into him and knocked him down, putting him out of business for a short time. To the surprise of the Peterborough crowd, Gorrie refused to allow the goal on the ground that he had rung his bell for the accident before the puck was in the nets. Nice stuff to lose a goal because some one knocks you out after you shoot, and at that no one remembers hearing the bell until after the goal was scored. As it turned out, the decision meant the difference between a tide and a lost game. And on top of it Gorrie let Oshawa away with a ten foot offside for their only goal in the last period.

But in spite of poor refereeing, it was one grand game of hockey, one of the battling kind that keeps a crowd on its feet all the way. The ice was keen and hard and the pace never stopped for a moment, the teams travelling at top speed from gong to gong, while the rapid scoring added to the interest. The return game in Peterborough a week from to-night, which the Petes have to win to keep in the running, should be worth going miles to see.

The Oshawa team, while it was lucky to beat the Petes last night, is a good aggregation which cannot be trifled with on any ice. Venini, their right wing man, is a star, a tricky stick-handler and a hard worker who never lets up, while Rowden, the Port Hope boy at rover, is clever, as all the Rowdens have been in hockey. Feagan, a soldier from the 182nd Battalion, who played his first game with Oshawa last night, did sterling work on the defence, and Smith, in spite of the ten goals registered against him, tore off some spectacular stops, several times in the second period saving the situation when his defence was beaten. The Oshawa line checked back well and were good around the nets.

The Petes have played better hockey than they did last night, especially in the second period, when both attack and defence fell down badly. Bartley was the most effective player on the Petes' team. The little left wing was up against the best Oshawa man and yet both starred. Bartley scored half of the Petes' goals and was working all the time. Montgomery did some spectacular rushing, but he and Graham were both marked men and had a rough passage whenever they secured the rubber, Cherrett, as usual, was good around the nets, but was not fed enough when in close, opportunities to score being thrown away by failure to pass. Murray in the nets was good, but his team mates did not give him much chance to shine, giving him poor protection at times and crowding in on top of him at others.

The teams were as follows:

Oshawa	Goal	Peterborough.
Smith	Defence	Murray
Osborne		McIntyre
Feagan		Montgomery
Rowden	Rover	Graham
Flintoff	Centre	Cherett
Venini	R. Wing	Frost
Swynyard	Left Wing	Bartley

The Petes opened the scoring in quick style. Thirty-five seconds after the face off, McIntyre got away and pulling the defence out, slipped the rubber over to Cherrett, who fooled Smith.

Graham and Montgomery were were penalised and while they were off Oshawa took the lead. Venini evened up the count by a neat rush, and Flintoff put the Lakeshore bunch ahead by banging in a rebound.

Bartley tied it up when he slammed the rubber past Smith after a combination rush with McIntyre and Cherrett. Then Montgomery got away for one of his lone-handed rushes, putting the Petes in front.

A nice combination rush gave Swynyard a chance to break into the scoring column and the score was one more tied.

Venini put Oshawa ahead with a nice rush and Rowden followed with another leaving the figures 6 to 3. Cherrett closed the gap when he took the puck from the face off, and after a short rush, beat Smith with a speedy shot.

The second period saw Oshawa well out in front. Venini got away for a nice rush for the first counter. Swynyard batted in the rebound. That left it 6 to 4. Cherrett sent the Petes' stock up again when he broke away and scored. The balance of the period was Oshawa's best round. Venini and Rowden got two goals each sending the figures up to 10 to 5. The Petes lost three or four good chances when close in Smith tearing off some fine stops.

There was a complete reversal of form in the last period when the Petes came back and outplayed the homesters down the stretch. They were all over the Oshawa gang for the balance of the game. Gorrie's bad decision on the Montgomery play cost them a goal that was badly needed. Bartley made it 10 to 6 on an easy side shot, and soon after added another in the same way. A combination rush gave the Petes' left wing another opportunity and it was 10 to 8. Cherrett made it 10 to 9 on a pass from Montgomery. Then Oshawa got away on an offside play and in the scrimmage that followed the rubber was kicked into the nets by one of the Petes and Oshawa were two goals ahead. With two minutes to go Bartley tore down the centre and beat Smith with a beautiful waist high shot. The Petes had all hands up on the attack at this stage, but could not bag the tieing goal. The gong saved Oshawa, who were all in. The summary:

First Period.

1 Peterborough, Cherrett.
2 Oshawa, Venini.
3 Oshawa, Flintoff.
4 Peterborough, Bartley.
5 Peterborough, Montgomery.
6 Oshawa, Venini.
7 Oshawa, Swynyard.
8 Oshawa, Rowden.
9 Peterborough, Cherrett.

Second Period.

10 Oshawa, Swynyard.
11 Peterborough, Cherrett.
12 Oshawa, Rowden.
13 Oshawa, Venini.
14 Oshawa, Venini.
15 Oshawa, Rowden.

Third Period.

16 Peterborough, Bartley.
17 Peterborough, Bartley.
18 Peterborough, Bartley.
19 Peterborough, Cherrett.
20 Oshawa.
21 Peterborough, Bartley.

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CHURCH HOCKEY LEAGUE ORGANIZED FOR SEASON

A meeting of the Church Clubs of the city was held in the Y.M.C.A. parlours on January 3rd. A City Church Hockey League was formed, the following officers being elected:

Hon. Pres., Mr. T. F. Matthews.
Pres., Rev. J. A. MacKenzie.
Vice-Pres., F. A. Hendry.
Sec.-Treas., H. S. Quinn.

Executive Committee, President, Vice-President, Secretary-Treasurer, and one representative from each of the teams.

Knox Church Hockey Club, Trinity, St. Andrew's Hockey Club, Mark Street Boys' Association and George Street Sunday School Hockey Club, entered teams.

The following rules and regulations were drafted by the League:

1. Age limit, Every player must be under 20 years of age before January 1, 1917.
2. All O.H.A. players are barred.
3. Every player must have an up-to-date birth certificate signed by a proper authority.
4. Each club must have its players' certificates handed in to the secretary before the first game. Limit 12 players.
5. Every player must be a member of the church or some organization of the church before November 1, 1916.

Season tickets for the games will be sold for 50 cents a piece. The games will be played at the Brock street rink. Two games will be played one evening in each week. Schedule commences next week.

Hockey fans should buy the tickets and help the youngsters along. There is some good material amongst the different teams and they play a good brand of hockey.

The following is the schedule:

First week, Knox vs. George St.; Trinity-St. Andrews vs. Mark Street.
Second Week, Mark Street vs. George Street; Trinity-St. Andrews vs. Knox.
Third Week, Trinity-St. Andrews vs. George Street; Knox vs. Mark Street.
Fourth Week, Knox vs. Trinity-St. Andrews; George Street vs. Mark Street.
Fifht Week,, Mark Street vs. Trinity-St. Andrews; George Street vs. Knox.
Sixth Week, Trinity-St. Andrews vs. George Street; Mark Street vs. Knox.

Cut this schedule out for reference.

QUEEN'S TO PLAY THE SOLDIER TEAM HERE

The fast Queen's University team, which held the champion Riversides to a 2-1 score recently, will be here on Tuesday night to play an exhibition game with the 247th intermediates. Queen's have a clever well-balanced team and the clash between them and the soldiers should be a game of real class. Harold Lees, a well known Peterborough boy, is playing goal for Queen's.

HOCKEY GOSSIP

The Peterborough Business College (Ltd.) Hockey Club held a meeting last night and organized a hockey team.

The boys will have their first workout to-night on East City rink, and have arranged a schedule with the neighbouring towns.

There is the makings of a very good team and it should receive the support of all outside sports.

The 247th Battalion team left for Cobourg on the 11.40 G. T. R. train to-day to meet the Lakeshore bunch in an O.H.A. fixture. A victory for the soldiers will give them a big lead in the group race.

Oshawa will play the return game with Peterborough Juniors a week from to-night at Brock Street Rink. It should be the game of the season, judging by last night's battle at Oshawa.

Graham got a bad toss into the boards in the last minute of last night's game at Oshawa, but insisted in coming back and finishing out the struggle. The last few minutes were wildly exciting with the Petes all up on the firing line in an effort to pull the game out of the fire.

Graham and Montgomery were marked men at Oshawa last night, and were checked all the way down the rink. The pair only got one goal between them, which is something unusual. Bartley and Cherrett were the big noises in the scoring line, the left wing getting five goals and the centre four.

Good skating at East City Rink. Band in attendance. Coffee and sandwiches served by the ladies of Mark St. Church.

EXPRESS AND BAGGAGE.

E. D. Cooney, a returned soldier, has taken over the express business of Eddie Reid and will give prompt and careful attention to all work entrusted to him 'Phone 347. E. D. Cooney, 340 Aylmer stree. 28d-44

GROCERS WON TWO OUT OF THREE BOWLING GAMES

Last night the Grocers and Left Overs met in a League match, when the Grocers won 2 out of 3 games. All three games were keenly contested. Hard spares were made by Gillespie, Fitzpatrick and Ross for the Grocers, and Routley for the Left-Overs. Gillespie, for the Grocers, had high single with a count of 193. Solomon, for the Left-Overs, and Gillespie, for the Grocers, were high for the three games, both having a total of 530.

To-night the De Laval and the C.G.E. meet in a League match, and on Monday night ten picked bowlers will have a contest in preparation for the games to be played in Toronto.

Last night's scores:

Left-Overs.

Thomas	148	195	175	518
Routley	134	163	150	447
Ross	121	184	109	414
Hughes	140	127	141	408
Solomon	178	166	186	530
	721	835	761	2317

Team average, 772.

Grocers.

Heard	148	163	171	482
Outrem	159	167	160	486
Gillespie	153	185	192	530
Ross	138	130	132	400
Fitzpatrick	167	180	173	520
	765	825	828	2418

Team average, 806.

CURLING

To-night's games are as follows:

Denham vs. Archibald.
Morrow vs. W. G. Ferguson.
Foote vs. King.
Davidson vs. Green.
Wightman vs. Hicks.

The Lindsay club has replied to Mr. R. M. Waddell's notice of the Tankard games here on the 16th inst., stating that they will be represented.

Last Night's Games.

The results of the scheduled games last night were as follows:

T. O. Donaldson,	J. H. Parsons,
L. A. Turner,	C. C. Abbott,
W. F. Adamson,	C. H. Pennefather,
T. F. Matthews,	R. M. Waddell,
Skip..... 7	Skip.....14
Ira D. Moore,	Dr. Weldon,
H. W. Cooke,	M. Comstock,
H. L. Dobbin,	C. IC. Parsons,
W. D. Campbell,	W. H. Taylor,
Skip.....10	Skip..I.....13
G. W. Green,	Rev. R. Pogue,
F. Brownscombe,	W. R. Turner,
J. H. Metheral,	W. J. Oke,
J. W. McDermid,	G. H. Giroux,
Skip.....10	Skip.....15
J. Comstock,	H. Derle,
L. A. Potvin,	C. G. Graham
J. Brightman,	F. D. Fitzgerald,
T. Brightman,	R. P. Best,
Skip.....10	Skip.....12
L. K. Parkins,	G. Gladman,
A. M. Laidlaw,	A. MacNabb,
C. Seymour,	W. G. Read,
W. M. Lang,	J. H. Ferguson,
Skip.....19	Skip..... 6

Donations to the House of Providence

The Sisters of St. Joseph's House of Providence extend to their many benefactors, sincerest thanks for the donations received, which aided materially in making Christmas a happy time for the aged inmates under their charge.

The following is a list of those received: A Friend 2 turkeys, A Friend (M.P.) cheese; Very Rev. Dean McColl, $5 gold piece; Mr. J. C. Sullivan, box of biscuits; Mrs. (Dr.) Burnham, goose; Rev. M. McGuire, Douro, barrel apples, figs; Mr. Fair, candy; Rev. J. J. O'Brien, turkey; Mr. Brault, candy; Monsignor Casey, $5.00; Mrs. Goodman, Toronto, quantity of oranges and candy; Mr. Collins, box of table raisins; Rev. P. McGuire, Enniskillen, turkey; Mr. Potvin, Christmas cake, candy; Mr. Hunter, bag of apples, candy, oranges; Mr. Anthony, crate of oranges holly; Mr. and Mrs. McCarthy, Reid street, goose; bag of flour; Mr. Donohue, bag of potatoes; Mrs. Halpin, tobacco; Mr. LaPlante, bag of flour; A Friend, a quarter of beef; Mr. J. Carrol, turkey; Mrs. Fitzgerald, turkey; Mrs. H. Kylie, duck; home-made bread; Mr. D. O'Connell, oranges; Mr. Lush, side of bacon; Mrs. Heffernan, chicken, bread; Mr. Driscoll, 7 qts. milk; Mr. Grady, 50 bread tickets; Mr. LeBrun, clothing; Miss M. McCarthy, candy, oranges; A Friend, clothing; Mrs. Lonergan, Christmas cake, candy; Mr. Lynch, candy; Mr. Gagnon, clothing; Mr. Maher, candy, Christmas cake, nuts, grape fruit; Fontaine Bros., box of raisins; "The Examiner," one year's subscription; "The Review," one year's subscription.

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Fine all-wool wide wale serge dresses, that would be good and warm for this cold weather. Sold up to $10.00. Your choice to-morrow at 4.50

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All this season's best velvet hat shapes that sold up to $5.00. On sale to-morrow at 98c

WEDDING BELLS

CONROY—O'REILLY.

A very quiet wedding was solemnized Monday, January 8, at the Church of the Immaculate Conception when Elizabeth Conroy, daughter of James Conroy, was united in marriage to Mr. Mac. O'Reilly, of Regina. The bride was attended by Miss Annie Christie, and the groom by Mr. Leo. Herlihey. The young couple left on a trip to the East, and on their return will reside in Regina.

OBITUARY

MRS. JOHN BRICKENDEN.

Mrs. John Brickenden for five years a resident of Peterborough passed away this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Chas. B. Adair, 521 Homewood Avenue. On Saturday morning the body will be removed to Mrs. Brickenden's old home, Clinton, Ont., for burial on Monday.

EDMUND FRAZER CARVER.

On Jan. 4 a most tragic death occurred at Caledonia, of Edmund Fraser Carver. While he was giving his kindly services in helping a neighbour he was caught between a door post and a waggon and was instantly killed.

The late E. F. Carver was 37 years old and a native of Peterborough and a grandson of S. J. Carver, who was postmaster in Peterborough for 30 years.

He leaves to mourn his loss his wife and two daughters, also his father and mother, one brother and two sisters, in Caledonia.

The late E. F. Carver was a valued member of Unity Methodist church and Sunday school and was held in very high respect by all who knew him.

The funeral was held on Sunday, 7th inst. to Unity church and cemetery. Oswy Carver and Harry Carver, S. D. and Leslie Carver of North Monaghan, were in attendance at the funeral.

MRS. DAVID BROWNLEE.

An aged and respected life-long citizen of Peterborough died suddenly this morning in the person of Mrs. David Brownlee, 388 Rogers street, East City. Mrs. Brownlee, formerly Mary Craigie, was 80 years old, and a faithful member of the Presbyterian Church. She is survived by one son, Charles, residing in Minden. Funeral notice later.

MRS. HUGH DARKE.

The death took place on Tuesday, January 2nd, 1917 at 1977 Russel Street, Detroit, Mich., of Kate Byrne, relic of the late Hugh Darke of Peterborough. The deceased was the eldest daughter of Mr. Daniel Byrne of Port Hope and was 56 years of age. While in Peterborough, where the family resided for a number of years, Mrs. Darke was a faithful member of the Charlotte Street Church and a teacher in the Sabbath School, being a great Bible student.

The late Mrs. Darke's friends in the city will learn with sorrow of her demise.

Interment took place at Port Hope.

GARNER NICHOLS.

The funeral of the late Garner Nichols who died in Cleveland on January 6th was held this afternoon at Lakefield, the Rev. Mr. Peever officiating. Mr. Nichols was 51 years of age and died after a short attack of pneumonia. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife and one daughter Laura both residing in Cleveland and two sisters Mrs. Davis, 232 Woodbine Avenue and Mrs. Crapp, Warsaw, and two brothers, Peter of Buckhorn and Will in Idaho.

JAMES HANDLEY.

The death of James Handley, of Millbrook, removes a well known resident of the district.

In 1877 the deceased married Mary Deyell who mourns his seemingly early call hence, along with daughters, Miss Isabella, teacher at Lindsay, and Nettie at home; and three sons—Wm. A. of Seattle, U.S.A., Percy of Hamilton, and Howard of South Porcupine. Two brothers, Thomas of Seaforth, and Wm. of Mount Pleasant, and a half-sister, Mrs. J. Fallis, of Peterborough, also survive him.

The funeral took place on Sunday last from the family residence to St. John's cemetery, Ida, very many friends being present as a token of esteem and respect. The service was conducted by Rev. A. G. Westmacott, who spoke tenderly of the deceased and his ministrations to him during his illness.

Beautiful floral offerings were laid on the casket. A pillow from the family, wreath from Millbrook Council, Crescent from Mrs. T. Deyell and ex-Warden Joseph Hickson of Manvers, and sprays from friends.

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

New York Stocks—

Air Brake, 146, 143; Atchison, 104 7-8, 104 1-4; B. and O., 83 1-2, 85 5-8; C.P.R., 156 1-2, 159; N.Y.C., 101 1-4, 101; Penns., 56 1-2, 56 5-8; Nor. Pac., 108 1-4, 107 7-8; Erie, 32, 32 3-8; Erie Pfd., 47 1-2, 47 1-2; U.P., 143 1-4, 143 5-8; Rep. Steel, 79 1-4, 78 3-4; U. S. Steel, 112 5-8, 112 1-8; Anaconda, 83 1-2, 83 1-4; Inter. Nickel, 42, 43 3-4; Amn. Loco., 76 3-4, 77 1-4.

Chicago Grain—

May wheat, 164 3-4, July 150. May Corn, 97 5-8.

Canadian Stocks—

Steel of Can., 65 7-8, 66; Can. Car, 35; Steamers, 34 3-4; Dom. Steel, 67 1-2, 68 7-8; Cement, 63 3-4; N. S. Steel, 115; Gen. Elec., 11 1-2 bid.

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Social and Personal

Mrs. W. H. Meldrum has gone to Detroit for a month's visit with her daughter, Mrs. E. A. Greene.

Mrs. Grenning, Philadelphia, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Gillman, Murray street.

Mrs. Edgar Worth who spent a few days in Toronto this week to attend the Smythe-Cox wedding has returned home.

Mrs. A. H. Stratton, Park street, is spending the week end the guest of Mrs. Peter Campbell, Toronto.

Mr. Charles Brownlee, Minden, has been called to the city by the death of his mother, the late Mrs. David Brownlee, 383 Rogers Street.

Mr. Fred. S. Greer and Mrs. J. Albert Stocks, who have been with their sister, Mrs. E. W. Elcombe, for the past week, have returned to their home at Dundalk.

Mrs. Gray, Cornwall, who took her two sons to the "Grove," Lakefield, before leaving for the south, where she will spend the winter, was the guest yesterday of Mrs. Killaley, Reid street.

Mr. George F. Brickenden, London, Ont., is the guest of Mrs. Adair, 521 Homewood avenue.

NOTICE

Bronze medal, by Canadian Poultry A moving picture exhibit of the Provincial Board of Health, under the auspices of the North Monaghan Board, will be shown in the Salvation Army Hall, Brownton, on Tuesday, Jan. 16th, at 3 p.m., chiefly for the school children, and at 8 p.m., for adults and children. Dr. George Clinton, District Officer of Health, will deliever an interesting address. Admission free. Mr. H. B. Rye, the Reeve of Monaghan, will act as the chairman.

H. B. RYE,
Chairman Monaghan Board of Health.

DR. T. NEWTON GREER,
Medical Officer of Health.

Salvation Army Children Get Merit Certificates

The presentation of 30 certificates of merit to as many children by Fire Chief Howard last night at the Salvation Army Temple was a very successful and happy occasion. The children enjoyed the address by Chief Howard very much indeed and were much encouraged by the lovely certificates presented. Adj. McElheney thanked both Chief Howard and Mr. R. C. Braund for their interest and kindness and gave the children a few words of encouragement.

THE ROYAL'S BIG BILL FOR TO-NIGHT

To-night patrons of the Royal Theatre will see the biggest bill of new features ever shown, embracing thirteen film reels of exciting dramas and several laughable comedies as follows: War pictures, showing the French fighting at Verdun, five reels Margaret Clinton one of the most versatile actresses in a great love drama, three reels, a detective story, full of sensational features, three reels.

Another episode of "The Girl from Frisco" which alone has been drawing capacity houses. Several laughable comedies that will cure the blues. All for the small admission of 10c. Another Saturday matinee for the school children, admission 5c. Let them all come to the Royal.

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5 Lot Corn Flakes at 25c
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PROBABILITIES.

Extra winds, coming milder, snow late to-night. Saturday, snow, followed by high north-west winds, and turning colder.

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DANCE.

The Woodmen of the World are holding their dance to-night in the W.O.W. Hall, George street. Dancing to commence at 8.30 sharp. Tucker's orchestra. Refreshments provided. Admission 75c. a couple.

PIANO, ORGAN, VOICE.

Mr. J. H. Henwick, organist and choirmaster, George Street Methodist Church, has resumed teaching. Pupils prepared for examinations. Many present and former pupils holding good positions. Studio, 567 Aylmer street. 'Phone 1098. 22d-2

PASTOR DONER'S ADDRESS.

Don't fail to hear Pastor Doner's second address on the Great World War on Sunday night at Bethany Tabernacle. This lecture is full of thrilling interest and dispensational truth, and graphically portrays the great coming Battle of Armagedden.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of Peterborough County Ploughmen's Association will be held in the County Council Chambers at Peterborough on Thursday, Jan. 18th, 1917, at 2 p.m.
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ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Industrial Exhibition will be held in the City Council Chamber, Peterborough, on Saturday, January 20th, 1917, at one o'clock p.m. G. A. Gillespie, President; F. J. A. Hall, Secretary. 5-9-12-16-19

ST. JOHN AMBULANCE COURSE.

The second course of lectures given under the auspices of the St. John Ambulance Association will begin Monday evening, Jan. 15th at the Y.W.C.A. The course is on home nursing and will be given by Dr. Harvey, and will include the sick room, inspection and disinfection, details of nursing, application of local remedies, etc. Examination and diplomas awarded.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY TIME-TABLE CHANGES.

Effective Sunday, January 14th, the following alterations in Grand Trunk train service will be made in and out of Peterborough.

Train No. 96 now leaving Peterborough 8.10 a.m. for Port Hope will leave Peterborough 8.55 a.m., arriving Port Hope 9.55 am. instead of 9.10 a.m. as at present.

THE LITTLE LAKE CEMETERY COMPANY.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Company will be held at the City Council Chamber, Peterborough, on Monday, the 15th of January, 1918, at 3 p.m., for the purpose of electing Directors for the present year, receiving and considering reports for the past year, and for the transaction of any other necessary business.

Dated 6th of January, 1917.
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A meeting of the Peterborough Automobile Association will be held at the office of G. A. Gillespie, Aylmer street, on Saturday evening at 8 p.m. Business of the local Association and the coming annual meeting of the Ontario Motor League at Toronto will be discussed. All members interested in the welfare of the Association are requested to be present.

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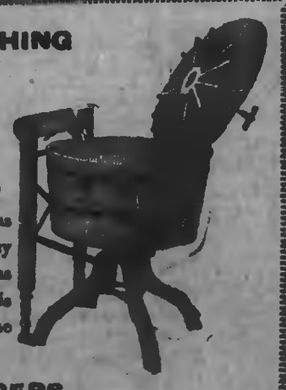

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British Successes Continue on Western Front

Teuton Advance in Roumania Is Stemmed

Allies Continue To Pound German Line

British Are Whittling Off Pieces of the German Line Daily—Operations Have Yielded a Constant Inflow of Prisoners and Have Kept the Casualty List Growing—Daily and Nightly Trench Raids Have Harassed the German Troops Almost Beyond Endurance.

PRISONERS APPEAR DEJECTED

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES IN FRANCE, Jan. 13. — Through, rain, mist, fog and deep mud the British army is continuing day by day to pound the German line. Although there has been no distinctly spectacular action recently daily and nightly trench raids and the drumming of the artillery have continued. These operations have yielded a constant inflow of prisoners and have kept the casualty list growing. According to the stories told by the prisoners the British tactics have harassed the German troops almost beyond endurance.

The last week has witnessed some minor operations, culminating with an attack before dawn Thursday north of Beaumont-Hamel. This action brought the totals prisoners taken in this area in the last three days to 300 and placed in British hands some important sections of trenches. On Tuesday night the British attacked a certain section of the German lines which was taken with a yield of 140 prisoners.

OVER THE PARAPET.

The operations Thursday drove the Germans from a position which they had held for some time and from which they could observe part of the British line. The attack was preceded by the usual preparation which, as a matter of fact, had been going on for nearly a week but had grown particularly severe in the last 48 hours. Just before dawn the British "went over". Ahead of them in that darkest hour before the run rose was the fiery curtain of shells from the guns for in the rear. The sodden stretch of "No Man's Land" over which they plodded was lit by the glare of the exploding shells. As the barrage crept steadily forward the men followed it, so closely that the spectator momentarily expected them to be smashed by the fire of their own guns. Red rockets from the German trenches flashed signals for aid to the defending guns in the rear, but the counter barrage failed to check the advance. The German gunnery in this instance was described by the attacking officer as weak and erratic.

LITTLE RESISTANCE.

The British soldiers encountered little resistance when they entered the shell torn trenches. The Germans had taken refuge from the terrific shell fire in the dug outs and communicating trenches. The prisoners taken in this raid had been on the front line for a long while and appeared very much dejected. As soon as the captured trenches had been cleared of the last hostile fighter squads of engineers were sent up to consolidate and repair the new positions and before night the regular booming of the big guns told that the battle had once more settled down into its customary routine.

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SMITH COUNCIL HOLDS FIRST MEETING OF YEAR

The first meeting of the council of the Township of Smith was held in the County Council Chamber, on Monday, Jan. 8th, at 11 o'clock.

After making the Declarations of Qualifications and Office, the members took their seats as follows

Reeve, Fred Moffat.
Deputy Reeve, Geo. B. Nichols.
Councillors, Moore, Middleton and Nichols.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

Mr. D. Garvey waited on the council re a sheep killed by dogs, the owners of which are unknown. By motion the treasurer was instructed to pay Mr. Garvey ten dollars.

Mr. Harold Sanderson presented an assessment schedule showing he was assessed for one dog and that his tax bill called for three dollars. The clerk was instructed to look the matter up and report at the next meeting.

The treasurer was instructed to pay the following accounts:

A. G. Shearer, goods D. Sullivan	$ 7 50
John Armstrong, goods D. Sullivan	6 20
J. N. Telford, services as inspector and relief officer	32 00
Robert Touchburn, repairing grader	75
William Nichols, repairing grader	11 50
Dr. J. A. Morgan, services as M.H.O.	15 00
British Red Cross 1 mill grant	1691 85
Taylor and Hall, tile	108 95
Municipal World, 6 copies	5 00
Hos. Sick Children, grant	5 00
H. Nesbitt, care Coun. Cham.	10 00

The council adjourned to meet again on Tuesday, Feb. 6th, at 10 o'clock.

Wheat Suffered General Decline

Cash Prices Were Four and Five Cents Lower Yesterday—The Cattle Markets

Cash wheat situation was weak yesterday, resuming in a general decline, and offsetting whatever bullish effect the allies' reply had at the opening. Manitoba cash prices are 4c. to 5c. lower. Ontario wheat steady. Corn easier.

Manitoba wheat— No. 1 northern, $2.06, track, bay ports; No. 2, $2.03; No. 3, $2, No. 4, $1.85; old crop, 4c. above new crop.

Manitoba oats— No. 2 C.W., 71c.; No. 3, 69 1-2c.; extra No. 1 feed, 69 1-2c.; No. 1 feed, 67 1-2c.; all rail delivered.

American corn—No. 3, $1.09, shipment within 30 days.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 64c. to 66c.; No. 3 white, 63c. to 65c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1.80 to $1.82; No. 3, $1.78 to $1.80.

Peas—No. 2 nominal, car lots, $2.35.

Barley — Good malting, $1.16 to $1.18; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal, $1.26.

Rye— No. 2, commercial, nominal; No. 2, new, $1.38 to $1.40.

Manitoba flour— First patents, in jute bags, $9.90; second patents, in jute, $9.40; strong bakers, in jute, $9, Toronto.

Ontario flour—New winter, $7.40 to $7.50, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment; $7.25, bulk, seaboard, export grade.

Millfeed—Car lots delivered Montreal; shorts, $38; bran, $36; feed flour, per bag, $2.80.

Hay—Baled, No. 1, track, Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots, $12.50 to $13; No. 2, $9 to $11; straw, $9.50 to $10.

Cattle Markets.

An exceptionally keen demand for choice butcher cattle, and comparatively high receipts has kept the market all through this week in a more or less excited state, as prices steadily mounted, until experienced dealers confessed they could not tell what was coming in the next few days. Prices started streng at the opening of the week, with loads of cattle selling freely around $9 to $9.25 and sales here and there of small bunches of single steers and heifers, up to $10. The succeeding markets all through the week saw these prices fully maintained, and with a strong tendency towards still higher levels, particularly for anything of choice quality. The closing market for the week saw a good average advance of 25c. to 40c., taking all grades, the choicest offerings scoring the sharpest advances.

Stockers and feeders were light in proportion to the general advances for butcher's cattle.

Good veal calves were strong and higher.

Sheep and lambs showed strong at higher prices.

The hog situation was especially strong, reaching new high record prices towards the latter part of the week.

Union Stock Yards—Total receipts for the week—489 cars, with $5,943 cattle, 630 calves, 12,161 hogs, 1,564 sheep and lambs, and 1,053 horses.

City Cattle Markets—62 cars, with 908 cattle, 522 sheep and lambs, 776 hogs, 196 calves, and 16 horses.

Latest Quotations.

Heavy steers	$9.40 to $10.25
Choice butcher	8.75 9.40
do good	8.25 8.65
do medium	7.75 8.00
Do. common	7.00 7.50
Heifers, good to choice	8.00 9.00
do medium	7.00 7.50
Butcher cows, choice	6.25 7.00
do medium	5.75 6.25
Butcher bulls, choice	6.85 7.50
do good	6.50 6.60
do medium	6.00 6.50
Feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs.	7.00 7.50
do bulls	5.25 5.75
Stockers, 700 to 800 lbs.	7.00 7.50
do med., 650 to 750 lbs.	5.50 6.00
do light, 600 to 650 lbs.	5.00 5.75
Canners	4.75 5.00
Cutters	4.50 5.25
Sheep, light	8.00 10.00
do heavy	7.50 8.50
Spring lambs	10.75 14.00
Calves	8.00 13.00
Hogs, fed and watered	13.00 13.25
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GERMAN ANARCHIST PLOT UNEARTHED

Examiner Special:

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.— German anarchist plots to assassinate Governor Jos. J. Johnston have been unearthed.

Many Germans Are Deserting

Special to The Examiner:

PARIS, Jan. 13.—British successes continue on the western front. Many Germans are deserting and coming over to the British lines owing to their privations in the trenches.

When mixing whitewash add a good handful of common salt. This makes the whitewash adhere to the walls and prevents it from rubbing off.

DRASTIC PENALTIES FOR DESERTERS

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Jan. 13.—Drastic penalties for deserters will be given in future in Canada.

Germany Threatens Drastic Action

Special to The Examiner:

PARIS, Jan. 13.—Germany has declared she will take drastic reprisals for alleged inhuman treatment of German prisoners in France.

Grain Growers Shout "Traitor"

BRANDON, Man., Jan. 12.—The Grain Growers' Convention was thrown into a state of great excitement yesterday morning when a resolution was introduced by John Dutton of Gilbert Plains to prevent F. J. Dixon, M.P.P., from addressing the convention. The introduction of the resolution was followed by tremendous uproar and shouts of "Traitor."

G. W. Knowles of Emerson, in seconding the resolution, said that the grain-growers did not come here to listen to an address by a traitor to Canada. After a time the vote was put amid tremendous uproar, and Chairman Henders said the resolution to refuse Dixon a hearing was lost.

Some women protested because the women delegates engaged in another hall did not have a chance to vote, and that they would have been solidly in opposition to allowing Dixon to speak. Dixon, who is the member for Centre Winnipeg, has publicly opposed national registration.

Solomonic Decision.—Two brothers inherited a farm and quarrelled violently as to its division. Now there lived in their village a certain shrewd and wise old man, noted for the soundness of his advice. Him the brothers determined to appoint arbitrator. Whatever he said they would abide by. They laid the matter before him. For a long while he thought, then delivered judgment. "You," said he, pointing to the elder, "shall divide the farm as you think fair. And you," he continued, pointing to the younger, "shall have the first choice."

GERMANS ARE PRESSED BACK IN ROUMANIA

New Russian Troops and Guns Have Arrived—Teuton Advance Has Been Stemmed

Special to The Examiner:

PETROGRAD, Jan. 13.— The Russians continue to press the Germans back in Roumania. The Teuton advance in Roumania has been stemmed. New Russian troops and guns have arrived and have forced the retired of the Teutons on the Gouitsa sector.

Last Reserves Called Out

Examiner Special:

LONDON, Jan. 13.— Bulgaria has called out her last available reserves.

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United States' Next Move For Peace

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The next move of the United States toward continuing peace negotiations is in the process of formation to-day.

After a conference with his cabinet yesterday, at which the answer to his first note was discussed in detail, and after a long talk with Col. House, confidential adviser, President Wilson has begun laying the ground work for further mediatory negotiations.

These it is understood, must necessarily be highly confidential for a time.

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 13. — German editorial comment to-day was practically unanimous in the belief that the Allies' note has blocked all chances for peace at present.

Two Submarines Reported Sunk

Special to The Examiner:

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—The sinking of two German submarines in mid-Atlantic by a British cruiser is reported here.

A BERLIN REPORT.

BERLIN, Jan. 13.— The Admiralty says the British cruiser "June" and the Italian battleship "Marguerita" were sunk in the Mediterranean by "surprise gun fire." Six hundred Italian sailors lost their lives.

Dupont Powder Plant Wrecked

Special to The Examiner.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Estimates of the loss due to the Canada Car explosions now placed at sixteen million. German plots possibly responsible.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13 —Big explosions wreck the Dupont powder plant at Haskell New Jersey.

Big Response To New Loan

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 13.—One insurance company subscribed a hundred millions to the new loan. There is a big response from all quarters.

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GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
CORRECTED JUNE 4, 1916.

7.00 a.m.—For Lakefield.
8.10 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg and points east, connecting at Port Hope for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 11.45 a.m.
8.35 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
8.35 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
11.40 a.m.—Mid-day express for Toronto, reaching Toronto at 3.15 p.m.
12.20 p.m.—For Lakefield.
11.40 a.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
1.30 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
3.30 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
5.40 p.m.—For Lakefield.
5.45 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
5.05 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Boston.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
CORRECTED JUNE 4, 1916.
*1.30 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*12.12 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N.B., Boston, and New York.
*7.20 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls and Ottawa.
**11.27 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and intermediate points and all points east of Montreal.
GOING WEST—
*4.59 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Galt, Woodstock, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*5.54 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
**7.35 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York. Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
**2.15 a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port McNichol and intermediate points
**2.42 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Buffalo, New York, Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, London, Detroit and Chicago.
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By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday.)

CHAPTER 26.

As he reached Washington square, it seemed that the quiet of the section held a sort of benediction, and such peace as hangs between old walls, where the fever of stress has passed and left in its wake a philosophy and contentment.

But when he came to the house where he had visited her, he was told that she no longer lived there. With a sudden pang it occurred to him that once more she might have moved a step down the economic scale toward the furnished room in one of those dingy lodging houses, which she had dunlorehtso—a the heart sickens at the forlornness of its environment.

He inquired for the girl with whom Marcia shared the little apartment, and to his relief learned that she still had her abode there and would receive her. As he opened the door Dorothy Melliss was bending over her drawing board by a north window, rushing through some fashion illustrations which must be delivered on the morrow. She greeted Paul with a nod and went on with her work while he explained his mission.

Dorothy was a wholesome young person of clear complexion and a straightforward look and she spoke with an independence of manner amounting almost to slanginess. She was one of those girls whom an unaided life in the city fosters. She could take care of herself—and did—but she knew life and looked it in the face—and dispensed with anything like a baby stare in doing so. Now she listened to Paul's talk, then suddenly shoved back her India-ink bottle and wiped her pen, while her pupils met his with directness.

"Before I answer any of your questions, Mr. Burton, I have got a few to ask you myself," she announced. "I might as well talk straight from the shoulder. Just how anxious you are to see Marcia is not going to make such a difference in my young life. Whether or not she wants you to find her—does make a great deal of difference."

"What do you mean, Miss Melliss?" Paul was genuinely puzzled. "I mean that of course I know her address, or addresses, because they change every day. I also know that she gave me the most explicit orders not to tell you where she could be found."

"Oh," he exclaimed in disappointment, relinquishing his inquiry at the first obstacle. "Then I suppose I may as well go."

"Hold on!" she commanded tersely. "I am Marcia Terroll's friend. I think that I am enough her friend to decide for myself whether I can help her most by obeying or disobeying her. Sit down for five minutes and listen to me. I feel like talking."

He obeyed and the young woman's face flushed with her interest as she took a chair near him and lighted a cigarette. After that she sat for a few minutes reflectively silent.

"I guess there is not so much similarity between Marcia and me but there is one thing, and it is a bond of kinship in a way." She looked at him unwaveringly. "We have both been on our own for some time in a town where there are more Don Juans than Walter Raleighs, and we are both straight. To the women of your protected set that would not be much to brag about, about as much for a millionaire to boast that he had never picked a pocket. None of those sheltered girls in your own world, where women nibble at life like bon-bons, have anything on Marcia Terroll. In brain power and character and charm she has it over those female non-combatants like a tent."

"I know all that, Miss Melliss." His reply was vaguely apologetic.

"Maybe you do, but I am not through yet. She was cut to a delicate pattern and meant for life's sunshine, and God knows she has had plenty of shadow. She has kept a smile on her lips and a laugh in her eyes through things that would have crumpled up lots of those tender creatures that you know. You don't guess what it means to that sort of woman, well to see life from the angle we get on it, but Marcia knows. You came along and she—" The young woman broke off in sudden silence.

"She what?" Anxiety sounded through his question.

"Oh, she never told me anything—it's not her fashion to tell such things—but I have a pair of eyes myself. I figure that Marcia let herself in for a danger she thought that she had put behind her. She allowed herself to have a dream." She paused and her gaze was almost accusing in its directness. "From the look in her eyes before she went away I guess she realized that it was a dream."

Miss Melliss had eyes of a brown softness but just now they flashed hard as agate and her voice rose to a scornful indignation.

"As if we had not enough to handle with the facts of Life, without hopeless dreams! I'm no anarchist railing at wealth and luxury....but you men that want everything..... and give nothing—" She broke off abruptly and demanded, what do you call it yourself?"

"Where is she?" demanded Paul.

"She's out with a dinky, barnstorming company, playing one night stands—on a line of tank towns and whistling stations. It was all that she could get. She is making early morning jumps between shabby hotels with a bunch of cheap actors and cheaper actresses that are just about as congenial to her as a herd of goats." The voice vibrated with since feeling.

"Are you going to tell me where I can find her?"

The girl studied her cigarette, drew a puff upon it and exhaled a cloud of smoke before she answered. Then she spoke reflectively.

"I'm just wondering whether I am or not. If you're going to follow her up and make her dream again—only to wake up again—I certainly am not—If you are going to be any comfort to her, I am, because God knows she needs some comfort. She is only going on her nerve."

"Please tell me," he urged persuasively. At that moment it was in his mind to write a truthful letter to Lorraine Haswell and go to Marcia with a proposal of marriage. He felt only his need of her—and her importance to himself. He failed to reckon on the thousand misgivings and indecisions which would assail him between the moment of impulse and that of execution. But his eyes were sincere, and Dorothy believed them. She went to her desk and brought back a sheet of paper.

"That's the route for this week and next," she said. "After that you must either find out for yourself or go without learning."

That night with the holiday spirit of a lad out of a cheerless school Paul Burton walked along the principal street of a small New England town, where old-fashioned houses sprawled between stark elms. When he reached the Palace Theatre the performance had begun so he hurriedly bought a ticket and found himself sitting near the front with many empty seats about him. It was a cheap "follow up" company with an old piece that had once been a Broadway hit. He had never seen Marcia act. Now he was seeing her under the most inauspicious circumstances — and he knew that only want of opportunity and the uncompromising plane on which she had pitched her dealings in managerial offices had balked her ambitions. She could act and was acting with a force, intelligence and finesse that were wasted here, and as he watched her suddenly their eyes met, and across the blazing separation of the "foots" she recognised him. For just an instant her pupils dilated and she missed a cue. It looked as though she would "go up" in her lines, but before the prompter could come to her aid she had recovered herself and her performance went on unbroken. But during the following intermission the women who dressed near by could hear her humming a gay tune and as she came out at their call they saw in her eyes a sparkle that had not been there before.

As Marcia sat in her dressing room before the mirror which was fastened against a brick wall the squalidness of the cubbyhole ceased to depress her. On the slab before her lay scattered the details of make-up, and crowded into one corner stood her wardrobe trunk. A placard near a red-light bulb, read: "Please remember that YOU are here for a few days, but we are here all the time. Do not deface our home," and under that notice, probably tempted by it into irony, a former occupant had scrawled in huge letters, "Oh, you home!"

But now the chilly little dressing-room was no longer a dingy cell. She had recognized Paul Burton's face out in front and as she changed from the next act little snatches of song broke from her lips, and she smiled at herself in the glass until the small glistening teeth flashed like those of a pleased child.

Fate gives no guarantee of responsibility for the targeting of the Love-God's darts. This whimsical deity appears to owe no duty to fitness or consistency. He may choose to make a strong and excellent character love one too weak to be worthy its thought and no higher power intervenes. After all, Marcia had met Paul when she was lonely and they had for a while comforted each other's unhappiness. When she had ordered him to stay away the damage was already done, and since then she had been infinitely more lonely—had craved more desperately companionship with someone of the world from which her poverty had so long exiled her, though its memories remained. Now he had disobeyed her and come to her. He had sought her out contrary to command and that must mean that he had found a new strength and would have something to say to her which a man may worthily say to a woman. He had so thoroughly understood her edict that his coming could have no other meaning. She could not know that he was still actuated solely by his own selfish craving for comfort nor that he had occupied his time on the train countering and balancing considerations until his sudden determination had oozed miserably out of him. Although he could no longer awaken a throbbing of his pulses with the thought of Lorraine Haswell, neither could he fortify his mind to cut the tie and give her up.

When the curtain rang down on the last act the doorman brought in his card, and Marcia ran light-heartedly out to meet him.

"You see I disobeyed you," he announced, and she sought to reply with great severity but delight broke through that affectation and riddled it with smiles.

"Unless you are too tired," she suggested, "let us take a walk before we go back to that desolate morgue they call a hotel."

It was a cold and sparkling night, and the old street, which was once a post road, twisted between the elms under a moon that threw rambling houses into softened shapes and underscored them darkly with shadow. They had walked perhaps a half mile when they came upon a building that had in some more prosperous years been a mansion of some pretense and dignity. It sat back in its generous yard with a cheery light blazing at its lower windows, wearing an aspect of elderly and beneficent reminiscence. An electric bulb by the gate lighted a small swinging sign inscribed in antique type, "The Sign of the Tea-pot. Lunch, tea and dancing."

"Down at the heels gentility gone into trade," smiled Marcia.

Paul Burton halted and listened, but the dancing had ended and the old house was silent.

"I wonder," he ventured, "if the old tea pot is still on duty."

"By this time," she laughed, "it would have tucked its head under its wing and gone to roost."

"Let us try it, none the less," he challenged, and with the spirit of two children on a lark they opened the creaking gate and traversed the brick walk arm in arm.

In answer to their knock, which echoed throughout the place, there came after a time a pleasant faced elderly woman to the door. For a few moments she reflected then decided that, although it was a little late, she would undertake to procure some sort of a supper, if they would make allowance for its deficient quality.

The scene seemed set for adventure, even romance. In a large, pleasantly furnished room glowed a cheery fire and as they waited they sat before it, falling silent, and Marcia's face continued to smile. She had learned to make the most of a pleasant moment while it lasted and to leave regrets until they forced themselves.

When they had finished an excellent supper and the woman had withdrawn they asked and received permission to linger a while before the inviting hearth.

Abruptly Marcia looked up and announced, "I forgive you for your disobedience. I am glad that you came. You cannot imagine how lonely it has been." Her small nose puckered fastidiously as she added, "The company is odious and I hate the play and the hotels provide unfinished road beds to sleep on, and I have been headachy and altogether miserable." Then she broke off and laughed again, 'Which will be about enough Jeremiad for the present. Have you missed me?"

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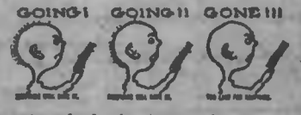

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(4) **Ultra Violet Ray.** In the use of this plan of treatment the water must first be filtered. It is a useful but somewhat expensive method of purification.

(5) **Storage.** Storage of water for a period of 30 days greatly improves its quality. A portion of the water supply of the City of London, England, is after filtration treated in this way with good results.

(6) **Filtration.** There are two plans of filtration. In the one called Slow Sand Filtration the water is passed slowly through beds of sand four to five feet thick to under drains which collect it. The bacteria and other impurities are removed by the top layers of sand. From time to time the sand is taken off, washed, and re-used.

In the other form of filtration known as the Rapid Sand type or Mechanical filtration the water is first treated with alum or sulphate of iron, in order to produce sedimentation of bacteria and impurities, and is afterwards passed rapidly through a layer of sand which when dirty is cleansed by a reverse flow of air and water.

Either plan of filtration will give satisfactory results with the waters to which they are respectively adapted. In a general way the Mechanical filter may be said to give better results with river water, while the Slow Sand filter operates more satisfactorily with lake water. The cost in either case is not excessive. In the case of a Slow Sand Filter the first cost is greater; a Mechanical filter, costing less initially, is more expensive in operation.

THE FASHIONS OF THE MOMENT

Full, Straight Skirts May Lead to the Narrower Silhouette

The Persistence of Pockets

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—Fashion continues in ways of straight and unabated fulness. Skirts fall in soft, clinging folds, so much so that the tendency toward the narrower silhouette becomes very apparent, though we need not yet anticipate the very narrow skirt.

It is already rumoured, however, that skirts for spring will be two and two and a half yards wide. But it is really looking a little too far ahead to be thinking of spring styles already. At present, skirts are still very ample. Box pleats and side pleats are very freely used, and this means that a good deal of material is used in a dress or skirt. The pleats hang in straight lines, generally unstitched, while in some cases they are stitched as far as the hips and below that point are pressed into position.

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Black Satin Dress with Tie-On Collar and Loop Pockets

The gradual lengthening of skirts that has come with the vogue for straighter lines is noticeable in many dresses; but women, on the whole, have not taken readily to the longer skirts, and the short skirt for street costumes is still favoured by a great many. A long street skirt is really not graceful in a tailored suit, and women are not willing to sacrifice becoming styles so readily.

In afternoon and evening dresses, however, the longer skirt is not at all ungraceful. Some afternoon and evening dresses show slight variations from the straight lines. The Turkish trouser effect and draped skirt come from Paris as a departure from the extremely straight hanging and clinging effects.

Full overskirts are also much used for evening, fashioned of soft silk voiles, tulles and laces. Black and white combination occur very often in evening gowns. Black net worked up with white beads over a white satin foundation is one of the striking combinations used by an expert French designer. A sash of black satin forms a wide girdle, which is weighted at the ends by heavy black and white bead tassels.

Bead Embroidery Very Prominent

Bead embroidery is a strong rival just now of the darned-stitch embroidery worked in silk and worsted. On white backgrounds, white and coloured beads are used most effectively. The white chalk beads on dark satins and silks form very handsome trimmings. Beads of various colours arranged in designs to imitate the popular Paisley effect is one of the newest developments in bead work. Other very attractive colour combinations are also seen, such as dull blue, old rose and brown on light tan backgrounds.

Pockets Still Persist

When we consider the traditional fickleness of Fashion, it seems as though the life of the pocket has been very long, indeed; but the pocket still flourishes on suits, coats and dresses and shows not the slightest signs of becoming extinct. The latest development in this line is the long, loop-like pocket placed over the hips and standing away from the skirt. The smart afternoon dress of black satin shown in the sketch illustrates this type of pocket, also the new tie-on collar, which crosses in front and ties at the back, somewhat like the tie-on jumpers.

KEEP LITTLE ONES WELL IN WINTER

Winter is a dangerous season for the little ones. The days are so changeable—one bright, the next cold and stormy, that the mother is afraid to take the children out for the fresh air and exercise they need so much. In consequence they are often cooped up in overheated, badly ventilated rooms and are soon seized with colds or grippe. What is needed to keep the little ones well is Baby's Own Tablets. They will regulate the stomach and bowels, and drive out colds and by their use the baby will be able to get over the winter season in perfect safety. The tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

GASTRIC REBELLION.

Some of the Mistakes in Eating That Incite Poor Digestion.

Indigestion is often attributed to hasty eating, and people are reproved, and rightly so, for bolting their food, but it is interesting to observe that, while the bolting of meat is always severely censured, one never hears any blame attached to those who swallow fruit by the mouthful and devour uncooked vegetables without any attempt at mastication. Nevertheless it is the hasty swallower of vegetable fiber who is really the inciter of gastric rebellion. Vegetables are at all times very imperfectly digested by the stomach and require their tough fibres to be thoroughly broken up by the teeth if they are to be dissolved even in the bowel.

There is a well known saying which avers that digestion waits upon appetite, and there is no doubt that of all the adjuvants to digestion a keen desire for food is the most powerful and important. But appetite itself often depends upon conditions which are independent of the body's absolute necessities. Thus the aspect of the food, its smell, taste and even the manner in which it is served all help either to stimulate a desire for it or to induce a sense of aversion, while the environment of the diner often exercises important influence, beneficial or otherwise.

Brain work of any kind interferes with the rapid digestion of food, and even the habit of reading during mealtimes, practiced by so many, is conducive neither to appetite nor digestion. A well lighted room, music and frivolous conversation will often permit a chronic dyspeptic to enjoy without remorse the pleasures of the table, while a depressing atmosphere, uncongenial company and unappetising dishes may induce a fit of indigestion in the most healthy individual.

CHARM OF THE BIBLE

Its Poetic Beauty and the Marvel of Its Word Pictures.

Then some of us who cared for literature took up the Bible casually and found its poetic beauty. We read the book of Job—which, by the way, Mr. Swinburne is said to have known by heart—and as we read it even the stars themselves seemed less wonderful than this description of their marvel and mystery:

Canst thou bind the sweet influences of Pleiades or loose the bands of Orion?
Canst thou bring forth Mazzaroth in his season? Or canst thou guide Arcturus with his sons?

Or we read in the thirty-seventh chapter of the book of Ezekiel of that weird valley that was full of bones—"and as I prophesied there was a noise, and behold a shaking, and the bones came together, bone to bone"—surely one of the most wonderful visions of the imagination in all literature.

Or we read the marvelous denunciatory rhetoric of Jeremiah and Isaiah or the music of the melodious heart-strings of King David. We read the solemn adjuration of the "King Ecclesiast" to remember our Creator in the days of our youth, with its haunting picture of old age, and the loveliness of "The Song of Songs" passed into our lives forever.

To this purely literary love of the Bible there has been added within the last few years a certain renewed regard for it as the profoundest book of the soul, and for some minds not conventionally religious it has regained even some of its old authority as a spiritual guide and stay. And I will confess for myself that sometimes as I fall asleep at night I wonder if even the most picturesque of modern writers has written anything to equal the Twenty-third Psalm.—Richard Le Gallienne in Phoenix.

When the World is Full.

The mean decennial rate of increase in the population of the world is 8 per cent, and at this rate the 28,000,000 square miles comprising the fertile regions of the earth, which Ravenstein computed can only support 207 persons per square mile, will have their maximum population of 5,904,000,000 persons in the year 2072. This estimate allows fourteen persons per square mile in the 18,000,000 square miles of steppes and deserts.

Canada's New Rifle.

Details which have been received in Ottawa in regard to the new Canadian service arm, which replaces the Ross rifle, indicate that it is, as a matter of fact, not a Lee-Enfield at all, but a new weapon on entirely modern lines. It might properly be called the new Enfield rifle, as it is being manufactured at the Enfield arsenal, but it is not a Lee-Enfield, since Lee was not its designer.

The new rifle, according to what has been heard here, is practically what was planned before the war to have been the new British service arm of 276 calibre. When the war broke out, however, it was thought unwise to change to a different calibre with so much 303 ammunition on hand, and accordingly a rifle embodying all the features of the new arm, but of the usual 303 calibre, has been adopted. It is said to have some features of the French, German, and even of the Ross rifle, including the straight pull, and to be a very modern arm in every particular. Samples of the new rifles have been received already at the Ross Rifle Works, and their manufacture will be commenced as soon as possible.

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Next to a woman, the most changeable thing in the world is—another woman.

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Our Button Market.

For the year ended March last buttons imported into Canada were valued at $597,645, or about $31,000 more than for the previous fiscal year. In 1913-14 the imports reached a value of about $880,000 each year, of which the larger proportion came from the United States. Before the war the Central Empires of Europe supplied to Canada buttons to the value of about $150,000 annually, and this trade during 1914-16 has apparently been divided between Japan and the United States. From the latter country the increase of the 1915-16 imports over those of the previous year was $102,000, or over 30 per cent., and the button trade with Japan increased 32 per cent. The whole of the United States export trade in buttons increased during last year by 79 per cent. Further expansion is expected because of the demand for the buttons of the United States from foreign countries, and efforts are being put forward to get the trade. A report from Washington to The Boston Transcript says the United States produces enough buttons to supply nine-tenths of her own requirements and more than half the supply of Canada. In the same despatch it says that all the world except the United States and Canada buys buttons from the central European countries, Japan and the United Kingdom. This is apparently an error. Canada hitherto has bought largely from Europe as well as the United States, as already indicated. In 1913 58 per cent. of our imports came from the United States, and today about 30 per cent. It is quite evident, however, that Canadian factories have before them a considerable home market to conquer.—Toronto Globe.

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As a general rule, after leaving the Mexican Gulf, the stream strikes north along the coast of North America until it reaches Newfoundland, which is also swept by the cold Labrador current from the north. It then proceeds due east, and in mid-Atlantic divides, part of it sweeping along the West Coast of Africa, and part of it warming our western shores.

The probability is that, in view of this strange and unkind behaviour on the part of the Gulf Stream, inhabitants of these isles will have to bear with some chilly weather, while fortunate mortals in other parts of the world will bask in their newly-found heat.

That the stream has a definite effect on our shores is shown by the fact that off the coasts of Britain warmer water is found at a depth of three-quarters of a mile than at a similar depth off the tropical coasts of Africa.

A cold summer of ten years ago was accounted for by the divergence of the stream to the north, and its fondness for this direction was again evinced in the winter of 1908, though a few years ago it made an appearance round the coasts of Australia.

Recently a visitor at a manse noticed the good behaviour of a child and said to her: "Are you always such a good little girl?" In answer to the query she reflected a moment and replied very seriously: "No, sir, sometimes I am very bad." Indeed!" responded the visitor. "And what do your parents do when you are very bad?" "They spank me—they spank me behind my tummy!".

In a recent examination paper for a boy clerk's post in England was this question: "If the premier and all the members of the cabinet should die, who would officiate?" Robert, a boy of fourteen, thought for a time, trying in vain to recall who came next in succession. At last, however, a happy inspiration came to him, and he answered: "The undertaker."

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Because buttons are very stylish the girl will just love the front closing with buttons "all in a row" from neck to hem. The use of the patch pocket should depend upon her idea of style; it adds to the effectiveness of a plain frock.

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Take a present-day illustration. British Columbia—out there under the setting sun—is helping to bear Ontario's burdens. She has sent to the front—that shell-torn front in France—a larger proportion of her manhood than has Ontario.

Therefore it comes to pass that we in Ontario are being asked to help in bearing British Columbia's burdens by helping its soldiers' families. It's a fair, a just, request. We all are in the same boat. We must bear one another's burdens. And if one Province, not rich in money, makes heavy calls on the Patriotic Fund, the richer Provinces must help out their poorer neighbor. Under a plan of each Province caring only for its own, the Province sending no men would spend no money. It would neither Fight nor Pay.

Ontario will need about six million dollars in 1917 for the families of its own soldiers. The Canadian Patriotic Fund is asking for that sum as a minimum below which the richest Province in the Dominion will not go. But, as a matter of fact, the Fund hopes Ontario will do still better—will bear another's burdens by helping out gallant British Columbia.

How stands the Western Province? It will require, in 1917, two million dollars for the families of its men at the front. That is one-third of Ontario's requirements. But Ontario has probably more than seven times the population. British Columbia asks no favors. With only about 350,000 people—not rich in this world's goods, but rich in pluck and good red blood—it is undertaking to raise One Million Dollars for the Canadian Patriotic Fund! That equals $2.86 per head. Ontario, if it raise six million, will be giving about $2.35 per head.

But the Western Province will still be short One Million Dollars. Where is this sum to come from? Eastern Canada. And Ontario, if it wishes to help, can do so only to the extent to which its gifts to the Fund exceed Six Million Dollars.

A lot of money, isn't it? Yet less than British Columbia is giving, if measured on a per capita basis, and far less if measured by ability to pay. There will be no difficulty in securing the Six Millions if three plans are followed:

THREE PLANS FOR HELPING THE CANADIAN PATRIOTIC FUND:

1. If all County Councils make reasonably large grants to the national Fund.
2. If all towns, whether separated from their counties or not, will undertake campaigns.
3. If all citizens, in town or country, contribute fairly according to their means.

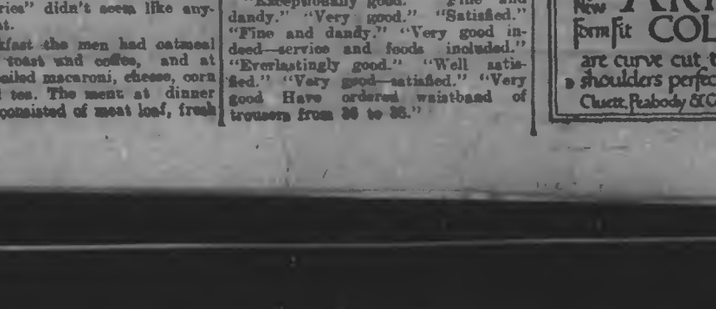
As to No. 1. The County Councils are beginning well. Simcoe has decided to largely increase its grant. For 1917 it will be the generous sum of **$120,000.** Victoria, another county patriotic to the core, has doubled its grant, jumping it from **$2,500** a month in 1916 to **$5,000** in 1917. The majority of the County Councils will decide at the January sessions how large their grants will be. Public opinion will have great influence on the Councils. Every county ratepayer, sympathetic towards the Fund, should write or speak to his representative on the Council, endorsing a liberal grant.

As to No. 2. Many towns ignore the duty of holding campaigns. This applies particularly to towns which pay a county tax. Yet this tax never represents a fair or just contribution to the Fund from men of moderate or large means. Practically it is based on what the poorer men can afford. The richer should give much more, and they can be reached only through a popular campaign. To relieve anxiety these campaigns should be held in January or February.

As to No. 3. Patriotism of the individual is the basis of the Fund. Everything is built on it. If he will not make some sacrifice for the sake of the mothers, wives and children of the men at the front, the Fund suffers, and they suffer with it. The average family on the Fund requires $200 a year from it. It is the duty—it should be considered the Privilege—of every Canadian stay-at-home to ask himself: For how many weeks, at $4 a week, must I, in self-respect and in gratitude, take care of one of these families? If my county taxation for this purpose means that I am taking care of only one family for one week when I could do more, am I doing the right thing?

The answer to these questions will be found when he sits down and mails his extra gift to his local Branch.

Ontario is being asked to assure the Canadian Patriotic Fund that it can depend on having six million dollars in 1917 for the families of Ontario's soldiers.



Four million of these dollars must be secured from individual subscriptions. If there is no Branch of the Fund in your town or county send your subscription direct to the Head Office, Canadian Patriotic Fund, Victoria street, Ottawa.

THE VEGETABLE INDUSTRY.

Nation's Production in This Field is Away Ahead of That in Fruits.

Few persons have any conception of the amount of actual value of the vegetable-growing industry to Canada, says F. B. Housser in an article in The Toronto Globe. The following figures, taken from the Dominion Government Agricultural Census Report of 1911, though not up to date, the latest report I have been able to obtain shows some interesting facts.

In the year 1910 the vegetable-growing industry saved Canada $18,896,544. In 1910 the Province of Ontario alone profited by this branch of agriculture to the extent of $6,043,617.

This is to say that the Canadian public would have sent over to the United States, or some other foreign country, over eighteen and a half millions of dollars in order that they might have ordinary, everyday vegetables on their dining-room tables had it not been for the fact that our own growers supplied our needs. Of this amount Ontario contributed almost one-third.

The vast majority of people, city and country, are under the impression that fruit-growing forms a greater part of the nation's trade than the vegetable industry, yet from the same report we may observe that, in the same year, the actual cash value produced in vegetables in Canada was $6,025,419 more than of orchards and small fruits combined. When we recall that it required less than half as much land for the vegetable-growers to produce this enormous difference (306,011 acres) as was necessary for the fruit men we may form some conception of the tremendous possibilities this almost unrecognized field of agriculture has put up within it.

Strange as it may seem, although vegetable-growing is the most scientific branch of agriculture; although five years ago it had outstripped the fruit industry by more than six million dollars as a business proposition to the country, it still holds only a secondary place in the experiments and scientific investigations of our agricultural colleges and experimental stations

Under the general head of "Horticulture" vegetable growing is carried on as the most unimportant branch. On the horticultural files you will find forty bulletins issued by our Agricultural Department on apples, pears, peaches, grapes, plums, cherries, raspberries, currants, and almost every Canadian-grown fruit. You will find not more than half a dozen on vegetables.

In stating these facts I do not for a moment wish to throw any reflection on the work and methods of any of our agricultural colleges or experimental farms. A more able set of men could not anywhere be found to carry on this work. I merely wish to point out that a new industry has grown up in this country which calls for a new field of scientific investigation and experimental work, and I am convinced that the Governments not only of the Dominion, but of all the Provinces, are beginning to recognize this fact.

Work Goes East.

"Our St. Catharines plant is not doing the work it ought to do, because we cannot get men. For that reason we are sending all the work we can to Sherbrooke, where there is no trouble getting what labor we want, and, moreover, we can get it at less cost."

The foregoing is one Ontario manufacturer's position in the present labor situation. Here is what another says:

"We took our first order for shells at $4, which was completed to the satisfaction of the board. The next order came along and the price was $3. Our plant, of course, is not a large one, and we could not turn out the quantities that some of the larger plants are doing, nor at as low a figure, but what we did was done right, and if the need of shells was very urgent the price should not stand in the way. But, as we could not do the work at the price paid to the Quebec manufacturers, because of the lower-priced labor and the abundance of it, we had to decline the order at the lower prices. Our men to a very large extent enlisted. That's why I sold what machinery I had and dropped out of the business, and it is likely that the machinery I used for shell-making has gone to Quebec."

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POLICEMEN THRIVE ON DIET TEST MENU

BELLEVUE OFFICIAL WATCHES EXPERIMENT, HOPING COST OF FEEDING PATIENTS CAN BE REDUCED.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—The twelve police rookies who compose the squad now undergoing a diet test under the supervision of Dr. Eugene L. Fisk, medical director of the Life Extension Institute at 49 Lafayette Street, finished the first twenty-four hours of the three weeks' experiment last night apparently satisfied with meals that cost only 25 cents a day per man.

At breakfast most of them asked for and received a second helping of oatmeal and two cups of coffee. Miss Mor in Walker, the dietician in charge, is not worried over this, as she believes that while some may frequently demand a second portion, the supply will be equalized by those with smaller appetites.

"We are not conducting anything radical," declared Dr. Fisk, "we are simply trying to see how much the people can, without violating their customs, overcome the high cost of living. The food is wholesome and the men will thrive on it."

Some of the men called for a double portion of macaroni and cheese at the noon luncheon, and many asked for more than the four ounces of cornbread handed to each. There were others who left the cornbread on their plates. These were told that they were losing a large number of calories, so many in fact, that the whole loaf of white bread would not make up the number they had lost. Most of them said "calories" didn't seem like anything to eat.

At breakfast the men had oatmeal and milk, toast and coffee, and at luncheon boiled macaroni, cheese, corn bread, and tea. The meat at dinner last night consisted of meat loaf, fresh fried potatoes, graham bread, date pudding and tea.

Mrs. Eula McCleary takes care of the men when they enter the establishment and tells them when dinner's ready. The rookies assembled at 5:26 o'clock last evening for dinner and fell to without delay. They finished eating exactly twenty-eight minutes later. There was nothing left on the table, not even a slice of bread. Hannibal Parsons, the negro cook, had some more left in the kitchen and the diners could have had more if they had so desired.

Four of the young men who had feasted, drew cigarettes from their pockets as soon as the repast was over and "lit up." They are not requested to give up any of their habits.

The rookies were then asked to write on slips of paper their opinions of the meals served them far. The results of the symposium were recorded by the twelve as follows:

"Exceptionally good." "Fine and dandy." "Very good." "Satisfied." "Fine and dandy." "Very good indeed—service and foods included." "Everlastingly good." "Well satisfied." "Very good—satisfied." "Very good Have ordered waistband of trousers from 36 to 38."

Miss Walker gave out the following as samples of the prices she had paid for food supplied to the policemen: Apricots, 17 cents a pound; sugar, 50 cents for seven pounds; coffee 20 cents a pound; tea, 35 cents a pound; lamb's neck for stew, 75 cents for four pounds; beans, 13 cents a pound; nut butter, 25 cents a pound, macaroni, 10 cents for eleven ounces; cheese, 25 cents a pound.

She admitted she had to do much shopping before getting some of the articles at these prices. All the food is being bought at retail.

An interested visitor at the evening meal was George A. White, chief clerk of Bellevue Hospital. He is trying to hold the cost of feeding a patient in Bellevue Hospital to 19 1-10 cents a day, the amount fixed by the Board of Estimate. It now costs 26 cents a day to feed a patient. Mr. White thought he might get some good pointers on reducing the diet per diem by watching the experimenters.

Police Commissioner Woods will be the guest of the men at luncheon tomorrow. During the three weeks of the test it is planned to have prominent scientists, medical men, and city officials attend the meals.

Sir John Simon relished a good story, and one told concerns a group of Scots lawyers who met convivially at an Ayrshire inn one cold evening, according to the New Work American. The conversation turned on pronunciation. "Now I," said one of the barristers, "always say neether, while John here says nyether. What do you say Sandy?" The hot tipple had made Sandy doze, and at the sudden question he was aroused, and replied, "I Oh, I say whusky."

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The Devil's Climb

How a Man Won a Bride by Scaling It.

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There was or appeared to be every reason why Amos Steele should marry Eva Cowles. Neither had a large fortune, but each had a small one, and the two together would produce an income sufficient to enable them to maintain the social position to which they had been accustomed. Their fathers had been partners in business and on this account some of their investments were on joint account and needed to remain so in order to be made profitable.

There was but one thing to keep them apart. While Amos Steele was endowed with a lot of practical common sense Eva Cowles was intensely romantic. There was in her a good deal of that German element which loves tales of valiant knights who fight for fair women. She doted on mystery, on sentiment. She delighted in the operas of Richard Wagner, not because she loved the music, for it did not appeal to her, but because the themes are based on some fantastic tale about a Lohengrin or a Flying Dutchman.

Steele was anxious for the match, not only because it would be advantageous to both, but because Eva was a charming girl, and he wanted her for a wife. After the usual gifts of such trumpery as a woman may accept from a man—probably because it may be swept out within a few days after its reception without material loss—he proposed. He looked upon nothing with rainbow eyes and doubtless his declaration was matter of fact. He could not be anything else.

Eva admired her suitor for his real worth, but a proposition which dwelt mainly on the advantages to be gained by both parties was repulsive to her. She rejected Amos, and when he pressed her for a reason she told him plainly that the man she married must love her better than his life; must be willing to endure poverty with her; must be ready to defend her in case of necessity with his heart's blood.

Amos undertook to break down this opposition by making light of it.

"I fear you have been reading romantic stories," he said to her. "There is no romance in America. In Europe they have their legends of heroes and heroines, their Sir Galahads, their Lorelels, their thousand and one impossibilities. In America we have only the Salem witches, which, being old women riding on broomsticks, are not pleasing to contemplate. Besides, all these beautiful fancies wither before an empty stomach or a hole in one's stocking. Why do we call that period of intense affection between newly married persons the honeymoon?"

"Because it is very sweet, I suppose."

"Very sweet and very fleeting. A moon lasts but twenty-eight days. No one expects the exuberance of love to endure more than a month."

"The man I marry must love me forever, his love growing stronger every hour, every day, every month, every year. He must be a man of courage, ready to strike at any moment in my defense. I think I shall marry a soldier, tall, handsome"—

"Suppose he gets his nose shot off?"

"He will woo me by diving to bring me pearls; he will climb mountains, standing on giddy heights to show that he can look upon an abyss without fear."

"Why not marry a man in a flying machine?"

"Enough of this," said Eva sharply. "It is evident that you and I are not fitted for each other. I wish a man to lift me up, not to drag me down. With you I should always feel that I was chained to earth."

It was evident to Amos that he was gaining nothing. In fact, the more he endeavored to instill the practical into the girl he wanted the more he seemed to antagonize her. He took leave of her and went away sorrowful.

Amos had an uncle whom he was very much like in his nonappreciation of the romantic, only the uncle was experienced, while Amos was not. His uncle was manager of Amos' property and would remain so until the heir became thirty years old. The guardian had favored the match, and at Amos' failure he reported it to his uncle, giving the cause.

"My boy," replied the older man, "never oppose a woman. With the softer sex one must stoop to conquer. You made a mistake in ridiculing Eva's sentimentality. You should not only have appeared to appreciate it, but have in every case gone her one better. You must take a back track."

"If I recall what I have said I shall receive only contempt."

"Never mind what you have said. Our words are of little moment beside our acts. Contrive a scene in which you will jump in the water to save some one's life."

"I can't swim."

"Wear something buoyant under your clothing."

"Whose life shall I save? Persons won't fall into the water especially to enable a man to show his prowess in saving them."

"Oh, a dummy will do. How do you suppose they contrive to have persons wrecked on trains, drowned in sunken boats, blown up in powder magazines for the movies?"

"I never thought of that."

"And you a practical man? Don't talk about failure with a woman when an uneducated movie manager will succeed with the whole world. You must marry Eva and marry her as soon as possible. The Tenth street property which you and Eva own jointly must either be owned by both as one or divided. To divide it would be ruin. Come! Bestir yourself."

"I'll see what I can do," replied Amos as he strode away thoughtfully.

Amos and Eva lived in a hilly country that in part might be called mountainous. There was one place called the Devil's Climb because an ambitious youth had lost his life trying to get up it. Amos was driving past it one day when he saw a man scaling it like a cat. Indeed, while he climbed with the agility of a cat, he seemed to be endowed with invisible wings. He not only climbed, he flew. No part of the cliff was so perpendicular that he could not mount it. At times it seemed he was about to fall backward and be mangled on rocks a hundred feet below, but he always caught, sometimes on the edge of a landing above him; sometimes he would draw himself up by a twig that seemed too slender to sustain a kitten. Yet up he went, surmounting every difficulty, till he reached the summit, then turned and, assuming a theatrical attitude, took off his hat and waved it to imaginary persons below.

As soon as he had achieved his exploit a group of persons who had been standing near began to shout and wave to him to the music of a movie camera which had been set up near enough for Amos to hear. Then, the show being over, the players moved away.

Then Amos, looking about him, saw things that he had not noticed before. Several cameras were being removed and placed in vehicles. A man on top of the cliff was taking down a sort of derrick that had been hidden from view, while on the bottom was coiling a wire and taking apart an apparatus similar to that above. A man was directing the transfers, and Amos approached him.

"The man who climbed the cliff was pulled up by a wire, I presume?" he said.

"Just so; and a donkey engine. There it is going into that wagon."

"Could I secure this paraphernalia and these men to hoist me up there?"

"I reckon you can if you want to pay for it."

"What would it cost?"

"Well, I reckon about a hundred dollars."

"I'll pay you the hundred dollars if you'll permit me to choose my own time. Would I need any practice?"

"You could do a better job by having had practice, but it isn't absolutely necessary."

Amos paid the man $20 on account, and he agreed to be on hand with the apparatus set up the following afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The next day Amos took Eva to ride and directed his car to the Devil's Climb. On reaching a point a few hundred yards from it Amos pulled up and, assuming an air of injured innocence, thus addressed her:

"You have thought proper to impugn my courage. You have intimated that I am nothing better than a worm of the dust. You have said that you wished some one for a husband who would elevate, not drag, you to earth. This, coming from one I love better than my life, has blighted it. It is no value to me. I am going to risk it to convince you that I am a man, not a coward."

Jumping from the car, he ran toward the Devil's Climb. Reaching a point directly beneath it, he paused and looked up. He was doing something with his hands, but Eva could not discern what it was. He hooked a wire to a belt under his shoulders. Then he began to climb.

"Great heavens!" cried Eva. "Is he going to try to scale that cliff?"

Amos sprang lightly over the lower rocks, which were comparatively easy to scale. Then he reached a perpendicular rock higher than his head. He sprang up, clutched it, and in another moment stood upon it. The ascent now became more difficult, but the more difficult it was the easier it seemed for him. When he was nearing the top he stopped beneath a straight up and down face in the rock and carefully placed a foot in a cavity. Then catching a slight projection he placed the other foot on a similar support. He was midway up the face of the rock when he fell backward.

Eva gave a shriek loud enough to wake the dead and covered her eyes with her hands.

In a moment she took them away and looked again. Heaven be praised! Amos had been caught by a scrub tree growing out of the face of the cliff.

Giving a spring, he seemed to fly back to the cliff slightly below the rock from which he had fallen and proceeded to make a second attempt to scale it.

Eva shouted to him to stop. Whether or not he heard her he paid no attention to her. This time he succeeded in standing upon a narrow landing and resumed his ascent.

He was saved from another fall by seizing a projecting root; he slipped, he staggered, he caught at what seemed straws, and all the while Eva was watching him in agony. At last he stood upon the summit.

He was about to descend by the same route he had come up when Eva sprang from the car and ran toward him, beseeching him not to do so. This time he heard her and came down a stone at the side of the cliff, which was an easy descent. Eva threw her arms about him and went into hysterics.

The next day Amos informed his uncle that the wedding day had been fixed.

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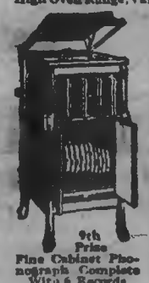

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A FEW HINTS—To aid you a little a suggested list of groceries kept in Brown's Store is alongside the picture. A good plan is to study the list and write down the name which in your opinion best fits each picture. All the names represent articles [illegible] are to be found in any grocery store. No trade mark names or special manufacturers' names are used, so with these few hints and a little thinking you should be able to solve all the pictures. Remember that 10 points toward the prizes are given for each correct answer and that if your answers gain only 200 points you win first prize. (600 Points).

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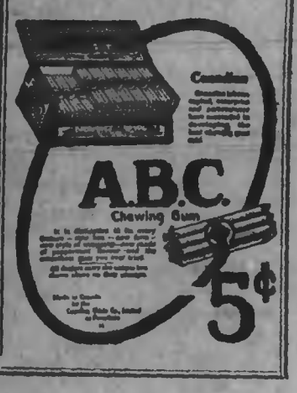


City Council Should Deal With Question Of Public Swimming Baths at Their Next Meeting

Now is the Time for Action in this Important Matter about which Hundreds of People Petitioned the Council Last Summer. Otonabee River Offers Many Splendid Sites and Bathing Places can be Provided at comparatively trifling cost. People want them and there is no reason why they should not have them. A Sum should be placed in this year's appropriations to cover the cost of establishing suitable places.

THE SPACE on this page is being used each Saturday to discuss matters of civic interest. Therefore, while it may seem a vivid contrast to talk of public swimming baths with the thermometer below the zero mark, yet, in view of the fact that the annual appropriations of the City Council for the present year will soon be brought down, the present is the time to bring this important question before the public, and the greater Peterborough page is the proper place to state the facts.

The Possibilities Offered by The Otonabee River

Visitors to Peterborough have commented most unfavourably on the indifference that is shown among the city's rulers as to the possibilities offered by the Otonabee River. The water front in the centre of the city, which might have been made a beauty spot, was allowed to fall into the hands of a corporation. Nowhere along the river has any attempt been made to take advantage of the asset the Otonabee undoubtedly is. A city of 20,000, with a beautiful river flowing through the heart of it, has absolutely no suitable public bathing place. True, during the memorable hot days of last summer, hundreds of people bathed in the river, but under great handicaps, as no dressing-rooms are available anywhere along the river, and no supervised swimming places, with competent instructors to teach the art of swimming.

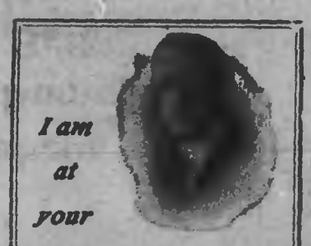
Last Summer Hundreds of People Signed a Petition

Last summer hundreds of people signed a petition to the City Council, asking that suitable places be established. Naturally the agitation was started when the need was felt most in the latter part of July and during the month of August, and just as naturally the movement was too late to accomplish anything in the desired line for last year. Now is the time to bring the matter before the Council. If anything is to be done this year, and certainly public opinion last summer seemed to be unanimous that something should be done, the City Fathers should get busy at once. An amount should be put into this year's appropriations for the establishment of bathing places along the Otonabee. No elaborate amount is needed. A few bathing houses for dressing-rooms is practically all that is required. There is no reason in the world why the citizens of Peterborough should not have a safe place to swim and the necessary privacy for purposes of dressing and undressing.

Swimming Baths Are a Necessity Not a Luxury

If these things are to come for next summer, the impetus must be given now. You citizens who signed the petitions last summer should see that the Aldermen in your wards are reminded of the matter. With a little missionary work along that line, there is no doubt that the Council will act. Public swimming baths are a necessity, not a luxury, and when the results can be obtained by the expenditure of a modest sum, there is no reason why the summer of 1917 should see the bathing places opened and in good working order. That they will be patronized, the hundreds of people who frequented the river last year, in spite of all the difficulties in the way, are ample evidence. The Examiner would like to see the Council take this matter up at its next meeting.

The swimming baths are needed, the public want them, and the cost will be trifling compared to the benefit to be derived.



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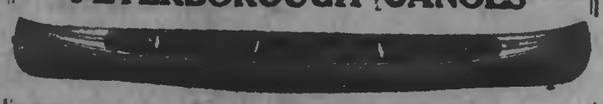
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Even in the Midst of War, Time to Take Pictures

Gen. Joffre, just before retiring from the field command of the French forces, bestowing a kiss on a poilu whom he has decorated for conspicuous gallantry.

Without warning: A typical case of German submarine piracy, showing what happens when a British merchant ship is torpedoed on the high seas without warning. Sinking by the head.

The renewed Allied advance in the Balkans: A British light artillery gun bombarding an enemy position across the mountains.

General Pierre Roques, former French Minister of War, and Staff descending the Acropolis after a visit to the Parthenon.

To fight for the Allies: The flag of a Greek regiment at Salonika.

The cup that cheers: Something hot for officers and men on their way out from the trenches.

A branch of the service that goes on in all weathers: A field-kitchen in the mud.

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Pictures of War Scenes, and of Those Engaged in "Finishing the Job."

Above is a picture of a tennis game being played immediately back of the firing line. Note the house wrecked by bombs shortly before the game. Baseball and football also have their sponsors—within ear-shot of explosive bombs.

To the left is a photograph of Divisional Cyclists undergoing "foot inspection" at Exhibition Camp, Toronto. Great care is exercised in seeing that these men have the proper pedal extremities.

Hon. A. E. Kemp, Canada's new Minister of Militia. Canada has been fortunate in securing for this important post a gentleman splendidly equipped for service. Mr. Kemp will prove an aggressive and forceful administrator of this important Department of the Government.

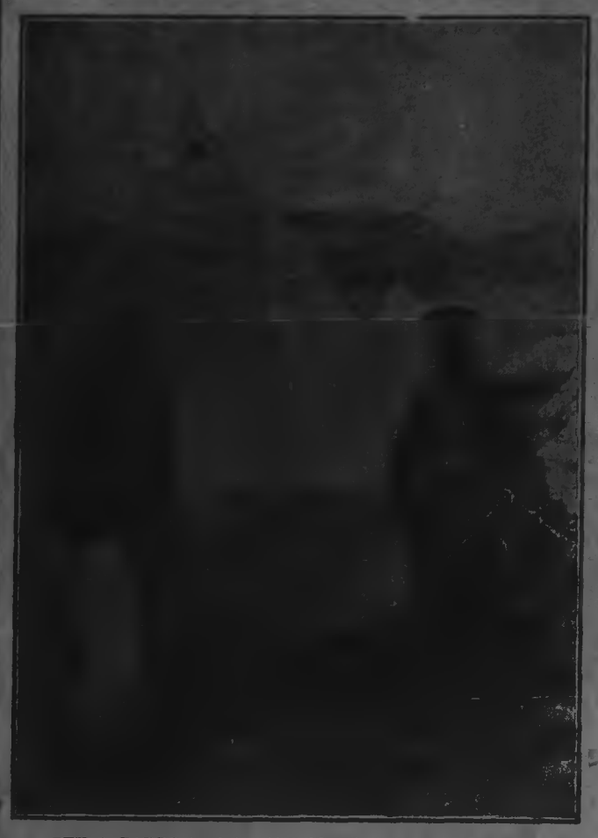
To the right—A view of the British Consulate at Monastir.

To the left—Queer entrance to an officer's billet at Monastir.

On the western front with the troops receiving gifts of cigarettes from the manufacturers. These remembrances are greatly appreciated.

Solving the Agricultural Labor Problem in England.—Sir Walpole Greenwell, with five of the women farmers, graduated from his school.

Pictures From at Home, Across the Border and Overseas



PTE. A. PARDO (on left), AND PTE. L. TIDMAN (on right), Bandsmen of the 146th Battalion, Valcartier Camp.

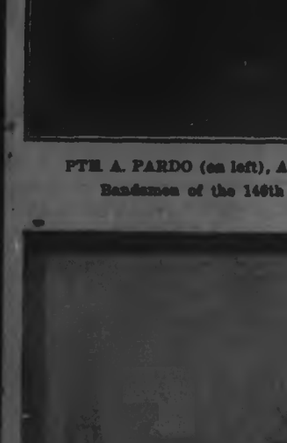
Picture of himself, taken from pocket of a German who was killed by Lieut. Frank Purdy's machine gun squad. Lieut. Purdy, son of the County Treasurer of Frontenac, went overseas with the 146th Kingston Battalion.

PRIVATE JAMES BOCKING

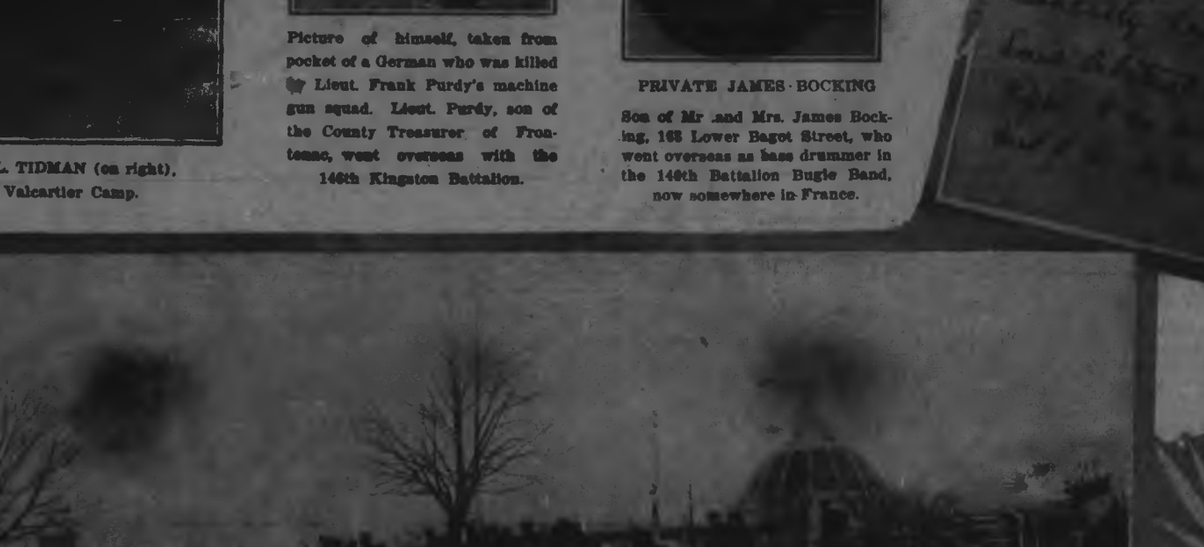
Son of Mr. and Mrs. James Bocking, 163 Lower Bagot Street, who went overseas as base drummer in the 146th Battalion Bugle Band, now somewhere in France.

Suffragettes throughout the United States are congratulating themselves that at last a woman was elected to the House of Representatives. Miss Jeannette Rankin has been elected for Montana and will be the first woman to sit in the United States Congress.

The 208th Irish Battalion after an inspection by the C. O., going through manoeuvres at Exhibition Camp.



PRIVATE THOMAS BOCHING Enlisted in the 109th Batt., Lindsay, transferred to the 146th Batt, now with the 4th C.M.R. in France.



OVERSEA DRAFT FROM DEPOT AMBULANCE CORPS (QUEENS), KINGSTON.
—Photo by Blakemore Studio, Kingston.

Lord Shaughnessy, the new Peer, leaving the Canadian Pacific Railway office at London, England, to take his seat in the House of Lords.

HARRY AND GEORGE, sons of Sergt. J. H. Hughes, who are also proud to wear khaki.

French women who are nurses and voluntary workers in the French hospital at Le Mans. In the picture on the left they are seen plucking geese to make pillows. The pictures were sent to the Secours National with thanks for bales sent to the hospital.

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SOME OF THE MORE INTERESTING 1917 IDEAS FROM THE WORLD'S STYLE SHOPS

One must have an afternoon frock to fit in for so many occasions that it is really worth while to invest in an attractive one. Illustrated is one developed in midnight blue chiffon velvet, and combined with Georgette crepe, the treatment of the velvet in the skirt and bodice is extremely novel, for it combines in such a way that it is not at all cumbersome. The long sleeves and low, round neck are interesting details.

Already some of the dance frocks for spring are appearing, and in many instances extreme simplicity seems to be the keynote. The materials are the conspicuous feature, these being shown in gorgeous colors and lovely floral patterns. Here a frock is shown in brown radium taffeta with an exquisite rose pattern, topped by a bodice of rose maline. A crushed girdle of self material and the slightly draped sides are the features.

The girl who has a slender youthful figure can readily wear a frock of this classic type. It is shown here in flesh chiffon, daintily trimmed with crystal embroidery and confined at the waistline by a girdle of silver ribbon. The hair ornament accentuates the effect suggested by the lines of the garment.

The combination featured in this gorgeous evening wrap is flesh chiffon velvet and fox fur. Aside from this exquisite combination the lining is of rich metal brocade and flesh satin. The deep pointed yoke, outlined by the heavy cording accentuates the long line. Not less interesting is flesh-colored chapeau, with its velvet crown and huge lace butterfly bow.

Clever rows of odd square buttons, oddly placed pockets, and a slightly defined waistline, make the coat of this suit a very distinctive model. It is fashioned in tan velour and trimmed with seal fur. The coat is three-quarter length. The fur trimmed hat and white-topped button boots are notable details.

THREE LOYAL BUCKHORN BROTHERS.

GUNNER K. C. McCLELLAND
Peterboro, photographed in an infantry trench.

PTE. J. WINDOVER.

PTE. W. WINDOVER.

PTE. D. WINDOVER.

The three soldier sons of Mr. and Mrs. E. Windover, Buckhorn, who enlisted in the 93rd Battalion. Ptes. J. and W. Windover are both in France, the latter celebrating his seventeenth birthday in the trenches. Pte. D. Windover has been honorably discharged, following a severe attack of pneumonia. Their father tried to enlist in the 93rd Battalion himself, but was rejected.

SEVEN BROTHERS IN THE SERVICE OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE,

one of whom has paid the supreme sacrifice, is a record which a Niagara Falls young woman feels justly proud about. Mrs. J. DeCarteret, of Terrace Avenue, Niagara Falls, is a member of a family which has done perhaps more for the cause, in sending men, than any other. Some weeks ago Mrs. DeCarteret received word that one of her brothers, Private George Falls, who was a member of the Royal Irish Regiment, had been killed in action. The parents of the noble Falls boys are Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Falls, of Les Tracheries, L'Islet. A second son, Stephen, has been invalided out of the Hampshire Regiment, and four other sons are serving in various units. Nicholas is with the South African Scottish; Wilfred is with the Australians in France; Walter is serving with the Manchesters, and Frederick is in the British navy. Thomas, the seventh son, is with the divisional ammunition column.

PTE. NICHOLAS SCOTT

Who enlisted with the 93rd Battalion on March 15th last, and is now in France with the 15th Battalion, C.E.F.

PTE. GEO. LILLY

Who went overseas with the 93rd and is now in France with the 4th Battalion. His home is at 134 Rubidge.

PTE. W. B. ELLIOTT

Of Cavan Township, who is a member of the Canadian Army Service Corps.

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A BIG RECRUITING MEETING TO-MORROW NIGHT

Russian Naval Squadron Sinks Forty Turkish Cargo Boats

Were Carrying Heavy Cargoes When Sent to the Bottom--Petrograd Announces That the Teutonic Forces Have Been Thrown Back East of Monestirka and Kachinul After a violent Struggle --Another Allied Offensive is Indicated on Macedonian Front.

A SUMMARY OF TO-DAY'S WAR CABLES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Eng., Jan. 13.—A Russian naval squadron raided the Anatolian coast on January 6th and sank forty Turkish sailing vessels bound for Constantinople with heavy cargoes, according to an announcement attributed to the Petrograd Naval Staff by the Central News to-day.

Sixty-three prisoners were reported captured.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 13.—East of Monestirka and Kachinul, Roumanian forces succeeded, after a violent struggle, in throwing back the Teutonic troops and occupying some of their trenches, to-day's official statement declared. Three machine guns were captured in the Roumanian attack.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The wireless report that Ambassador Gerrard has said at a recent Berlin banquet that the relations between Germany and America were never better since the war started than at present, is substantially correct, according to word from Gerrard to the State Department to-day.

ANOTHER OFFENSIVE BEGINS IN MACEDONIA

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BERLIN, Jan. 13.—The repulse of hostile companies east of the Cerna bend, which were advancing toward Stravina, was announced to-day.

The above despatch apparently indicates a new Allied offensive in Macedonia.

Berlin Announces The Capture Of Mihalea

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BERLIN(via Sayville, Jan. 13.—The storming and capture of the Roumanian town of Mihalea, with its Russian garrison of four hundred soldiers, a number of other Russians being drowned in attempting to escape across the Sereth river, was reported in to-day's official statement.

British forces gained a footing in one place north of the Ancre, following attacks against Serre, was also announced.

"North of the Ancre the British launched new attacks against Serre," the War Office said.

"The greater part of them were sanguinarily repulsed, but in one fore position the enemy gained a footing. We hold the main position."

Many German Prisoners Taken On The Western Front

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 13.—The British official communication issued last night says:

"During the past twenty-four hours twenty-four additional prisoners have been taken north of the Ancre, making the total for the successful operations in that area reported in Thursday's communication 204.

"We entered enemy trenches last night at two points north of Arras and secured prisoners. Our casualties were slight.

"There has been considerable artillery activity during the day at various points along our line between Rancourt and Hebuterne. We bombarded the enemy trenches north of Ransart and north of Givenchy with good results."

What Berlin Reports.

The fighting north of the Ancre River on the British front which began yesterday morning is still in progress, says a German War Office statement. An earlier statement reads:

"North of the Ancre the British twice attacked in vain. Near Serre their attack broke down before our lines. North of Beaucourt, after they had won initial successes, they were driven back into their original positions with heavy losses by a strongly pressed counter-attack. Fifty prisoners and two machine guns remained in our hands.

"Near Beaumont minor infantry engagements are still in progress."

St. Lawrence Froze

Ferry Crossed Wednesday Evening, Men Walked Over Thursday.

BROCKVILLE, Jan. 12.—Tuesday the St. Lawrence River between here and Morristown, N.Y., was free of ice, and the ferry steamer Bigelow made a trip Wednesday evening. Thursday afternoon Thomas Cree and Louis Brong walked all the way from Morristown to Brockville on the ice. The mercury has been from twelve to fifteen below zero.

MRS. MARGARET CALLAHAN NICOLLE

Composer of the popular recruiting song "Hurrah for the Front."

WAS FATALLY HURT IN SLEIGH-RIDING ACCIDENT LAST NIGHT

James C. Blake 124 Park St Dies Five Hours After the Sleigh he was Steering Collided with Telegraph Pole on Dale's Hill.

TWO BROTHERS AT FRONT

James Charles Blake, 124 Park street, while sleigh riding on Dale's Hill, High street, last night at nine o'clock, received injuries which proved fatal. Mr. Blake and three companions, his wife, his sister Hazel, and Wm. Palmer, were sleigh-riding on what is perhaps the most dangerous hill in the city, being extremely steep and narrow. Mrs. Blake, who was steering the sleigh, evidently lost control of it at top speed and the outfit crashed into a telegraph pole, crushing Mr. Blake's skull and lungs. He was carried to his mother's home, 639 Chamberlen street, and Dr. Mann called. However his injuries proved fatal, and he died five hours later. The rest of the party were badly bruised but otherwise uninjured.

Mr. Blake was 28 years old and a member of All Saints' Church, and an employee of the machine shop of the C.G.E. Two years ago he enlisted with the 8th C.M.R., here, but was returned as medically unfit. He was a member of Peterboro Lodge, No. 111, I.O.O.F. He is survived by his wife, formerly Rita Brady, residing at 124 Park street, two brothers with the 8th C.M.R., Horace and Leonard, one brother, Arthur, in Toronto, and one sister, Hazel, at home. One of the brothers at the front has been missing since June last.

The funeral announcement will be made later.

"Hurrah For the Front" A Popular Recruiting Song

One of the latest and most popular recruiting songs in circulation is the soldiers' marching song, entitled "Hurrah for the Front." It is dedicated to the "boys in khaki," written and composed by Margaret Callaghan Nicolle. Mrs. Nicolle is one of Chatham's popular ladies, possessing marked musical ability, and is the wife of Capt. (Dr.) Fred Nicolle, C.A.M.C., who is now in France, and who was formerly one of Chatham's prominent surgeons. The above article is taken from the musical section of Saturday night.

The authoress of this beautiful and inspiringly worded song, is the daughter of Thomas Callaghan, of Campbellford, a well known lumberman. There is little doubt of an extensive sale for this catchy vocal production, and we shall expect to hear it sung freely in Peterborough and vicinity.

BANQUET FOR RETURNED SOLDIERS ON MONDAY

The Otonabee Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire, wishing to do honour to the returned soldiers, are giving a banquet in the Recreation-Room of the Armouries on Monday evening, January 15th, at six o'clock. They sincerely hope that every returned soldier in Peterborough will come. Personal invitations are being sent out, but it is difficult to get all the names, so if any returned man does not get one, the Chapter trusts he will accept this invitation. You are included in this invitation if you have enlisted and have been discharged, no matter whether you have seen overseas service or not.

HON. GEO. P. GRAHAM TO ADDRESS MEETING AT THE GRAND SUNDAY

Big Recruiting Rally in the Interests of the 247th Batt. will be held To-morrow Night—Private Hiram Taylor, Another Chemong Indian Village Member of the 93rd Batt. is Reported Wounded—To-day's Orders and General Military News.

The Grand Opera House will undoubtedly be crowded to-morrow night when Hon. Geo. P. Graham will be here to address a recruiting meeting in the interests of the 247th Battalion. Hon. Mr. Graham's reputation as an orator is Dominion-wide, and his address to-morrow night on the vital subject of recruiting should be an inspiring one. Major E. D. O'Flynn, of the 247th Battalion, will be the other speaker of the evening. The Band of the 247th Bottalion will render an attractive programme commencing at 8 o'clock. The meeting will commence at 8:30 o'clock.

Miss Emma Worth will sing at the Sunday night meeting.

Wilfred Jones, 106 Lansdowne avenue, Peterborough, and James Wesley Rodgers, Clarina, Dummer Township, have been taken on the strength of the 247th Battalion. The unit now has a total strength of 148 officers and men.

Church parades for the 247th Battalion will begin a week from to-morrow.

Major-General W. E. Hodgins has sent the following letter to the O.C. M.D. No. 1, London, Ont., and O.C M.D., No. 2, Toronto:

Re Captain J. H. Burnham, M.P.,

Sir: I have the honour by direction to state that the marginally noted officer has returned from Overseas service and will be in Canada for the next two or three months.

Captain Burnham has expressed his willingness to assist in recruiting in every way possible. He has just returned from a visit to the trenches and will be glad to visit your district and address public meetings, conveying a message from the trenches to the men in Canada to come over and help their comrades.

You are requested to take this matter up with your District Recruiting Officer, and suggest that he should communicate with Captain Burnham with a view to utilizing his services.

This officer's address while in Canada will be: The House of Commons, Ottawa, Ont.

I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your Obedient Servant,
(Signed) W. E. Hodgins,
Major-General,
A Adjutant-General

Mrs White, Charlotte street, whose son, Private Arthur White, has been missing since the second battle of Ypres, 1915, has received the following letter of sympathy from the British premier:

"The King commands me to assure you of the true sympathy of His Majesty and the Queen in your sorrow.

"Lloyd George."

TO-DAY'S ORDERS

Peterboro, Jan. 12th, 1917.

Daily orders by Lt.-Col. C. H. Ackerman, commanding 247th Batt., C.E.F.

Orders for Saturday, January 13, 13, 1917:

1. Inoculation: Medical Officer's Parade, at 10 a.m., January 15th, 1917. Second inoculation for all inoculated last Monday, January 8th, 1917.

First inoculation for all officers and other ranks now available.

Officer commanding "A" Company will arrange accordingly.

The Sergeant-Major will parade all Headquarter details.

2. Duties: Orderly officer for Saturday, Jan. 13th, 1917, Lt. S. B. Brooks.

Next for duty: Lt. F. J. Strickland.

A. E. Brittain, Lt.,
Adjutant.
247th O.S. Bn., C. E. F.

Private W. G. Davidson, of the 93rd Batt., recently reported wounded, is a son of Councillor Thomas Davidson of Asphodel.

Another Indian member of the 93rd Batt., is reported wounded, in the person of Pte. Hiram Taylor, of Chemong Indian Village. Pte. Taylor is one of five brothers to enlist with the 93rd, and the second one to be wounded.

Brock Street Rink Very Popular This Year

More Skating Than Ever Until the Last Two Cold Nights—Band To-night

The public are recognizing the fact that skating is a health-giving pastime, evidenced by the fact that Brock street rink, as well as the outdoor rinks in the city, are being very liberally patronized. To-night the ice should without doubt be the best of the season, and there will be a good big band and skating until 10.30 o'clock.

JAPANESE TEA

Mrs. Robert Bugg wishes to thank all those who helped to make the Japanese tea such a success, especially to Sergt. P. Victor for tableaux which were much appreciated, Mrs. McKinlay for room, Mr. Devey for lanterns, and Mr. Turner for flags. Collection taken $12.30. Proceeds for Red Cross.

FARMERS GET BIG PRICES FOR PORK AND WOOD ON MARKET

Farmers had large offerings of pork, beef, wood and hay on the market this morning. Pork was up to 18c and 20c for front and hind quarters. Beef was steady at last week's quotations. Hay was likewise unchanged, and the wood sold around $7 and $8 a load. The farmer showed no hesitation in asking $8 a load for hardwood. In past years they state that they sold it altogether too cheaply. To hear them state their grievances, which they pretend to have only recently realized, one would fancy that they had not received at least the prices that prevailed at any time for their commodities. And twenty-five cent pork on the market, is close to the luxury standard.

The prices up-stairs were as follows:

Butter, 42c to 43c per lb.
Eggs, 50c to 55c per doz.
Chickens, 80c to $1.40 per pair.
Ducks, $1 each.

Lloyd George's Visit To Rome An Epoch

Has Tightened Up the Allies in Any Spots Where There Was Still Lack of Cohesion—Closer Co-operation is Evident.

MORE RESULTS EXPECTED

(Copyright, 1917, Central News, By T. P. O'Connor.)

LONDON, Jan. 12.—This week will always be memorable for the opening of an extraordinary new chapter in the career of Premier David Lloyd George. The newspapers recently have kept very quiet and there has been but scanty authoritive information but events are proving already, and will prove more later, that his visit to Rome marks a momentous epoch in the conduct of the war. It has tightened up the Allies in any spots where there was still lack of cohesion. Especially is this true in reference to Greece, the conference resulting in joint firm action directed against that country in the shape of an ultimatum to King Constantine in which Italy heartily joined.

Closer Co-operation.

This is the first visible fruits of the closer co-operation produced by the visit of Premier George to Rome. Other results are expected to soon follow as it is evident that when spring comes there must be such a simultaneous pressure from all directions on Germany as will enforce a decision and bring the war to an end.

The hold which Lloyd George had on the popular imagination and the new spirit given to English influence by his accession to office is shown by the eulogies appearing in Italian newspapers and by the application to him of a new title, that of, "Prime Minister of Europe." His dominance is shown even more by the smooth working of that committee of public safety, which he left behind, while democratic England accepted without a murmur the absolute rule of two of Premier George's colleagues, Arthur Henderson and Earl Curzon, though Curzon had to shorten his honeymoon and exchange the role of bridegroom for that of dictator.

The Committees of Public Safety are always regarded as consisting of your men. In the Committee of Public Safety on which our present actual government of England is founded, of the three chief figures Robespierre was thirty-six years of age, Danton thirty-five, and Saint Just only twenty-seven. The four chief figures in our Committee are aged—Mr. Lloyd George fifty-three, Lord Curzon fifty-seven, Lord Milner sixty-two, and Mr. Arthur Henderson fifty-three. Yet, according to the English standard, in which youth remains to a much later period than any other country, all these gentlemen are considered young, and indeed are young. I have known them all from their youth, and though there are of course changes, they still remain in essentials the same.

A Different Appearance.

The Lloyd George I see to-day has a very different face and appearance from the Lloyd George I knew in the early nineties. Then he was a slim young man, with a thin unlined face, and small muttonchop whiskers. I do not remember even to have paid any particular attention to his eyes. To-day the fact is so striking that it could not remain unnoticed. The forehead has broadened, the mass of hair grown always long, not from habit so much as from unwillingness to give time to the barber, looks with its thick locks of iron grey like a mane. The eyes seem almost to have grown larger by the deeper and more self-confident expression that has come into them, and the heavy lines all over the face are the marks of hard work, fierce fights and some profound personal troubles. But in movement, in voice, in gesticulation,

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WOUNDED SOLDIER RETURNS HOME THIS MORNING

Pte. Saffrey Lost a Part of his Right Hand and was Badly Wounded in the Stomach—Resides on Mark St.

IN SEVERAL BATTLES

With a part of his right hand shot away and showing other evidences of wounds received during ten months of campaigning on the western front, Private Robert Saffrey, of the 38th Battalion, and formerly of the Peterborough representation of the 39th Battalion, this morning, arrived home after some days' delay at Quebec. Pte. Saffrey was badly shot up at St. Eloi, where he lost three fingers on one hand and was shot through the lower part of the stomach. A portion of the hip bone was blown to pieces. Pte. Saffrey's home is at 309 Mark street. He was in several well known battles such as the last battle of Ypres, Zillebeke, Sanctuary Wood and Hooge. Engagements at "Plug Street," Kemmel Hill and St. Eloi also claimed his attention. It was at the last named place that he was wounded.

Well Represented.

Pte. Saffrey has four brothers in the war. They are with the British Army, having enlisted in the Old Country. After being wounded Pte. Saffrey spent some time in England with his parents, and on December 16th was united in marriage to a Peterborough girl who arrived in England about the time Pte. Saffrey was leaving for France.

Pte. Saffrey returned to Canada on the steamer "Scotian" together with about one hundred and fifty wounded men. It was during the course of the trip that a Kinmount woman jumped off the boat in mid-Atlantic and was swallowed up in the sea. The vessel hove to and lowered a boat, but were unable to locate the woman.

REV. MR. WEBB'S 10TH ANNIVERSARY

That a prophet does sometimes receive honour in his own country is shown by the manner in which the members of Murray Street Baptist Church and congregation are celebrating the tenth anniversary of the coming of Rev. J. R. Webb to the pastorate of that church. Rev. H. E. Stillwell, a close friend of the pastor, and a preacher who is always welcomed to Peterborough, will occupy the pulpit at the morning service. Before the service, however, the deacons and other officers will meet to welcome the visiting pastor and to engage in a brief season of prayer. At the evening service the pastor will preach. Altogether, the day, begun and carried through in such a spirit of good fellowship, should be very pleasant and helpful to the people of Murray Street.

Kut Encircled By British

LONDON, Jan. 12.—The official communication dealing with the campaign in Mesopotamia says:

"In the morning of the 10th, during foggy weather our troops continued their operations on the right bank of the Tigris. They made steady progress throughout the day, and by nightfall the greater part of the Turkish trenches on the right bank of the river, in the loop northeast of Kut-el-Amara, was captured.

"The prisoners taken yesterday now total 178, including seven officers. In one communication trench 300 yards long, 200 Turkish dead were found. Elsewhere the casualties are reported to have been numerous."

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THE TRENT CANAL.

Is the Trent Canal, completed and ready for through traffic, to be opened this year? Nineteen hundred and seventeen is the "big push" year of the British Empire. Is Canada to fall in line, in the way of munitions, of men and other resources? Lloyd George says:

"The Allies will cleave the path to victory in 1917."

Canada must be ready to share in the results. Peace will bring its problems, less gruesome than the problems of victory, but even a harder nut to crack. Every item of our national equipment must be put into the best shape possible to meet the insistent demands of peace. Our transportation must be at its fullest and best.

Here the Trent Canal comes in. Mr. Burnham, M.P., for West Peterborough, some time ago, if memory serves faithfully, promised or said the Trent Canal would be completed and opened this year. Can he tell us now if this big thing is to be realized? It should be. If some further work is necessary, it should be done. We need all our money for war purposes it is true, but our revenue this year has reached the top notch and we should have enough to finish the canal. It is a pity if all the people's money spread over a space of 80 years—especially in the last 35 years since the Conservative Government made a spurt—in the last 20 years since the Liberal Government made a spurt—in the last 5 years since another, Conservative Government made a spurt—should be lost to local and national use of the canal by withholding the spending of a few thousand dollars necessary to complete the canal. By all means let us if possible, have the canal completed this year. Traffic interests need it; and if we are to have peace this year we should be able to make the opening of the Trent Canal a feature of, and a factor in, the jubilation. It would be a fine thing if the rebuilding of the Quaker Oats buildings should synchronize with, and be helped by, and their future operations be helped by, the Trent Canal in operation.

BELGIUM AND HER FRIENDS.

Belgium has had to bear the brunt, the German invasion, and no one can imagine what she has suffered in the way of indignity outrage, robbery of her substance and the cruel treatment of her citizens. Belgium was the buffer between the German juggernaut's triumphant grind over the streets of London and Paris. Belgium saved the civilization and human liberty that were menaced by the ruthless ambition of Germany, and her sufferings have called for and enlisted the help of the whole world, especially of her allies.

People who do not know the help Belgium has had to bear the brunt of got, inadequate as it has been, have great admiration for the liberality of the United States. The United States has contributed a large sum to the relief of Belgium—to the extent of eight million dollars. A United States writer contrasts this comparatively small sum for humanity's sake with the fifty millions of profits the United States has reaped from munition making. It does seem small, compared with what Great Britain and France have done, and are doing for blighted Belgium. In addition to her staggering expenses in financing the war in keeping five million soldiers in the field, fed and equipped and in addition to financing her allies by millions from day to day, Great Britain is contributing five million dollars every month to succour Belgium's starving people; and France with her heavy war burdens is giving four million dollars per month for the same purpose, making a monthly total of nine million dollars, compared with the contributions of eight million by the United States in thirty months. In addition to what the government is doing the British people and the people of her Dominions are subscribing $600,000 a month or seven millions a year, making a total of 9¾ millions a month contributed to Belgian relief, compared with the eight million the great United States have contributed in thirty months in the interests of a humanity that appeals as much to a neutral nation as to a warring nation.

When we consider these things—these figures and these facts, we see what tremendous burdens Britain and her chief ally are bearing in the cause of humanity and the protection of its interests—the mere physical existence of Belgium,—and when we come to add the consideration of what they are bearing to help save the national soul—the national existence of a weaker member of the family of nations we can get a higher perception of the greatness of sacrifice that Britain is prepared to make for an idea, the idea of human liberty.

And we get a keen perception of our obligations, of our duty to do, to the fullest, our share in achieving the highest object, the grandest ambition that was set as a goal for national achievement.

A LITTLE COMPARISON.

They do some things better in Quebec than we do in Ontario, though to some Ontario firebrands, such a statement is heretical and wicked. In the first place Quebec is unquestionably far ahead in the matter of achievement of a policy of good highways than this province. It is a recognized fact that Quebec leads all the other provinces in the quality and scope of its good roads policy, and its length of mileage of permanent highways. This is only one point of superiority, but it is a mighty important point both in fact and significance. It is an age-long recognized truth, that the quality of the highways of a country is a measure of its standard of civilization.

In the matter of municipal elections—the date—Quebec is at present holding her municipal elections in some parts—a season when public attention undistracted by the demands of the Christmas holiday season, are free to give more undivided attention to a very important local matter. Besides Quebec not only provides for a better concentration of public attention upon the selection of candidates but facilitates their election; gives larger opportunity for getting a full vote of the electorate—the polls open at 8 o'clock in the morning and are kept open till six o'clock in the evening, making the voting two hours longer than in "superior" Ontario. These may be small matters, but in the average summation of points of merit they have an important place.

In some respects Quebec education has superior points compared with that of Ontario. The numbers of men of fair or even limited education who can speak and write both the great languages of this dominion—English and French—is far greater in Quebec than in Ontario. The recent conference of "La Bonne Entente" demonstrated the necessity, if we are to have advantageous equipment for commercial success, of the people of both provinces—and especially Ontario—having a larger working knowledge of the two languages, and the province that has this knowledge to the largest extent possesses the greater advantage in the matter of commercial intercourse and success.

Another thing that Quebec leads Ontario in is in the matter of oratory. Every educated French-Canadian is a good speaker because he has been trained in oratory. The deficiencies of the average Ontarian in this regard is a painful memory of humiliating experience by all who have attended a banquet in Ontario, and had to listen to the lame, drivelling banality of the average after-dinner speech.

And above all, and a matter of the highest moment the French-Canadian believes in himself; believes that his country would be the better of more of him. This belief finds expression in the fecundity of French-Canadian marriage, in the numerical character of French-Canadian families—ten to one as compared with the average Ontario families. If the firebrands who pretend to dread "French domination" in the form of preponderance of numbers, would vary their raving by a lucid interval of reflection they would perceive that it will be the result of simple arithmetical principles as applied to relative increase of population by births if the present numerical preponderance is reversed.

Per contra there are some things in which Ontario can claim superior pride, for instance, recruiting. But it must be remembered that French-Canadians loyal as they are to their ancestral arpents and the British institutions under which they have lived and prospered, are at heart simple folk and easily beguiled — that they have not been proof against the influence of the feeling of the insincerity of the appeal for recruts of a government that is in large part composed of men, anti-imperial and anti-British who hold and preach and practice the doctrine that Quebec or Canada owes nothing to Great Britain and has no call or duty to help fight her wars.

These things are not cited in a controversial spirit, but in the meaning of the "bonne entente" movement, whose success is dependent upon a mutual fuller knowledge and understanding of each other by the peoples of Ontario and Quebec; and it is hoped that a fuller knowledge will have a tendency to modify the supercilious attitude some Ontario people are too eager to assume, the one attitude that approximates the character of a crime in a country of mixed population where mutual tolerance, mutual trust, and mutual good faith, are conditions of a nationhood of success and greatness.

THE MAJESTIC GROWTH OF BRITISH POWER.

France saved Europe at the Marne. Russia saved Europe by dividing the German armies, and giving France breathing space and England time to arm; and England, too, saved Europe, for without her on the sea, the war would long have been over. The part she played is not single, as it was when she faced Napoleon alone; she divides the honour with France, but her share was not the least. it grows greater all the time. The spectacle of that growth under blows is majestic. To the querulous ones who have said so much about the weakness of democracies in stress, there are two impressive answers; the sight of England confronting Napoleon, the sight of England confronting William II.—New York Times.

MAHAN VS. HINDENBURG.

The present war has been described as a fight between Mahan and Hindenburg. The Germans have endeavoured to establish themselves as the dictators of Europe by means of a mighty and perfectly equipped army and a navy of considerable but not overwhelming power. Their hopes have been quashed by—we quote Admiral Mahan—"the unremitting daily silent pressure of naval force." It was the British navy that saved France in August, 1914. It was the British navy that made it possible to train the British army in security and to transport it to the various seats of war. It is the British navy whose strangle hold is gradually but surely destroying the enemy's economic life. Great battles may be won on land, but final triumph must be sought on the seas. Sea power is ours, unaffected by the pin-pricks of the enemy, and whatever the cost, we shall hold on to sea power for the sake of our race and for the sake of humanity. —London Express.

NAVAL POLICY OF THE LIBERALS
THE TRUE CANADIAN NAVAL POLICY

The colossal, deliberate, and persistent falsifications by Conservative politicians are publicists of the attitude of Canadian Liberals toward the creation and development of a Canadian navy make it necessary to recur occasionally to that subject for the purpose of preventing gross misrepresentations from acquiring the character of historic facts. With three Bourassa Nationalists holding portfolios in the Borden Cabinet, it is inevitable that its supporters in Parliament and on the Press should feel impelled to divert attention as much as possible from this discreditable situation by a continuous outpouring of malignant misrepresentation of the record of the Liberal party on the subject of the navy. Only those who go back to the first introduction of this question into Parliament, and follow it through the subsequent discussions, can appreciate the flagrancy of their gratuitously false assertions and implications. So far from opposing the creation and development of a Canadian navy, Liberals are entitled to the credit of having initiated the only practical naval policy yet proposed for adoption by the Canadian people.

Sir George Foster started the first real debate of the navy question when, in the session of 1909, he moved in the House of Commons that "Canada should no longer delay in assuming her proper share of the responsibility and financial burden incident to the suitable protection of her exposed coast line and great seaports." With a view to making Sir Georges proposition at once more specific and more Canadian, the then Premier, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, asked him to accept as a substitute for his general statement of the case a threefold resolution that expressed the approval of past expenditures by Canada for her own defence as part of the Empire; avowed the readiness of Parliament to "approve of any necessary expenditure designed to promote the organization of a Canadian naval service in co-operation with and close relation to the Imperial Navy, along the lines suggested by the Admiralty at the last Imperial Conference, and in full sympathy with the view that the naval supremacy of Great Britain is essential to the security of commerce, the safety of the Empire, and the peace of the world," and expressed the belief that "when the need arises the Canadian people will be found ready and willing to make any sacrifice that is required to give to the Imperial authorities the most loyal and hearty co-operation in every movement for the maintenance of the integrity and honour of the Empire." In the light of all that has happened during the subsequent interval of from five to seven years the language of Sir Wilfrid's resolution was strikingly prophetic; and it stands to the credit of the House of Commons in general, and of Sir George Foster in particular, that it was unanimously adopted. The subsequent nullification of the policy thus enunciated and of the scheme thus foreshadowed was as calamitous as it was gratuitous, but for that the Liberals in Parliament and outside of it have no responsibility.

Taking it for granted that Parliament meant what it said, the Laurier Government went on to secure in the next session the enactment of a "Naval Service" Act, paralleling the "Militia Service" Act already on the statute book, and to purchase, for training purposes only, two out-of-date British cruisers, the Niobe and the Rainbow. It was never intended that these vessels should be used in a naval battle, even as shore protectors or commerce destroyers, though they have both been found surprisingly helpful in this war. A by-election in a Liberal Quebec constituency gave Mr. Henri Bourassa a chance to organize a Nationalist crusade against the Liberal Government, and, with the help of the Quebec Conservative leaders, including the late Mr. Monk and the present precious trio of Cabinet catspaws, he defeated the Liberal candidate in Drummond and Arthabaska.

The Liberal naval policy of 1910 included the construction of fast cruisers of medium tonnage and high speed, of smaller coast defence vessels such as destroyers and submarines, and of any mechanical device that experience might prove to be effective. The announcement of this policy roused the Nationalists to the fiercest animosity, and, to their everlasting discredit, not a few Conservatives in all the Provinces ranged themselves with the Nationalists in their extreme anti-Imperial attitude. The Liberal Government policy was adopted on a party division, when the vote should in common decency have been unanimous, as the previous one had been—all the more so as in the meantime the Government of Canada had entered, with the concurrence of the Admiralty, into an agreement with the Government of Australia that the Dominion and the Commonwealth should co-operate, each with its own fleet, for the purpose of naval defence of the Empire. Had this policy been acted on there would never have been a German naval victory on the Pacific Ocean.

In 1911 the Laurier Government, defeated in Ontario by protectionist influences, and greatly weakened in Quebec by the fierce Nationalist anti-navy campaign, the most effective feaure of which was the cry that Laurier had betrayed his countrymen by inducing "conscription," went out of office, leaving to its successor tenders for the construction of certain naval vessels. Had the Borden Government gone promptly on with the letting of contracts in 1912-13 Canada would have had, when the war broke out, some effective naval vessels of her own, manned by Canadian sailors, ready to co-operate with the Imperial Navy under the orders of the Admiralty. But, submitting to the dictation of the Nationalists, not merely outside but inside of his Cabinet, Sir Robert Borden went to London to consult with the Admiralty, of which the dominating spirit was Mr. Winston Churchill. The Nationalists were willing to spend a certain amount of Canadian money as a contribution to the Imperial Navy, provided that was to be an end of the matter, and in this way an agreement to purchase British-built super-Dreadnoughts was conducted. These vessels were to be used, as others of their class have been used throughout the war, for North Sea service, and when that proposal came before the Senate the approval of that body was withheld. There the matter has been allowed to stand, and for this quite unnecessary and absolutely inexcusable stagnation the Borden Government must be charged with entire responsibility. No evasions, no falsifications, can alter this damning record, of which the last has not been heard in the way of debate.— The Globe.

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Sunday Sermon For Those Who Do Not Go To Church

(By JAMES SUTHERLAND)

St. John 11th Chapter 35th to 42 verse: Jesus wept. Then said the Jews behold how he loved him, and some of them said, could not this man which opened the eyes of the blind have caused that even this man should not have died, Jesus therefore again groaning in himself cometh to the grave. It was a cave and a stone lay upon it. Jesus said, take ye away the stone Martha the sister of him that was dead, saith unto him Lord by this time he decayeth, for he had been dead four days. Jesus saith unto her said I not unto thee that if thou wouldst believe thou shouldst see the glory of God. Then they took away the stone from the place where the dead was laid, and Jesus lifted up his eyes and said, Fath er I thank thee that thou hast heard me, and I know that thou hearest me always, but because of the people that stand by I said it that they may believe that thou hast sent me in our last; we briefly consider these wonderful words "Jesus wept" when he saw Mary weeping and the Jews weeping he groaned within himself and said where have ye laid him. They said come and see and as they led him along the path to the cave in the rock "Jesus wept" amazing sight, Jesus wept. He was the Son of God who thought it no robbery to be equal with God infinite in happiness, and yet he weeps, so truly does he feel the sorrows of his own. The Jews were astonished at his love they wondered at his love, they were only worldly men and yet they were amazed at such an overflow of love, they saw that heavenly form bowed down at the grave of Lazarus, they saw the tears that fell from his compassionate eyes, they saw the heaving of the breast, they saw only a little of his love, but they did not see what was within, they did not see its eternity. they did not know the fulness, the freeness, the vastness of that love of his. There is something in the love of Christ that even worldly men are amazed at it. When Jesus gives peace to his own in the midst of trouble, when clouds and darkness, poverty and distress assail them, yet they can be glad in the Lord and say, although the fig-tree shall not blossom, neither shall fruit be in the vines, the labour of the olives shall fail, and the fields shall yield no meat, the flock shall be cut off from the fold, and there shall be no herd in the stalls, yet I will rejoice in the Lord. I will joy in the God of my Salvation, then the world can say, Behold how he loved him. Let me die the death of the righteous and let my last end be like his. Yet for all this love so sincere, so affectionate, so true; yet for all those loving sympathetic tears some doubted it and said could not this man, which opened the eyes of the blind have caused that even this man should not have died. It was but a little before that Jesus had given sight to a man that was born blind, and the Jews that stood around him had seen this miracle, they doubted his words, they doubted his tears, many a one has turned away the love of Christ in the same way. We read that Jesus wept over Jerusalem, he did not want them to die in their sins, he did not want them to perish but to have everlasting life, and yet some doubt his love and turn aside his tears. You have heard his invitation—Come unto me all ye that labour and are heavy laden and I will give you rest; yet men spurn Christ's offer, and miss heaven. These Jews had seen him give sight to the blind and weep over Lazarus, yet they only grew harder. We now come to the scene at the grave: Take ye away the stone, Christ's ways are not as our ways, nor his thoughts like our thoughts. We would have thought that he would have commanded the stone to fly back by his own word, but God works by human agency and God expects us to be co-workers with him and has given us talents and powers to be used in His service and as we use these gifts for his glory they will be increased to us more and more. God knows our ability and says to us, take ye away the stone, we can pray for our unconverted friends, you know that it is only Christ that can give life. Martha's faith was waning she says, my brother has been dead four days. She did not know what Jesus was going to do. She forgot his message—this sickness is not unto death—but for the glory of God that the Son of God might be glorified thereby. She forgot his sweet saying—Thy brother shall rise again, and I am the resurrection and the life. How unbelief and lack of faith shuts out our own mercy Christ did not, many mighty words at Capernaum because of their unbelief—is anything too hard for God to do. Now we come to Christ's prayer, we do not know what words he used in that prayer, it was secret. No doubt but that during his groans and tears he was praying to his Father in secret, even in the midst of the people. Jesus was alone with his Father praying for his own, that their faith might not fail. Christ's example teaches us to pray in sudden trials, even when we cannot get any secret place, lift up your heart wherever you are, a sincere soul is never at a loss for a praying place to meet with God, get alone with God, spend as much time as you can alone with God every day and then in sudden temptations and afflictions you will be able to lift your heart to your Father's ear even among a crowd. Then Jesus says Father I thank thee that thou hast heard me, and that thou hearest me always, every intercession that Christ makes is answered, if we know that Christ prays for us, then we know that we have what he desires. Christ is one with his own, He gives thanks in our own name. Christ was always seeking the conversion of souls, even here in praying and giving thanks to his Father, as the sent of God and the Saviour of the world. When he had thus spoken, he cried with a loud voice Lazarus come forth, and he that was dead came forth bound hand and foot with grave clothes; the hollow cave rang with the solemn sound, which awoke the dead—the heart began suddenly to beat and the warm current of life to flow through the dead man's veins, the vital heat, and sense of hearing came back. It was a well-known voice that spoke, he would say he calls my name, so he arose and he that was dead came forth bound hand and foot with grave clothes, how simple and yet how divine and glorious, the Lord speaks and it is done, God's voice is powerful and full of majesty—now Christ's words were fulfilled, this sickness is not unto death, but for the glory of God. That the Son of God might be glorified thereby, Christ manifested forth his glory as the resurrection and the life marvel, not at this for the hour is coming in the which all that are in their graves shall come forth, they that have done good to the resurrection of life, and they that have done evil to the resurrection of death, but we believe that Jesus died and rose again even so also them that sleep in Jesus will God bring with him. The dust of Lazarus was dear to Jesus, so is the dust of all his own; it is dear in his sight wherever they lie, it matters not—beneath the green sword, or beneath the deep blue sea, or on some distant battlefield or consumed in flame and smoke, their scattered dust will be gathered and made like his own glorious body.

(To be Concluded)

Yours sincerely,
James Sutherland,
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In fact, the most eminent of the World's Specialists claim that if the Colon were simply kept clean the average life of humanity would be doubled.

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This letter from Mr. A. Maclean, of Conger Lumber Co., Parry Sound, Ont., a sufferer for 25 years from Constipation, is very valuable:

Parry Sound, Ont.

Dr. Chas. A. Tyrrell, Toronto.

Dear Sir,—I have used the J. B. L. Cascade since I received it. It does away with wonderful results. Before I started the treatment I could not pass one day without taking medicine; since here no medicine one day, and feel so much better in every way.

I have been troubled with Constipation for the past 25 or 40 years, and, of course, at my age cannot expect a speedy cure, but am now in my 73th year, but the relief it has already given me is a wonder to the good it will do for me.

I think a good many orders will come from Parry Sound as the treatment be comes known.

I cannot speak too highly of the Cascade treatment, and will surely talk much about it.

Yours gratefully,
A. Maclean.

The "J. B. L. Cascade" is now being explained and shown, and they will be glad to explain its action and mode to you in detail.

If you cannot call, you should write today to Chas. A. Tyrrell, M.D., 145 College street, Toronto, for booklet, "Why Man of To-day is Only 55 Per Cent. Efficient."

QUICK WORK IN PAINTING BUILDINGS

Toronto Firm Beats Record.

MR. F. G. ROBERTS, President Fred G. Roberts & Co., Limited, Toronto.

Three new large buildings in Toronto, recently completed, furnish a new record in painting and decorating.

The Robert Simpson Co mail order building on Mutual street is eleven stories high, and contains 28,000 panes of glass. The painting in this large building was completely finished in 60 days.

The Sherbourne House Club, 88 Bleecker street (rear of late Senator Cox's home), contains 127 bedrooms, 14 lavatories, dining-rooms and kitchens, halls, etc., etc. These were stained and rubbed to a piano finish and walls and ceilings decorated throughout in 30 days.

The Ford Office and Service Building at Dupont and Christie streets, required 50,000 yards of painting, and was completed in 30 days.

This is marvellously quick time in which to complete the painting, etc., of large buildings like these, and establishes a new record in Toronto.

Mr. Fred. G. Roberts, the president of the Fred. G. Roberts & Co., Limited, Toronto, is justly proud of this accomplishment, as it was his company which was awarded the contracts, and notwithstanding the present labor difficulties, all were completed in the above record time.

His company has secured a great many of the recent large painting and decorating contracts. In addition to the above the company has successfully completed four C.P.R. Buildings, Process and Press Buildings, at the Exhibition Grounds, Bell Telephone Building, Molson's Bank, and the Bank of Commerce at Waterloo, Ryrie Building, St. Charles Hotel, West End Y.M.C.A., Canada Foundry Building, 3 Carnegie Libraries, Peterboro Baptist Church, Peterboro Carpet Works, Grasselli Chemical Co., Hamilton; Brannen's Apartment House, Hamilton, three large buildings for the Wm. Davies Co., Toronto—York Knitting Mills, Toronto, and the Robert Simpson Co. stables and wagon sheds.

Mr. Roberts was educated in Peterboro, Ont., is a director of Foresters Hall, Limited, and a member of the Toronto Board of Trade.

LLOYD-GEORGE'S SECOND

Brilliant Career of Devonport as Manager of London's Port

Lord Devonport's close association with Lloyd-George pointed to the certainty that he could if he chose occupy a high position in any Government that contained the brilliant Welshman. For years the two worked side by side. When Lloyd-George was President of the Board of Trade, Lord Devonport, then Hudson Kearley, was his Parliamentary Secretary, It is an open secret that it fell to the lot of the secretary to put into practical business shape the brilliant imaginings of his chief. So well did he perform this difficult task that he was created a baronet, and was put in charge of the work of organizing what is known as the Port of London Authority.

Up to 1909 the control of the Port of London, with its forty miles of quays and its docks occupying many thousands of acres, was divided among many different corporations, public and private. These bodies worked independently, and sometimes at cross-purposes, with the result that the river was not properly dredged and the re-export trade was seriously interfered with.

A Royal Commission having decided that all authority should be concentrated in one body, an Act of Parliament was passed and the Port of London Authority came into existence. The Port of London Authority fixes the port rates and dock charges, polices the river, borrows money for improvements and controls the Thames from its mouth to Teddington Lock. There are various delegates and representatives on this board, but Lord Devonport as chairman was the virtual dictator of its policy for the next seven years.

BIG GUN ENTHUSIASM

The psychology of the big gun was another of the many interesting points Mr. Thomas Curtin touched upon in a lecture on his stay in Germany. At the beginning German enthusiasm for the war was largely based on the belief that they would always be fighting with heavier artillery than the allies, and nothing had more affected German opinion than the discovery that this advantage, which they had regarded as a permanent condition, had wholly disappeared. In Germany it was realized that with the circumstances and forces that had produced Mr. Lloyd-George, the advantage of the heavy artillery had passed to the British.

INSANE CROWD HOSPITALS

Report to Legislators Says New York Institutions Are Mere Prisons.

ALBANY, N.Y., Wednesday—Necessity for immediate increase of the facilities for caring for the insane of the States was emphasized in the Senate to-night. A special report from the Hospital Committee was read by request of Senator Sage, who said he wishes to have the urgency of the matter brought forcefully to the attention of the lawmakers.

There are 35,613 insane persons on the rolls of the State. This is 6,098 more than there is capacity for, and the crowding is steadily increasing. Manhattan State Hospital is in the worst condition. Next comes Kings Park, the Brooklyn Hospital and Central Islip.

No hospitals for insane have been built since 1898, and the number of insane has almost doubled since that time. The committee showed that the State must begin soon to provide $2,000,000 a year for added hospital accommodations. As things are now, it is said, the institutions are not curative, but merely prisons for the insane.

The report was referred to the Finance Committee.

LEADERSHIP WON V.C.

Youth and Age no Bar to Highest British Honor

A batch of Victoria Crosses was awarded to three officers and two privates in English regiments, a sergeant of a Scotch regiment and a sergeant of an Irish regiment. All distinguished themselves not only for indifference to danger, but for quick thinking. In every case the winner had rallied and led troops under fire, had snatched victory from defeat. For instance, Private Robert Rider, of the Middlesex, assumed command of his regiment when all the officers had been killed or wounded, led a remnant of men forward, and with the aid of a Lewis gun cleared the trench in front of him and carried the enemy's position.

In commenting upon these and reviewing some earlier ones, the New York Sun observes that among the winners was an elderly man who left a wife and nine children at home in order to serve his country, and "that glorious boy," John Travers Cornwall, who, mortally wounded, remained at his post in the Jutland battle because, as he explained shortly before he died, "he thought he might be needed." We may be sure that when the roll of heroism for the war is completed no name will shine more radiantly than that of this lad.

HUNS GROSSLY DECEIVED

Women Most Gullible of All, Writes Northcliffe's Man

Writing of middle class Germans, Mr. D. Thomas Curtin said: "While there are an increasing number of doubters among the German mankind as to the accuracy of statements issued by the Government, in the class with which I mostly came into contact in Germany the women are blindfold and believe all they are told. So strong, too, is the influence of Government propaganda on the people of Germany that in a town where I met two English ladies married to Germans they believed that Germany had Verdun in her grasp, had annihilated the English troops (mainly black) on the Somme, had defeated the English fleet in the battle of Skagerack (Jutland), and reduced the greater part of the fortifications, docks, and munition factories of London to ruins by Zeppelins. Their anguish for the fate of their English relations was sincere, and they were intensely hopeful that England would accept any sort of terms of peace in order to prevent the invasions which some people in Germany still believe possible.

That Tickling In The Throat

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Mrs. Alex. Durward, Athelstan, Que., writes: "I have used Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup for a number of years, and find it the only thing that will help me when I have a severe cold. It helps the soreness, and stops the tickling sensation in my throat, which is so irritating. I always use it for both myself and the children, and would not be without it in the house."

The thousands of testimonials we have received during the past twenty five years prove that Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is an excellent remedy for all coughs and colds, so see that you get "Dr. Wood's" when you ask for it.

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ARE THEY SOCIALISTS?

Workers of Essen Want More War and More Wages

A neutral correspondent writes of Germany's armament workers, as follows: The badly paid war slaves of Essen are working the whole twenty-four hours, seven days a week, in three shifts a day of eight hours each, under strict martial law. As a result the town is a hotbed of extreme Social Democracy, and as a rule the Socialists of Westphalia are almost as red as those of the manufacturing districts of Saxony. But Socialist though they be, they are just as anti-British as the rest of Germany, and they like to send out their products with the familiar hall-mark of "Gott strafe England" or "Best wishes for King George." It is the kind of Socialism that wants more money, more votes, less work, but has no objection to plenty of war. It is a common sense Socialism, which knows that without war Essen might shrink to its pre-war dimensions.

Honored by King George

After being decorated with the Victoria Cross by King George the Fifth a Canadian Scot pinned the V.C. on Sergt. Casgrove's tunic for the public to see.

Officers as Waiters

The big feed of a Christmas Day for some Canadian regiments was at the 205th Tiger battalion mess room when 200 of the passless privates sat down to the Christmas dinner of their lives. Col. Moodie, his officers and battalion N.C.O.'s were all waiting in line in the cooks' sanctum, and for one hour waited on the privates most energetically and they enjoyed it.

News in the Courts

In the divorce court, when Mr. Justice Scarman read the official report of the destruction of two big Zeppelins there was great applause. When the announcement was handed to the Master of the Rolls and Lord Justices Warrington and Scrutton in the Court of Appeal, Lord Justice Scrutton suggested that the statement might be handed to counsel, who would perhaps like to sing "God Save the King." Mr. G. A. Hawke K.C., after reading the news, said, "We shall be safe to-night, my lords."

Automobile Club's Present

The Duke of Portland, at the Royal Automobile Club said the British Ambulance Committee had been able to equip a number of motor ambulances to convey French wounded soldiers to the base hospitals.

THE SOLDIERS' CREED

"To Suffer and Not to Complain," Said Moderator

"To suffer and not to complain seems to be part of the soldiers' creed," said the Rev. John Brown, Moderator of the Church of Scotland, speaking of the wounded. He had just returned from a visit to the front at the invitation of the Commander-in-Chief.

"The men are magnificent," said Dr. Brown. "The honor of the country is safe with them. We shall never forget how we saw them returning from the trenches covered with mud, but also with glory. We shall never forget how we saw them go to the trenches with uplifted head and swinging tread.

"I went," he added, "to strike the Scottish note, and I found that the men had not forgotten the worship of their fathers. To those who are sight atmosphere for the return of these men, but they will make their religious out there, religion is very real. We are told we must make a own atmosphere."

Cup For Most Active Warship

The Duke of the Abruzzi presented a magnificent silver cup to Admiral Jellicoe for presentation to the British warship which was most active in the Mediterranean.

Montagu House, Whitehall, the Duke of Buccleuch's town residence, was acquired for the Labor Department of the Ministry of Munitions.

The war, said Canon Simpson, preaching at St. Paul's Cathedral, has made the reunion of Christians one of the foremost needs of the day.

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THE PETERBOROUGH RED CROSS SOCIETY COLUMN

The work of the Prisoners of War Department of the Canadian Red Cross Society is one which should and almost invariably does appeal immediately and forcibly to every well-fed Canadian and happily so—for, from week to week, the work must not only go steadily on but is bound to assume larger proportions. We must remember that each time the Canadians are in action the number of prisoners is likely to be increased and accordingly the responsibility of the Red Cross Society is added to. Heavy as this liability is upon the Society's funds, it is in reality one of the Society's greatest privileges, for to be able to ameliorate to any degree the almost intolerable condition of our Canadian Boys who are forced to endure the tedium and physical discomforts of German Prison Camp Life, must be considered a real privilege.

PARCELS REACH DESTINATION

Gradually, the vague feelings of distrust, that many contributors to this department of the work, entertained as to whether the parcels actually reached their intended destination, have been dissipated by the various cards and letters of acknowledgment which have been received from time to time from the Canadian prisoners of war. It is proved now beyond doubt, that almost every parcel is delivered intact and that few, if any, are tampered with by German hands.

Of late, very many cards and letters of acknowledgment have been received by the local Society and any of these may be seen and read in the coming weeks by those interested, at the Society's Work Rooms, which are now open each afternoon and Friday morning. The three following letters give some idea of the heartfelt gratitude felt by our Canadian boys in Germany for these parcels, which, as they say "are the only bright spots in their existence and in many cases all that there is to prevent them going hungry day after day."

LETTERS OF ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Dear Miss Morrow,—I am now taking the greatest pleasure in writing these few lines to you, thanking you very much for the parcels you are sending me throught the Canadian Red Cross. I have received two of them in good condition. Hoping this will find you in the best of health as it leaves me at present.

Yours sincerely,
PTE. E. CROFTS,
Gefangenenlager, Stendal.

Dear Miss Morrow,—I have received several very good parcels from you through the medium of the Canadian Red Cross for which please accept my greatest thanks. Your kindness is very much appreciated. Last parcel was 40A.

Yours very gratefully.
C. F. DAVISON,
Soltanlager.

Dear Miss Morrow,—Many thanks for your kindness in sending parcels throught the Canadian Red Cross. I receive them safely and regularly each week in good condition. Trusting the time will soon come when we shall return back to Peterborough again. Hoping your are well, I remain,

Gratefully yours,
PTE. F. H. EVANS,
Gefangenenlager, Stendal.

GOOD JUDGMENT.

Many of the other cards are printed forms which the boys fill in, but when we look at these little cards, can we really realise what it must mean to those brave lads to be able to say, "I have received parcels of food in good condition." A letter for the General Secretary of the Canadian Red Cross from a Canadian Prisoner of War, now interned in Switzerland, which is, by the way, of great value as we know that it does not run the risk of being altered by German jailors, contains the following, "I think the parcels, you are now sending to Germany are packed with fine judgment." Many men would often be without meat or butter or health, preserving fruit if it were not for your kindness. I should like to see your good work shouted from the housetops in Canada, where, thank God, few or none, know the gnawing pangs of hunger as our boys in Germany have done and would do now also, but for you." While another Canadian prisoner likewise in Switzerland now writes, "I am writing you this letter to inform you of my arrigal in Switzerland and to thank the ladies of your Society for the manner in which you have looked after me during the fifteen months of my capacity in Germany. I suppose it is unnecessary for me to say that but for the parcels received from friends, the condition of the unfortunate prisoners would be absolutely unbearable. Your Society has acted nobly to the Canadians and I take this opportunity of expressing my gratitude."

Do not these letters, speak of themselves, and make to each one of us a vigorous appeal to practise self-denial in all things that we may be able to contribute to and have a share in this great work?

PELL IN A PAINT.

Mrs. Edwin Martin, Ayer's Cliff, Que., writes: "Before using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food I was in a terrible condition. Dizzy spells would come over me and I would fall on the floor. I could not sweep without fainting. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food has so built up my system that I can work and do my housework. Your pills also cured me when doctors had failed."

Death of An Old East City Resident

A life-long resident of Peterborough passed away yesterday morning in the person of Mary Craigie, relict of the late David Brownlee. Deceased, who was born June 25th, 1836, would have been eighty-two years of age had she lived until June of this year. She was one of the oldest residents in East City, and was born on the site of the property now occupied by Mr. W. Scott. She lived and died within a couple of hundred yards of the spot where she was born over eighty years ago. At that time East City was known as the Scotch Village. At the time of her death the late Mrs. Brownlee resided at 288 Rogers street. This has been her home for the past fifty years.

One son, Charles Brownlee of Minden, survives. Both Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brownlee are in the city looking after the funeral arrangements. The funeral will take place on Monday afternoon at two-thirty o'clock from the late residence of the deceased to Little Lake cemetery. The Rev. T. H. Mitchell, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, will officiate.

BIG EATERS GET KIDNEY TROUBLE

Take Salts at First Sign of Bladder Irritation or Backache

The American men and women must guard constantly against Kidney trouble, because we eat too much and all our food is rich. Our blood is filled with uric acid which the kidneys strive to filter out, they weaken from overwork, become sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and the result is kidney trouble, bladder weakness and a general decline in health.

When your kidneys feel like lumps of lead; your back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment or you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night; if you suffer with sick headache or dizzy, nervous spells, acid stomach, or you have rheumatism when the weather is bad get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys; to neutralise the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure, makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water beverage and belongs in every home, because nobody can make a mistake by having a good kidney flushing any time.

ANNIVERSARY SERVICES AT ALL SAINTS' CHURCH

Anniversary services will be held at All Saint's Church to-morrow. The preacher both morning and evening will be Rev. Dr. Griffith-Thomas of Toronto, late principal of Wycliffe Hall, Oxford. Dr. Griffith-Thomas has an international reputation not only as a preacher, but also as a writer and his visit to Peterborough will be of interest to many.

At the morning service a handsome memorial chancel window will be dedicated. The window, which is the gift of the late Benjamin Cooney, is a masterpiece of art and will add greatly to the beauty of the church.

There will be an early celebration of the Holy Communion at 8.30 a.m., in which all communicants are invited.

Mrs. Blanche Johnston Special Speaker At Temple For Week-end

Mrs. Blanche Johnston of Barrie, will be the speaker at the week-end services at the Salvation Army Temple. She is an eloquent and powerful speaker and large audiences are expected to hear her.

The subjects for her meetings are as follows:

To-night, "A Need of Empire."
Sunday, 3 p.m., "A Canadian Privilege."
Sunday, 7 p.m., "An Important Question."
Monday, 8 p.m., "Music's Mission."

In the Monday night's meeting reference will be made to Christians in khaki. In other cities where Mrs. Johnston has spoken she has made a deep impression, and particular attention is directed to these meetings of the present week-end. At the Winnipeg citadel, where she spoke a short time ago Mrs. Johnston was greeted by large crowds, who listened with rapt attention to her message.

Mark Street Church Services

Very interesting services are being held to-morrow in Mark street Methodist church on the occasion of the Boys' Association anniversary. Mr. Russell G. Dingman, B.A., of Toronto, will be the speaker of the day. Special music will be provided. In the evening a male choir will assist in the service. No special collections for the day. Come and enjoy the boys' Sunday. Everybody welcome.—Com.

HAS CONTRACT FOR COLD STORAGE PLANT

LINDSAY, Jan. 13.—Mr. H. Hickey, contractor, of Peterborough, has secured the contract for the erection of the Flavelles Limited cold storage plant. He was in town on Thursday and intends commencing work on the plant at once.

Mr. Hickey it will be remembered, had the contract for the erection of Horn Bros. mill.

ASSERTS GERMANY PLANS TRADE DRIVE

F. W. Wile Says Board will Rush Cargoes from New York the Moment Peace is Declared.

London, January 13.—Details of Germany's far-reaching plans for conducting a world trade campaign after the war were made public in a lecture delivered at His Majesty's Theatre, by Frederic William Wile, the former Berlin correspondent.

Mr. Wile declared there were countless indications that German finance, commerce and industry hope to be better organized for post-bellum business throughout the globe, than any other of the great trading nations, including the United States, as the German manufacturing system and distribution system were the only ones of first magnitude which had not been normally preoccupied during the last two and a half years.

The speaker said that Germany's schemes in recent times had been particularly active in China and in South America.

"What few people outside of Germany seem to realise," he said, "is that the Kaiser's government have recently established what is practically a separate government for the exclusive purpose of paying the way for a new trade war. They have set up a so-called imperial board for transition economics, consisting of nine of the finest business experts in the country, who are working day and night to transfer German commerce from a war to a peace basis, with the least possible delay.

"Their main concern is to arrange for the earliest and largest possible supply of raw material, especially from the United States. A fleet of thirty or forty odd German liners tied up in New York harbour, is to make its first homeward journey after the war packed to the rails with American cotton, copper, petroleum, lead, zinc and all the other manufacturing stables of which Germany will stand in such urgent need."

Mr. Wile said there was hardly an industry in Germany today from banking to dyes which was not girding itself up in new syndicates in order to present a more united front than ever before at the moment that peace is declared."

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VETERANS WILL HAVE NO POLITICAL TANGLE

DECIDE TO STEER CLEAR OF SOLDIERS' AID COMMISSION IF PARTISAN.

ST. CATHARINES, Jan. 12.—Returned soldiers at a meeting decided to form a branch of the Great War Veterans' Association. The criticism was offered at the gathering that the Soldiers' Aid Commission, of which Hon. W. D. McPherson, Toronto, is President, is used in Toronto as an adjunct of the Conservative party, and as a means of affecting elections. It was decided that the Veterans' Association would have nothing to do with the Aid Commission if any political purpose was behind it.

SPENT 72 YEARS OF HER LIFE IN BED

In Disappointment she took to Bed, where she Remained.

London, Friday, Jan. 12.—An old lady who died this week at Scarborough at the age of 94, had spent 72 years in bed. At 21 she contracted an engagement which did not meet with the approval of her father, who forbade the wedding. In her disappointment she took to bed where she remained practically ever since. She rose on one occasion only to leave Cambridge for Scarborough. She suffered no complaint until the end, when she was ill for about two days. She enjoyed a good appetite in spite of lack of exercise and had the complexion of a girl. She took great interest in the affairs of the outside world, especially the war.

HOW FAT FOLKS MAY BECOME THIN

By Elizabeth Thomas.

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Ring Lost in Toronto Found On Battlefield

REMARKABLE JOURNEY OF GLITTERING CIRCLE IN A CHRISTMAS PARCEL.

Lost in a Toronto church while its owner was packing Christmas parcels for soldiers at the front, a costly diamond ring, the property of Mrs. R. H. Mitchell, 17 Summerhill Gardens, has been found in a front line trench in France by Lieut. Howard Webster, son of Mr. A. F. Webster, the steamship ticket agent, and is now on its way back across the ocean.

The remarkable journey of the ring commenced last November when, together with the other ladies of Bloor Street Presbyterian Church, Mrs. Mitchell was assisting in packing parcels for the members of the church at the front. Unknown to her the ring slipped from her finger into a box and before the loss was discovered the boxes had been sealed and shipped. Immediately letters were sent to the men to whom the boxes were addressed asking them to be on the lookout for the ring.

Austrians Work On New Arsenal

Contractors For Lindsay's Newindustry Say They Can't Get Other Workmen

LINDSAY, Jan. 11. — Considerable feeling has been aroused here by letters appearing in the Watchman-Warder complaining of Austrians being employed on work at the construction of the Government arsenal. The "Wife of a Soldier" brought up the subject, writing: "Is it fair to ask the son of a Canadian or British soldier to work side by side with the enemy on our Government works, or any other works in Canada? Have the people of Lindsay, and, in fact Canada all over, gone clean out of their minds to allow subjects of the enemy to work in our Government works? Can they see no further than their nose, or are they completely blind to the danger of a spy coming among us? A spy, as you are aware, will stop at nothing. Are the wives, mothers, and daughters of Canada not suffering enough by giving up all they hold dear for their country without being publicly insulted by an enemy to the country taking their place?"

Contractors Hire Them.

The Warder got in touch with representatives of the Government and also of the contractors at the local arsenal. One gentleman stated that the Government had nothing to do with the employment of the labouring hands at the arsenal. These men **were taken on by the contractors.** Further, he remarked: "No Canadians will do the work that these men are doing. The Canadians will not go into the ditches filled with water and work. Foreigners will. Canadians coming to the works and soliciting jobs all want to do inside work but do not want to work outside; they fear to soil their hands, and would want to work with gloves on.

Ample Opportunity to Plot.

This was followed up by "One Who Knows," who wrote: "For some time past I have wondered why foreigners have been allowed employment in Government works, especially when they are our enemy. As I understand the situation, these men are housed together under one roof, in numbers and have ample opportunity of hatching plots in their own interest. Their actions from outward appearances may seem all right, but as they talk in a foreign tongue and are not understood by Canadians on the job, no one knows what havoc may result from their mumblings. Personally I believe it is unwise to employ these men in ammunition factories in Canada."

Labour Famine.

"The fact is that the contractors are under agreement to finish the work by a certain date, and they have scoured the country for labourers, and have been unable to get the number required. The have scoured the States with the same result, and are still advertising through various papers for men. Foreigners, had to be employed—and they are doing the work well. I have a letter in my pocket now from the Gurney people, of Toronto, who are absolutely unable to turn out certain work because of the shortage of men. Just recently the Imperial Munitions Board sent 300 foreigners in one day to Trenton to do labouring work, because they were unable to get English-speaking men to do the work."

Good Workmen.

Another superintendent at the works stated that the contractors found it next to impossible to secure labour, and were endeavouring to get men from every corner possible. "These Austrians are doing their work well, and this country can better employ them at the arsenal than allow them to remain in internment camps at the country's expense, doing nothing," he said. "They do the work and stay on the job, but I have found that 30 per cent. of the English-speaking people who want work here are after inside jobs, and are not a bit anxious to do labouring work."

DEMAND FOR CANNED GOODS FALLING OFF

The following comment on the market situation as regards food stuffs, will appear in the Canadian Grocer this week:

THE MARKETS AT A GLANCE

The demand for some lines of canned goods has been distinctly lessened owing to the high cost. Despite the fact that there is a severe shortage on most lines of canned vegetables, it is felt in some quarters that the increased demand will have a tendency to force the prices downward. In the midst of high-priced food products rice remains reasonably low priced. Tapioca is much firmer in price this week. Transportation troubles, lack of cars for railways and shortage of tonnage at sea, are annoying the markets at present and are tending to keep prices at the high levels. The action of the railway commission this week will undoubtedly help to relieve conditions. The British embargo just placed on salt fish, fish pastes, pickled onions and other lines will mean still further shortages of imported goods already short.

Business in the grocery trade has opened up exceedingly well during the first days of the New Year. The wholesalers in certain lines speak of the trade as much beyond expectations. They had looked for a rather quiet season during the first few weeks at least—in this their expectations. The Garrison Club lost its case yesterday, order.

The wheat market is uncertain, and this puts flour in the same tone. Sugar held steady in price. There is a firmness in the raw sugar market and this is operating to hold prices at the present level. There are superficial indications that the yield of raw sugar in Cuba may not be quite as large as at first anticipated.

Provisions for the most part have held steady during the week. Live and dressed hogs have made considerable advances. Butter is easier in tone and has been quoted down 1c to 2c per pound. New laid eggs are reaching the market in larger quantities and the price is down in consequence. Storage eggs however are becoming scarcer and the price of these is firm. Live poultry is firmer.

Dried fruits are in quiet market at present, owing to the passing of the holiday demand. Canned Hawaiian pineapple will be 35c per dozen higher this year than last year's quotations. Considerable advances have gone into effect on a number of spice lines. Teas are in a continued firm market, due to the higher prices in London. Coffee is firm and advances are looked for in this commodity. Beans are holding in firm market.

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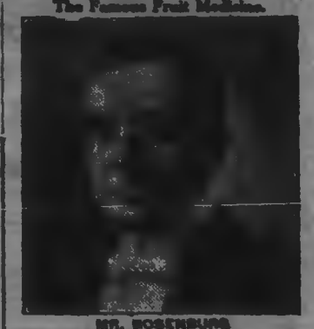

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THE WEATHER

There has been a sudden and decided change in weather conditions during the last few hours. Yesterday morning gave a temperature of 17 degrees below zero. This morning we had it 20 degrees above, with a fall of snow prevailing. During last night the thermometer went down to 2 degrees below. The snowfall will likely be succeeded with drifting and then colder again.—W.P.

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(By Philip Gibbs.)

WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES IN THE FIELD, Jan. 13. — Successful attacks were made Thursday morning by the British troops to the north of Beaumont-Hamel, in which they pushed the Germans off some high ground from which they had observation of the British trenches, and added another hundred or so prisoners to about 200 already taken. It is a continuation of the series of small encounters which happened in this part of the line during the past ten days. They have not been big fights, they were not very important as military events, although of local importance, but they show very clearly the character of this winter warfare and the spirit of the men who are up in the firing lines and the effect of the definite and deadly British policy of hammering at the Germans unceasingly with high explosives, giving them no rest, no silence for a nerve cure, no kind of truce whatever.

Lakes Behind German Lines.

The weather in the country between Serre and Beaumont-Hamel is as bad as anywhere along the battlefields. Behind the German lines there is a series of lakes through which their reliefs have to come up and their transport. The front lines on both sides are not trenches in more than name. They are strong points thrust out into the swamps in advance of the ditches which once were good trenches and may be again if ever the rain and snow and sleet stop falling and silting down parapets and sandbags.

Early Thursday morning small detachments of British soldiers followed the barrage as far as the German dugouts, and gave the men hiding there the choice between death and capture. None of them wanted death. They were wet, cold and miserable men, nerve broken by the long crush of shells above their mud holes. Three officers, nine non-commissioned and 109 men surrendered out of one nest of dugouts on a front of 500 yards. I think there were more of them than the attacking force, which was only a raiding party.

Mist Above; Quagmire Beneath.

Thursday morning the attack was in stronger force. It was an action of some local importance, having for its object the seizing of that high ground on the plateau. The morning was thick with mist. Later, after the glimmer of dawn, snow fell, whitening the ground, covering the trunks of broken trees, and falling lightly upon the litter and the foulness of the battlefields, so that every strand of the broken wire was touched by the whiteness. Underneath there was quagmire, in which the men went ankle-deep and old gaping shell-holes were waterlogged. The Germans were not quick enough to fight. The British were over their dugouts before they could bring out their machine guns. They had the same choice as on the day before, and the men surrendered as quickly as those who had gone before them. Some of their officers tried to rally them, and fought rather than surrender, and were killed. All told the prisoners in the two days' fighting number 300. The German artillery was wild in its shooting; either their guns or gunners were bad.

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Lloyd George's Visit To Rome An Epoch

(Continued from Page 11.)

in energy, he never strikes you as anything but a young man.

Coming to the second figure; I first met Lord Curzon in the famous salon of Lady St. Helier, then Lady Jeune. He was fresh from college; he looked a bright, self-confident, energetic undergraduate then. He looks pretty much the same to-day. The figure of course is broadened; he seems to me wider in shoulder; but there is still the same high complexion, the same air of almost haughty self-confidence which already revealed themselves when he was but an unknown youngster.

I heard him make his maiden speech in the House of Commons. There was of course a great deal of expectation because he had brought from the University a high reputation. The speech was not considered a success, and yet it was successful. He was evidently a victim to a very bad attack of stage fright; you could see he was speaking from a parched mouth and with nerves all a tremble. The maiden speech had also a little of the same defect as that which made Disraeli the laughing stock of the House of Commons when he first addressed it. The florid language which the House comes to tolerate from a member who has made his place seemed prentious to the House. The comment I heard from a Parliamentarian of his own party, now one of his colleagues, was that Curzon was like a horse that was overtrained. In a short time, however, his very remarkable gifts of speech, his extraordinary industry and his immense self-confidence, asserted themselves, and I have rarely known a man perform the difficult duties of Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs—which was his first office—with more remarkable skill. His power for work passed into a legend when he was Viceroy of India. The light in his room could always be seen up to one o'clock in the morning, and even when he was travelling he continued this habit in his sleeping saloon. This was the more remarkable as, though he looks very robust, Lord Curzon suffers a great deal from ill-health. Very often when he pushes forward his ample chest in the way that often excites dislike, it is the effort to triumph over physical weakness, just as rudeness often is the mask by which shyness conceals itself.

Lord Milner.

Lord Milner I knew when he was Alfred Milner and the lieutenant of Mr. Stead on the Pall Mall Gazette. He was then a typical young Oxford man, very handsome, very quiet, with the manner which we have always been accustomed to associate with Balliol College in Oxford. He seemed modest, clear headed, with just a little touch of cynicism which seemed to me in contrast with the boyish face. He was more like the typical English civil servant than the journalist, and I was not surprised when he soon changed journalism for Government employment. When he returned from Egypt he looked to me both physically and intellectually a very different man. The peach-blossom bloom of youth had disappeared from the face; there already were lines; there had come a certain degree of hardness into the softness both of expression and of feature. All of which I put down at the time to the severities of a very hot climate and the tremendous hard work of a British official in Egypt. I learned afterwards that the difference in the expression was due to a certain difference in outlook. Asking me once to read a book of his about the British work in Egypt, he said, "It will make you a jingo." It was this sense of the British control in Egypt which accounted for his attitude when he went out as Governor of South Africa; possibly if he had remained in the companionship of Stead and in the editing of the great Liberal organ, his outlook would have changed, and we might have escaped many unpleasant chapters in English history. When in recent years I see him in the House of Commons—especially when he has been making a speech on South African affairs—he scarcely seems to me the same as the young journalist I saw many years ago. Always dressed in the long black frock coat which every member of both Houses was supposed a one time to wear, carefully groomed, his clothes seeming to fit on him like the uniform of an official, he always suggests more the German official, half soldier, half civil servant, rather than the English politician. The lines on his face of course have deepened still more than on his return from Egypt, but in springy alertness of movement, in figure, he seems to have retained perfect youthfulness. He has an extremely well stored mind with all the learning of Balliol backed up by the versatility of the journalistic training and long and difficult experience in administration. He is also free enough for party ties, and has had experience wide enough to liberate him from any of the ordinary traditions of English politics. His outlook is quite independent. Some of the superstitions and traditions of the men with whom he has been associated in recent years make no appeal to him. I understand that the war has completed an education in a radical direction on many formerly controverted questions. One of the problems which is now being severely contested behind closed doors is how far the greater production of the land may be enforced by a system of increased State control. I understand that in any measures which are necessary to produce that result. Lord Milner is passionately on the side of revolution.

Finally, Mr. Arthur Henderson is not only young in years, according to the English standard, but younger perhaps even in physical strength and energy. Of middle height—of a figure between robustness and spareness, with a healthy complexion, bright, clear eyes, he is a remarkable demonstration of the splendid and undaunted vigour which habits of severe self-control so often bestow. A life teetotaler, a moderate eater, he has a power of work and endurance which are quite remarkable. I have heard it said that when in large Labour conferences there was an unruly element that had to be brought to reason, Arthur Henderson was always put in the chair. The struggle might go on through long hours of the day; it might continue through long hours of the night, the face of the chairman showed no sign of impatience or fatigue, the eye remained clear, the complexion fresh, the voice resonant. Faction, obstruction ultimately discovered that they could not prevail against a will and a frame of such unconquerable iron, and with a fresh smile — sometimes when the night was far advanced—Arthur Henderson was able to clean up the floor of the fragments of his exhausted opponents, and to report the triumph of his action and of sense.

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A very interesting case, Wilbert McGill, a Grand Trunk sectionman against John Byers, was heard here on Friday last at the Division Court sitting by Judge Roger. McGill lived in Byers' house and neither would pay the taxes, so the collector sent the constable to collect from McGill by distress warrant. There were no witnesses and no writings, and each of the litigants swore positively that the other was to pay. The judge followed the law therefore, which, in the absence of any agreement th owner Byers must pay the taxes.

BELGIUM SUFFERING

Cardinal Mercier Wants the Neutrals to Know the Truth.

PARIS, Jan. 12.—Cardinal Mercier, in a private letter printed in La Croix, the official Church organ, declares that if the truth was known about Belgium neutral nations would not confine themselves to words. The Belgian Cardinal declares that Belgium is now suffering as never before. He writes:

"We are all prisoners here, but if the neutrals knew of the treatment inflicted on us I do not believe that they would confine themselves to verbal remonstrances. If they did we should have to despair of fraternal charity and humanity."

The Cardinal adds in a postscript that, although the Belgians are depressed, they are by no means discouraged, and few want peace without victory.

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Cold Snap Catches Windsor Without Coal

WINDSOR, Jan. 12.—With the sudden drop in temperature yesterday the fuel situation became still more acute, and coal dealers were besieged with enquiries for fuel, some even coming from Detroit. Anthracite is not to be had at any price, and users of coal for heating purposes are being doler out small quantities of bituminous. Consignments of hard coal are on the way, say the dealers, some of it for as long as two months, but owing to congestion at all railroad terminals none is coming in. The thermometer to-day registered as low as three degrees above zero.

Great Battle-front Entertainer To Be At Armouries Jan. 21st

It is gratifying that Peterborough has been able to secure a famous military entertainer for the recruiting rally in the armouries on January 21st—Miss Ada L. Ward. Miss Ward, to indulge in a little frightfulness, has been an Ada-camp in the war zone among Canadian soldiers. As the entertaining member of the Lena Ashwell Concert Company that toured the war zone for the entertainment of the soldiers and lately on her own account she won a wonderful successes. Miss Ward, who is a piquant humorous talker, illustrates her lectures with rapid blackboard sketches that visualize details of the scenes in the trenches she describes. She had a big opportunity to meet the Canadian boys in the trench region, and they were glad she was coming to Canada. She has a message from the boys at the front to the people at home. She has a delightful way of conveying the message, and to listen to an illustrated lecture by one who has rubbed shoulders with our Canadian soldier lads in the field, will be next thing to a personal interview with them. Controller James Simpson of Toronto, who heard Miss Ward abroad says she kept her "audience under her inspiring influence, and with the aid of her blackboard sketches either convulsed in laughter or moved to tears. Her remarkable talents place her in the front rank of those on the lecture platform telling of observations and experiences in the fighting zone in France."

Miss Ward's subject in the armouries on the 21st will be "The Moral and Religious Side of Tommy in the Camps." Miss Ward's unique opportunities of studying the Canadian Tommy and her message on Jan. 21st will be warm from the lips of the lads we love.

A Financier.— "Cakes have gone up," replied the server in a Lancashire confectioner's shop the other day to a woman customer; "they are three half-pence each now— two for two-pence-ha'penny." Well, I only want one," decided the customer after a short pause, "so it's no use takin' two." "If ye dunnot mind, missus, awl tak t'other myseln," observed a collier who was waiting to be served, and (says the Manchester Guardian) suiting the action to the word, he deposited a penny and took the cake without a protest.

HOME HEALTH CLUB

FACTS CONCERNING EPILEPSY (By Dr. Wm. Held, 2nd Installment.)

Many times we find epileptics presenting themselves for examination so completely in the grip of bromide that it is impossible to arrive at a reliable opinion of their mental condition and it becomes necessary to allow the patient time to recover from the treatment (?) by eliminating the bromide in order to produce the patients real self minus the dominating bromide mentality. While bromide impairs the functions of digestion, causes foul breath and an unsightly skin eruption to appear, by far the greatest harm is inflicted by the gradual deterioration of the patients mental faculties. The patient becomes sluggish, listless, irritable, perverted in desires, unreasonable and passes through varied stages of mental decay to ultimate insanity. This is the price at which temporary freedom from attacks is brought.

Such treatment of epilepsy reminds one of the story of the bear who had been trained to chase the flies from his sleeping master's face. One bothersome fly persisted in lighting on the sleeper's brow, whereupon the faithful bear picked up a rock and with it succeeded in killing the fly—and incidently and unintentionally, the sleeper. In visiting the insane asylums throughout the country one may see many thousand insane epileptics confined there. Investigate their history and you will find that the bromide superstition played the heavy role in their misery. Look over this legion of the lost and you might wonder where are all the doctors who have treated these creatures, who have encouraged them with pet theories, fads, drugs, surgery.

I sometimes wish that I could present so graphically the condition as to leave a lasting stimulus for reflection upon the minds of the bromide advocates, I would want to present in some concrete form, in some tangible way, the varieties and bulk of drugs consumed by these patients, the money wasted, the heartaches, the disappointments, the tears and the trepidations of those who once loved these patients; I would want to paint in glaring colors all these and other elements which paved the way to the insane asylum, which constitutes the unseen hand closing the gates behind the epileptic insane. In opposition to such presentation I would put the result of modern treatment of epilepsy, namely, the insane epileptic, concluding his career or misery behind the walls of the asylum. Then I would ask the bromide prescribing physician of to-day, whether such abundant, crying proof of failure might not induce him to discard his remedy.

It is natural that we should inquire into the causes of epilepsy before directing our attention to finding a remedy. When we look over the various theories that have been advanced by physicians everywhere, we soon find ourselves in a maze, traveling around a circle which leads to nowhere. This is due to the fact that all conditions which have been claimed to cause epilepsy, are more or less speculative, being either coincidents connected with the patients first attack or results of the disease. We have thus jumped at conclusions as it were. Having noticed many epileptics being constipated, some announced that as the cause of the disease, while others fastened their attention to whatever other conditions happened to be most closely connected with the onset of convulsions. It is a demonstrable fact that all reputed causes of epilepsy may be scientifically shown to be incorrect. To adduce such proof we must disregard pet theories and fanciful speculation and adhere to cold facts only.

I will gladly answer all enquiries for information on health subjects from readers of this publication if same are addressed to Home Helath Club, 5039 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago, Ill. Send full name and address with 4 cents postage.

Panama Canal Clogged

Part of Bank Drops Into the Channel and Bottom Upheaves:

PANAMA, Panama, Jan. 12. — The Carcaracha slide to-day showed renewed activity. A section of the bank broke off and fell into the channel of the Panama Canal, reducing its width.

At the same time there was an upheaval in the bottom of the canal, reducing its depth. It has not been determined to what extent the channel is blocked.

Dredging equipment has been hurried to the scene and engineers have been despatched to make a thorough examination and determine the extent of the underwater obstruction.

Word received here indicates that the obstruction can be removed soon by the dredges, but the most serious work of the engineers will be to determine the danger existing from the new slide.

Major General Goethals Quoted as Denying Upheavals in Canal.

In his annual report, submitted last November, Major General Goethals stated that as soon as all the matter in motion in the Canal Zone found its level the slides would stop, and he added that he expected no more serious slides.

Not long before that time critics had insisted that part of the canal was through a bog and that the obstructions arose from upheavals in that bog. General Goethals denied that the canal was through a bog or that there were upheavals as described, although the cable despatch from Panama stated that there was an upheaval in the bottom of the canal.

TIRED OUT KIDNEYS

Kidney troubles are so frightfully common because the kidneys are so easily upset by overwork or excesses in eating and drinking. Cure is effected not by whipping them on to renewed effort but by awakening the action of the liver and bowels by the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. This rests the kidneys and makes them well. Backache and urinary disorders then disappear.

ODDFELLOWS NOTICE

A special meeting of Peterboro Lodge, No. 111 will be held this evening (Saturday, Jan. 13th) to make arrangements for the funeral of our late Brother Charles Blake.

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The annual installation of the officers of Court Chemong 550, Independent Order of Foresters, was held on Thursday evening. There was a good attendance of members and their friends. The Court was opened with the singing of "God Save the King."

The Court was favoured with a visit from Bro. J. S. Eagleson, High Chief Ranger of Eastern Ontario and of the Government Civil Service Department, Ottawa, who duly installed the officers.

The chairman for the evening was Bro. A. H. Webb, who presided in his usual able and efficient manner, and in a well chosen speech welcomed Bro. J. S. Eagleson to the city and Court, also the members and their friends to the meeting.

Mr. J. John contributed a reading in his realistic manner. Mr. J. Lydell then sang the popular songs "Roamin' in the Gloamin'," "Come Back Nanny." "It's Nice to Get Up in the Morning,' and had to respond to encores.

Bro. J. S. Eagleson, H.C.R., gave a splendid address, and in part stated that the Order had over 200,000 members and a large financial surplus and reserve with the government and now stood over 100 per cent. strong. There were 3,00 members with the British forces and 100 of them had been killed in France and their beneficiaries had been paid the insurance in full.

Major Campbell was present and gave a brief, inspiring speech regarding recruiting.

Bro. G. W. Powell, in a neat speech, proposed votes of thanks to Bro. Eagleton and Major Campbell. This was seconded by Bro. J. W. Buyers.

Refreshments were then served by the ladies and card games were engaged in by a large number. Miss Calder and Miss Allan delighted the audience with selections on the violin and piano and also as accompanists to the various singers.

Votes of thanks were tendered to Mrs. Bradshaw Mrs. Webb, Mrs. Reid and Mrs. Miller for preparing the refreshments. The committee in charge of arrangements were Bros. A. H. Webb, G. W. McKee, H. A. Webb, J. W. Buyers, G. W. Powell, R. E. Duvall and F. Clark to whom and to the ladies, the success is attributed.

The financial statement was presented during the evening by Bro. W. Madill, showing a highly satisfactory report.

The Value of Brains

Business success is the result of a careful and proper combination of CAPITAL and BRAINS and the lives of such men are a valuable asset to every Company, and as such should be adequately insured.

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Wealthy Lumberman Dead in Renfrew

Had Large Timber Interests in Ottawa Valley and British Columbia.

A despatch to the Examiner records the death of Alexander Barnet, of Renfrew, millionaire lumberman, who died at his home yesterday after a brief illness. He had been busy in his office as usual up to Wednesday, when he caught a cold, which developed into pneumonia.

Mrs. C. B. McAllister, who formerly resided at "Engleburn Park," East City, is a daughter of the late Mr. Barnet.

NOTICE

The Y. M. C. A. Annual Meeting and Election of Directors, will be held on Tues. evening Jan. 16th at 8 o'clock. Every Y. M. C. A member, who is also a member of an Evangelical Church, should be present. 3d-10

R. G. Dingman of Toronto at Y.M.C.A. Sunday Afternoon

Mr. R. G. Dingman of Toronto, managing editor of The Financial Post and a provincial leader in boys' work, will address the Y.M.C.A. meeting on Sunday at 4.15 o'clock. As Mr. Dingman was in attendance at the Peterborough Boys' Conference in 1915 he is known quite well locally. Every man and older boy is invited to attend.

The annual meeting and election of directors of the Peterborough Y.M.C.A. will be held Tuesday evening, January 16th at 8 o'clock. Every Y.M.C.A. member who is also a member of an evangelical church should be present to cast his ballot.

The Board of Directors will meet Tuesday evening next at 6.30 o'clock to close the business in connection with 1916. Supper will be served.

Last night the Junior Employed Boys held a very enjoyable social evening at the "Y." The first part of the evening was spent on the "Y" rink in playing games and hookey. Bruce Hamilton had charge of the games which means that the boys had a good time. After the games the boys gathered in the dining hall where a fine supper was waiting for them. After supper a social hour was spent, during which Mr. J. A. Mundell, an expert in boys work who is in the city, read a good story which was heartily received by the entire group.

Plans are now under consideration for a County Boys' Conference along the lines of the Standard Efficiency Tests, a programme of religious education for Canadian boys.

KNOX MINSTRELS APPEAR AGAIN

Knox Church minstrels repeated their performance last night in aid of the Boys' Athletic Club. This is the fourth time the Minstrels have appeared this season, and they have developed a smoothness approaching professionals. There was a good attendance. A feature was Rev. Mr. MacKenzie's participation. At one of the intervals in the programme he was called to the platform and delighted the audience with a song, and as an encore sang "The Boys of the Old Brigade" in fine voice.

ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY SCHOOL 'XMAS TREE

The annual Christmas tree entertainment of All Saints' Sunday School was presented last night in the Parish Hall. There was a large attendance of riotously happy children who were bountifully fed, not the least item in juvenile enjoyment. This was added to by the presentation of prizes to the children. "La Bonne Entente" was evident, and in turn many of the teachers were remembered in the gift way by the pupils of their classes.

Among these was a special remembrance of Miss Clara Cairns, who has been one of the most, if not the most, faithful and constant teacher of the school. The primary class presented her with a beautiful ivory toilet set accompanied by an unique acrostical address of appreciation.

GEORGE STREET CHURCH SERVICES

To-morrow morning in the George street Methodist Church, the Rev. R. G. Peever will take for his subject, "The approach of the Churches towards Union as seen in the light of the coming together of our Provinces in the desire to cultivate a Better Feeling."

In the evening the pastor will have a special message for the youth. His subject will be, "The Spoiling of Life."

A BIG VOTE MAY BE POLLED

Special to The Examiner:

ALLISTON, Ont. Jan. 13.—If favourable weather prevails the largest vote in the history of elections will be polled in the West Simcoe Legislature bye election on Monday.

It is expected that close upon 4,000 of the 5,000 voters within the riding will go to the polls. In the past the unpolled vote in the riding has always been large. Unless signs fail there will be few stay at home of the Liberal voters.

The Liberal vote will be marshalled in full strength and obstruction cleared away for the first straight party fight in twenty years.

There are no longer any "James Duff Liberals." These have been drafted into the new and reunited Liberal army of voters which is hopeful of placing the crown of victory upon the brow of Isaac Scott.

In the canvassing in the rural districts, the West Simcoe is largely rural, Liberal workers have confined themselves to the single question "do you want a farmer or a lawyer to represent you in the Legislature?"

The replies have invariably been in favour of farmer Isaac Scott and unless party lines are followed and religious passions aroused the Liberal success is assured.

It was stated last night that every elector in these townships had been personally approached about his vote.

DR. BAKER'S ADDRESS WAS GREATLY ENJOYED

Rev. Dr. Baker of Albert College, Belleville, gave a most interesting and instructive lecture at St. James' Methodist church, last night, on the subject "Rambles in Rome." Dr. Baker is an eloquent speaker and his word pictures of the ancient city were thoroughly enjoyed by the audience. The meeting was opend by the Doxology, and the Lord's Prayer. An enjoyable trio was given by Miss Yonge, Miss Cuffe and Mrs. Guest. Miss Hill's reading, "The Children's Hospital," was much appreciated, while Mr. Jones' solo, "Land of the Harp," was heartily encored. Rev. R. G. Peever gave a brief address, and the meeting was closed by the National Anthem.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY OF TRINITY TO-MORROW

To-morrow wil be the first anniversary of the opening of Trinity Methodist Church, and will be marked by the presence of Rev. C. E. Scott, D.D., of Belleville, who will preach at both the morning and the evening services. Special music has been prepared by the choir which will also be heard on Monday night. It is expected that large congregations will be present on this the first anniversary of the new church.

Quaker Oats Was The Biggest Loss

Reviewing fire insurance business in Canada during 1916, Mr. E. F. Garrow, secretary of the British-American Assurance Company, Toronto, writing in the New York Journal of Commerce, states that the fire insurance business in Canada during 1916 has been characterized by the periodical occurrence of heavy losses, particularly during the first half of the year.

The closing days of the year brought its heaviest insurance loss, and by far the heaviest sprinkler failure loss which has yet occurred in Canada, in the destruction of the huge sprinklered sectional part mill and part fireproof built plant of the Quaker Oats Company at Peterborough, Ontario. The fire occurred on December 11th and is thought to have been caused by an explosion, but whether in the dry room or in the grinding section has not yet been accurately determined. The explosion was of sufficient force to completely incapacitate the sprinkler equipment and the fire rapidly spread through the entire plant as well as to warehouse and elevator buildings adjacent, and to the City Court House and several private dwellings, all of which were more or less seriously damaged.

Annual Tea of the Salvation Army Band

The annual Band Tea of the Temple Band took place at the Temple last night. The wives and children of all the bandsmen were invited, including those of the bandsmen overseas. After tea a pleasant hour was spent together in talking over matters, generally affecting the band. The financial statement as given by Adj. McEtheney shows that the band is entirely out of debt and will formulate new plans of advance for the future. Messages will be sent to all the absent bandsmen conveying good wishes.

Won Free Course At O.A.C. Guelph

Allen Taylor, son of David Taylor, Warsaw, R. R. No. 2, left on Monday to take a free course at Guelph Agricultural College, for taking the County sweepstakes prize for growing ensilage corn. The conditions of the competitions were for the boys to choose one acre of ground, work it throughout themselves, choose any variety of seed they liked. The seed chosen in this instance was the Big Crop, the Department sending the judge and man to cut and weigh each acre.

Allen's acre weighed twenty-two tons, which was seven tons over the next competitor, the winner getting a free trip, free board, and a free short course at Guelph.

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW

ANGLICAN

St. John's Church
REV. J. C. DAVIDSON, RECTOR.

SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Matins and Sermon.
Processional 3—Brightly Gleams our Banner.
Venite 19.
Te Deum—Dr. Garrett.
Jubilate 40.
Office Hymn 99—Songs of Thankfulness and praise.
Before Sermon 335—Holy Father in Thy mercy.
Anthem—"Arise Shine"—Sir John Gois.
God Save the King.
Recessional—349—O Brothren lift your voices."
3 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes.
7 p.m.—Choral Evensong and Sermon.
Processional 301 (505)—Mark! the swelling breezes.
Responses—Tallis.
Psalms Chants 40, 45.
Magnificat—Dr. Tozer.
Nunc Dimittis—Garrett.
Office Hymn 558—My God how wonderful thou art.
Before Sermon 337—Great God of Hosts.
Offertory—Epiphany Carol—"We three Kings."
God Save the King.
Vesper—Be with all the dear ones
Recessional 37—"Saviour remain to Thy dear name."
The Venerable Archdeacon Warren will preach at the morning service.
The Rev. Canon Cornish will officiate.
Richard J. Dewey, Organist and Choir master.

All Saints' Church
REV. R. B. GROBB, M.A., RECTOR.

SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY
ANNIVERSARY SERVICES.
8.30 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Morning Prayer.
Preacher—Rev. Professor W. H. Griffith-Thomas, D.D.
Dedication of memorial Chancel window the gift of the late Benjamin Cooney.
Hymn 267—All People that on Earth do dwell.
Venite 10; Psalms 93; Te Deum, Jackson Jubilate 96.
Anthem—"O God our help in ages past."
Hymn 361—Great God to Thee our hearts we raise.
Alms presentation 369.
Hymn 464—The Church's one Foundation
Amen 138.
3 p.m., Sunday School.
Mrs. Stevenson's Bible Class for Ladies.
The Rector's Bible Class for men.
7 p.m.—Evening Prayer.
Rev. Professor W. H. Griffith-Thomas, D.D.
Hymn 427—Come, Gracious Spirit, Heavenly Dove.
Psalms 95; Magnificat 174; Nunc Dimittis 98.
Anthem—"Gloria in Excelsis (Morris.)
Hymn 493—Pleasant are Thy courts above.
Alms Presentation, 369.
Hymn 20—Sun of my Soul Thou Saviour dear.
Amen 138. Vesper 99.
Choirmaster, Mr. George E. Chandler.
Organist, Miss Flowers.

St. Luke's Church
ASHBURNHAM—EAST CITY.
REV. W. R. WHITE, M.A. RECTOR.

SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Morning service and Sermon.
3 p.m., Sunday School and Bible Classes
7 p.m., Evensong and sermon.
Wednesday 7.45—Bible Study and Conference.
Superintendent of Sunday School, J. J. Talbot, Jr.
Organist and Choir Leader, Mrs. W. A. Groombridge.

St. George's Church
South Peterboro' v Lock and Braidwood
REV. J. PRICE, RECTOR.

11 a.m.—Matins and Sermon.
3 p.m., Sunday school.
7 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon.
Preached in the evening—Ven. Archdeacon Warren, Toronto.
Wednesday 8 p.m.—Choir Practice.
Thursday 8.30 p.m.—Ladies' Guild.
Organist and Choirmaster Mr. Taylor.

St. Alban's Mission
Church of England.
Business Street, Brownton.
Mr. C. A. G. Spence in charge.
11 a.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—Evening Service and Sermon.
Tuesday 7 p.m.—Boys' Brigade.
Thursday 7 p.m.—Mission Band.
Preacher—Mr. C. A. G. Spence.

METHODIST

George Street Methodist
REV. R. G. PEEVER, B.D., PASTOR.

10 a.m.—Society Class meeting and Junior Epworth League.
11 a.m.—Church Union in the light of the bonne entente of the provinces.
Morning Music:
Opening Prelude—Meditation—Thayer.
Anthem—O God our help in ages past—Martin.
Solo—Entreat me not to leave Thee—Gounod.
Mrs. Middleton.
Postlude—March in G—Wallis.
3 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class.
7 p.m.—"Marring mine inheritance or the spoiling of life."
Evening Music:
Opening Prelude—Ave Maria—Haynes.
Anthem—Use another Sabbath close—Bowles.
Solo parts Miss Emma Worth—Mr. Harold Jones.
Male Quartette—Come unto me—Westbrook.
Mr. Edward Jones, Mr. Edwin Walton, Mr. C. C. Parsons, Mr. Wesley Dartnell.
Postlude—"Kyrie"—Mozart.
Good Music. All Welcome.
Mr. J. H. Renwick, Organist and Choir master.

Trinity Methodist Church
SIMCOE STREET.
REV. J. P. WILSON, B.A., PASTOR.

11 a.m., Morning Service.
Rev. C. E. Scott, D.D., of Belleville will preach at both services to-morrow the first anniversary of the church.
Prelude—"Idylle"—Gottsin.
Anthem—The Heavens Mass of Early Dawn—Slater.
Miss Taylor, Miss Turner; Messrs. Downey and Hidyard.
Solo—How Lovely are thy dwellings—Liddle.
Miss Taylor.
Postlude—March in G—Smart.
2.30 p.m.—Sunday School Rally.
7 p.m.—Evening Service.
Prelude—"Jerusalem the Golden"—Spark
Anthem—Hark! my soul—Gounod.
Solo—"The voice of the Father"—Cowan
Miss Gertrude Stephens.
Solo—The Better Land—Cowan.
Miss Taylor.
Postlude—"Kyrie"—Mozart.

Mark Street Methodist
PREACHER, REV. R. A. WHATTAM

11 a.m., Morning Service.
Mr. Russell G. Dingman, B.A., one of the leading laymen in the City of Toronto will occupy the pulpit both morning and evening on the occasion of the Boys' Association Anniversary.
Anthem—"The Homeland"—W. Pinhard.
Anthem—"Victory for Jesus"—L. Hall
3 p.m., S. S. and Bible classes.
7 p.m., Evening Service.
Male Choir
Anthem—"Saviour now the day is ended"—Miller
Male Quartette—A Perfect Day.
Messrs. Lock, Miller J. Ireside and Pratt.
Organist and Choir Leader, Mrs. J. Lee
All Welcome.

St. James' Methodist
REV. B. GREATRIX, PASTOR.

10 a.m.—Fellowship Meeting.
11 a.m.—Morning Service
Subject—The relationship the Master seeks.
Morning Music:
Anthem—O for a closer walk (Prothero.)
2.30 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes.
7 p.m.—Evening Service.
Subject—A man's tribute to himself.
Evening Music:
Anthem—Saviour, breathe an evening blessing (Havens.)
Male Quartette—Walking with God (Fontaine.)
Messrs. Turner, Batchelor, Hill and Bailey.

PRESBYTERIAN

Knox Church
REV. J. A. MACKENZIE, B.A., PASTOR

11 a.m.—Morning Service.
Prelude—Largo—Handel.
Anthem—O Worship the King—Stebel.
Solo—Soldier, what of the night—Airlie Dix.
Miss Dorothy Allan.
Music rendered by a male choir. Many old time hymns will be sung.
3 p.m., Sunday School and Bible classes.
7 p.m., Evening Service.
Seats free, and strangers welcome.
Mr. George Runyon, Organist and Choirmaster.

St. Paul's Church
REV. ROBERT POGUE, PASTOR.

11 a.m.—Morning Service.
The pastor will preach.
Organ Prelude—"Caresses D'Amour"—Lemaire.
Solo (soprano)—"Thy will be done"—Buhl.
Miss Eleanor Hinchcliffe (of Knox church.)
Offertory Anthem—"Sweet hour of Prayer"—Bowles.
Solo part by Mr. Oliver M. Starr.
Organ Postlude—"Finale"—Wolstenholme
3 p.m., Sabbath School, Young Ladies' Class, Teacher, Rev. R. Pogue; Young Men's Class, Teacher, Mr. H. B. Cowan.
7 p.m., Evening Service.
The pastor will preach.
Organ Prelude—"Carillon Allegreto"—Ryder.
Solo (soprano)—"O Lord be merciful"—Barthelet.
Miss Dorothy Allan.
Offertory Anthem—"The day is gently sinking"—Bowles.
Duet—(soprano and contralto)—"That Beautiful Land"—Harkness.
Miss Allan and Miss Mulligan.
Organ Postlude—"The night is departing"—Mendelssohn.
Organist and choirmaster, Mr. John Allan.

St. Andrew's Church.
CAPT. JAMES ROLLINS, MINISTER.
Rev. T. H. Mitchell, Minister in charge.

11 a.m.—Divine Service
3 p.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—Divine Service.
Prelude—Angels Serenade—Braga
Anthem—O that I had wings like a dove—Lemmens.
Offertory—Pictures of youth—Lichner.
Solo—Gem of my Soul—Carey.
Miss Helen McLaren.
Postlude—War March of the Priests—Mendelssohn.
Herbert O. Trusser, Organist and Choir Master.
Strangers Welcome. Seats Free.

BAPTIST

Murray Street Baptist Church
REV. J. R. WEBB, PASTOR
Residence 194 London ?

11 a.m.—Morning Service.
Rev. H. E. Stillwell, B.A., of Toronto will preach at the morning service and in the evening the pastor will preach.
Organ Prelude—Chanson Triste—Tschaikowsky.
Anthem—Rock of Ages—Bowles.
Tenor Solo—Remove my God to thee—Carey—Mr. Walter Evans.
Baritone Solo and Chorus (unaccompanied)—I can trust Him—Stuart.
Mr. Asa Smythe and Choir.
Postlude—A Minor—Mendelssohn.
3 p.m.—Sunday School.
Mr. Wallen's Adult Class.
7 p.m.—Evening Service.
Organ Prelude—Serenade—Schubert.
Anthem—Fear not O Israel—Spinker.
Solo parts by Misses Rathbone, Kidd and Mr. Evans.
Contralto Solo—Selected—Miss Doris Rathbone.
Organ Postlude—Priests' March—Athalia Mendelssohn.
All seats free and strangers are cordially welcome.

Park Street Baptist Church
PASTOR REV. DOUGALD BROWN.
235 Reid Street.

Rev. Dougald Brown will preach at both services.
11 a.m., Morning Service.
Subject—"Following Christ."
3 p.m., Sunday School. Supt. Mr. F. A. D. Fry. Men's Bible Class, Teacher Rev. Dougald Brown. Ladies' Bible Class, Teacher, Mrs. A. Nicholls.
7 p.m., Evening Service.
Subject—"Profit and Loss"
Monday 8 p.m.—B.Y.P.U.
Special New Year's meeting and social.
Wednesday 8 p.m.—Prayer and Praise Service.
Thursday, 8 p.m., Choir Practice.
Mr. A. Nicholls, Organist and Choir master.
Seats free. Everybody welcome.

ROMAN CATHOLIC

St. Peter's Cathedral

There will be two masses celebrated. At 8 a.m.—Low Mass. At 10.30 a.m.—High Mass. At 7 p.m.—Vespers and Sermon.

MISCELLANEOUS

Bethany Tabernacle
PASTOR, A. G. DOHER.

Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
3 p.m.—Sunday School. Supt. Bro. A. J. Johnson; Adult Bible Study Class, Rev. Mann, Pastor; Young Women's Class, Miss Nellie Jones, graduate of Nyack Institute.
7 p.m.—Special lecture by Pastor on Illustrated Dispensational Chart.
Spiritual, congregational singing led by Miss N. Jones, soloist and cheerleader.
All requests for special prayer or visitation will be promptly and faithfully attended to.
All inquirers gladly met at close of any service
A cordial welcome to all.

Salvation Army Temple

9 a.m.—Prayer Meeting.
10 a.m.—Y. P. Directory Class.
Open Air 10.15—Fire Hall.
11 a.m.—Holiness Meeting.
3 p.m.—Sunday School.
2.15 p.m.—Open Air George and Hunter street.
3 p.m.—Free and Easy.
3.15 p.m.—Senior Open Air Hunter St.
3.15 p.m.—Junior Open Air Snowdon House.

Assembly Hall
(George Street. First Floor Old Opera House Building.)

Meetings on Lord's Day.
11 a.m.—Breaking of Bread.
3 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class.
7 p.m.—Gospel Meeting.
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10 a.m.—Sunday School.
11 a.m.—The Lords Supper.
7 p.m.—Gospel Meeting.
Sunday evening at 7 p.m. all are invited to attend a special meeting at the above Hall, when Mr. R. McKenzie, of Toronto will preach the Gospel. No collection.
8 p.m. Wednesday—Prayer Meeting.

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Sunday Services—
9.45 a.m.—Sunday School.
11 a.m.—Preaching.
7 p.m.—Preaching.
11 p.m., Wednesday Service.
Tuesday 8 a.m.—Prayer Meeting.

THE WORLD OF SPORT

247th TEAM WON EASILY AT COBOURG

Beat Lake Shore Bunch in a Carnival of High Scoring by 20 Goals to 13—Game Was Rough in Spots But Soldiers Came Out of the Battle in Good Shape.

The 247th Battalion intermediate added another victory to their string, when they invaded Cobourg last night and beat the Lakeshore bunch by 20 goals to 13. The high scoring kept the game interesting at all times. The Soldiers were never in much danger of losing the battle at any stage of the proceedings. They had too much speed, stick-handling and scoring ability for the Cobourg gang, some of whom were apparently out for blood. The going was rough at times and with any less capable referee than Dr. Jerry Lafamme, might have degenerated into a rough house argument. Glidden and Payne, of Cobourg, are reported as the worst offenders, and both were penalized frequently. The poor lighting facilities bothered the Petes, especially Legros, who had trouble locating the long shots. Lieut. Quinn was on the defence in place of Thornton.

The 247th lined up as follows:
Goal—Legros.
Defence—Halpin, Quinn.
Rover—Armstrong.
Centre—Flanagan.
R. Wing—Adams.
L. Wing—Evans.

CURLING CLUB TO DISCUSS OPEN BONSPIEL NEXT FRIDAY

A general meeting of the Curling Club is called for Friday, January 19th to consider, among other questions, that of holding a bonspiel this winter. During the past two years the open bonspiel has been the big event of the season. Local curlers have been largely represented on the ice and among the prize winners.

With the present large membership and enthusiasm as keen as ever there is no doubt the bonspiel would have a large appeal.

HOCKEY GOSSIP

The Peterboro Juniors will practice on Monday night at 7 o'clock, and a full turn out of all the regulars is expected.

Thursday's junior O.H.A. game at Oshawa, when twenty-one goals was scored was spoken of as a high scoring affair, but the Cobourg and 247th teams went after that record last night and smashed it all to bits scoring thirty-three goals, which figures out at the rate of a goal every minute and three-quarters. The soldiers have scored 57 goals in three games, an average of nineteen per game.

CURLING

Last night's games resulted as follows:

G. W. Green R. Dobie W. M. Lang W. H. Bradburn, Skip..... 7	J. F. Linton M. C. Tooley A. W. Archibald, Skip.....15
R. B. Allen L. A. Turner W. J. Thompson W. G. Morrow, Skip.....11	H. Meredith J. C. Read R. Harstone W. G. Ferguson, Skip.....13
G. Copping A. J. Grant G. Boucher H. F. Foote, Skip..... 6	J. J. McCabe E. H. D. Hall E. G. Patterson A. C. Kay, Skip.....14
Rev. R. Pogue A. Macnab G. H. Logie D. Davidson, Skip.....15	J. M. Lowes E. A. Smith Jas. Skinner Dr. Greer, Skip.....10
S. J. Graham C. S. Browne J. Wiley Dr. Wightman, Skip..... 4	A. L. Killaly W. J. Henry G. L. Bowes R. Hicks, Skip.....14

WHOOPING COUGH ARMLETS.

Children with the Whoop to Wear Distinctive Labels.

Buffalo, Jan. 13.—The public health council decided to institute eight weeks' quarantine for the whooping cough, which is very prevalent. In 1916 there were 1,517 cases, 43 fatal. Notices will be displayed in all the street cars when there is an epidemic of whooping cough and children with the disease who go on the streets will have to wear an arm band bearing the words "Whooping-cough." Several clinics for the examination and the treatment of persons with whooping-cough were also recommended. The "Whooping-cough" arm bands will be furnished free by the health department.

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Voice of The People

Correspondence under this heading containing or involving attacks on individuals or violent or extreme statements, must to secure insertion, be signed with writer's real name, the owner of which thus assumes the responsibility.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir,—I noticed in last night's Examiner, regarding the awards given for the special prizes in the "Poultry Show" here, that Mr. A. Breault was given the credit for winning the "Special Prize" for the best female in the show here for five years in succession. I wish to correct that statement. As I was the winner and holder of the "Special Prize Cup" given for the best female for the year 1916, won with my "White Wyandotte Pullet."

Yours truly,
A. WILLIAMSON,
High St., Byersville, Peterborough.

Dear Sir,—We are anxious that the citizens of Peterborough generally should know more about our Technical and Industrial Night Classes. They were started as the result of the finding of the Royal Commission on Technical and Industrial Education after a preliminary survey of the industries of the city.

These classes are jointly financed by the Department of Education and the Industrial Board of Education, composed of members of the Board of Education and men prominent in the manufacturing concerns of the city.

Taking into consideration all the influences which help or hinder the conduct of these classes we feel assured that the success attained has been all we could expect.

Still a Chance.

We would like to point out, however, that many who have not taken advantage of their opportunities have still a chance. It is illogical to assume that because one does not have to pay $60.00 to begin a course in draughting that therefore the course is valueless.

The instructors for all the classes are the best available, and we can assure the earnest student satisfactory progress.

Great Cause.

It was resolved by the Industrial and Technical convention held at Toronto at Easter, among other items, that the importance to the people generally of Technical Education was second only to the great cause of defeating the Huns. Young men and women should therefore seriously consider the advisability of neglecting their opportunities because we feel assured that these opportunities will bring added responsibilties. Classes will be resumed on Monday next when intending students should call and register.—Com.

Alleged Murderer Was "Fond of Young Girls"

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 13.—Bernard Wesley Lewis, the Pittsburg society man whom the police say murdered Mazie Colbert before he committed suicide in an Atlantic City hotel, was well known to habitues of lobster palaces in Chicago, who have given important information in the case, the police announced yesterday.

Captain of Detectives Tate announced he had received a letter from the Chicago police, containing information of the utmost importance. This information was first given to the western police by a man named Stewart, who had loaned Lewis $650, Captain Tate said.

"Lewis ran around all the expensive cafes in Chicago," Captain Tate said, "and was quite fond of young girls."

THE C. G. E. WON ALL THREE GAMES

Last night the C.G.E. took all three games from the De Laval in a league fixture. Carter had high single for the evening with a 193 count, while Bishop was high for three games with a total of 518. The score:

C.G.E. Team—				
Early	149	173	147	469
Jardine	148	158	169	475
Nichols	131	186	106	423
Langley	150	141	152	443
Bishop	177	156	185	518
	756	814	921	2250
De Laval—				
Byers	106	189	111	406
Barret	169	131	141	411
Hill	172	135	139	446
Robinson	100	145	111	356
Carter	194	167	193	454
	671	767	695	2103

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Brother of Mrs. J. Renwick Has Been Decorated

Lieut. L. W. Klingner, of 4 St. Ann's Road, has been awarded the military Cross for showing great courage while in charge of a working party while under fire. He went overseas last February with the 10th Canadian Engineers. Lieut. Klingner, who is a graduate of the School of Science, and was connected with the C.P.R. construction department, is a brother of Mrs. J. H. Renwick, 567 Aylmer street, and is well known in Peterborough. His younger brother, Lieut. Victor Klingner, is going overseas next month with the C. F. A.

"Berlin" Address Will Be Recognized

Postmaster-general Blondin Rescinds Regulation Requiring 'Kitchener."

Ottawa, January 13.—One of the first official acts of the new Postmaster-General, Hon. P. T. Blondin, has been to rescind the regulation issued on December 23rd by the late Postmaster-General Casgrain, which provided that letters addressed to "Berlin," Ontario, would find their way to the dead letter office. The regulation stated that the letters must be addressed to Kitchener, the new name given to Berlin, by the Ontario government.

Yesterday's announcement says: — "Notice is given that the Postmaster-General has authorized the cancellation of the regulation in regard to letters addressed to 'Berlin,' Ont., published in the issue of The Canada Gazette of the 23rd December, 1916." Consequently letters addressed to Berlin, Ont., will now be forwarded to Kitchener, pending further instructions. How long the department will continue to officially recognize "Berlin" remains to be seen.

WHOLE CITY OWES $103,000,000

Is Within Borrowing Limit—Increase During Year — How Debt Has Grown in Decade.

TORONTO, Jan. 13.—The gross debt of the city at the close of year, according to Finance Commissioner Bradshaw, was $103,000,000. This means an increase of about $6,000,000 during the year, as the debt on the 31st December, 1915, was $91,061,095. The city still has a borrowing margin of between four and five millions. The debt has jumped from $27,548,743 in 1906. It was only $75,239,886 as recently as 1914.

The debt per head of the population is $294.

Another Great Powder Smash

Monetary Loss, When 200 Tons of Explosive is Destroyed, is Estimated at $1,500,000— Two States Rocked by the Latest Echo of War.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.— Four hundred thousand pounds of smokeless powder blew up at the Du Pont Powder Works at Haskell, N.J., last night, and for the second time in forty-eight hours New York and northern New Jersey were jarred and frightened by a munitions explosion.

Damage estimated at $1,500,000 was caused by last night's explosion. It was said at the offices of the company at midnight that all of the more than 1,500 workers had been accounted for with the exception of two men, and that twelve had been injured. The force of the explosion was felt for a radius of 100 miles, and with the exception of the Black Tom disaster, it was the most violent of the munition explosions in the vicinity of New York since the business grew to gigantic proportions soon after the start of the war in Europe. Houses were shaken in Manhattan, Brooklyn and the Bronx, windows were broken in many places in Westchester county, in Staten Island, and as far away as Milford, Conn., it was reported that damage had been done.

The force of the explosion at Haskell disrupted telephone service throughout northern New Jersey, and it was hours before persons a few miles from Haskell knew just what had happened.

Blaze Speedily Spreads.

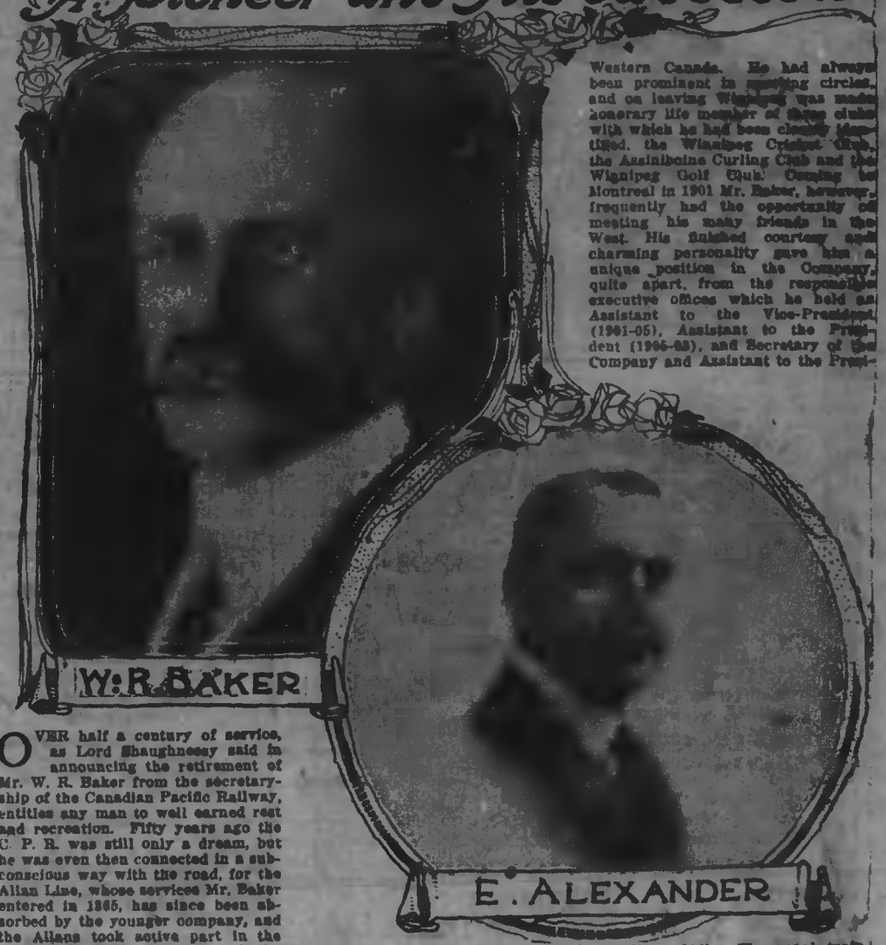
At 9.23 o'clock a small blaze started in a glazing house almost in the centre of the long line of 500 buildings that stretch away from Haskell up the Rampago hills, and form the great smokeless powder plant of the Du Pont Company, said to be the greatest in the world. A few moments, and the blaze spread from the glazing house to a cleansing house, a few feet distant.

With the knowledge that they were but a few yards from a magazine holding 200,000 pounds of finished smokeless powder the workers at the cleansing house and the glazing house fled, spreading the warning as they ran.

When the blaze ate its way to the nearby magazine, the heat caused the explosion of the whole 100 tons of high explosives, creating the greatest shock of the disaster. The frame shacks of the thousands of workers in Haskell, rocked by the force of the explosion, spilled their occupants into fleeing lines, which were spurred to greater speed when a second magazine went up and then a third.

From the powder magazine the blaze jumped across the Wanague River into three drying houses, which contained small amounts of explosives, which went off with enough force to lend zest to the flames.

A Pioneer and His Successor



OVER half a century of service, as Lord Shaughnessy said in announcing the retirement of Mr. W. R. Baker from the secretaryship of the Canadian Pacific Railway, entitles any man to well earned rest and recreation. Fifty years ago the C. P. R. was still only a dream, but he was even then connected in a subconscious way with the road, for the Allan Line, whose services Mr. Baker entered in 1865, has since been absorbed by the younger company, and the Allans took active part in the agitation for the building of the transcontinental railway.

Walter Reginald Baker, who was born in Yorkshire, England, in 1852, was only thirteen years of age when he came to Canada. He entered the Allan Line service, and remained there until 1873 when he was appointed local freight and passenger agent of the Canada Central Railway at Ottawa. This railway, which was absorbed by the C. P. R. in 1881, had been incorporated in 1861 to build a railway from Lake Huron to Ottawa, via. Pembroke and Arnprior, and from Ottawa to Montreal. A further connection with the idea of a transcontinental railway occurs in his appointment in the same year as joint secretary with M. de Bellefeuille of the original Canadian Pacific Railway Company, the charter of which reverted to the Canadian Government. Mr. Baker, however, temporarily left railway life in 1874 to become A.D.C. and private secretary to the Marquis of Dufferin, Governor-General of Canada. From 1878 to 1881, he was assistant secretary to the Treasury Board at Ottawa, but when the famous Syndicate took up the work of completing the construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway he left the Government service and joined this great enterprise as assistant to the general superintendent and local treasurer of the Western Division at Winnipeg. He was thus one of the actual pioneers of the C. P. R., arriving at Winnipeg on the last day of February, 1881, in the special sleeping car, which also brought up from St. Paul A. B. Stickney, General Superintendent of the Western Division; William Harder, Assistant Traffic Manager; C. O. Butterfield, Master Mechanic, and Joel May, Superintendent. Three of these were identified more or less with the St. Paul interests, whereas Mr. Baker represented the interests at Montreal. On this occasion they crossed the Red River on a pile bridge, a permanent structure not yet having been completed. Winnipeg at that time had a population of just about 7,000, and the work of building up the railway was commenced under distinctly primitive conditions. These were pioneering days in the West, and the C. P. R. officials, owing to a fire which drove them out of their proper quarters, at one time had to do their business at the corner of Portage Avenue and Fort Street, in the basement of a church, otherwise used as a Sunday School. In 1883 Mr. Baker had two promotions, first as purchasing agent, then as assistant to the general manager. The Manitoba and North Western Railway, originally an enterprise of the Allans, and absorbed by the C. P. R., in 1900, knew him as general superintendent from 1883 to 1892, when he became general manager. "His assistance," said Lord Shaughnessy, "in straightening out the affairs of the acquired property was of material value, and his other duties, many of them of an important and confidential character, were performed with singular zeal and intelligence."

During 1900 and 1901 Mr. Baker filled the important position of executive agent of the C. P. R., to the great satisfaction of the people of Western Canada. He had always been prominent in sporting circles, and on leaving Winnipeg was made honorary life member of three clubs with which he had been closely identified, the Winnipeg Cricket Club, the Assiniboine Curling Club and the Winnipeg Golf Club. Coming to Montreal in 1901 Mr. Baker, however, frequently had the opportunity of meeting his many friends in the West. His finished courtesy and charming personality gave him a unique position in the Company, quite apart from the responsible executive offices which he held as Assistant to the Vice-President (1901-05), Assistant to the President (1905-08), and Secretary of the Company and Assistant to the President. (1908-1916). The royal train on the occasion of the several visits of the Prince and Princess of Wales (now King and Queen of England), Prince Arthur of Connaught, Prince Fushimi, and the Duke of Connaught as Governor-General, were always entrusted to his charge with the result that he is a C.V.O. and holds many valued orders, such as that of the order of the Sacred Treasure, bestowed by the Emperor of Japan, while he is also an Esquire of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem.

By a curious coincidence, Mr. Ernest Alexander, who succeeds Mr. Baker, is also a native of Yorkshire. Another point he has in common with his predecessor, namely, a keen appreciation of pictures, shown by his membership of the Arts Club of Montreal. Mr. Alexander is also a member of St. James's Club, Kanawaki Golf Club, and the Montreal Curling Club. He was quite a lad when he came to Canada, spending most of his early days in Hamilton, Ontario, where he went to school, and then entered service with the Grand Trunk Railway Company. In 1893 he became secretary to Sir William (then Mr.) Van Horne, President of the Canadian Pacific Railway. When Sir William was succeeded by Mr. (now Lord) Shaughnessy, Mr. Alexander remained in the president's office, continuing in various capacities until July 2nd, 1908, when he was appointed to fill the office of assistant treasurer. On August 20th, 1913, he was made assistant secretary of the Company, and his portfolio as secretary began on January 1st, 1917.

PETERBORO MEN AT RAINY RIVER

Contemplate the Erection of a Saw Mill at that Point

W. H. Crough and M. F. Conway, of Peterborough, Ont., arrived in town Monday evening with ten fine head of heavy draft horses, the animals coming through in good shape. Mr. OCrough informs us that one team, which weighs 3,750 lbs., will draw themselves down into the blue clay. While coming up on the train, Mr. Crough, who is the present reeve of Ennismore, sold two carloads of posts to Chester Hiska, of Esten, Sask., so their next move will be getting out posts to fill the contract.

Our readers will remember that in our issue of the 3rd of November, Mr. Crough, who was visiting his cousin, Mrs. Chas. Desorcy, was credited with saying he was greatly pleased with the prospects at Rainy River, and that his son, Ambrose, was here looking over the land and timber, with a view of moving their sawmill here if satisfied.

The son has been here ever since and is well satisfied. They are now looking for a suitable site as the sawmill is on the way.—Rainy River Gazette.

Chinese Miners Are Imprisoned

Special to The Examiner:

TOKIO, Jan. 13.—An explosion in the Fushun colliery in Manchuria today, buried nine hundred Chinese miners. Only 130 were saved so far, and it is feared the other 770 perished.

(An Iowa incident that is lacking in details is related by the Mercyville Banier as follows: Clare Duffy, the efficient foreman of our powder mill, went up Thursday.

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New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

New York Stocks—

Atcheson, 104, 104 5-8; B. and O., 83 5-8, 83 7-8; C.P.R., 158; N.Y.C., 101 1-4; Erie, 32, 32 1-2; Erie Pfd., 47 1-8, 47; Nor. Pac., 103 1-2; Reading 89 1-8, 89 1-2; U.P., 143 1-8, 143 1-2; Rep. Steel, 77 3-4; St. Paul, 88 3-4, 89 1-2; U. S. Steel, 111 1-4; Anaconda, 82 3-4, 83 5-8; Amn. Loco., 75, 75 1-2; Inter. Nickel, 40 7-8.

Canadian Stocks—

Smelters, 33; Steamers, 34 3-4; Can. Car, 20, 27 5-8; N.S. Steel, 114, 113; Cement, 63 1-4, 63; Dom. Steel, 66, 66 1-4; Steel of Canada, 65 1-4, 64; N.S. Car, 19; Gen. Elec., 111 bid.

CHICAGO GRAIN—

May wheat 184 3-8; July 149 3-4; May corn 56 3-4.

WHAT THE NEW YORK PAPERS ARE SAYING

N. Y. Times.—The Allies have thrown wide open the door to the council room in which the treaty of peace may be drawn up. Will Germany have the effontery to say that their terms are not just? In that opinion she would have the judgment of the whole world against her. Her plea that she is fighting for existence has lost all its validity.

Sun.—It is maintained in some quarters that prices in the stock market are already on a peace basis.

Professional View.—The general market is a purchase on declines and a sale on sharp rallies for turns.

Journal of Commerce—On the theory that the continuance of the war means a corresponding continuous demand for American made munitions, short interests evinced a sudden tendency to cover their outstanding commitments and the market closed quite strong.

OBITUARY

AGNES LOUISE WHITELAW.

The death took place at Frisco, Cal., January 2nd, 1917 of pneumonia of Agnes Louise, daughter of Mr. John Whitelaw of Cobourg, Ont. Interment took place at Cobourg on January 10th.

ALEXANDER ROSEBOROUGH.

Alexander Roseborough, 107 Smith street, died this morning aged 82 years. Mr. Roseborough was a member of the George street Methodist church. He is survived by his wife, formerly Anna Madill, and four daughters, Mrs. E. J. McKee, Mrs. Joseph Blewett, Mrs. Herb. McKee, all residing in town, and Miss Clara at home, and two sons, Fred of Peterborough and Walter of North Monaghan. The funeral will take place on Monday at 2 o'clock to the Lakefield cemetery, the Rev. Mr Peever officiating. No flowers.

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PROBABILITIES.

Mild with light snow falls. Sunday, colder again with northwest winds.

Obituary

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EXCHANGE OF SOLOISTS.

Miss Dorothy Allan soloist of St. Paul's church will sing at the morning service at Knox church and Miss Eleanor Hincheliffe, soloist of Knox church, will sing at St. Paul's.

CLEANING, PRESSING AND REPAIRING.

'Phone 1416 for Cleaning, Pressing and Repairing. Goods called for and delivered promptly. Mrs. Read, 159 Rubidge Street. 6tf

AUCTION SALE.

Of household furniture, etc., at the home of Mr. G. A. Wennlund, 563 Bethune street, on Tuesday, January 16th, including a nearly new steel range. Sale 1.30 p.m. W. J. Hancock, Auctioneer. 2d-11

NOTICE TO REBEKAS.

All members of Golden Link Rebeka Lodge are requested to be present Tuesday evening, Jan. 16th, 1916, as the Grand Lodge officers are to be present. A social hour will be spent at the close of the meeting.

A BARNARD.

Mr. A. Barnard, of Renfrew, father-in-law of Mr. C. B. McAllister, formerly of Peterborough, passed away yesterday in Renfrew. The deceased was well known in Peterborough.

C.P.R. TRAIN SERVICE.

Temporary reduction, passenger train service to facilitate freight movements, effective Sunday, January 14th, 1917. Particulars from Ticket Agent, Canadian Pacific Railway or W. B. Howard, District Passenger Agent, Toronto. 3d-887

PIANO, ORGAN, VOICE.

A NEW GARAGE.

Workmen have been bussily engaged fitting up the premises at 388 Water street for A. Brown & Co., for a McLaughlin Garage. The work is now completed and Mr. Brown invites all interested to call and inspect the McLaughlin Models for 1917.

Mr. J. H. Renwick, organist and choirmaster, George Street Methodist Church, has resumed teaching. Pupils prepared for examinations. Many present and former pupils holding good positions. Studio, 567 Aylmer street. 'Phone 1098. 28d-2

KITCHENER LEAGUE.

A meeting of the Canadian Kitchener League is called for Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Y.M.C.A., instead of Monday evening as previously announced. It is very important that every member be present.

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FUNERAL MONDAY.

This morning the remains of the late Mrs. John Brickenden were removed to Clinton, Ontario, where interment will take place on Monday. The Rev. R. G. Peever, B.A., was present at the station. The late Mrs. Brickenden was a member of George street Methodist church for the past five years.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY TIME-TABLE CHANGES.

Effective Sunday, January 14th, the following alterations in Grand Trunk train service will be made in and out of Peterborough.

Train No. 96 now leaving Peterborough 9.10 a.m. for Port Hope will leave Peterborough 8.55 a.m., arriving Port Hope 9.55 am. instead of 9.10 a.m. as at present.

THE LITTLE LAKE CEMETERY COMPANY.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Company will be held at the City Council Chamber, Peterborough, on Monday, the 15th of January, 1918, at 3 p.m., for the purpose of electing Directors for the present year, receiving and considering reports for the past year, and for the transaction of any other necessary business.

Dated 6th of January, 1917.

W. H. Moore, President.

E. A. Peck, Secretary-Treasurer.

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ELEMENTARY GRADED UNION

The Elementary Graded Union will hold the first meeting of the New Year on Tuesday evening, January 16th, in Charlotte St. Methodist Sunday School. There will be separate sessions for Junior and Primary workers, and a large attendance is hoped for. The meeting will commence promptly at 8 o'clock.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of Peterborough County Ploughmen's Association will be held in the County Council Chambers at Peterborough on Thursday, Jan. 18th, 1917, at 2 p.m.

J. Smithson, Pres. Chas. Brown, Sec.Treas.

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ARMY HEALTHIER THAN THE ORDINARY OCCUPATIONS NOW

Member Says British Aeroplanes Can Fly to Krupps Easily Now.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—The announcement of Lord Northcliffe's return from his ninth visit to the front contains an interesting statement by him concerning the health of the armies. The annual death rate is placed at exactly three per thousand; the average illness, including colds and influenza, much less than in London, with all the discomfort and inconvenience of the trenches. The conditions appear fundamentally favourable to men in the vigour of life and physically capable of standing exposure and hardships.

Lord Northcliffe's observations confirm what has often been remarked as to the wonderful improvement in the sanitation of the armies. In the past, disease has been as destructive as battles. Biology and pathology to say nothing of surgery and therapeutics, have made such strides that disease has been practically eliminated as a factor in warfare. War takes medical science into the field where the control of large masses enables it to develop the highest efficiency.

The organized and intensive applications and development of the science of preventive medicine constitute the strictly neutral work in this war by which all humanity will profit for all time to come.

The progress in another field of science was touched on at a meeting of the Association of Science Teachers on Saturday. Prof. Kilburn Scott lent authority to the report that Germany is now making out of the air her whole supply of nitrates. Prof. Scott mentioned three things as marking the outposts of science in this war. First, there was the manufacture of nitrate from the atmosphere as before mentioned; second, the Zeppelin, which nullified the insular position of England, and, thirdly, there was the success of the gyro compass, which solved accurate steering of battleships and submarines. It was declared by Mr. Joynson-Hicks, M.P., that within three months an English firm could build a hundred air machines that could fly for ten hours continuously and would be capable of successfully raiding the Krupp works at Essen. Mr. Joynson-Hicks was the choice of many expert judges for the air board to which Lord Cowdray was appointed. He has been agitating the question of holding the Allied supremacy in the air, and it is hoped that his fine enthusiasm will be utilized by the new board.

LAVERGNE NOT EXPELLED.

Quebec, Que., Jan. 13. — The Quebec Garrison Club lost its case yesterday against Armand Lavergne, ex-M.P.P. The latter had been expelled from the Garrison Club after his notorious speech in the Legislative Assembly, which called from Mr. Tellier the epithet of "rebel" for Mr. Lavergne. An injunction was taken by Mr. Lavergne who also claimed $999 damages from the Garrison Club. Hon. Justice Rodolphe Roy, of the Superior Court, declared ultra vires and illegal the resolution of the majority of the members of the club by which the expulsion was decided, maintains the injunction taken and grants Lavergne $199 damages.

Social and Personal

Miss L. V. Sarginson, of Calgary, Alberta, is visiting her sister, Mrs. T. Sarginson, Aylmer street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. O'Connell of Calgary, Alta., are visiting Mr. O'Connell's sisters, Mrs. Roy Parnell, 870 George Street and Mrs. W. Battle, 346 Stewart Street.

Rev. J. A. MacKenzie, B.D., of Knox church, will give his lecture "The Humour of Life," in the Presbyterian Church, Millbrook, on Monday night.

Mrs. Walker is the guest of her sister, Mrs. B. Morrow, Peterborough. —Lindsay Post.

Ms. James Draper of North Cobalt is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Revoy, East City.

Mr. Thos. Gorman has sold his home on Reid street to Mr. Golloher of Campbellford, Ont. Mr. Gorman has just returned from North Battleford, Sask., where he was buying grain for the Edmonton Western Grain Company. He expects to return west with his family in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. D. McCrimmon, St. Thomas, have returned home after visiting Mr. McCrimmon's sister, Mrs. Dickson Davidson, Rubidge Street.

Mr. W. D. Ketcheson, bailiff of Belleville, was in the city this morning on business.

Mr. Albert Switzer of the Montgomery House staff, is confined to bed with la grippe.

Mr. Clair Arnott, head clerk at the Oriental, has been confined to bed for some days with a severe cold.

Mr. G. A. Gillespie, M.P.P., has returned from a few day's visit to the riding of West Simcoe where he has addressed meetings in various parts of the riding. Mr. Gillespie states that Mr. Scott the Liberal candidate is an ideal candidate in every way and the prospects for his election are very bright.

Mrs. Claude Rogers left yesterday for Toronto to attend the funeral of her grandmother, the late Mrs. Wakefield.

Mrs. Sutherland, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Logan, Murray St., returned on Thursday to her home in Toronto.

Miss Winnifred MacKenzie, "The Grove," Lakefield, was the guest of Miss Celia Dunsford, Water Street, to-day.

Mrs. Arthur Amy, Gilmour Street, returned last night from Toronto.

Mrs. R. Grant was in Toronto yesterday on business.

Mr. Robert Neill and Miss Neill, who have spent the past few weeks at Dr. Mayo's hospital, Rochester, Minn., returned last night.

Mr. MacDonald, Hunter Street, of the Quaker Oats Co., returned last night from Toronto.

Lt. Claude Rogers is in Toronto for a few days.

Last night Miss Celia Dunsford was the hostess of a most successful dance at her home, 748 Water street. Some of those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Knight, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wood, Lt. and Mrs. Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Smith, Mrs. Gordon Graham, Mrs. Campassie, Mr. Vanstone, the Misses Hatton, Miss Seaborne, Hamilton, Mis Winnifred MacKenzie (Lakefield), Miss R. Huycke, Miss Dorothy MacDonald (Edmonton), the Misses Hall, Miss Margaret Eastwood, Mrs. O. J. Schrolder, Mr. Messias, Mr. Dixon, Mr. L. Coden, Mr. Otto Gliddon, Miss Jessie Spence Mr. Cote, Mr. Blanford Belcher, Mr. MacLaren, Lt. Brittain, Mr. Hague, and Mr. and Mr. Parsons.

Mrs. S. G. Salts, Toronto, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. D. Allison, Water street.

Expressmen Defeated The Car Drivers

The Expressmen last night defeated the Car-Drivers in a game of hockey at the Brock St. Rink to a tune of 5 to 2. The first half was hard going when the score only being 1-1, but the last session completed the win for the Expressmen.

Expressmen.

Goal—Donley
Right Defence—Spenceley.
Left Defence—Dunford.
Rover—Johnston.
Centre—Rex.
Right Wing—Davey.
Left Wing—Graham.

Car-Drivers.

Goal—Fontaine.
Right Defence—Campbell.
Left Defence—Collins.
Rover—Eason.
Centre—Buller.
Right Wing—Stewart.
Left Wing—Rutherford.

MAYOR DUFFUS IN NEW YORK

When last heard of His Worship, Mayor Duffus and Alderman Dobbin Chairman of the Fire, Water and Light Committee were favouring the naughty city of New York with a visit. It is altogether likely that they will mix business with pleasure and incidentally inspect some of the motor driven fire apparatus. It is safe to say that they will not find the fire chief of New York or any of the district chiefs for that matter, driving to a fire behind a nanny-goat of a horse the way they do in the Fire Department which Mayor Duffus and Alderman Dobbin left behind.

HOGS HIGH OUT WEST.

$11.95 Paid For Them on Cars at Calgary Market.

CALGARY, Alta., Jan. 13.— Fifty cars of hogs were received at Alberta Stock Yards, coming from all directions. Of these, ten loads sold for the highest price ever obtained in Calgary, when $11.95 was paid. These will go East to Toronto. The demand is excellent and prices likely to remain high.

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Germans Deliver Assaults With New Form of Gas

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 13.—German attacks near the village of Kainzem, on the northern end of the Russian front, in the Riga region, although delivered with large forces, were beaten off by the Russians, the Petrograd War Office announced. The statement reads:

"On Thursday the Germans, in considerable force, attacked our troops situated east of the village of Kainzem. The attack was repulsed by our fire and a counter-attack.

"South of the village of Zubilno, between Vladimir-Volynski and Lutsk (Volhynia), ten versts south of Kiselin, the enemy directed from his trenches on to our flank a hose similar to a fire hose, after which we heard a pronounced hissing noise and the whistle of escaping gas. At first there appeared a yellowish green and afterwards a white cloud of gas, which, however, failed to reach our trenches, owing to the wind blowing along our front. This release of gas lasted two minutes and was not repeated.

What Berlin Claims.

The German report says:

"Front of Prince Leopold: On the Dvina and in the lake sector south of Dvinsk the fighting activity increased considerably.

"On the railroad from Vilna to Dvinsk Russian companies that attacked were repulsed, suffering heavy losses.

"Two minor attacks launched in order to ameliorate our position south-west of Riga brought us thirty-two prisoners."

THE BRITISH PRESS COMMENT ON GERMANY'S LAST APPEAL

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 13.—British editorial comment to-day turned from its fulsome praises of the Allied note to a bitter denunciation of Germany's last appeal for neutral sympathy made in the note published yesterday.

"Berlin's delicious document," remarked the Daily Mail, "is a mixture of whims and falsehoods. Clearly, Germany wouldn't be talking so much about peace if she did not want it badly, and it is clear she wants not only peace but the plunder she has stolen. She can have peace at any moment by returning to her own country and can end the 'starvation campaign' by dropping the stolen goods."

The Times pointed out that Germany's complaint of use of coloured troops in Europe comes "from the powers which have brought the Turks into Galicia."

MILITARY NEWS

Mrs. Evans, 505 Sherbrooke street, has received a letter from her husband, Pte. Will Evans, formerly of the 93rd Battalion, in which he says "I am going to France with the Canadian Labour Battalion, but I don't know when. I am glad, for I did not want to come back until I had been across and done all I could. There are a lot of them trying to get home. I think they have cold feet. A. McCall and myself are going as far as they will let us and then they can't say we have a yellow streak when we do come back. We have both put in for leave from Dec. 27 to Jan. 3.

Armourer Sergt. Geo. Grange of the 93rd Battalion, and Bandsmen H. Wood and P. Doughty of the 93rd Band, returned this morning from England.

NO NAMES SENT.

The Examiner has received several letters again to-day for the "Voice of the People" column, with names of the writers not attached. No letters are inserted unless the bona fide name and address of the writer is sent with the letter.

BIRTH.

CARPENTER.—On Friday, Jan. 5th, 1917, at 148 Scrauren Ave., Toronto, the wife of Mr. John Carpenter (nee May Gordon), a daughter.

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THIS BIRD LIVES ON FISH.

And He Doesn't Build a Nest, but Lives in a Sand Tunnel.

The belted kingfisher has a great taste for fish. Every day is Friday with him, because no matter how hungry he gets, he will eat nothing except fish. Wherever there are creeks, rivers, ponds or lakes the kingfishers are to be found.

His principal business in life seems to be diving into the water for fish. From his perch on a dead branch or as he hovers over the water this unusual bird spies a small fish. With a swoop and a splash and a dive he goes into the water and is out as quickly with the fish firmly held in his stout beak. As he emerges from the water a quick shake of the body sends the water flying from his oily feathers, and he is dry in short order. The fish is tossed into the air, caught again in the beak and swallowed head first.

Unlike most other birds, the kingfisher does not build his nest in trees, but seeks a sand bank, in which he digs a tunnel several feet straight in. At the far end a little room is hollowed out, and there on the sand the glossy eggs are laid.

The belted kingfisher is recognized by his fluffy crown and his breast band. The male has a blue-gray breast band, back and sides, while the female has chestnut colored sides and breast band in addition to a gray breast band.—Exchange.

Not Far Wrong.

"A-u-t-o-c-r-a-c-y," spelled Tommy, reading aloud. After a pause he pronounced it triumphantly—"autocrazy."

And he wondered why his father laughed.—Chicago Herald.

Partly True.

"James told me that he gets $300 a week from the concern he works for."

"So he does—to put in the bank for them."—Baltimore American.

Sad, Too.

"I'm saddest when I sing," said she.

"I share your grief, my dear," said he.—Boston Transcript.

A failure establishes only this, that our determination to succeed was not strong enough.—Bovee.

Had Violent Coughing Fits

Looked Like Consumptive

Mrs. Mary Whelen, North Forks, N.S., writes: "Having taken five bottles of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, during the past few weeks, to relieve a chronic cough and general throat trouble, allow me to express my unbounded satisfaction and thanks as to its sterling qualities. A short time ago I became subject to violent coughing fits at night and directly after rising in the morning. I began losing weight, and all my friends cheerfully informed me that I was going into consumption.

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Tourists Are Visiting Ruined Rheims Under Direction of Officers

Permit Must Be Obtained Before Trip Can Be Made—Writer Says That, on a Quiet Afternoon, Party of Women Was Taken Into Front Line Trenches.

CANVAS HIDES THE CARS

I was with a party at the Rheims front.

Suddenly there began an awful clatter of artillery. "Let's go over to the batteries—just over there," exclaimed the boy from Barcelona. Capt. Delvert looked troubled. Wh-h-h! (Noises like an express train entering a depot.) Crash. A full-sized German shell exploded between us and those batteries. "This way, if you please, gentlemen," said Capt. Talamon.

In ten minutes the automobile landed us at some third-line trenches on the other side of Rheims. Machine guns commanded a highway. The trenches ran through suburban gardens. We saw a lot of still life. This way, gentlemen," remarked the captain, shortly. And, amid a perfectly good bombardment, the autos landed us at the Pommery champagne establishment. No crashes of artillery reached those deep cellars. The captain made us inspect them thoroughly.

"I would not mind if you newspaper men should be killed," he whispered, confidentially, "but I'm responsible for this Dutch merchant, and the president of the Chamber of Commerce of Geneva, and that boy eating sandwiches is the son of the mayor of Barcelona. What would they think if anything happened to him?"

A Modern Visit.

Such is a modern visit to the Rheims front, and it will probably be the same at Soissons to-morrow. Along with four newspaper correspondents, there were three chamber of commerce dignitaries one New York clubman one Russian prince one partner in an American chemical works, one transatlantic shipping man and the boy from Barcelona.

For parties of women, the French foreign office maintains a woman guide, who posts them beforehand on heavy boots, stockings, rubbers, wraps and raincoats.

All go over the same historic road. None may take the direct trains for Rheims. To buy a ticket, you must show your permit. The train is long and crowded, but the first-class cars are luxurious, and, returning at night, we had a better and gayer dinner, in a smarter restaurant car, better warmed and lighted, than on the Monte Carlo express.

Epernay! Two hours and a half from Paris. The train goes on to Nancy. The first sight was a bunch of African infantry—big heavy fellows, as black as ink—in warm, new uniforms, horse-playing and disputing around the station. A distinguished young officer came, hurrying, with a typewritten list. "The visitors for Rheims?" The party of civilians gathered round him and answered the roll call. It was Capt. Delvert, the hero of the Fort of Vaux, seventeen wounds and a trepanning, about whom they write poetry and legends, convalescent and taking parties around Rheims for his knowledge of architecture. "This way, gentlemen, if you please, to the automobiles."

No visitor will forget that automobile ride of twenty-five miles, over the Champagne hills, from Epernay to Rheims, in war. Now and then, a shell explodes in the distance.

Canvas Hides Cars.

At times the high road runs between big French batteries, and the French trenches. "The Boches are over there, about four miles," indicates our military chauffeur. The cars are military limousines—luxurious, tight, snug. Up, down, round and round, among the empty hills, deserted vineyards and damaged villages. Although between belligerent batteries, no shells of artillery duels fall on this road, but go high over it. Frequently, for a mile or so, a wall of canvas or sacking, fifteen feet high, and stretched and nailed from tree to tree or pole to pole on the German side of the road, cuts off the view from enemy captive balloons. If they saw a line of vehicles in movement, they might signal for a few shells. Not seeing, they seldom bombard a probably empty high road.

We ride in suppressed excitement, as sneaking through danger. These miles of stretched canvas make an impression. The road dips into another valley and the chauffeur points beyond: "There's Rheims."

Rheims, the martyred city! Soissons, Ypres, Arras are destroyed, but Rheims is martyred.

The streets are full of civilians. The houses are occupied and uninjured. We turn corners into other streets. All is intact, but the life is furtive and the town neglected. We stop at military headquarters to be introduced. The general says a few low words to Capt. Delvert. I know what it meant: "It is liable to be a lively day around Rheims. You are responsible for all non-professional visitors."

"Gentlemen"' said Capt. Talamon, "we shall proceed to the cathedral."

Around the Cathedral.

Immediately we saw the martyrdom of Rheims. It must often be lively at Rheims. Watch the papers. The entire quarter around the cathedral is gutted by German bombardment at long distance. There is no question of observation from the towers. And both towers still stand, unless they are to be supposed wretched shots—which they are not— they have carefully avoided destroying the towers, in these two years.

Not a house is intact around the cathedral. Not a house is occupied. Many have a single shell hole. Often small, but those adjoining are in ruins. We passed entire blocks where nearly al were razed. They take you to a view. Straight swaths are shelled through the blocks of houses and the swaths meet around the cathedral. It cannot be denied, Only the cathedral quarter has been aimed at.

Inside Rheims cathedral.

The roof and walls are riddled with holes. Fire shells have burned everything that could burn and cracked the carved stone. There were heavy lumber repair, scaffoldings, and this was known —otherwise why send fire shells to a stone cathedral.

Thousands of Shells.

More than 1,500 shells have entered the cathedral. Nearly 13,000 have fallen round about it. Great breaches are here and there. Even the floor is torn up. The bombardment of the cathedral has never ceased. Every now and then it begins again — not to destroy it utterly, but piecemeal; here a corner nipped off, there a wall weakened, here a flying buttress sent flying, there a new smash in the stained glass windows. It is like a child nibbling around the edge of a cake. You know what finally happens to the cake. The child knows, too, and tries to make it last. Each shot into Rheims cathedral hits the heart of France.

"Only the cathedral quarter," we mutter.

"Paron," says Capt. Talamon, cheerfully, "there is another. If you please, gentlemen, we will take the automobiles."

They take us to the ruins of the Hotel Dieu.

It is the illustrious old royal hospital of Rheims, completely gutted —the third glory of Rheims. Old kings built it, grandiose and beautiful, as a memorial to adjoin the antique Church of St. Remi, which is a precious pre-Gothic basilica, landmark of Christianity, pearl of rare architecture in whose foundations, at least, Clovis was baptised.

The Three Glories.

In August, 1916, the Germans began cutting another "swath" through Rheims—in a straight line, fore and aft, with the Church of St. Remi. I tell what I have seen. So far the Hotel Dieu, adjoining it, built into it, has taken all the shells. But the swaths of bombardment are there. They go in straight lines, unmistakable, to the three historical and architectural glories of Rheims —the cathedral, St. Remi, and the Hotel Dieu.

On which, we go to the Hotel du Nord for lunch.

The fish was fresher than in Paris, coming direct in refrigerator cars from the sea. The roast ducks were delicious, with the hot tartlets, cheese, fruits and crude champagne, which does not bubble, make one admire the feeding of the front.

Is it the front?

The lunch goes leisurely. The French officers discuss Romanesque and Gothic, stained glass, Joan of Arc, plain chant and gastronomy. Visitors, anxious for the trenches, listen and hold their patience. Don't disturb the officers in their one good hour of leisure!

Do you think so? You are all wrong. There is deep diplomacy, and the captains who appear so debonnair are really heart strained for their party of tourists, watching the clock furtively and waiting for a message. Are the trenches safe this afternoon? Aye, there's the question!

The proof is that on a quiet afternoon a party of women got started promptly after three-quarters of an hour at lunch, spent three hours romping in the first-line trenches, talked to poilus, touched machine guns and saw an aeroplane battle.

And I know a party of men who were delayed, tempted with hot tartlets (not on the bill of fare), coffee, liqueurs, cigars and charmed with first-class conversation, so that they never saw the first-line trenches. They missed the big gun batteries when they were quiting lively, and they wound up the remainder of their afternoon till dusk, in the cellars of the champagne establishment.

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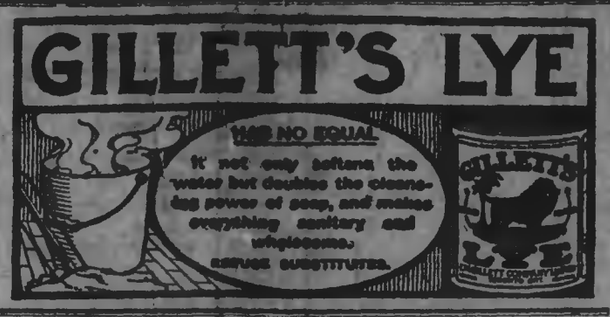
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DOLLAR DAY ON JANUARY 25TH MERCHANTS PREPARING FOR IT

The Big Mid-Winter Event Will Be Better Than Ever—Farmers, Like City People, Will Find Many Interesting Features This Year

Examiner readers will be pleased to hear that the Peterborough merchants are again preparing the annual mid-winter Dollar Day event, that always creates such widespread interest. This year the big day promises to easily eclipse all former occasions as the merchants are profiting by the previous experiences and know better how to meet the demands of the public on a shopping day of such magnitude. In spite of the greatly increased cost of all materials, buyers will find an array of wonderful values prepared for them in almost every imaginable line of goods. Dollar Day has certainly come to stay. It makes a winter outing for everybody, and the happy crowds of bargain hunters that throng the stores and streets, present to hundreds of people an opportunity of meeting friends whom they have the privilege of greeting only on widely separated occasions. The subject of almost every conversation on the big day, is a discussion of the relative merits of the bargains each member of the group has secured, and all claim theirs as the best because every one of them has bought just what he or she happened to want. That's the beauty of Dollar Day, there's a bargain for everyone, no matter what they want to buy.

And then, outside of the bargains, there's the added interest of the hundred and seventy-five dollars in cash prizes that the merchants give away to the shoppers in a friendly contest that is a strong feature of the day. The prizes will be given away the same as on former Dollar Days.

All stores where the pennants are shown, will give a blank form with every dollar purchased that day, and the buyer will make an estimate of how many of these will be filled in and dropped in the big ballot box in front of The Examiner office. Drop your estimates with your name and address written on each one of them in the ballot box, and if you have estimated closest to the actual number in the box, you will be given the $25.00 first prize. There are fifty-six prizes, ranging from $25.00 down to $1.00, and they are paid out in brand new Dollar bills, just as soon as the ballots are counted and the winners decided by a Committee of the Merchants.

Steamer Sunk By Submarine Without Warning

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 16.—The American steamer Zagrob was sunk in the Adriatic by a submarine with loss of twenty-six lives without warning.

To Dethrone King Tino

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

ATHENS, Jan. 16.—It is rumoured that King Constantine of Greece, will be dethroned.

Canadians Are Active in France

Special to The Examiner:

LONDON, Jan. 16.—The Canadians in France are active but the casualties are light.

CONSERVATIVE ELECTED IN WEST SIMCOE

The Late Hon. James Duff's Riding Returned Allan With a Large Majority

The bye-election in West Simcoe resulted in the elected of Allan the Conservative candidate by a majority of 631. Scott the Liberal candidate secured a majority at Creemore and Stayner but the remainder of the riding went overwhelmingly Conservative. The vacancy was created by the death of the late Hon. James Duff, Minister of Agriculture.

SUMMARY OF MAJORITIES

Following is an approximate summary of the majorities secured in each district:—

SUMMARY OF MAJORITIES

	Allan Con.	Scott Lib.
Collingwood	191	..
Allisten	46	..
Creemore	..	..
Stayner	..	50
TOWNSHIPS		
Essa	228	..
Nottawasaga	39	..
Tescoronto	164	..
	674	37

Allan's net majority—631.

Revolt Growing In Germany

Special to The Examiner:

LONDON, Jan. 16.—Neutral despatches say that revolt is growing in Germany. Money cannot buy food in several parts.

British Forces Making Progress

LONDON, Jan. 16.—The British in Tigris are making progress against Turks.

Wheat Prices Closed Steady

There Was a Large Decreased in the Visible Supply—The Cattle Market

Wheat prices closed practically steady with Saturday's close. There was a large decrease in the visible, but export business wes dull and inactive. Cash prices are steady. There is a good local demand for rye. Corn, strong. Oats steady.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, $2.08, track, bay ports; No. 2 $2.05; No. 3 $2.02; No. 4, $1.87; old crop 4c above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W. 71c; No. 3 69 1-2; extra No. 1 feed 69 1-4c; No. 1 feed 67 3-4c; all rail delivered.

American corn—No. 3, $1.10, shipment within 30 days.

Ontario oats—No 2 white, 64c to 66c; No. 3 white 63c to 65c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1.80 to $1.82; No. 3 $1.78 to $1.80.

Peas—No. 2, nominal, car lots $2.35

Barley—Good malting, $1.18 to $1.20; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal $1.28.

Rye—No. 1 commercial, No. 2 new, $1.40 to $1.42.

Manitoba flour—First patents in jute bags, $9.90; second patents, in jute $9.40; strong bakers, in jute $9 Toronto.

Ontario flour—New winter, $7.40 to $7.50, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment, $7.25, bulk, seaboard, export grade.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered Montreal; shorts $38; bran $33; feed flour per bag, $2.80.

Hay—Baled, No. 1 track, Toronto, best grade new bay, car lots $12.50 to $13; No. 2 $9 to $11; straw $9.50 to $10.

CATTLE MARKETS

Union Stock Yards—Receipts yesterday 189 cars with 3,761 cattle, 202 calves, 987 hogs, and 678 sheep and lambs.

Latest quotations:

Heavy steers	$9 75 to 10 25
Choice butcher	9 25 9 65
do good	8 50 8 75
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8.35 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Stirling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
8.50 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
11.40 a.m.—Midday express for Toronto, reaching Toronto at 3.15 p.m.
12.30 p.m.—For Lakefield.
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5.35 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
5.40 p.m.—For Lakefield.
8.55 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
9.05 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Boston.

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Corrected January 15, 1917.

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*12.12 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N. B., Boston and New York.
*1.20 a.m.—Norwood, Elvelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, and Ottawa.
**11.57 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and Intermediate points, and all points east of Montreal.

GOING WEST:
*4.50 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Galt, Woodstock, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*8.44 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
**7.35 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York. Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
**2.12 a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port McNichol and Intermediate points.
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By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday.)

"Mean anything to me?" she exclaimed passionately as her eyes widened, her whole attitude relaxed into a posture of collapse in her chair. "Mean anything—!" Then suddenly she straightened up and passed a hand across her brow as though to brush away a cloud that rested there. In a composed voice she added: "It means so much that you must do as I say, not merely until you feel like disobeying again, but always." After a long silence she rose. "I must get up early," she said, remembering that to-morrow brought its programme of a train journey, a matinee and an an evening performance.

"Paul," said Marcia as they walked back, "I have to leave a call for seven and catch a train at eight thirty. There's no use in your getting up. No, please don't, and please don't hunt me up again. At the door of the hotel, she said enigmatically, "What a wonderful balance Nature might have struck between your brother's strength and your winning personality. Good night."

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The Duke de Metaun's failure to rehabilitate his impaired fortunes with Burton gold had left a more durable scar upon his optimism than any of the similar scars of the past. Mary Burton had been such a splendid combination of charm and opulence that a marriage with her would have made a pleasure of necessity. The duke in his earlier stages of disappointment had felt first the pangs of a lover, and only in secondary degree the chagrin of a depleted exchequer. Several months had found him inconsolable and when desperation had closed upon him he had wedded an estimable lady whose wealth was less dazzling than Mary's but quite ample none the less. Her personal paucity of allurement was a handicap which his philosophy ignored as much as possible. In private he sometimes made a fastidious grimace and accepted the inevitable.

Yet the duke had long been an epicure in life's pleasures, and though he must yield to the demands of his creditors much as a young prince must yield to the edicts of his chancellery in making a required marriage he did so with mental reservations. He had no intention of permitting that necessity to cast a perpetual cloud over is days and nights.

He had found it possible to leave his estate in Andalusia where his duchess elected to remain with an imaginary malady from which she derived much melancholy pleasure, and in Nice he had been overjoyed to meet a charming acquaintance in the person of Loraine Haswell.

Loraine too was willing to have these hours which hung heavy, alleviated with companionship, and Nice is a place where hours lend themselves to the process of being lightened.

There was a waiter at one of the esplanade cafes where the tables look out over the whiteness of the seafront and the sapphire of the bay, who regarded his grace and madam as his regular clients. He knew, without telling, what hors d'oeuvres and vintages the dark gentleman affected and at what pastries the beautiful lady preferred to nibble. She nibbled decoratively between peals of soft laughter and snatches of small talk.

The garcon in question noted, and officially ignored, that the lady who had at first worn a preoccupied, and almost troubled expression, about her dark eyes, now smiled more often and that into the black pupils of Carlos de Metuan there came frequently a glow which was akin to ardour.

In the same way he noticed that occasionally their hands met and lingered, as the lady formed the habit of losing her handkerchief and the gentleman habituated himself to its retrieving. A legal separation cannot be established in a day and if one must remain away from one's friends at home one may surely console oneself with friends abroad.

The duke was lavish in his entertainment. His wife's fortune permitted that, as well as his wife's ignorance of it disbursements, and of late Loraine's supply of money from America had arrived on a scale of diminuendo. Entertainment was welcome.

Half-jokingly and veiled in phrases which she was at liberty to construe as she wished there had of late been an insidious vein of suggestion in the duke's conversation.

"Were I not married and were you not married and were I able to convince you with an eloquence which I lack, I think that I might be happy," he informed her one night as he studied his cigarette end in the dark. Then he laughed and his hand sought hers as he added: "Yet thank God a thousand times we live in an age when friendship need not go shackled by dark age absurdities." That had been the beginning.

"Friendship," she replied demurely, "has never had to be shackled, has it?"

He leaned forward and she caught the glint of his eyes and a flash of white teeth, as he answered:

"When friendship between man and woman is a feeble little fellow he goes free but when he grows very strong, then his lot was not so easy in other days. You understand me?"

"I'm sure I don't, but what matter" she laughed. Carlos shrugged his shoulders.

"Yes, what matter?" he murmured. "As long as we can be together why should we seek names for our companionship? It is, what it is."

Yet Loraine, still sure of her future spelling a congenial and luxurious life with Paul, understood what she pretended not to understand. The Duke de Metaun was not a riddle to her; not even a figure tinged with mystery. His wife was an unlovely invalid. Her sole value was monetary, and the duke's hints and thoughts had all to do with an arrangement wherein life should yield him the compensating delights which his family denied.

Loraine's fastidiousness rather shuddered at this idea, yet perhaps a certain sort of character disintegration had set in, with her first cutting loose the moorings of preconceived standards. Possibly it was working a more rapid atrophy than she knew. She told herself that in her exile Carlos made a rather diverting companion and that since she understood his purpose, she could with ease control the situation. He should amuse and no more. If his hints became less ambiguous than she found agreeable, she would send him packing but meanwhile she would permit his luncheons and his motors to serve her. The food and the roads about Nice are excellent, and expensive.

CHAPTER 28.

There is one town in the western hemisphere whose local news is national news and international news. Its celebrities wear names which the nation mouths over with gusto and its own name was until comparatively recent, New Amsterdam. The country closely followed the first column stories with which the press sought to keep abreast of the affairs of Hamilton Montagu Burton. It was interesting reading for it dealt with a late potentate of power untold; now an invalid whose brain slept like a child taking its forenoon nap while his millions, counted in scores and hundreds, went back to their sources as the sun draws water into the clouds to spill it out elsewhere. A giant of untold might had kindled the fires that slept at the heart of a volcano—and then had fallen asleep upon the slopes down which the lave must flow!

While he slept, Ruin, spelling itself with a capital letter had signed out the one pedestaled figure which had laughed at ruin, and mocked its potency and bragged of a star which was above menace.

Hamilton Burton lay for weeks in insensibility and delirium and when in returned consciousness, he realized his predicament he raved like a madman against restraint, counting his precious moments, which were being used against him, bleeding him of vital power. This very fretting against the inevitable burdened him with a waste of nerve and brain which should send him forth, depleted in strength and weakened in resistance, to meet his adversaries.

Nor had the forces aligned against him marked time. When again he took the field he must take it in a realm of altered and shrunken boundaries, and the roll call of his allies would show many missing, and many gone over to the foe. But greater than all these things was the change in himself. The clayed wolf who had gorged too deep of success was no longer the lean fighting beast with a ravenous light of conquest in his eyes. That Burton might have met even the present and triumphed. This was a wolf on the defensive, facing a pack which had turned upon his leadership. His weakened fangs were against the jaws of all the rest, and he came scarred and spent from days and nights of physical feebleness.

Paul sat beside Hamilton in his car as they drove down on that first day when the financier defied the edicts of his physicians.

"Hamilton," questioned the younger brother, voicing for the first time that deep anxiety which had been clamoring within him for weeks, "will you be able to drive back your assailants? The papers predict that your reign is broken and that your ruin is near at hand."

Hamilton raised his face and smiled. It was the old imperious smile, but the face over which it spread was thinner and gaunter, and between the hollowed cheekbones the smile lost something of its wonted illumination, failed somewhat of its old convincing force.

"The papers have had their opportunity to prattle without attack. Now, I am back again, we shall see." He broke off and laughed, then he rushed on fiercely. "They call this fit, Helena. They lie." In the weakened condition which was still upon him he gasped a moment for breath. "When Napoleon left Elba the papers of Paris raved about the escape of the unspeakable tyrant. When he reached the borders of France they announced without comment the approach of Napoleon Bonaparte, but when he was near the gates they raised a paean of triumphant welcome to Emperor who had burned to make France more glorious than ever among the nations! I shall soon be at their city gates, Paul, and while my star shines no mortal power can stop me or stay my progress."

But the Napoleon of the later phases was not the Napoleon of Austerlitz. Out of the great heart and brain some essential element had gone. Burton, too, had tasted defeat and knew its bitterness. He was going back to rally shrunken forces and lead a forlorn hope, and his eyes were grimly defiant, where once they had been regnantly confident. Perhaps Burton during those few months was after all more worthy of admiration than he had been since a boy whose dreams burned city-ward. Feeling each day a day of adversity and giving no hint, he recognised yet refused to admit, the dawn of defeat when defeat was far past its dawning. Upon the world of fabled assailants that pressed him back—back—ever back on dwindling millions and then shrinking hundreds of thousands he turned a fierce and unsurrendering face. To himself he said even now that his star was infallible.

Yet in the privacy of his own bedroom when no alien eye penetrated his solicitude, his bitterness was terrible. In the consistency of that egotism which had first made, then unmade him, there was no room for remorse; no possibility of self-accusation. If his star was to set it would set on this last terrific stand against the squares of the enemy, with the old guard about him.. and when the end came, like another Antony, he would fall on his own sword.

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What Ambition Can Do

By M. QUAD

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Q. Hope Jones advanced to the desk on the platform and said:

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"There are only seven persons present at my lecture, but probably the measles and the whooping cough kept the others in the house. I have delivered lectures where the audience numbered only one person, but I spoke with the emphasis, philosophy and logic that I use where the audience numbers a thousand. I shall do so tonight. You shall have the worth of your money and perhaps double the value. I am going to tell you what ambition can do.

"Take the case of Socrates. He has been dead some time, but he did not kick about dying when his time had come, and history has left us a good record of his ambitious doings. He began life as a corner grocer, and in those days every grocer had to give sixteen ounces to the pound.

"Seeing after a year or two that there was no show in the grocery business for an honest man, Old Socrates decided on a change. He closed up his shop and went to school to learn to be a statesman and an orator. Such was his ambition to get there that in two weeks he knew more than the schoolmaster. It wasn't two months after the change occurred that he made a Fourth of July speech that knocked all the older orators galley west. He used his big words in just the right places and he slung his grammar around with the utmost liberality. From thence on he began to elbow his way upward. Those who had reached the top rung of the ladder tried their best to keep him down, but failed in their designs. The time came when Socrates almost had the influence of a king.

"Having got all the honors that could be showered upon one man and having accumulated about a billion dollars, he peacefully passed away.

"But, my friends, we need not go back so far to cite our cases. Take that of Napoleon. He was born of humble parents. He lived in a garret. Hot biscuit and clover honey were not for him. Nothing but ambition saved him from becoming a tin peddler or a barber for a summer show. He had ambition, and he won. He chopped cord wood for 20 cents a day until he had saved money enough to take him through a military school. When through with this school he took command of the army of France, and the way he did lam the rest of Europe was a caution. For forty years or more he kept things going. Between his wars there was hardly time for him to go fishing. He licked the enemy in most of his battles, and when he didn't lick 'em they could not catch up to lick him.

"Ambition made Napoleon the greatest general of the world, and the greatest general finally became an emperor and made the whole world afraid of him. In truth, he became a little too ambitious. He started out to give Europe a last dressing down, and at the battle of Waterloo he got the dressing down himself. Be ambitious, but don't expect to hold four aces in every hand.

"And there was John Hancock, first to sign the Declaration of Independence. What did he amount to before he signed? Nobody took off his hat to him. His name was never put up for an office. He could not have gone to the alderman of his ward and got a sidewalk repaired. It was said of him that he was a very quiet man, but he did not know a tater bug from a beetle.

"All of a sudden, however, Mr. Hancock felt ambition stirring in his breast. He got up and took his hat off its peg and said to his wife:

"'Hannah, I think I will go over to the old statehouse and sign the Declaration of Independence. Something tells me I ought to do it.'

"And she replied:

"'Yes, John, you had better go over and write your name as large as you can. It will bluff the British if it doesn't do anything else.'

"And who was John Hancock half an hour after he had signed? Why, the men of Washington were whooping for him and carrying him about on their shoulders, and, you take my word for it, next day he could have had anything in the gift of the town. He shot right up like a green bay tree, and to know John Hancock was something that every man in the land could be proud of. He died respected and loved by all.

"My friends, there is nothing to compare with ambition. It beats the skyscraper elevator in hoisting a man up. The rope never breaks and lets the cage fall. If the ambitious boy or man is driving oxen today he may be riding in his own gilded railroad car five years from now. If you are not an ambitious man don't delay in making a start. If you have not the feeling coax it to come to you, and when it comes give it a warm welcome and prepare to be hoisted into greatness."

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If you will try N.P. SOAP just once you will always use it for all household and laundry purposes.
N.P. SOAP is the best soap that can be bought. It saves your money, too, because you get such a great big bar for
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ONE WAY TO PAY.

How the Artist Raphael Settled His Bill at an Inn.

Raphael, the great Italian painter, whose celebrated Biblical pictures are worth fabulous sums of money, was not a rich man when young and encountered some of the vicissitudes of life like many another genius.

Once when traveling he put up at an inn and remained there, unable to get away through lack of funds to settle his bill. The landlord grew suspicious that such was the case, and his requests for a settlement grew more and more pressing. Finally young Raphael in desperation resorted to the following device:

He carefully painted upon a table top in his room a number of gold coins, and, placing the table in a certain light that gave a startling effect, he packed his few belongings and summoned his host.

"There," he exclaimed, with a lordly wave of his hand toward the table, "is enough to settle my bill and more. Now kindly show the way to the door."

The innkeeper, with many smiles and bows, ushered his guest out and then hastened back to gather up his gold. His rage and consternation when he discovered the fraud knew no bounds until a wealthy English traveler, recognizing the value of the art put in the work, gladly paid him $50 for the table.—Stray Stories.

Teutons and Slavs.

A Teuton is one of an ancient German tribe that dwelt north of the Elbe and first appeared in history along with the Ambie, about 300 B. C. The German people in general are called Teutons. The name means "the people," as opposed to foreigners.

A Slav is one belonging to any of the Slavonic groups of Aryans. These are all domiciled in Europe except the Russians of Siberia, and a large number of emigrants settled in America. They are divided into three groups, eastern Slavs or Russians, northwestern Slavs and southern Slavs. They are the most numerous race in Europe. Their original habitat seems to have been the basins of the Vistula and other rivers to the northeast of the Carpathians.

VASTNESS OF GREENLAND.

This Ice Crowned Island Is as Big as Mexico or Alaska.

Greenland is the largest island in the world. Its total length from Cape Farewell, its southern extremity in 60 degrees north latitude, to Cape Morris K. Jesup, its northern extremity in 83½ degrees north latitude, is in round numbers 1,500 miles, almost exactly the same as the length of the United States on the ninety-seventh meridian, from the mouth of the Rio Grande to where our northern boundary crosses the Red River of the North. The greatest width of Greenland is about the same as the distance from New York to St. Louis.

In regard to its area the figures of various authorities vary widely. It may be sufficient to say that it can be grouped in size with the United States east of the Mississippi, Alaska, Mexico, Colombia, Persia, Portuguese West Africa and Turkey in Asia.

Its interior is covered with a great sheet of ice rising to elevations of probably 10,000 feet in places and several thousand feet in thickness. The available ice free land is a strip of varying width along the coast, intersected by numerous deep fiords.

When one turns the pages of American arctic exploration Greenland is found more or less intimately associated during over sixty years with all American expeditions, except the Jeannette expedition.

Americans have lifted nearly all of its northwestern and northern coasts out of the arctic night and fog and have twice crossed its northern part. American names stud its coasts, and the name of an American marks its northern extremity, the most northern known land in the world.—Rear Admiral Peary

His Telephone Number.

"Confound it all!" cried a business man. "I've forgotten my new telephone number. I didn't write it down because that's an indication of weakness."

"What about forgetting the number?" said the other man. "Isn't that mental weakness too? Is it the number of your home telephone?"

"Yes."

"Then why not call up your wife and ask her what it is?"

And without the slightest hesitation the forgetful man called up the forgotten number and asked his amazed wife what it was.

Handed It Back.

"Why don't you put your mind on it and get a good cook?" demanded Jones impatiently of his wife.

"Well," replied Mrs. Jones sweetly, "I guess it is because I don't know how. I never seemed to have a faculty for selecting people to live with."—Exchange.

Knocks Obstinate Coughs in a Hurry
A Simple Home-Made Remedy that Gets at the Cause.

Thousands of people normally healthy in every other respect, are annoyed with a persistent hanging-on bronchial cough year after year, disturbing their sleep and making life disagreeable. It's so needless—there's an old home-made remedy that will end such a cough easily and quickly.

Get from any druggist "2½ ounces of Pinex" (50 cents worth), pour it into a 16-oz. bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. Begin taking it at once. Gradually but surely you will notice the phlegm thin out and then disappear altogether, thus ending a cough that you never thought would end. It also promptly loosens a dry or tight cough, stops the troublesome throat tickle, soothes the irritated membranes that line the throat and bronchial tubes, and relief comes almost immediately. A day's use will usually break up an ordinary throat or chest cold, and for bronchitis, croup, whooping cough and bronchial asthma there is nothing better. It tastes pleasant and keeps perfectly.

Pinex is a most valuable concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, combined with guaiacol and is used by millions of people every year for throat and chest colds with splendid results.

To avoid disappointment, ask your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with full directions and don't accept anything else. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction or money promptly refunded goes with this preparation. The Pinex Co., Toronto, Ont.

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Prompt Relief—Permanent Cure
CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS never fail. Purely vegetable—act surely but gently on the liver. Stop after dinner distress—cure biliousness—relieve the nausea—banish the sick headache—improve the complexion—brighten the eyes. Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price.
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CHINESE DOCTORS.

Their Weird Ideas About Disease and Its Remedies.

PUNCH HOLES IN PATIENTS.

To Perform This Operation They Use Eight Different Styles of Needles, Some Two Feet Long, and the Bigger the Punch the Greater the Doctor.

The bigger the needle with which a Chinese doctor punctures his patient the higher the charge, for the bigger the needle the more distinguished is the physician. If the doctor wears a straw hat, that signifies he is a prosperous doctor and his charge is a little more. If he comes in a sedan, the patient must pay for the chair.

Dr. Frans Otto Koch, writing in the Popular Science Monthly, gives a description of the Chinese physician and how he practices.

"The native Chinese doctor is a curiosity," writes Dr. Koch. "He passes no examination; he requires no qualifications; he may have failed in business and set up as a physician. In his new profession he requires little stock in trade, medical instruments being almost unknown.

"Acupuncture, as it is called, is one of the nine branches recognised in medical science among the Chinese. It is of most ancient origin, having been in use from time immemorial. There are 537 markings to be learned. Every square inch on the human surface has its own name, and some relation to the internal parts, purely imaginary, is assigned to it. The user is cautioned against wounding the arteries; hence he must know the position of the blood vessels. By close study of a manikin pierced with holes the Chinese physician learns where to drive his needles. Parts of the body are selected which may be pierced without fatal results. Sometimes heat is applied to the outer end of the needle, and this is called a hot acupuncture, but the needle is never heated before insertion.

"The needle used looks very much like a sewing machine needle, but it is longer and coarser. Some of the Chinese doctors have needles two feet long and are supposed by ardent admirers to be able to drive these instruments entirely through the patient's body. The great size of the needles is in reality intended to represent the greatness of the owner's skill and reputation. The needles used are of eight forms, as follows: The arrowhead, blunt puncturing, spear pointed, fusiform, round, capillary, long and thick. The point of insertion, the depth and direction are all important. The method is usually to drive the needle through the distended skin by a blow from a light mallet.

"If he can get an old book of prescriptions from a retiring practitioner so much the better for the Chinese doctor. He is now equipped to kill or cure, as chance or his ignorance may dictate. The doctor most entitled to confidence in the sight of his countrymen is the man whose father has been a doctor before him. Confidence in him knows no bounds should his grandfather have followed the same calling. This is not mere fatuous belief in heredity, but is based on the supposed value of old prescription books passed on from grandfather to grandson.

"Fees vary according to the physician's social class and that of his patients and also according to the physician's place of residence. The enormous sum of perhaps 15 American cents or half a dollar at the most may be charged for a visit if the doctor comes in a sedan chair. Of this amount a large proportion goes for the chair. Should the doctor belong to the humbler ranks and come on foot his fee is proportionately less. He assumes a solemn air and owl-like look as he peers out of the semidarkness of a Chinese bedroom through great goggle shaped glasses—two inches across and set in huge uncouth copper frame.

"Most important in diagnosing a case, according to Chinese ideas, is the feeling of the different pulses of the human system. The pulse at each wrist is felt. By this feeling the pulses the states of a dozen real or imaginary organs are determined. Having thus learned by the pressure at these pulses the seat of the disease, a few questions may be asked, but these are considered scarcely necessary. A prescription sometimes calling for the most horrible and nauseating compounds is prepared in large doses, for the native believes that the larger the dose the more likely it is to prove efficacious. In prescribing for natives the foreign doctors have to give the strictest injunctions that the paper box in which the pills are contained is not to be swallowed.

"The manner in which the Chinese treat their physicians is characteristic. Should a speedy cure not result from the doctor's treatment the patient calls in another. If he does not improve he calls in a third. Thus the medical skill of the whole neighborhood may be drawn upon."

A Famous Welsh Fortress.

Carnarvon castle is the most splendid specimen of medieval military architecture surviving in Britain, not excepting Alnwick. Art and beauty were combined with strength by De Elfreton, the architect, who had been commanded to construct a palace within an impregnable fortress. Whether the mean little passage chamber in the Eagle tower was the birthplace of the infant prince whom Edward I. made the medium of such a grim practical joke upon the Welsh seems doubtful, but the main story may still be true. Every famous soldier who helped to make history in this corner of Britain has played some part within or without the walls of Carnarvon castle. It has been starved into surrender, but never captured by force of arms and can therefore claim to be considered a "virgin fortress."—Westminster Gazette.

"almost a miracle"

That is what Rabbi M. Shallit of Edenbridge, Sask., says regarding a cure by Zam-Buk, of which he gives the following particulars:

"A short time ago," said the Rabbi, "a man brought his little son to me and asked if I knew of anything that would cure the child of a terrible skin disease, with which he had suffered for three years. The child's forehead, eyes and ears were covered with sores. The sight was shocking, and the child had not been able to see for two years. As he was an only child, the father said he would give anything to have him cured, but as he had already been treated by many doctors, each of whom had given up the case as incurable, he had about despaired of ever finding a cure. Having great faith in Zam-Buk, I recommended it, and to cut a long story short, perseverance with Zam-Buk has now completely cured the child.

THE FATHER'S ACCOUNT

The following letter from the father of the boy expresses his gratitude:

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Dear Sirs: I beg to testify that my boy suffered for three years with a severe skin disease, which doctors tried to cure, but in vain. The sores on his eyes were so terrible that for two years he was quite unable to see. Zam-Buk, however, has worked a complete and permanent cure.

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Apple Crop Poor.

With the apple crop of Ontario approaching maturity it is possible to make a reasonably accurate forecast of production in this line. That production in eastern Canada will be small admits of no doubt, according to the August report of the Dominion Fruit Commissioner. It is equally well assured, according to the same authority, that in Ontario and Quebec at least the quality will be very poor.

In the Lake Erie district it is only well cared for orchards that show a good crop, and the general yield is not placed over forty per cent. normal, with ten per cent. No. 1. About Colpoys, in the extreme of the Lake Ontario district, only a fifty per cent. crop is looked for, and that badly damaged by scab and hail.

The report of the Fruit Branch of the Ontario Department of Agriculture is in entire agreement with that of the Dominion Fruit Commissioner. Going more into detail the Ontario report says that in the Goderich district apples are almost an entire failure. In Lambton Baldwins alone promise a full crop, other leading varieties being light to medium; in Kent and Norfolk crops are only mediums in quantity, and scab has greatly reduced quality.

A Certainty.

"What would you do if you had a million pounds?"

"Oh, I don't know! Just sit down and watch my wife spend it, I suppose."

Children Had Eczema
Doctors Failed To Cure

Two Letters Which Prove the Efficiency of Dr. Chase's Ointment as a Cure for Eczema

Fortunate are the mothers who know the virtues of Dr. Chase's Ointment, for there is no treatment so suitable for use after the bath to relieve irritation and chafing and to thereby prevent eczema and similar skin diseases.

Mrs. W. L. Barnes, Timmins, Ont. writes: "I want to tell you about the case of my little boy, who had baby eczema when he was three months old. It started on the top of his head, on his forehead and around his ears. The doctors failed to do him any good, so I tried D. Chase's Ointment on the recommendation of a friend, and in a month's time the child was entirely free of this disagreeable skin disease. He is now four years old, and has never had any further trouble from ailments of this kind. I also have great faith in Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and believe that it cannot be beaten as a restorative for pale, nervous women."

Mrs. George McNair, River Charles, N.B., writes:— "We use Dr. Chase's Ointment in our home, and would not wish for anything better for cuts, burns and bruises. A few years ago a friend of mine, whose baby was terribly afflicted with eczema had her child treated by their own family physician, but the little one got no better. They tried several remedies, but they all proved useless in this case. Upon the advise of a neighbour they got Dr. Chase's Ointment, and before the first box was used the child was completely cured. I can also recommend Dr. Chase's Nerve Food to suffering friends who I new will be glad to learn of something to relieve their nervous trouble. You have my permission to use this letter for the benefit of others."

Dr. Chase's Ointment 60 cents a box, all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

TOOK AWAY HIS BREATH.

When Davison Heard Morgan Wanted Him For a Partner.

"Mr. Morgan wants to see you in his library at 3 o'clock," was the message received one day by the vice president of a New York bank.

He hadn't the slightest idea what the veteran financier could want with him. He had met Mr. Morgan, as most other financiers had, during the perilous days when the master mind of them all was trying to stem the 1907 panic, but had not seen anything of Mr. Morgan until the spring of the following year when, with Senator Aldrich and other members of the monetary commission, he had spent a Sunday at Mr. Morgan's London home. Between then and the receipt of the above message in the fall of 1908 he had seldom spoken to Mr. Morgan.

Promptly at 3 o'clock the young banker, wondering what the matter could be, rang the bell of the famous Morgan library. On being ushered in he almost collided with Mr. Morgan at the entrance to his private room.

Mr. Morgan shook hands and bade the puzzled visitor be seated.

"Do you realize it is pretty near the 1st of January?" he asked.

The young banker, very much at sea, agreed that it was. This was about the middle of November.

"Are you ready?" asked Mr. Morgan.

"Ready for what?" queried the astonished visitor.

"For what?" echoed Mr. Morgan. "You know I want you to come and join my firm on the 1st of January."

"You never said anything about it, Mr. Morgan."

"I thought you knew by my expression what I thought of you," said Mr. Morgan.

"Mr. Morgan, have you ever fallen from an eighteen story building?"

It was Mr. Morgan's turn to be astonished.

"No," he replied, scrutinizing his visitor.

"Well, I never have before, and it will take me a minute or two to catch my breath."

Mr. Morgan laughed.

And that was how Henry P. Davison, then only forty, was notified of his selection as a partner in the greatest international banking firm in the United States.—R. C. Forbes in Leslie's.

Strength Will Return To Weak People Using This Treatment

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"Ferrosone built me up.

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"The first box of Ferrosone improved my blood, gave me appetite. In a short time I was like a new person. Now I rejoice in abundant good health."

Try Ferrosone. It will make an unexpected improvement in your looks, your feeling, your health.

Whether anaemic, nervous or suffering from secret disorders,—if you want cure, use Ferrosone. Price 50c. per box, or six boxes for $2.50, at all dealers or direct from The Catarrhozone Co., Kingston, Ont.

WEIGHING A PIG.

It Was a Perplexing Problem, but the Farm Lad Solved It.

A Massachusetts boy has solved a problem which ought to be of interest to all farm youngsters. If you had a pig and wanted to weigh him, but owned a pair of scales recording only twelve pounds, what would you do about it?

This eastern farmer boy had entered a pig in a contest conducted by the agricultural department and had to keep monthly records of gains in weight, but he suffered the handicap described above. His solution was a credit to his ingenuity.

The boy notched a high board fence, put a long pole evenly across it, resting in the notch, and fastened a crate to one end of the pole and a box to the other. He put sand in the box until the pole was exactly balanced. Then he enticed the pig into the crate by means of corn, fastened him and put small stones into the box until the pole again balanced. These stones he weighed on his little scales, load after load, and their total gave him the weight of the pig.

That boy when he grows up may invent the much talked of substitute for gasoline.

A Profitable Reduction.

The capitalist knew that the new company was spending too much money; also he knew that in some way they had got to put a stop to it. So anxious was he to reduce expenses that he offered his private secretary $25 a month extra if he could find a way to cut down current expenses.

The young man overhauled his accounts, but he failed to find a single expense that could be judiciously cut down. Just as he was about to give up the promised increase in salary it occurred to him that he was already getting $80 a month. Brimming over with enthusiasm, he sought the capitalist.

"I have found a way," he said. "You can save $10 a month on me. I have taken that amount off my salary."

It took the capitalist just about a tenth of a second to see that the young man was still $15 a month ahead, but the bargain stood.

Wrong Interpretation.

A city official tells of a conversation he had a Spanish maiden had when he was a sergeant with troops stationed on the island of Porto Rico.

"The senorita," said the official, "had become infatuated with a certain soldier named Harry, and she had learned his name. One morning she approached me and asked:

"'Where Harry?

"He was asleep, and I laid my head on my hand and closed my eyes to tell the girl. She misunderstood the signs and, with a cry, pointed to heaven. I shook my head and pointed down. The senorita raised her hands in silent supplication. Later Harry was seen on guard, and the girl looked at me reproachfully."

His Wail.

"She's like all the other women."

"In what way?"

"She imagines all a man has to do to get his salary raised is to ask for it."

"Well?"

"And I can't convince her that the boss won't give me more money unless I earn it. She insists on blaming me because we're poor."

Scrambled.

"No," she said to the grocer, "we got some eggs the other day by parcel post."

"How many?" ventured the grocer.

"Well, I don't know how many, but I would say about a gallon and a half of 'em."—Farm Life.

Rocks.

Blobbs—He has made quite a study of geology, hasn't he? Slobbs—I believe so. At any rate he is going to marry a girl with the rocks.—Philadelphia Record.

A wound inflicted by firearms can still be healed, but one inflicted by tongue will never heal up.—Persian Proverb.

EXAMINER PATTERN SERVICE

LADY'S WAIST.

By Anabel Worthington.

This waist with the becoming open neck will draw favorable attention whether made of one or two materials. The design offers big opportunity for carrying out the smart idea of the season—to have the waist match the skirt in color or else be in harmonizing tone.

It is cut in two sections at back and front, the front having the more novel treatment, with the lower section extending to the neck in vest effect. Another touch that counts is bringing the color of the vest to the sleeve with an epaulet and a very novel cuff.

Although a dressy blouse, this is a serviceable one. For morning wear it may be developed in linen, cotton voile and like fabrics. For better service Georgette crepe promises to hold the favor of fashion during the entire fall and winter. There is also a tubable white as well as flesh color crepe de China that is well in the lead. In harmonious combination of light and dark tones, such as navy with yellow or with rose, green with gray, &c., this model may be developed in sheer silk crepe with a half lining of net or Japanese silk for afternoon wear.

The waist pattern No. 7,986 is cut in sizes 36 to 46 bust measure. To make in size 36 will require 1⅝ yards of 36 inch material for the upper part and sleeves, ⅜ yard for the lower part and trim. Or 2¼ yards, all one material, one color.

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ALL CANADIANS THERE

MOORE BARRACKS HOSPITAL A DOMINION PRODUCT.

In Many Ways It Is the Most Important Hospital in England for Canadians Because the Entire Staff and All the Patients Are From This Country—Dr. Wallace Scott is in Charge.

MOORE BARRACKS HOSPITAL does not occupy a large enough place in the minds of the people "back home," says Florinda writing from England to The Toronto Star Weekly. It is, so far as Canadians are concerned, the most important hospital in England, because it is so essentially Canadian. In that the O. C., his medical, surgical, and nursing staff and patients are all Canadians.

The officer commanding, Colonel Walker Scott, is one of the well-known Toronto surgeons, who has for so many years been a member of the university as well as the St. Michael's Hospital surgical staff.

Moore Barracks ought to hold first place in the hearts of all Canadians because, as I have before intimated, it is so essentially a Canadian military hospital, which Cliveden and Beachborough, although receiving such generous—and perhaps more than their just share of—attention, are not. It (Moore Barracks) is the hospital which looks after the camp sick, and when one stops to consider that there have hitherto been from 25,000 to 40,000 Canadians in camp in and around Shorncliffe, one must realize the importance of such a hospital.

Moore Barracks is peculiarly fortunate in having as its O. C. Colonel Scott. The discipline of this hospital is most exemplary, maintained, perhaps a little at the expense of his popularity by that element of his staff—and there are always a few—who are afraid of work. An untiring and indefatigable worker himself, he is a strict martinet in demanding that his staff live up to his standard, but by those who do live up to his standard—and they are the large majority—he is most genuinely liked and respected, and by many loved. Many are his acts of kindness, not only to his staff, but his patients, and certain stories have come to my ears of his sympathy for and goodness to the stricken relatives and friends who come—perhaps too late—to see husbands, sons, and brothers who have been so tenderly ministered to and cared for at Moore Barracks Hospital.

Moore Barracks is also singularly fortunate in having Miss Russell as matron. Miss Russell comes from Hamilton, and her war experiences have been many and varied. This is her third war—she having seen service in both the Spanish-American and South African campaigns.

When it comes to speaking of Colonel Scott and Miss Russell, I hesitate to become too eulogistic—remembering the innate modesty of both—but as an ex-patient of Moore Barracks Hospital, where I received much excellent care and individual attention, I cannot speak too highly of the O. C., the matron, and the nursing staff, as judged from first-hand experience. Miss Russell's vivacity, sound judgment, and individual and indiscriminate interest in her nurses, combined with a zeal for work that makes of her so unselfish and tireless a matron, has made of Moore Barracks for the nurses one of the most popular of all Canadian hospitals in England or France. The nurses are reluctant to leave and glad to return.

The hospital is equipped for 1,000 patients, and has of late been taxed to its utmost capacity. Colonel Scott has many times had to reluctantly discharge patients who he realised were not yet fit to be discharged, and they were sent to convalescent homes every bit as well intentioned, but unfortunately not as well equipped as Moore Barracks. If the Canadians at home could realise as I realized through seeing it at first hand the self sacrifice of the O.C. and his surgical, medical, and nursing staff, who, owing to the exigencies in France, were left at about one-third their strength, to struggle with one of the biggest emergencies of the hospital when measles and pneumonia were rampant. If I repeat—you could have witnessed their devotion to duty when—as the matron herself told me—her nurses came to her imploring her to allow them to remain overtime on duty, which she was many times reluctantly compelled to allow them to do, and how unselfishly they gave themselves up to the meeting of the emergency—going oftentimes without sufficient sleep and without hours off, there, would you realize something of what it means to be an army nurse, and realize, too, that such devotion to duty meant the bringing safely through the crisis many young lives that would otherwise have been prematurely snuffed out instead of being restored to health, and eventually to the fighting line in Flanders.

The situation of Moore Barracks as a hospital, is ideal, topping as it does the crest of the beautifully wooded hill that lies to the east of Folkstone—the same hill that was used for hospital purposes during the Crimean War—with a magnificent and commanding view of the English Channel from which blow those health-restoring breezes which make of it such an admirable location for a hospital. It is on what military authorities would doubtless call a salient.

Free Serums.

Serums to the value of $15,000 have been distributed by the Provincial Health Board.

Pretty Bad.

The world must be in a pretty bad way when opportunity promoter isn't faithful to his trust.

STRATAGEMS OF WAR.

Clever Tricks by Which Two Chilean Warships Were Sunk.

Between the years 1879 and 1884 the republics of Peru and Chile were at war, and, although the Peruvians were eventually discomfited, they displayed great adroitness in naval matters. On one occasion they succeeded in sinking two Chilean warships, their clever strategy being thus described by Stephen Coleridge in his memoirs:

"Soon after the Chilean fleet had settled down to the blockade of Callao there appeared in the bay one morning a large barge of fruit that had obviously gone adrift from the shore. The Peruvians put out in boats and steam launches to bring the barge back, and the Chileans, seeing what was happening, also sent out pinnaces and boats to intercept and capture the drifting barge. A fierce fusillade between the hostile boats followed, and several men were killed or wounded. At length the Peruvians drew off and left the barge in the hands of the triumphant Chileans, who towed it off amid the cheers of their ships' crews, who had watched the fight with keen interest.

"They brought the barge alongside one of the big man-of-war and quickly sent the cargo of luscious fresh fruit up the side in baskets. When about half the cargo had been taken on board a terrific explosion shook the bay, and an enormous hole appeared in the side of the great ship which sank instantly with all hands. By an arrangement of springs and balances a huge charge of dynamite in the bottom of the barge was ignited when a certain amount of the weight of the cargo was removed. Although the Peruvians had waged the fight for the possession of the barge with fierce persistence, they had never intended to be successful.

"A few weeks later a large man-of-war was sent up the coast to capture anything worth having at Huacho. On the appearance of the vessel the inhabitants drew their boats far inland and, taking all their valuables, fled into the interior. One boat, a new one, larger than the others, they hauled some little way up the beach and then abandoned.

"After pillaging the place the Chileans looked at the boat, which was entirely empty. The Peruvians had removed oars, sails, mast and even the rowlocks. The Chileans looked it over to be sure that there was no dynamite in it and then towed it away to their vessel. The captain had the davits run out and ropes put round the seats at the bow and the stern. Then he ordered his men to haul away.

"It was the last order he ever gave, for the moment the ropes tightened the ship was blown to pieces and disappeared in seventy fathoms of water. A false bottom had concealed a tremendous charge of dynamite that was arranged to ignite when any upward force was applied to any of the seats.

"The inhabitants of the town, who had watched their stratagem destroy a great man-of-war without the smallest risk to themselves, returned hilariously to their houses with songs and lances."

Sun Drunkenness.

To become sun drunk is a condition into which any one may fall in the tropics. Exposure to the sun's rays will reduce a man to a condition almost exactly resembling drunkenness. He staggers about and is usually compelled to lie down and "sleep it off." Sun drunkenness is sometimes accompanied by nausea. Another curious fact in connection with life in the tropics, where the sun rises at the same time all the year round, is that if you do not get up before sunrise you do not feel well all day. You feel heavy, out of sorts and sickish.

Complicated, but Easy.

"How do you get your husband to do what he doesn't want to do when you want him to do it?"

"That's easy. I make a big fuss over something he has already done which I didn't want him to do or I remind him of something which I have done which he wanted me to do and I didn't want to do and soon he is doing what I want him to do just as though he had wanted to do it all along."

Montreal's Cathedral.

The great landmark in Montreal is the Cathedral of Notre Dame, which, next to the famous cathedral in the City of Mexico, is the largest church building in America and has a seating capacity of 12,000. The church was built in 1829 and is noted for its magnificent chimes, one of the bells of which, called "Le Gros Bourdon," is one of the largest suspended bells in the world and weighs 24,780 pounds.

He Knows.

It may be hard to convince a healthy man that health is more important than wealth, but a sick man understands it.—Atchison Globe.

Correct.

He—A man who gives in when he's wrong is a wise man, but he who gives in when he's right is— She—Married!

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LOST IN LOVE.

All Weathers Were Alike to These Two Dreamers.

A Man and a Maid who walked along the garden paths were observed by the Moon, the Roses and the Night Wind.

"Here come two lovers," chuckled the Moon. "I will shine my silver best for their sakes."

"Here come two lovers," murmured the Roses. "Let us send forth our sweetest perfume to greet them."

"Here come two lovers," sighed the Night Wind. "I will whisper to them of the magic that lies in a summer night."

But the Moon suddenly blotted the smile from his face. "We will not trouble ourselves," he declared. "These lovers are the same two who walked the garden paths but yesternight. And, for all we did our best to please them, what did they in return? They spoke no word of my beauty — either of them."

"And they never noticed me," complained the Roses.

"I remember them well," sniffed the Night Wind. "They only said, 'It is a beautiful evening!' and gave us no credit at all. Let us do all we can to punish them."

So the Moon hid behind the darkest cloud he could find. And the Roses withheld their perfume. And the Night Wind turned chill and rustled the dry leaves dismally, and even succeeded in finding a few stray raindrops and flinging them in a dank, grayish mist across the garden paths.

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"It's a beautiful evening!" said the two lovers.—Ella Randall Pearce in Life.

MEXICO HAS HER BASTILLE.

The Building Where the First Blow For Liberty Was Struck.

The Alhondiga de Granaditas (prison) in Guanajuato is one of the most historic buildings in the Mexican republic and will always be remembered not as a storehouse of grain, not as a prison, which it now is, but as the place where the first blow was struck for the liberation of Mexico from Spanish rule. Quadrangular in shape, with a central patio, a row of small Moorish windows near the top, the lower floor Tuscan, the upper Doric, the building has no architectural beauty.

At each corner is a large hook, from which in the days of the struggle for independence were hung four iron cages containing the heads of the great liberators—the patriot priest, Hidalgo; his military chief, Allende, and his comrades, Aldama and Jimenez. Here they hung for years until removed by a worshiping nation to the altar of kings in the cathedral of the City of Mexico.

After the Grito de Dolores and the first ringing of the bell of independence Hidalgo and his followers moved on to Guanajuato, stormed the improvised fort of Alhondiga and killed all the Spanish troops that had taken refuge there. This was the beginning of the eleven years' war of independence.—Frank H. Probert in National Geographic Magazine.

A Poet Who Dreaded Fire.

Thomas Gray, author of the "Elegy," had a weakness in the form of a nervous dread of fire. His chamber at St. Peter's college, Cambridge, being on the second floor, he thought it likely that in case of a fire his exit by the stairs might be cut off. He therefore caused an iron bar to be fixed by arms projecting from the outside of his window, designing by a rope attached thereto to descend in the event of a fire occurring. This excessive caution led to a practical joke by his fellows. One midnight a party of students thundered at his door with loud cries of "Fire, fire!" The nervous poet flew to his window and slid down the rope to the ground, where he was hailed with shouts of laughter. Gray's delicate nature was so shocked by this rough joke that he changed his lodgings.

Making It Even.

Sandy, the plumber, was working on a town job with an apprentice.

In the course of the forenoon the boss visited the job and, failing to find Sandy anywhere about the premises, decided to wait his return.

"Where have you been?" demanded the boss when Sandy put in an appearance.

"Gettin' ma hair cut," answered Sandy, quite coolly.

"And how dare you get your hair cut in my time?"

"Weel, dinna it grow in your time?"—London Mail.

Odious Comparison.

Drill Sergeant—I say, Smith, have you any idea how slow and stupid you are? Private Smith—I don't know. Drill Sergeant—Of course you don't, but let me tell you that an Egyptian mummy is frisky compared with you.—London Tit-Bits.

Brine.

Brine boils at 225 degrees F., and at this degree fine salt is formed. At 195 degrees F. common salt results and fishery, or large grained, at 110 degrees F. The salt crystallizes on the surface of the brine in the pans, floats a little and then sinks to the bottom, leaving it free from fresh crystals.

Changeable.

"He fell in love with a girl whose face he saw on a magazine cover."

"Sounds romantic. Did he follow up the romance and marry her?"

"Didn't have time. There's another magazine out this month."

Green All Around.

Mrs. Youngbride (in fish store)—Haven't you any lobsters that are riper? These look so green."—Boston Transcript.

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TASTE AND MANNERS.

Sometimes They Are Linked and Are Also Both Bad.

What is the difference between taste and manners?

It may be bad manners to knock a man down, but it is not necessarily bad taste.

A rich man in Philadelphia gave a reception and issued invitation cards upon which were engraved his picture. This was not bad manners. It was certainly bad taste.

A large, handsome woman once broke into a meeting of President Lincoln's cabinet, interrupting the proceedings. The homely Lincoln arose and, addressing her, said:

"Madam, what do you wish?"

She replied:

"I came in here to take a look at you."

Lincoln smiled.

"Well, madam," he replied, "in the matter of looking I have a distinct advantage of you."

That was both bad taste and bad manners on her part, and on the part of Lincoln it was good manners and good taste to refrain from throwing her out of the window, as in strict justice he should have done.

Good taste is largely a matter of experience united to natural abilities.

To go up to your father-in-law at your wedding breakfast with a bottle of champagne in your hand and slapping him on the back, calling him "old sport," is not only bad taste and bad manners, but wretched sense, especially if the old gentleman is worth a million.

To be told that your friend is too busy to see you in his office and then to call him up over the nearest telephone is not necessarily bad taste, but bad manners. The two may go together, but this is not an invariable rule.—Life.

Tart Retort.

Every small town has its prominent citizen who appears before the city fathers and "talks right out in meetin'." Not every town, however, has among its councilors a member with sufficient moral backbone to answer back, as did John Hammer of a western town whose name is of no consequence. Concluding his arraignment, the prominent citizen hurled this thunderbolt at the board, "I'd sooner put up as a candidate for a lunatic asylum than put up for the town council."

"Well, you'd stand a much better chance of getting in," dryly responded Mr. Hammer.—Argonaut.

Why Worry?

If you're afflicted with the worry habit, consider this old Chinese proverb: "The legs of the stork are long, the legs of the duck are short; you cannot make the legs of the stork short, neither can you make the legs of the duck long. Why worry?"

Was Troubled With Shortness of Breath

When the heart becomes affected, there ensues a feeling of a choking sensation, a shortness of breath, palpitation, throbbing, irregular beating, smothering sensation, dizziness, and a weak, sinking, all-gone feeling of oppression and anxiety.

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Russians On The Offensive In Roumania

A NEW ALLIED ATTACK IN THE BALKANS

BERLIN ADMITS RUSSIANS ARE NOW ON THE OFFENSIVE IN ROUMANIA

German Report However Says Czar's Troops Were Absolutely Without Success in Their Violent Attack---Allies' Armies at Salonika Preparing to Attempt the Task of Cutting the Berlin-Constantinople-Bagdad Railway.

A SUMMARY OF TO-DAY'S WAR CABLES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BERLIN, January 16. — Russian forces undertook a violent attack in Roumania yesterday on both sides of Fundania, to-day's War Office report says, but were again absolutely without success.

NEW YORK, January 16.—That the Allies' armies in Salonika region will be heavily reinforced and given the task of cutting the Berlin-Constantinople-Bagdad Railway, is the story carried in London despatches to the News Agency here to-day.

It is based on despatches of a correspondent with General Sarrail's forces. This writer describes Turkey as a huge granary for men, munitions and foods which Germany is developing along all lines.

TWO ENEMY SHIPS SUNK.

PETROGRAD, January 16.—The sinking of two enemy ships near the Bosphorus by a Russian submarine was announced in to-day's official statement.

GERMANY'S LAST EFFORT MAY BE IN 1917.

LONDON, Eng., January 16.—The Spectator in a lengthy editorial says that the watchword of the Allies for 1917 must be "Engage the enemy more closely on sea and on land and in the air." The Spectator says that Germany's last effort may come this year on the sea, and the British must be prepared for a terrific impact.

Allies Will Depose the King of Greece

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

ROME, January 16.—King Constantine of Greece, the brother-in-law and would-be ally of the Kaiser, is to be deposed, and a relative of the King of Italy placed on his throne, it is understood here. This is regarded as the most momentous decision reached at the conference of allied chiefs held here ten days ago.

The leaders of the Venizelos faction are understood to have agreed to the revolution, and, infact, they have long desired the deposition of Constantine. Envoys from the great Greek leader took part in the conference here, and General Sarrail was also present, coming direct from Saloniki, where the Greek revolutionaries make their headquarters.

The man who will take the throne has not been definiteley chosen, but the first choice is the Duke of Aosta. He is now considering the offer, and his cousin, King Emmanuel, is urging that he accept. Aosta is the elder brother of the Duke of Abruzzi.

NO SURPRISE IN WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, January 16.—No surprise was shown in allied diplomatic circles here when the Ambassadors were told of The New York Tribune's despatch from Rome, telling of the plan to depose King Constantine of Greece and place the Duke of Aosta on the throne. The diplomats naturally refused to comment on the despatch or to confirm it, but their attitude expressed neither ignorance nor doubt.

Heavy Fighting on the Roumanian Front

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, January 16. — Heavy fighting continues on the Northern Roumanian front with varying results. To-day's Petrograd report follows: "Roumanians and Russian troops which were attacking seven versts south of Praleo have advanced two versts (a mile and a third).

Pope Congratulates United States President

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, January 16.—Pope Benedict has sent his formal congratulations to President Wilson for the President's effort to secure from the belligerent nations a statement of their object in the great war. Spanish Ambassador Riano to-day delivered the Pope's communication to the President.

Lawson Is On the Stand

Special to The Examiner:

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 16.—Thomas W. Lawson resumed the stand in the House leak probe committee hearing this morning.

Though subpoena servers hunted all night for Mrs. Ruth Thomson, Viscounti, the "woman in the case," they said they had been unable to locate her to summon her as a witness.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

Examiner Special:

TORONTO, Jan. 16.—Live stock receipts light, market strong: Heavy steers, $9.75 to $10.50; choice butcher cows, $7.50 to $8.50; choice butcher bulls, $6.85 to $8.50; stockers, $7.35 to $7.75; hogs fed and watered $13.29 to $14.35; off cars, $13.50; others unchanged.

Y. M. C. A. NEWS

Wednesday night the Standard Efficiency Test groups will meet for their tests and business at their regular hour, and at 8 o'clock, will meet in a body in the lecture room, where Mr. Elcome will give a talk on "How to Classify Birds."

The practical talks which are conducted by the Y.M.C.A., every Wednesday night, are open to all students and boys who are interested.

The following Bible study groups are scheduled for the week: Wednesday night, 8 p.m., Junior Employed boys will meet in two sections. Thursday, Senior Employed boys meet at 7.30. Mr. Roper, teacher. Friday, 6.15. High School Club meets for supper and study. Mr. Meserve, Mentor. Saturday morning, 9 a.m., Junior School boys, and at 9.45, the Junior Collegiate Club meets.

Any boys who would like to become a member of a Bible study group will find a real welcome waiting them. 155 boys are now enrolled in the Bible Study Club.

The Junior School boys Bible Club will meet Wednesday afternoon at 5.30 to make arrangements for their outing and supper.

BRITISH SAILORS' RELIEF FUND

There will be a meeting of the British Sailors' Relief Fund in the Patriotic Fund Rooms, Simcoe St., to-night at 8 o'clock. Everybody is invited to come and take an interest in this important work.

MAYOR DUFFUS AND ALD. DOBBIN BACK FROM THE BIG TOWNS

Assisted in Welcoming the Quebec Bonne "Ententers" and Proceed to New York to Examine Motor Apparatus

SAW THEM IN ACTION

Mayor Duffus and Ald. Dobbin arrived home this morning from Montreal after a extensive and, it is expected, a fruitful round trip, that included in its itinerary, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls (both sides), New York, Boston and Montreal. They started out to join the Bonne Entente organization and attended the series of banquets in the several cities visited. In the meantime they were considering Peterborough's Fire Department problem of adding motor driven trucks, visited a number of stations in the Ontario cities and, finding themselves across the border, parted from the Entente crowd and headed for New York. There they saw fire fighting apparatus of the latest type. Aerial towers and extension ladders on base trucks eighty feet long, motor driven engines, and all the other impediments of a huge department they saw, and gathered information which will be presented to the Council when the question of modernizing the local brigade comes up for discussion.

In one of the central stations near Macy's the Peterborough twain found themselves. It was an immense building with parked motor apparatus. Ald. Dobbin expressed a wish to see in action. His desire was shortly realized, for within a few minutes an alarm was sounded. Immediately, as the new chairman of the Fire, Water and Light committee described it, the floor above began to spill men down in all directions, a sort of magnified demonstration of Chief Howard's men scrambling up behind their "Jack Rabbits." But the New York station is thoroughly motorized, and in a trice unmuffled engines began to raise an astounding din. Immense doors were rolled back and the trucks spurted into the comparatively narrow, but central thoroughfare, of the big town and pulled away with all the uproar of a squadron of "Big Lizzies" going into action. As Ald. Dobbin tells it, in his inimitable way, the traffic, pedestrian and automobile, scrambled for the inside of the sidewalks, while the fire fighting force clanged its way firewards.

In Montreal they were given another fine demonstration of the utility, under winter conditions, of certain pieces of apparatus. In fact quite a lengthy report will likely be prepared for the Council, but it will likely be restricted to business matters without the illuminating and interesting details of the demonstrations that might be included.

Both the Mayor and Ald. Dobbin were back at their desks this morning wading into their business that had accumulated in their absence.

Public Invited to Hear Miss Hughes On Thursday Night

The public is reminded of the address on Thursday evening in the Collegiate Institute assembly hall by Miss Laura Hughes who will discuss the question of the franchise for women and other important matters pertaining to women's work. Admission is free and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance.

Peterboro' Boy Who Has Been Hit Twice Is Back From Front

Sergt. Instructor Patrick Duggan Has Been Assigned For Duty In Winnipeg Military District--Was at the Front For Fourteen Months With 14th Battalion--Pte. Stuart Anderson Now Officially Reported Killed---To-day's General Military News.

Wearing the crossed swords of a physical instructor, and two stripe of gold braid on his arm to signify that he has twice been wounded, Sergt. Instructor Patrick Duggan, a Peterborough boy who has seen fourteen months' service on the western front, arrived home last night on a few days leave, as the guest of Mr. Chas. Duggan. He was met at the station by Ald. Stratton.

Sergt. Duggan has been appointed to the instructional staff of the Winnipeg military district as an instructor in bayonet fighting and physical training, for which he has qualified by experience in the field and by taking a special course in England. He was one of a party of thirty-eight Canadian instructors, all of whom have been wounded at the front, who returned to Canada a short time ago.

Sergt Duggan enlisted in Toronto with the Queen's Own Rifles in the first Canadian contingent. At Valcartier he was transferred to the 14th Royal Montreal Battalion with a couple of other Peterborough boys, Gordon and Howard Wyatt, of East City. He went to the front with the 14th and fought through the second battle of Ypres, being wounded on April 24th, when he was struck by a piece of brick from a building hit by a shell close by him. He was soon back in the firing line and with with the Montreal regiment through all the next year finally being wounded a second time near Ypres on April 8th, 1916, when, during a bombard around Zillebeke, he was severely wounded in the back by a shell. It was a very close call the portion of shell which struck him missing his spine by only an inch. He was in hospital for a long time in England, and when finally he became convalescent he was assigned to a reserve battalion and ordered to take up the work of bayonet fighting and physical training.

Sergt. Duggan has made a good recovery and feels fit now to begin his instructional work in Winnipeg. When he arrived in Canada he had to go to Winnipeg to report, and then obtained a few days' leave to visit his home here. He leaves for Winnipeg at the end of this week.

Mrs. Robert Graham, 675 Stewart street, has received the following letter from her son, Driver G. D. Graham in France:

Somewhere in France, Dec. 21.

Dear Mother.—Just a few lines from Gerald to let you know I have not forgotten you. It is pretty cold here and wet. How are Maggie and Roberta? So Dick is making shells for Fritz? Some job. I think this war would soon be over if the boys would come and help us to fight for our rights. What do you think? Saw Jim Pearson. He is well. You'd laugh to see him, mother; he is a big man and just as full of fun; also Fred Revoy. All are feeling fine. I am going to write to Adam Davidson to-night. I have just had three hours in thirty-six to sleep. How is the new battalion coming on? Tell my chums to come along and help to fight. Don't be afraid of Fritzie. Well, it is just four days till Christmas. I'd like to be at home, but cannot till I see the end. Cheer up, mother, I'll be home to see you again. Well, I guess this all for now. I hear the supper bell, so goodbye. Write often. From your loving son, G. G.

My address it:
Driver G. D. Graham,
9th Brigade, C.F.A.,
Army P.O., London, England,
Headquarters, Staff.
No. 300411. France.

A letter received from Capt. C. R. Widdifield of the 93rd Battalion, states that he had been in hospital for the month preceding his letter. At the time of writing he was not able to go about much.

A letter received from Major K. G. Lech of the 93rd Battalion, announces that he is now in France and is attached to the 27th Canadian Battalion, which is a Winnipeg unit. "Am up in the line now," writes Major Lech. "There is lots of mud in this country."

TORONTO, Jan. 16.—Among the fifty-seven invalided and dischargable soldiers returned home, who arrived here to-day, was Pte. Jack Munroe, one time the heavy-weight Champion Mayor of Elk Lake, Ont., and later a member of the Princess Pats. He is unable to use his arm as the result of wounds. Eighteen of those arriving to-day are "amputation cases." One of them, Lance-Corp. J. C. Madell, of Preston, Ont., lost both legs at the thigh, and another Pte. H. Johnston of Toronto, is minus his left leg and left arm.

PTE. ANDERSON DEAD.

Pte. Stuart Anderson, a well-known Peterborough boy, who went overseas with a university company, to reinforce the Princess Pats, and who has been reported missing ever since the battle of Zillebeke, June 2, last year, is now officially reported killed in action. Pte. Anderson had a host of friends in Peterborough who will be sorry to hear that hope of his being alive has been abandoned.

Montreal, June 15.—Lieut.-Col. R. R. Labatt of Hamilton, Ont., a member of the Board of Pension Commissioners for Canada, in an address before the Canadian Club of this city in the Windsor Hotel to-day, said that the annual pension bill of Canada, based on an average army of three hundred thousand, would be somewhere in the neighbourhood of $21,000,000, and with an overseas army of 400,000 men the annual pension bill was expected to be somewhere around $28,000,000. Col. Labatt stated that the case of every wounded soldier would be considered without reference to whether the subject for a pension had been making $10,000 a year or $1,000 before the war. Up to December 30 last, 6,320 pensions had been granted, he said; and this number would be increased to 10,000 by the end of March.

Lieut. R. Gliddon of the 57th Band has received the following letter from the officer commanding the 247th Battalion.

Sir,—I wish to thank you and the members of the band which you so kindly placed at the disposal of this Battalion to assist in the work of recruiting. The trouble you have taken in giving us this assistance has been very productive and it is a source of great satisfaction to me as Commanding Officer of this battalion to feel that we can rely upon your assistance when required.

Yours truly,
C. H. ACKERMAN,
Lieut.-Col.

Word has been received from Sergt. Instructor Herb. Clayton of Peterborough, that he is leaving for France to join the staff of the 2nd Imperial Army Training School. He has been loaned by the Canadian Army to the Imperial Army.

Mrs. Worrall, 411 London street, has received the following letter.

Dear Madam, Just a few words of thanks for the nice pair of socks which I received yesterday from one of our boys, it came through the Soldiers' 5th C.M.R. Wives and Mothers Club.

The trenches are very wet and muddy now and a change of dry socks is a great comfort. To-day is Christmas Day. I thought I would write you these few lines while waiting for the cook to get dinner ready. The boys all seem to be enjoying themselves, as we have not much to do to-day. Thanking you again for your kindness. I remain,

Yours truly,
PTE. JOHN McGREGOR.

THE CORRECT TIME

To have your eyes attended to, is, as soon as you find they need it, but not later, as they only grow worse with delay. It doesn't do to trifle with your bread winners. See Dr. Lacey about them at once. All kinds of repair work. Open every Wednesday and Saturday evening. 410 George St.

NOTICE OF MEETING

The Election and Installation of Officers for the Royal Scarlet Chapter, No 3 District, will take place to-night in the Orange Hall, (Victoria Hall) at 7.30 o'clock. All members are requested to be present. Refreshments will be served.

W. Smith, W. W. N. G.
A. N. McWilliams Secy

PETERBORO' VETERANS ATTEND FINE BANQUET

SERGT. INSTRUCTOR PATRICK DUGGAN, who has returned from the front after 14 months' service, during which time he was twice wounded.

Otonabee Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire Entertained the Returned Soldiers — Addresses by Judge Hoyche, Captain Burnham, M.P., and Others—A Message From the Front.

THOSE PRESENT

Last evening in the Recreation Room of the Armouries, veterans of the present war to the number of about fifty were the guests at a banquet given by the Otonabee Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire. It was an historic gathering representing as it did one of the most momentous occasions in the history of the world. Every well known struggle in which the Canadians have participated during the past two years and a half was represented by one or more veterans. From the first battle of Ypres when the Canadians stood up and held the line against overwhelming odds to the more recent battles of the past year, Peterborough men have participated. To meet the boys on such an occasion as last evening is like reading the pages of history and Canada's participation in the Empire-wide conflict. Some of the more recent additions to the veteran list are Privates R. J. Saffrey and Scout G. N. Cowpa, both of the 39th Battalion. Both men arrived home a few days ago with a priceless alice of national honour to their credit as well as a few scars to show for their efforts in the present war.

Message From the Front.

Captain J. H. Burnham, M.P., Paymaster of the 93rd Battalionо whose members are now fighting in France, was also present, not as a veteran as Captain Burnham himself would say, although he made every effort to get into the combatant class, but as a representative of the Government of Canada and of the Canadian Militia. Captain Burnham brought home a message from the front line trenches of France. The message was addressed to the manhood of Canada asking for reinforcements. Captain Burnham paid a glowing tribute to the nurses and unblushingly declared that he fell in love with about three thousand nurses while he was overseas.

Returned Soldiers.

The veterans present with possibly two or three exceptions, are as follows:

Major E. B. O'Flynn.
Captain Belton.
Captain J. H. Burnham, M.P.
Lieut. A. E. Brittain.
Lieut. T. W. Quinn.
Sergt. Major R. Biggs, 8th C.M.R.
Sergt. Peter Victor, 2nd Battalion.
Sergeant W. Dallidy, 3rd Battalion.
Sergeant J. Coppock, 39th Battalion.
Sergeant W. Stanley, 139th Battalion.
Lance-Corporal G. Hickford, 235th Battalion.
Lance Corporal J. Kilbrick, Royal Canadian Regiment.
Lance Corporal H. J. Staunton, 15th Battalion.
Lance Corporal D. Gunn 39th Battalion.
Pte. J. S. Crowe, 139th Battalion.
Pte. J. H. Wilson, 2nd Battalion.
Pte. A. W. Phipps, 2nd Battalion.
Pte. J. O. Landry, Canadian Army Medical Corps.
Pte. L. A. Clark, 21st Battalion.
Pte. O. White, 21st Battalion.
Pte. C. J. Wilcox, 2nd Battalion.
Pte. R. H. Muir, 21st Battalion.
Pte. R. J. Saffrey 39th Battalion.
Pte. H. E. Henry, 93rd Battalion.
Pte. S. Joliffe, 93rd Battalion.
Pte. I. Wedlock, Canadian Mounted Rifles.
Pte. Thomas Parrington, 2nd Battalion.
Pte. Ernest Mesley, 2nd Battalion.
Pte. Gordon Fallon, 14th Battalion.

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AN ENTHUSIASTIC RECRUITING MEETING HELD IN NORWOOD

Lieut.-Col. Ackerman and Mr. R. R. R. Hall Were the Chief Speakers —Band of the 247th Battalion Was Present—Exhibit of War Relics

TRUE SENSE OF DUTY

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

A large and enthusiastic recruiting meeting was held in the Town Hall, Norwood, last evening. Every available seat was filled and a large number stood throughout the meeting, at the rear of the hall.

The members of the 247th Band rendered a splendid programme to the great delight of the audience.

Mr. Cuffe acted as chairman of the meeting and pointed out the present need of more men to relieve and assist those who are fighting at the front.

Lt.-Col. Ackerman gave a most interesting speech describing the experience of the boys at the front. He exhibited, very much to the interest of the audience, a number of war relics which he had picked up in France, such as German helmets, water bottles, Gurka's swords, bayonets, belts, machine gun weapons, etc. He urged upon the young men of Norwood the pressing need of more men at the front. It was unfair to the Canadian boys who were now in the trenches not to have them properly supported and assisted in the gigantic effort that they were making in the cause of Canadian freedom. Every man and woman and every boy and girl was interested in the triumph of Canadian arms, and in the having of a final and satisfactory peace with Germany that would relieve us from the eternal vigilance and expense in future to guard against German treachery! Canada is one of the richest and greatest Dominions in the possession of the British Crown and German writers and economists have cast envious and covetous eyes upon this rich possession. The Canadian people, therefore, owed a duty to themselves to see that the German plans to enter into possession of our heritage should be defeated. That can only be done by the Canadian young men coming forward, voluntarily doing their duty and joining the ranks. The sooner they do it the better. The pledge given by Sir Robert Borden to raise 500,000 men must be redeemed, and it is for the young men to say whether or not that pledge shall be redeemed by voluntarily and manfully coming forward and enlisting, or whether stronger and more drastic means must be taken to show them the duty that they owe to themselves and to their country.

MR. R. R. HALL.

Mr. R. R. Hall in a very effective speech drew attention to the fact that the Canadian people must not be misled by the peace talk which was emanating from German sources. If the Allies were to accept the peace terms

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CONGRATULATIONS.

The Examiner shares the legitimate pride Mr. W. H. Moore, K.C., may feel in being re-elected president, for the eighteenth consecutive time, of the Little Lake Cemetery Company. This justifies the cordial congratulations thereby extended, especially in consideration of the added fact that he has been a member of the Board of Directors for twenty-eight years. We don't know to the year, how long Mr. Moore has been a member of the Town Trust Commission, but it has been many years, and for many years also he has been a member of the Water Commission. These continuously retained services in important public capacities is direct testimony to intelligent and satisfactory service, and are only a logical sequence in recognition of Mr. Moore's long years of public-spirited discharge of all the higher duties of citizenship.

WEST SIMCOE.

West Simcoe, like Ephraim, is "joined to its idols"—it is still true, with a boosted party majority, to its dirty complexion. The result of the polling yesterday was the election of Mr. Allan, Conservative candidate and lawyer, over Mr. Scott, Liberal candidate, and farmer. The farmers of a chiefly rural riding, have rejected the traditionally honest farmer and preferred the traditionally—otherwise—lawyer. As might have been expected, a hopelessly Conservative constituency stood by the Government by a majority reduced from 1086 in 1914 to 636 yesterday. The victory is one that adds no strength to the already too strong—in numbers only, be it always understood—Hearst Government. It adds another lawyer to the legislature of a province of farmers who do not seem to consider themselves fit to govern themselves. Out of 111 members in the Ontario House, there are only 17 farmers. While the election is no gain to the Government, it is a distinct gain to the Liberal party. The Liberals were outvoted, but they won a victory for decency and honourable discussion of public questions, in contrast with the disgustingly vituperative and abusive campaign of personal slander and appeal to prejudice and bigotry, of their opponents. The Government campaigners completely dominated the campaign, and their appeals, forcing dividing issues that were not legitimate issues went far to destroy the spirit of popular unity that should weld our people together, and taught the electors of West Simcoe to pull apart instead of pulling together. All the Government forces have done is to elect a party candidate. What the Liberals have done is to sow the seed of good principles. Specifically, the campaign has been a victory for the people. The Liberal speakers exposed the illegal compact made by the present Prime Minister, when he was Minister of Lands, Forests and Mines, with the Teuton-tinctured International Nickel Company, giving that otherwise highly favoured corporation, a flat rate of taxation, whereby the province was deprived of between two and three million dollars of revenue in the form of the taxation the law required. The Liberals so stirred up the question, and showed the financial iniquity of the deal that Premier Hearst has been forced to promise that he would try to recover the amount due. One of the seven sleepers has been awakened—for the moment.

MAKE IT TIGHT.

The United States Supreme court has handed down a decision, which sustains the legality of forbidding the shipment of intoxicating liquor from "wet" into "dry" states. This decision is no interference with the autonomy of the individual states, but is federal action to prevent the violation of states laws, the laws of states that have decided that strong drink shall not be a beverage of its people.

In Ontario the legislature has passed a law whose spirit and intention are to prevent popular access to strong drink. Yet the spirit of this law is violated every day and many times a day. The prohibition law of Ontario is violated and the government winks at its violation for it has the power to prevent the violation of the law it has enacted.

There has been no authoritative decision like that of the United States' Supreme court; but Premier Borden has told a deputation that the provinces, which includes Ontario, of course, have the power to prohibit and prevent the importation of strong drink from the United States or from the other provinces where the sale of liquor is legalized.

If the Premier is right, and no doubt he is, the Ontario government has the power to prevent the strong trickle of strong drink, that is pouring into Ontario by the eastern and western gateways of the province. It is in duty bound to act at once. If the power of the government is undoubted, an order-in-council might be employed—there is no need to wait for special legislation. The Government felt an order-in-council was enough to justify the outrage of forgiving the International Nickel Company two or three millions taxation legally due the province; and it might, if necessary—as it is necessary—strain a point to prevent the violation of the prohibitory act passed unanimously by the Legislature of the Province.

There is need for prompt action. The Ontario Temperance Act is on trial and it deserves a fair trial in view of the verdict the people will be called upon to pronounce in 1919. he Act in itself is its own justification. It has shown that it does not produce the evils of business stagnation its opponents predicted for it. It has shown its positive character as unmistakably. It has been a great success. Public offences against the law of the land, due to drink, have been decreased almost to the vanishing point. The chief minor offences, the police and courts have to deal with, are due to the crime committed by the government itself in not using the means SirRobert Borden says it possesses, to dam the source of supply that is the chief, if not only cause of, damming the act itself. There is no longer ammunition for crime coming from the open bar. The leak by importation should and must be stopped. We must not have the Act discredited by failure to make it whisky tight as we have the power to do.

The government will be to blame if it does not use its power to prevent the discrediting of the Act by failure to make it effective to the extent intended. The intention of the legislation was to outlaw and make inaccessible to the people, strong drink as a beverage. The failure to stop the leak by use of the hung the government possesses will serve to perpetuate the chief weakness that can be urged against it, the importation feature.

BATHING AND SWIMMING.

If this year's City Council does not solve the problem of providing public bathing facilities for the citizens of Peterborough, it will not be for want of suggestion to action, nor want of information as to their desirability and the duty of the city. If we want to keep pace with other less important towns and cities; if we want to do our duty to our citizens of all ages; if we want to be public-spirited; if we want to show appreciation of the splendid water front opportunities presented by the splendid river of pure water that flows past our doors, we shall not rest content till the authorities take the necessary steps to provide facilities for keeping our citizens clean and placing them "in the swim." "In the swim" means not only opportunities for learning to swim, but keeping in line with other progressive towns and cities. Mr. Meserve of the Y.M.C.A., and chairman of the special Playgrounds Association committee, has in his contribution of information published in The Examiner yesterday, given us excellent and suggestive light as to what other places are doing. Since it is impracticable to repeat the details, it is enough to call the attention of our aldermen to this evidence; and ask their careful study of it.

Particular attention is called to the case of Guelph. This city has nothing like the water front — double water front—Peterborough has. It has only the River Speed, a stream not much more important than the creek that runs through the town. With no water compared to Peterborough, and with 4,000 fewer population, Guelph is reported as having "one public bathing house with several dressing rooms." Orillia, like Peterborough with splendid water—but no better—and with only 7,400 population, "has two bathing places in the public parks, supervised by the city." London, Ontario, which has only an apology for a river, has "two public bathing places controlled by the city which pays all expenses."

John Wesley—not the Scriptures as some fancy, though his saying is true as Scripture—says that "cleanliness is next to Godliness." Peterborough doesn't think so. We have about twenty churches maintained at an annual cost of about half a million dollars to promote one condition, yet we don't spend half a cent to promote popular "cleanliness."

There is no necessity for arguing at length the wisdom and the necessity and the duty of providing, especially in summer, facilities for the practice of the health-giving virtue of cleanliness and learning the life-saving art of swimming, any more than of urging the duty of enlisting. Doing, not debating, is what is called for.

The subject can be safely left to the citizens and the city fathers. The citizens will do their share to show the way of duty to the city fathers, and the latter are intelligent enough, public-spirited enough, broad-minded enough, and open-handed enough—with the people's money—to spend some of it, as they can do to splendid advantage, in the public interest by dealing generously with the problem of public bathing and swimming provisions.

The people interested are urged to make use of The Examiner's "Voice of the People" column to let that voice be heard by the aldermen. Let somebody write a little one day touching upon some point or argument, in favour of public bathing and swimming places properly equipped and supervised; and let somebody next day take up a point that has not been touched upon, and so on, till the flow of argument and reasoning rises to an irresistible flood—till the aldermen like the people in the matter of the cause in question, have water on the brain.

MAY TAKE OVER MINES.

Government Awaiting Final Decision of Fernie Miners.

OTTAWA, Jan. 15.—A policy of watchful waiting is being followed by the Government to-day in regard to the coal mining situation in the Fernie district. Word is being awaited as to the action of the miners. If they quit work, as has been their intimation, another effort will be made by the Government to bring the operators to time. Failing that, the Government will presumably operate the mines itself, ensuring an output necessary for domestic and munitions uses, and charging the expense to the mine owners.

HOW TO MAKE PERMANENT THE SUPPLY OF FARM FUEL

Nearly ten per cent. of the standing timber of the United States is included within farmers' woodlots, according to Government reports. While the percentage in Canada has not yet been determined, it is believed that it will fall below five per cent. Census statistics show that some 14,700,000 acres, or nearly six per cent. of the farm lands of eastern Canada are occupied by woodlots. According to the Dominion Forestry Branch, the average woodlot in Canada, under proper management, is capable of producing about three-quarters of a cord per acre per year. If they were all thus managed, the annual production of hardwood would be over 10,000,000 cords, or over 5,000,000 feet board measure—a quantity twenty times as great as the whole hardwood cut in Canada in 1913.

Unfortunately the woodlot does not, as a rule, receive the attention to which its importance entitles it. Much preventable damage is caused by the grazing of live stock and by fires, both of which not only destroy young growth but injure the larger trees, in addition to causing deterioration of the soil, thus seriously reducing the productive capacity of the woodlot.

According to studies made by the Dominion Forestry Branch, the typical woodlot of to-day does not contain the quality of material that it might, had it not been neglected. The careless removal of the sound and vigorous trees of the better species, and the leaving of over-mature and decaying ones as well as the inferior kinds, has resulted in its present poor composition. Inferior species are occupying space that should be growing more desirable trees. Poplar, willow, hawthorn, ironwood, hemlock and juniper have taken the place of the maple, ash, hickory, elm and pine. Old trees, long over-mature, have been left standing, though their wide-spreading tops shut out the light from younger trees and prevent their proper development.

Such undesirable conditions should be changed and all future cuttings should be directed with this object in view. Unsound, crooked broken and dead trees should be removed. They are merely acting as a breeding place for the organisms of decay which from them may be transmitted to the sound trees. All inferior species which are acting as seed trees or interfering with the growth of better species, should be cut.

It is not advisable, however, to remove such "weed trees" where they are necessary for the protection of the soil and where their removal would permit grass and brambles to establish themselves. The appearance of grass is a sign that no more cutting should be done until it has been shaded out.—Conservation.

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The animals have the curious habit of jumping over one another's backs, either when frightened or when simply playing. It is an ordinary sight on an African veldt to see a herd of these antelope jumping over one another like boys playing leapfrog. When frightened the first impulse of a herd of pallah is to rush together; then they begin leaping, one after another, going high into the air, clearing small trees, their fellow antelopes or anything else that gets into the way. They do not require a run before the "take off," but jump as well from a standing position as with a running start.

The lion was long supposed to make tremendous bounds when charging his prey, but modern sportsmen say that a lion runs low to the ground, bounding into the air only on his last leap, when he expects to strike. Even such bounds, they say, are of no great length. Stewart Edward White says a lion can run a hundred yards in six seconds, which certainly is fast enough to catch most sorts of game.—Youth's Companion.

The Exception.

"Do artists always use living models for their pictures?"

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The gun is the little brother of the cannon. Artillery was made first, but it was easy to see that something a man could carry was needed, and in the fourteenth century the Flemings were the proud possessors of hand cannon, small copies of the bigger weapon fitted to a stock. They were interesting more than effective, however, and did little damage beyond scaring badly every one who faced them for the first time.

Improvements came in the course of time, and the arquebus, also called the calliver, and which was modeled somewhat after the crossbow, came on the market. The work the Spanish did with the new weapon was not a joke. And under the Duke of Alva, a little later, they also introduced the musket, an improvement on the arquebus, but still a clumsy affair, fired by a match and so heavy that it could only be aimed from a rest. It had a tremendous bore, however, and could stop a horse at 500 yards, so it soon became the universal military arm.

Early in the eighteenth century the matchlock displaced the matchlock. The Charleville musket, introduced by Lafayette and the first regulation gun in the hands of American soldiers, was of this type.

A Scotch clergyman, Alexander Forsythe, was responsible for the next big advance, the percussion cap, which he invented in 1807. The Prussian needle gun was the first successful military breechloader, although the principle was not new—the Spanish had them aboard the ships of the armada.

Rifling also is very old. Gaspard Koller of Vienna and August Kotter of Nuremberg were rivals for the honor of the invention about 1520. As has been pointed out, however, these improvements had to be laid aside until a day of better workmanship.

Most of the fighting up to 1850 was done with smoothbores, even Napoleon discarding the rifle. Breechloaders were used near the close of our own war, and very soon the muzzle loader became a curiosity.

Winchester, an American, invented one of the first successful repeating rifles, and the Turks used them against the Russians in 1877. Then all the great military powers began rearming their troops with small caliber repeaters, using high power smokeless powder. One of the best is our own Springfield rifle.

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"BROTHER JONATHAN."

Career of the Patriot Who Gave Us This Lasting Title.

Jonathan Trumbull, the original "Brother Jonathan," was born on Oct. 12, 1710, in Lebanon, Conn. He was graduated from Harvard college in 1727, preached a few years, then studied law, and at the age of twenty-three years he was a member of the assembly. He was chosen lieutenant governor in 1766 and became ex officio chief justice of the superior court. In 1769 he refused to take the oath enjoined on officers of the crown, and in the following year he was chosen governor. He was the only colonial governor who espoused the cause of the people in their struggle for justice and independence.

In the absence at congress of the Adamses and Hancock from New England Trumbull was considered the Whig leader in that region, and Washington always placed implicit reliance upon his patriotism and energy. When Washington took charge of the Continental army at Cambridge, Mass., he found it in want of ammunition and other supplies, and this want continued more or less for months. Trumbull was then governor of Connecticut. On one occasion at a council of war, when there seemed to be no way to make provision against an attack by the enemy, Washington said, "We must consult Brother Jonathan on this subject." He did so, and the governor was successful in supplying many of the needs of the army.

When the army was afterward spread over the country and difficulties arose it was a common saying among the officers as a byword, "We must consult Brother Jonathan." The origin of this phrase was eventually lost sight of, and "Brother Jonathan" became a title of our nationality, like "John Bull" of England. Trumbull died in Lebanon, Conn., on Aug. 17, 1785.

Teeth in Their Stomachs.

Whatever it may be that the lobster and the crab, rapacious, never dainty, are eating they always see something else that they want and can't wait until they have masticated the first before attacking the second. But they don't give up the first, not by any manner of means. Nature, humoring this rapacious beast, has fitted the lobster and the crab with teeth in their stomach, and they swallow their half masticated food and finish the chewing process with their stomachs while they seize and chew the other thing that has attracted them. Lobsters and crabs have no teeth in their mouths. They chew with their claws what they have time to and hand the unfinished job down to their stomachs to do the rest of the chewing.

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OLD BOSTON LIGHT

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TWICE BURNED AND REBUILT.

Then It Was Destroyed by the British Revolutionary Naval Forces and Again Rebuilt Through the Efforts of Governor John Hancock.

The first lighthouse of which there is any record was built by Ptolemy II. on the island of Pharos, at the entrance to the harbor of Alexandria, Egypt.

Probably the most famous lighthouse of modern times is the Eddystone light, which was one of the first built in Britain and which has been famous because of its dangerous situation and of its having been four times destroyed by the angry waters of the English channel.

Minots Ledge light, at the entrance to Boston harbor, is among the most noteworthy of American lighthouses and shares with Old Boston light the interest of every voyager who enters the tortuous channel to the city of Boston.

Boston light is famous in its way. It was the first lighthouse built in America. It is one of the most important lighthouse stations on the north Atlantic coast. Every sailorman and seagoer knows Boston light. Every school boy and girl has read the many tales of shipwreck in which Boston light figures. It was captured and recaptured several times in the early days of the Revolution.

On the evening of Friday, Sept. 14, 1710, the light was first "kindled," to use the expression of the chronicler of the day.

For some years the shipowners and merchants of Boston agitated the project of establishing a lighthouse at the entrance to the harbor. The general court took the matter up on petition of John George and others. The town officials of Boston also considered the proposition and urged the colonial authorities to make an appropriation to erect a suitable light. At last favorable action was taken by the authorities, and the building of the light on the outer Brewster began.

When the light was ready to put into commission George Worthylake was appointed keeper. He and his wife and daughter were drowned two years later.

Benjamin Franklin wrote a ballad on the drowning of the family. The salary of the first keepers of the light was $250 a year.

On the death of Worthylake Captain John Hayes, a shipmaster, was appointed.

The early lightkeeper had many other duties to perform besides looking after the light. He had to act as pilot for vessels and discharge the duties of health officer of the port. In the case of a vessel being in distress it was his duty to go to its rescue.

In 1720 the lighthouse was burned and rebuilt. Again in 1751 the lighthouse and other buildings were burned and were again rebuilt.

Robert Ball, the keeper who succeeded Captain Hayes, remained until the British fleet sailed from Boston to Halifax during the Revolutionary war. According to the stories at that time, Ball sailed away with the fleet and never returned.

The British wantonly destroyed the harbor property, including the light, before they sailed away when they evacuated Boston. Thus it is that the island on which Boston light stands is the last soil in Massachusetts occupied by British armed forces.

The destruction of the light was a great loss to mariners and the merchants, and shipping interests induced Governor John Hancock to send a special message to the Massachusetts legislature recommending an appropriation for the rebuilding of the light. With commendable promptitude the legislature complied with the request of Governor Hancock, and plans were made for one of the finest and largest lights on the coast. This was in 1780.

The new structure was of stone. Oil lamps furnished the light. Then the government took over the lighthouses and assigned their care and maintenance to the treasury department, under whose jurisdiction they still remain. The island and the light were formally ceded to the United States government in 1790.

The treasury department has always given Boston light a great deal of attention because of its importance and because it is the most widely known landmark to the entrance to the second port in America.

It has been improved and enlarged from time to time, and the accommodations for the keepers and their families are all that could be desired. Despite its age the light station is, for all practical purposes, essentially modern and up to date. It displays an incandescent oil vapor light, giving a white flash of 100,000 candle power every thirty seconds, visible sixteen miles in clear weather, and as an auxiliary aid in foggy weather sounds a powerful first class siren, with a double blast of five seconds each every minute.

Maids of the Mist.

The old Maid of the Mist passed through the Whirlpool rapids once. She was built originally to cruise about in the comparatively quiet waters at the foot of Niagara falls. Becoming involved in debt and being threatened with seizure, her owner tried to escape with her through the rapids and did so, though she was badly battered and lost her smokestack. This happened in 1864, and she never tried to ascend the rapids. The name, given by Sir Walter Scott to the heroine of "Anne of Geierstein," has been taken by succeeding boats which cruise about the foot of the falls.

FAMILIAR QUOTATIONS.

Gems For Which We Are Indebted to Rev. Edward Young.

Among the older English poets sententious quotations from whom have passed into the very warp and woof of our daily speech, the first place, of course, belongs to Shakespeare. The second belongs to Pope and the third not to Milton or Dryden, but to the Rev. Edward Young, whose "Night Thoughts" lay on the reading tables of the pious ancestors of those of us who had them. Young has been called "Pope in woolen stockings." Perhaps he would be more accurately described as Pope in cassock and bands.

To him is due the possession by almost every one of the knowledge that "Procrastination is the thief of time," that "we take no note of time but from its loss," that we should "be wise today—'tis madness to defer," that "at thirty man suspects himself a fool, knows it at forty and reforms his plan," that none the less "a fool at forty is a fool indeed," that "all men think all things mortal but themselves," that "blessings brighten as they take their flight," that "man wants but little, nor that little long" (echoed by Goldsmith), that "by night an atheist half believes a God," that "Death loves a shining mark," that "pygmies are pygmies still, though perched on Alps," that "all may do what has by man been done," that "the man that blushes is not quite a brute," that "too low they build who build beneath the stars," that "an undevout astronomer is mad," that "none think the great unhappy but the great," and that "fondness for fame is avarice of air."

"Insatiate archer, would not one suffice?" is a familiar query which he first propounded. The very first line of the first Night in which he achieved his funeral thoughts, "Tired nature's sweet restorer, balmy sleep!" has often been repeated as Shakespeare's—no doubt by confusion with Macbeth's eulogy of the sleep he had murdered.

BAGPIPES ARE ANCIENT.

Scotland Didn't Adopt Them Till the Fifteenth Century.

Neither Scotland nor Ireland can claim to have invented the bagpipes. Greeks, Romans, Assyrians and Chinese all played bagpipes of sorts long before the time of Christ, and the instrument actually figures on one of the coins of Nero, who may have played it. The Breton bignou, the Calabrian zampogna, the German sackpfeife and the French cornemeuse are all bagpipes under different names.

It was actually a Scotsman and no less a man than the lord advocate of the time who publicly declared fifty years ago that "the bagpipe is an English instrument, essentially English. The English were the original bagpipers." He pointed out that, while Shakespeare often speaks of bagpipes, he never does so in "Macbeth" and that it is in Lincolnshire and Yorkshire that he localizes the pipes. To Chaucer and Spenser also they are English. James IV. and other Scottish kings paid for "inglis pyparis" at their court, while Edward I., Edward III., Henry VI. and Henry VIII. seem to have had native pipers.

The highlanders never used the pipes in war before the fifteenth century. The harp was Scotland's instrument.—London Chronicle.

Diplomacy.

"Before we were married," his better half complained, "you always engaged a taxi when you took me anywhere. Now you think the bus or the street car is good enough for me."

"No, my darling, I don't think the bus or the trolley is good enough for you. It's because I'm so proud of you in a taxi you would be seen by nobody, while I can show you off to so many people by taking you in the bigger conveyance."—Exchange.

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"Said you would soon get well?"

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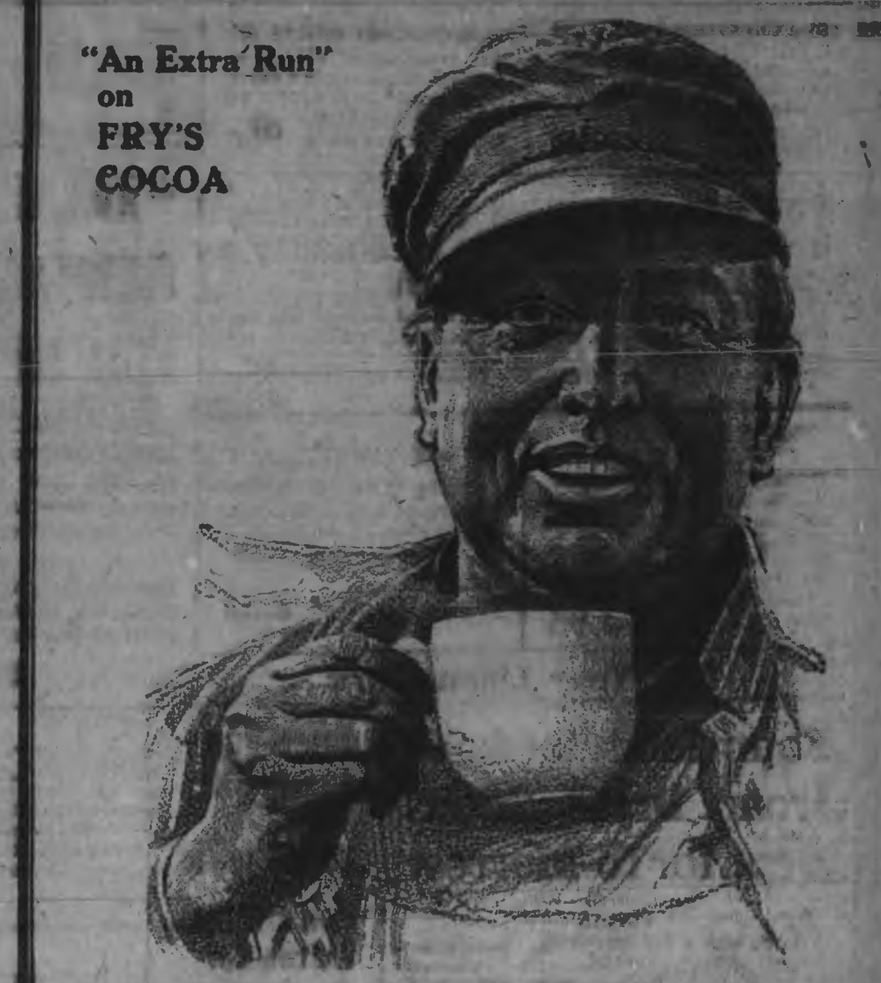

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RUSSIA ENDS CRUSADE

CONSTANTINOPLE HAS LONG BEEN SLAV HOLY CITY.

Great Britain's Mistaken Support of the Turk Prevented the Slav Empire Securing an Ice-free Port Many Years Ago, But Russian Byzantium is Now Assured.

THE Russian Premier's announcement in the Duma of an agreement made by Great Britain, France, and Russia, in 1915, consented to by Italy afterward, establishing "in the most definite manner the right of Russia" to the Dardanelles and Constantinople, confirms officially what has long been rumored and believed. The promise of such a realization of the secular hope and necessity of Russia must be a powerful impulse to the national patriotism. The enthusiasm of that vast awakened people is stirred not merely by the passion, freshly seen again in the fall of Stuermer, to overthrow German dominance and influence, but by the opportunity to fulfill a strong and lasting aspiration. Economically Russia gains the long-sought outlet of the Black Sea and access to the Mediterranean. But there is much more than that in the Russian popular feeling. Byzantium is a holy city to the Russians, who have crusaded against the Ottoman infidels. A religious emotion supplements the economic motive, and to the Slav temperament is even more appealing.

It was a long blunder of British foreign policy, the support of Turkey against Russia, a blunder apparently founded on the myth that it has been the permanent aim of Russia to deprive Great Britain of India and achieve world power. A spurious "Testament of Peter the Great," which made its first appearance in 1811 and has been attributed to Napoleon, may have been the origin of the myth. Napoleon coquetted with Alexander I. about Constantinople, which he pretended to offer him. His talk of assailing India by land with Russian assistance helped the growth of English suspicion of Russia. Castlereagh was so afraid of her designs that at the Congress of Vienna he objected to the cession of Poland to her. More than once in the nineteenth century it seemed that Turkey's hour to decamp from Europe had come. Great Britain postponed it. Nicholas I. naturally objected to the possession of the Dardanelles and Constantinople by a power of the first rank like England. Such a power established there could control the Black Sea and assail Russia in her weakest spot. To their occupation by a small power or to their internationalization he would not object.

In 1853, before the Crimean war, as in 1829, when the Russians got as far as Adrianople, his policy was fair. He was willing to let England have Egypt if Russia's position in the Black Sea was not endangered. England would not listen. She was possessed by Russophobia. The Crimean war, many slaughters of Christians, the Russo-Turkish war, are in no small measure due to Great Britain's mistaken support of the ungrateful Turk. After the war of 1877 she helped rob Russia of the fruits of her victory. Russia consoled herself by bothering her enemy in the East. On the Indian border, in Afghanistan, in Baluchistan, everywhere, Russian intrigue and Russian force were felt or suspected. So Disraeli worked steadily into the hands of Bismarck. So for years England pretty steadily played the game of her enemies. "The more absurd an effort to attack India would be, the more it will scare the English," Napoleon chuckled. Since the Entente of 1907, more especially since the war, the Russian bugaboo has faded. Doubtless there are lingering dupes of it in England still. Doubtless, too, the agreement mentioned by Premier Trepoff contains provision for naval bases or other privileges for the other contracting powers.

A saying of Napoleon's, or attributed to him, that Constantinople is "the key to the world," may have helped the growth of the British legend of the woes that would follow the creation of a Muscovite Constantinople. Bismarck once said in the Reichstag that if the Dardanelles are the key to world dominion the Sultan must have dominated the world since 1453. Dr. Paul Rohbach of "German Thought" fame, now views with alarm "The Russian Danger." He is convinced that "either Constantinople will mean world power for Germany by stifling Russia or will give it to Russia by stifling Germany's future." Weltmacht again! Bismarck, the old-fashioned statesman who was content with a Germany "sattiate" with power, had the Machiavellian thought that it would be "a good thing for Germany if the Russians were to establish themselves at Constantinople and had to defend it." It is, in fact, a hard position to defend.

It must be from 190 to 200 miles from the Dardanelles entrance to the Bosporus egress. Is Russia to have the inland region up to the famous "Enos-Midia line," 120 miles long, from Enos, over against Samothrace, to Midia on the Black Sea? Gallipoli peninsula, the coast of the Gulf of Saros, the Dardanelles passage, must be defended. And unless Russia is to occupy the Asiatic shore and hinterland, assault from that quarter must be guarded against. "The freedom of navigation for the Roumanian flag," spoken of by Mr. Trepoff, reminds us that Russia cannot reach Constantinople by land save through Roumania and Bulgaria. Northern Asia Minor would [illegible] route from the Caucasus [illegible] Straits.

Is Russia's long quest of an ice-free port to be ended at last? Mr. Trepoff's announcement is evidently meant to show, among other things, the entire harmony of the Allies. So the Berlin-to-Bagdad dreamers in Germany a Russian Constantinople is the end of the world.

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Damask Tea Cloths and Napkins. Made of extra fine quality of Pure Linen. Neatly hemstitched or scalloped borders. .... January Clearance Sale, set 5.00

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Women's Heavy Weight Cotton Vests with Dutch neck and elbow sleeve. In White only. Sizes up to 40. January Clearance Sale. garment .. 39c

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CHILDREN'S WOOL GLOVES
Children's Knitted Wool Gloves. Made from fine soft yarns. In colours of Navy, Cardinal or White. January Clearance Sale pair 50c

CHILDREN'S KNITTED PETTICOATS
Children's All-Wool Knitted Petticoats, in fancy stitch. In colours of White, Grey, Navy and Cardinal. Size 10, 12 14 years.. January Clearance Sale ... 1.75

CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR
Children's Union Knit Underwear, in Natural or Cream. Broken lines of Vests and Drawers. In sizes up to 14 years. January Clearance Sale, garment. 50c

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MR. WOOD'S APPOINTMENT IS IMPORTANT ONE

The following clipping from The Daily Province of Vancouver, B.C., will be read with intereat by the many friends in the city of Mr. H. S. Wood, former Peterborough boy, and son of the late R. E. Wood, County Crown Attorney. News of the appointment was given in The Examiner several days ago, but this item gives some further particulars.

The new regime in the attorney-general's department has been marked by the retirement of the firm of McKay & O'Brien, barristers, as prosecutors in the county criminal court at Vancouver and the appointment of Mr. Herbert S. Wood, to act as prosecutor instead. There is some confusion as yet as to the date on which the change will be made, the Victoria authorities having assumed that the change would take place on January 1st, whereas Messrs. McKay & O'Brien claim to have a yearly appointment which expired on March 31st of each calendar year.

The office of prosecuting attorney in the county criminal court is regarded as one of the plums for the lawyers in the gift of the Government. The duties of the office are not heavy and do not interfere with the private practice of the incumbent. The salary allowed has been $800 per month with an extra allowance of $60 per month for office assistance, so that the position is regarded as one of the plums for the very substantial sideline for a practising attorney.

Is Able Lawyer.

Mr. Herbert S. Wood, the new county prosecutor, was for many years associated with Mr. L. G. McPhillips, K.C., in the firm of McPhillips & Wood, but has recently been practising alone. He is regarded as a sound and able lawyer, and enjoys the general esteem of the bench and bar of Vancouver. In addition to having been for several years a member of Ward One Liberal Association, Mr. Wood has enjoyed a long and intimate friendship with Hon. M. A. Macdonald, which dates back to their student days at Osgoode Hall Law School several years ago.

Mr. Wood was one of the original Liberals who earned the nickname of the "purity squad" owing to their efforts to secure the return of John T. Scott and get to the bottom of the plugging investigation, but in the recent ministerial bye-election he was a strong supporter and worker for Hon. M. A. Macdonald.

POSITIONS OF WORTH

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ADMIRAL DEWEY WORSE

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, D.C., Jan. 16. — Admiral Dewey is decidedly worse, it was announced.

PIANO TUNING.

'Phone 586, The Greene Music Co., Charlotte Street, when your piano requires tuning or regulating. All work guaranteed. dtf

Sermon By The Rev. R. Pogue Of St. Paul's

The January number of the Evangelical Christian, Toronto, contains a full summary of a recent sermon delivered by Rev. Robert Pogue, of St. Paul's church, this city. The sermon was the second in a series on "The Fullness of the Blessings of the Gospel of Christ." The following are the closing paragraphs of this sermon:

"Not until a man sees his sin does he become anxious about it. Not until he sees he has sinned against God is he prepared to seek the forgiveness of God. And not until He sees that the one explanation of powerlessness, of want of peace and joy, is that he has been harbouring things in his life which are displeasing to God, will he be willing to make confession and turn and seek the Lord.

"This, then, is the first thing God asks of you, the confession of all discovered sin. And I ask you to be honest with God and honest with yourself, and not to attempt to conceal anything.

"And, then what next? Well, just here is where it is possible to err. You may do the wrong thing. You may go to the wrong source. You may seek to do in your own strength what only Divine grace can accomplish.

"For example, what more natural thing to do when confession has been made than to seek in your own strength to deal with your sin, to fling it from you, to get the victory over it? And as a matter of fact your sin is a very precious thing to you. The reason why you have not parted with it is because you love it, and it exercises an all powerful influence over you. You are its captive, its slave. And you simply cannot give it up. It is like cutting off the right hand or plucking out the right eye. And you cannot do it.

"Of course you cannot. Only God can do it. And that is the truth which we shall emphasize again and again in these addresses, and which we shall look at from different angles. You cannot pluck up out of your breast your darling sin and cast it from you. But God can. And He can do it as your dentist can extract a diseased and useless tooth. He can do it painlessly. He can do it in such a way that there shall be no regret, no struggle, no holding back. It will be a supernatural work, and yet it will be a very natural work. It will be accomplished by the expulsive power of a new affection, a new love, and that love, the love of God shed abroad in your heart by the Holy Ghost. When that love comes flooding into your heart like a great tide you will have such a desire to please Christ that you will gladly part with your dearest idol, your most cherished sin. Oh! may that love, even as I speak, be shed abroad in all our hearts, and may the love of Christ constrain us to live not to ourselves but to Him who shed His precious blood for us all."

A life-like photograph half-tone of Rev. Mr. Pogue is reproduced along with the sermon.

NEW BOOKS AT THE PUBLIC LIBRARY

New books at the Public Library.

Lynne Court Spinney—Fletcher.
Poems—Brooke.
Adventures of a Despatch Rider—Watson.
Contraband—Parrish.
Grand Adventure—Law.
Fire-barred Gate—Thurston.
Fairy Tales—Anderson.
Trenching at Gallipoli—Gallishaw.
Penrod and Sam—Tarkington.
Beasts of Tarzan—Burroughes.
After the manner of men—Lunde.
Last Voyage of the Karluk—Bartlett.
Sicilian Studies—Hood.
Betty Grier—Waugh.
Prussianism and its Destruction—Angell.
Dawn of To-morrow—Burnett.
Sir John French—Chisholm.
Paddy Finn—Kingston.
Monster Hunters—Reid-Wheeler.
Vermilion Box—Lucas.
Letters from my home in India—Churchill.
Canadian Poets—Garvin Ed.
New Arabian Nights—Stevenson.
Red Indians of the Plains—Hines.
Bobby of the Labrador—Wallace.
Simon the Jester—Locke.
Wuthering Heights—Bronte.
Patrician—Galsworthy.
Chapters from my Official Life—Rivers-Wilson.
Rod of the Lone Patrol—Cody.
World-power—MacNeill.
Germany and the German Emperor—Perris.
South Sea Whaler—Kingston.
Freelands—Galsworthy.
Secret Service Submarine—Thorne.
Literary Year Book.
Authors and Printer's Dictionary—Collins.
Heaton's Annual 1917.
Scots Dialect Dictionary—Warrack.
Prose and Poetical Quotations—Walsh.
Pears Encyclopaedia.
Willing's Press Guide.
Dictionary of Classical Antiquities—Nettleship.
Empire Club Speeches—Presented.
Monther West Wind Stories—Burgess.
Rinkitink in Oz—Baum.
Because I am a German—Fernau.
Kentucky Cardinal—Allen.
Magnificent Adventure—Hough.
Haggan Peerage—Ranger-Gull.
Rest and be Well—Christian.
Letters from the Dardanelles—Anonymous.
Social Gangster—Reeve.
Rhymes of a Rod Cross Man—Service.
Ear in the Wall—Reeve.
Year book of Canada 1915—Presented.
On the Anzac Trail—Ausac.
Astronomy—Hinks.
Problems of village Life—Bennett.
Political Thought in England—Barker.
Prehistoric Britain—Munro.
Psychical Research—Barrett.
Plant Life—Farmer.
Outline of Russian Literature—Baring.
Belgium—Esser.
Elizabethan Literature—Mackinnon
Political Thought in England—Hooch.
Growth of Europe—Cole.
Ancient East—Hogarth.
Alps—Lunn.
Victorian Age in Literature—Chesterton.
Shelley, Goodwin and their circle—Brailsford.
Ocean—Murray.
Crime and Insanity—Mercier.
Central and South America—Shepherd.
William Morris—Clutton-Brock.
Writing of English—Brewster.
Matter and Energy—Soddy.
Problems of Philosophy—Russell.
History of England—Pollard.
The School—Findlay.
Buddhism—Davids.
Landmarks in French Literature—Strachey.
Short History of war and peace—Perris.
Climate and Weather—Dickson.
Peoples and Problems of India—Holderness.
Liberalism—Hobhouse.
Opening up of Africa—Johnston.
Evolution of Plants—Scott.
Parliament—Ilbert.
Stock Exchange—Hirst.
William Shakespeare—Masefield.
English Literature; medieval—Ker.
Conservatism—Lord Hugh Cecil.
Co-partnership and profit-sharing—Williams.
Making of the Earth—Gregory.
Ethics—Moore.
Master-mariners—Spears.
Nerves—Harris.
Unemployment—Pigou.
Sex—Thomson.
Euripides and his age—Murray.
Chaucer and his times—Hadow.
Common Sense in Law—Vinogradoff.
Poland—Phillips.
Chemistry—Meldola.
Literature of Germany—Robertson.
English Literature; modern—Mair.
History of Freedom of Thought—Bury.
Renaissance—Sichel.
History of Philosophy—Webb.
Milton—Bailey.
Making of the New Testament—Bacon.
Painters and Painting—Wedmore.
Literature of Old Testament—Moore
Church of England—Watton.
Elements of English Law—Geldart.
History of Scotland—Rait.
Wars between England and America—Smith.
Navy and sea power—Hannay.
Religious development between Old and New Testaments—Charles.
Dr. Johnson and his circle—Bailey.
Ancient Art and Ritual—Harrison.
Animal World—Gamble.
Introduction to Mathematics—Whitehead.
Science of Wealth—Hobson.
Health and Disease—Mackenzie.
Introduction to Science—Thomson.
Great writers of America—Trent and Erskine.
Nonconformity—Selbie.
Warfare in England—Belloc.
Principles of Physiology—McKendrick.
Psychology; study of Behaviour—McDougall.
Political Economy—Chapman.
Missions—Mrs. Creighton.
Electricity—Kapp.
Mohammedanism—Margoliouth.
Architecture—Lethaby.
English Language—Smith.
Papacy and Modern Times—Berry.
Medieval Europe—Davis.
Polar Exploration—Bruce.
Modern Geography—Newbigin.
Irish Nationality—Green.
Napoleon—Fisher.
Agriculture—Somerville.
Civilization of China—Giles.
Evolution of Industry—McGregor.
American Food and Game Fishes—Jordan and Evermann.
Reptile Book—Ditmars.
Spider Book—Comstock.
Mushroom Book—Marshall.
Insect Book—Howard.
Tree Book—Rogers.
Butterfly Book—Holland.
Moth Book—Holland.
Moss and Lichens—Marshall.
Shell Book—Rogers.
Nature's Garden—Blanchan.
Book of Grasses—Francis.
Birds that hunt and are hunted—Blanchan.
Bird Neighbours—Blanchan.
American Animals—Stone and Cram.

In the above list are included a complete list of the Home University Series and also Doubleday's Nature Series. Two books of the latter series are not included in the above, not having been yet received.

585th Bargain Annex Event — Wednesday, Jan. 17th, 1917

Bargain Annex

Registered

Great Mill End Values $1.95 end

Dress goods, skirtings, coatings and waistings. Lengths run up to five yards and sell regularly up to $4.00 each. Each and all are greatly reduced. Annex, end 1.95

Leader White Flannelette Night Gowns 79c

Pure bleach flannelette is the material, good large sizes, self embroidery trimming. Well made garments, and easily worth a great deal more. Leader... 79c

"Alberta" Flannelette Blankets $1.29 pair

"Alberta," a splendid quality flannelette blanket—white only with coloured borders. Fifty pairs only to sell Wednesday at less than to-day's cost of production Annex Bargain, pair..... 1.29

Ladies' 65c Overall Aprons 44c

To-day they could not be secured elsewhere for less than 65c. They are belted at the waist and pockets are bound with tape. Sizes 36 to 46; misses 14 to 16—mostly greys and blues. Annex.... 44c

Drapery Cretonnes 12½c yard

In a pretty selection of floral designs and a splendid selection of colourings. Soft finish and suitable for draperies or coverings. Annex, yard 12½c

Leader 15c Striped English Flannelettes 12½c yard

A splendid 15c quality English flannelette in neat stripe patterns, soft combed finish, 30 inches wide. The same line will sell next fall at 18c. Wednesday Annex Leader price will be, yard 12½c

14c White Cotton 10½c yard

Considerable less than to-day's mill price—pure bleached English cambric. Excellent weight soft needle finish—entirely free from dressing. Sells in regular stock at 14c yard. Annex, yard 10½c

Leader 15c yard wide Factory Cotton 10½c yard

We strongly recommend heavy buying of this special factory cotton. A full yard wide and clean pure cotton; sells regularly to-day at 15c yard, and our next shipment will have to sell at 15c. One Annex Sale Only. Leader, yard..... 10½c

2 O'Clock Annex Leader

10 Bars of Laundry Soap 25c

7 Rolls of Toilet Paper 25c

Ten full bars of yellow wrapper laundry soap for 25c; 7 rolls of Royal Toilet paper for 25c. A limit of two lots to a customer, and no 'phone orders.

Leader 19c yard wide Nainsook 14½c yard

Another line of imported nainsook, equally as good value as last week's Leader. Sells regularly at 19c—is full yard wide. Not more than 10 yards to one buyer, and no 'phone orders. Wednesday, yard.. 14½c

Women's Striped Flannelette Night Gowns - - 49c

A gown that can boast of a good quality flannelette. Made in good generous sizes. If bought to-day would sell for 75c. Wednesday Annex price will be.... 49c

Boys' and Girls' 1-1 Ribbed School Hose 15c pair

Fine ribbed seamless feet; fast black. Worth buying a quantity of for future use. Worth at the mill to-day $1.00 dozen. Annex price, pair..... 15c

40c Bleached Table Linen 33c yard

Linen is scarce on the market to-day—the prices are high and this offer is indeed unusual under the circumstances. Regular 40c, 58 inches wide. Annex, yard 33c

Leader 27 inch Corduroy Velvets 47c yard

We are selling these velvets at surprisingly low prices—in fact less than the cost of production. Full 27-inch width; colours navy, green and Copenhagen. A real big value. Annex Leader price will be, yard.... 47c

Leader Men's $1 Scotch Wool Underwear 79c garment

Men's heavy ribbed Scotch wool underwear, bought months ago for a special dollar line, and next season's retail prices is $1.25 garment. Good range of sizes—vests and drawers. Leader, garment 79c

15c White Flannelette 11½c yard

A flannelette with a heavy nap and easily worth 15c yard—27 inches wide. Any person in need of flannelette will not find such a value in the city. Annex, yard..... 11½c

2nd Annex Sale. Stock-Taking Staple Remnants.

A great variety of materials and qualities. Flannelettes, towellings, linens, cottons, etc. All are marked exceptionally low. Rush Clearance Prices.

Women's Winter Weight Underwear 24c garment

Either vest or drawers can be had in white or natural. Our price for next season on these same qualities will be 40c garment. Splendid weight. Annex price will be, garment 24c

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ANNIVERSARY CONCERT WAS A GREAT SUCCESS

The anniversary concert of Trinity Methodist church contributed by the choir with the assistance of Miss Warner of Cobourg, organist and Mrs. Dr. Wilson, violinist was a most enjoyable success and provided a delightful evening for a very large audience last night. The choir showed the effect of careful training in its numbers, the two patriotic selections "O Canada", and "Rule Britannia" which closed being given an especially effective rendition. The soloists all scored heavily. Miss Taylor's singing of the "Angels' Serenade" was delightful and Mr. Arthur Milton gave a spirited rendition of "The Trumpeter." Mr. Fred Hartshorn took the solo in Neidlinger's "Birthday of a King" very effectively. The duets by Messrs. S. Lee, and F. Hartshorn and by Miss Taylor and Miss Pollard were thoroughly appreciated as was the quartette "The Rosy Hues of Early Dawn" in which the choir gave valuable assistance. Miss Warner contributed several organ numbers in masterly style and Mrs. Wilson was heard to great advantage in her double violin numbers playing an aria from "Il Trovatore" and a Gavotte by Gossec. The complaying aria from "Il Trovatore"

"O Canada"—Lavalle.
(Arranged by Dr. Brcome)

THE CHOIR.

Angels' Serenade—Braga Miss Taylor, violin obligate, Mrs. Dr. Wilson.

Organ—Prelude and Adagio 3rd Sonata in C Minor—Guilmant—Miss Warner, Cobourg.

"After the Fray—Bonheur—Messrs. A. Lee and F. Hartshorn.

"The Rosente Hues of Early Dawn"—Slater—Miss Taylor, Mrs. Turner, Messrs. Ridyard and Downey, and Choir.

Violin—(a) Aria—Il Trovatore.
(b) Gavotte—Gossec.
Mrs. Dr. Wilson.

Trisagion and Sanctus—Hawley—(for double choir) The Choir.

"The Trumpeter"—Dix—Mr. A. Milton.

"How Sweet the Name"—Brown—Misses Taylor and Pollard.

"Birthday of a King"—Neidlinger—Mr. F. Hartshorn and Choir.

Organ—(a) Evensong—Johnston.
(b) Triumphal March—Nevin—Miss Warner, Cobourg

"Rule Britannia"—(Arranged by Dr. Vogt for 8 parts)—The Choir.

GOD SAVE THE KING

Mayor Duffus Has Returned

The Culmination of a Seven Day Trip Down Through the New England States and a Peek at the Wonders of New York

"I don't think so," replied Mayor Duffus, when asked to-day at noon if he had anything to say regarding his seven-day trip down through the New England States. It was a week ago Monday that the Mayor, immediately following the inaugural meeting of the City Council, and in company with Alderman F. H. Dobbin, the newly elected chairman of the Fire, Water and Light Committee, shook the dust of Peterborough from their heels and a few hours later, found themselves browsing through a menu at a banquet tendered in Toronto to the Bonne Entente. A couple of days later a native runner brought in the information that both Mayor Duffus and Alderman Dobbin were making their way down through the snow clad hills of Vermont. When next heard of they were in New York. Mayor Duffus did not say how many cabarets they visited, but he did say they visited a number of fire stations where they were privileged to inspect equipment such as Peterborough cannot hope to have in a thousand years. Aerial trucks eighty feet long were among the marvels of modern fire-fighting apparatus. Mayor Duffus and Alderman Dobbin returned to their native heath by way of Montreal.

ATTRACTIONS FOR THE GRAND

The following attractions have been secured for the Grand Opera House:

Jan. 27—Henry Miller's production of "Daddy Long Legs."

Jan. 29—"Aladdin and His Wonderful Lamp." Big English Pantomime.

Feb. 24—Al. Wilson in "My Killarney Rose."

Feb. 26—Fiske O'Hara in "My Heart's Desire."

March 3—"Bringing Up Father in Politics."

March 10—"Peg of My Heart."

March 15—"Mutt and Jeff's Wedding."

CLOSING-OUT SALE OF

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I will begin To-Morrow, a Genuine Clearing Sale of all my stock of First-Class Groceries, Provisions, Fruits, Confectionery, etc., as I am giving up business. Stock nearly all new. There will be no reserve on the stock. Everything must be disposed off as quickly as possible. Reductions will average from 15 to 20%. Come for the Bargains. TERMS CASH. ☞ No Goods delivered during this sale.

F. DARLING CORNER McDONNEL AND GEORGE STREETS

Are Watching Harry K. Thaw

Detective Force is Increased by Two Members

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 16.—The detective force detailed to watch Harry K. Thaw while he convalesces in St. Mary's Hospital from self-inflicted razor slashes, was increased by two members to-day.

A detective is now stationed at every door and window in Thaw's apartment; one at his bedside and one at each of the corridors leading to the would-be suicide's rooms. "We will take no chances" was the only comment from Captain of Detectives Tate.

Visitors are still barred from Thaw's rooms. There will likely be a protracted legal fight against extradition to New York.

An Enthusiastic Recruiting Meeting

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indicated by Germany then the result of the war would be that Germany would achieve a triumphant victory. The Allies would be false to their trust and to their duty if they left any part of Belgium, Poland, Serbia and Montenegro in Germany's hands and without just reparation. It is inconceivable that the Allies would accept terms of peace which did not carry with them a just and righteous punishment to the murderous agressors in this great war.

It has taken the Allies upwards of two years and a half to properly arm and equip themselves to meet on even terms the German Agressors who have been for years secretly planing the overthrow of the Independent countries of Europe and the ultimate domination of the whole civilized world. We in Canada are as much interested in the outcome of this war as are the people living in Northern France and in the British Isles. The young men of this country are on trial. They are expected to voluntarily come forward and enlist. It would be a matter of regret if drastic means had to be used to show them their true sense of duty and they were called upon to join the ranks on less favourable terms and conditions than can now be obtained.

Collegiate Lit. Meets

Enjoyable Programme Was Given on Monday Afternoon

The regular meeting of the Collegiate Literary Society was held on Monday, January 15 at 3.30 p.m. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted. The feature of the meeting was a debate between fourth and fifth forms. The decision was very close, fourth form winning by 1-4 of a point. The full programme which was given is as follows:

1. Piano Solo—Miss E. Braund.
2. Debate—"Resolved that a limited monarchy is more conductive for the happiness of a people than a Republic.

Form IV. Affirmative—Miss Campbell, S. Bogue.

Form V. Negative—Miss Gladman, H. Austin.

3. Selection—School Orchestra.
4. Piano Solo—Miss Bridge.
5. Decision of the Judges.

The meeting closed by singing God Save the King.

Judges—Miss Williams, Mr. Henry, Mr. Graham.

H. Skuce, Secretary.

MERCHANTS

Will all the merchants who wish to have their stores listed among those participating in Dollar Day and who have not already done so, please notify The Examiner, so their firm name will be included in the published list.

NO SHODDY WAS USED

Sir Charles Davidson's Report on Auburn Cloth is Made Public —Material Not Quite as Good as Sealed Sample

OTTAWA, Jan. 15.—Sir Charles Davidson's report on the charge of shoddy manufacture made against the Auburn Woollen Mills Company, of Peterborough, has reached the Government. While it finds the charge not proven at the same time the company's product is adjudged not quite up to the sealed sample.

The Auburn Company had a contract from the Militia Department for the manufacture of cloth for uniforms for the Canadian soldiers. Among those prominently interested in the firm is Mr. James Keadry, ex-M.P. The accusation against the company, which came from a former employe named Graves, was that it had put a considerable quantity of shoddy into the cloth supplied to the department. To ascertain whether this had been the case Dr. Milton Hersey, of Montreal, was asked to make a chemical analysis of the cloth, as compared with the sealed sample, according to which it was required to be manufactured, and evidence was taken at Ottawa and Peterborough.

The commissioners' report is that while there was no shoddy in the cloth supplied by the Auburn firm, and consequently no attempt thus to defraud the country, the material was at the same time not quite as good as the sealed sample.

Rev. Griffith-Thomas Addressed Ministerial Association Last Night

Rev. W. H. Griffith-Thomas, D.D., of Wycliffe College, Toronto, was the speaker at an open meeting of the Ministerial Association of Peterborough, last evening, in the Y. M. C. A. hall. He delivered an exceedingly thoughtful and illuminating lecture on the subject of "Germany and the Bible," which was followed with the deepest interest by his audience. Musical numbers were contributed by Mr. and Mrs. James Locke of Mark Street Church, and Miss McLaren of St. Andrew's. At the close refreshments were served, and a social time enjoyed.

The meeting was pronounced one of the most successful in the history of the Association.

PIANO, ORGAN, VOICE.

Mr. J. H. Renwick, organist and choirmaster, George Street Methodist Church, has resumed teaching. Pupils prepared for examinations. Many present and former pupils holding good positions. Studio, 547 Aylmer street. 'Phone 1038. 28d-2

Mayor Signed 700 Patriotic Cheques In Less Than 30 Min.

Mayor Duffus signed about 700 Patriotic Fund cheques this morning in less than half an hour. He had returned to the city early in the morning from Montreal and while his own affairs had piled up considerably during his absence, he gave his first attention to the pile of cheques which were being filled out for the soldiers' wives.

Burleigh Church Sends $21 to the Patriotic Fund

A Christmas concert was held in Eden church, Haultain, P. O., Burleigh township, on December 21st, the proceeds of which amounted to $21. Miss Florence Anderson, teacher at Haultain, wrote to the Peterborough Branch of the Patriotic Fund stating that it was sent on behalf of the people of Eden church as a contribution to the Patriotic Fund. Mr. Dobbin is acknowledging the gift.

Bulgarians Are Shelling Galatz

Special to The Examiner

BERLIN, Jan. 16.—Bulgarian artillery is shelling Galatz in Roumania.

Cruiser Is A Hopeless Loss

Special to The Examiner

NEW YORK, Jan. 16. — United States navy experts declare that the cruiser Milwaukee is a hopeless loss. All the crew was saved.

A New, Harmless Way To Banish Hairy Growths

(Beauty Topics)

By following this suggestion any woman can, in the privacy of her own home, remove every trace of hair or fuzz from her face: With powdered delatone and water mix enough paste to cover the hot wanted hairs; apply and in 2 or 3 minutes rub off and wash the skin. This method is unfailing, harmless and quick in results, but care should be exercised to get the genuine delatone.

NO FORMALITY NEXT TIME

Placing of Final Span of Quebec Bridge to Be Done Quietly.

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 16. — The new central span of the Quebec bridge will be ready for erection in September next. The same plan is being followed in its construction as before. It will be put up without any public ceremony. The assemblage of thousands of spectators does not lessen the tension of workmen engaged in so delicate an undertaking.

A YEAR INDOORS.

"For thirteen months I was so bad with chronic indigestion that I could not go out of doors. Nerves were overtrung, the heart bad, and smothering feelings came on till I thought that I would choke. Doctors' treatment failed me so I began the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, which I thank for my present good health. I am now doing my housework and have a family of ten.

Important Reductions

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It will pay you to take advantage of the discounts we are offering, and make your fur purchases now.

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SUMMON 400 FOR SPITTING.

Health Authorities Renew Sanitary Crusade, with 100 Men on Duty.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15. — Approximately four hundred persons have been summoned to appear in the various magistrates' courts on Monday morning accused of violating the health ordinance regarding spitting in public, according to a statement made yesterday by Dr. Haven Emerson, Health Commissioner.

"During the last few days," said the Commissioner, "the department has had sixty sanitary inspectors, in addition to forty uniformed policemen of its sanitary squad, looking for those violations. From now on New Yorkers will do well to see that they do not spit in street cars, on sidewalks or other public places. If brought to court they are certain to be fined. In fact, repeated offenders are liable to imprisonment. Last year policemen arrested 1,261 persons for violating this ordinance. Of these only twenty-five were discharged. The rest were fined from one dollar to ten dollars."

Washing Won't Rid Head of Dandruff

The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

Do this tonight, and by morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop at once, and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive and never fails to do the work.

NOTICE

The Y. M. C. A. Annual Meeting and Election of Directors, will be held on Tues. evening Jan. 16th at 8 o'clock. Every Y. M. C. A member, who is also a member of an Evangelical Church should be present. 3d-10

THE WEATHER

Despite the moderate conditions today, it was quite sharp last night, six degrees below zero being reached during the night. There was a rise to eleven degrees above zero before morning. Such a decided rise in temperature is unusual during the night.

You Want to Know

If your watch or some other piece of jewelry is worth repairing, and what it will cost.

Bring or send it in and we will advise you intelligently

CLOCKS

A varied collection of Mantel, Office and Bedroom Clocks—closely priced.

SCHNEIDER
The Jeweller, George St.

INDUSTRIAL AND TECHNICAL NIGHT CLASS NOTES

CLASSES IN—

Domestic Science
Draughting
Dressmaking

will be held on Monday, beginning at 7.30. Opportunities for several in all of the classes

Mathematics
on Tuesday

Domestic Science and Electricity
on Wednesday

29c Clearance Sale

TURNBULL'S

29c Clearance Sale

Wednesday 29c Clearance Sale

With most unusual Bargains of many small lots to clear before stock-taking. All priced at..... 29c

29c MAIN FLOOR CLEARANCE SALE

Ceylon Flannel, Striped, Light and Dark 29c
1 Can Djerkiss Talcum, 1 Chamois and 1 Face Cloth 29c
1 Tube Colgate's Dental Cream and 1 Tooth Brush 29c
1 Hair Brush, ebony handle 29c
1 Box Colgate's T. Soap, 1 Face Cloth, 1 Face Mitt. 29c
1 Box, 3 Cakes, Bath Soap 29c
Ginghams, 3 yards for 29c
Table Damask, Unbleached, yard 29c
Doylies, medium, dozen 29c
Doylies, large, 3 for 29c
Ladies' Neckwear, worth up to 75c 29c
Ribbons, up to 6 inches wide 29c
Hand-Bags and Purses 29c
Needle Cases 29c
Tray Cloths, Stamped for Embroidery Work 29c
Linen Towelling, 16 inches, 2 yards for 29c
Linen Towelling, 16 inches, 3 yards for 29c
Bath Towels, pair 29c
Cotton Serge, 36 inches wide, yard 29c
White Pique, 2 yards for 29c
Linen Towels, pair 29c
Stripe Flannelette, 36 inches, yard 29c
Long Cloth, 36 inches, 2 yards 29c
Canton Flannel, 2 yards 29c

29c BASEM'T CLEARANCE SALE

Jardinieres, Fancy 29c
Cereal Dishes, sheaf or maple leaf decoration 29c
Tea Pots, large Rockinghams 29c
Wash Boards 29c
Roasters, covered sheet iron, self basters 29c
Food Choppers, small 29c
Egg Cups, dozen 29c
Jugs, Fancy China, large 29c
100-Foot Clothes' Line and 5 Doz. Clothes' Pins 29c
Baby Plates, fancy decoration 29c
Blue Willow China Breakfast Plates, each 29c
Set 3 Bowls and 1 Jug, blue border bands, sett 29c
Tumblers, glass, 4 dozen 29c
Baby Spoons 29c

29c HOUSEFURNISHING CLEARANCE SALE

Window Shades, complete, Cream, slightly soiled.. 29c
Bungalow Curtain Net, Ecru, scalloped border, 2 yds. 29c
White Dotted Curtain Muslin, 3/4 yard wide, 2 yds..29c
Cretonnes, various patterns, 3 yards 29c
Jute Stair Carpet, Green shades, 22 ins. wide, 2 yds. 29c
Jute Bedroom Carpet, 32 inches wide, 2 yards 29c
Stair Oilcloth, 18 inches wide, yard 29c
White Curtain Muslin, insertion border, 2 yards.... 29c
Tapestry Cushion Tops 29c
Door Mats 29c
Feather Bed Ticking, various patterns, yard 29c

29c Clearance Sale

29c READY-TO-WEAR CLEARANCE SALE

Striped Flannelette Drawers 29c
White Cotton Drawers, hemstitched, either style ... 29c
Maids' White Lawn Aprons, hemstitch finish 29c
Fancy Tea Aprons 29c

29c Clearance Sale

PETERBOROUGH VETERANS ATTEND FINE BANQUET

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Pte. A. C. Steele, 238th Battalion.
Pte. F. Degen 93rd Battalion.
Pte. R. Jackson, 93rd Battalion.
Pte. W. Hayes, 136th Battalion.
Pte. Horace Urquhart Royal Canadian Regiment.
Pte. R. Mitchell, 93rd Battalion.
Pte. A. Vincent, 93rd Battalion.
Pte. Joseph O'Leary, 52nd.
Pte. Walter Farr, 93rd Battalion.
Pte. C. Sturgeon, 8th Canadian Mounted Rifles.
Pte. F. Knight 5th Canadian Mounted Rifles.
Pte. C. Scholes, 93rd Battalion.
Pte. James Foster, 93rd Battalion.
Pte. B. Jinks, 93rd Battalion.
Pte. Harry Baker, 238th Forestry Battalion.
Pte. J. Foskell.
Pte. H. Coit, Canadian Army Service Corps.
Pte. M. A. Lonergan, 93rd Battalion.
Pte. Percy Parrington, Strathcona Horse.
Gunner W. Swindon, 52nd Battery.
Gunner J. C. Smith, 4th Battery.
Scout G. N. Cowan, 39th Battalion.

Welcomed the Boys.

His Honour Judge Huycke, who presided, welcomed the boys on behalf of the organization whose guests they were. "You have honoured me by asking me to be present, and honoured me more by asking you gentlemen to be present," said Judge Huycke, addressing the veterans. Continuing he said: "You are all heroes and gentlemen. You are the King's soldiers. I know the people of Canada will make every effort to recognize the services you have rendered to the Empire, and will do everything in their power to make your lives happy. The name of Canada has been made brighter by what you have done. I never was so proud of Canada in my life as I am to-day, yet at the same time I was never so ashamed of the land of my birth as when I read of the thousands of young men who have sneaked out of the country. They are not Canadians, and I hope the Government will keep them out and never let them return. I am proud of you men here to-night. Some of you are wearing scars but they are scars of honour."

Captain J. H. Burnham, M.P.

"There is one particular phase of this war which has to be seen to be fully appreciated, and that is the nurses," said Captain Burnham. "I fell in love with about three thousand of them and do not think that enough is made of the nursing sisters." Captain Burnham described the progress of the wounded men from the front line trenches to the hospitals where they come under the soothing ministrations of the nurses. Speaking of enlistment, Captain Burnham said that he did not think that Canadians as a whole were lacking in courage or patriotism, but they are slow to realize the gravity of the situation. A meeting is to be held in Toronto shortly with a view of starting a campaign to arouse Canadian opinion to such a high plane that Canadians will see that in fighting for Canada they are fighting for their own existence. Unless we keep the units now overseas up to strength they will have to be merged with other forces and will subsequently lost their identity as Canadian troops. Standing in the trenches thirty yards from the German lines I asked the boys if there was any special message they would like to send home, and with one accord they replied—"Tell the Canadians to come on, we can't stay here forever, but we will stay as long as we can."

Major E. D. O'Flynn.

Major E. D. O'Flynn, second in command of the 247th Battalion, who is also in the veteran list, on behalf of Lieut.-Col. Ackerman, who was unavoidably absent, thanked the ladies for their efforts in entertaining the returned soldiers. "If the men stood by their country as well as the ladies we would have no difficulty in filling up the ranks," said Major O'Flynn. The speaker said that more credit was due the mothers, wives and sweethearts at home than the nurses at the front. They are staying at home "carrying on." Major O'Flynn urged the men present to use their influence in getting one or more recruits for the 247th Battalion.

Captain Belton, another veteran of the present war, who was the next speaker has been hard hit by the war, having lost two brothers. His only sister is a Red Cross nurse. In addition to this he lost two brothers in the South African war, and he, himself, has seen service at the front in the present war. Captain Belton said that he felt with great pride that his parents had instilled into the family something that was more than patriotism. "I can't understand," said Captain Belton, "the man who says he is a patriot and a Canadian who does not make any attempt to serve his country. When you get over there and fight with the British Tommy you fight with one of the best."

Absent Guests.

In referring to the "absent guests" Dr. H. G. Park, who has one son overseas, told the story of an employer in the Old Country who went to the military hospital to visit one of his clerks. The man had enlisted a few weeks before and had both legs shot off. Describing his feelings as he stood in the presence of his former employee, the man said: "My God I didn't feel worthy to stand in the same room." That is the way I feel here to-night, said Dr. Park. It is hard for us. I sometimes feel that we were born out of our place. It is hard for us to have to stand back and urge others on. In filling out the National Service Card, Dr. Park signified his willingness to serve anywhere with or without pay.

"This is not a mere temporary outburst," said Dr. Park. "We are not going to forget the boys who have served their country."

An excellent musical programme was provided and the speeches were punctuated with songs, recitations and also selections by fifteen members of the Conservatory Orchestra under the leadership of Mr. R. Gliddon.

Sergeant Peter Victor, President of the Returned Soldiers' League, favoured the gathering with a number of songs, and also thanked the ladies on behalf of the returned soldiers for the entertainment provided. "You made no mistake when you elected your president," was Judge Huycke's comment when he made a second call on Sergeant Victor for a song selection. Pte. Horace Urquhart contributed a song, while Pte. Joseph O'Leary, cousin of Sergeant O'Leary, whose exploits with the British forces, and his winning of the Victoria Cross, are known throughout the world, delighted the gathering with a recitation. Pte. C. J. Wilcox also gave a recitation, and Pte. Sidney Jolliffe, a song. Mr. Asa Huycke contributed an excellent vocal solo.

The Committee.

Mrs. E. C. Huycke is Regent of the Otonabee Chapter, while Mrs. C. Fessenden was convenor of the special committee in charge of the entertainment, which was composed of the following members: Mrs. (Dr.) Carmichael, Mrs. (Dr.) Buchanan, Mrs. Sherwood, Mrs. Coulthard and Mrs. Spence.

At the close of the meeting three cheers were given for the ladies in charge of the entertainment, after which the "Maple Leaf" and "Auld Lang Syne," was sung by all present.

Will Start the Rehearsals of The Greek Slave

The Peterborough Operatic Society meet to-night at 285 Park Street, as follows: Ladies at 8, gentlemen at 9. Please be punctual.

The new opera is "A Greek Slave" by Sydney Jones, a musical work which has not been produced by amateurs in Canada as far as can be discovered. The incantation scene is grand opera work, and includes wonderful concerted passages exceedingly difficult to memorize. The work has been produced under the direction of Mr. R. J. Devey, in England, and no effort will be spared to bring the opera up to the standard of former productions. Musicians will be welcome, to take part, but-triflers are most cordially invited to stay away, as this form of study needs regular practice and rehearsal.—Richard J. Devey, Musical Director.

STOMACH MEDICINES ARE DANGEROUS

DOCTORS NOW ADVISE MAGNESIA

Just how dangerous it is to indiscriminately dose the stomach with drugs and medicines is often not realized until too late. It seems so simple to swallow a dose of some special mixture or take tablets of soda, pepsin, bismuth, etc. after meals and the folly of this dragging is not apparent until, perhaps years afterward, when it is found that gastric ulcers have almost eaten their way through the stomach walls. Regrets are then unavailing; it is in the early stages when indigestion, dyspepsia, heartburn, flatulence, etc., indicates excessive acidity of the stomach and fermentation of food contents that precaution should be taken. Drugs and medicines are unreliable and often dangerous—they have little or no influence upon the harmful acid, and that is why doctors are discarding them and advising sufferers from indigestion and stomach trouble to get rid of the dangerous acid and keep the food contents bland and sweet by taking a little pure bisurated magnesia instead. Bisurated Magnesia is an absolutely pure alkaloid which can be readily obtained from any drug store. It is absolutely harmless, is practically tasteless and a teaspoonful taken in a little warm or cold water after meals, will usually be found quite sufficient to instantly neutralize excessive acidity of the stomach and prevent all possibility of the food fermenting.

One Hundred Men Wanted. Apply Quaker Oats Plant. 3d-10

It's A Long Worm That Doesn't Turn; This One Finally Did

For Twelve Years Husband Received $21.50 a Week and for Twelve Years His Wife Received That Same $21.50—Court Dismisses Her Complaint

Christmas comes but once a year; and it's a long worm that does not turn.

It was upon those platitudes that Felix Grasse, a printer of No. 414 East Sixty-fourth street, New York, unburdened himself and his grievances to Magistrate Cornell in the Domestic Relations Court. Grasse had been taken before the court, accused of non support since Christmas Day by his wife, Mrs. Anna Grasse.

After listening to his side of the matter husbands who had growled regularly for years at the breakfast table because the coffee was cold went home loaded with flowers and candy and kisses for the wives they had suddenly learned to appreciate.

For twelve years, Grasse told Magistrate Cornell, he had received every Saturday $21.50. For the same period of time he had deposited $21.50 in his wife's lap every Saturday night. On Monday morning, he said, she would return to him $1.50, and from that amount he had to pay his car fare, buy his lunch, treat his friends, pay club dues and purchase any luxuries he wished. After lunches about the only thing with which he could tip the waiter was his hat.

For a time, he said, he lived at South Aqueduct, L. I., and in order to save car fare he could rise every morning early and walk the four miles to the nearest station, walking back in the evening from work, sometimes getting home early enough to meet himself getting up to go back to work. Sleep to him, he said, was just taking off his shoes, throwing them across the bed, crawling over and putting them on again and going back to work. The exciting life at South Aqueduct continued for five years, he admitted.

It was on Christmas Day, he declared yesterday, that he suddenly found himself with a holiday on his hands and nowhere to go. But when he explained to his wife what a great day of rest it was to be she simply ruined the whole of Christmas Eve by shewing him his schedule of operations for the day following, such as cleaning the furnace, sweeping out the house, putting up new pantry shelves, et cetera and so forth.

It was then, said Grasse, that he struck for $2 a day. Belgium in all her invaded wrath was never more filled with righteous indignation than Grasse said he felt himself to be. Although he neither smoked, drank, gambled, carried matches nor expectorated, he decided that Christmas Day was to be his Waterloo from an English viewpoint.

"I had been henpecked long enough," he told the Magistrate, "and I felt like the fifth wheel of a carriage. I determined to assert myself and carry my own pocketbook."

"Madam," said Magistrate Cornell to Mrs. Grasse, "you have one husband in ten thousand. The case is dismissed."

An Election In Ennismore

Mr. Eugene Moloney and Mr. Edward Sullivan Are in the Field

On Monday next an election will be held in Ennismore for the purpose of filling a vacancy in the Township Council. Mr. Eugene Moloney and Mr. Edward Sullivan are in the field.

EXTENSION OF TERM.

Liberals Will Caucus Early to Decide on Course.

OTTAWA, Jan. 15.—A group of western members of Parliament who reached Ottawa to-day are the first arrivals for the session. Some Maritime Province Senators are here, but the bulk of the sessional people will not come till Wednesday or Thursday, more particularly as the formal opening will not occur until Friday.

The principal theme of speech speculation relates to the extension of the term of Parliament, and the outcome is more or less of a puzzle. Developments in respect to it will take place only when the debate on the address, starting a week from to-day, is disposed of. The Liberals will early go into caucus on the question to determine the attitude.

From views expressed by some who have arrived already, it appears that the proposal may be treated as premature, and an attempt made to defer consideration. Another element would make a national or coalition Government a condition to further prolongation of the term of Parliament.

CANADA TO HER ALLIES.

Messages Sent to Montenegro, Serbia, Roumania and Russia.

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 15.—On the occasion of the Greek Church New Year (Saturday) the Government sent messages to the kings of Montenegro, Serbia and Roumania and the Czar of Russia, expressing admiration for the great services they and their armies have rendered the allied cause, coupled with sympathy for the people who have suffered so much. The messages also express the determination of the people of Canada to continue unflinchingly to victory.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE LITTLE LAKE CEMETERY COMPANY

At yesterday's meeting of the Little Lake Cemetery Co., Mr. W. H. Moore resigned from the presidency and was succeeded by Mr. E. D. H. Hall.

Mr. W. H. Moore, K.C., president, presided. The following shareholders were present: Messrs. T. H. G. Denne, W. G. Morrow, E. H. D. Hall, T. A. S. Hay, J. J. Howden, Geo. Duncan, Wm. Langford, B. F. Ackerman, E. A. Peck, A Sawers, A. L. Amys W. Meusics, D. Drummond and others.

SEC. TREAS. REPORT.

Mr. E. A. Peck presented the following financial statement, showing a balance to credit for the year of $3129.31.

SUPT'S REPORT.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I beg to submit a report of work done in your cemetery during the past year.

A block of land in section O containing about 50 burial plots of 116 superficial feet each was graded and seeded and will be in a condition for burials the coming season. It was my intention to proceed with this work as soon as possible, as this is practically the only ground available for family plots at present. It will be speedily taken up.

It was the intention of your board to open the piece of ground known as section L, but owing to delay in getting a survey and the difficulty of obtaining laborers at the wages paid it was impossible to undertake it in any case.

The open drain running through the southeast section of your cemetery was thoroughly cleaned and banks sloped back last year, but owing to the nature of the ground and the action of the frost it had to be all done again this year. Nothing but a large tile or cement drain will answer to carry off the water that accumulates in the single grave section.

The set of stone steps leading to the display fountain at the entrance was taken out and replaced with cement 12 feet wide, which will be found of great benefit and also add to the appearance of the approach.

It was found necessary to overhaul the south greenhouse and rebuild the old wooden benches. When at this work I excavated under part of the centre bench and built a cement pit for the storage of soil and pots, which will not only be a great convenience to the florist, but will be a saving on plots as there is always a considerable loss from frost if piled outside or in a damp shed.

The inside of the iron fence surrounding the west side of the cemetery was given a coat of paint. This work should be completed in the spring.

Owing to the high water in the river during the past season, not much of the riprapping was done, but as this work is absolutely necessary to save your banks, it should be proceeded with as soon as possible.

The coping around the Nicholls plot was removed and a cement footing put in and the coping reset. The plot was also stripped of sod and regraded, giving it much improved appearance.

All of which I respectfully submit.

F. WISE,
Superintendent.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Superintendent's financial statement for the year ending Dec. 31st, 1916:

RECEIPTS.

For sale of lots and graves	$3898.45
" digging graves	1398.75
" Vault fees	18.75
" Flowers & care of lots	2513.20
" Foundations	542.31
" Lot Markers & coping	367.00
" For Trust funds	500.00
" Other sources	98.54
	$29239.00
Outstanding for lots and graves	$ 612.25
Outstanding for markers	68.00
Outstanding for flowers and care of lots	2071.35
Outstanding for opening graves	185.00
	$2967.35
Expenditures for Labour at Cemetery	
For Supt's salary	$1100.00
" Workmen's wages	2927.93
" Horse and team hire	144.80
	$4772.20

AUDITORS APPOINTED.

Messrs. F. J. A. Hall, and T. A. Quartermaine were re-appointed auditors, on a motion of Messrs. Denne and Hay.

ELECTION OF DIRECTORS.

The old directors were re-elected as follows: W. H. Moore, K.C., T. H. G. Denne, W. G. Morrow, T. A. S. Hay, A. Stevenson, E. H. D. Hall, J. J. Lundy, Dr. Burnham, B. Shortly.

Mr. E. H. D. Hall, President.

At a subsequent meeting of the directors the officers were elected as follows:

President—Mr. E. H. D. Hall.
Secretary—Mr. E. A. Peck.
Management Committee — Messrs. T. H. H. Denne, E. H. D. Hall, W. H. Moore, W. G. Morrow, T. A. S. Hay.

In resigning from the presidency, Mr. Moore leaves as a record fifteen years of faithful service.

PASTOR MAKES MUNITIONS

Earnings From Four Half Days Weekly to Patriotic Purposes.

KINGSTON, Ont., Jan. 15.—Rev. A. J. Wilson, of St. Andrew's church, Napanee, has been given permission by the congregation to work fourhalf days weekly at expert employment in munitions works there his earnings to be devoted to patriotic uses.

Renew your subscription.

$ DOLLAR DAY $

IS COMING! IT WILL ARRIVE EARLY ON THURSDAY, JAN'Y 25th

THE WORLD OF SPORT

JUNIOR CLASH ON FRIDAY ONLY HOME GAME OF THE WEEK

Fans Are Anxiously Waiting For Battle at Brock St. Rink Which May Decide the Race for the District Honours—Reserved Seats Are Now on Sale and Only a Limited Number Will Be Disposed of—The Game of the Season Scheduled For Friday.

As the 247th team have been unable to arrange an exhibition game, the clash between the Oshawa and Peterborough junior teams on Friday night at Brock Street Rink will be the only game of the week on Peterborough ice and promises to attract the biggest crowd of the season, not only on this account but also because of what is at stake and because of the sensational battle the two teams had at Oshawa last week. A defeat would be fatal to the Peter. Chances of winning the district so that Capt. Graham and his team mates will be played up to top pitch for Friday's engagement, which promises to be by long odds the most exciting and hardest fought of the year.

In order to avoid a rush on Friday night the Peterborough junior hockey club have placed a number of reserved seats and balcony seats on sale at the Warne Drug Company's store. There will be no plan but only a limited number will be sold, so that purchasers can be sure of a comfortable seat on Friday night. These tickets are now on sale and may be obtained at the Warne Drug Company at any time up to 5 o'clock on Friday afternoon. As the number is limited it will be a case of first come, first served and the fans are advised to take no chances.

The Oshawa team which plays here on Friday is a mighty nice junior aggregation. Smith the goal keeper and Rowden the Port oHpe boy at rover have both had intermediate experience and Venini the Italian lad who plays right wing is good enough for any man's team. Feagan the soldier boy from the 183rd Battalion who plays on the defence is another capable youngster and although manager Bradley's outfit are a cloughty aggregation who will take some beating.

No fan who enjoys a game in which and heel. Then at heel, 7-9-ridge Friday's engagement. It is the last scheduled home game in the junior group and the Peterborough youngsters should be cheered on by an old-time crowd.

COBOURG QUITS AND LINDSAY AND 247th WILL FIGHT IT OUT

Soldiers Will Play Their Postponed Game in Lindsay To-morrow Night and a Win Will Give Them a Big Lead For the District Honours

The Cobourg Hockey Club have dropped out of the intermediate group, leaving the fight for the district honours between Lindsay and the 247th Battalion. The Cobourg gang played three games, in which they were badly beaten, a total of 63 goals being scored against them, and as they had not the slightest chance for the district they have decided not to prolong the honours. As a result Peterborough and Lindsay are left and the 247th will play their postponed game in Lindsay to-morrow night. A win for the Soldiers will make it necessary for Lindsay to win the next two games to get even a tie for the district, so that to-morrow's game in Scugogville will be a red hot affair. Rumour has it that the Lindsay team has been considerably strengthened, but judging by the manner in which the Soldiers have been going, Cap. Simpson's outfit will need all the reinforcements they can get. The standing of the district, including defaulted games, is as follows:

	Won	Lost	To Play
247th, Peterborough	5	0	3
Lindsay	4	1	3
*Cobourg	0	3	0

*Defaulted Jan. 15th.

"Jack" Munro Back Home in Canada

ST. JOHN, N.B., Jan. 15.—Because his heart is as big as his massive frame, big "Jack" Munro, the famous heavyweight boxer, who arrived here on the ship bringing wounded soldiers, delayed his home-coming for a full week in order to recover a lost dog. Munro was mining in the Cobalt country when he enlisted with the Princess Pats. After eight months at the front he was wounded in the right arm and hand, which have not entirely healed. He had been on shipboard when he missed the dog, formerly mascot for his battalion, and he slipped ashore and found it next day in Liverpool.

When the train which bore the returned soldiers from the west side docks at Quebec was made up, there was a Pullman car full of men who had been so badly wounded that they were unable to look after themselves. Most of them had lost a limb, some of them more than one.

CURLING

Last Night's Games.

Last night's scheduled games at the curling resulted as follows:

H. Derle	T. D. Donaldson
C. G. Graham	S. Ray
P. D. Fitzgerald	W. P. Adamson
R. [illegible]	T. F. Matthews
Skip 14	Skip 7
Geo. Gladman	W. B. Warne
A. Macnab	G. R. Munroe
W. G. Read	Geo. Boucher
J. H. Ferguson	F. M. Dela Fosse
Skip 5	Skip 8
J. H. Parsons	Dr. Weldon
C. C. Abbott	M. Comstock
C. H. Pennefather	C. C. Parsons
R. M. Waddell	W. T. Taylor
Skip 8	Skip 13
Ira D. Moore	J. M. Lowes
J. C. Read	W. R. Turner
R. Bobbin	W. J. Oke
W. D. Campbell	J. H. Giroux
Skip 5	Skip 11
G. W. Greer	J. K. Parkins

EAST CITY RINK

Good skating to-night and band in attendance. Admission 10c. Refreshments served by the Ladies' Aid.

R. Hicks	L. A. Potvin
O. H. Metheral	J. Brightman
J. W. McDermid	T. Brightman
Skip 14	Skip .. .. ..

CAMPBELLFORD TO COBOURG..

Campbellford's Tankard curlers passed through the city this morning on the way to Cobourg, where they play to-day. Such a grouping does not appear to be convenient to the Campbellford players. Had they remained in the Peterborough district they could have played here to-day.

DISTRICT CUP GAMES.

The primary round of the District Cup games will be played in Lindsay on January 23rd. Messrs. Alex Key and W. D. Campbell are the local skips.

THE LAKEFIELD GAMES.

Peterborough was up 7 points on Lakefield yesterday, the final scores being 38 to 31. The rinks were as follows:

Peterborough	Lakefield
J. H. Metheral	J. E. Galvin
J. C. Read	W. Leonard
Geo. Boucher	Levi Payne
J. H. Ferguson	J. C. Strickland
Skip 12	Skip 11
J. M. Lowes	Dr. Gibson
C. E. Smith	T. Braden
A. W. Archibald	H. G. Simpson
W. J. Thompson	J. W. Redpath
Skip 10	Skip 9
Peterborough.	Lakefield.
T. Crawford (Lake'ld)	L. Armstrong
P. D. Fitzgerald	B. Dench
C. N. Brown	F. Moran
Sam Ray	D. H. Morrison
Skip 16	Skip 11

TANKARD GAMES.

Two rinks from Lindsay are playing here to-day in the Tankard Primary. General regret was expressed at the absence of Mr. J. D. Flavelle, the veteran Lindsay curler, who has a warm place in the hearts of Peterborough curlers. At 3 o'clock the results were as follows, with Peterborough up 6:

Lindsay	Peterborough
R. Butler	J. W. Brightman
H. Cuthbert	G. T. Logie
W. McClennan	D. Davidson
L. V. O'Connor, Sk.	R. M. Waddell
Peterborough	13x213
Lindsay	x13xxx

Lindsay	Peterborough
M. H. Sisson	Dr. Brightman
W. E. Reesor	H. F. Fenle
C. Williams	R. Hicks
Geo. A. Little, Sk.	W. M. Langton
Peterborough	x2x1x1
Lindsay	1x1x2x

Eighteen ends are played

HOCKEY GOSSIP

The 247th Battalion intermediates and the Peterborough juniors will play a practise game at Brock street rink to-night between 7 and 8 o'clock. This will be the final practice of the Soldiers before they stack up against Lindsay to-morrow. The line-up will be as follows:

247th.		Juniors.
	Goal	
Legros		Murray
	Defence	
Halpin		McIntyre
Flanagan		Montgomery
	Rover	
Quinn		Graham
	Centre	
Armstrong		Cherrett
	R. Wing	
Adams		McFee
	L. Wing	
Evans		Bartley

PORT HOPE, Jan. 15.—In one of the hardest fought games ever played on the local ice Port Hope defeated Oshawa intermediates, 2 to 1. Both teams scored one goal in the first period. In the ten minutes' over time Port Hope scored the winning goal. The teams:

Oshawa — Goal, Childs; defence, Kemp and Bowen; rover, Hanley, centre Hull; wings, Jacques and Smith.

Port Hope — Goal, Micks; defence Jex and Hamly; rover, Chalk; centre Hills; wings, Sculthorpe and King. Referee—Lawson Whitehead.

"CUBS" CUTTING SALARIES

Archer the Toronto Catcher, Refuses to stand for $1,000 Reduction.

CHICAGO, Jan. 15.—Salaries of six members of the Chicago Nationals who held "war" contracts have been reduced $1,000 or more. President Weegman announced to-day. The salaries paid were: Pitcher Seaton, $8,500; Catcher Archer, $7,000; Pitcher Lavender, $6,000; Pitcher Hendrix, $6,000; Catcher Wilson, $5,500; Infielder Zelder, $5,000. Archer and Wilson have declined to sign. Weegman said that salaries of players who played winning ball last season will not be reduced.

THINKING MEN

An encouraging feature of the campaign for equal franchise in Ontario is the interest taken in the question by the thinking men of the country. Men of all shades of politics, both in England and Canada, are publicly stating that women should possess the franchise, not as a regard for the zeal and self-sacrifice they have shown since the war began, but because they have shown that women possess the sense of responsibility, and the ability that go to make full citizenship. Sir George Foster has declared himself in favour of woman suffrage, and says: "When the inequality of voting is done away with, a new impetus will be given, especially in questions of social and moral reform, to the great body of the democracy of the country."

Hon. Mr. Pugsley is working to secure the Federal franchise for Manitoba women, who now have the vote and are also entitled to a seat in the Legislature.

Hon. N. W. Rowell has supported the equal franchise movement for years.

At present the men of Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia have granted the vote to women, have made her a partner in the duties of citizenship. Can the men of Ontario do less?—Com.

Workshop Environment.

We cannot ignore the influence of surroundings upon the mental condition and therefore upon the spirit and efficiency of a working corps. Attractive buildings and pleasant surroundings very distinctly make for a higher tone and a better class of workers, even if they do not show an immediate increased productive efficiency, which it is maintained they actually do. And, whatever else may be said, grass plots instead of cinder piles, occasional trees instead of scrap heaps, vines or shrubbery instead of unsightly fences or sheds, certainly tend to make factory life less disagreeable and more pleasant to those obliged to live it and cannot fail to be, therefore, worth while intrinsically.—O. M. Becker in Engineering Magazine.

A Window Washer's View.

A window washer was called upon one day to clean the windows of a business concern on the nineteenth floor of a skyscraper in Lower Broadway. The cleaner passed in wonderment as he passed through the lines of typewriter operators as they clicked off their correspondence and went to the window and fastened the two straps dangling from his belt to hooks at the side of the window frame. He cast another surprised glance at the men operating the typewriters, and as he swung outward over the dizzy height, his weight sustained by the slender straps, he muttered:

"It's mighty odd how some people do make their living in this world anyway!"—New York Telegram.

Worse and Worse.

A negro elevator man in a Broadway office building was telling Bide Dudley, the New York theatrical writer, that his landlord had forced him out of his home because he could not meet an increased rental.

"So he dispossessed you?" said Dudley sympathetically.

"Wuss'n dat, boss," said the darky; "he disfurnished me!"—Railroad Red Book.

A Protest.

"What I want," said the restless person, "is an eight hour day."

"Why, you don't do more than two or three hours' actual work any day."

"That's the trouble. If I don't get occupation enough to consume more time it'll soon begin to look as if they didn't need me at all."—Washington Star.

LETTER CARRIERS ARE SUSPENDED

Department Investigates Charge That They Advised Against Signing Service Cards

OTTAWA, Jan. 16.—The Post Office Department is investigating charges against President W. Hoop of the Dominion Letter Carriers' Association and other letter carriers, that they advised people not to sign the National Registration cards. In the meantime they are suspended from the postal service by request of R. R. Bennett, M. P.

MUNITION WORKER DIES AT WORK

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

ST. CATHARINES, Jan. 16.—Wm. Force, aged 60, of Thorold, employed at The Metal Drawing Company's munitions plant, this city, dropped dead at his bench, this morning, from heart failure. He leaves a grown-up family.

Admiral Dewey Is Dying

At Age of 79, Hero of Manilla Bay is Passing Away.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.— Admiral George Dewey, hero of Manilla, who has been confined to his home here for the last five days, by a general breakdown, was reported as "slowing sinking" by his doctors at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Born in Vermont Dec. 6, 1837, he entered the Naval College in 1854, was with Farragut's squadron which forced the passage of Fort St. Philip (1862) and gained possession of New Orleans. Dewey's ship, the Mississippi, grounded within range of the enemy guns, and he poured oil on it and set it on fire to avoid capture. In 1896 Dewey became commodore, and although little known as a sailor, was recognized as a hard fighter. He was in command of the Asiatic squadron in 1898, and near the time for retirement when ordered to locate the Spanish fleet, which he did in Manilla Bay, destroying eleven and capturing the rest of the Spanish ships and all the land forts without the loss of a man on the American side. He was promoted at once to rear-admiral, and later to admiral. In 1900 he became president of the General Board of Naval Strategy.

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Of all the products of the water, oysters are, with the single exception of the sea herrings, the most valuable and most important to the human race. They owe that economic pre-eminence to the fact that they have high food value and that they are palatable, cheap, widely distributed and easy to cultivate.

Oysters occur in greater or less abundance on the shores of all temperate and tropical seas, but the supply in the arms of the North Atlantic ocean exceeds that in all other waters combined. There are at least a hundred different kinds or species of oysters, with a wide range in habits, flavor, shape and size. All the oysters on the eastern and southern coasts of the United States belong to one species, which has, however, many local varieties; the native oyster of the Pacific states of a wholly different species.

In about thirty-five countries oyster farming is a special industry. The annual oyster crop of the world now amounts to more than 40,000,000 bushels, for which the fishermen and planters receive about $25,000,000. The United States furnishes nearly 90 per cent of the crop.

Few animals are more prolific than oysters, but of the millions of microscopic young that a single full grown oyster produces only a very small percentage survive infancy. The heavy natural mortality among oysters at all times is particularly marked in their early months. The newly born young are for a few hours free swimming creatures, wafted about by tides and currents, and unless they settle down on a suitable surface they quickly perish. After attaining the size that is visible to the naked eye they are not able to change their position. When the temperature, density, tides and currents are favorable the floating young go to the bottom and become attached to the shells of old oysters or to any other hard surfaces that may be present, but all that fall on a muddy or soft, sandy bottom or on slimy surfaces soon perish. Modern oyster culture aims primarily to save the free swimming young, and oyster planters therefore provide clean shells, tiles and other hard objects to which the "spat," as the young oysters are called, can attach themselves.

Oysters have been under culture longer than any other shellfish. A simple type of cultivation flourished in China at a very remote period and probably antedated by some centuries the beginning of oyster culture in Italy, which was about the year 100 B. C. With the increasing demand for oysters they came to be cultivated in all the important maritime countries of Europe. In other parts of the old world and in the western hemisphere the growing of oysters by artificial means has become an important industry, so that today oysters are the most extensively cultivated of all aquatic animals.

The human animal is not the only one that looks with favor upon the edible qualities of the oyster. At every stage in its career it is attacked by a horde of dangerous enemies, some of which are most destructive after the oyster has put on its stoutest armor. Before the young oyster attaches itself it is extensively consumed by adult oysters and various other shellfish as well as by fishes that strain their food from the water. When the oyster attains its shell a new set of shellfish enemies provided with drills begin their attacks and extract the soft parts through minute holes that they make in the valves.

The oyster growers of Long Island sound and adjacent waters suffer heavy losses from the inroads of starfishes, which, moving in armies over the bottom, devour every oyster in their path. In a single season they have been known to destroy in one state several hundred thousand bushels of marketable oysters. It seems strange at first that a weak creature like the starfish should be able to prey on an animal so strongly armed as an oyster. The starfish attaches itself to the lips of the oyster shell and exerts a steady and long sustained suction with each of its numerous small suckers. After a time the powerful adductor muscle of the oyster becomes fatigued, the valves open, and the starfish inserts its stomach and devours the helpless oyster at leisure.

Other enemies of the grown oyster are fishes with powerful jaws armed with crushing teeth. On the Atlantic coast the most destructive fish is the black drum, a school of which may virtually clean out an oyster bed in one night. On the Pacific coast a species of sting ray is the chief offender.

The United States is particularly fortunate in its oyster supply. The output here is larger and more valuable than elsewhere. Moreover, on account of the relative low cost of oysters to the consumer in the United States, the consumption in proportion to the total population is greater than in any of the other leading oyster producing countries.

Our annual oyster output is worth about $17,000,000 to the producers. The yield has increased 70 per cent in quantity since 1880, and under the favorable conditions that now prevail is becoming larger every year.—Hugh M. Smith, Commissioner of Fisheries, in this Companion.

Proverbs of the Highway.

Thank the Lord that most of the deep rivers to cross are those we see in dreams.

Don't want a world so bright that we won't enjoy the glory that's waiting for us hereafter.

We spend lots o' time praying for Providence to help us, and it never occurs to us to surprise Providence by helping ourselves.

It's too great a compliment to trouble to be always hunting it—especially when you know the old fellow will come to you if you only wait for him. —Atlanta Constitution.

BURIED FOR SIXTY YEARS.

Aged Belgian Nun Had Never Seen a Train.

The death, which occurred recently at the convent of Abbeyfeale, County Wexford, Ireland, of Abbess Fynes, a member of the community of Irish nuns of Ypres, recalled an interesting story of her flight from Belgium during the German invasion. The abbess, who was a Belgian and 80 years old, took refuge in the Irish convent after a long and tedious journey from her stricken country. In this she was accompanied by other nuns from Ypres.

Before the German bombardment drove the abbess and the other nuns into the world she had never been outside the walls of her convent since she entered it as a novice some sixty years before. She had never before seen a railway train, and it is said there was the greatest difficulty in persuading her to enter the train that carried her to safety.

The nuns were unable to bring anything away with them and were destitute when they reached England. A place was bought for the community at Abermaia. One of the members is a niece of John Redmond, who has always taken a keen interest in the community, and who helped them to secure their present home.

Before leaving Ypres the nuns managed to bury in a safe place their precious historical possession — the flag captured from the British at Fontenoy by the Irish brigade, then in the service of France. The Dames Irelandaises, as they were known, fled from Ireland to Belgium in the reign of William III. The connection with Ireland was always maintained, novices coming over from Ireland regularly, although a few Belgians have been admitted from time to time. Their convent, which is close to the Ypres Town Hall, was wrecked by German shells.

A Story That Varies.

There is a story more or less diffused of a young bride on her wedding day playing the game of hide-and-seek and concealing herself in one of those ancient carved chests of large size. After she had waited in the old chest and she found herself unable to raise it again, for it fastened with a spring and she was shut in. Search was made for her in every quarter but the right one, and great perplexity and distress were caused by her disappearance. It was not till years after when chance led to the opening of the chest that the body of the young bride was discovered and the mystery of her disappearance solved.

The story is found in so many places that it may be questioned whether it is true of any one of them. Rogers tells it of a palace in Modena. The chest in which the poor bride was found is shown at Bramshill, in Hampshire, the residence of Sir John Cope. Another similar chest with precisely the same story attached to it was long shown at Marwell Old Hall, between Winchester and Bishop's Waltham.

The folk tale of Catskin or Peau d'Ane represents the girl dying with her bridal dresses from a marriage that is repugnant to her, and as this tale is found all over Europe it may have metamorphosed itself into that of the bride who got into a chest and died there.—Cornhill Magazine.

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HEAVY EIDER KIMONA CLOTH — In plain sky, pink and copen, and spot and stripe designs, reversible. This one bargain alone would be worth coming out in the morning for. Regular price 40c. Two-hour Sale price, per yard 25c

LARGE SIZE CRIB WHITE QUILT, OR FOR SINGLE BED—Size 1¼ by 2 yards with fringe. The genuine Honeycomb Quilt. Regular $1.00. Sale price, each 75c

CHILDREN'S WHITE SILK COMFORTERS—Top has dainty design with plain white silk lining. Size 27 x 33. Worth $1.75. Sale price, each 1.25

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WHITE WOOL BLANKETS ON SALE — A few pair of good Union Wool Blankets, slightly counter soiled, that we will place on sale at the following prices. (6 pairs only).
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7-lb. size. Worth $5.00 for, per pair $4.25

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LIGHT GREY FLANNELETTE BLANKETS—12/4 size. A beautiful shade of light steel grey with pretty borders. Worth $2.00. Sale price, per pair 1.69

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CHILDREN'S STOCKINGS—Sizes 4 to 6 only, 2/1 and 1/1 rib, winter weight. The best quality carried in stock. Regular 40c, 45c, 50c. Sale price, per pair 29c

FLEECE - LINED HOSE — Ask to see this bargain and no doubt you will be surprised when you see this 25c per pair hose for ..... 3 pairs for 50c

NICKLE PLATED SAFETY PINS—Assorted sizes. Put up in boxes of 50 and 100. This is the best way to buy them:—
50 in box. Regular 15c, for 10c
100 in box. Regular 20c, for 15c

MEN'S HAND-KNIT MITTS—The real genuine hand-knit mitts, that are good and warm. On account of yarn increasing in price these mitts would be worth to-day 75c. Our sale price, per pair 50c

MEN'S WORKING SHIRTS—In plain khaki and black with white stripe. At the advance price for to-day they would sell at 75c. Sale price, each 50c

BUY EMPIRE SHEETING TO-MORROW — Pure white, 5/4 or usual bed width. A good heavy English make that will give the wear. Regular price 35c. Sale price, per yard 29c

PURE WHITE COTTON BATTING—Buy your supply of batting at this bargain price, put up in the one-pound rolls to sell at 25c, the new price will be 30c. Sale price to-morrow 5 one-lb. rolls for 1.00

AT THE DRESS GOODS COUNTER

A SEASONABLE BARGAIN—All WOOL MANTLE CLOTHS—In grey, navy, brown, cardinal and cardinal and black check. 54 inches wide. Regular $2.25 and $2.50. Sale price, per yard 1.48

36-INCH BLACK DUCHESS SILK—Owing to the many advances in price of these silks, the regular price of $1.75 would be a bargain, but for to-morrow we will sell this silk at, per yard 1.48

A SNAP IN SILK CREPES AND ODD LINES OF SILK — Some odd lines that sold up to $1.75 yard. Clearing Sale price, per yard 50c

THREE PIECES OF MARQUISETTE — Pink, blue, white. 40 inches wide. Regular value $1.00. Sale price, per yard 50c

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MEN'S HEAVY RIBBED WOOL SOCKS — See if the men in your house need socks. If they do come here to-morrow and see this special, light grey, with white toes and heel. Narrow rib top. Worth 35c. Sale price, per pair 25c

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Ladies' and Misses' Winter Coats That Sold up to $12.00. Sale Price $4.95

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Beautiful Long Kimonas 98c
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Waists That Sold up to $1.75 for 85c
White silk, black silk, black poplin, and many other lines that sold up to $1.75. All at one price, each 85c

A Dollar Thirty-five Night Gown for a Dollar
We will show you the best Dollar night gown to-morrow made from a superior white flannelette, H.S. frill, tucked yoke, self ruffle. Braid trimming. Worth $1.85. Sale price 1.00

White Wash Silk Blouses $1.69
A handsome line of Jap. Silk Blouses that were bought to sell at $2.25, taken as a bargain for to-morrow at, each 1.69

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Children's White Flannelette Gowns
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Knitted Underskirts for 98c each
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Navy or black serge, plain tailored style. A good business suit for ladies or misses. Regular $15.00. Sale price 8.50

City and General

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Separation allowances have been granted to Mrs. Maria A. Everitt, 255 George Street, and Mrs. Louisa Shier, 630 Union Street.

RESIGNED POLICE FORCE.

Police Constable Dickson, who recently resigned from the police force, patrolled his beat for the last time Monday night.

DENTAL.

Dr. McKenty, Dentist, 370 George Street, on the ground floor, first door north of Peterborough Hardware Co. Nitrous oxide and oxygen administered for painless operations.

HORSE FOUND.

Mr. John Torpey of Dburo, found the horse belonging to Mr. Jas. Sands, King street, which ran away Sunday morning, and returned it last night.

WANTED.

200 cords green basswood bolts 4 ft. 7 inches long by 4½-inch diameter and upwards. Delivered to Kingdon's Barrell and Heading Factory, 28 Barnardo Avenue, Peterborough. 6d-12-8w-8

KITCHENER LEAGUE.

The Canadian Kitchener League will hold their weekly tea at the Oriental tea rooms, Hunter street, on Wednesday afternoon, January 17th, from 3 to 6 o'clock. Mrs. Lawrence and Mrs. Wotten will be the hostesses.

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ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH NOTICE.

St. Andrews' Patriotic Society will serve supper in the school-room at 6.30 on Thursday, January 18th (night of annual meeting.) Proceeds for patriotic work. Every member of the congregation is urged to attend. Supper, 25c. 3d-12

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Industrial Exhibition will be held in the City Council Chamber, Peterborough, on Saturday, January 20th, 1917, at one o'clock p.m. G. A. Gillespie, President; F. J. A. Hall, Secretary. 5-9-12-16-19

EXPRESS AND BAGGAGE.

E. D. Cooney, a returned soldier, has taken over the express business of Eddie Reid and will give prompt and careful attention to all work entrusted to him. 'Phone 847. E. D. Cooney, 340 Aylmer stree. 28d-44

EVANGELISTIC MEETING.

Miss Kathleen Morton, evangelist of Toronto, will conduct evangelistic services in the Methodist church, Hastings, commencing Jan. 28th. She is now engaged in Parliament street church, Toronto. Come and hear her. She is a forceful speaker.

A HUNTER ST. RUNAWAY.

A team of horses belonging to Lane & Eano took fright this afternoon, while standing in front of Mr. Eano's residence, Hunter street and dashed down Hunter street as far as the Oriental Hotel, where the horses slipped, upturning the cart to which they were hitched. No damage was done except that some harness was broken.

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Labour Men Are Heard

Deputation Waits Upon Premier Borden and His Cabinet To-day

Special to The Examiner:

OTTAWA, Jan. 16.—Headed by President J. C. Watters, a delegation of Trades and Labour Congress to-day made the annual call on Premier Borden and colleagues to urge legislation for organised labour. They asked for the abolition of the compulsory clauses in Lemieux industrial disputes act, an increase in wages of fifty cents a day for all letter carriers, and sundry other matters. The deputation urged that the Dominion of Canada recommend to the Allies that terms of peace in the present war should provide that the civil and religious rights of the Jewish people should be preserved everywhere. It was also urged that government take steps to prevent speculative on soldier's land grants.

Premier Borden was very definite in his assurances to the Labor Delegation that no industrial conscription was contemplated by the government. If any change in this policy was considered he said the labour men would be called into conference before a radical change was made.

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

New York Stocks—

Air Brake, 145; Atchison, 105; B. and O., 83 5-8, 84; C.P.R., 160, 161 5-8; N. Y.C., 101 7-8, 101 1-4; Erie, 33 3-4, 33; Erie Pfd., 48, 48 1-8; N.P., 108 1-2, 108 3-4; Penna., 56, 56 1-2; Reading, 100 1-2, 102; St. Paul, 90 3-4, 90 1-4; Beth. Steel, 460, 470; Rep. Steel, 77 1-2, 79 1-4; U. S. Steel, 112 1-2, 114 1-4; Anaconda, 83 7-8, 85 3-4; Inter. Nickel, 11 1-4; Amer. Loco., 76, 77 1-4.

Chicago Grain—

May wheat, 188; July 151, May corn, 99 1-2.

Canadian Stocks—

Gen. Elec., 112, 112 1-2; Can. Cer Pfd., 70; N. S. Steel, 116; Smelters, 33 1-2; Dom. Steel, 67, 67 1-4; Steamers, 35 35; Steel of Can., 66 1-2, 67.

THE CALEBITES MEET TO-NIGHT

Following the outline in the Gospel of the Kingdom the Calebites have for their study this month the government of the state. At the regular meeting this evening at 8 o'clock in the school room of St. Andrew's, Mr. A. McGregor, editor of the Review, will read a paper on the science of government. All men interested will be cordially welcomed.

MORE TAXATION EXPECTED.

War Outlays May Be Met in Part From Corporation Coffers.

OTTAWA, Jan. 15.—Additional taxation by way of helping meet the abnormal outlays of the war is anticipated at the coming session of Parliament. There is talk of assessing the profits of munition makers and imposing additional taxes on corporations and individuals, perhaps by taxes on income, as well as of adjusting somewhat the existing schedules.

What will be done in the matter will be known only when the budget is delivered. By reason of the effect upon the financial and other markets, there is no state secret quite so carefully guarded as tariff changes or taxes embodied in the budget. As a matter of fact it is often the custom to finally decide these matters by order-in-Council only upon the morning of the day when the speech is delivered. Up till then, the Minister of Finance has a practically exclusive knowledge of what is coming.

The taxes imposed last year are working well and bringing in every dollar which it was estimated they would produce. This fact suggests the improbability of extensive or radical changes in the situation. Issues, however, are looked for.

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OBITUARY

MRS. JOHN C. O'LEARY

The death occurred at St. Joseph's Hospital last night of Mrs. John C. O'Leary of Downeyville. The deceased was born in Ireland and came to Canada when a little girl. She had spent her life in Downeyville and Lindsay. She is survived by her husband and one brother, Mr. Daniel Flynn of Stillwater, Minn. The funeral will be held on Wednesday morning from her late residence, Downeyville, to St. Luke's church, and thence to St. Mary's cemetery, Lindsay.

CLARENCE F. DAWSON.

On Friday afternoon, the 12th day of January, there passed away at his home, Lot 6, Concession 1, South Monaghan, Mr. Clarence F. Dawson.

The late Mr. Dawson was a son of the late William and Meriam Dawson, and was born in South Monaghan, forty-four years ago.

He leaves to mourn his loss, his wife, three daughters, May, Olive and Edna; two sons, Frank and Ernest, all at home. Besides the following sisters and brothers: Mrs. P. E. Rutherford, Peterborough; Mrs. H. Marshall, Peterborough; Mrs. John Kerr, Souris, Man.; Harry, Welford, W. Fell, Thomas George, Peter, William and Nichol, all of Baliieboro.

In religion the late Mr. Dawson was a methodist, having been actively identified with the Baliieboro M.E. Church all his life.

The funeral, which took place on Sunday afternoon, from the family residence to the Methodist cemetery, was largely attended, and bespoke the high esteem at which the community held the late Mr. Dawson.

Rev. Mr. Wickett conducted the service which was under the auspices of the L.O.L., Baliieboro.

The pallbearers were Messrs. Harry, Welford and Edmund Dawson, William Fell, William and George Whittington.

ANNA MARIA YOST.

Anna Maria, beloved wife of Thomas E. Yost, died this morning at Nicholls Hospital, aged 62. Mrs. Yost was born in London, England, and came to Canada ten years ago. She was a faithful member of the Salvation Army.

The funeral will be held on Thursday afternoon from the residence of Mr. John Smith, 140 Antrim street, to the Army Temple, where a short service will be held at 2 o'clock before proceeding to the Little Lake cemetery.

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Social and Personal

Mr. F. W. Doan, District Superintendent of the Bell Telephone Company and Mr. C. J. Schroder, District Traffic Chief, left last night for Montreal to attend a conference of the Company's officials.

The ladies of Peterboro are reminded of the sock shower which through the courtesy of Mrs. Harry Thompson, Hunter Street, will be held at her home on Saturday, Jan. 20th. Afternoon tea will be served.

Lieut. Douglas Huycke, who spent the holidays at his home, East City, has returned to Kingston, where he is teaching at the Royal School of Artillery.

Mr. Charles Brown of Pentieton, B.C., is the guest of Mrs. Z. Burnham, Otonbee.

Miss Rosamond Huycke returned yesterday to Bishop Strachan's School, Toronto.

Miss Nora Smythe, Montreal, who has been the guest of Judge and Mrs. Huycke, Tngleburn Park, left yesterday for Cobourg, where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. J. Sawers, "The Rectory."

Mrs. Harry Stock received a cable yesterday from London, Eng., announcing the safe arrival of Mr. Stock, who sailed some time ago, to visit his son, Lieut. Percy Stock.

Mr. Arthur Huycke returned yesterday to resume his studies at Toronto University.

Miss Dorothy McDonald of Edmonton, who has been the guest of Judge and Mrs. Huycke, left yesterday to visit friends in Cobourg.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Quinlan of 586 Charlotte Street, have gone to Toronto, where they will reside.

Mr. W. J. Morris, Ontario Branch Manager of the London Lancashire Life Assurance Co., is in the city today with Mr. H. J. Sharpe, opening up a branch office for Peterborough and Victoria counties, which the large clientele of policyholders will appreciate.

Mrs. Wm. Hamilton, 173 Simcoe street, has successfully undergone a very serious operation in St. Joseph's hospital. To-day she is as well as could be expected. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Miss Marie McCarthy, Hunter street, left yesterday for Niagara Falls and will spend a few weeks visiting at Loretta Academy, Falls View, Niagara.

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Brampton High School Is Burned

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BRAMPTON, Jan. 16.—The thirty-year-old high school building was completely destroyed by fire this morning. The loss will be $50,000, with the insurance about $12,000.

FINE ADDRESS ON MUSIC'S MISSION

A fitting climax to the splendid week-end services at the Temple was Mrs. Blanche Johnstone's address, last night, on Music's Mission.

The addres was full of history, incident and pathos. The Temple Band and songsters rendered several nice selections and a unanimous invitation was accorded Mrs. Johnstone through Adjt. McElhiney, who thanked her for all her past and present efforts for the g[illegible] of others.

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A GERMAN RAIDER SINKS NINETEEN MERCHANT SHIPS

The Greek Situation Reaches an Acute Stage

A GERMAN RAIDER IS AT LARGE IN THE SOUTH ATLANTIC

Nineteen Merchant Steamers, Mostly British and Two French Schooners Reported Sunk—237 Survivors Landed—Some of the Survivors Were Aboard the Raider For 28 Days.

"VOLTAIRE" IN THE LIST

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BUENOS AIRES, January 17. — A German raider believed to be the steamer "Vineta," has sunk nineteen merchant steamers, mostly British, and two French schooners in the South Atlantic, according to despatches received here to-day from Pernambuco and Rio De Janeiro, detailing the landing of survivors at Pernambuco.

One additional message from Rio declared that the raider had sunk still another British ship, without warning, causing the loss of 400 persons.

The Brazilian Minister of Marine has made a formal request for a report from Pernambuco but as yet has not received a reply. A subsequent message reported the sinking of English and French merchantmen off the Brazilian coasts, including the "Voltaire."

A despatch from Rio added the steamships Samara, Drina, Ortega and Hammershus to the list of victims.

In all, 237 survivors from the victims of the German raider were landed at Pernambuco, the despatch said. These survivors described the raider as armed with twelve cannon and four torpedo tubes.

Some of the survivors were aboard the vessel for twenty-eight days. Still another report from Rio to-day as to the faiders activities said only seven ships had been sunk and nine captured.

The latest German sea raider on the fact of despatches to date, apparently has set a record in destructiveness of commerce, only exceeded by the exploits of the famous Emden, Germany's prize raider. The new German raider, whose name is said to be the Vineta, is credited in South American despatches with accounting for nineteen merchant ships and is still at large.

NEW YORK, January 17.—The Belgian seamship Sanland, reaching here from Rotterdam, brought word that she had been stopped December 4 off the Irish coast by a German raider which, after searching her and finding she was a Belgian food ship, allowed her to proceed. The first warning of a German commerce raider from the Britsih Government was on December 9, when warnings were flashed from warships and from naval wireless stations.

Wheat Prices Are Very Firm

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Complete figures showing that the United States visible supply of wheat fell off 3,385,000 last week had a bullish effect yesterday on prices. The decrease was much greater than for the previous week and was in striking contrast to a year ago when there was an actual increase. Authoritative advices from Berlin that the answer of the Entente Allies to President Wilson barred for the present any further steps by Germany to bring peace, tended also to lift the market. Opening quotations, which ranged from 1-4 to 1 1-8 higher with May at 195 to 195 1-2 and July at 149 were followed by decided additional gains.

WINNIPEG PRICES

No. 1 Nor., 184; No. 2 Nor. 181 1-4; No. 3 Nor., 177 3-4; No. 4 wheat, 163 1-4; special No. 4 wheat, 163 1-8; No. 5 wheat, 143 1-4; special No. 5 wheat 150; No. 6 wheat, 111; special No. 6 wheat 135; feed 95.

No. 2 C.W. oats 57 3-4; No 3 C.W. oats 56 1-2, ex. No. feed oats, 56 1-2; No. 1 feed Oats 54 5-8.

No. 3 Barley, 101; 4 barley, 95.

Flax, 363.

CATTLE MARKETS

There was a better tone to the trade at the stock yards yesterday and prices were firmer throughout the list. Buying was fast and animals went over the scales in quick order. Choice to good steers were in strong demand at steady prices. J. B. Shields had one choice load which sold at $10.25. Butcher cattle held a fast demand, selling around $9.75 to $10.00. Fat cows and butcher bulls were in steady to strong demand. Prices on these grades were only steady. The stocker and feeder trade is very dull, but if the animals are at all killable they are being used as butchers rather than feeders. This will account for the high levels of these grades. Milkers and springers were very slow and unless the animals are real choice and selling at reasonable levels buyers will pay no attention.

Light sheep and choice calves were steady, selling around $14.50. Dunn and Levack had one load which sold at $15.00. Hogs were steady.

YESTERDAY'S QUOTATIONS

Choice heavy steers	$10 00 to	10.25
Good heavy steers	9.50	9.75
Butcher cattle, choice	9.75	10.00
do med.	8.50	8.75
do com.	8.00	8.25
Butcher bulls, choice	7.75	8.75
do good	7.25	7.50
Butchers' cows choice	7.75	8.50
do good	7.25	8.50
Stockers	5.65	7.25
Feeders, choice	7.50	8.10
Canners and cutters	4.50	5.50
Milkers, choice	70.00	100.00
do com, to med.	40.00	80.00
Springers	50.00	100.00
Light ewes	9.25	10.00
Heavy sheep	6.00	7.50
Choice lambs	14.00	14.50
Calves, good to choice	11.75	13.00
do medium	9.00	10.40
Hogs, fed and watered	13.00	.....
do off cars	13.25	13.50
do f.o.b.	12.25	.....

Seventy-three Recruits Passed

Special to The Examiner:

TORONTO, Jan. 17. — Seventy-three recruits succeeded in passing the test yesterday.

More Troops Called Out By the Swiss

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BERNE, Jan. 17.—The Swiss call more troops out as a measure of protection.

OFFICERS RETURN FROM ENGLAND

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

HALIFAX, Jan. 17.—Many officers return from England.

May Send Home Canadian Women Now in England

LONDON, Jan. 16.—Canadian authorities here are seriously contemplating the advisability of ordering Canadian wives and women relatives of soldiers to return to Canada to help the food situation here and avoid the possibility of future shortages. Lord Shaughnessy, who is strongly in favour of such action, has been in conference in this connection with a very high personage here.

It is estimated there are sixty thousand wives and other relatives of Canadian officers and men living here, and all thinking Canadian deplore this state of affairs, which puts an extra and often needless tax on the food resources of this country at a critical time, helps raise rents, and generally makes it harder for the wives of British soldiers, who have no separation allowances like the Canadians.

GET BARGAIN MEAT

It is stated that the wives of Canadian officers at British base camps often obtain the army meat rations at rates which are much below the open market. Many Canadian women come over here against the express wishes of their soldier relatives. It is known that the Canadian authorities have disapproved of Canadian women coming to England. War work is frequently an excuse, but many Canadian women here are doing practically nothing.

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"There's a Reason"

Russians Were Successful In The Riga District

Several Miles of Front Trenches Captured Together With a Number of Prisoners

TURKS DEFEATED

Special to The Examiner:

PETROGRAD, Jan. 17.— The Russian offensive continues near Riga. Several miles of front trenches with prisoners taken yesterday. In Roumania the Teutons are being held back and in some points are retreating. A victory was secured in the Caucasus, where four hundred Turks and three mountain guns were captured.

German Attack Was Repulsed

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, Jan. 17. — A German raid along the Somme near Basily with gas bombs was repulsed with heavy losses to the Teutons.

Million Dollar Cargo Lost

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—The Norwegian steamer Hallaren with a million dollar cargo believed to be lost.

FOOD PRICES STILL SOARING

Special to The Examiner:

LONDON, Jan. 17.— Prices of foods are still soaring all over Europe. National Service Department suggests that British retailers suspend all credit.

New Treaty Between Germany and Turkey

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BERLIN, Jan. 17.—A new treaty between Germany and Turkey was signed yesterday. The Kaiser will permit the restoration of Rheims cathedral.

Two Hundred Austrians Taken

Special to The Examiner:

ROME, Jan. 17. — Two hundred Austrians were taken in Italian raids. The weather is still bad.

More Men Called To the Colours

Special to The Examiner.

LONDON, Jan. 17. — Younger men from the farms have been called to the colours. Also junior shoe makers.

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Canada Preparing To Care For All Soldiers Wounded In Fighting

Col. Labatt of the Pension's Board in Address Before the Canadian Club Yesterday Outlines Preparation Nation is Making to Protect Those Who Are Victims of the Fierce Battling Overseas.

DIVIDING THE PENSIONS

MONTREAL, Jan. 17.—The evolution of the gigantic pension scheme that Canada, through the Pension Commission, is working out, was described fully and eloquently to the members of the Canadian Club at their luncheon yesterday afternoon in the Windsor Hotel by Colonel R. H. Labatt, a member of the Board of Pension Commissioners for Canada. Col. Labatt, who went over in command of a battalion with the First Contingent and was seriously wounded while leading his men, was a pleasing and entertaining speaker, with the result that what promised to be a 'dry' subject was illuminated by many flashes of eloquence and sympathy which drew applause time and again from the members.

At the outset Col. Labatt gave his hearers some idea of the tremendous task ahead of the Pension Board and the country at large, by stating that, based on the overseas army of 300,000 men, the annual pension bill of Canada would be somewhere in the neighbourhood of $21,000,000, while with an overseas army of 400,000 men the annual pension bill was expected to be somewhere around $28,000,000.

To date the Canadian casualties total 68,290 men. Of these 10,854 have been killed, 4,010 have died of wounds 494 have died of illness, 1108 have died while pensioners, 2,907 are missing, and presumed dead, and 28,454 have been wounded.

He called attention to the small proportion of men who had died from illness in the Canadian army, namely 494, and stated that the greatest feat of all the war was the manner in which the medical forces had gone about their task. If this war had been conducted in the same manner as previous wars so far as sanitation was concerned and the proportion of men who had previously died of disease had succumbed since 1914 then the pension list of Canada would have been such as to have been unbearable by the Dominion.

Col. Labatt traced the foundation and organization of the pension board in Canada and stated that the generosity of this country was such that the pensions that would be granted Canadian soldiers or their dependents were the greatest and largest ever granted by any nation.

Dividing the Pensions.

The pensions will be divided into six classes, based on the first class of total disability from earning a livelihood. All members of the rank and file totally disabled will be paid a pension of $480 per annum; company and staff sergeants will receive $510; regimental sergeants, $620; warrant officers, $680; lieutenants, $750; captains $1,000; majors, $1,200 and lieut-colonels $1,500.

The six classes of pensions will consist of the total disability of 100 per cent. men then 80 per cent. of total disability, 60 per cent of total disability, 40 per cent., 20 per cent. and men slightly disabled who will receive a straight grant of from $25 to $100. There are also certain grants for the children of wounded soldiers.

Col. Labatt then dealt with the question of how the class to which a wounded man will belong will be determined which will be through the joint work of the military hospitals commission and the Pension Board. When a man is returned from the front he will be examined by the Military Hospital Commission which will determine whether he can be trained to some form of labour that will enable him to earn a proper living and from them he will pass to the Pension Board, who with the evidence of the Hospital Commission at hand will be able to properly determine what class of pension the soldier is entitled to.

Fair for Everybody.

He was emphatic in his declaration that no class distinction or politics would enter into the working of the pension board in this country. "It will not make the slightest difference," he declared amid applause, "whether the man who is the subject for a pension was making $10,000 a year or $1,000 before the war he will be judged on his merits as a wounded soldier only when the question of his pension comes up for settlement."

As an illustration of the manner in which pensions could be easily misused he related some of the swindles that had been perpetrated on the American Government in connection with the pension list which was now millions of dollars greater than when the Civil War was only a few years over. He also told of a case that had already come before the board in Ottawa, where a fraud had been very nearly successful and a woman and two children, the wife and family of a lieutenant, almost deprived of their proper pension.

On December 30th, 1916, Col. Labatt stated, 6,320 cases had been disposed of and pensions granted. By the end of March he expected 10,000 pensions would have been granted, and by the end of March, 1918, it was expected that between 35,000 and 40,000 pensions would have been granted.

Col. Labatt closed his address with an eloquent plea to the business men of Montreal to see that everything possible was done to facilitate the proper working of the board that had to deal with this matter and to see that the men who were going forth to fight for the cause of the right were properly looked after when they came back, and that if they never came back that their dependants were treated in the fair and square manner that was necessary to keep the name of Canada clean

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Greek Situation Again Alarming

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 17. The Greek situation is again alarming. Constantine's troops are said to be marching to attack the Salonika army from the rear. The report that Von Falkenhayn has arrived in Greece is believed to be true in London.

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Railway Time Tables

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
Corrected Jan. 15th, 1917.

7.00 a.m.—For Lakefield.
8.05 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg, and points east, connecting at Port Hope for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 12.25 p.m.
8.25 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Stirling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
8.30 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
11.40 a.m.—Mail-day express for Toronto, reaching Toronto at 3.15 p.m.
12.20 p.m.—For Lakefield.
1.40 a.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto. Detroit and Chicago.
1.30 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Stirling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
3.35 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
5.40 p.m.—For Lakefield.
6.55 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
9.05 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Boston.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
Corrected January 15, 1917.

GOING EAST:
*2.40 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*12.15 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N. B., Boston and New York.
*1.30 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, and Ottawa.
**11.27 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and Intermediate points, and all points east of Montreal.

GOING WEST:
*4.46 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Galt, Woodstock, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*4.54 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
**7.35 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York. Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
**9.16 a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port McNichol and Intermediate points.
**1.43 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Buffalo, New York, Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, London, Detroit and Chicago.
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OUR SERIAL STORY

"DESTINY"

By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday.)

And always to the sunken-eyed anxiety of his mother and the puffy-eyed misgivings of his father, and the quaking terror of his brother, he gave back laughing assurances of his unquenchable power. To them he treated as technicalities, which he would casually brush aside, Federal prosecutions and congressional investigations, and the solid phalanx of financial interests that constantly drew their strangling cordons around him. He never admitted to others or to himself as a possibility the reckoning that was sure beyond question. Yet except for a detail of months or weeks, he was as irremediably ruined as though already the tape of the stock-ticker had spelled out its unemotional announcement, "Hamilton Burton cannot meet his obligations." He had been wounded through the one vulnerable joint in his armor: his great self pride and unquestioning assurance were struck to the quick of his heart. His day was done.

Since he had lost in dozens and in scores of millions and could return to his preeminence only by mighty leaps, he plunged again in dozens and scores of millions, as befitted a mighty gambler. And in scores he lost and in scores again he plunged, to his ruinous and total undoing.

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As the Burton fortunes were dwindling, Loraine Haswell, who had come now from the Riviera to Paris, found her state of mind reaching an anxiety that threatened first her composure, then almost her reason. She knew of her husband's ruin, and had written him a letter of condolence rather more human than any of her other communications to him had been of late.

But that the shattering of such a moderate financier as Len Haswell should foreshadow the total ruin of a money czar like Hamilton Burton, and impoverish his parasite brother, was an idea too colossal to grasp in its entirety. Yet in the news from America it slowly dawned. In the Paris edition of the New York Herald it was convincingly chronicled, and the beautiful dark haired woman who had thrown away her husband began to see that she had no reserve upon which to fall back. Had Len's modest fortune survived that tempest it would have been easy to have put back into port. A little contrition and confession that she had tried living without him and saw it was impossible, would have won his forgiveness, because his heart had been too sore to calculate. But now Len was bankrupt and Paul would be likewise.

In these days Carlos de Metuan was no longer a speaker of veiled phrases. He was playing the role of the generous Platonic friend, watching her moods and seeking to comfort her.

There was no strain of iron in this woman's soul, and that suited his purpose. Just now he would gain more by merely standing by. Her increasing alarm would one day turn to panic and she would lose her head. For that day he could afford to wait.

Loraine was undergoing an agony, and when the time came which the duke regarded as the psychological moment, and he boldly offered her his his proposition, she made a lovely picture of a woman in distress converted into a righteous fury.

She sent him away with blazing eyes and words that should have scorched, and he went with a shrug of the shoulders and smiled when he was out of sight. "It is not for long," he told himself.

In that cynical conviction Carlos de Metuan was correct. Loraine tried poverty and loneliness for a while in Paris, and because she was still a creature of rare beauty, several other men with greater or less degree of skilled language suggested similar solutions.

At last she met the duke again. He had been in Andalusia and had returned once more to Paris. He was driving in a motor car and came upon her walking near the Arc de Triomphe. He halted the car and asked her to let him drive her home. At first she demurred, but in the end consented to let him drop her at her pension, provided he would promise to leave her immediately at her door.

"Assuredly," agreed the man very gravely. "But in return, you will do me a favor, you will let me call for you tonight, and will dine with me?"

For a moment Loraine hesitated, then she slowly nodded her head.

Carlos de Metuan arrived promptly that evening.

Loraine had made her fight, and regarded herself as a defeated martyr. The hour and a hour before his coming she had not devoted to tears but to beautifying herself. She met him radiant and from her eyes and lips all the disfigurement of distress was vanished. She laughed and chatted throughout dinner and over the coffee leaning forward a little, she asked:—"Where do you mean to take me from here?"

"To a comedy, perhaps, wherever you like."

There was a brief pause, then she looked up and put a second question. She put it with the best nonchalance that she could surrender. It did not sound like unconditional surrender.

"And after that?"

Carlos de Metuan lighted a cigarette.

"I have leased for you a very good apartment not far from the Champs Elysees. I think you will find it comfortable."

For an instant the woman's eyes hardened.

"You appear to have taken matters rather much for granted, Carlos."

He shook his head, and smiled.

"I merely hoped," he assured her.

CHAPTER XXIX.

Possibly some day a historian versed in the intricacies of high—and low—finance will record in detail, comprehensively and convincing to those who thirst for statistical minutiæ, the last chapters of Hamilton Burton's history. Here it will only be set baldly down that the weeks for him went galloping toward and over the brink of things—until he found his affairs still reckoned in millions, but all in the millions of liabilities.

He was pointed out derisively in those expensive hotels where once every head had bowed obsequiously at his coming. Then one night he went to his office, carrying a leather portfolio in his hand. He still walked with his head up and met the gaze of every man who cared to gaze into his own. About his neck was turned up the collar of a sable lined overcoat—relic of his days of splendour. As he walked down town he met no one who knew him and this suited his purpose. Lower Broadway after nightfall is as murky and silent as upper Broadway is aflare and noisy. The steep buildings are like cemetery shafts save where belated clerks work over their books and night watchmen guard their posts.

Burton's offices, still his under a nitaire and accessories—since the shernitaire and accessories—since the sheriff had already begun his confiscations here.

But to-night Hamilton Burton meant to use them for another and a grimmer purpose—in fact a final. The one. The portfolio which he carried contained a dilapidated old blank book, such as one buys in a cross roads store, a volume of verse, and an automatic pistol, carefully loaded. When the now inevitable moment came which should leave his family reafless—he would not be there to see.

There is no saying what small matters may, at a given crisis, bring solace to a man who requires it. Now, Hamilton Burton appeared to find the necessary comfort in the boast which he nursed to his heart, that his exit from the world, with which he had played duck and drake, was to be entirely voluntary, and in no wise forced: that though he was closing life's door upon himself he was still crossing the Stygian threshold the captain of his soul.

His face was calm enough as he turned on the light and drew down the blinds of his private office. He had no knowledge of another tall figure, bearing abundant signs of adversity that, from the opposite side of the street, halted to glance up just as he showed himself there in the window.

Hamilton Burton deliberately unlocked the morocco brief case with its gold clasp. First, he took out the pistol and carefully examined it, nodding his head in satisfaction. Still, as there was no table left, he laid it on the window sill, near at hand. He next withdrew the book of verses and after that the country store notebook with its dog eared and age-yellowed pages. These proceedings left the case empty save for a note directed, "Coroner's Agent, City."

In the days of his magnificence Hamilton Burton had regarded life-insurance as a poor man's buffer between his heirs and want.

For himself it had meant nothing, and he had passed it by. Only since he had secretly half-admitted his vulnerability, had he thrown such an anchor to windward, and all his policies were new—too new to hold validity against self-destruction.

And yet the brain that had been so cool always, so logical, had of late assumed a dozen unaccountable eccentricities. Through his thoughts with the obstinacy of an obsession ran one refrain: "'Twas no foeman's hand that slew him: 'twas his own that struck the blow!"

Men must not think of him as one beaten and murdered. They must remember him as his own executioner. Surely the lawyers would find a way. Surely their cleverness would circumvent the restrictions framed by these gamblers on the chances of life and death.

He opened the poetry volume at a point where a page was turned down, then, standing by the electric light, boldly straight, and without the air of a man who entertains fear of death, he read aloud, and with excellent elocutionary effect.....

"I only loved one country in my life
And that was France: I saw her break her heart
Against the cruel squares; then the last order
Broke from my lips as coolly as a smile.
God! How they rode! All France was in that last
Charge; and France broke her heart for me...."

He paused and a deep melancholy spread over the features until the eyes might truly have been those of broken dreams gazing seaward from the rocks of St. Helena. He glanced again at the pages and quoted softly.

"Ninette, Ninette, remember the Old Guard!"

After that he laid the book aside, and turned the thumbed pages of the blank book. These were pages that were scrawled across in a boy's round hand. The man who had once been that boy stopped when he came to an entry written long ago by lamplight in an unheated attic, with frozen branches scraping the roof and the eaves.

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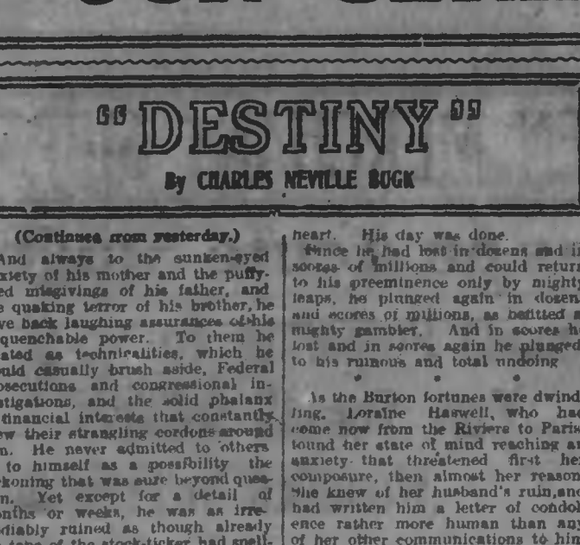

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By F. A. MITCHEL

John Burnes, foreman at an ironworks, had an assistant, Peter Rucker. Peter was as necessary to the works as the engine that supplied the motive power, and he worked as steadily as the flywheel which turned just so many revolutions every day in the week. Burnes often told the superintendent that he could get on without any one under him except Rucker.

Peter was thirty-five years old and unmarried. Burnes took him home to supper with him one evening, and there he saw for the first time Burnes' daughter, Madge, sixteen years old. Rucker was looked upon by the girl as a friend of her father and of another generation. But while Rucker was talking shop with Burnes he had an eye for Madge, and he wished he could knock ten or fifteen years off his age so that she would look upon him in a different light. When he left the Burnes home Mrs. Burnes said to her husband:

"Did you see the looks he gave Madge?"

"No. What d'ye mean?"

"I mean that he's a chance for the lass to get a good husband."

"Tush, mother! She's only a child, and when she comes a year or two older she'll be thinkin' o' some laddie with a sproutin' beard."

"She's thinkin' o' one o' that kind now. There's a younker that comes to deliver goods from the store that's caught her eye."

The result of this interview was that Rucker was asked again to supper, and when the meal was over Burnes had a headache and must go to bed and his wife must nurse him. That left Madge to entertain Rucker, which she did with a poor grace, for she was thinking of the grocer boy, Bob Decker, with whom she had an engagement for the same evening.

Rucker divined this to be encouragement on the part of Madge's parents, and since Madge kept her feelings to herself his heart leaped for joy. With much stumbling he asked Burnes if he would object to his trying to win his little girl for a wife, and Burnes assented. But it was Mrs. Burnes who won Madge for the wooer, though he thought he had done it himself. The mother held a picture of comfort with Bucker and one of poverty with Decker should she marry him, for his salary was but $15 a week, with no prospects.

So on the day Madge was seventeen she gave her hand to the sturdy mechanic, while her heart remained with the grocer's delivery boy.

Rucker did not expect much demonstration of affection from his wife. He calculated on her growing dependent upon him and thus drifting into that affection which follows later in life between married couples. But he noticed that she had none of the elasticity, the spirits that should be in one on the threshold of life. This seemed to go from bad to worse, and one day he said to her:

"Tell me, little one, what troubles you. No matter what it is, I will make it right if it is possible."

Her only reply was tears. Rucker spoke so kindly to her, urging her to cast her burden upon him, she trusted him so implicitly, that at last she told him that she loved Bob Decker, but could not have married him because he was poor. She had therefore yielded to her mother's persuasion that she should marry Rucker.

Had the ironworker been struck by one of the sledges used in the works he could not have been more completely knocked out. But the soul of a strong man will stand up when his body will go down. Not a twinge did he permit his young wife to see. It was some time before he spoke again; then he said:

"I didn't know I was standing in the way of your happiness, little one, or I would not have done so. But I am in honor bound to undo what I have done. I will see that you secure a legal parting with me, and not only that, but to make amends for the wrong I have done you I will make it safe for you to marry the man you love. I have a bit saved and will give it to you that you may not want."

There was a strange look in the young wife's eyes when she lifted them to her husband. But she said nothing. There was going on within her something that she did not recognize. The young man to whom she was to be given came up before her. He was a very ordinary youth, whom she had set up in her mind to worship. But somehow she could not conceive of his doing anything like this. The man whom thus far she had looked upon as standing between this young lover and herself now suddenly loomed up as something grand, something noble. In a twinkling it was revealed to her that to exchange him for the other would break her heart.

Words could never undo the words she had spoken. Fortunate is woman that she has something stronger than words with which to express herself and which seldom fails with man. Tears came again.

"Don't cry, little one. It will soon be all right. It can be undone and you will yet be happy."

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Hopes Every Man and Woman Adopts This Splendid Morning Habit

Why is man and woman, half the time, feeling nervous, despondent, worried; some days headachy, dull and unstrung; some days really incapacitated by illness?

If we all would practice inside-bathing, what a gratifying change would take place. Instead of thousands of half-sick, anaemic-looking souls with pasty, muddy complexions we should see crowds of happy, healthy, rosy-cheeked people everywhere. The reason is that the human system does not rid itself each day of all the waste which it accumulates under our present mode of living. For every ounce of food and drink taken into the system nearly an ounce of waste material must be carried out, else it ferments and forms ptomaine-like poisons which are absorbed into the blood.

Just as necessary as it is to clean the ashes from the furnace each day, before the fire will burn bright and hot, so we must each morning clear the inside organs of the previous day's accumulation of indigestible waste and body toxins. Men and women, whether sick or well, are advised to drink each morning, before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, as a harmless means of washing out of the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the indigestible material, waste, sour bile and toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Millions of people who had their turn at constipation, bilious attacks, acid stomach, nervous days and sleepless nights have become real cranks about the morning inside-bath. A quarter pound of limestone phosphate will not cost much at the drug store, but is sufficient to demonstrate to anyone, its cleansing, sweetening and freshening effect upon the system.

Belgium Loses Great Poet

Although Belgium had not enough to suffer at the hands of the men who kill her sons or send them to captivity, a cruel fatality has deprived her accidentally of her most glorious children. This summer our great economist, Emile Waxweiler, who was to supervise the restoration of our national life, was killed in the streets of London by an automobile. This month a train in Rouen crushed to death Emile Verhaeren, the great literary figure of Belgium.

We had hoped that the same powerful voice which magnified the great industrial effort of Belgium and with a wild energy denounced the annihilation of all its attainments at the hands of the invaders would concentrate the vigor of an exceptionally virile talent in an inspiring hymn of triumph for the day when Belgium will be free again. This privilege has been refused to a man who deserved it so well, not only because he was a great artist, but because he is eminently a Belgian poet, uniting in his talent both the Flemish mentality and the French power of expression.

He was born in St. Amand, near Antwerp, in 1855, on the banks of the Scheldt, a region of gloomy mists, but with a fertile soil and a sturdy and lusty race of men. As a student in Louvain University, Verhaeren founded a literary periodical, La Semaine.

He soon became a friend of Maeterlinck. Edmond Picard, the editor of L'Art Social, converted Verhaeren to socialism. From the very beginning of his literary career the young poet had found himself especially interested in workmen and peasants. His first book, "Les Flamandes," aims to describe the Flemish farmers. Prompted by his juvenile extravagance, he drew of them a picture hideous and immodest beyond measure. The critics were severe upon the young artist, who tried to give loftier descriptions in "Les Moines" ("The Monks").

As an adolescent, he had been profoundly impressed by the mystical figures of the monks of Borahem, near his native place. In order to revive his impressions he had spent some time with the Trappists near Chimay. The picture he gives of the monk, however, is hardly less exasperated than the description of the "Flamandes." The friars are for him a disconcerting vision of a fierce asceticism in an inhospitable surrounding.

In both works his tumultuous soul, like a lens, was amplifying everything and overheating the eye of the observer. These, moreover, were the first symptoms of a mental and moral crisis through which Verhaeren had soon after to struggle.

Turned into a hypochondriac, he was more and more attracted by gloomy and dark visions. He went abroad and found a congenial surrounding in the foggy immensity of London. During his sojourn in the English city he wrote a trilogy of tears, fears, and despair, "Soirs," "Debacles," "Flambeaux noirs".

In 1891 he recovered from his illness and his despair in the conviction that he had a social mission. Like his friend, E. Picard, he thought that art should be made accessible to the people and help the conversion of the working classes to the ideal of collectivism. Verhaeren's social ideal, true it is, is more or less unprecise and negative. His vehement soul had conceived an immoderate hatred against the evils of our present society at the same time as an immense affection for the toilsome existence of the humble. He became the chanter of peasants and workmen, of their quiet and laborious life in the small towns, and the indefatigable denouncer of the unquenchable thirst of our modern ugly cities for more men to swallow up in their factories and their turmoils of money and pleasures. Verhaeren's style is somewhat harsh and irregular. The strength of the expression, the intensity and the sincerity of the feeling are its beauties. The sensations of the poet are intense and concentrated. Verhaeren accumulates in his soul the vision of the whole world and the strain oppresses him. His verses often are like the discharge of an overheated boiler, though they may also be serene and illumined by a soothing light as the ocean after a hurricane. Those are lulls in a tempestuous soul, never satisfied because it is too strong to put up with the meanness of a life without an ideal. It was born for a holy religious anger at the sins of the world, for a violent asceticism allied with an evangelican sympathy with the humble. The loss of the Christian ideal of its youth and of so many generations of Flemish Catholicism bewildered that powerful mind.

This explains why Verhaeren could not be neutral and at the end of his life became a preacher of atheism. In quest of a luminous ideal, he eagerly welcomed the visions of that world of dreams in which scintillate the wan lights of universal fraternity, regeneration of mankind in love and equality, community of goods and souls, consciousness of a liberated mankind, religion of science, life of the universe, and to those idols he sacrificed with the hyperbolic faith of a Victor Hugo and the bitterness of a man who has never recovered from the loss of his first love.

The moral as well as the physical sufferings of Verhaeren have been productive of beauty. He is a great poet because while he has gone through the same struggles and made the same efforts as thousands of his contemporaries he could find the words that gave a powerful and imperishable existence to what was only vaguely apprehended by the crowds. He was the Rubens of the mentality of a portion of mankind during the last generation. He dies in a tragic manner while an immense tragedy is shaking the ideals of those who, like him, had an unrestricted faith in man.

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Dye Before You Patch.

"Never patch a garment just before it goes to the dyers," was the advice of a young woman in a dyeing establishment. "Unless the patch and the thread it is sewed on with are exactly the same kind of material as the garment they will come out of the dye pot different shades. Here is a blue skirt that was brought to us cream colored. The cloth had worn through in several places, and the owner had patched the tiny holes so painstakingly that the patches could not be detected in the original color, but after the dyeing they showed up a darker hue. The amount of dye any material will take depends upon how much cotton, wool or silk it contains. It is so hard to determine that exactly that any garment that has to be mended can be matched much better after dyeing."

6 BOXES CURED PSORIASIS

Mrs. Nettie Massey, Cornwall, Ont., writes: "Three doctors described my trouble as psoriasis, and one said could never be cured. The disease spread all over me, even on my face and hands, and the itching and burning was hard to bear. I used eight boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment and can entirely recommend a cure to be sure. I can hardly praise this Ointment enough."

Needed a Sea Turn.

Captain Lane had retired from active pursuit of his beloved calling and had turned his attention to town affairs. Having succeeded in rousing the citizens to the need of a drinking fountain and also to the need of two coats of paint on the town hall, Captain Lane felt himself a valued and important person.

One day he was asked by a sojourner in the town to give his opinion of the present administration.

"It's pretty fair," said the captain slowly. "Of course there's things that could be different and would be better so, but on the whole 'tis pretty fair. But now I'll tell ye—I'm speaking from experience, you understand—things at the seat o' government won't be run as they could be run till the people o' this country make up their minds to stop confining their votes to 'andjubbers!"—Youth's Companion.

SONGS OF THE FELINES.

Why Lions and Tigers Can Roar and Cats Purr and Mew.

One of the most interesting discoveries made lately is that of Sir Richard Owen that the lion roars, instead of purring, simply because the hyoid bone in his throat is loose.

In the cat this bone is stationary, so that the cat purs and cannot roar. But in the lion and tiger the hyoid is loose, and therefore when they calling to their mates the larger members of the cat family roar. The roars of the jaguar and leopard are like "hoarse, barking coughs, an interval of about one second separating the expiratory efforts," says this observer. They may be easily reproduced or imitated by sawing a piece of pine board with a coarse toothed saw. The cheetah, however, calls with a drawn mew, very much like that of the cat.

R. I. Pocock, superintendent of the London zoo, explains that those felidae, or cat family, that have an elastic ligament between the cartilages and the upper elements of the suspensorium—lion, tiger, leopard, jaguar—roar, but never purr, while all the other species of the felidae, with normally constricted hyoids, purr, but never roar, and among these are the cheetah and puma.

A Printer's Problem.

Marie bit upon a problem the other day more perplexing than George II.'s apple dumpling. She peered between the uncut leaves of a magazine and said:

"Mother, how did they ever get the printing in there?"—New York Times.

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Revolution Coming In Germany Says Returned Neutral

LONDON, Jan. 16.—A neutral who left Germany last month informs the Times: "I lost fifteen pounds weight a month. All the time I was in Germany I saw no butter Saccharine is used instead of sugar, and affects the gums and causes diarrhoea, as does also the artificial coffee, which is horrible to drink. People are living mainly on potatoes and fish The only thing fit to eat is chocolate. Everyone is showing characteristic signs of jaundice—yellowish tinge of skin and white in the eyes. Money will not buy food, but the poor are under the impression that the officials are getting food from Belgium, presumably food intended for the relief of the Belgians. No sort of grumbling or criticism in public places is allowed by the authorities. As for clothes I had to wait two hours for permission to buy two pairs of socks, two shirts and six handkerchiefs.

"The national service law will kill all the small businesses. The middle classes, however, are ruined already. Middle-class morale has conspicuously deteriorated. A strong anti-Prussian anti-Berlin feeling is growing outside Prussia One of the objects of the national service law is to send to the front as many non-Prussian young men as possible so as to be able to release Prussians to keep Prussia's end up when the time comes.

"I met no one who thought Germany was going to win the war. Emperor William and the Crown Prince are finished. No one talks of them, but only of Hindenburg The really important men are Lucendorff and Gen Tappen, Mackensen, the chief of the general staff in Austria, is never mentioned.

"It is considered that England has been given far too much time to prepare for defences against the Zeppelins. I understand the German submarines now work in threes. It is popularly believed there is going to be an invasion of Holland or Denmark for the sake of the food they contain, and that Germany will attempt no further offensive on the western front.

"I confidently expect a revolution in Germany. There are said to be 10,000 deserters, including officers, in Holland awaiting events. Socialism is raising its head wherever it dares In a well-known district on the Rhine one is actually made to take off his gloves in the trains, for to wear gloves is a mark of the non-Socialist Nitrates made from air are good only for making nitric acid for munition purposes, and do not act properly when made into fertilizers for the soil, which is becoming exhausted."

PRINCES ARE COMMENDED

Brother of Austrian Empress Serving in Belgian Army.

PARIS, Jan. 15.—Prince Sixtus of Bourbon de Parm, and his brother, Prince Xavier, brothers of the Austrian Empress, who are serving in the Belgian army, have been commended in French army orders in the following terms. "They spontaneously offered their services in the cause of right, and attached to the section of stretcher-bearers in the first line, have on all occasions given proof of devotion and complete contempt of danger. At the beginning of the war the two princes sought to enlist in the French army, but could not be taken on account of the law excluding from the army all members of the former French Royal Family, whereupon they joined the Belgian forces."

$50,000 LOST, SHE ENDS LIFE.

Miss Julia P. Snow Kills Herself After Fortune Goes in Stock Market.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 15.—Despondent because she had lost $50,000 in the stock market after the recent peace note "leak," Miss Julia P. Snow, thirty-nine years old of Portland, Me., drank chloroform on the Charles River bank this afternoon and died soon after being taken to St. Elizabeth's Hospital.

Miss Snow left No. 266 Bay State road, where she had been staying, at six o'clock this morning, and was unconscious when found by the police on the bank of the Charles. She was the daughter of a Portland lawyer, who died a few years ago. The $50,000 lost in the stock market was her entire fortune.

There is no use telling a boy to stop doing something he ought not to do, unless you show him something better to do in its place.

SAGE TEA KEEPS YOUR HAIR DARK

When Mixed With Sulphur It Brings Back Its Beautiful Lustre at Once

Gray hair, however handsome, denotes advancing age. We all know the advantages of a youthful appearance. Your hair is your charm. It makes or mars the face. When it fades, turns gray and looks streaked, just a few applications of Sage Tea and Sulphur enhances its appearance a hundredfold.

Don't stay gray! Look young! Either prepare the recipe at home or get from any drug store a 50-cent bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," which is merely the old-time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients. Thousands of folks recommend this ready-to-use preparation, because it darkens the hair beautifully, besides, no one can possibly tell, as it darkens so naturally and evenly. You moisten a sponge or soft brush with it, drawing this through the hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, its natural colour is restored and it becomes thick, glossy and lustrous, and you appear years younger.

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WANTON DESTRUCTION IS NEUTRAL VERDICT

Zeppelin Crews Unable to Distinguish Cottage From Factory—German Official Reports Lie

S. S. McClure, the magazine publisher, who has been rather pro-German since the beginning of the war, was in Germany and there read of the frightful damage done by a Zeppelin raid. When he returned to England on his way home he took the trouble to visit the places where the Germans claimed to have wrought their destruction. He checked the British official statements, and then announced that the British figures were correct, and the German claims absurd.

Similar testimony has been given by a correspondent of the Springfield Republican, who appears to have been sceptical of the British reports. He was provided with credentials which took him to the districts visited by raiders, and there was permitted to interview witnesses of the raids, to count the dead and independently estimate the damage. He reports, as Mr. McClure reported, that the British figures are absolutely to be depended upon; and that the German claims are mere inventions. He asserted positively that it is impossible for the Zeppelin raiders to know anything of the damage they do; impossible for them to recognize the districts over which they are flying.

Germans do Not Know

A captain of one of the Zeppelins brought down in England, when asked how he could reconcile his conscience to dropping bombs on women and children, denied that this was done, and asserted that bombs were dropped only on military works and public buildings. Asked how he could tell where a bomb dropped on a dark night when he was a couple of miles up in the air he replied, with some mystery, that the Germans have their way of knowing. If this is true, then it is plain that the German reports of munitions works being destroyed and thousands of people killed are deliberate inventions, and not founded on the reports of the Zeppelin officers.

Even British Fail

British aviators flying at various heights over London in order to test the efficacy of the methods employed to darken the city on the approach of a Zeppelin agree that at a much lower altitude than that usually maintained by the Zeppelin it is impossible to distinguish prominent places. If those who are flying over London every day cannot tell one landmark from another, how is it possible for strangers flying much higher to do so?

SOLDIERS AS SPORTSMEN

Heavy War Between Canadian Sportsmen's Battalion and Greys

When the 147th Battalion, the Greys of Owen Sound, won the brigade lacrosse championship from the 199th, the Toronto Sportsmen, at Camp Borden, by the significant score of 16 to 1, the whole camp made merry at the 199th's expense. The Sportsmen were forthwith nicknamed "Bryan's Babies"; a dove of peace was suggested as their mascot, and grape juice was accredited with being the favorite beverage in their canteen. One night, shortly after this game, the two battalions met on the road when out at night manoeuvres. Immediately every man in the Greys began to count in a mocking roar, "One, two, three, four—" on up to sixteen. Why there was not a riot only the officers of the two battalions, who acknowledge having put in a bad half hour, can tell.

The Sportsmen later settled this score by winning the brigade soccer championship from the Greys by the heartbreaking score of 1-0. Men who saw that game have said it was one of the hardest fought, yet cleanest matches they ever saw played.

THE ALL-NIGHT CHURCH

Many Overseas Soldiers Attracted by a Little Lamp

"As many as thirty people often find their way into the church during the night," said the Rev. H. R. L. Sheppard, rector of St. Martin's-in-the Fields, Trafalgar square, the first church to remain open all night. "The little lamp outside the church," he said, "attracts a wonderful variety of people. We get many soldiers, chiefly from the Dominions, who are waiting for trains at Charing Cross Station, and often a poor homeless man or woman creeps in to rest for an hour or two. Even if the soldiers or wanderers do sleep, it is something to get them to church at all."

Doing Our Bit

All of us cannot fight. All of us—men, women and children—can do something towards winning the war.

Are we seeking that "something," or are we evading it? Are we looking for the "bit" we should do, or trying to forget it?

Take the Canadian Patriotic Fund. It has been created to care for the families of our soldiers in those cases—and those only—where need exists. Experience has shown that this means in two families out of three. Up to December 1, 1916, the people of Canada have given $16,500,000 to the Fund.

That is generous giving, isn't it? But the country is still at war; our armies are still growing; the soldiers' families are still in need; the Fund must still be maintained. And what do we find? In every part of the country men crying that they have given enough to the Fund—that Government should now take the burden.

Given enough! When the Canadian lad in the trenches is dead-tired, ready to drop in his tracks, does he chuck his job, declare he has given enough, and call on Government to get another man? Given enough! Is there a man in Canada has given enough if women and children are in need while he, the stay-at-home, has a dollar to spare?

No! This Fund, above all funds, has a claim on every citizen who is not himself a pauper. The fact that Government has not assumed responsibility for it is the fact that makes every man responsible for it—even if he thinks the Fund should be maintained by Government moneys.

Are YOU helping to insure this home against need?

Government Should Not Control, Because—

1. Government would have to treat all alike. The Fund helps only those in need. If Government paid the families of each soldier the average sum paid by the Fund the extra burden on the country would be between eight and nine million dollars yearly.

2. By paying the average sum those families in districts where cost of living is low would receive more than they need; those in high-cost areas would be paid too little.

3. Costs of administration would be enormously increased. This work is now done, for the most part, by willing workers without cost. Of every hundred dollars subscribed, Ninety-nine Dollars and Forty-six Cents go to the families! Never was a voluntary fund so economically administered.

4. The work would suffer. There would be no more of the friendly, almost paternal, relation now existing between the administrators of the Fund and the families. Government works automatically. The Fund's visitors are friends in need, therefore friends indeed.

5. Taxation would be unequal, for some counties and some provinces are already taxing their people for this Fund. Are they to be taxed again by the Federal authority?

6. The richer classes would be relieved of work they are cheerfully doing. They are now bearing, and bearing because they have the financial power and the patriotic willingness, the larger share of the burden.

7. The Fund blesses him that gives. It is a vehicle for public spirit—a channel for patriotic endeavor. The work of administering it has uncovered unknown reservoirs of unselfishness and sacrifice. Men and women have thrown themselves into this work because they found in it the "bit" for which they looked—their contribution to winning the war. Why stay their hand and stifle their enthusiasm?

8. Last, but not least: Government control means raising the money by selling Government bonds. Government bonds mean future taxation. And that means that the returning soldiers will pay, through long years, a large share of the cost of caring for their families—a cost we, the stay-at-homes, pledged ourselves to bear.

Men and women of Ontario: Bend your backs once again to this burden of

The Canadian Patriotic Fund

If you live in the rural districts see to it that your county councils make grants worthy of the counties and of the cause. If in the towns, start campaigns for individual subscriptions. And personally, taxed or not taxed, give as you can afford, give as your conscience tells you is your duty, your war-time part, in this day of national sacrifice.

Ontario will be asked in January to insure the Canadian Patriotic Fund that it can depend on having six million dollars in 1917 for the families of Ontario's soldiers.

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PROMPT MEASURES TO DESTROY RAIDER

ANOTHER RUSSIAN VICTORY IN ROUMANIA

Russian Forces Have Stormed And Recaptured City of Vadeni

Petrograd Officially Announces That City Has Been Re-taken By Czar's Troops---British Admiralty Admits Sinking of Merchantmen by Raider in South Atlantic and Announces That Prompt Measures For Its Destruction or Capture Have Been Taken.

A SUMMARY OF TO-DAY'S WAR CABLES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, January 17.—Russian forces have stormed and retaken the Roumanian City of Vadeni, to-day's official statement declares.

Commerce Raider To Be Hunted Down

Examiner Special:

LONDON (Bulletin), January 17.—The British Admiralty to-day confirmed the reports of the sinking of eight British merchantmen and two French ships by a German raider in the South Atlantic. Prompt measures have been taken to put an end to this menace to allied and neutral commerce. The capture or destruction of the raider is momentarily expected.

The Admiralty stated that the vessel St. Theodore was captured by the Germans and a prize crew put aboard. The St. Theodore in turn captured the Yarrowdale and pue aboard the latter vessel 400 members of the crews of other vessels which the raider had captured. No further information has been received as to the whereabouts of the Yarrowdale.

The Admiralty gave the names of the following British ships sunk: Voltaire, Dramatist, Radnorshire, Nertherby, Hall Mount Temple, King George, Georgic, Minieh. The Admiralty also announced the loss of the French ships Nantes and Asnieres.

The total tonnage o fvessels to-day officially reported sunk in the South Atlantic by German raiders was fifty-one thousand and captured ten thousand.

NEW YORK, January 17.—Included among the ships destroyed was the White Star liner Georgic, one of the biggest freight carrying vessels in the world. The Georgic sailed from Philadelphia on December 3, carrying a cargo composed largely of cotton. Being bound for Liverpool, it is obvious that the Georgic was not sunk in South Atlantic waters. The operations of the raider were first reported from the south, but the sinking of the Georgic convinces steamship men here that the raider performed an almost unbelievable feat. They believe the raider swept the ocean from north to south after eluding the British patrol, and that the Georgic was encountered in northern waters. That others reported last may have been in the same zone and that the raider then swept southward, capturing or sinking vessels not yet reported to the London Admiralty. From the Admiralty statement it would appear there are now possibly three raiders at large.

Grave Disturbances in the City of Cologne

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, January 17.—Grave disturbances, quelled only by the use of troops, have forced the closing of the railway station at Cologne, according to Central News despatches to-day from Geneva. The closing has been in effect three days, it was stated.

French Patrols Have Penetrated Foe's Lines

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS (French Official Communique), January 17. — French patrols penetrated the German lines at several points on the heights of the Meuse and in Apremont Forest.

German attacks at several other points were repulsed. After the bombardment reported in yesterday's communication the Germans attacked the French lines east of Clery and south of Bianche last night. The attack was repulsed. A small attack was made at Esparges, but this was also repulsed after lively hand-to-hand fighting.

American Contract For English Firm

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, January 17.—The Navy Department to-day announced that Hadfields, Sheffield, England, had been given a contract for the manufacture of 14 and 16-inch armour-piercing projectiles for the United States Navy. Hadfields quoted a much lower price than United States firms.

Neutral Steamers Are Now Reported Sunk

Examiner Special:

GALVESTON, Texas, January 17.—Rumours were current in shipping circles here this afternoon that the Swedish steamers Consul Corntron and Consul Olsson, and the Norwegian steamer Asborg, all of which sailed from this port in November, have been sunk by the new German raider. The Swedish steamers were bound for Havre with 20,000 bales of cotton, and the Norwegian vessel carried ten thousand bales for Genoa.

Serious Disorders Are Reported in Berlin

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, January 17.—Rome's wireless press messages from Berlin declare disorders there are such that the military authorities have issued a threatening manifesto. The wireless also carried the rumour that the Reichstag may meet elsewhere than Berlin, because of these disorders.

WASHINGTON, January 17.—The British Admiralty is working out a plan for the convoying of British merchantmen through the Atlantic waters by fast cruisers and sea-going destroyers, it was learned to-day.

ATHENS, January 17.—A mixed commission of Allied and Greek officers has been formed to carry out the military guarantees demanded in the Allies' ultimatum. The same body is charged with the transfer of troops and munitions from Northern Greece to Peloponesus. On the committee are seven Italians.

Examiner Ads. Always Profitable

Mr. Jos. O'Reilly of Ennismore, ordered an advertisement in the Examiner for three times for the sale of hardwood. After the first advertisement, all the wood was sold and the advertisement taken out. Results such as this are being obtained every day by advertisers in the Examiner.

DOLLAR DAY THE BIGGEST BARGAIN FESTIVAL OF YEAR

January 25th Has Been Selected as the Date for Big Event—Fifty-six Cash Bonuses Will Be Given Away By the Merchants

LIST WILL BE PUBLISHED

It is scarcely necessary to remind Peterborough residents of the delights of the big annual shopping day, that Dollar Day in winter has now come to mean. Now that the date, Thursday, January 25th, has been announced, and with only seven days left before the big day comes round, the excitement has already begun. Speculation as to what the stores will have to offer, and who will secure the fifty-six cash bonuses the merchants are giving away, is already rife. One hundred and seventy-five dollars to be given entirely free is enough to get a little enthusiasm into a shopping crowd, and promises to be the big outstanding feature of Dollar Day this time, as before.

The full list of between forty and fifty stores that are participating in the big event, will be published as soon as it is complete. With this list, and the sign of the Dollar Day Pennants in the windows, the public will soon be familiar with the stores that give away the estimating blanks.

Bright and Sparkling Theatre Attractions

The Royal Puts On an Entire Change of Programme To-night, Introducing Fox Film Star Actors and Funny Specialties

New dramas and comedies will be put on at the Royal to-night. The talented Fox film star actors and Broadway star actors will be shown. The comedy hits are laugh makers; clean humour, with a cyclone of fun by irrepressible comedians.

The management will have such a repertoire of new attractions as should draw capacity houses. Really a 25c. show for a dime.

Convention in Bethany Tabernacle

Well Known Workers in the Mission Fields Will Be Present

The annual convention of the Christian and Missionary Alliance for this district will be held in the Bethany Tabernacle, beginning on Thursday, 18th, continuing until Sunday, 21st. There will be two services daily, at 3 and 8 p.m. Sunday services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Rev. Wm. Montgomery, Syracuse, N.Y., Rev. Iver C. Wickware, Congo, Africa, Rev. A. E. Loose, Soudan, Africa, will be the speakers. Mr. Loose will give lantern views in the evening services. Only free-will offerings will be received.

We heartily invite the public to attend this convention.

Clean your sewing machine frequently if you would have good service. Kerosene oil and absorbent cotton are admirable for the purpose; follow with a good lubricator.

AN APPEAL FROM FRANCE TO ST. PETER'S PATRIOTIC CLUB

TO THE YOUNG WOMEN OF CANADA:—

You who have worked so bravely and so diligently during the war, will you respond once more to the needs of the French soldiers in the trenches?

THEY NEED SOCKS, SOCKS AND AGAIN SOCKS.

"You will never know, you women of Canada, how, just by your knitting, you have helped to win the war." It was a French officer who said this quite recently at the Secours National. He himself has, many a time, gone without socks and speaks from bitter experience.

Wool is scarce in France. The Secours National hopes to ship ten thousand pairs of Warm Socks, knitted in Canada, to provide the brave "poilus" with warm footwear for this winter. The task before us is a hard one.

France will never forget what the Canadian soldiers and the Canadian women have done during this war.

Young Women of Canada, lay aside your fancy work and KNIT, KNIT, KNIT, and do not forget your French brothers in the trenches.

Those who cannot knit could assist by supplying wool or money.

MRS. FLETCHER, Secretary Treasurer, Sock Committee, Secours, National, 51 King St. W., Toronto.

St. Peter's Patriotic Club in response to an appeal last spring sent sixty pairs of socks to Verdun, and the secretary of the Club feels confident that this appeal will be generously received and that the members will be only too glad to do their bit for France.

FOUR RECRUITS FROM LANG HAVE JOINED THE 247th BATTALION

Signs of a Recruiting Revival Throughout the County---Successful Meeting at Millbrook Last Night With Good Prospects of a Number of Recruits--Dr. Frederick is Recovering--To-day's General Military News.

Sergt.-Major Harry Latimer took a little recruiting jaunt to Lang, in Otonabee, at the beginning of the week, with splendid results returning this morning with five recruits, four of whom were successful in passing the examination and becoming members of the 247th Battalion. The four successful recruits were all born in Otonabee. One of them, Pte. Spears, has two brothers overseas with the 93rd Battalion. The recruits were as follows:

John Alexander Keitel, Lang.
James Thomas Edwards, Lang.
Wm. Crossley Edwards, Lang.
Nelson Victor Spears, Lang.

The Edwards boys are brothers, and are the first pair of brothers to become members of the 247th Battalion. It will be remembered that the 93rd Battalion was noted for the number of family groups in its ranks.

Recruiting throughout the county is showing every sign of a revival. Herman McMillan, of Norwood, was taken on the strength yesterday, and Isaac A. Post, of Oak Lake, this morning. The greatest falling off in recruits is apparent in the City of Peterborough. If the city was doing its share as it did for the 93rd, Lt.-Col. Ackerman's battalion would be much bigger than it is at present.

A very successful recruiting meeting in the interests of the 247th Battalion was held at Millbrook last night. The Band of the 247th was in attendance and played a very enjoyable programme. Lt.-Col. Ackerman addressed the gathering telling them just why more men were needed, and then followed up his speech by exhibiting a number of most interesting war souvenirs. A duet by Mr. and Mrs. Johnston was thoroughly enjoyed. Before the meeting adjourned the nucleus of a 100 club for Millbrook was formed. The prospects are very bright for a number of recruits from the Millbrook district. After the meeting last night Lt.-Col. Ackerman swore in one well known young man whose example will be followed by a number of others.

Word has been received to the effect that Trooper Claude Barlett has been sent to England to have an operation on his knee. Trooper Barlett was kicked on the knee by a horse while on duty with the transport service at the front.

Mrs. J. Watking, 148 Park street has received the following letter from Pte. A. Pritchard, a Peterborough Prisoner of War in Germany.

Sunday, Dec. 10th

Dear Madam,—Just a line to let you know I have received your parcel on the 8th of December in good condition. It was a great surprise to have the flour and we have not seen any for some considerable time now, so it came as a surprise. Also the socks are very welcome now the winter is set in. Please thank everyone concerned in connection with the parcel so gladly received and give them my heartfelt wishes for a happy Christmas.

A. PRITCHARD.

No Casualties.

Major Cunningham, in writing to a friend, states that on the last occasion of which the 21st Battalion moved from the billets to the front line of trenches the movement was carried out without a single casualty. He reports that the battalion is now occupying the quietest postion on the British front.

Mrs. Guerin, 120 Sophia street, whose son, Pte. M. J. Guerin, formerly of the 93rd Battalion, was reported wounded a few days ago, has received the following letter:

Trenches, Dec. 30th.

I am sorry to have to write to tell you that your son, Pte. M. J. Guerin, was wounded at noon to-day by a shell. I am glad to state that the wounds are not serious. There are two, one in the leg and one in the back. The medical officer has just told me that they are not serious. In haste.

Yours sincerely,
SIDNEY BURNHAM, Capt.

KINGSTON, Jan. 16.— During the first two weeks of January, 1,003 men were enlisted in the Third Division (Kingston-Ottawa). The 230th Battalion secured 157 and the 240th 153.

At the Royal School of Artillery the officers attending the new course just opened were asked if they failed to secure commissions would they enlist as gunners for overseas service. About one-quarter of them stepped out, signifying their willingness to go with the lowest rank.

Pte. C. F. Davison, a Canadian prisoner of war in Germany, writes to the Soldiers' Wives' and Mothers' Club acknowledging the receipt of two parcels in good condition.

MONCTON, N.B., Jan. 16.—Twenty-train crews off the Canadian Government Railways to volunteer for service on the new military railroad in France are called for by an official circular issued to-day from the office of the General Manager, F. P. Gutelius, here. These railways are sending three hundred miles of rails and twelve hundred switches to the front, to be used in the construction of a railway and necessary terminals for the handling of supplies, munitions and men between the seaboard and the war zone. This new railway in France is being built by the Canadian Railway Construction Corps, and sufficient engines and cars are being sent from this side to equip it.

The crews will enlist as soldiers, and go for brief periods of military training, with the understanding that their employment will be the railway work, and with the further understanding that they will receive wages, made up of military pay supplemented by railway pay, equal to their present pay.

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CITY WILL BE ASKED TO SUBSCRIBE $6,000

Fund is Being Raised in Canada for the Benefit of the Widows and Children of the Men Who Go Down in Ships—Peterborough's Opportunity of Recognizing the Work of the Sailors.

MEETING LAST NIGHT

"Why should we wait to see what others do. It doesn't matter what Brantford or any other place gives, let us do what we think is right."

The speaker was ex-Mayor W. H. Buller, and the occasion was a meeting of the local supporters of the British Sailors' Relief Fund, which was held last evening in the Patriotic Rooms in the City Buildings. The meeting had been dragging along for nearly an hour. Every man present was invited to get up and make a speech, and needless to say every man present endorsed the object, which is to create a fund for the benefit of the widows and children of British sailors of both the navy and mercantile marine. It is proposed to raise five hundred thousand dollars in the whole of Canada, and at the meeting last evening it was decided that Peterborough's share of this amount would be ten thousand dollars.

Appeal to the Council.

The bone of contention was the manner in which this money should be raised. After considerable discussion it was decided to appeal to the City Council for six thousand dollars and depend upon the County Council to provide the remaining four thousand dollars.

"This is the first time that Canada has had the privilege of recognizing in a practical way the work of the British sailor," said ex-Mayor Buller. "This thing of going from door to door is worn out," he added.

A strong deputation will wait upon the City Council at a meeting to be held at an early date, when the matter will be submitted to the tender mercies of the Aldermen.

At last night's meeting, Ald. Worth pointed out that the Bonner-Worth Co. Ltd. had only lost about five thousand dolalrs worth of goods in two years and a half of war. This splendid tribute to the effectiveness of the navy is only one of many cases that concern Peterborough alone. As one man pointed out if it were not for the British Navy every industrial plant in the City of Peterborough would be idle. As it is, local industries have suffered very little in the way of losses on the high seas.

In the Battle of Jutland six thousand men lost their lives. The mortality in the navy and mercantile marine is very high and the need of relief funds is every increasing. This is the first time that an appeal of this kind has been made in Peterborough.

Mr. F. D. Kerr presided at the meeting, while Mr. V. Eastwood filled the position of secretary.

Peterborough Health Association Meeting

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Health Association will be held in the City Council Chamber on Friday evening next. Reports of the district nurses will be received. This is an important meeting and all members are asked to be present.

FORMER PETERBORO' SURGEON DECORATED BY THE SERBIANS

Surgeon-Col. H. G. Barrie, Formerly of Peterborough on His Way to England—Has Done Fine Work in Serbia

FIGHTING AGAINST TYPUS

TORONTO, Jan. 17.—Surgeon Colonel H. G. Barrie, originally of Peterborough and educated at Trinity University and with a surgical fellowship in Edinburg, is at the Queens, on his way from China to England, but he hopes to return to the front. Col Barrie has two Serbian decorations, and he earned them. In England when the war broke out, he offered his services, and was given command of a Red Cross hospital in Serbia. It was a small unit of eighteen, but it played its part in stamping out the typhus epidemic that ravaged Serbia. Certain Americans have claimed the cred it, but Col. Barrie, agreeing with an American author gives the credit to the British agencies. At the same time Col. Barrie has highest praise for American nurses. Like the British nurses, they regarded the work as more important than their lives.

Colonel Barrie is a great admirer of the Serbians. They remind him of his Scotch forebears. Honest, industrious, simple in their lives and their tastes the Serbs fight bravely and "it has been their business, their existence even, to fight the Turks, the Bulgars and now the Germans. Their struggle has evolved admirable qualities. They are unselfish, heroic and religious. They may be a trifle superstitious, but an admirable people. Serbia has not had a chance to set her house in order, but after this war she will be able to develop her resources. Her young men have been going to Berlin, Vienna, Paris and London. It does not follow that the Serbs have loved the Germans or Austrians. They have gone to the Hun Capital for academic reasons.

OPTION TO LEASE OF PRESENT GROUNDS WILL BE CONSIDERED

Annual Meeting of Peterboro' Industrial Exhibition, will be held on Saturday

The Board of the Peterborough Industrial Exhibition met at Hooper's lunch room last night and discussed matters pertaining to the Exhibition and cleaning up affairs previous to the annual meeting which will be held on Saturday afternoon next. President G. A. Gillespie, M.P.P., was in the chair. It is understood an option for the lease of the present grounds for a term of years will be considered at the meeting which can be cancelled on notice by either parties.

THE CORRECT TIME

To have your eyes attended to, is, as soon as you find they need it, but not later, as they only grow worse with delay. It doesn't do to trifle with your bread winners. See Dr. Lace, about them at once. All kinds of repair work. Open every Wednesday and Saturday evening. 410 George St.

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EAST CITY RINK

Good skating to-night and band in attendance. Admission 10c. Refreshments served by the Ladies' Aid.

DECORATE FOR SATURDAY

The merchants are reminded that this week end is the last Saturday before Dollar Day and if their windows are decorated with the pennants the people who visit the town, on market day, will be reminded of Dollar Day and the date. Pennants are ready at Examiner office.

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WEDNESDAY, JAN. 17, 1917

TAKE AN INTEREST.

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Health Association will be held on Friday evening next. This is a simple announcement, yet it has a large significance and should elicit a very warm interest.

The public know, in part, what are the general objects and work of the Association; but it is doubtful if there is an extensive popular appreciation of its importance in our highest interest, the health of a considerable proportion of our citizenship, both from the aspect of the remedial treatment of disease and of the auxiliary agencies, which, if not directly curative, represent conditions that promote health restoration.

The activities of the Association are concerned with cases and conditions of illness that, if cared for at all, depend upon treatment that must be brought to homes where the conditions rather lend themselves to aggravation of disease; where means to provide proper conditions or proper nourishment, or skill to prepare it, are lacking; where means must be provided by some organization like the Health Association, whose activities in such cases are voluntary, and must, obviously, depend for sustained efficiency upon voluntary support. This, in turn, is contingent upon awakened and convinced public interest and sympathy. It is hoped that the meeting on Friday night will comprise the presence of every member of the Association at the City Council Chamber.

In the interests of humanity and in the spirit of Christianity, which makes humanity, especially the sorrowful and the suffering, its special care, there is no organization in Peterborough — not even the churches, which does as much good; which gives the true, Good-Samaritan touch to its merciful ministrations. This is the opinion expressed to-day by a Christian gentleman, whose relations and duties bring him in contact with cases of illness and suffering that are the care of the Association.

What makes its work particularly appealing, is the fact that it is the friend of the friendless; the succorer of the afflicted that have not the means, or are not in circumstances to demand the freely-given medical skill, the tender nursing, the needed nourishment that illness requires, and that—the Association provides.

Where victims of the dreadful white plague, prostrated by its weakness, racked and torn and shaken with its convulsive cough; worn and wasted with its consuming fire; the earning power gone, with lack of skilled care and strengthening food—the only defence against hopeless suffering and a living or actual death, the Health Association doctors and nurses, and the noble women of its membership come to the rescue, as they are doing in this very city, in many cases day after day, the year round.

Where illness in any form, coupled with want, or squalid surroundings, lays its heavy hand; where with scant means another little mouth to be fed is added to other hungry mouths, the care, the daily attention that lack of means otherwise forbid, come in the guise of the devoted and skillful and sympathetic nurses.

Wherever disease and suffering that otherwise would hold its unchallenged course; whatever human suffering appeals to the Christ-spirit in humanity, the Health Association, within the bounds of its capacities and resources, does its work. Skilled medication, skilled nursing and advice, nourishing food, and even delicacies, are provided.

All this costs money; all this costs hard work. These the doctors and nurses and active members can and do supply, but needed medicines and nourishing foods and protecting clothing for bed and body, must come from the generosity of the Christian public.

If the history of the daily and weekly and yearly activities of the Peterborough Health Association could be written, it would include gruesome and sordid tales of suffering, of destitution and want and wasting sickness that one could hardly think possible in a Christian community, but in splendid compensation would include with the sufferings, tales of splendid succor and heroic sacrifice, to the full limit of capacity and resources.

As we pass through our streets, beyond the walls of many a sorrowful home there is suffering, which for our peace of mind we do not know and cannot picture as possible, needing help—your help—by the proxy of your purse, if in no other way.

Is it nothing to you, all ye that pass by?

PREACHING AND PRACTICE.

Consistency, implies honesty; and honesty to be consistent must be honesty. We have Hon. W. T. White the Canadian Minister of Finance calling for national economy, popular saving, popular avoidance of unnecessary expenditures. This call is an admirable thing, but there must be government consistency. In the first place has the Finance Minister taken any trouble to see that the public money he hands out is spent with economy by the various government departments to which he distributes it? Are any of them practicing the economy what Sir Thomas calls upon the people to practise as a patriotic duty? Is he appealing to the Militia Department to be more careful in its expenditures. Is he trying to provide that every dollar ostensibly spent for military purposes is spent directly for purposes that contribute to useful service in waging war—that every bullet, silver or otherwise finds its billet?

Sir John Hendrie, Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario has done an admirable thing. As Honourary President of the Penny Bank he has addressed a letter to each teacher seeking their co-operation in "instilling into the minds of children, especially for the duration of the war ideas of saving and thrift." His letter points out that "much can be done to help the cause of the allies by denying oneself needless and foolish luxury and at the same time encouraging habits of thrift." Admirable sentiments in social science but applying to others than school children, but without the touch of honesty and sincerity that example would give. One can without being a socialist or communist ask how Sir John Hendrie as Lieutenant Governor has sacrificed in the interest of saving and thrift to help the cause of the allies? Such an inquiry may be thought impertinent but is it? He is theoretically a public servant and the people pay $10,000 a year, and the cost of maintenance of his residence in a million dollar castle a hundred times too costly and elaborate for a democratic province like Ontario—the cost of the coal bill alone would keep a dozen war prisoners; the cost of one official tea-drinking would buy a dray load of shells.

One will not assert that expenditures like this are not legal, whether or not in war time, they are legitimate, but the conditions seem to have logical relation to injunctions to school children to "cut out" butter Scotch and other "needless and foolish luxury" to help the cause of the allies."

When honest King George in saving to serve, cuts down his bill of fare to a three course dinner, soup, roast beef and pudding without wine, we may expect governors as well as governments to set an example.

The Ontario government has the greatest warrant for retrenchment for it has been outrageously extravagant, having trebled the provincial expenditure since it took office, built an unnecessarily elaborate residence for the Lieutenant-Governor at a cost of a million and burdened the Compensation Act with "over-head charges" of $26,000 in the shape of extravagant officials before a widow or orphan of an employer can get a dollar of compensation.

Nobody wants to cheese-pare in the matter of public expenditure or adequate remuneration of public officials; but when we get injunctions to saving and thrift, we expect that there will be some evidence that the enjoiners to some small degree, practice what they preach, realize the spirit of Chaucer's "Preste"—

Cristes lore and his apostles twelve
He preached; but first he practised it himselve.

Any man, whether Bishop or Finance Minister who preaches without practising hasn't much advantage in the matter of consistency over a drunken sailor devilering a temperance lecture.

BEATTY YOUNGEST CHIEF.

Commander of British Naval Forces Beats Even Nelson's Record.

Sir David Beatty, Commander in Chief of the British North Sea fleet, is the youngest officer who has ever exercised so great command in the history of England. Commenting on this fact The Naval and Military Record of London says:

"Nelson was only 46 when he hoisted his flag on the Victory to achieve his last and greatest triumph. On assuming command of the Grand Fleet Sir David Beatty is only 45 years of age. He is by many years the youngest officer who has ever held command of the principal naval forces of a great naval power. His only rival in point of age is Vice Admiral A. V. Kolchak, who this year assumed command of the Russian Black Sea fleet—a comparatively small force.

"It has been remarked that Admiral Beatty is already 'something of a hero to the man in the street.' Other Admirals have shared that distinction. Nelson himself was the idol of the British people at a moment when he was distrusted by the Admiralty.

"Whatever popularity Sir David Beatty enjoys he has won by his achievements and by no meretricious effort on his part. In three successive engagements he has confronted the enemy, and we anticipate that his appointment will not be popular in Germany. He is credited with a courage which borders on rashness. We believe this to be completely unfounded. Sir David Beatty has never shown himself as rash as Nelson was on more than one occasion in his career."

A MINISTER WHO DOES NOT REPRESENT THE SENTIMENT OF LOYAL BRITISH CANADIANS

The Liberals of Dorchester County, where the Hon. Albert Sevigny, Minister of Inland Revenue, is now standing for re-election, are meeting to-day to discuss whether or not they will nominate a candidate to contest the election. Although it was at first thought that the new minister might be allowed re-election by acclamation, so strong an opposition has developed against the appointment of the avowed Nationalist of 1911 to a seat at the council board of the Dominion in time of war, that it is possible that resentment is likely to find vent in a bitterly-contested election. The Liberals of the county have made it plain to Sir Wilfrid Laurier that they desire an opportunity to express their convictions and are not disposed quietly to allow Mr. Sevigny to reap the reward of his anti-British sentiment of 1911. The slogan is "No quarter to any Nationalist" and it is probable therefore that a Liberal candidate will be nominated.

The Liberals of the county are confident that they can defeat the new minister, and they believe that it is in the national interest that he should be defeated, as being indicative of Quebec's real sentiment towards Nationalism. In the last provincial elections Mr. Lucien Canon, a brilliant young Liberal, was elected by a majority of over 500. Mr. Sevigny, who had a majority of less than 200 in 1911, is standing for re-election in practically the same constituency. Although Mr. Sevigny probably classes himself a straight "Blue" at the present time, the Liberals of Quebec have not forgotten his straight Nationalist speeches in 1911. It is recalled that at one meeting in 1911 he expressed himself as follows: "The Laurier Cabinet is a Cabinet of Imperialists, disposed to sacrifice the interests of Canada and to launch us into wars which do not concern us. What has England ever done for us? She has no need of our aid. She is strong enough to defend herself. You should protest against the idea of aiding England in her wars. If you do not protest you will certainly have conscription." Again at St. Flavie in July of 1911 he declared: "To-day they would give us a Navy which would serve only the interests of England. When they speak of war with Germany, with Russia or perhaps with France, they would seem to make Canada, which has always been happy and peaceful, furnish cannon and war vessels to make war on these big countries."

In view of sentiments like these, which have never been publicly repudiated by Mr. Sevigny so far, the Liberals of Dorchester are naturally decidedly bitter and are anxious for a fight against the man who now aspires to a position in a war cabinet. Had a straight Conservative been brought into the Cabinet there would undoubtedly have been no contest. Or possibly had the constituency been vacated by death, it might have been allowed to have been filled by acclamation, in accordance with the policy laid down by Sir Wilfrid Laurier in the course of his correspondence with Sir Robert Borden relative to the extension of Parliament and the filling of vacancies. But in the present instance the vacancy in Dorchester has not been brought about by death but is due to the promotion of another Nationalist to the Borden Cabinet.—Montreal Herald.

English Munition Factories Show Enormous Increase

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—The following Associated Press correspondence from London, date Jan. 5, is published here to-day: English munitions factories are now turning out every forty-eight hours more heavy gun ammunition than they manufactured in the entire first year of the war, and the production is still increasing week by week in preparation for the great offensive on the western front which British military critics believe will come next spring.

Although figures of the actual production of guns and munitions are jealously guarded, and there is no avowal on the part of the Ministry of Munitions of any intention to discontinue the importation from America, there is an evident feeling of optimism among the officials in the big munitions headquarters just off Whitehall, as well as a willingness to give out "comparative figures" to justify that optimism.

Tremendous Increase.

"The improvement in our position may be illustrated in this way," remarked an official of the Ministry. "We are now manufacturing every week three times as many 155-millimeter shells, five times as many 200-millimetre shells, and three times as many 230-millimetre shells as we manufactured during the whole first year of the war.

"Of smaller shells, we are turning out in about a week the same quantity as was produced during the first year. Finally the number of shells of all kinds completed during the past week exceeded by about thirty per cent the entire stock of munitions held in reserve at the outbreak of hostilities."

Dealing with guns in the same way, it is found that, representing the number of guns manufactured during the first year of war as 100, the number for the second year would be 841 and for the third year will be somewhere in the neighbourhood of 1,360. The manufacture of lighter pieces has had to be slackened recently, owing to the fact that the equipment of the British army in light field pieces is approximately complete, and it is only necessary to provide for replacements and renewals.

The improvement is the manufacture of machine guns, rifles, grenades and explosives has been equally satisfactory. Representing the total number of machine guns delivered to the army during the first year as 100, the total for the second year was 1,250, and for the third year will exceed 6,000.

The production of trench mortar ammunition and grenades has been so much developed that any further increase scarcely seems necessary. The increase in the manufacture of explosives has been tremendous. For every ton of explosives employed in September, 1914, 350 tons were employed in July, 1915, and 12,000 tons in July, 1916.

Moth Killer.

If moths get into a closet saturate a cloth twelve inches square with formaldehyde; place cloth in the closet and close up tightly for twelve hours. The same plan may be used in chests, trunks or boxes where clothing is stored. The fumes will kill moths as well as their eggs.—New York American.

An Obstinate Family.

Cholmondeley—I thought you intended to marry Miss Wealthington? Dolmondley—I thought so, too, but her family objected. Cholmondley—What did Miss Wealthington say? Dolmondley—Oh, she's one of the family, you know.

Making It Easy For Her.

"Yes'm, I'm going to leave. I'm tired hearing this family quarrel."

"Please don't leave, Julia. Promise me you'll stay and I'll get you a pair of ear muffs."—Browning's Magazine.

His Disappointment.

Visitor—Poor man! Have you been disappointed in love? Hermit—No, lady; only in matrimony.—Exchange.

WANTED

WANTED TO MAKE YOUR OLD FEATHER beds into beautiful Sanitary Feather mattresses. Prices very reasonable. All feathers kept separate. Highest cash price paid for used feathers. Peterborough Feather Company, 215 Charlotte street. 6d-14-975

FOUND

FOUND—GOLD WATCH AND CHAIN, South End of city Tuesday night, prove property and pay advertisement. Apply Examiner Office. 2d-14-984

LOST

LOST—SATURDAY NIGHT "RUNAWAY" bronco pony, traced till Norwood Road. Finder please notify Examiner. 3d-12-949

LOST—A BLACK VELVET HAND BAG containing 1 dollar bill, 50c in ten cent pieces, car tickets (cash); also a mirror with a text printed on back.

LOST—SOMETIME AGO A GENT'S WRIST watch, with metal guard. Finder will please leave at this office and oblige. 3d-12-936

LOST—MONDAY NIGHT BETWEEN BOOR man's store and Bethune street, a sardonyx ring. Finder please leave at Examiner. 2d-13

LOST—LADIES GOLD WATCH AND FOB between 501 Sherbrook street and Oddfellow's Hall, corner Hunter and George. Finder please leave at 501 Sherbrooke street and receive reward. 3d-14-983

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THE WORLD OF SPORT

RESERVED SEATS FOR FRIDAY'S GAME ARE NOW ON SALE

Only Limited Number Will Be Issued--Biggest Crowd of Year Will See Two Past Junior Organizations Battle For the District Honours.

Reserved seat tickets for the Oshawa-Peterborough junior, O. H. A. game at Brock Street Rink on Friday night went on sale yesterday at the Warne Drug store and will be available while they last up to 5 o'clock on Friday afternoon. As only 135 reserved seats on the west side and 50 balcony seats are on sale before the game the fan who wants to be sure of a seat should not close this opportunity. The game promises to be the hardest fought if the season on local ice as the Oshawa team are coming up on Friday, determined to wind up the district race once and for all by beating the Petes here. The red white and blue team, however, expect to have something to say about that and there will be few dull moments. Either Dr. Jerry Laflamme or Lawson Whitehead will handle the game.

The Peterborough team had a lively practice game with the 247th. intermediates last night and with another workout on Thursday night should be in the pink of condition for Friday's battle. Inquiries for seats have been made by Lakefield and Millbrook fans and the probabilities are that by far the biggest crowd of the year will be on hand to see the two fast junior teams battle for district honours. It may be the decisive game in the group race; at all events the young Petes cannot afford to lose. The continued cold snaps promises the best of ice.

OSHAWA EASILY BEAT BOWMANVILLE BY 16 TO 4

OSHAWA, Jan. 16 — The junior team from Bowmanville played here to-night in the O.H.A. junior series, and Oshawa needed this one to stay in the running for the group championship. Oshawa scored six and Bowmanville one in the first period, Oshawa five and Bowmanville one in the second, and Oshawa five and Bowmanville two in the third, making a total of sixteen to four.

Oshawa—Goal, Smith; left defence Osborne, right defence; Landymore, rover, Rowden; centre, Flintoff; right wing, Verni; left wing Swinyard.

Bowmanville — Goal, Jeffrey; left defence, Rowe; right defence, Gordon; rover, Grant; centre Rucky; right wing, Mingland; left wing, Williams.

A CURLING STORY FROM LINDSAY'S SECRETARY

The Lindsay Warder says: There are perhaps few curlers in Ontario who can equal "Bob" Knowlson, of the Lindsay Curling Club, in point of popularity—and hale fellow well met. There are few who can "hold a candle with him" in the point of curling, and fewer still who can equal him in telling a good story.

The other day a number of the devotees of the roarin' game were congregated in the "Chamber of Horrors" at the Lindsay rink telling stories about crooked ice, inwicks, kisses, chaps, and other mysterious pet names, when 'Bob' got off the following story, for which he called on the veteran J. D. Flavelle to verify:

"Talk aboit crooked ice," said Secretary Knowlson, "but I will never forget a game we played at Peterborough before their new rink was erected. The ice had a slant on like a pig's back, and in order to make a draw shot Skip Flavelle was giving us ice 15 feet out, and to the side of the blue circles. On this occasion Peterborough were lying shot, unguarded (except for the crooked ice), and Lindsay wanted the shot out, very badly. Mr. Flavelle asked me what I would play, and how I would carry the shot through "the house," and I replied that I thought the only way would be to play a fast runner. So I up and delivered one of my very fastest runners. Well, fortunately, I missed the shot and it went clean through to the bank ripped a board off and landed in the back yard. There was no door at the rear of the rink, and the aperture made by the missing board was too small to get through comfortably, so I had to go out the front door, walk away round and down an alley to the rear of the rink, climb a small picket fence, get my stone and carry that 45-pounder back again through the front door and to the ice. Can you beat that!"

Nobody could. "Bob" had them all beat.

PETERBORO TAKES THE PRIMARY TANKARD ROUND FROM LINDSAY

Three points to the good, with the score 29 to 26 in their favour, Peterborough won the primary Tankard round from Lindsay yesterday afternoon after an exceptionally close game. The personnel of the rinks and the scores were are follows:

LINDSAY	PETERBOROUGH
M. H. Sisson	Dr. Wightman
W. E. Reesor	H. F. Foote
F. Williams	R. Hicks
Geo. A. Little	W. M. Lang
Skip 13	Skip 12

SCORE BY ENDS.

Little .. ..1x1x2x2x1x1x2111xxx—13
Lang .... ..x2x1x1xx1x1xxxx311—12

LINDSAY	PETERBOROUGH
R. Butler	J. W. Brightman
H. Cuthbert	G. H. Logie
W. McClennan	D. Davidson
L. V. O'Connor	R. M. Waddell
Skip 13	Skip 17

SCORE BY ENDS.

O'Connor ..xx3xxxx36xx12x11xx—13
Waddell .. ..18x21 21xx18xx1xx11— 17

The Little-Lang game was finished first leaving Lindsay up one. Coming home on the last end Waddell was three up but with only two stones to play O'Connor was lying three and had a comparatively safe looking layout. Waddell wicked off one of the Lindsay stones and lay shot and in attemping to take him out O'Connor missed the shot and Peterborough took the end, the game and the round.

There was a lot of good curling shown yesterday and a slight dilution of what is called "off colour." Pete Lang was up against a skillful and experienced player in George Little of whom it is said that he has never lost a Tankard game in Peterborough and he has been coming along for quite a number of years.

He plays the game to win, the first end as carefully as the last and any of the others as if the game rested upon it. Lang made a good finish coming along with five counters on the last three ends. For sixteen ends Little either cut down the score or drew the shot, a steady unrelenting pressure all the way. Rollie Waddell played a splendid game. His rink gave him good support and he made good use of the preliminary work they set up. He took an early lead and held it all the way although O'Connor gave him a battle on every end.

PHILLIES SIGN HAMILTON PITCHER.

HAMILTON, Jan. 17.—Norman Lutz, who pitched for the Century Club in Toronto against the Royal Canadians for the city championship, has been signed by the Philadelphia Nationals. Lutz received his contract from the Phillies last week. He is credited with having pitched a no-hit game against the Mounted Rifles at Britannia Park, Hamilton, last summer for the city championship, and in the game against the Royal Canadians he let that club down with but one hit.

RECRUITERS INVADE TRENTON POOLROOMS

254th Bn. Gets Permission of Proprietors to Put Two Men in Each.

TRENTON, Jan. 15. — The 254th (Hastings and Prince Edward Countries) Battalion is introducing a novel method to aid recruiting here. They have secured permission from the proprietors of the pool-rooms here to place a desk in each pool room with two men stationed there to plead with young men to join the battalion. Some of the leading citizens have volunteered to assist and will make short recruiting speeches to the players and assist the recruiting men in the pool-rooms.

HOCKEY GOSSIP

The Peterborough juniors will practice at Brock Street Rink to-morrow night at 7 o'clock in final preparation for their big game with Oshawa on Friday. Only the following players are expected out:

Murray, McIntyre, Montgomery, Graham, Cherrett, McFee, Bartley.

With the Whitby team on the ice warming up, a 'phone message was received at 8.10 at Whitby last night to say that the Bowmanville intermediate team had missed their train. As a result the scheduled intermediate O.H.A. game was called off, much to the disappointment of several hundred spectators, many of whom had driven several miles to witness the game. This default puts Bowmanville out, and the club must also settle Whitby's expenses for the default.

Although he had not played for years and is almost 20 pounds overweight, T. R. & A. A. are making every effort to induce "Ack" Hunter to turn out with them. In condition "Ack" would be a valuable acquisition to the Blue and White. Hunter figured on the T.R. & A.A. champion team of 1913.

Amateur hockey clubs and players are warned that all tours and exhibition games must be sanctioned either by the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association directly or through the Provincial bodies which are in affiliation with the C.A.H.A.

The Lindsay Warder says: The Midgets had a great workout last night in preparation for the game against Peterborough Wednesday night, and although it is whispered that Peterborough will be strong, a surprise may be in store for them. For a certainty it will be no ping pong, cream puff affair and Lindsay fans are assured of something real stirring. Don't miss this chance to see the old rivals clash again.

Hockey fans will sympathize with Joe Dwyer, the former Peterborough junior and intermediate player, and now goal keeper with the Sarnia team, in his bereavement in the death of his father, Mr. Jos. Dwyer, Rubidge street, Peterborough.

The Oshawa Juniors who clash with the Petes here on Friday night, jumped into the leadership of the group last night when they beat Bowmanville easily at Oshawa by 16 goals to 4. The Petes will have to beat Oshawa here Friday to tie up the group, so that it will be a battle royal. The standing:

	Won.	Lost.	G. For.	Ag.
Oshawa	2	0	27	14
Peterborough	1	1	18	12
Bowmanville	0	2	5	24

The 247th intermediates leave for Lindsay on the 5.35 G.T.R. train this evening and will go into action against the Midgets to-night. It promises to be a hard-fought game. The Soldiers will line up as follows:

Goal—Legros.
Right Defence—Quinn.
Left Defence—Halpin.
Rover—Flanagan.
Centre—Armstrong.
Right Wing—Adams.
Left Wing—Evans.

FULTZ TALKS CONFIDENTLY

Says Major League Players Will Support the Fraternity.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—A number of baseball players visited President David Fultz of the Fraternity at his office during the day, but they were as uncommunicative as the magnates. Fultz stated that matters were progressing satisfactorily from the players' standpoint, and that encouraging reports were coming in from all sections of the country.

"A number of the club owners," said Fultz, "have given it as their opinion that the requests of the players must fall flat since the major league players will not strike in support of their minor league brothers. They appear to forget that, with a few exceptions, the major league player begins and ends his baseball career in the minors. I venture to say that more than one hundred major leaguers at the present time will be in the minors before the close of the 1917 season, providing our differences are settled. They all know that the conditions the minors are fighting against at the present time may be the ones under which they will have to play in a comparatively short time themselves. If the club owners could only be brought to a realization of our strength and backing they would listen to our request without further delay."

Ban Johnson, of the American League, said on his arrived here Monday: "If the players want a strike let them go ahead. There will be baseball just the same this summer. I question whether many of the ball players want to make trouble for themselves, and I believe that the threat is purely made to justify the existence of an organization."

MURRAY BACK WITH GIANTS

After Getting Release From Toronto Signs Up Again With McGraw.

ELMIRA, N.Y., Jan. 17. — John (Red) Murray, for many years outfielder for the New York Giants, last season with the Toronto International League team, Monday signed a contract with the McGraw team for the coming season. He will go to Marlin with the Giants in February.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

Examiner Special:

TORONTO, Jan. 17.—Live stock receipts, fair. Trade, good; heavy steers, $9.75 to $10.50; choice butcher $9.50 to $9.75; good heifers, $8 to $9.40; spring lambs, $10.75 to $15; hogs, fed and watered, $13.85 to $14; off cars, $14.25; others unchanged.

SUCCESSFUL PUPILS OF THE NORWOOD HIGH SCHOOL

NORWOOD, Jan. 17.—The High School pupils who were successful in their Christmas examinations are as follows:

Form I.—Edith Elliott, Jean Edwards, Joe English, Willie English, Lexie Fife, Lilian Howson, Walter Hubbel, Kathleen McCarthy, Clarice McGee, Allan McMillan, Edith Peake, Bessie Peoples, Jas. Raddon, Basil Rogers, Laura Smith.

Form II.—Mabel Bouck, Althea Duffield, Olive Drain, Nellie Davidson, Everett Finlay, Florence Harrison, Andrew McGee, Jean Munroe, Mae Lawson, Gladys Parker, Doris Patterson, Ada Rahal, Claire Renwick, Verna Scott, Reba Squire, Willie Tate.

Form III. — Gertrude O'Grady, Karl Irwin, Trevor McNeely, Madeline McNeely, Minnie Robb, Reta Isobel Robb, Ruth Wannamaker.

The following, owing to sickness, missed part of their examinations, but their work throughout the term was satisfactory: Evelyn Scott Luella Bouck, Ona Doxsee, Agnes McFadden, Verna McFadden, Elsie Laing.

On Tuesday the Norwood District L.O.L. held their annual meeting and elected the following officers:

J. W. Hewie, 2062, P.D.M.
Thos. Hull, 261, D. M.
W. Montgomery, 34, D. D.
E. M. McDonald, 522, Chaplain.
Geo. Humphries, 2062, R. S.
E. Dean 34 F. S.
J. L. Kidd, 284, Treas.
A. Batten, 261, D. of C.
A. Webster, 522, Lect.
W. Dunsford 284, Lect.

Mr. Thomas Dancey spent the week end in Peterborough with his sister, Mrs. T. Lytle.

Mrs. Fred Squire and Master Jimmie of Havelock, spent the week-end with the former's sister, Mrs. W. Harrison.

Mr. Robert Tudhope of Peterborough is visiting at the home of his cousin, Mrs. O. I. Puffer.

Illustrated Lecture.

A lecture, illustrated by lantern slides, will be given by the Children's Aid Society on Wednesday evening, in the Town Hall. A committee will be formed to aid in the work of the Society.

Rev. Mr. Johnson of Toronto, representative of the Lord's Day Alliance, conducted the services in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday morning and evening.

In spite of the cold weather, on Friday evening, the dinner and entertainment given by the ladies of the Methodist Church was a decided success. The dinner served was all that could be desired, both in quality and quantity.

HAVELOCK CORRESPONDENCE

HAVELOCK, Jan. 17.—Miss Agnes Lynch of Toronto spent a few days in town last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Lynch.

Miss Florence McWilliams left on Tuesday last for her home in Toronto, after spending the past two weeks in town with her sister, Mrs. L. Clarke.

The Women's Auxiliary of St. John's church met last week on Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock at Mrs. Falkners.

The Girls' Guild held a business meeting on Wednesday evening at the home of Miss Beatty.

Mr. Robert Quinlin was in Campbellford on Wednesday last.

Mrs. Pete McCann spent a few days in Toronto last week with friends.

Miss Laura Foley returned home to Toronto on Wednesday last.

Mrs. Mack Foley of Hastings spent a few days in town last week, the guest of Miss Helen Foley.

Miss Laura and Messrs. Vincent and Leo Foley of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. McGregor of Detroit and Mrs. Henry of Peterborough attended the funeral of their father, the late Matthew Foley on Monday last.

Others who were in attendance were Mrs. Torpey and Bud Turpey of Toronto, Mrs. Wm. O'Brien, Mrs. John O'Brien and Mr. Jack Foley of Peterborough.

Mrs. Wm. Boyle has returned to her home in Hamilton after a short vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Cole.

Mr. Frank Kitchen left last week for Peterborough where he will take a course at the Peterborough Business College.

Mr. Walter Lewis of Ayen, Alta., is east on a visit for a few weeks and is spending the time in Havelock and vicinity.

Mr. Fred Johnston of Lorraine, Alta., is home on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Johnston.

Mr. A. Abound was successfully operated on last week at Miss Foley's Hospital and is getting along nicely.

Miss Mable Taylor of Coe Hill was a recent guest of Mrs. Thos. Keene.

Mr. Thos. Sexsmith of Peterborough was a recent visitor in town.

Misses Marine and Clarine McAuley have returned home to Toronto, after a short vacation with Mrs. McCann.

Mr. Harry Taylor, Clerk at Dwyer's hardware store for the past few weeks has donned the khaki enlisting with the Coe Hill detachment of the 247th under Lieut. Nugent.

The local platoon under Capt. Dyer attended divine service in St. John's church on Sunday last.

Pte. T. E. Campbell of Indian River, Pte. W. G. Davidson of Birdsalls, C. L. Jones of Hall's Bridge and Wm. Woodrow of Clarady all former 93rd men have been reported wounded.

Mrs. Holderoft has received a receipt from the headquarters of the Belgian Relief, Toronto, for the sum of $92.95 being the amount realized from the subscription taken up at the patriotic concert last year for the relief of Belgian children and women. The Hon. Treas. of the Belgian Relief, Isabella L. George, sends grateful thanks to the citizens of Havelock for the very generous donation to the Fund.

Mr. Wm. Wright of Toronto, formerly of town, has been promoted to the position of District Master Mechanic on Division No. 4 of the C.P.R. This is Mr. Wright's 3rd promotion in a little over a year. Havelock friends extend congratulations.

Capt. Jas. Earnest McAskill has been awarded the Military Cross for bravery at the front. Capt. McAskill was Dr. Holderoft's assistant here three years ago, and many friends extend congratulations.

The January Literary meeting of Knox Church Guild will be held on Monday next, 15th inst., at 8 p.m. A paper will be given by Mr. J. B. Skeene, B.A., on "Conscription versus the other way." followed by discussion.

Pte. Cecil Anderson, now in England sends a letter of thanks to the Women's Relief Committee for the Christmas Box sent him by that admirable organization.

Mr. Frank Post has received a letter from his son, Pte. Rhynard Post who was taken prisoner by the Germans about a year ago, in which he states that he has lately been transferred to another Hun camp that of Gefangenenlager, Spottan, Schlenien.

Word has been received by Mrs. Copp from her son, Pte. Bruce Copp to the effect that he is in a Canadian hospital in France and is receiving the very best care and attention. He was taken ill from appendicitis on December 9th, last and was operated on on the 13th. He expects to be around again soon.

WEDDING BELLS.

A wedding of local interest took place at Toronto on Tuesday morning, January 2nd at St. Helen's church, when Miss K. O'Brien was united in marriage to Mr. A. Legro of Montreal. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Walsh. The bride was attended by her niece, Miss Lillian McNichol and the groom was assisted by Mr. Earnest Bonnett of Vancouver. After the ceremony the happy couple left on a wedding trip to eastern points and on their return will reside in Ottawa, where Mr. Legro is employed as Cost Accountant with the C.P.R.

The bride was dressed in a Russian green broadcloth suit with Persian lamb furs and large green hat with touches of ermine. The groom's gift to the bride was a necklace and pendant of unique design set in pearls and diamonds. Havelock friends extend hearty felicitations.

The inaugural meeting of the Belmont and Methuen Council was held at the Armstrong House on Monday, January 8th when the newly elected members, Reeve Griffith and Councillors Anderson, Breckenridge, Elliott and Steenburg, took their declaration of office.

Clerk Alex Leeson and Treasurer Wellington Burgess were re-appointed at their former salaries, $135 and $75 respectively.

Jas Freeman was re-appointed Sanitary Inspector and Jos. McMillan a member of the Board of Health.

J. B. Peoples and Williamson Burgess were re-appointed auditors.

A number of business matters were brought up and discussed and accounts ordered to be paid.

Council then adjourned until Saturday, January 27th or at the call of the Reeve.

Mr. and Mrs. Firm Haig, Sr., are holidaying with friends at Albany, N. Y.

Mr. Butters of Peterborough of the Green Music Co., was in town Monday on business.

Miss Mary Haig entertained a number of girl and boy friends at her home on Monday evening last, and a most enjoyable time was spent in progressive games.

A special meeting of the Girls' Guild of St. John's church was held at Miss Madge Curtis' home on Monday night.

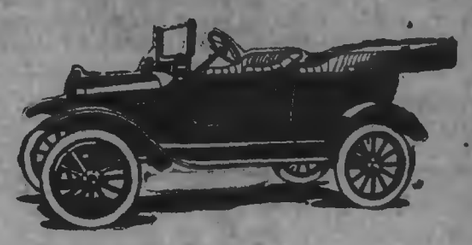
The High School team of Campbellford played hockey with the High School team here on Friday night last which resulted in victory for the home team. Score being 7—1.

Miss Laura Foley of Toronto spent the week end at her home here.

FREE WORLD IMPOSSIBLE

So Long as Ireland is Bound, Says T. P. O'Connor.

LONDON, Jan. 16.—T. P. O'Connor dined the inmates of the Perkins Bull Hospital at Putney. Describing Canada as the greatest triumph of the greatest institutions of our Empire, he continued: "If there be any among my old opponents and friends on the Irish question who expect this federation of our Empire can be consummated without the close of the struggle between England and Ireland by a concession to Ireland of autonomy, which has proven the salvation, the spiritual cement of the Empire, then I have to say to all that the world cannot become free and Ireland remain bound. There is no section which counts in the English schools of thought which is not convinced that such a measure of self-government to Ireland is not only an appeal to justice, but also to Imperial interest and repute. What stands in the way is not English opinion, but the relics of old divisions in Ireland itself coming from the dark and distant ages of unwise government. I speak in the well founded hope that this year will not have passed without seeing England and Ireland completely reconciled. By the side of your glorious country of Canada there lives, with only an imaginary boundary between, the most powerful democracy the world has ever seen. When the issue now before the world is decided I pray and hope that the democracy of America will unite in safeguarding the verdict of the battlefield."



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MILITARY NEWS

(Continued from Page 5.)

Gunner H. Wilson, 26th Battery, in a letter to Mrs. Watkins, 148 Park street, takes this opportunity of thanking the Soldiers' Wives' and Mothers' Club for the parcel of socks which they sent him, and which he has distributed.

Dr. Frederick Better.

Notice has been received by one of Dr. Frederick's friends, that he has almost recovered from his attack of malaria fever and has been attached to the General Hospital, Alexandria, Egypt, as one of the staff. He was offered sick leave home, but declined in order that he might earlier give his professional services to those who needed his attention, as there is a shortage of doctors in Egypt and on the Mesopotamia expedition.

Mrs. J. Sanderson, 577 Harvey St., is in receipt of the following letters:

France, December 28.

Dear Friend,—If I may have the privilege of calling you such, I take pleasure in answering a note which I found in the toe of one of the pairs of socks that the ladies of St. Paul's Church sent to the boys of the 93rd. I can tell you they appreciated them very much as their feet were very wet, but we had a hard time changing them as Fritz was shelling us very heavily. Tommy Campbell was killed, and Charlie Jones and William Woodrow were wounded. Woodrow will lose his right arm. There were a lot of other lads hit, but these were the only Peterborough boys that I know of getting it as yet. Well, I am not allowed to tell any war news or mention any names, so you will have to excuse my short note, and especially this dirty paper and the scribbling as we have to hunt a dry place to write. I am in an old hole, and the water is dropping all around me, and so are Fritz's shells, but I trust to luck and duck by nut. So by-by, with the compliments of the season from your servant.

T. E. KIMBALL,
Late 93rd Battalion.
Home address 297 King St.,
Peterborough, Ont.

Somewhere in France.

Dear Friend, — Just a line to say that I got your socks O.K., and they were just what we needed as it is so wet and muddy that we have to change about twice a day. We have to have lots of them, and we are sure getting lots for they are coming in every day.

Thanking you a thousand times for your kindness.

CLAYTON MONTGOMERY,
Late 93rd Battalion.

Mrs. Wm. Stanley, of the Soldiers' Wives' and Mothers' Club has received a post card from Pte. Alfred David of the Princess Patricias, who is a prisoner in Germany, acknowledging the receipt of a parcel of comforts. "Many thanks for the fine Christmas parcel," writes the Canadian boy.

Officers To Be Installed

Mrs. May Rolston, of Toronto, President of Rebekah Assembly, Mrs Swartman, Vice-President of Waubaushene, Mrs. R. M. Jones, District Deputy and Mrs. B. Watts, Past District Deputy, left at noon to-day for Havelock, for where the installation of the officers of Havelock Rebekah Lodge will take place this evening. A new lodge will be instituted at Norwood to-morrow evening, Jan. 18th.

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Peterborough Y. M. C. A. Has Had A Very Busy and Successful Year

Annual Meeting Last Night at Which Reports Were Presented, Showing Many Activities During the Twelve Months Just Closed—Seventy Members of the Boys' Department on Active Service

THE DIRECTORS ELECTED

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Young Men's Christian Association was held last evening with President G. A. Gillespie in the chair and a good attendance. The annual reports presented indicated that the past year has been an unusually successful one, and that the Association has been active in many lines.

The four retiring directors this year were Messrs. G. A. Gillespie, Thos. Barrie, J. J. Howden and Dr. A. Moir. Mr. Howden and Dr. Moir were unable to continue as directors, much to the regret of the meeting. Mr. Howden has been a member of the Board for over fifteen years, and Dr. Moir has done valuable work. Messrs. Gillespie and Barrie were re-elected, and the other vacancies were filled by the election of Messrs. R. L. Dobbin and J. E. Smith. The directors will elect officers at their first meeting.

The following reports were presented:

Boys' Work Department.

The annual report of the Boys' Work Department for the year ending December 31st, 1916, was presented as follows:

Gentlemen,—In presenting this the report of the Boys' Work Department for the year 1916, we want to first thank all those who have given of their time and kindly co-operation with what we consider the most important work in our fair Dominion to-day, namely, the development of religious education for our Canadian boys.

Without the help of our leaders our Boys' Cabinet and the splendid way in which Mr. McCarrell the energetic chairman of the Boys' Work Committee supported your staff, the work would not have had the place that we believe it holds in the estimation of the public to-day.

Membership.

We have at the present time in the Boys' Department the largest membership of any time in the history of the Peterborough Association. The membership is made up as follows:

Junior Boys	231
Intermediate Boys	90
Expirations	35
Total	356

Of the 356, 195 are new members. Enlisted in the Canadian Army for overseas service, 70.

Of the seventy boys who have enlisted, two have given their lives for their country, namely, Charlie Hatchford and Bill Morris.

Harold Devins and Fred Lebar are prisoners of war in Germany.

Religious Work.

The attendance at the Boys' Bible study groups for the year has been very encouraging.

Number of Bible study sessions 74, attendance 1,280. We have an enrollment of 155 boys in Bible study classes. April 11, sixteen boys wrote on the local Bible study examinations and were successful in passing.

Sunday evening, April 3rd, a church parade was held to the St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, where the Rev. Mr. Pogue preached a very helpful and instructive sermon for the boys.

The religious work for the season was opened Sunday afternoon, September 24th, when a Bible study rally was held.

Mr. Wearing of the Board of Directors gave an address on the importance of Bible study, which proved very helpful to all.

Educational Work.

The observation trips which were held in the spring were a good success. On May 3rd, by kind permission of Col. Johnston, the boys had the privilege of visiting the Armouries and seeing the life of a soldier in barracks. Lieut. Crisp explained the working of the machine gun to the boys, which interested them very much. Attendance 109.

Observation Trips.

May 10th, visited the Wm. Hamilton Co. to witness the making of shells.

May 17th, visited the B. F. Ackerman Co.

Boys' Cabinet.

Tuesday, September 19th, the Boys Cabinet organised for the season. This organization of boys has done excellent work in handling and promoting activities in the Boys' Department.

Boys' Conference.

The older Boys' conference which was held in Toronto from November 10th to 12th was a wonderful success when we see the result of the conference locally. Your Boys' Secretary had charge of working up the Peterborough delegation, which included thirty-eight boys from the different churches and the Y.M.C.A. An interesting programme has been arranged for the Standard Efficiency Groups, which meet in the Y. M. C. A. every Wednesday night.

The Programme of Practical Talks.

The Telephone; Sex Education; Books and Reading; Craftsmanship; Collection Night; How to Classify Birds; History of Religion; Music; Nature; First Aid to the Injured; The Growth of Altruism in the individual; Art, Sculpture, Painting and Architecture.

Social Work.

We are pleased to report that the social work of the department has not been neglected, and that many a pleasant hour has been spent by the boys, socially.

During the year eight social gatherings have taken place at the building, also hikes, bicycle and war canoe trips have been held for the boys.

Tournaments.

The checker, chess and billiard tournament, which was held for the boys in January, proved a good success and many interesting games were played.

Skating Rink.

The skating rink was opened Dec. 22 and is proving a good drawing card for the boys.

Mothers' Club Social.

Friday evening, March 3rd, the Mothers' Club provided a very pleasant social evening for the parents and friends of the boys.

We wish to thank the Mothers' Club for their kind co-operation in helping to bring the parents in closer connection with the work for the boys.

Boys' Banquet.

The boys' banquet which was held Friday evening, March 31st, was a splendid success, 245 boys and invited guests sat down to the well-filled tables provided by the Ladies' Auxiliary.

Capt. Lamb of the 201st O.E.F., Toronto, a prominent worker with boys in our country, was the speaker of the evening.

The Captain's address on "The Paths to Greatness" proved very interesting to the boys.

The Fourth Annual Flower Day of the Boys' Department was held Saturday, Sept. 16th, when the boys distributed 65 bouquets of flowers to the sick of the city.

The boys take great joy in bringing cheer and comfort to those in sickness and sorrow and we know that their acts of kindness are appreciated by sick and the citizens in general.

Membership Campaign.

In the membership campaign which was held in November, we succeeded in bringing in 49 new members and 24 renewals. Total of 73.

November 27th we had the pleasure of a visit from Captain Pearson, Y.M.C.A. representative in France, who gave the boys an address on the work that has been undertaken by the Y.M.C.A. in France. The Captain also told the boys a number of stories relating to the life of the soldier on the battlefield.

Christmas Vacation.

The Christmas vacation is a time that the boys look forward to as they are allowed extra hours and privileges in the "Y.".

This year the rooms were opened from 9 a.m. to 9.30 p.m. and at any time of the day large numbers of boys could be seen enjoying the privileges.

We could not close this report without again thanking all those who have helped in making the work of 1916 so pleasant and profitable.

To the Ladies' Auxiliary and the Mothers' Club, for their kindly interest in which they have shown for the boys and staff. To the Board of Directors, for their cooperation and help. To the Boys' Cabinet and the leaders, for their fidelity to the classes and work in general.

Special mention should be made of the attention and interest that the Chairman of the Boys' Work Committee, Mr. P. M. McCarrell, has taken in his department. Mr. McCarrell's interest in the work has gone a long way in making the boys work the success in which we find it to-day.

It is with great regret that we announce the removal of Mr. McCarrell from our city, where his work in the interest of boys has counted for so much.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

G. L. GALLEY,
Boys' Work Secretary.

Annual Report of Physical Department.

The year 1916 has been a busy one in the Physical Department. The attendance at the regular class sessions has been very gratifying, especially during the fall season. 351 classes have been held with a total attendance of 5,801.

A special feature of the year's work was the use made by the 93rd Battalion of the gymnasium and baths. The Physical Training of the Battalion was conducted for a period of two months in our gymnasium, and no less than 3,745 baths were taken by the soldiers of the Battalion.

A Church League (basketball) was organized and run off during March; eight teams of older boys were entered. Basketball has also been a feature of the class leagues of which there were 4 with 16 teams.

Baseball. A Church Baseball League for older boys was organized in June, with five teams. Unfortunately this League schedule was not completed owing to the rain which interfered with almost every scheduled game.

Playground Swim. The Playground Association was given permission to use the Swimming pool during four periods each week. The average attendance was 30 and the total for two months, 1,080.

Tennis. The tennis courts were busy during the summer and early fall. Total attendance was 712. A tournament for older boys was conducted and a team entered in the City Tennis League. The Physical Director was a member of the Executive of the City Lawn Tennis Association which took over the Bowling Green Tennis grounds and conducted city tournaments.

Athletics. The annual city championships were conducted at the Oval, this year, in September. Assistance was given by the Physical Director at the Collegiate road races and field day.

The Heptathlon was conducted in the Spring, when the boys made a creditable showing. Athletics have formed a part of the regular class work.

Apparatus Work. The majority of the classes have been graded for apparatus work, and the International graded cards used. The leaders have done splendid work in conducting this work with the different squads. A revival of interest has been noticeable during the last two months in this branch of the work, an attendance of 198 has been recorded during that time of members using the apparatus outside of class periods.

Leaders. The Junior Leaders Corps was organized in January and there are now 27 boys serving on the two corps.

Life Problem Club. This club for Senior Employed Boys is conducted by the Physical Director. Thirty-six boys are enrolled. Eight class sessions have been held up to Dec. 31, and the average attendance has been 16.

Handball. This splendid game has been very popular, and 181 have attended for this feature outside of class periods.

Exhibitions. Three exhibitions were held as follows: The Leaders' exhibition, in January, attendance 100. The Circus, which was held three nights with an attendance of 750.

Boys' Night, in November, when 112 boys took part, attendance 175.

Social. Twelve social events were held for different groups, conducted by the Physical Department, with an attendance of 195. The Leaders meet each week for supper, Average attendance, 20.

Summary of attendance:

Regular classes	5501
Baths, separate visits	2,000
Collegiate classes	7,663
93rd Battalion	3,745
Apparatus work and special	467
Handball	180
Tennis	712
Basketball	439
Playground swim	1,080
Total	19,780

General Secretary's Report.

The General Secretary's report was presented as follows:

Dear Fellow Members and Workers: It is with real gratitude to Almighty God that we recount His many mercies and blessings during the year 1916. Though the record of this year is now a closed book, its memories, successes, failures and experiences remain with us forever.

1916 was blessed with unity of purpose, harmony of methods, energy of effort and courage of conviction on the part of our Board of Directors. These men have had the most sympathetic relations with the employed staff and have held constantly in mind the interests of the members whom they represent and to each and every one of them under God we owe the successful progress made by our dear Association.

To our President, Mr. G. A. Gillespie, to our Treasurer, Mr. J. J. Turner and to our Finance Committee Chairman, Mr. Thomas Barrie, we are especially indebted for days of valuable time and wise counsel.

The employed staff have lived and wrought together as brothers and the membership as individuals and as a body have responded enthusiastically to programmes and plans that promised progress.

The citizens of Peterborough have supported our work nobly, notwithstanding the continued demands made by war on time and money or the heartaches caused by the steady march to the front of fathers, sons and brothers, whose names have appeared only too often on the dreaded casualty lists.

The churches of Peterboorugh, always ready to give of their best to the young people of the city, have recognized the Y.M.C.A. as a stalwart son and have given him a place of fellowship in the family of church societies. The Christian forces of Peterborough control our organization and the prayers of the mothers and fathers of our city are felt as the very inspiration and impulse of our work.

We have walked hand in hand with our active and aggressive little sister, the Young Women's Christian Association. The ideals upheld by her are reflected by womanly influence upon our young men and proves a strong auxiliary to Y.M.C.A. efforts. We trust also that homes of to-morrow may be made the happier by husbands and fathers, mothers and wives who are now being moulded in both Y. buildings.

We would gratefully acknowledge the splendid efforts of the Woman's Auxiliary and the Y.M.C.A. Mother's Club. The members of these societies have given time and thought to the young men at home even though their hearts are filled with anxiety for the boys at the front and their hands engaged in efforts to send little home comforts to our soldiers who are so loyally defending the right at any cost.

The ladies have assisted in serving 80 suppers, teas and banquets during the year and both organizations assisted with funds during the alterations to our building.

To the many friends and supporters of our work, though we find it impossible to mention each by name, we extend our deep appreciation and our one desire this New Year is to make good in your sight and to honour our Christ. This must be our

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LINDSAY COUNCIL THANKS PETERBORO'

LINDSAY, Jan. 17.—The Chairman of Town Property (Ald. Baker) was instructed to write to the city council of Peterborough, thanking that body for the generous manner in which the Fire Brigade was treated on the occasion of the Quaker Oats fire.

Town Clerk Kay—The men were handsomely treated at Peterborough.

Voice of The People

Correspondence under this heading, containing or involving attacks on individuals or violent or extreme statements, must to secure insertion, be signed with writer's real name, the owner of which thus assumes the responsibility.

Peterborough, Ont., Jan, 17, '17.

To the Editor of The Examiner,

Dear Sir,—More power to your pen in advocating better bathing facilities for Peterborough. At this time of the year, when our municipal budget is in the making, our City Fathers are very careful to express their undying loyalty to the ratepayers when it comes to looking after their interests. But what do we hear about the children? We must not forget that the boy of to-day is the man of to-morrow, and one of our duties in striving to make manly men out of our boys is by teaching them to swim and how to act in an emergency while on the water, and I feel sure that I am voicing the popular opinion of the people in the North Ward when I say that we bespeak the support of our most genial representatives for proper bathing facilities at Inverlea Park, because our boys of the North Ward are second to none and are ready to prove it by boosting the alderman who is with them, or by swimming across the Otonabee and back oftener than the boys of any other ward in the city could.

Yours truly,
G. O. CAMERON.

JUDGE RUDDY IS REMEMBERED BY LAW ASSOCIATION

Mr. Robert Ruddy, K.C., recently appointed Judge of Ontario County, was presented with a handsome gold clock, by the members of the Peterborough Law Association, yesterday afternoon, at the annual meeting, held in Mr. R. R. Hall's office. Accompanying this gift was a beautiful bouquet of roses for Mrs. Ruddy, and the best wishes of the Association for the future success of Judge Ruddy and the happiness of himself and Mrs. Ruddy, in their new home at Whitby. The presentation was made by Mr. D. W. Dumble, who, on behalf of the local bar, also congratulated Judge Ruddy upon his appointment. It was a position that bulked largely in the eyes of lawyers because of the splendid traditions and character of our judges. To be a judge in any court of this country was a great honour. It was not gained by the system of election followed in the United States, where the barroom vote had a great influence, but the office was held in Canada because of the worth of the gentleman appointed.

Mr. Dumble was confident that the best that was in Judge Ruddy would be brought out in his new duties. He recalled the judiciary of Peterborough County, beginning with Judge MacKay, and his successors, Judges Hall, Boucher, Dennistoun, Weller, and Huycke.

Mr. Dumble regretted the fact that Mrs. Ruddy was unable to be present to receive the best wishes and good will of the Peterborough Bar.

Judge Ruddy said, in reply, that he deeply appreciated the kindness and thoughtfulness of the gentlemen of the Peterborough Bench and Bar, with whom he had enjoyed the most friendly relations since coming to Peterborough. He would make every effort to attain the high ideals of the Canadian Bench and would endeavour to show his worthiness of the honour. The Bar of Peterborough would compare favourably with that of any city in the Province, especially in their conspicuous patriotism in these strenuous times. Judge Ruddy acknowledged the remembrance to his wife and added that the latch of their Whitby home would always be on the outside for the members of the Law Association.

Judge Huycke, Capt. J. H. Burnham, Mr. Daniel O'Connell and Mr. R. R. Hall added their felicitations to their departing brother, and warmly congratulated him upon his elevation to the Bench.

TWELVE ARE IN UNIFORM.

Unique Record of Sturgess Family, One of Whom is Invalided Home.

QUEBEC, Jan. 16.—Among the returned invalided soldiers at the discharge depot here is Bergt. Frank Sturgess, of the 129th Battalion, who hails from Hamilton, Ont., who has nine brothers, two step-brothers and one brother-in-law in uniform. All are n.c.o.'s, and one served in the South African war with the sergeant. Another has been wounded three times. The last time was when a shell exploded near the motorcycle on which he was riding, and he was thrown into a crater with a terrible wound in his stomach. He stayed five hours, smoking cigarettes, until he was removed to hospital. He now has a silver plate in his stomach, but has qualified as a first-class mechanic with a flying corps.

Sturgess is a musician, and in company with Bandmaster Rickwood and Pte. Rose, two other returned invalided soldiers, he sang at St. Andrew's Church Sunday morning, and in two other churches in the evening.

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Sour pickles, better than home-made, quart	25c.
Swift's shortening in bulk, pound	22c.
Eggs are scarce. Use (Bird's) egg substitute, can	15c.
Prunes, large and meaty, pound	15c.
Chocolatta, beats them all, can, 25c. and	50c.
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Annual Meeting of Peterborough Branch of the Patriotic Fund

How Some of the Local Members of the Fund View the Manner in Which Soldiers' Wives Are Being Cared For--The General Opinion is That They Deserve All They Get and That the Best is None Too Good For Them.

OFFICERS ELECTED FOR THE YEAR

The annual general and quarterly meeting of the Peterborough Branch of the Patriotic Fund was held last evening in the City Buildings. His Worship Mayor Duffus presided. Mr. F. H. Dobbin, secretary of the Fund, was instructed to communicate with the Honourary Secretary of the Fund and ask if the question of increasing the separation allowance to women with four or more children, had ever been considered in view of the high cost of living. Some of those present last evening were of the opinion that the women were not overpaid. On the other hand Mr. H. C. Stabler expressed the opinion that the soldiers' wives of this city were better off than ever they were before. "That is the working class," corrected Mr. Stabler.

Mr. C. H. Pennefather pointed out that had the men stayed at home instead of enlisting they would have been getting the big pay that the men at home are getting.

"The fellow who goes out and takes a chance with his life deserves all he can get," observed Mr. Harstone.

Mr. V. Eastwood did not think that Mr. Stabler's remarks applied to all cases. Under the circumstances the only proper course was to err on the side of generosity.

Mr. Stabler said that many of the soldiers' wives had failed to save any money, and a number did not pay their bills.

"The merchants shouldn't give them credit," replied Mr. W. H. Dunsford.

Some of the members present were inclined to the opinion that a higher separation allowance should be granted to women with four or more children.

Election of Officers.

With one or two exceptions all the officers of the local branch were re-elected. Mr. R. R. Hall succeeds Mr. D. O'Connell as vice-president of the Fund. Following is a list of the officers for the year 1917: President, Mayor J. J. Duffus; vice-president, Mr. R. R. Hall; secretary, Mr. F. H. Dobbin; treasurer, Mr. F. Adams; auditor, Mr. W. R. Morris.

Finance Committee—Mr. J. A. Aylmer (chairman), Messrs. E. A. Peck, W. H. Dunsford, C. H. Pennefather, T. F. Matthews, F. H. Dobbin, J. Crane, B. F. Ackerman.

Relief Committee—Mr. W. H. Buller (chairman), Messrs. J. Lynch, W. Stocker, R. Harstone, V. Eastwood, H. C. Stabler, C. C. Abbott, His Honour Judge Huycke.

Membership Committee — Messrs. J. H. Burnham, M.P.; G. A. Gillespie, M.P.P.; B. D. Hall A. H. Stratton, H. Worth, V. Eastwood and Mayor J. J. Duffus.

This year the Fund will be paid five thousand dollars a month by the city representing a yearly appropriation of sixty thousand dollars. The remaining forty thousand dollars needed for the ever-increasing burdens of the Fund will come from the County Council. A strong deputation will wait upon the County legislators at their forthcoming meeting for the purpose of strengthening the hand of the Council.

The meeting adjourned to meet again when the auditor's report is ready.

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MR. R. R. HALL IS RE-ELECTED PRESIDENT OF LAW ASSOCIATION

Precedent of Second Term For President Recognized — Other Officers Also Re-elected—Secretary's Report Presented by Mr. Wearing Indicates Activities of Past Year.

A FINANCIAL BALANCE

The officers of the Peterborough Law Association were re-elected at the annual meeting held yesterday afternoon in the offices of Mr. R. R. Hall as follows:

President—R. R. Hall.

Vice President—F. D. Kerr.

Secretary and Librarian—Joseph Wearing.

Treasurer—B. D. Hall.

Trustees of the Law Library—E. H. D. Hall, J. E. L. Goodwill and G. N. Gordon.

Mr. R. R. Hall was re-elected president for a second term, following a precedent that is gradually becoming established in the affairs of the Association. The unsettled conditions consequent upon the war, and the detailed work of restoring the law library a task to which the 1916 officers have devoted themselves were particular influences that prompted the retention of the executive.

Mr. Wearing reported a small but satisfactory financial balance and also stated that the entire insurance claim of $4,500 covering the damage to the library had been paid.

THE SECRETARY'S REPORT

The Secretary's report presented by Mr. Wearing emphasised the fact that the past year had been quite an eventful one for the Association. It was read as follows.

To the Members of the Association:

The Executive Committee beg leave to present the following report for 1916.

During the year Mr. George Edmison, one of the former members of our Association and until a short time ago our County Magistrate, died at the home of his daughter in Toronto. The late Mr. Edmison had a large practice in Peterborough for many years, and afterwards was Police Magistrate for the County for many years more. For a period he was Acting Judge of the County. He was widely known and respected by all and his death was a distinct loss to our Association.

Major S. T. Medd of the 8th Canadian Mounted Rifles returned last Fall from overseas service, the condition of his health demanding a period of recuperation. Major Medd returned overseas a few days ago, his leave expiring on February 1st, 1917. 1917.

Lieutenant J. F. P. Binie until recently associated with Mr. R. R. Hall, joined the 52nd Battery, 13th Brigade C.F.A., C.E.F. and is now overseas.

Mr. J. F. Strickland associated with the firm of Bennett and Goodwill offered his services during the year and is now a lieutenant in the 247th Battalion, C.E.F. stationed at Peterborough.

Mr. V. J. McElderry of the firm of Peck, Kerr and McElderry enlisted recently as a private in the 247th Battalion, C.E.F. but on account of his ability and training has been sent to Kingston to take an Officer's training course.

MR. RUDDY'S APPOINTMENT

Mr. Robert Ruddy, K.C., of the firm of Ruddy and Burnham has been appointed Judge of the County of Ontario. He was called to the Bar in 1889 and before coming to Peterborough about six years ago, successfully practised for many years in Millbrook. He has the distinction of having appeared as counsel before the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council. He will carry with him to his new and higher sphere of labour the best wishes of every member of our Bar.

MR. O'CONNELL'S DEPARTURE.

Mr. Daniel O'Connell, one of the leading counsel of Peterborough and of the Province and one of the most popular men of this city, has opened an office in Toronto, where he intends to practise. His popularity and reputation as a lawyer in the Province was shown during the year when he was elected by the members of the Provincial Bar as a Bencher of the Law Society of Upper Canada. The citizens of Peterborough showed the high esteem in which he is held by honouring him recently with a public banquet at which representatives of every profession and interest in Peterborough testified to the high public service rendered by Mr. O'Connell during the twenty years he has practised here and to the high reputation he has attained as a lawyer and a citizen. He will continue his connection in Peterborough and has entered into partnership with Mr. John R. Corkery.

THE COURT HOUSE FIRE

On Monday, the eleventh day of December, 1916, our Law Library at the Court House was almost entirely destroyed by fire and water due to the conflagration at the Quaker Oats plant which set fire to the Court House. As soon as possible steps were taken to save as many books as could possibly be saved and all the books recovered are now in the south room of the Library which was only partially damaged. Your president and librarian spent considerable time investigating the damage done to the Library and were able to make a reasonably satisfactory settlement with the adjuster of the assurance companies for the sum of $4,500. A few weeks before the fire your librarian added $2,000 to the insurance then on the Library and $1,800 from this policy has been paid by the Insurance Company. It is expected that the $2,700 due from the other policy will be paid in a few days.

A committee consisting of Messrs. R. R. Hall, E. H. D. Hall, F. D Kerr, G. N. Gordon, J. E. L. Goodwill and Joseph Wearing has been appointed for the purpose of selling or otherwise disposing of damaged books and to purchase other books. The Law Reports have been sold to Mr. Daniel O'Connell and the Committee has ordered on favourable terms, the English Reprint, the English Revised Reports to complete our present set, the English Law Reports and the English Digest. The members of the Association are urged to co-operate with the committee in making the best provision necessary for the new Library.

Included verbally was a welcome to Capt. J. H. Burnham of the 93rd Battalion now engaged with the recruiting staff of the Militia Department.

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE

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JAN. —, 1917 DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE OTTAWA

Don't Spoil Your Hair By Washing It

When you wash your hair, be careful what you use. Don't use prepared shampoos or anything else, that contains too much alkali, for this is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle.

The best thing to use is just plain granulated cocoanut oil, for this is pure and entirely greaseless. It's very cheap, and beats the most expensive soaps or anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months.

Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in, about a teaspoonful is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh looking, bright, fluffy, wavy and easy to handle. Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff.

OFFICERS ELECTED

Bricklayers' and Masons' Union Met Last Night

The following Officers of the Bricklayers' and Masons' International Union, Local No. 17, were elected on Tuesday night:

Pres.—Dan Wires.
Vice-Pres.—Fred Tuggy.
Cor.-Sec.—Will Stevens.
Fin.-Sec.—B. M. Fredrick.
Treas.—J. J. Hartley.
Tiler—A. Madden.
Auditors— H. Sherwood, Thos. McFadden.

Delegates to Trades and Labour Council — Messrs. Hartley, Wires, Fredrick and Stevens.

INAUGURAL MEETING OF THE DOURO COUNCIL

Following are the minutes of the Inaugural Meeting of Douro Township Council for the year 1917.

The Council elect for the year 1917 met at the Town Hall, Douro on Monday, January the 8th.

Having subscribed to the Declarations of Qualification and office the members took their seats as follows:

Reeve—M. Walsh.

Councillors—M. D. Kennedy, Geo. Hamilton R. Moloney and M. Coughlin.

On motion the minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed.

Moved by M. Kennedy, seconded by M. Coughlin that Geo. E. Wilson and Maurice Condon be appointed auditors at a salary of ten dollars each.—Carried.

An application was received from Bernard T. Dench for the office of Assessor for the year 1917.

Moved by Geo. Hamilton, seconded by R. Moloney that B. Q. Dench be appointed Assessor for the year 1917 at a salary of $70.00.—Carried.

Moved by R. Moloney, seconded by M. Coughlin that the Reeve and Councillors Kennedy and Hamilton be appointed a committee to enquire into the cost of a site for a new Town Hall to be erected in some place convenient for Township purposes and to report at next meeting.—Carried.

Moved by R. Moloney, seconded by M. D. Kennedy that the collector be authorized to collect the balance of taxes for the year 1916 forthwith.—Carried.

The following Municipal By-laws were passed, viz; By-law No. 834 appointing Maurice Condon and Geo. E. Wilson, auditors. By-law No. 835, appointing B. Q. Dench, Assessor, By-law No. 836, authorising the Reeve and Treasurer to borrow certain sums not exceeding $1,000 to meet the current expenditure. By-law No. 837 authorising the expenditure of $800 on the construction and improvement of the main and leading roads in the municipality in the year 1917, to be spent in accordance with the provisions of the Colonisation Roads Act, was read a first and second time.

Council adjourned to meet on Monday, February 12th.

Moving Pictures That Vividly Instruct Public In Methods of Safeguarding Against Disease

The value of moving pictures for instructing the public in methods of preventing disease and of otherwise safeguarding the health of the individual and the community, was well illustrated in the series of films presented yesterday afternoon and evening in the Salvation Army Sunday School at Byersville. They were secured by the Board of Health of North Monaghan from Dr. Clinton, District Officer of Health under the Provincial Board. Dr. Greer, M. O. H. for the Township, presided at the afternoon meeting, yesterday, at which over two hundred persons, mostly children, were present. At night Reeve Rye was chairman, and Dr. Amys was also present. Nearly two hundred saw the night pictures. Interesting illustrations were given of the cause of tuberculosis and its methods of spreading; also the means of combatting it, the value of fresh air, good food and sanitary surroundings. Another film dealt with the proper care of milk and emphasised the fact that impure milk causes many diseases. The fly nuisance, its menace, and how to prevent its propogation was shown, and another film showed the importance of the care of the teeth. It pictured the right method of keeping teeth clean, and illustrated the necessity of an early acquisition of this habit, and indicated the diseases that are caused by decayed teeth.

Altogether the films were decidedly instructive and must have left an impression on those who attended that will have a permanent and salutary effect.

OFFICERS OF ROYAL SCARLET CHAPTER

The Royal Scarlet Chapter of Loyal Orange Lodge, district No. 3 held a most profitable meeting in the Orange Hall, George street last night at which meeting the officers for the ensuing year were elected. Past W.C. in C., C. E. Wiley, presided over the election and installation. The following officers being elected:

W.C. in C.—Comp. H. S. Delahaye.
E.C. in C.—Comp. J. H. Spence.
Comp. Chap.—Comp. D. Dunlop.
Comp. Scribe—Comp. E. Walker.
Comp. Treas.—Comp. J. Briggs.
Comp. Sir H. at arms—Comp. H. Oland.
Comp 1st Lecturer—Comp. W. G. Morrow.
Comp. 2nd Lecturer—Comp. F. McGee.
Comp 1st Conductor—Comp. J. Johnston.
Comp 2nd Conductor—Comp. C. Luffman.
Comp. Inward Herald—Comp. E. F. Reid.
Comp. Outward Herald—Comp. C. E. Wiley.

After the newly elected officers had been duly installed by Past W.C. in C., C. E. Wiley who so ably filled the chair for the occasion, the newly elected officers then gave short speeches after which a dainty repast was served and the most successful meeting of the year was brought to a close by singing the national anthem.

WHOOPING COUGH.

Mrs. Charles Lovell, Amesia, B.C., writes: "Seven of our nine children had whooping cough the same winter, and we attribute their cure to Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine. We always have it in the house, and recommend it as the king of all medicines. I was formerly entirely cured of protracted piles by using Dr. Chase's Ointment."

Some folk clutter up their rooms with furniture. That is really a wasteful thing to do. Just enough for use—no more—is the best rule. Then keep what you have in good condition.

Peterborough Y.M.C.A. Has Had A Very Busy and Successful Year

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best year of service, for the results of the past year which we report here should be but the foundation on which a better future is built.

The alterations to the building have fully met our expectations, increasing the efficiency of supervision and making possible a great forward step in boys' work at a most strategical time. The building changes increased dormitory accommodations for young men from twelve to twenty-six and consequently our cash receipts from this source for 1916 were $1721.25 or about double the yearly average of the past. We have appreciated the opportunities of serving a larger number of young men who are away from home influences and are pleased to state that 175 different men have occupied our dormitories during the past year.

Work For Boys.

Work for boys 18 years of age and under has been the big feature of Y. M.C.A. endeavour this past year and will continue to be so at least until after the war. We are fortunate in having for a Boys' Secretary a man thoroughly informed regarding the Canadian Standard Efficiency Movement, for these tests are the basis of all lines of Association efforts in Peterborough. Outside of the Y.M.C.A. Mr. Galley has given much time to promoting and developing the Efficiency Tests in Sunday school classes and has made great progress in raising the ideals of both Sunday school teachers and students. Mr. Galley's report gives the boys activities in detail and shows most pleasing results.

Boys 16 to 18 years of age have of necessity been granted senior privileges during restricted hours as the increase of our boys' work has even now outgrown the recent enlarged facilities. We will face an actual problem after the war when the regular senior work is fully resumed, for the prospects are that the capacity of our building will be taxed to its utmost, but this problem is really a pleasant one to anticipate.

Our Physical Director, Mr. Roper, in his report presents the work of his department in detail and we are pleased to note that classes for boys under 18 years of age and for business men and professional men have increased greatly in attendance, intgrest and efficiency. The senior gymnasium class has suffered more than any part of the work as the result of the demands of war, but it is a credit to our work to note that military men speak in the highest terms of the quality of recruits obtained from the Y.M.C.A. We are fortunate in having a physical director who not only ranks high in his profession, but who is also brotherly and sympathetic as well as trained and efficient. Every young man in Peterborough would be better for personal contact with Mr. Roper.

Our Senior Social Work has been successful, the enlarged reception room being much used and our pianos busy at all hours.

Bowling and billiards in the basement have worked well together and both games have increased in popularity on the part of business men, seniors, soldiers and intermediate members.

Fees collected show 6,500 games bowled during seven months.

Billiard fees show the tables in use 3,360 hours or perhaps a total of 5,400 games played.

The New Year's Reception Jan. 1st, 1916, was the only formal reception of the year but proved an enjoyable affair. More than 1,500 strangers and out of town visitors have been welcomed at our building and served in some capacity in addition to the service rendered our local young men.

The Religious Work has been most gratifying twenty-seven Sunday afternoon meetings being held with an average attendance of thirty young men. While Mr. Galley's report covered the Boys' Bible Study groups, and Mr. Roper presents the "Life Problem Club," we would especially note here the successful Senior High School Club of which the General Secretary is mentor. These High School young men meeting every Friday evening for tea and a discussion of subjects most vital to a young man just entering upon a life work. Mr. Howe of the Collegiate staff, Dr. Neal and several others have contributed much to the success of this older boys group. From 125 to 150 boys and young men are found each week in some form of Y. M.C.A. special religious work, but the religious work extends still further; hundreds of others are being impressed with the highest religious ideals as a result of Y.M.C.A. efforts.

That we may not unduly burden you with statistics we would draw toward a close with a few facts that may interest you.

Over twenty city organizations, church patriotic and athletic have used our building for meetings during the past year.

Membership 675.

The membership of our Association, men and boys, stands at 675.

Soldiers have been on a free membership basis and over 30,000 visits by men in uniform have been made at our building during 1916.

253 men and boys have enlisted from our membership since the war began.

Our budget for 1916 will allow us to contribute $450 to overseas Y.M.C.A. work. One tenth of all subscriptions collections are given to this work.

We also participated in a special canvas for overseas funds conducted by our National Council in December when over $3,000 was realized.

Officers of the Association and the employed staff have participated in many civic enterprises outside the Y. M.C.A. programme. Our leaders have had a share in every patriotic canvas since the war started.

Members of the staff have given considerable time to church clubs and classes, also assisted in promoting playgrounds, public supervised bathing, etc.

It is stated that at least 100,000 visits by all people and for all purposes have been made to the Y. M. C. A. building during the year.

The Treasurer's report showing the amount of cash received and disbursed by him will be presented by him.

The Finance committee's report shows the 1916 budget of expenses and the expenses actually incurred.

So it remains for me only to remark that considering the unusual conditions of the year and the extraordinary feats of the $8,000 subscribed for Y.M.C.A. work in Peterborough in the last four months of 1916, $3,000 goes overseas, our local work has been most efficiently financed.

In closing I would impress upon every member the need of great conservation, courage and unity of purpose as we open the New Year of 1917 with its opportunities. May we be more faithful to the Christ who is the head and heart of our Association and whose character and ideals we must continue to lift up before the young men of our city.

Respectfully submitted,
C. M. Meserve,
General Secretary.

MERCHANTS

Will all the merchants who wish to have their stores listed among those participating in Dollar Day and who have not already done so, please notify The Examiner, so their firm name will be included in the published list.

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INDUSTRIAL AND TECHNICAL NIGHT CLASS NOTES

CLASSES IN—

Domestic Science
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will be held on Monday, beginning at 7.30. Opportunities for several in all of the classes

Mathematics
on Tuesday

Domestic Science and Electricity
on Wednesday

City and General

Broken auto cylinders, machinery and stoves welded, by the new Oxo Acetelyne Process. Anything in iron, steel or aluminum made as good as new, not patched up. Millard's Bicycle Shop, Hunter street, near Aylmer.

PROBABILITIES.

Strong winds fair. Thursday little higher temperature, light snowfalls.

FRESH LAID EGGS WANTED

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DENTAL.

Dr. McKenty, Dentist, 370 George Street, on the ground floor, first door north of Peterborough Hardware Co. Nitrous oxide and oxygen administered for painless operations.

TEACHERS' TRAINING CLASS.

The Teachers Training Class of George Street Church will meet in the Public Library on Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. This will be an important meeting.

WANTED.

200 cords green basswood bolts 4 ft. 7 inches long by 4½-inch diameter and upwards. Delivered to Kingdon's Barrell and Heading Factory, 26 Barnardo Avenue, Peterborough. 6d-12-8w-8

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VIOLIN, MANDOLIN, PIANO.

Miss M. Telgmann will resume teaching Monday, January 8th. Information Studio, Green Music Co., or 'phone 1098. 8d-mwa-6

MEET TO-NIGHT.

The W. A. R. Club will hold their weekly meeting this evening at the home of Miss Helen Lytle, Charlotte Street. All members are requested to be present as it is an important meeting.

PIANO, ORGAN, VOICE.

Mr. J. H. Renwick, organist and choirmaster, George Street Methodist Church, has resumed teaching. Pupils prepared for examinations. Many present and former pupils holding good positions. Studio, 567 Aylmer street. 'Phone 1098. 26d-2

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ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH NOTICE.

St. Andrews' Patriotic Society will serve supper in the school-room at 6.30 on Thursday, January 18th (night of annual meeting.) Proceeds for patriotic work. Every member of the congregation is urged to attend. Supper, 25c. 3d-18

EXPRESS AND BAGGAGE.

E. D. Cooney, a returned soldier, has taken over the express business of Eddie Reid and will give prompt and careful attention to all work entrusted to him. 'Phone 847. E. D. Cooney, 840 Aylmer stree. 26d-44

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ORCHESTRA PRACTICE.

The Conservatory Orchestra will practice to-night.

GEORGE STREET CHURCH.

The regular monthly meeting of the Trustee Board of George Street Methodist Church will be held this evening at nine o'clock, following the regular mid-week prayer service.

ST. LUKE'S CHOIR.

St. Luke's Choir will practice to-night at 8.45 o'clock. A full attendance is requested as the arrangements for the annual sleigh drive will be made.

TEMPLE BAND.

All members of the Temple Band are requested to meet on Thursday afternoon at 1.30, at 140 Antrim Street, in full uniform, to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. T. Yost.

ST. PETER'S PATRIOTIC CLUB.

The members of St. Peter's Patriotic Club are reminded that the workroom will be open to-morrow (Thursday) afternoon, at 2 o'clock. All are asked to come to work. Tea will be served from 5 to 7, and the tea-room will be in charge of Mrs. Bruce Law and Miss Nora Shevlin.

TEMPLE BAND.

Al lthe members of the Temple Band are requested to be present at the funeral of Mrs. T. Yost to-morrow. Short service at the home of Bandmaster J. Smith at 1.30 and a public service at the S. A. Temple on Simcoe street at 2 o'clock.

THE "CALEBITES".

The "Calebites" of St. Andrew's Church met last evening. An excellent paper on the "science of government" was read by Mr. McGregor, editor of The Review. Mr. Walter Evans contributed a couple of solos. The accompanist was Miss Evans.

Reductions are one-third to one-half off regular prices at E. V. Warne's Closing-Out Jewelry Sale.

WEDDING BELLS

KEARNS—CADIGAN.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized on Tuesday, Jan. 9th, by Rev. Father McGuire, when Miss Hannah Cadigan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Cadigan, of Enniamore, was united in marriage to Frederick Kearns, of Monkham, Alberta. The bride was attended by her sister, Stella, and Mr. John Cadigan acted as best man.

After the wedding the happy couple drove to the bride's parents, where a wedding repast was served, the guests numbering about forty.

The groom's gift to the bride was a gold La Vallere set with amethyst and pearls, to the bridesmaid a beautiful gold brooch, and to the best man a gold pair of cuff links. The bride was the recipient of numerous presents, showing the high esteem in which she was held.

Mr. and Mrs. Kearns left on Wednesday evening by train for western points. The young couple will be home to their friends in Alberta after Jan. 17, where they will make their future home.

OBITUARY

JOSEPH DWYER.

Joseph Dwyer died last night at his residence, 141 Rubidge Street, after an illness of a few hours.

Mr. Dwyer, who was fifty-four years of age, was born in Lindsay, where he resided before coming to Peterborough, a few years ago. Since coming to Peterborough he has made a great number of friends, amongst whom he was highly respected. He is survived by his wife and seven children: Joseph of Sarnia, John, James, Teresa, Agnes, Margaret and Nellie, at home, and two brothers, James and Mary of Lindsay and John of Gooding, Idaho.

Funeral announcement will be made later.

The funeral will be held from the family residence on Friday morning at 8 o'clock to St. Peter's church, thence to St. Peter's cemetery.

Soldiers Began New Year With a Bath

Chief Thompson received a letter today from Sergt. George Cookman written on January 1st in which the former Peterborough police constable stated that they had begun the new year with a warm refreshing bath, and had freed themselves from pests that weren't Germans. Sergt. Cookman went over with the 93rd and has now been in the trenches three months. He wrote that everything was going well, and the men would be content to remain three years providing they attained the end for which they went over.

House Will Open Friday

Special to The Examiner.

OTTAWA, Jan. 17.—It is expected there will be just a mere quorum of members in attendance at the House of Commons to-morrow, when the formalities attendant upon the election of Deputy Speaker Rhodes to the position of Speaker will take place.

The formal and ceremonial opening will be on Friday, when the Duke of Devonshire, the Governor-General, will read his first speech from the throne. It is understood this will be short, and that the extension of the life of parliament will be the principal theme.

WATCHES

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Social and Personal

The ladies of Peterborough are reminded of the sock shower which through the courtesy of Mrs. Harry Thompson, Hunter Street, will be held at her home on Saturday, Jan. 20th. Afternoon tea will be served.

Mr. Edward Fitzpatrick, wife and family, who recently moved to Peterborough from Asphodel, are leaving on Monday next to reside at Medicine Hat, Alberta. Mr. Fitzpatrick is a brother of Rev. Father Fitzpatrick, who is parish priest at the above place.

Mrs. Cottrell and Mrs. Watt will be the hostesses at the 57th Chapter I.O.D.E. afternoon tea to-morrow afternoon in the Masonic dining hall.

Mrs. J. N. Janes, of Port Hope, is spending the winter with her friend, Mrs. George Jobbitt, 506 Charlotte street.

Miss Luella Jobbitt is in Toronto the guest of Miss Pearl Brock.

Miss F. Roberts is the guest of Mrs. Archer, 800 Rubidge street before leaving for New York, where she will spend the winter.

On Saturday afternoon, January 20th, the King's Daughters will hold an afternoon tea in the grill room of the Empress Hotel from four to six. This society which supports several prisoners of war in Germany, hopes for a large attendance and contribution.

Mrs. Elston leaves to-day to spend a month in Toronto.

Mrs. Arthur L. Brown is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Merrill, Homewood avenue.

Miss Helen Metherall, who spent the past few weeks in Toronto, has returned home.

Capt. and Mrs. Thompson have moved into their new home, 3 Fleming Place, lately occupied by Miss Roberts.

Lieut. and Mrs. Claude Rogers have returned from Toronto.

Mrs. (Lieut.) V. J. McElderry leaves to-day for Toronto, where she will spend a few weeks.

Dr. A. Robertson, Park street, was in Norwood to-day on business.

The many friends of Mr. Wm. Waugh, Homewood avenue, will regret to learn that he is confined to his home through illness.

Mr. Joseph Dwyer, Sarnia, has been called to the city by the death of his father, the late Mr. Joseph Dwyer, 141 Rubidge street.

Mrs. J. Clemens, Walton street, is spending a few days in Toronto, the guest of her sister.

Mrs. Mary Rolston of Toronto, President of the Rebekah Assembly, and Mrs. Swartman of Waubashene, Vice-President, were the guests of Mrs. R. M. Jones, District Deputy President, during their stay in the city.

Lieut. R. W. Iles of the 256th Railway Construction Battalion, is in the city and is recruiting at the Recruiting Rooms of the 247th, on Simcoe street, men in Peterborough, for his battalion. The physical standard required is not as high as that of the infantry. There is practically no drill and the Battalion expects to leave for overseas about April 1st.

These Rails May Go To France

G.T.R. workmen are engaged in tearing up and removing the old siding on the east side of the river that extended down to the McAllister mill. The lease the Company with the Peterborough Hydraulic Power Company expired last spring when the removal of the track was ordered. It may be that these rails will be shipped to France. The local G.T.R. representatives did not know their destination.

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Owing to illness, my store has been closed during the past month. I am now pleased to be able to inform my customers that it will be Re Opened TO-MORROW for business, with a Well-Assorted Stock of Groceries, Provisions, etc., in all the usual lines at CLOSEST PRICES.
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GOOD CROWDS AT THE BROCK ST. RINK

Skating and Band To-night —Ice in Perfect Condition

The ice could not be better for skating than it is for to-night at Brock street rink. A good band will be in attendance. As there will be more or less hockey in the rink from now until the end of the season, skaters should take advantage of every opportunity when the ice is good.

MR. R. R. HALL,
Re-elected President of the Peterborough Law Association at the Annual Meeting Yesterday.

House On Fire In Absence Of The Occupants

A fire at the home of Mr. Herb. Batten, Edinburgh street, did considerable damage last night. Mr. Batten, who is a miller employed by the Campbell Milling Co., and was away at work, while Mrs. Batten was at the home of a sick neighbour, when a fire broke out in the attic, probably due to a defective chimney or overheated pipes. The alarm was sounded at 9.40 p.m. and the brigade soon extinguished the blaze. The roof of the house was badly damaged and considerable damage was done throughout the building by water. The damage to the house is estimated at about $500 and to the contents about $400. While the brigade were returned to the hall to thaw out their frozen hose, a second blaze commenced in the attic and some one again sounded the alarm. No damage was done by the second fire.

If people only knew what they can buy Jewelry, Watches, etc. for at E. V. Warne's Closing-Out Sale, the goods would not last long.

Invention By A Local Man

Mr. William Doris, a former resident of Peterborough, and whose people reside here now, is the inventor of an article that has been of great service to the Eastman Kodak Co. of Rochester, N.Y., where Mr. Doris is employed. The Company have purchased the right to manufacture and control the article which is being used extensively in the production of their plant.

North Monaghan Agitating For Good Roads Now

North Monaghan's interest in the good roads question refuses to subside even under the pressure of war conditions. The younger element in the township are determined that the old ideas must go, and though only a beginning may be made in the near future, the favourable sentiment, it is hoped, will continue until after the war.

On Monday night a public meeting was held in May's school house, with Reeve Rye presiding, at which the road question was discussed at considerable length. The township was well represented from the city section out to the remote concessions. Mr. W. G. Howden moved a resolution seconded by Mr. Herb Foster, that if the township can secure assistance from the Provincial Government on the basis of the County scheme for road building that one mile of stone road be constructed this year, the township to comply in full with the regulations of the Department at Toronto.

Buy Stone Now.

Another resolution provided for public announcement that the township would pay $3 a cord for stone to the drawn to some place near the city to be specified later. It is hoped, thereby, that a beginning may be made this winter on whatever work will be prosecuted during the coming summer.

WILL ACCEPT ALLIES' ULTIMATUM

Special to The Examiner.

ATHENS, January 16.—(Delayed)—The Crown Council to-night decided to accept the Allies' entire ultimatum without reserve. Ministers of the Entente Powers here were advised of this decision. The release of Venizelist prisoners is considered imminent.

The above is corroborated by official despatches received in London from the British Minister to Greece.

LAKEFIELD PERSONALS

LAKEFIELD, Jan. 16.—Mr. and Mrs. S. Gilles of Fenelon Falls spent a few days last week in the village, visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Northey.

The Grove School reopened on Thursday last after a three-weeks' vacation.

Mr. Edward Jory of Riceton, Sask., is spending a few months in Lakefield and vicinity, visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. A. O. Sawyer spent a few days last week in Peterborough, visiting her daughter, Mrs. McKee.

Master Kenneth Mackenzie spent a few days last week at Brantford, visiting his grandparents, Ven. Archdeacon and Mrs. Mackenzie.

Miss Lelia Burgess spent a few days last week visiting friends in Peterborough.

Mr. A. Ketchum, who has been spending the vacation at his home in Cobourg, returned to the Village on Thursday to resume his duties at the Grove School.

Mr. W. W. Isbister of Chinook, Alta., is spending a few weeks visiting relatives in the village.

Mrs. P. Cox and Master Johnny, who have been spending the past three weeks at St. John's, here, returned to 'The Grove' on Tuesday, last.

Miss Mae Edwards of Toronto is in the Village, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Crawford.

Mrs. G. Wainwright of Ottawa was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Tate at "Bendenia" for a few days last week.

Miss L. Brown returned on Monday last to Toronto to resume her studies at Queen's University.

Misses Mary Mackenzie and Mary Hewitt left on Thursday for Oshawa to resume their studies at Bishop Bethune's College.

A "Spider Party" was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald, on Monday evening last. About thirty-five guests were present and spent a most enjoyable evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Edwards moved last week to take up their residence in Peterborough.

Master Jack and Miss Dorothy Langley left last week to spend a few weeks visiting their grandmother Mrs E. Bray, at Oakville.

Major A. T. LeFevre, who went overseas with the C.P.R. Construction Corps, has been promoted to the rank of Lieut.-Colonel, and appointed to the important position of Assistant Director of Light Railways, with the Fourth Army, in France.

Mr. O. A. Langley, who has been spending the past week in Montreal, returned home on Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Campbell and Miss Eva Campbell of Eyebrow, Sask., are in the Village on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Campbell.

WARSAW ITEMS OF INTEREST

Concert Given by the Warsaw Choral Class

WARSAW, Jan. 7.—The concert given by the Warsaw Choral Class, assisted by members of the Lakefield class on Friday evening, was a splendid success musically, and with Mr. Treneer's able training the class is showing marked improvement at each succeeding concert. The soloists also, who are pupils of Mr. Treneer, were much enjoyed. It is to be regretted that a larger crowd was not present as the programme was a most enjoyable one from start to finish and an organization of such value to any community should have the heartiest support. The programme was as follows.

Chairman's address — Rev. Mr. Clare.

"Sweet and Low"—Choral class.

Solo, "Night of Nights"—Miss Bessie Aikins.

"Ring Out Ye Bells," from the cantata, "The Hope of the World" — Choral class.

Solo, "The Rose in Heaven"—Mr. Herbert C. Treneer.

Ladies' quartette, "Wouldn't You?" —Mrs. Hamblin, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Wason, Miss Aikins.

"The Shepherds" from "The Hope of the World"—Choral class.

Solo, "Somewhere a Voice is Calling"—Mr. Rufus Payne.

A short talk on the Choral Class—Mr. Treneer.

"The Wise Men," from "The Hope of the World"—Choral class.

Solo, "Daddy"—Mr. Treneer.

"Hail, Royal Babe," from "The Hope of the World"—Choral class.

Pianologue, selected—Mr. Treneer.

"March Onward, O Ye Soldiers True," from "Eli"—Choral class.

Mr. Treneer delighted his audience by singing "The Deathless Army" as encore to "Daddy."

After the concert refreshments were served by the Women's Institute.

Next Monday, Jan. 22nd, Mr. Lees, Inspector of Public Schools, will give a lecture on "Consolidated Schools," illustrated by lantern views, in the Methodist church at 8 o'clock. The lecture is under the auspices of the Citizenship Department of the Epworth League of the Methodist church. A cordial invitation is extended to all, especialy ratepayers and those interested in education. A collection will be taken.

Lest you forget—E. V. Warne's Closing-Out Jewelry Sale is still going at Auction Prices. Step in and ask prices.

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New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Airbrake, 146 1-2, 146 1-4, Atchison 105 3-4, 105; B. and O. 84 1-2, 84 3-4; C. P. R. 160 1-2, N. Y. C. 101 1-2, 101 1-4, Erie 33 1-8, 33 5-8; Erie Pfd. 48; Penna., 56 3-4, 56 1-2; Reading, 102 1-2, 102 3-8; St. Paul, 91, 90 1-8; U. P. 144 3-4, 144 1-4; Beth Steel 450; Rep. Steel 80 1-4, 78 3-4; Anaconda, 85 1-2 85 1-4; Inter Nickel, 42, 41 3-4; U. S. Steel 114, 113 7-8; Amn. Loco., 78 1-8, 76 3-4.

Chicago wheat, May, 187 3-4; July, 150 3-4; May corn 100 1-2.

Canadian Stocks: Canada Car 30 1-2, bid, N. S. Steel 117, 118; Smelters 33 3-4, 34; Cement, 64 1-2, 63 7-8; Steel Can. 67 3-4, Dom. Steel 67 1-4, Steamships 35 3-4, N. S. Car 192, Gen. Elec., 112, bid.

Post & Flagg.—It seems to be the general conviction now that the war must go on for some time. Buyers of copper metal who have been holding back in anticipation of lower prices, are now coming forward, and the shares representing this industry are especially firm.

Shearson, Hammill & Co.—There is a good investment enquiry for bonds, but can see nothing at the moment except waiting market with bullish operations in some special stock. There is no question but what there is a large short interest outstanding in the market.

Lnidlaw & Co.—The great ease in money is evidenced by the increase of $140,000,000 in the surplus reserves of the New York clearing house banks in the last month has been a big factor in increasing the demand for investments.

Bryant, Dunn, & Co.—From all accounts, a new British loan will soon be offered, and in all probability easily absorbed, as the demand for high-grade bonds is reported as being very large, a fact which in its relation to stock market prices, should not be lost sight of. The immediate prospects are for a continuance of a trading position, but the short interest seems to be getting a little larger all the time.

With banks overflowing with money it is scarcely possible that stock market prices will remain for long as low as recently on the average. Nothing unfavourable has transpired over the week end and it is likely that a good buying movement will set in without much wait. The remarkable demand for steel and iron has by no means been harmed either by the peace suggestions or the plain attempt of the Allies to use Canadian rather than American munition factories. This demand on us for raw materials goes into the very basic conditions surrounding general business and means plainly increasing rather than diminishing prosperity. In the nature of things it is steel iron and coal stocks that must go forward. Coppers will do to buy on every market weakness also. The Smelting stocks we favour greatly and so-called tariff stocks are also worthy consideration. The Sugar issues among these should not be disregarded. U.S. Rubber should recover sharply. Incidentally Industrials acted splendidly while beast hammered Rubber on possibly a false conception of the financing plan as affecting the Common stock. Mexican and Californian Petroleum looks very good to us. Atlantic Gulf and the Marines we consider wonderful bargains for patient holders. Can. common should rally sharply now. Central Leather is worth buying. We expect to see stronger prices to-day. We would sell Wheat on good bulges and Cotton also buying breaks.—Town Topics.

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THE BRITISH ADVANCE ON A SIX HUNDRED YARD FRONT

Three Hundred Yards Taken By Canadians

Need Another Million Men on Western Front

Britain Must Place Sixty Divisions More on Western Front Declares the London Times Military Expert in Discussing the Needs of the Future—Germany Has One Hundred and Twenty-eight Divisions Opposed to the Allies.

A CRYING NEED FOR MEN

LONDON, January 18.—The Times military correspondent maintains that the prolongation of the war, "as the result of the foredoomed failure of the peace move" throws upon all the Allies the duty of making greater efforts in order to deserve victory. He says that Germany did not wait for a reply to her peace offer but initiated measures a month ago to expand her supply of men and munitions.

"We ought to see," the correspondent writes, "clearly enough now that our efforts on land, especially on the western front, have not been adequate to secure a decision or even to deserve it."

Referring to the imputation, "with a tendency to exaggeration," that the British have 2,000,000 men in France and the French have 3,000,000 he says:

"Statements of this nature serve rather to obscure the issues than to illuminate them. It ought to be known and admitted that the aggregate national strength do not express the real value of fighting armies. We all ought to count in bayonets and guns in order to ascertain our chances of victory and when we count in this manner the figures dwindle to quite a different total. The truth of the situation in the west is that Germany has 128 divisions opposed to us and that the number of French, British and Belgian divisions is not yet such as to promise a decision in an offensive war.

MODERN MEANS OF DEFENCE.

"The offensive devolves on us in order that we may evict the enemy from the territories of our Allies and such an offensive against modern means of defence, demands a great superiority in strength, particularly in heavy guns, infantry and all other modern military machinery. Before the war we supposed a two, or even three to one superiority not too great for the attacker and must repeat again and again that we have nothing like this superiority and that victory depends on obtaining it. It is always possible for the Germans to place in the west the floating balance of strategic reserves which they used against Roumania and if in 1917 we only employ against the enemy a slight superiority of force nothing better than a slight success can reasonably be anticipated."

The writer declares that there is a crying need for more men and that there has been a great remissness in the creation of new divisions along the lines of Kitchener's original conception. He refers to the military plan published in the Times in 1914, which he says Lord Kitchener himself revised and declared would insure Britain of being capable to continue the war when the other powers were exhausted. According to the correspondent this plan has gradually lapsed from many reasons, chiefly the recruiting muddle in the autumn of 1915, which, he says, even now is far from cleared up. "We need another sixty divisions in the west," concludes, "the necessary men exist and there is every probability that their appearance in the field will decide the war."

BRITISH ADVANCE ON A FRONT OF 600 YARDS

Important Ground Was Captured Together With Many Prisoners and a Big Haul of Munitions and Equipment—British Losses Slight

CANADIANS PARTICIPATED

Special to The Examiner:

LONDON, Jan. 18.—In heavy fighting the British advance on a six hundred yard front, capturing important ground. The Canadians effected three hundred yards of this advance in brilliant trench raids. Many prisoners were taken and a big haul of munitions and equipment. The British losses were slight.

FOR EACH TON OF EXPLOSIVE IN 1914 BRITAIN HAS 12,000

Factories are Turning Out in 48 Hours Now, as Much as they Made in the Entire First Year of the War—Reliable Report from London, Tells of an Almost Unbelievable Advance in Munitions and Guns, the Comparative Figures Being Amazing.

BIG INCREASE IN MANUFACTURE

NEW YORK, January 18.—The followng correspondence from London, dated January 5, is published here:

English muntions factories are now turning out every forty-eight hours more heavy gun amnuniton than they manufactured in the entire first year of the war, and the production is still increasing week by week in preparation for the great offensive on the western front which British military critics believe will come next spring.

Although figures of the actual production of guns and munitions are jealously guarded, and there is no avowal on the part of the Ministry of Munitions of any intention to discontinue the importations from the United States, there is an evident feeling of optimism among the officials at headquarters just off White Hall as well as a willingness to give out "comparative figures," to justify that optimism.

"The improvement in our position may be illustrated in this way," remarked an official of the Ministry:—"We are now manufacturing every week three times as many 155 millimetre shells, five times as many 200 millimetre shells, and three times as many 280 millimetre shells as we manufactured during the whole first year of the war.

"Of smaller shells, we are turning out in about a week, the same quantity as was produced durimg the first year. Finally, the number of shells of all kinds completed during the past week exceeded by about thirty per cent. the entire stock of munitions held in reserve at the outbreak of hostilities."

Dealing with guns in the same way, it is found that, representing the number of guns manufactured during the first year of war by 100, the number for the second year would be 841 and for the third year will be somewhere in the neighbourhood of 1,850.

The manufacture of lighter pieces has had to be slackened recently, owing to the fact that the equipment of the British army in light pieces is approximately complete, and it is only necessary to provide for replacements and renewals.

The improvement in the manufacture of machine guns, rifles, grenades and explosives has been equally satisfactory.

Representing the total number of machine guns delivered to the army during the first year as 100, the total for the second year was 1,350 and for the third year will exceed 6,000.

The production of trench mortar ammunition and grenades has been so much developed that any further increase scarcely seems necessary.

The increase in the manufacture of explosives has been tremendous. For every ton of explosive employed in September, 1914, 350 tons were employed in July, 1915 and 12,000 tons in July, 1916.

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WEST FRONT OFFENSIVE.

Gen. Neville and Field Marshall Haig at London Conference.

LONDON, Jan. 17.—There is a possibility that another big offensive by the Entente Allies in Belgium and France is in contemplation. A two days' conference has been held in London between Premier Lloyd George and his war council and the British and French commanders-in-chief, General Nivelle and Field Marshal Haig.

Important measures for augmenting the British military strength are announced. Half the men under the age of 25 who are now employed in agricultural work are to join the colours. A number of men under 30 who are engaged in shoe-making, have been summoned. The official announcement promises farmers that arrangements will be made as quickly as possible to supply them with several thousand men from the exempt military class to replace their farm hands.

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Marvellous Control Of The Modern War Inventions

Lester Barlow, a young American, who has recently perfected some really wonderful inventions in aerial torpedoes, has recently completed a number of highly successful tests under the auspices of the United States government. The Barlow aerial torpedoe is about seven and a half feet long and weighs about 100 pounds. It carries a heavy charge of very powerful explosive. It is designed to be carried in a compartment in the base of an aeroplane and automatically released at the instant that the aeroplane sights register on the target. As soon as the released torpedo has dropped three hundred feet it automatically sets itself for explosion, and explodes at exactly a given point, regardless of the height from which it has dropped. Every operation is automatic and it has been tested from altitudes of 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 thousand feet, with unfailing results

At the same time as Barlow's developments, John Hays Hammond, Jr., has perfected a radio or wireless control of marine torpedoes. He has reached such perfection that he can start a torpedo in one direction, then, by radio means, change that direction, so exactly as to make the torpedo hit a bamboo rod 1 inch in diameter, nine times out of ten, at a distance of three miles. His experiments and work are also being done under the auspices of the United States government. It seems that the United States is finally realizing that, possessing, as she does, a greater number of prolific inventors than any other country, she should benefit fully by their genius, instead of allowing other countries to acquire valuable improvements in war machines, as in the past.

PAPER ECONOMY IN SCHOOLS.

East Orange Requires Pupils to Write on Both Sides of Sheet.

ORANGE, N.J., Jan. 17.—In an effort to save that precious commodity, paper, the pupils in the East Orange public schools have been instructed to write on both sides of the sheet and to reduce margins to the "irreducible minimum" in order to make the supply on hand go as far as possible. While some grades of paper are hard to procure, and have advanced as much as 125 per cent., the system has not yet been forced to have recourse to the old-fashioned slate to relieve the paper shortage.

A purchasing system installed some years ago gives East Orange some advantage over Boards of Education in other communities, as was shown in a recent investigation by the State, which resulted in a report that East Orange was paying the lowest of all school systems

How You Can Quickly Remove Hairy Growths

(Aids to Beauty.)

A well known beauty specialist advises this treatment for the removal of hair from the face. Mix into a paste some powdered delatone and water, apply to hairy surface and after about 2 minutes rub off, wash the skin and every trace of hair has vanished. This method is quick and entirely safe. To avoid disappointment, however, it is well to make certain you get genuine delatone.

JAPAN TO SHOW SYMPATHY

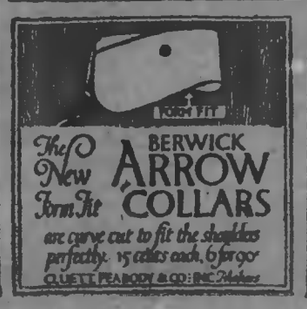
Will Raise Fund and Send Commission to Allied Countries.

TOKIO, Jan. 17.—At a gathering of representative Japanese to-day, among whom was Premier Terauchi, it was voted to send a popular commission to all the Entente countries, probably in April, to express Japan's sympathy for the wounded and for other war sufferers.

An appeal will be made throughout the Empire for subscriptions in an effort to raise as large a fund as possible. The movement is national in scope and is supported by the Government, the Diet, all political parties and business interests and the press. Prince Tokugawa, of the House of Peers, is chairman.

PRISONERS LOSE REASON.

TRENTON, N.J., Jan. 17.—Thirty two convicts, it is said, have recently been taken from the New Jersey State Prison and placed in insane asylums. It is alleged that conditions at the prison are very unsanitary and an investigation is in progress. It is charged that many prisoners are dying of consumption, contracted while in cells with tubercular companions; five hundred men are confined in cells, three and four to a cell, where there is no running water and no sanitary appliance, and they are not permitted to leave these cells from five in the afternoon until six o'clock next morning. The prison was erected in 1835, and has been condemned by the State Board of Health.



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Candidate Asks Why Col. Currie Is Not Overseas

Special to The Examiner:

TORONTO, Jan. 18.—The Liberal candidate in bye election here asks in public why Col. Currie, M.P., is not at the front.

The Danish West Indies Changes Hands

Special to The Examiner.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The Danish West Indies passed to-day the Sovereignty of the United States.

Yesterday's Wheat Market Prices

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, $2.10, track, bay ports; No. 2, $2.07; No. 3, $2.03 1-2; No. 4, $1.89; old crop, 4c above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W., 72c; No. 3, 70 3-4c; extra No. 1 feed, 70 3-4c; No. 1 feed, 67 3-4; all rail delivered.

American Corn—No. 3, $1.11, shipment within 30 days.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 64c to 66c; No. 3 white 63c to 65c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1.82 to $1.84; No. 3, $1.80 to $1.83.

Peas—No. 2 nominal, car lots $2.35.

Barley—Good malting $1.18 to $1.20; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal $1.28.

Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal; No. 2, new, $1.40 to $1.42.

Manitoba flour—First patents, in jute bags, $9.90; second patents in jute, $9.40; strong bakers, in jute $9 Toronto.

Ontario flour—New winter $7.40 to $7.60, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment; $7.25, bulk, seaboard, export grade.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered Montreal; shorts, $38; bran $33; feed flour per bag, $2.80.

Hay—Baled, No. 1, track, Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots, $12.50 to $12; No. 2 $9 to $11; straw $9.50 to $10.

BERLIN LACKS POTATOES.

Per Capita Ration Has Been Reduced this Week.

STOCKHOLM, Jan. 17.—The food situation in Germany has grown much worse during the last six months, according to the experience of an Associated Press correspondent who has returned from a trip to Berlin. Potatoes are so scarce that this week's per capita ration in Berlin was less than four and a half pounds This is attributed in part to the farmers withholding shipments until February 15, when higher prices will be permitted.

No cheese has been on the market since August and eggs are unobtainable, except surreptitiously at sixteen to twenty cents apiece. Berlin's daily milk receipts are about 350,000 litres (about 625,000 pints) against a normal 1,000,000 and it is impossible to buy clothing, shoes, stockings, or blankets, except by permission of the police, though the shops appear well stocked with clothing.

In some cities the situation seems to be better than in others, and a Berlin business man told the correspondent he had spent Christmas week in a Rhine city where he got plenty of meat and bread without being required to show a bread card or meat card.

FRENCH WAR MEASURES.

New Proposition for Enlisting Previously Rejected Men.

PARIS, Jan. 17.—The bill introduced by General Roque, then Minister of War, to submit to further medical examination all men temporarily or permanently rejected by army medical examiners as physically unfit, is to be withdrawn for another measure to be drawn up by General Lyautey, War Minister. It was maintained that Roque's bill would cause an economic convulsion and fill the military hospitals with invalids. The Cabinet also fixed a minimum rate of payment to munition workers in the Paris district, and will decree compulsory arbitration of disputes between the workers and their employers.

PARALYZED LIMBS.

To-day it is sleeplessness, headaches, digestive trouble, and irritability. Next thing you know some form of paralysis has developed. Mr. Alex. Hawkesley Morris Street, St. Catharines, Ont., writes: "Nervous trouble developed into paralysis of the limbs so that I became helpless. Doctors failed me, but after using two boxes of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food I resumed work and now feel better than I did for twenty years."

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You will find all itching and digging of the scalp will stop instantly, and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

RETAILERS REFUSE CREDIT.

One Means of Enforcing Economy That Britain May Experiment With.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—There is a possibility of the suspension of the credit system in retail shops as a means of enforcing economy. The National Service Department have sent out to retail traders the following proposals with a view to obtaining their criticisms, 1—That credit accounts between retail traders and the public be discontinued; 2—No retail tradesman directly or indirectly to call or send to any place of residence to solicit orders for any article of food; 3—That it be compulsory on every retail purchaser of foodstuffs to take away at the time of purchase all articles less than 14 pounds in weight.

The Board of Trade Labour Gazette tates that on Jan. 1 the food average increase in prices over those of July, 1914, were 87 per cent. A year ago it was only 45 per cent. Of the total increase of 87 per cent. 6 per cent. is due to additional taxation on tea and sugar. Bacon prices are now 60 per cent. above those prevailing before the war. The price of fish about one-third higher than a year ago. Bread is 753 per cent. above the normal level retail prices. Flour has risen 68 per cent., butter, 70 per cent.; cheese, 75 per cent. Potatoes remained comparatively normal until April, 1916, but last month the average charge was 139 per cent. higher than in December, 1915.

Retail food prices in Berlin in November last were 111 per cent. higher than before the war. November prices in Vienna were approximately 177 per cent. above those of July 1914.

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SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

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SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—A second note from the Allies to President Wilson says futufre peace depends on a full Allied victory.

Awarded Imperial Service Medal

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 18.—Seventy-two Canadians in the railway service to be given the Imperial Service Medal.

Germans Threaten More Reprisals

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 18.—The Germans announce reprisals to be carried out against war prisoners.

WARSAW ITEMS OF INTEREST

A miscellaneous shower was given in the basement of the Methodist church on Monday evening for Miss Bessie Lonsdale, whose marriage to Mr. John Payne takes place on Wednesday, January 17th. Miss Lonsdale was the recipient of many beautiful and useful gifts, which were ample testimony of her popularity in the community. During the evening an impromptu programme was furnished with the cause of much mirth and enjoyment by all present.

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9.25 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Stirling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
9.30 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
12.20 p.m.—For Lakefield.
11.40 a.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
1.30 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Stirling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
5.35 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
5.40 p.m.—For Lakefield.
8.55 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
9.05 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Boston.

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Corrected January 16, 1917.

GOING EAST:
*2.40 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*12.12 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N. B., Boston and New York.
*1.30 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, and Ottawa.
**11.37 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and Intermediate points, and all points east of Montreal.

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*4.50 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Galt, Woodstock, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*3.14 a.m.—Clyde and North Toronto.
**7.35 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York. Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
**9.15 a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port Mc Nichol and Intermediate points.
**3.45 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Buffalo, New York, Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, London, Detroit and Chicago.
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"There is something in me," he read, that tells me no man was ever greater than I have got it in me to be. John Hayes, Hammond, Carnegie, Rockefeller, Frick, were all poor boys....." He paused once more and let his eyes wander to the bottom of the page and dwell upon this addendum. "P.S.—I sold them to Shivers Martin for ten dollars (10.00) and they only cost me seven—and he had to go after them."

As he held the book in his hand he was interrupted by a low knock on the door. Perhaps the night watchman had come up with a question. Hastily laying the diary of his boyhood over the pistol, so as to conceal it, he opened the door—and Len Haswell entered.

The broker's ruin had been complete, and his dual troubles had evidently driven him to demoralization of another sort. His face wore a set such as artists give the features of Death—the pale implacability of doom. He loomed there gigantic and silent; strangely altered by his chalky pallor and the dark rings out of which his eyes burned. After a moment Hamilton Burton inquired coolly," —"Well, Haswell?"

"You may recall," said the deep voice in a tone of menacing quiet, "that during the two days that you scattered ruin broadcast—and ruined yourself into the bargain—I led your forces on the floor of the Exchange."

"Perfectly," was the calm response. "I recall that you lost everything."

"So did I. We seem to be fellow unfortunates."

"You say I lost everything." Haswell drew a step nearer and held out his two mighty hands. "You are mistaken. I still have these."

A trace of annoyance stole into the voice of the fallen Napoleon. It is disconcerting to be interrupted during one's last moments of life.

"And with them," he ironically inquired, "you mean to begin over and make an honest living?"

Haswel shook his head. His tone took on, in its level pitch of implacability, a quality indescribably horrifying. "No—an honest killing. I am going to kill you."

"That," suggested Burton, "will not be necessary. I am on the point of saving you the trouble—and the personal danger. In my bag there is a note stating that fact—and my reasons."

Haswell held out a letter. "I am not complaining about my ruin in the Street," he patiently explained. "I knew that game and took my chances along with the rest. That is not what has been driving me mad. I got this letter a week ago."

Hamilton glanced at the envelope.

"From Loraine," went on Len Haswell in a voice of even deadlier quiet. The voice and the chalky face seemed twin notes of sound and color. "I would not care to tell you what happened to her—after she pinned her faith on your promise to buy her freedom—from me—for your brother. She lost out all around, you see. I would not care to tell you about that—and its consequences. But something's going to be paid on account—here—tonight!"

After a moment, Burton said slowly:

"I am through. I'm just ending it."

Once again the huge man shook his head. A strange and bitter smile twisted his lips.

"No," he persisted in that level intonation with which men sometimes speak from the scaffold. "No; that won't do. You see I've whetted my appetite on anticipation—ever since that letter came. I must have the pleasure of killing you with my own hands; of seeing the breath go out of your throat—afterward the suicide will be my own.

To lay down one's life of one's own volition is one thing. To permit another to take it in a fashion of his own arbitrary selection is quite another. Hamilton Burton had never been submissive. He meant to die as he had lived—"captain of his soul"—and so he turned quietly toward the window ledge where he had laid the automatic pistol. Perhaps, some clairvoyant sense, loaned by the closeness of death, gave Haswell an intimation of the other's intent. He reached the window first—at a bound—and stood before it. Then suddenly a hideous expression came into his eyes, until out of them shone the horror-worship that had obsessed his soul; and the maniac's cunning for draining his greed of vengeance to its dregs.

He had jostled aside the blank book containing the diary and seen the weapon, which he calmly slipped into his pocket. Then he raised the window as far as it would go.

"This is the twentieth floor," he commented with a ghastly significance—"I know because I walked up. I did not want to be stopped—too soon. It won't take you so long to get down."

As he spoke he jerked his head toward the raised blind and sash. "It's rather a symbolical finish for you, Burton—you must confess as much—an idol hurled down from his high place."

One quality Hamilton Burton possessed. If he was to die he would leave no satisfaction of final cowardice to comfort his assassin's self-destruction. He would attack, but a sudden thought stayed him.

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Haswell yet again shook his head, with his executioner's smile as he sardonically inquired, "Time to get another gun?"

"No. To tear up a note to the coroner—unless you will be good enough to do it for me. If I am not to kill myself there is no advantage in an ante-mortem confession!"

"What difference does it make? To me it seems trivial."

"Just this—that my family will save my insurance out of the wreck."

"And Paul may once more sing golden songs to the wives of other men—not that I so much resent Paul. Without you he would be harmless enough—but society is safer with him poor."

Hamilton Burton had caught a rift in the clouds and with this denial his calmness deserted him for passion. The old family love, strong even though he had himself so violated it, burst into flame in his heart. Once more he would fight for those he was leaving. Why had he never thought of the window himself? That might logically seem accidental, yet his brain had not served him well of late. It had been clouded and unresourceful—and he had invented no method of masking the authorship of his death. His enemy had suggested it—but first there must be a moment to destroy the confession which would rob his mother of the one asset which might be saved to her. With an oath he leaped upon his visitor, and fought tigerishly. But for all his superb physical fitness and strength it was like a child leaping upon a powerful gladiator.

With one mighty arm about his waist crushing him until his bones seemed to crack and one huge hand cutting off the gasp of his throat, his body was bent back in this gorilla embrace and a purple mist spread dimly before his eyes. He had just enough tremor of consciousness left to know that he hung limp and was being lifted and swung to and fro as one swings a sack which he means to toss into a cart.

A few minutes later the giant stood panting from his exertion as he stretched out a steady hand for the pistol which lay on the window ledge.

CHAPTER XXX

In a certain dictionary appears this substantive and this definition.

"PARASITE (par-a-sit), n., one who frequents the table of a rich man and gains his favor by flattery; a hanger-on; an animal or plant nourished by another to which it attaches itself. (Greek.)"

If the animal or plant to which these other animals or plants attach themselves goes first to its death, it is inevitable that its parasites must very speedily follow. There is no longer anything upon which to feed.

Hamilton Burton was gone and his parasites were withering. His will provides a princely fortune for each member of his family—save his sister, for whom they would care. But a will presupposes an estate—here were only enormous liabilities and vanished assets.

This man's dream of power in a single hand—the hand that could produce—had held so firm that he had never made any provision for their independent fortunes while he lived, and held at his finger ends the touch of Midas.

Now he was dead. The coroner said, after viewing the evidence, he had killed Haswell first and himself next—so they added to all the sins of his overcharged account the crowning infamy of murder.

Those men who gather and print the news have their fingers on the pulse beat of things and sometimes they develop an occult sense of prophecy.

On the night of Hamilton's death as a certain city editor in Park row read the proof of the "day's story," he called one of his reporters to his desk and let him wait there while he himself rapidly pencilled out the "Stud-horse head" which should, tomorrow morning, shock many breakfast tables. Finally he glanced up, under a green eye-shade, and shifted his dead cigar from one corner of his mouth to the other.

"Smitherton," he instructed, "from now on keep right after the Burton story."

Smitherton rolled a cigarette. "The follow-up to-morrow will be a big one, too," he prophesied.

"Sure, but I am not only talking about the follow-up. As to that you handle the introduction and general. I'll have the various other ends covered. I refer to next week and next month and next year—"

The staff man raised his brows, and with an impatient and wearied growl, his chief commented curtly:

"Go look up the word 'parasite' in the dictionary. Maybe after that research you will understand what I mean. There is copy in this for a long while. The branch is dead, and the leaves will be dropping."

The stunned parents, the ashen-lipped brother and the sister, not yet recovered from her collapse, had some months for realization; nightmare months during which hordes of creditors arose with legitimate, with wolfish hunger from everywhere, and the courts adjudicated and the world learned that not a remnant of shredded fortune nor a ragged banknote, would remain to the family which had dazzled New York since its Monte Cristo star rose on the horizon.

While the wolves were picking the remains of the estate to the naked bones, old Thomas Burton still went occasionally to his place in the club and gazed out of the Fifth avenue window. He wore a band of crepe around his sleeve, and a defiant glint in his eyes, and since he was left very much to himself he drank alone. He was no longer the same portly and immaculately fashionable man. His flesh had shrunk until his clothes hung upon him in misfit. His face was seamed and his hair instead of being gray and smooth was white and quite stringy. But no pride is so inflexible as acquired pride, so he came to the club where he was snubbed, because, "By, Gad, sir, I have the right to come here. I am Thomas Standish Burton, and I will not permit myself to be driven away, even though adversities have befallen me!"

He reflected upon "pursuits" to which a gentleman of my age may, with fitting dignity, apply himself," and his ideas were random and impractical, but after a sufficient number of toddies they appeared to himself feasible and meritorious. One day when he called for his first afternoon drink the negro waiter shuffled uncomfortably, and said, "I am sorry, sir, but I was told I could not serve you!"

"Why?" demanded the member, stiffening with indignation.

"Your name, sir, is posted on the suspended credit list. That's my orders, sir."

Tom Burton rose and stalked very stiffly, though no longer with his old-time cock-sureness, for the last time out of the National Union Club, and spent the afternoon in the rear room of a saloon further east.

Paul, whose plight was as pitiable as that of a pet pomeranion turned out of a perfumed and cushioned boudoir to hold his own among foraging street curs, for a while bore up with an artificial courage. Under the long strain of successive anxieties his mother had broken in body and mind, and Paul was with her much though sometimes she did not recognize him but called him Hamilton and begged him not to leave the mountains lest the life in a new world should hold worse things than poverty.

(To be continued.)

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OUR DAILY SHORT STORY

What Brought Her Home

By ETHEL HOLMES

John Cook had been married ten years, during which time, except the first few months after the wedding, he had never been away from his wife for more than a few days at a time. But after ten years' living together there came a brief separation. They had not been able to go to the country during the summers, for John's income would not admit of an outing. But all of a sudden his business sprang up, and when August came around it was decided that Mrs. Cook and the children had better spend a few weeks in some rural district where there was pure air. John could not leave his business, which was increasing every day, so he packed them off without him.

Mrs. Cook had exacted a promise from her husband that he would write every day. The first day after her departure he kept his promise. He wrote the following brief letter:

Dear Ellen—I hope you and the children arrived safely. It's very hot here, but I presume you are rejoicing in cool breezes. I dined in a hurry last night at a restaurant and went back to the office, where I remained till 11 o'clock. I am obliged to work nights in order to keep up with the rush, so you see that I haven't much time to spend writing any letters that don't pertain to business. Ta ta. Kiss Tommy and Nellie for their

AFFECTIONATE FATHER.

"That," said Mrs. Cook, "looks as if he were very busy and that the children are the only ones who can draw from him any expression of affection."

The next day Mrs. Cook looked for another letter from her husband, hoping that it would be signed "your affectionate husband" instead of "the children's affectionate father." But to her surprise no letter came, nor did she receive one the day following or the next or the next. It was not till a week after the arrival of the first letter that another came. This one was as overflowing with affection as the first was devoid of it. Its beginning was as follows:

Dearest Nell—It is three days since I have seen your dear face or kissed your sweet lips. It seems three years—no, not years, ages. If ever I get back to you I vow I will never consent to be separated from you again. Last night I wrote you twelve pages, which, I presume, you have by this time received and digested. Yours written yesterday is here, and I have read it a dozen times already. I woke up in the middle of the night and got up to read it again.

Mrs. Cook had read thus far when she stopped and shuddered. What did this remarkable burst of affection mean? The newspapers had noted that the thermometer in the city had hovered around 98 degrees and the humidity varied between 90 and 100 degrees. There had been many cases of sunstroke, and several persons had been made insane by the heat. Could it be that her husband has been thus affected?

The letter trembled in her hands as she read on. Skimming over a lot more of this "incoherent nonsense," as she called it, the letter closed:

With a million kisses, your own true love, JACK.

What caused the greatest fear in Mrs. Cook's breast was the fact that there was not a word about the children. In this epistle there was surely no reason to be jealous of them. But if he had forgotten them his delirium must surely be terrible. What should she do—telegraph him to ask if he had been sunstruck? That, of course, would be absurd. She might inquire of others, but when she came to think over her husband's intimate friends she remembered every one of them was out of town. Besides supposing there was nothing the matter with John or suppose—she wilted at the thought—that he had written another woman while writing his wife and got the letters in the wrong envelope? No. Whatever she did she must keep the matter from the world. There was but one thing for her to do—go home.

In an hour after this decision she had left her children in care of the landlady and taken a train. She arrived in the city before dark and drove directly to her house. She found the front door unlatched and entered. The table was set for dinner for one in the dining room. She ran upstairs and saw her husband in his bedroom tying his cravat before a mirror. He turned and looked at her in astonishment.

"Great heavens! What brought you home? Anything the matter with the children?"

Mrs. Cook, by this time convinced that the letter she had received had been written to another woman than herself, drew it from her bag and handed it to her husband. He looked at it, and a singular, shamefaced expression appeared on his countenance.

"Who is the woman?" cried Mrs John.

"My dear, did this bring you home?"

"It did."

"Thank heaven!"

"What do you mean?"

"Why, I was so crowded with business that I have no time to write. I found in your desk a bundle of my old letters to you, written when we were first married. I thought I'd make them do while you were away."

It was now Mrs. Cook's turn to look shamefaced.

"Do you mean," she faltered, "that you ever wrote that—that kind of a letter to me?"

"Loads of them. And got the same kind from you."

"Oh, John, I was afraid"—

"Afraid of what?"

"That you had been made mad by the heat."

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HER GIFT OF MIMICRY.

Cissie Loftus Could Imitate Irving and Bernhardt Equally Well.

Walter Prichard Eaton in the American Magazine says in an article about famous mimics:

"In the days when Cissie Loftus was delighting vaudeville audiences with her imitations she used to give an imitation of Lillian Russell. Miss Russell countered by giving an imitation of Miss Loftus' imitation of her. But to an artist like Miss Loftus that presented no difficulties. She merely came back with an imitation of Miss Russell's imitation of her imitation of Miss Russell! The fair Lillian thereupon retired from an unequal contest.

"Cissie Loftus could imitate anybody. The present writer once heard her in the course of a casual conversation imitate most thrillingly Sir Henry Irving in a blank verse death scene. Then an imaginary curtain descended, and you heard Sir Henry, in a totally different voice (no less unmistakably his), inquiring in very Saxon prose, where the deuce were the red lights?

"Standing on the stage of a theater, without change of costume, with the flicker of a smile on her rather wistful face, she would range from Sarah Bernhardt to Ethel Barrymore, so that you almost gasped at the uncanny cleverness of it, and if you shut your eyes you could hardly believe that the actual persons were not present.

"Hers of course was an extraordinary gift of mimicry, and it brought her in $1,000 a week, much more probably than she could command as an actress."

A Clean Record.

"What makes Jinks so proud of his ancestors? I never heard any of them did anything."

"That's exactly the point. So many persons' ancestors did do things which got them into trouble with the police."—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

FOILING THE FLAMES:

Methods of Fire Prevention Should Be Studied In Every Home.

In bygone days the function of the chief of a fire department was merely to put out fires. Nowadays his duty is to prevent them.

Originally a fireman's work was defensive. Now it is also offensive. It attacks the cause.

Most fires are preventable. Individual carelessness is the chief cause. Education of the public—even involving punitive measures—is the remedy.

The simplest method of getting rid of fires is first to get rid of things that burn. "Cleanup days" are no novelty. They have undoubtedly reduced the fire loss ratio, but the very fact that there is need of an annual cleanup is proof that the public has not yet been rightly educated. Once a year is not often enough to wash the public's face or to brush its teeth and clean out its ears. This should be a daily task. Waste, rubbish and combustibles should not be allowed to accumulate.

The public education must go further. It should be carried into the home and should begin with the child.

A periodical lecture or talk given at least once a month in the public schools by a fireman in uniform would strike at the very root of the fire problem. An official in uniform always impresses a child, and his remarks and directions would carry the weight of authority. These lectures if illustrated by charts and diagrams would be more effective and would graphically present to the child mind not only the dangers of fire, but the methods of prevention and quick extinguishment.

In some cities juvenile police departments have been established with varied success, but a juvenile fire department, whether organized or merely existing in the educational equipment of children to prevent and extinguish fires, would be one of the most advanced steps taken toward the conservation of human life and property. —Insurance Press.

WOMEN'S AILMENTS

Come From the Heart and Nerves

Young girls budding into womanhood, who suffer with pains and headaches and whose face is pale and their blood watery, will find Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills build them up.

Women between the ages of 40 and 50, who are nervous, subject to hot flushes, feeling of pins and needles, smothering feeling, shortness of breath, palpitation of the heart, etc., are tided over this trying time of life by the use of this remedy.

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Mrs. Alfred Winter, Castor, Alta., writes: "I would like every woman who is suffering from nerves or heart trouble to know how much Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills have helped me. For two years I kept a hired girl and was doctoring all the time. After having taken four boxes of your pills I am able to do all my own work. I would especially recommend them to women between 40 and 50, as at that time they are more liable to be far from well. One of my neighbors knows how they helped me, and she is now using them."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50c, or three boxes for $1.25, at all dealers, or sent direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

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"Be easy," said a rich merchant to a fault finding son-in-law, who was perpetually pestering him with complaints of his wife's shortcomings. "As her behavior is so intolerable, I will alter my will and cut her off with a shilling." The old man heard no more of his daughter's failings.

Rise a Little Higher.

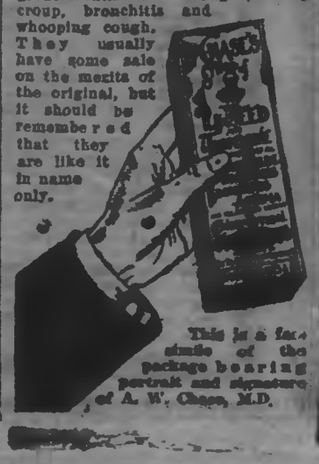
Those who live on the mountains have a longer day than those who live in the valleys. Sometimes all we need to brighten our day is to rise a little higher.

A man ought never to quarrel with a woman. He should bear her unreason in silence.—Napoleon.

Flattering to the Original

But Imitations Only Disappoint

There are many imitations of this great treatment for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis and whooping cough. They usually have some sale on the merits of the original, but it should be remembered that they are like it in name only.



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BATTLE OF CHAPULTEPEC.

It Was the Last Serious Conflict of Our War With Mexico.

Chapultepec is the name of a hill three miles southwest of the City of Mexico, rising about fifty feet above the surrounding plain. On it the Aztec monarchs are said to have made their summer home, and here in 1785 Galvez, then viceroy of Mexico, began to erect an imposing fortified castle, which, though never completed, was used after 1822 as a military school. In the war between Mexico and the United States the hill was strongly fortified by the Mexicans and was the scene, on Sept. 12 and 13, 1847, of the last serious conflict of the war.

After the battle of Molino del Rey, Sept. 8, General Scott planned a movement against Chapultepec and on the 12th opened a heavy bombardment, under cover of which, on the following day, Generals Pillow and Quitman, supported respectively by Generals Worth and Smith, made gallant assaults, the former carrying the fortifications on the west and the latter on the southeast. The Mexicans, after making a stubborn defense, were driven in confusion back toward the city. On the 14th the Americans entered the City of Mexico, and the war was virtually ended.

During the three days (Sept. 12, 13 and 14) the Americans lost 703 in killed and wounded, General Pillow being among the latter, while the Mexicans are known to have lost a much larger number. On the side of the Americans about 7,500 men were engaged and about 4,000 on the Mexican side.

INSECT INVENTORS.

Clever Things Done by Spiders, Bees, Wasps and Ants.

"The best commentary perhaps on such a sentence as 'The inventor is just a clairvoyant who translates his forecastings to castings' is that among our greatest inventors are the insects," writes James A. Ford in America. "As a warning reflection on human cleverness these insect inventors should not be forgotten. The wasp made excellent waterproof paper ages before man ever thought of doing so, and made it from wood pulp. We have been using that material only for a couple of generations.

"The bee and the wasp used hypodermic needles long before man ever thought of them, and the bee uses formic acid as an antiseptic to preserve its honey from fermentation.

"The spider made the first suspension bridge according to all the rules of the craft, and some spiders make excellent airships. One of them even makes a diving bell.

"The bee makes a wax that we cannot imitate.

"The silkworm is still the unrivaled manufacturer of silk.

"To these we might add the ant, which makes tunnels and subways; the mason bee, with its cement work, and the great peacock moth, which calls its kind from a distance by wireless telegraphy. But to complete the story we should have to reprint Henri Fabre's books."

Stomach Was Very Bad Much Dizziness and Pain

The Liver Got Out of Order and the Whole System Was Poisoned

When the course of the food through the alimentary canal is impeded by sluggish action of the liver or bowels the food remains undigested and as a result it ferments.

This gives rise to poisonous gases which crowd about the heart, and cause dizziness and choking sensations as well as irregular action of the heart.

The liver struggles to remove the poisons from the blood, becomes enlarged, and finally fails, allowing the poisons to pass on to every part of the human system. Complications arise, and there is Bright's disease, hardening of the arteries and apoplexy.

The earlier derangements of the digestive system are such as are described by this letter from Mr. Rochon. He also points the way to cure by use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.

Mr. Louis Rochon, R. R. No. 11, Ottawa, Ont., writes: "For about seven months my stomach was very bad. I was troubled with dizziness, and had gas on the stomach and awful pains in the right side. The liver seemed to be out of order so I began using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. This treatment seemed to be just exactly what I needed and before the first box was all used I was cured, and feeling as well as ever. I also used Dr. Chase's Nerve Food when feeling weak and suffering from nervous headache, and was soon restored to good health. I am proud of Dr. Chase's medicines, and recommend them above any doctor's medicines."

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one pill a dose, twenty-five cents a box, all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

A Clause in Napoleon's Will.

Peter the Great is said to have made a will in which he exhorted his heirs to approach as nearly as possible to Constantinople and toward India, but the authenticity of this document has been disputed, and it is shrewdly suspected to have been forged late in the eighteenth century by August Kotzebue.

Of the genuineness, however, of the last will and testament of Napoleon I. there can be no manner of doubt. One of its clauses was as vindictive as the testamentary injunction of Queen Austrigilda to her husband to have her two doctors killed and buried with her. The exile of Longwood absolutely bequeathed 10,000 francs to a fellow called Cantillon, who had been tried in Paris for an attempt to murder the Duke of Wellington. The man was still surviving in Brussels when Napoleon III. came to the throne, and Cantillon was duly paid his legacy.

THE BURDEN OF OIL.

The kidneys seem to be about the first organs to wear out and fail to properly perform their work. The result is weak, aching back, rheumatic pains and failing strength. Many people of advanced years have recovered health and comfort by using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. They ensure the healthful action of liver, kidneys and bowels.

Old Leather Bottles.

Leather bottles, or blackjacks, were common in Europe two centuries ago. The bottles were often made of the skin doubled up and closely stitched together, leaving an aperture for the neck. The stopper was made of wood, horn or old leather. A good deal of care was required in the preparation of the leather, which had to be oiled and worked with hammers to make it supple and then washed with a lye so that all the impurity was entirely removed, leaving the leather clean and dry. No moisture or air had any effect on it.

CALIBER OF A GUN.

What the Term Means as Applied to Artillery and Small Arms.

Confusion as to the meaning of the term caliber arises chiefly from its use as an adjective to indicate length, as when we say "a 50 caliber six inch gun." The word caliber as applied to artillery signifies the diameter of the bore of a gun measured diametrically from face to face of the bore, of course somewhat larger.

A gun, then, of six inch caliber is a gun whose bore is just six inches. For convenience and because the power of a gun when once its bore has been decided upon depends so greatly upon its length artillerists are in the habit of stating the length of the gun in terms of the caliber.

Thus the twelve inch United States naval gun, which is forty feet in length, is spoken of as a 40 caliber twelve inch, the length being just forty times the bore. The six inch rapid fire gun is a trifle under twenty-five feet in length and is therefore known as a 50 caliber gun.

In the case of small arms the caliber is expressed in hundredths of an inch, as when we say a 22 caliber revolver we mean one with a bore that has a diameter of twenty-two one-hundredths of an inch.

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MILITARISM IN U. S.

ROME, via Paris, Jan. 17.— In a strongly worded editorial, the Messagero says, "President Wilson preaches pacificism, but under his administration the greatest military programme, surpassing even that of Germany, has been passed. America is preparing to become the second naval power in the world. American imperialism, after Cuba, the Philippines and the Sandwich Islands and Panama is now looking at Canada to the north and Mexico to the south."

INFLAMMATORY RHEUMATISM PERMANENTLY CURED

NEW BRUNSWICK LADY GIVES FULL PARTICULARS OF HER RECOVERY.

There are many types of rheumatism, but none worse than inflammatory.

It was this kind that almost killed Mrs. Edw. Warman, of Kent Jct., N.B.

Every known remedy she tried, different doctors gave their advice, but the disease increased.

Weak and despairing, she was at her wits' end when the remarkable cure of Thos. Cullen was published. This gentleman was cured of rheumatism by "Ferrozone." Consequently Mrs. Warman used the same remedy. Here is her statement:

"For five years I have been rheumatic. I tried various forms of relief without success. The disease increased, settled in my joints, and muscles; these swelled, caused excruciating pain and kept me from sleeping. My limbs and arms stiffened, my shoulders were lame and prevented me from working. Week by week I was losing strength and despaired of finding a cure. It was a happy day I heard of Ferrozone. Every day I took Ferrozone I felt better; it eased the painful joints, gave me energy and a feeling of new life.

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TRUSTEES ELECTED FOR HASTINGS PUBLIC SCHOOL

HASTINGS, Jan. 17.—At the annual meeting of the Public School the trustees elected were as follows:

Chairman, B. F. Doxsee, Secretary Treasurer, H. B. Wilson; F. Dodd, Wm. Hill, A. P. Parsons and Joe Carter.

Separate School trustees for 1917 are as follows: A. B. Spellman, chairman; John Coughlin, Sec. Treas. John Jones, R. Walsh, H. Lambert, and Jas. Logan.

Mr. Thos. Hill of Peterborough, spent Sunday under the parental roof.

Mr. C. Pue of S, Monaghan visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Fife last week.

The standing of the pupils in the Senior Department of the Public School for the month of December is as follows:

4th Class—Stanley Stevenson, Reta Dodd, Christie Hatherly, B. Richardson, Willie Whitred, F. Scriver, Cecil Whitred.

Sr. 3—Mary Spooner, Roland Jones Winnie Eager, Arthur Dodd, Joyce Richardson, Viola Stewart, W. Taylor, Lila Dodd, Mabel Stewart, and M. Huyck (equal); Bryant Scriver, Frank Scott, Walter Whitred, A. Langley, Ormond Cruickshanks.

Jr. III — Clifford Baker, Arthur Parker, Kathleen Simpson, Clifford Hess, John McMillan, Percy Carter, L. Kennedy, Keith Kennedy.

Sr. II.—Beryl Hill and A. Wilson (even), Everett Hess, Arnold Parsons Muriel Cruickshanks, M. Taylor, Norma Anderson, Rosy Langley, Helen Dodd, Walter Dodd, Cecil Waye, Albert Parker.

Enrollment 42. Average, 41—J. G. Staples, Principal.

The members of the I.O.D.E. feel very grateful to the citizens who so liberally responded to their appeal for a monthly contribution for the purpose of providing socks and other comforts for the boys at the front. January parcels will be packed on Wednesday, Jan. 17.

The Council for 1917 met in the hall on Monday, 8th, with Reeve W. M. Fowlds, Councillors C. R. Fowlds, P. M. Howard, J. J. English and C. B. Plant present.

Moved and seconded that Mr. A. Wilson be clerk, with a salary of $100, and that John Coughlan be assessor at a salary of $50.

H. B. Wilson and E. M. Tate were also appointed auditors at a salary of $5.00.

A committee was appointed to make arrangements for constable and caretaker of the hall.

Misses Helen and Mary Waddell have returned to Toronto after a two weeks' visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Waddell.

Misses Daisy and Annie Brooks have returned from a pleasant visit with Toronto friends.

Rev. Isaac Snell attended the executive meeting of the District Epworth League held in Campbellford on Tuesday.

The members of the Town Council were entertained at the home of Reeve Fowlds on Wednesday evening last.

Quite a number of our people attended the dinner given by the congregation of the Methodist church in Norwood on Friday evening and report a most enjoyable outing.

Miss Corneill, of Havelock, has been the guest of her brother, Mr. Corneill, town.

Mrs. Alex. Greenley is in Toronto visiting her son, Everett.

Mrs. C. Plant is holidaying with friends in Lakefield.

Mr. Jas. Stevenson shipped a large consignment of live stock to the Montreal markets on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Thistlewaite, of Dummer, Sask., are visiting friends in Hastings and vicinity.

Our enterprising barber, Mr. M. Cooper, has opened up a branch barber business in Roseneath, leaving Mr. F. Dodd in charge of the local trade.

Our merchants are busy at their annual stock-taking.

A Meal in a Moment.
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St. Louis receives more raw furs direct form trappers and traders than does any fur market in the world.

The British navy now employs a life raft made in the shape of a huge doughnut.

BRITAIN'S WELFARE BODY.

The Ministry of Munitions Is Improving the Lot of Workers.

Under the caption "War and Welfare," the British Intelligence Service approved recently the following news article:

"The British Ministry of Munitions has started a Welfare Department. The other day I paid a call at a very old and respectable mansion in a very old and aristocratic quarter. I climbed up the backstairs to what I fancy, from the pattern of the Victorian wallpaper, must have been the housekeeper's bedroom in years gone by, and there I found a table and two chairs and a telephone and a friend ready to give a few minutes of his time to tell about the Welfare Department. That small upper room is the cradle of what will be revolution in English life after the war.

"Under the Munitions of War act the British Minister has power to give directions as to conditions of work. The new department is going to take charge of these conditions and see that they are enforced. The most important matters that will come under its sway will be the provision of clean and sanitary workrooms, facilities for securing good food under wholesome conditions, the arrangement of hours and shifts of reasonable length with rest intervals and opportunity of recreation, the examination into wages questions with a view not only to maintaining a fair rate of wages, but to see that the wages earned and paid are sufficient for proper subsistence.

"One point, regarded as important, is that an endeavour is to be made to bring the amenities of factory life nearer to the standard which men and women coming from respectable homes have a right to demand."

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LOCAL WEEKLY MARKET REPORT

For some time potatoes have been selling steadily around $2.40 a bag, but with the advance of winter, and the decrease of supplies the price is expected to gradually strengthen. There has been already a tendency in that direction but it has not yet become general. Out of town markets report increased wholesale prices and general markets may be expected to show this trend in the near future.

Hogs this week are close to 13c a lb. The local price is $12.75, and Toronto reports $13.50 off cars.

RECORD SWINE PRICES STILL BEING PAID IN TORONTO.

Prices that have established a record in a season of high quotations for commodities are now being paid on the Toronto hog market, and there is no indication that there will be an immediate decline, says The Sun. The dealings on the first two markets of this week were not extensive, but the prices held steady. The fed and watered price was $13.25 and on the off car basis, $13.50 was paid. There is a strong demand for hogs, and prices on the other Canadian markets are closely in line with Toronto prices. The supply of hogs on the market is getting larger from week to week, and is now close to 14,000. If increases in the volume of shipments are continued the prices are bound to drop. Shipments are considered to be fairly heavy when 18,000 or 19,000 hogs are marketed in a week. At the present rate of progress this rate will be reached again in a very short time, and it must be figured that present prices are very attractive to the hog breeders, and that they will naturally be anxious to take advantage of the present price levels while they last. For the first half of this week, however, the hog market maintained a firm tone.

PROVISIONS.

Butter and eggs remain unchanged this week and cheese is colorless. (With few exceptions prices have changed but little since before the first of the year.

KEENE NEWS

KEENE, Jan. 17.—Mrs. Peter Hewie visited friends in Peterborough a few days last week.

Messrs. Byers and Moore attended the hockey match at Peterborough last Tuesday night.

Mrs. R. N. Johnston spent a few days last week with friends at Peterborough.

The officers and teachers of the Methodist Sunday School entertained the members of the school and their parents at the Town Hall last Wednesday night the evening was spent at all kinds of games after which a sumptuous repast was served, a most enjoyable time was had by all who attended.

The Farmers Institute was held Tuesday owing to the change in the name on bills, not a very large crowd were in attendance.

Mrs. John McFee was called to Peterborough last Friday on the account of the death of her aunt, Mrs. Brownlee.

Mr. Dennis Roche who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Roche the past two weeks has returned to his home at Toronto.

Miss Annie Smith who has been spending the past two weeks with friends in Harvey returned home on Saturday.

Mrs. William Nelson spent Saturday in Peterborough.

Mr. George McCartney of Bethany was a guest at the home of Mr. James McNeil the week end.

Mr. Patrick Roche who has been quite ill the past week we are pleased to report is improving nicely.

The Keene skating rink was opened on Saturday night and a large crowd were present to enjoy the sport.

Mr. Frank Brown was in Keene over the week end.

Mr. Wilfred Fletcher has accepted a position with the Keene Toronto Bank.

Mr. R. J. Brown, was in Peterborough Monday on business.

Miss Lillian Moore of Peterborough spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. J. J. Moore.

Mr. Harold Roche was called home on Tuesday on the account of the illness of his father, Mr. P. Roche.

Mr. David Tucker has accepted a position with R. H. Campbell.

About 200 attended the Red Cross meeting held in the Town Hall on Friday evening. The speakers, Judge Huycke and Major O'Flynn of Peterborough were given the closest attention. Miss Telgmann was present and rendered several fine selections on the violin, which was much appreciated.

A new school house will be built in Keene this year. Mr. James McNeil kindly donated two thousand dollars towards the new building.

A most enjoyable time was spent at the home of Mr. James Richardson last Tuesday evening when about 100 guests tripped the light fantastic until the "wee sma" hours.

Mrs. Mara of Lakefield is the guest of her sister, Miss Agnes Lumdsen.

Miss Jean O'Neil was the guest of Mis Pearl McCann over the week end.

Miss Sadie Johnston was the week end guest of Miss Hazel McFee.

EXAMINER PATTERN SERVICE

LADY'S FUR SET.

By Anabel Worthington.

In the history of women's clothes fur never reached such heights as it has this season, and the woman who has not a fur set or a set trimmed with fur for wear when the mercury drops will be cast out into utter darkness by Madame Mode. It is not necessary to have expensive furs; pieces from an old scarf that is not quite up to the mark for use this winter or parts of a discarded muff may be used effectively with plush, velvet or Angora cloth and give you cause to feel on good terms with yourself, from the style standpoint.

No. 8,065 shows a very becoming set that is easy to make and that will be prized by the possessor for its artistic charm as well as for the joy of its comfort giving qualities. The scarf is distinctly pleasing in its cut and if made of velvet or plush may be interlined with wool or cotton wadding, and the melon shape muff may have a similar lining when a muff bed is not used. In moleskin plush this set would be very effective—or in high pile velvet if rabbit or other fur contribute its share. Angora cloth, Arabian lambskin, or even corduroy, may also be used with satisfaction.

The pattern of No. 8,065 cuts in ONE size only. To make the scarf requires 1¼ yards 13 inch or wider fur for the outside and 1⅛ yards 19 inch lining; for the muff alone ⅞ yard 18 inch or wider fur for the outside and the same for the lining. For scarf and muff 1⅝ yards 19 inches for the outside and 1⅛ yards 19 inches for the lining.

To obtain the pattern send 20 cents to the office of this publication.

When ordering remember to give your name and address as well as the number and size of pattern required, and age of a child.

Price 15 cents, or 3 for 35 cents.

Address—The Examiner Pattern Service, The Examiner, Peterborough.

$DOLLAR$ DAY$

THE EXAMINER DOLLAR DAY

The Day when the Dollar Bill talks louder in Peterboro Stores than any other day in the year. This Year it will be held on

THURSDAY, JAN. 25

About 50 of the principal stores in the City are participating, and are busy preparing the best list of bargains they can possibly find in their splendid stocks, and shoppers will certainly appreciate the extremely varied offerings such a large array of stores will assure. As usual the big lish of Cash Bonuses is a liberal one, as the Merchants are giving away

CASH $175 PRIZES

This money will be Given Away in this way:—With every Dollar Purchase on that day, an Estimating Blank will be given to the purchaser. You will fill in your name and address, and a number representing your estimate on the following question.]

Estimate the Number of these Blanks that will be filled in and dropped into the Ballo Box at "The Examiner Office" by 10:15 p.m. on Dollar Day.

The nearest correct estimate will be awarded the 1st Prize of $25; 2nd $20; 3rd $15 and so on.

56 CASH PRIZES

Nearest correct estimate, 1st prize	$25.00
Next nearest Correct estimate, 2nd prize	20.00
Next nearest Correct estimate, 3rd prize	15.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 4th prize	10.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 5th prize	10.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 6th prize	5.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 7th prize	5.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 8th prize	5.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 9th prize	5.00
Next nearest Correct estimate, 10th prize	5.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 11th prize	5.00
Next 5 nearest correct estimates, 5 prizes, each	3.00
Next 10 nearest correct estimates, 10 prizes, each	2.00
Next 30 nearest correct estimates, 30 prizes, each	1.00

For your guidance in estimating, we might say that The Examiner is printing and distributing to the Merchants, for use on Dollar Day, 30,000 blanks, and it is only necessary to estimate what number each purchaser thinks will be used on the great day. Should any store run short of blanks, The Examiner will print more, so that the number printed might reach as high as 50,000. The number of estimates put in the last $ Day Campaign was in the neighbourhood of 9,000. With this information, an estimate can be made before coming to town. Of course as many estimates can be made as the purchaser has blanks, and they will get one with every Dollar purchase they make.

Make up your mind what and where you want to buy and come to Peterborough on Thursday, January 25th, expecting the greatest economy shopping event of your lives.

Railway Rates

Parties of Ten coming from any point in Peterboro County on Thursday, January 25th, Dollar Day, can secure a rate of fare and one-third by making application to their local station agent.

See the List of Stores which will be Printed Complete, and Watch their windows and Special Announcements just previous to Dollar Day.

You can recognize all the Stores where DOLLAR SPECIALS are being given by the RED LETTERED PENNANTS IN THEIR WINDOWS.

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GRANT SIX

If you are in the market for a six-cylinder car, be sure and see the Grant Six, at PULKINGHORN'S AUTO AND TAXI LIVERY.

'Phone 278. Res. 'Phone 1141.

The Teutons Are Driven Out Of Braila
The Canadians Make Brilliant Advances

BRAILA EVACUATED BY THE TEUTONS
KAISER'S MEN BEATEN ON BOTH WINGS

Petrograd Announces Another Russian Success in Roumania---Braila Has Been Abandoned By the Germans---All Imprisoned Adherents of Former Premier Venizelos Will Be Released By the Greek Government---German Reconnaissance on the Meuse Repulsed.

A SUMMARY OF TO-DAY'S WAR CABLES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, January 18. — The defeat of the German forces on both wings and the evacuation by the Teutons of Braila, in Roumania, was announced in Petrograd despatches to-day.

ATHENS, January 18. — The release of all imprisoned adherents of former-Premier Venizelos was announced as completed to-day.

From the above despatch it appears that the Greek Government is finally according complete agreement to the Allied demands.

PARIS (French Official Communique), January 18.—9 series of reconnaissances by the Germans on the heights of the Meuse, following a three-hours' bombardment, were repulsed. The night was quiet along the entire front.

Roumanian Forces Win Local Engagement

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.

PETROGRAD, January 18.—Roumanian forces surrounded a height occupied by German troops southwest of Pralea, Roumania, and took a great number of prisoners and four machine guns, said the War Office to-day.

200 Lost in the Sinking of Steamer

Special to The Examiner:

LONDON, January 18.—The loss of two hundred persons in the torpedoing of the Russian steamer Skiftet on December 15, was reported from Copenhagen [illegible].

New War Minister Appointed in Russia

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, January 18.—The appointment of General Beliseff as Minister of War and General Chouvaieff as Counsellor of Empire, was announced to-day.

General Chouvaieff is transferred from the War Ministry by the change announced above. He was appointed to this place on March 29, 1916. In his new position he becomes one of the Board of General Ministry who control the Government but who are without specific portfolios.

AMSTERDAM, January 18.—Berlin has just announced that a submarine has returned with a record of sinking sixteen ships, despatches from the German capital said to-day.

Hon. Dr. Beland To Be Released By Germans As Exchange Prisoner

OTTAWA, Jan. 18. — Britain and Germany have arranged for an exchange of all civil prisoners above the age of forty-five. The news comes to Ottawa in a letter to Sir Wilfrid Laurier from Ambassador Spring-Rice, informing him that Dr. Beland, a member of the Canadian Parliament, is about to be released.

Dr Beland was in Belgium on his honeymoon when war broke out. He gave his medical services to wounded Belgian soldiers and civilians, and staying behind after the Belgian army retreated, became a prisoner. He has been held prisoner for two years.

It is expected that he will take his seat in the Canadian House before the close of the session which opens this week.

Housewives' Boycott Cost Produce Dealers $75,000 at Christmas

Turkeys Held Over After Holiday Have Dropped in Price.

TORONTO, Jan. 18. — A dozen produce dealers in this city and Hamilton are said to have lost about $75,000 on Christmas turkeys. American buyers, foreseeing a shortage in the United States, came to Canada and outbid the local men. High prices were then demanded by Canadian dealers in this and other cities. The Housewives' League of Toronto and other places responded to the dealers' demand of 45 cents, with a refusal to pay more than 35 cents, and as a result thousands of turkeys were carried over and are selling to-day at 25 and 28 cents per pound.

BAND TO-NIGHT

Positively the BEST ice in the City. Band in attendance to-night. Sacred Heart Rink. Admission 10c.

PRODUCES TWO NEW MINERALS

Examiner Special:

OTTAWA, Jan. 18.—Canada is producing two new minerals as a direct result of the war, according to a statement made by Mr. Adams, town planning commissioner, at a meeting of the commission on conservation. One is magnesium, which is now being used to make star shells for the Canadians on the western front, and the other ferro-molybdenum, which is now being exported both to Britain and Russia.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

Examiner Special:

TORONTO, Jan. 18. — Live stock receipts light, trade slow. Heavy steers, $9.75 to $10.50. Choice butcher, $9.25 to $10.00. Choice butcher bulls, $7.50 to $8.25. Hogs, fed and watered, $14. Others unchanged.

ST. PETERS PATRIOTIC CLUB BOXES, WERE WELCOMED BY BOYS

Received in Good Condition and at Opportune Time—Acknowledgments from Soldiers Who Express Appreciation of the Gift.

A BATCH OF LETTERS

That the Christmas boxes sent from St. Peter's Patriotic Club are giving much pleasure to the boys in the trenches is shown by the letters received daily by Mrs. Lehane, Secretary of the club. One of the boys, Pte. J. Cadigan, "Somewhere in France," said in his letter: "The mail bag is the most cheering thing in the British Army," as no matter how blue, wet, or tired the boys are "it seems to cheer us up to receive a parcel, letter, or even a post card from across the sea."

Another of the boys, Lieut. R. E. Picard, writes: "In this business one gets many surprises, and none greater or more pleasant than to receive a Christmas remembrance from St. Peter's Patriotic Club."

Pte. Henry Richardson writes from the trenches that the best way he can express his gratitude is by doing his bit to keep the Huns from our beautiful city; and he hopes the war will be over and that he will be back in dear old Canada by Xmas 1917; he also hopes we will be able to keep the "Home Fires Burning" till the boys come home.

Sergt. Harold Morrow writes that he was delighted with the very useful box sent from St. Peter's Club and wishes to all the members a happy and prosperous year in 1917.

A card just received from Pte. Chris. McGrath states that he received parcel and that he will send a letter later on.

Sergt. J. H. Desautel, writing from Bramshott Hospital, where he has undergone a severe operation, says: "It was a pleasant surprise to receive a parcel from St. Peter's Patriotic Club, as I did not expect to be remembered by the Peterborough societies when I did not enlist there."

Lance-Corporal A. Picard writes from the Freemason's Hospital, Fulham Road, England: "The parcel you sent me was very nice, and I can assure you the boys who will receive one in the trenches will be more than delighted to get it."

Driver W. J. Begley, who is in England, where he says they are working hard every day from 6 a.m. till 6 p.m. "Practising Action," referring to his Christmas box from St. Peter's Patriotic Club says:

"I have great pleasure in acknowledging your very welcome Christmas parcel, and I must say good judgment was shown in the packing, as everything was in perfect condition, and also very useful, particularly the tobacco."

The boys are all very grateful to the members of the club, and as St. Peter's sent 116 boxes overseas it is very gratifying to know they are being received so promptly, and that they are helping to brighten the hours in the trenches. Would it not be a good idea to let the spirit of Christmas be repeated oftener while the boys are away.

MRS. ALFRED LEHANE,
Secretary.

Mark Street Choir Has Good Male Singers

Mark street Methodist church choir has been developing a very capable male section. On Sunday night last they accepted the entire work, providing an unusual and pleasing feature. A male quartette composed of Messrs. James Locke, J. Iredale, F. Pratt and John Speers sang "A Perfect Day" very effectively.

HAVE YOU BEEN THINKING

Of having your eyes attended to? You think that that headache and pains in the head are caused from defective eyes, not necessarily defective vision? Then why not make sure? Because, if it is your eyes they only grow worse with delay. See Dr. Lacey and See Better. 410 George St.

Peterborough Boy Is Decorated By General With Military Medal

Lance Corp'l. Bruce Blanchard Honoured for Bravery—Medal is Pinned on his Breast by Brigadier General Harston —More 93rd Officers and Men are now in France—Recruiting Rally will be held in Havelock—To-days Orders and General Military News.

Mrs. W. H. Blanchard, of Peterborough, wife of Capt. W. H. Blanchard, on active service overseas, has received the following letter from her son, Lance-Corp. Bruce Blanchard, of the 21st Battalion who, as announced in the Examiner some time ago, won the Military Medal at the front:

31 Halston Rr.,
Greenwich, S.E.

My Dear Mother—

I spent a night with father before he went back to the front, and intended to see him off the next morning, but there were no cars running, so after getting up at 6 o'clock, I was stung after all. Father looks well. He is getting quite gray, but is in the best of health and I think some stouter than when I saw him last.

Well, mother, I was decorated yesterday. Brigadier General Harston pinned on the medal. First they formed a square of all the men and N.C.O.'s and then read my name out. Well, believe me, I would rather be back bombing than to have a walk into that square again. The Brigadier pinned the medal on and wished me all kinds of luck and also said he would be pleased to grant me any favour that was in his power. He also said that it was an honour for him to pin any medal on to anybody for bravery, and he took pleasure in doing so. He had Underwood and Underwood of New York take the picture of him pinning the medal on and I took dandy. I will send you one when they finish them, and it is also going to be in "Canada" in the near future. "Canada" is a book dealing with Canadian soldiers, and you see that is some honour.

Well, mother, I do not know what to write about, as I think I have put in all the news I know of. I hope all at home are well and in the best of health, as it leaves me at present.

Your loving son,
BRUCE.

Wm. Andrew Ryder, of Bowmanville, became a member of the 247th Battalion to-day. He is the first recruit to be secured in that district for the local unit.

A recruiting meeting in aid of the 247th Battalion will be held at Havelock to-morrow night. The band of the 247th Battalion will provide music. Major O'Flynn will speak.

To-day's Orders.

Regimental Orders, Part 1, No. 15.

Peterborough, Ont., Jan. 17, 1917.

Daily orders by Lieutenant-Colonel C. H. Ackerman, Commanding 247th Bn., C.E.F.:

Orders for Thursday, January 18, 1917:

1. Leave of Absence.—Lieut. W. T. Nugent, Hqs., is granted leave of absence from noon, January 17, 1917, until 6 p.m., January 25, 1917.

2. Duties. — Orderly officer for Thursday, January 18, 1917, Lieut. T. Quinn; next for duty, Lieut. R. B. Brooks.

A. E. Brittain, Lieut.,
Adjutant 247th O.S. Bn., C.E.F.

A letter received by Mrs. R. P. Watt of Peterborough from her husband, Major R. P. Watt, of the 93rd Battalion, states that Major Watt is now in France, where he is attached to the 19th Canadian Battalion. Major Watt's brother, Lieut. Jack Watt, who also went over with the 93rd, has been with the 19th Battalion for some time. Lt.-Col. Johnston is also attached to the 18th Battalion while Major K. G. Lech is with the 27th Winnipeg Battalion.

Ottawa, Jan. 17.—In the fortnight ending Jan. 15th 3,536 recruits were enlisted for the Canadian overseas forces. This is an increase of 1,036 over the preceding two weeks.

The Ottawa and Kingston division heads the list with 1,003; Toronto comes second with 505, and Montreal third with 404.

The aggregate enlistment since the war began is 387,409, made up divisionally as follows:

London, 31,568; Toronto, 85,889; Ottawa-Kingston, 42,207; Montreal, 34,318; Quebec, 7,756; Maritime Provinces, 35,158; Manitoba, 78,846; British Columbia, 39,079; Saskatchewan 939; Alberta, 34,659.

Saskatchewan was only recently created into a separate division. Previously it was merged with Manitoba The total of 78,846 credited in the official figures to Manitoba was in part contributed by Saskatchewan.

Harry Hampton, who yesterday was listed as wounded, is an Ontario boy who joined the 3rd C.M.R. at Medicine Hat shortly after war was declared and went overseas with his regiment in June, 1915. His father lives at Lakefield.

Toronto, Jan. 17.—Mrs. Geo. Tutton, of 76 Defoe street, after being officially informed that her son, Pte. George ("Harry") Tutton, was wounded Oct. 8th, received no further notification. On Dec. 26th she wrote Canada's Premier, and two days later received a personal reply. "Your letter of the 26th is at hand. I am directing the attention of the Minister of Militia, Hon A. E. Kemp, to your enquiry, and asking him to let you have any information that may be available. R. L. Borden." At 11 o'clock last night a telegram arrived from military headquarters stating that Pte. G. H. Tutton was wounded and missing since Oct. 8th.

Pte. Tutton was born in Port Hope, Ont., seventeen years ago. He went overseas from Brockville with the 59th Battalion in March last. His father, Pte. George Tutton, enlisted from Toronto with the 95th Battalion, and a brother, Pte. Jack Tutton, nineteen years of age, left with the 93rd (Peterboro) Battalion. Pte. G. H. Tutton is a member of St. Mark's Anglican Church, Port Hope.

JUMPED FROM SCHOOL WINDOW

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

HAMILTON, Jan. 18. — Fearing that he was about to be whipped for disobedience, John Witherspoon, aged nine, jumped from the second storey window of the Picton Street Public School, this morning. Miss Ferguson, his teacher, rushed out expecting to find a corpse. The lad sustained a compound fracture of the right leg, but seemed to be otherwise uninjured.

Startling Disclosures

They Are Giving Away Real Money at the Tiz-It Theatre

On Friday night, the 19th, will be seen one of the finest programmes ever witnessed, consisting of photo plays with Grace Cunard and Francis Ford and several others. Also the Jones Children in a new, first-class vaudeville act and illustrated singing.

And look further — we are giving money. We are placing in envelopes several one dollar bills of real money. As you come in you will be given an envelope. Some will have dollar bills and some will not. We are giving you a 50 cent show for 10 cents and you stand a chance of getting a one dollar bill for coming. So come and take a try for this money.

Remember, this is no fake. We always give what we advertise.

HEAR MISS LAURA HUGHES TO-NIGHT AT THE COLLEGIATE INST.

Miss Laura Hughes, one of Canada's prominent women, will give an address at the Collegiate Institute Assembly Hall to-night on the subject of the enfranchisement of women. She is an able speaker, and has gained a wide and well-merited reputation for the keen interest she has shown in women's participation in public affairs. It is expected that there will be a large attendance to hear her. This is Miss Hughes' first visit to Peterborough. There is no admission fee for to-night's lecture.

STILL GOING ON EVERY DAY

E. V. Warne's closing-out sale of Jewelry, Watches, etc. $5000 worth, selling at auction prices. 3d-15

Canadians Triumph In Daring Advance

LIST OF RAIDER'S VICTIMS INCREASED BY LATEST REPORTS

At Least Twenty-four Allied or Neutral Vessels Have Been Sunk or Captured by German Raider in the South Atlantic

SURVIVORS COMPLAIN

(By Charles P. Stewart.)
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BUENOUS AIRES, Jan. 18.— The list of victim vessels of the new German raider who swept the Atlantic during the past month was raised to 24 to-day, with the possibility that it may reach 28.

Two more merchantmen, one British and one French, are missing. They have probably been captured or sunk by the Teutonic sea raider, it is believed here. In addition to the 23 vessels accounted for yesterday, it was definitely established to-day that the Japanese steamer Hudson Maru was included among the raider's prizes. Survivors landed from the Japanese vessel also told the first connected story of the operations of the raider to-day. The German raider is not only still at large, but she is plentifully supplied with food and fuel taken from her score and more of captures. The Germans adopted the greatest precautions in guarding their plans from the hundreds of prisoners taken aboard her prizes. The survivors were closely confined below decks, and so numerous that this cooping up forced severe hardships. Moreover, the food served them was utterly inadequate. All the survivors were bitter in their complaint of ill-treatment.

Survivors declare that the raider always used Danish or British flags, unless she was close to her victim, when she ran up the German ensign.

It is believed here that the activities of the British navy will soon put an end to the raider's depredations.

There are still from 300 to 500 members of the crews of the sunken vessels unaccounted for and they may be lost.

Four fast cruisers, including the famous Glasgow, which took part in the Coronel battle two years ago, are understood to be leading the hunt for the raider. A Japanese cruiser is steaming northward from Punta Arenas to join in the chase. In addition to the Glasgow, the British warships seeking the raider are understood to be the Vindictive, Orama and Edinburgh Castle.

Several Changes Are In Prospect On George Street

Upper Storeys of Buildings Now Occupied by the Bank of Nova Scotia to Be Turned into Apartments

Several changes in the heart of the business district are in prospect. Chief among them is the transfer of the offices of the Prudential Life Assurance Company to the second floor of the large and commodious premises now occupied by the Royal Bank at the corner of George and Hunter streets. It is understood that the Company will occupy the entire second floor of the building.

NEW APARTMENTS.

An architect from Toronto is in the city looking over the premises now occupied by the Bank of Nova Scotia with a view of converting the upper stories into apartments. This will mean a complete reconstruction of the upper part of the building and the installation of modern equipment.

MOVING THE STOCK.

Work on the building formerly occupied by the Royal Bank on Hunter street is being rushed to completion and Mr. R. J. Soden who is to occupy the premises has begun to move his large stock of goods from the George street store. The latter will be occupied by the clothing store of Merrell and Meredith while the Woolworth Company will take in the store now occupied by the Merrell and Meredith Company, thereby doubling their present floor space.

Enter German Trenches on a Front of Seven Hundred Yards and Penetrate to a Depth of Three Hundred Yards as far as the Second Line.

A SPLENDID SUCCESS

WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES IN FRANCE, Jan. 17 (via London, Jan. 18, from a Staff Correspondent of the Associated Press).—In the grey half light of late mid-winter dawn and in the swirl of a cloud-like snowstorm which had lasted through the night a Canadian contingent of the British troops raided nearly a thousand yards of the German trenches north of Arras this morning. Besides inflicting heavy losses they came back with one hundred prisoners, one of them being a company commander, and former assistant professor of chemistry at Strassburg.

CAPTURE GERMAN MORTARS

As a raid to-day's attack establishes a record for the proceedings in the Somme sector in the last week, which netted three hundred prisoners in what have been classed in the official communications as "minor operations." In addition to a big haul of prisoners the booty to-day included two machine guns, which were found chained to the ground, and one trench mortar. The Germans have been using these mortars in lively fashion against the Canadians recently, and while it required a great effort to drag it back over the snow-covered No Man's Land the capture of this particular weapon gave the greatest satisfaction.

SECOND DAY-LIGHT RAID.

This was the second day-light raid carried out by the Canadians, the first resulting in the capture of sixty prisoners. It was marked by many of the same features that characterize all such daring and successful undertakings, except in this instance there was no marked increase in the preliminary bombardment, for the guns, which had been going steadily for eight days in this neighbourhood had cut to ribbons the much-vaunted protective barb-wire entanglements. It was just after dawn that the British barrage began to sweep over nearly four hundred yards of No Man's Land that separated the front trenches. As it formed its curtain shield of bursting shells the Canadians went "over the top." On either flank of smoke barrage had been flung out.

THEIR LOSSES SLIGHT.

Thus sheltered by the artillery the Canadians trudged forward, almost gaily, through the snow. It was like a touch of home to them. They encountered comparatively little resistance and a very light machine gun fire, and in little more than an hour they had cleaned out two lines of trenches and returned to their own lines with their prisoners and booty. The British losses were exceedingly light, and all the casualties were brought home. The prisoners were mostly Silesians and Poles, one of them having been a waiter in a popular London hotel before the war.

The Germans may have suspected that an attack was imminent from the heavy artillery fire of the past week, for their assembly trenches were well

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Hear Eva L. Ward tell of her two year's experience entertaining the Tommies at the Trenches with rapid blackboard sketches, in Collegiate Hall, Monday Evg., Jan. 22, under auspices of The Women Teachers' Guild, for Patriotic purposes. Tickets 25c. 2d-m-s-12

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CONCILIATION AND COMPULSION.

In every human relation, between families and in business relations, between employees and employers there is inevitably bound to be friction. In all these cases, the best way of arriving at a settlement, is quiet consultation, conducted with a spirit of conciliation. If a family disagreement were aired amongst neighbours the prospects of the "making up" which nearly always comes, would be destroyed and the divergence of opinion or demand would be fatally widened.

In like manner the disagreements that are bound to arise between employers and employees, in which it is possible for both to be a little right and both a little wrong, there is call for calm councils and counsels. Conciliation on both sides, may induce mutually satisfactory settlement; while a coercive or defiant attitude on both or even one side may, and in the majority of cases will, defeat the object, it is the interest of both parties concerned, to reach.

Coercion and compulsion are repugnant to human nature and result from arrogant assertion of rights or privileges of which no one side to any controversy has a monopoly. In labour disputes coercion is deprecated. A deputation of labour men asked Premier Borden for the repeal of the Lemieux industrial disputes and investigation act, for the reason, among others, that it had objectionable compulsory features. If their claim is correct; if the act, intended to substitute conciliation for compulsion in the adjustment of industrial disputes, has compulsory features the act itself is self-contradictory.

Anyway, this objection shows that the spirit of organized labour is opposed to compulsion and coercion; and it is only logical to assume that conciliation, the reasonable and reasoning way, should appeal to employees as well as employers. In nine cases out of ten, if the parties to an industrial or other disagreement, approach the discussion of the questions of difference involved, with open mind, each disposed to respect and weigh the other's point of view—the mountain turns out to be a molehill; whereas if each or either side takes an arrogant attitude, concedes no give and take, insists upon the pound of flesh, the molehill becomes a mountain—the trifling matter of disagreement becomes an open rupture, if not a deadly find.

In all the relations of men, whether industrial, social or political, temperate statement of demand or opinion or assertion of right is the correct principle; and in all disputes, moderate measures, mutually conciliatory consultation and quiet, temperate exchange of opinion among the parties themselves—especially keeping a family matter in the family—will tend to amicable settlement to mutual satisfaction.

"It ain't the guns or armament,
Nor funds that they can pay,
But the close cooperation
That makes them win the day.
It ain't the individual,
Nor the army, as a whole,
But the everlastin' team work
Of every bloomin' soul."—Kipling

EQUAL SUFFRAGE.

Few women would feel flattered by the statement that women are the equals of men; and few would dispute the proposition that women are the superiors of men. Leaving, however, these points in abeyance there is no doubt that women have equal rights with men and that, as the world goes, there is something coming to them, especially in the matter of suffrage. There is no more doubt of the abstract right of women to the ballot and all its use implies than there is of the right of a man to collect an honest debt. In the evolution of civilization and representative institutions the power to bestow the ballot upon women has fallen into the hands of men; and in his dealing with woman's rights Bobby Burns's pregnant reference to "man's inhumanity to man" becomes amiably beneficent, compared with man's inhumanity to woman. The Koran's denial of a soul to woman, isn't, everything considered, much more monstrous than man's denial of the vote to women. "Everything considered" includes woman's at least, average mental qualification to use the ballot as wisely as the average male voter, and her ability to fill many elective offices as well as the average male voter. It would be a sorry sort of womanhood that couldn't use a ballot more intelligently and honestly than many of the degenerate male voters, whose franchise is a marketable commodity. Discharge of the duties of citizenship is broadly contingent upon representation in the law-making and governing body of the state—upon power to make and unmake our law-makers. Farmers in West Simcoe bye election were told that they were outrageously unrepresented in the Ontario Legislature—only 17 farmer members out of a total of 111. Why waste pity on the farmers, when the million or more women of Ontario have no representative of their class at all, either in Legislature or Parliament or any elected body in the Province? And they will never get representatives till they get the ballot and the rights and privileges that go with it. The chivalrous gentlemen, who with good cause, dread woman's voting influence upon questions involving the liquor traffic and social rottenness, say that the power to vote is incompatible with womanly modesty and delicacy—and God knows and the devil knows how they respect them—the ballot would unsex women. It couldn't unsex her more completely and gloriously than, thank Heaven, the war has done. The war has made men of women—not men of the slacker kind, but men in doing war work in a way that is a reproach to the average male citizen and with a zeal and devotion and constancy that shame man's spasmodic, lukewarm and leisurely zeal. Besides—but this thing can't go on forever—the reader if he wants to know more about equal suffrage is requested and enjoined to attend the lecture of Miss Laura Hughes of Toronto, niece of Sir Sam Hughes, in the Collegiate Assembly Hall to-night. She has got the subject—of women suffrage—where woman has every subject—at her tongue's end.

PARTY BEFORE PATRIOTISM.

The Ottawa Government and its defenders, or apologists, seem to favour keeping in the rut. The idea is resented of both a war-time election and a cabinet shake-up, the sentiment seems to be, let-ill enough alone. The Government and its friends appear to take the position that it should be above criticism. That it is doing its best to promote Canada's share in the war, and that the Opposition should efface itself, and agree with everything the Government does, whether it be fairly good or exceedingly bad.

We can't do better, government or people, than to imitate the British practice and attitude. There the Asquith government, who were doing almost as well as the Borden Government in waging war, who had given their whole souls, their best abilities to the winning of the war, were bitterly criticised by press and politicians, who were not denounced as disloyal or unpatriotic because they wanted the best management of war interests. Mr. Asquith didn't whine; he held a higher ideal than holding office; the cause of the nation was higher than any party or personal considerations. If others could do better than he, let them try. An effort was made to do better, and a coalition government was formed. Even this Cabinet, of all the talents, representing all the parties and even factions, though it doubtless did almost as well, relatively, as the Borden Government, had to submit not only to criticism, but to extinction; and a national Cabinet rose on its ruins. And it is not escaping criticism.

Yet the Borden Government, in its smug self-sufficiency, cries "hands off." "The Government can't be improved; there is no need for reconstruction; there is no need for a coalition or national government. The very proposal is treasonable—to party interests. The Mail and Empire declares it is a device of the "Grits" to get power. While there is something flattering in the idea that a "national" government, devoted to the exploitation of the supremacy of national interests is tantamount to a Liberal government, the meaning, the fear and foreboding of the organ is that it means loss of office for its party; and office for its party, in its eyes transcends every national or imperial consideration.

A "national" government that would represent the best talents of both parties would, it seems, be more desirable in war interests than the present mere party aggregation, whose spirit of party uber alles is responsible for the fact that a returned soldier, to make him eligible for government employment—national employment—must join a Conservative ward association.

The idea that the Borden Government doesn't need strengthening; doesn't need any reconstruction; doesn't need any weeding out, or purging of disloyal elements, seems absurd from the fact that there are in the Cabinet three Nationalists, whose creed is anti-British, who declare that we owe nothing to Great Britain, no duty to help on the war for civilization and human liberty. The hide-bound, unreasoning Conservative politicians and organs hold up their hands in horror at the idea of a "national" government composed of the best brains and patriotism the country can produce. They prefer a "Nationalist," anti-British Cabinet to a "national" government. One implies inefficiency and indecision, and discouragement of the fighting, the recruiting spirit, but at the same time it involves sustained grip on office, and that is the great essential—party before patriotism.

PRACTICAL ARGUMENT FOR MAKING OUR EDUCATION PRACTICAL

When the Dominion Education Association meets in a short time at Ottawa, it is greatly to be hoped that its deliberations will include a serious and useful discussion of technical education and industrial training. This question has come forward very rapidly of late, and the time has surely arrived when it should receive in Canada the attention now being devoted to it in Great Britain and the United States.

Drastic reform of the regular educational system of Great Britain is under consideration to-day by an important committee of high authorities. The object sought is to replace the classics with the sciences all along the line and to supplement school education for the young who must work for their living with technical training.

In the United States, technical education has achieved national importance for the first time in history. President Wilson from whom, in view of his past career as an educationalist, no unwise radical proposal would come, included in his last message to Congress a strong recommendation in favour of more practical education with full recognition and approval of technical training.

Modern requirements demand of each citizen that he shall be fitted specially for some remunerative occupation. Ninety per cent. of those who attend school in Canada ultimately knock at the door of office, factory or shop seeking employment. Technical education or industrial training prepares the youth to be accepted; the conventional school system does not. Instead of trained workmen, our present system turns out a few professional men and a vast number of fairly intelligent office boys. After leaving school in Canada, the average youth enters a new world in which he must serve a lengthy and humiliating apprenticeship at starvation wages before he can hope to become a self-supporting and self-respecting citizen. Having no basic training, he is apt to drift from one chance position to another. And then we note the problem of the unemployed.

The trained man and only the trained man apart from those of independent wealth, is prepared for the battle of life. He does not have to see positions long, as a rule, because positions are seeking him. The training each man requires can be given him best at school. The greater number of school pupils, being destined for economic or industrial life cannot afford to spend all their time at school otherwise than in training themselves for work. It is a crime against the youth of the country to have no method in operation by which they are made fit to go through the greater part of their lives prepared for the task of earning their daily bread and supporting a family.

Increasing industrial development in Canada demands trained workers, an expanding economic situation requires them as well. In the country districts, greater farming possibilities call for men trained in agriculture. Women entering into business and economic life as never before, deserve preparation. All over America, millions of people are paying a needless toll of money each year to correspondence schools and other private institutions for the business and industrial training that they ought to get from the educational system which the public is taxed to support. Fortunes are being made by keen business men who give the public what it needs to earn a living and what it cannot get from the regular school.

The war has driven this lesson home in Great Britain and in the United States, where the unprecedented industrial activity has shown the lamentable lack of trained men. Germany's remarkable industrial "spurt" before the war was due primarily to a system of technical education which furnishes to her industries when needed skilled workers ready to start work. Her captains of industry found expansion easy because the men to work in new factories were always ready. In the highest interest of national development, even apart from the question of justice to the young, it is essential that Canada should have a system of technical education and industrial training as soon as possible—Ottawa Journal Press.

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GAME NEVER IN DOUBT

The scoring machine of the 247th Battalion intermediate O.H.A. team was at work at Lindsay last night, and when the smoke had cleared the Soldiers had tucked the Midgets away to the tune of 21 to 8, which is about the worst walloping a Peterborough aggregation has ever handed the Bougogville outfit. As the score shows the 247th were never in danger, and although they lost the services of Bobby Armstrong, their crack centre man, after the first five minutes of play, the Soldiers always had the game well in hand. They had the score 6 to 0 at the end of the first period, and ran in nine goals before Carew and Co. found the nets at all. It was 14 to 4 at the end of the second period, and the last session found the Soldiers crowding in seven goals more while Lindsay scored four times.

The Peterborough aggregation were under wraps for the last two periods at that, and gave Lindsay plenty of opportunities, which the homesters generally failed to take advantage of. The Soldiers had it on their opponents in speed, stick-handling and scoring ability, and gave a grand exhibition of Canada's national winter pastime. They showed all kinds of cleverness in working in on the nets and had the Lindsay gang bewildered at times in trying to stop their attacks. While much of the work was individual effort, at times, uncorked some neat combination of the two-man variety that carried them in close for their goals; in fact practically all their counters were scored from the mouth of the nets. The small rink did not bother them as much as they expected, and on the whole they gave a great performance.

The only unfortunate feature of the game, from a Peterborough standpoint, was injuries to Bobby Armstrong and Barney Quinn. Armstrong scored the first two goals inside of five minutes, and then received a blow in the face that made a deep gash in his chin and loosened his teeth. It was an accident that deprived the Soldiers of their fast scoring centre for the balance of the game. Barney Quinn lost a tooth early in the fray and in the middle of the last period was knocked out completely, the game winding up with the teams five a side.

All the Soldiers showed fine form in spite of the lopsided score Legros had a lot of work to do, and he handled a host of shots beautifully. The Petes' forward line took things easy and only checked back spasmodically, with the result that Legros had to take care of a bunch of shots. Capt. Halpin starred all evening, checking nicely, while he showed a world of speed in his rushes. Two of his goals were on rink-length rushes that were beautiful to see. Quinn, his team mate on the defence, gave a good account of himself, checking and rushing well. All were good on the forward line with Evans particularly distinguishing himself by bagging eight goals. The left wing of the Soldiers gave his best performance of the season and his stickhandling especially in the last period was a treat. Adams found the nets six times on clever work, and was responsible for three more counters by neat passing at the proper moment. Flanagan only managed to break into the scoring column once, but he was always going, and had a lot of useful work. Armstrong was in the limelight while he was on and got the first two counters before he was hurt.

Lindsay had three changes in their line up. Griffis, Read and Art Carver were off the team, the latter being still laid up as a result of the injury he sustained in Peterborough. Chuck Carew was out at rover, while on the wings were Nattress, who once upon a time played for the Bell Telephone Co. team in the Peterborough City League, and Wortley, a Quebec man. Carew was the best of the bunch while he lasted, showing speed and cleverness, but he faded badly and had nothing left in the last period. Lefty McElroy was good all the way, with a burst of speed and stick-handling ability. Haugh, on the defence, never stopped trying and big Richman worked his head off to keep the score down. He was happy when he broke into the score column himself on an individual rush. O'Loughlin, the clever little goaler, was good all through, and saved scores time after time by brilliant stops. Referee Jerry Laflamme handled the game in his usual capable fashion. The teams lined up as follows:

Lindsay.		247th
	Goal	
Loughlin		Legros
	Defence	
Richman		Quinn
Haugh		Halpin
	Rover	
		Flanagan
	Centre	
McElroy		Armstrong
	Right Wing	
Nattress		Adams
	Left Wing	
Wortley		Evans

Peterborough started the scoring right off the reel. They broke away from the face-off and O'Loughlin had a shot to stop in the first fifteen seconds. Inside of two minutes Bobby Armstrong got away and, circling across the defence, scored the first counter on a neat side shot.

Richman drew a penalty for tripping and while he was off Armstrong batted in goal No. 2.

Almost immediately the big centre player was hurt and retired for the rest of the game, Lindsay dropping Nattress.

Richman came back, but Haugh was chased for dumping Halpin. The latter tore off one of the feature plays of the night a moment later. Losing the puck on a rush, he wheeled, checked back on McElroy, relieved him of the rubber and went the length of the rink for a goal, beating O'Loughlin with a beautiful shot from the side. He came down the boards and, shifting his grip on his stick, shot right handed for the goal—an unusual feat for a left-handed marksman.

A little later Halpin was benched for dumping McElroy and Flanagan also drew a penalty. Lindsay tried to break into the score column at this stage, but Legros was in the way, nailing two hard shots from Carew, and a dangerous drive from McElroy, in quick succession. The Lindsay gang were shooting hard, and true, but could not beat Legros.

A nice rush by Halpin gave Evans a chance to bat in goal No. 4, and a minute later, with Wortley in the penalty box for tripping, Adams slipped inside and beat O'Laughlin for the fifth counter of the evening.

Thirty seconds after Evans got away and scored from the side, leaving the score at the end of the period 6 to 0.

The second period had hardly opened when Adams tore off a dazzling rush and too O'Loughlin's measure. Evans worked his way in on top of the nets by neat stick-handling and scored goal No. 8, and Halpin made it 9 to 0, when he took the puck from behind his own goal, and went the length of the rink for a counter.

Lindsay got their first chance to cheer a minute later when McElroy slapped a goal past Legros on a pass from Richman. Carew followed it by another, in thirty seconds on a pretty rush, and repeated on a nice shot from well out. That left it 9 to 3.

Wortley and Richman of Lindsay drew penalties and before the latter got back Adams scored on a combination rush. Carew came back with a neat shot following a lone rush, making the figures 10 to 4.

Adams broke away and went in on top of O'Loughlin for goal No. 11, and Evans repeated the play. Flanagan made it 13 to 4 after an individual rush, and Adams followed with another dash for the last counter of the period.

Lindsay got the first two goals in the last period, McElroy getting the first on a pass from Carew and Richman went through alone for the second one. Adams got one back on an individual rush, and then combined with Evans for another, the latter scoring. That made it 16 to 6. Quinn was hurt at this stage and retired for the rest of the game, Richman being dropped to even up. Adams and Evans broke away for a nice passing rush and Evans once more found the nets. He came back alone from the face off and scored again in 15 seconds. Halpin was responsible for goal No. 19. Haugh brought Lindsay's total up to seven, when he scored on a nice shot. Evans tore in and fooled O'Loughlin in 30 seconds, and Halpin took a pass from Adams, and brought the count to 21 to 7. McElroy scored the last goal for Lindsay on a pass from Carew.

The summary:

First Period.

1—247th, Armstrong, 2 mins.
2—247th, Armstrong, 3 mins.
3—247th, Halpin, 4 mins.
4—247th, Evans, 5 mins.
5—247th, Adams, 1 minute.
6—247th, Evans, 30 secs.

Second Period.

7—247th, Adams, 1 min.
8—247th, Evans, 2 mins.
9—247th, Halpin, 3 mins.
10—Lindsay, McElroy, 1 min.
11—Lindsay, Carew, 30 secs.
12—Lindsay, Carew, 2 mins.
13—247th, Adams, 5 mins.
14—Lindsay, Carew, 2 mins.
15—247th, Adams, 3 mins.
16—247th, Evans, 1 min.
17—247th, Flanagan, 30 secs.
18—247th, Adams, 30secs.

Third Period.

19—Lindsay, McElroy, 2 mins.
20—Lidsay, Richman, 3 mins.
21—247th, Adams, 1 min.
22—247th, Evans, 1 min.
23—247th, Evans, 2 mins.
24—247th, Evans, 30 secs.
25—247th, Halpin, 2 mins.
26—Lindsay, Haugh, 1 min.
27—247th, Evans, 30 secs.
28—247th, Halpin, 1 min.
29—Lindsay, McElroy, 2 mins.

To-morrow's Junior Battle Will Start At Advertised Time

Lawson Whitehead Will Handle the Bell and the O.H.A. Has Promised That He Will Leave Toronto on an Early Train So That There Will Be No Delay—Oshawa Expect to Win the District by Beating the Petes Here.

Lawson Whitehead will referee in Peterborough Friday, Jan. 19th, and will leave Toronto on early train.

The above message received by the Peterborough Junior Club from Mr. W. A. Hewitt, secretary of the O.H.A., will be welcome news to Peterborough fans. Twice there have been long delays in commencing games, owing to the late arrival of referees and the local management made strong representations to the O.H.A. with the result given in Secretary Hewitt's message, which means that to-morrow's battle between Oshawa and Peterborough will commence sharp on the advertised time 8.15 o'clock.

The game promises to be the hardest fought of the season. Both teams are fast, and as the ice conditions will be of the best, the fans should get a treat to-morrow night. Oshawa are leading the group, with victories over Peterborough and Bowmanville to their credit, and the Petes must beat the fast going youngsters from the Lake front in to-morrow's battle or else hang up their sticks for the year. A win for Peterborough will tie up the group race and therefore more depends on this game than on any contest played here this season. Oshawa are very confident of winding up the district race by beating the Petes here to-morrow night. Both teams are in the pink of condition and with Lawson Whitehead to make them play hockey, the game should be a thriller from start to finish.

A number of fans from Lindsay, Millbrook, Lakefield and other points will be here for the game, which is attracting a lot of attention throughout the district.

HOCKEY GOSSIP

The decisive defeat inflicted on the Lindsay intermediates by the 247th intermediates last night, practically clinches the district for the Soldiers. The schedule is a double one, and the teams are slate to meet each other in two games, but it is hardly likely Lindsay will continue in the race. They would have to win the next two games to tie up the district and they haven't a chance in the world to do that. It is expected they will default. Counting Cobourg's defaulted games, the standing in the group is as follows:

	Won	Lost	Goals For	Goals Ag'nst
247th	6	0	78	28
Lindsay	4	2	52	39
Cobourg	0	8	28	63

The Peterborough juniors will practise to-night at 7 o'clock at Brock street rink in final preparation for their game with Oshawa to-morrow night. Bartley will be unable to practise to-night, as he is in Norwood on telephone work, but he will be back for the game to-morrow.

Curlers To Decide About Bonspiel On Friday Night

The members of the Curling Club are reminded of the general meeting on Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock, at which they will have an opportunity of saying whether they desire a local and open bonspiel or not. It is important that there should be a large attendance in order that the opinion of the Club may be expressed.

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WITH THE CURLERS

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PRESIDENTS.

Photographs of the Presidents of the Curling Club since 1904, the year the Thistles and Granites joined forces, will be added to the interesting picture gallery which is a feature of the assembly room at the rink. It is the desire of the members that their dynasty of presidents should be remembered in this way, and it is understood that the pictures will soon be received.

Fathers of the Club.

The most recent addition to the gallery is a very fine picture of Messrs. Robert Neill, W. G. Morrow, Thos. Brightman and T. F. Matthews. It bears the inscription "The Fathers of the Peterborough Curling Rink Company, to whose foresight and financial assistance the Peterborough Curling Club are greatly indebted for their present curling facilities." The picture was secured last season, but it is only recently that it has been noticed out in the gallery.

TO-NIGHT'S GAMES.

The games scheduled at the Curling Rink to-night, are as follows:
Matthews vs. Campbell.
Dela Fosse vs. McDermid.
Taylor vs. Laing.
Giroux vs. Best.
Brightman vs. J. H. Ferguson.

THE SCHEDULED GAMES.

Last night's scheduled games at the Charlotte Street Rink resulted as follows:

A. L. Killaly		J. K. Parkins
W. J. Henry		W. M. Laing
G. L. Bowes		C. Seymour
R. Hicks		R. G. Sturgeon
	9	10
D. Mulholland		E. H. D. Hall
C. G. Graham		J. C. Read
M. C. Tooley		R. Harstone
A. Archibald		W. G. Ferguson
	7	9
W. H. Meredith		J. J. McCabe
L. A. Turner		E. H. D. Hall
W. J. Thompson		E. G. Patterson
W. G. Morrow		A. Kay
	5	17

This game was played on Jan. 16.

G. Copping	H. Johnston
A. J. Grant	R. Grant,
G. Boucher	G. H. Logie
H. F. Foote	D. Davidson
7	16

CHURCH LEAGUE HOCKEY TO-NIGHT

Church League hockey will make its debut to-night in Brock street rink at eight o'clock. Two games are on the card. The first on will be between the teams of Knox and George Street Church, while the teams of Mark Street church and St. Andrew's and Trinity churches will come together in the second game.

BOWLING

To-night's game, De Laval vs. the Business Men in League game.

JAPAN A CREDITOR NATION.

War Brings a Swift Change in Financial Conditions.

TOKIO—One of the most striking phenomena that the war has created as regards Japan is her quick shifting from a debtor to a creditor nation. Since the Russo-Japanese war the world has got accustomed to thinking of the Japanese Empire as a borrowing country. Now the tables are turned and Great Britain, which loaned so much money to Japan in the past, has actually come here for a loan.

The recent flotation in Japan of a British loan for 100,000,000 yen or $50,000,000 was a great success. A few days after the lists were opened to the public the syndicate which had the issue in charge advertised that no more subscriptions would be received. The incident showed that there is plenty of available capital in Japan. The success of the British loan is to be attributed not only to Japanese confidence in British resources, but also to the preference by the Japanese public for short term loans. The English bonds are redeemable in three years.

Japan's cash payments aboard in addition to that for foreign securities amount to 391,600,000 yen or $195,500,000 since the beginning of the war and altogether Japan in that period has paid out in cash the huge total of 1,006,581,000 yet or $503,290,500. Adding to this the 200,000,000 yen or $100,000,000 by which the special holdings of the empire have been increased in the war period, about 1,200,000,000 yen or $600,000,000, represents the cash balance to Japan's credit in the international operations.

City Church Hockey League To-night—Knox vs. George Street—Mark Street vs. St. Andrews-Trinity. Admission 15c. Time 8 o'clock.

A Committee Was Formed in Norwood

Mr. Spence, Inspector of the Children's Aid Society Delivered a Lecture in Norwood

The following Children's Committee of the Children's Aid Society for the County was organized at Norwood, last night, when Mr. Spence delivered another of his interesting illustrated lectures at the Town Hall, Reeve Squire acting as Chairman:

President—Mr. E. P. Cuffe.
Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Rahal.
Sec.-Treas.—Rev. Mr. Wolland.

Reeve Squire, Rev. Mr. Irwin, Dr. Sutton, Mr. A. Kempt, Mrs. Cuffe, Mrs. Greenbank.

MR. TIVEY HAS BAD ACCIDENT

Aged Resident of East City Seriously Injured

Mr. R. Tivey, 137 Stanley Street, East City, met with a serious and what may prove, fatal, accident, whilst engaged in work at a house he is building on Roger street. On Tuesday he was alone in the house, and at 11 o'clock passersby heard him working, but at 12 groans were heard and on entering, a neighbour found him lying unconscious and badly chilled. He was taken home, but the exact nature of the accident could not be ascertained and he has been in a semi-conscious state since. Mr. Tivey, who is 87 years old, is a veteran of the war of '66, and was prominently identified with hunting circles, and has for many years held an honoured place amongst a wide circle of friends in the city, who hope for a favourable issue from his accident.

German Raider Reported Destroyed

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Jan. 18.—The Star, in its late edition, this afternoon, carries the following despatch from Ottawa: "It is stated on unofficial authority this afternoon that the German raider has been destroyed. There is no confirmation."

DIVISION PERMITTED

Special to The Examiner.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.— A conference report permitting the diversion of 4,400 additional cubic feet of water per second above Niagara Falls until July 1, was adopted by the House today. Under a treaty with Great Britain 20,000 feet may be diverted. Only 15,600 are used. A bill for the permanent regulation of diversion is pending in the House.

Social and Personal

Miss Roberts, who has been visiting Mrs. Archer, Ruhidge street, left today for New York.

Mrs. Alex. Grant is spending a few days visiting friends in Parry Sound.

Mrs. (Dr.) Graham, of Kingston, is the guest of the Misses Denne, George street.

Mrs. Arthur L. Brown leaves to-day for Montreal, where she will reside, Mr. Brown having accepted a position in that city.

Rev. J. R. O'Gorman of Cobalt who delivered an address before the Peterborough Council of the Knights of Columbus last night was the guest of Mr. John R. Corkery, 477 Homewood Avenue, during his visit to the city.

Miss Laura Hughes, who will speak this evening on Equal Franchise, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Neal, Charlotte street.

Mrs. J. Knox, Gilmour street, has returned from a few days' visit with her son, Mr. Clifford Knox.

Mrs. (Capt.) Mercier, Montreal, who has just returned from an extended trip to England, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lawrence.

The weekly tea given by the Kitchener League at the Oriental yesterday was attended with great success. The hostesses, Mrs. Lawrence and Mrs. Wotten are to be complimented on the dainty table decorations of cut flowers.

Miss Mamie O'Keefe, graduate of the Hotel Dieu Hospital, Kingston, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James O'Keefe, Lansdowne avenue.

Mrs. Nagle Phelan returned last night from Rochester, where she has spent the past three weeks.

Mrs. Melville Hartley has returned from Toronto.

Mr. Cook and his family returned home in the city last Saturday, delighted with their two-weeks' vacation.

The dominating idea in Mr. Cook's mind was that if any good-looking cow in the sunny south had any milk to give away she would prefer to give it to the De Laval Cream Separator.

Y. M. C. A. NEWS

How to classify birds was the subject taken up by the Canadian Standard Efficiency Tests groups at the Y. M. C. A. last night. Mr. Elcome the local faxidermist, gave the boys an interesting and instructive talk on birds and how to place them in their proper groups.

Mr. Elcome selected for his talk last night the birds of North America and the British birds, telling of their characteristics and manner of living.

At the close of the address a hearty vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Elcome for his kindness in preparing such an interesting and instructive talk for the boys.

Next Wednesday night, Collection Night will be held, when the boys will bring their collections of coins, stamps, minerals, different kinds of wood, or articles in the various stages of manufacture.

The checker, chess, and billiard tournament is proving a good success and some interesting games are taking place in the first round.

To-night the Senior Employed Boys' Life Problem will meet at 7:30. Gymnasium class at 8 p.m.

COUNTRY ROADS BADLY DRIFTED

Mr. A. W. Stabler the veteran drover, is in Peterborough this morning from a buying trip through Lakefield and Burleigh. Mr. Stabler reports the drifts this week to be the worst in his time. At Phelan's Corners, going north towards the House of Refuge, no horse has been through for two days. Many people who came into Peterborough from Lakefield yesterday had to remain all night at farmer's houses as going back until the road cleared up was impossible, and the stages from Buckborn and Lakehurst were snow bound at the Lakefield hotel.

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MEN WANTED

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Merchants, whose stores are included in the Dollar Day list, can secure their supplies at the Examiner Office as follows:-

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Pennants, use them freely, 100 ..... 40c
Small $1 Bargain Cards, 100 ..... 30c
Medium Cards, 2 styles, doz..... 10c
..... 100 ..... 80c
Large Bargain Cards, 2 for..... 5c..

All are printed in Red Ink, the distinctive Dollar Day colour. Send for, or 'phone list you require and they will be delivered. Get them early. Have some pennants in your window for Saturday, to-morrow, to help advertise the day to the people from outside who will be in town.

DECORATE FOR SATURDAY

The merchants are reminded that this week end is the last Saturday before Dollar Day and if their windows are decorated with the pennants the people who visit the town, on market day, will be reminded of Dollar Day and the date. Pennants are ready at Examiner office.

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BEST BY TEST

RETURNED SOLDIER IS APPOINTED CHIEF OF POLICE AT WOODSTOCK

WOODSTOCK, Jan. 18.—Sergt. Walter Handy, a returned bandsman of the 71st Battalion, was appointed to fill the vacancy on the local police force caused by the resignation under somewhat dramatic circumstances recently of Samuel Bickley. Eighteen applicants, including several returned soldiers, were given an opportunity to state their claims at a meeting of the police commissioners this afternoon, and Handy was given the decision after a conference lasting rather less than half an hour.

Canadians Triumph in Daring Advance

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filled, a fact which helped to swell the numbers of the prisoners taken. The raiding troops were somewhat chagrined when they were told that the German corps commander was in the trenches all day yesterday, leaving last night.

"Some wise old Teuton," said a Canadian Captain; "we should like to have pinched him."

HAIG'S STORY OF EXPLOIT.

London, Jan. 17.—To-day's British official report says:

"This morning another very successful daylight raid was carried out by Canadian troops northeast of Cite Calonne. The attacking party entered the enemy's trenches on a front of seven hundred yards and penetrated to a depth of 300 yards as far as his second line. Here also heavy losses were inflicted on the enemy, and all his dugouts were completely wrecked. We captured one officer and ninety-nine other ranks, two machine guns and a trench mortar. Our artillery and machine guns cooperated very effectively with the infantry. Our casualties were again small.

PERMANENT ADVANCE MADE

"After a heavy preliminary bombardment Wednesday morning we occupied a line of enemy posts north of Beaucourt-sur-Ancre. The whole of our objectives were gained on a frontage of some six hundred yards, with few casualties. The position gained considerably improved our observation in this area.

"After this an enemy counter-attack was broken up with heavy losses by our artillery barrage. The consolidation of the new position is proceeding. We had complete success yesterday and to-day in the neighbourhood of Lens.

"Late in the afternoon yesterday the German positions south of Cite Calonne, west of Lens, were entered under cover of a heavy bombardment. Our troops reached the enemy's support line and bombed and destroyed dugouts and inflicted many casualties. Our losses were small. We successfully blew a mine in connection with the operation."

"MORE LIVELY FIGHTING."

Berlin, Jan. 17.—The War Office statement to-night says:

"There has been more lively fighting near Beaumont, but aside from this no even of importance is reported from the western front."

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PASTOR DONER CONCLUDES TALK ON THE GREAT WORLD WAR

The Struggle is Not With Mere Flesh and Blood But With Despotisms, the Empires and the Forces That Control and Govern This Dark World

Pastor Doner concluded his talk on the Great World War on Sunday night. Using Eph. 6:10-12 as a text, he showed that our struggle is not with mere flesh and blood, but with the despotisms, the empires, the forces that control and govern this dark world—the spiritual hosts of evil arrayed against us in the heavenly warfare. (Weymouth).

These demon spirits incorporate themselves in men and women and the result is war on earth. When man is at war with his Maker, he is also at war with his fellowman. The war that began in heaven between Lucifer and Jehovah ends on earth, when the Son of God returns to inaugurate His millennial kingdom.

Meanwhile the Holy Spirit is mobilizing the Church, and training her for the day of battle when Armageddon will be fought. To this elect body the Church is guaranteed by the Holy Spirit, a safe conduct through the air to meet her bridegroom and Lord. This event will fulfill the statement of 1 Thess. 4:13-18 and is called in the Greek, the Parousia.

It is not flight. It is not retreat. It is a marvellous strategic movement planned by the Royal Prince, Himself, by which He absolutely outwits and non-plusses the Dragon in consummating the arrangement made with the Bride-to-be (the Church) during His short stay on earth, when he acted as Ambassador to His Royal Father.

Satan's Rage.

Satan's rage at seeing the bridal Church thus escape, passing directly through his domain (the aerial heavens) is terrible indeed. Shortly after her arrival in the glorious queen's palace in the glory land, Michael, the commander-in-chief of all heaven's aerial forces, launches an overwhelming assault on the Dragon and his angels, resulting in his swift and eternal expulsion from the aerial regions so long occupied by him.

His operations are now confined to earth and stung to terrible fury and revengeful hate by his recent defeat, he immediately produces his master piece manifested in the great anti-Christ, and his corrupt system.

While the earth is filling up her cup of iniquity with harlotries and Christ denying blasphemies, God trains His long-range batteries from the citadel on the enemies' position and pours forth such a storm of fire and hail that men gnaw their tongues for pain. Death would be welcome at this time, but they seek it in vain. Suicide will be impossible. Escape out of the question. God's aim is deadly and the hour of His wrath is come.

Sun is Darkened.

Driven to his wits' end, Satan calls up his Hadean reserves, who respond in such multitudes that the very sun is darkened as they pass. Next came the dreaded Euphratean Cavalry Division, two hundred million strong, Rev. 9:16. And as these formidable hosts swing into battle line we lift our eyes aloft and yonder on the plains of light we behold another army in grand review before the King of Kings. This is the Imperial Horse Guards, also two hundred million in number, waiting for the long-expected order to advance. It is directly given in tones of thunder and in long, bending lines of riders uniformed in snow-white linen seated on horses as white as their robes, they descend the cloud hills led by the Prince of Heaven, in garments as red as blood. As they pass the sun, a mighty angel who cannot restrain his admiration salutes and cheers the majestic throng. The armies of the Dragon are agonized with suspense. Horses paw the dust and champ their bits with bloody foam. Messages flash like lightning. Officers hurry like demons from line to line. They come—swooping like eagles, they line up in the face of the foe. A few moments of awful silence, an imperial word of command and then a shout of triumph that would drown a thousand Niagaras. Satan's lines quiver and break before the terrible shock and the sword out of the mouth of the Imperial Prince, who is the Champion of the Church and the King of all the earth. Satan is arrested, gagged and bound, and hurled into the bottomless pit for one thousand years and the Millenium is begun.

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I am as powerful as Ajax.

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I am supreme.

Rulers, and the common people alike take off their hats to me.

I am merciful.

I can help you, but I lack energy. You must supply that.

Left to my own efforts I am inert and innocuous.

Energize me and you increase your bank account.

Stimulate me and the wheels of commerce revolve.

Who Am I?

I am the freight car.
I market your crops.
Load me promptly.
Unload me quickly.
Move me swiftly, and you will prosper.

Voice of The People

Correspondence under this heading, containing or involving attacks on individuals or violent or extreme statements, must to secure insertion, be signed with writer's real name, the owner of which thus assumes the responsibility.

Editor Examiner:

Sir,—I was very much surprised to read in last night's Examiner the remarks by Mr. Stabler about the soldiers' wives. He has done recruiting a lot of harm, as men will hesitate to enlist and leave their wifes and children to be insulted. He says he means the working classes are better off with their husbands at the war. No money is too much for the anxiety they have to bear. He was afraid to say the other class was better off, but I challenge him. The only ones making money in the army are the officers with bigger pay than they have ever received before. I could, if necessary, mention a whole lot of them from Peterborough, and not all of them fighting at that, or likely to either. If I was a soldiers' wife I would refuse to go to the same church as Mr. Stabler until he apologised for those remarks, and he a pillar of George street church. What about officers' wives getting cheaper meat in England than the working women. It's the same old story. We used to sing in the army years ago, 'The officers' wives have puddings and pies, but we poor boys have skilly.'

T. E. HALL.

Condition Precarious

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 18.—Harry K. Thaw is still in a precarious condition to-day. It was announced at St. Mary's Hospital, where the Pittsburg millionaire has been since he slashed his throat and wrists with a razor.

BADLY SHAKEN UP.

John Richards, 425 Bethune street, who was hurt in Monday's runaway accident, is limping around to-day as a result. He states he is also hurt on his head and is fortunate to be as well as he is.

ROUMANIAN PICTURES

The Real Roumania and Its Leaders

(By a Correspondent.)

Roumania to-day has only two prominent public men. One is Mr. Bratino, the Premier. Everyone who reads the newspapers in Europe or America knows his name. Excitable people call him "the cleverest statesman in Europe." He is known also as the Roumanian sphinx.

The other Roumanian public man, who stands out from the ruck, is Mr. Take Jonesco. Abroad, the readers of newspapers know more about him than Mr. Bratino. He has been much in London and in Paris. He has done a great deal to interest the world in Roumanian affairs and the affairs of the Balkans generally. He led the party in Roumania which was openly for the allies. He has made his reputation by eloquent talking. Mr. Bratino became famous through holding his tongue.

There never were two men more unlike. You cannot be in Mr. Take Jonesco's company for half an hour without learning his opinion upon a dozen matters of varied interest. Reading, Bacon said, makes a full man, and conference a ready man. Mr. Jonesco is both ready and full. He has a vast store of knowledge—knowledge of men and things. Only let him see that you share his interests and he puts his mind at your disposal. He is what Tennyson called James Anthony Froude once, "A jolly, vivid man." He enjoys life.

What are Mr. Bratino's opinions, what his special knowledge, what his attitude towards the universe, not even his friends can tell you. They know that he talks very little; that he is learning to play golf; that he wraps himself round with a veil of impenetrable mystery; that he says he never reads newspapers and does not want to know what they say.

In their manner of dealing with newspapers comes out the difference between these two Roumanian public men. Mr. Jonesco— but why do I write his name so? Only because it is usually written that way out of Roumania. The Roumanian spelling is Jonescu, and I suppose that the "scu" which is found also in a great many other names—for example Filipescu, Anghelescu, Constantinescu, or so on—is the same as the Russian and Polish "ski" meaning "son of"—the son of John, Philip, Angelo, Constantine. However, since he is known as Jonesco so vividly I will continue to write his name thus.

What I was about to say of him was that he appreciates justly the value and usefulness of the press. Here is an incident which illustrates what I mean. When he went to Athens in the autumn of 1913 to lend his aid towards making peace in the Balkans after the second Balkan war, he arrived in the middle of the day. He had much to do of course; many people to see; a great deal to occupy his mind, yet between five and seven o'clock, although he had to be at a state dinner party at eight and to make a speech requiring very special thought, he received and talked to eleven journalists. Not altogether, but each one separately. The result was that next morning all the papers spoke of his meditation in a favourable and hopeful tone. "It helped me a lot, you know," he says himself. "It gave my effort a good start."

He follows the same plan now. Every morning he receives journalists from half past eight to nine, every afternoon between five and seven. He has a newspaper of his own and writes in it a great deal, in addition to inspiring articles in many others. He is a believer in publicity. He understands the psychology of politics, and by politics I no not mean party politics, but the management of the affairs of state. Therefore, he does all he can to sustain opinion at a healthy, moderate level. Meanwhile Mr. Bratino, like Brer Rabbit, "keeps on lying low and saying nuffin," shunning journalists as he would shun a pestilence.

There is, I am bound to admit, more excuse in Roumania for Mr. Bratino's disdainful opinion of newspapers than there would be elsewhere. Here in Bucharest dark-skinned little boys, with brilliant gipsy eyes, shout fresh editions all day long. They begin at six in the morning. One of the Latin characteristics which separate Roumania from its slav neighbours, is the habit of getting up early. After six if you are staying anywhere near the centre of a town, it is impossible to sleep, for when Roumanians are awake they take care to let you know it. All day the newspaper sellers keep up their discord. They have a large choice of wares to offer. Quantity there is, but quality is absent. Very soon one ceases to take any interest in buying them.

Bucharest has, I suppose, more newspapers per head of population than any other town in the world, but they are very poorly supplied with news. They exist in ordinary times for the purpose of carrying on violent political and often personal quarrels. They allow themselves the license of speech, which recalls Dickens' ill-natured parody on the American press.

Bucharest is not really representative of Roumania any more than Petrograd is of Russia. It is an overgrown village. Its main street, the Calea Victoria, is little more than a lane, narrow, winding, uninspired; a lane that is lined with expensive shops and expensive hotels; a lane that interests, and here and there charms by its unexpected quaint irregularity, but always a lane, with none of the characteristics of a chief thoroughfare. For the most part the town is a tangle of lanes, a labyrinth without plan, a village which has transformed itself into a capital in a fit of absence of mind.

There are some new, broad boulevards, but these are not the central arteries of traffic. The only street which is used for the walking up and down, which is so strong a feature of the life in Bucharest is the Calea Victoria.

Certainly the rich villagers of Bucharest live in fine houses, many of them finer than the Royal Palace itself. White are they all and southern in appearance, rather like the villas on the outskirts of Nice. They lend the place a pleasant air of dignified ease. Each has its garden. In every street the eye is gladdened by green trees, with frequent peeps at smooth lawns, flowers and fountains.

Palatial are the public as well as the private buildings. Almost all government offices are handsome and imposing, both without and within, telling their tale of the riches yielded by the soil of this small country in grain and petroleum. Yet you are reminded of a village again when you see white oxen labouring past their elaborate facades drawing peasant carts.

Bucharest is artificial. To find the real Roumania you must go into the fields— the corn fields and the oil fields. Often the politicians have forgotten this. But now they know, those who are directing the policy of the little state, that they have they have the people behind them. Not a peasant family but thrills to the thought of grouping all the Transylvanian Roumanians under the flag with the Roumanians of Roumania. It is a national idea which has waited long for fulfilment. Now that its realization is in sight the whole nation is united. Mr. Bratino and Mr. Take Jonesco are working, each after his own fashion, for the same end.

One can still hear the Jonesco partisans make fun of Mr. Bratino for his studied aloofness. 'Born in the purple' they say, "son of a famous Prime Minister, easy in circumstances, imperious in character, he has only to stretch out his hand and take the sceptre of perpetual power. How can he be expected to descend into the arena with ordinary men?" One can still find references to Mr. Jonesco as "the political tourist," fonder of other countries than his own. But this is merely the backwash of long-established habit. In truth there is no division of aim. Each in his way, these two leaders of Roumanian opinion contribute to the [illegible] end. The one keeps silence; the other talks. Both are needed. Both are serving their country's needs.

J. E. H.,
Canadian Overseas

MERCHANTS

Will all the merchants who wish to have their stores listed among those participating in Dollar Day and who have not already done so, please notify The Examiner, so their firm name will be included in the published list.

MAKE ENQUIRIES

before you buy an ointment, as to which gives best results. If you do, you will buy Zam-Buk, for this herbal balm has been proved by thousands to be the most reliable ointment on the market. It not only cures when other ointments fail, but its cures are permanent.

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Zam-Buk is equally good for eczema, ringworm, abscesses, running sores, blood-poisoning, scalp sores, boils, pimples, piles, cuts, burns, scalds, and all skin injuries. All druggists and stores, or Zam-Buk Co., Toronto. 50c. box, 3 for $1.25. Send 1c. stamp for free trial box.

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Ladies' Winter Mantles
Regular $10.00 to $15.00
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$1.50, $3.00, $5.00, etc

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Choice of shades. Taffeta Silks in new designs.

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Now is the time to get a high priced Winter Hat at a low price, new styles. Lots of time to wear them yet. $5.00 hats for..... $1.99

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Every time you spend a dollar you get a pink slip which entitles you to purchase any one of the following articles at the prices listed below. With a $2.00 purchase you may buy two and with a $3.00 purchase you may buy three and so on.

Ladies' 50c Quality Cashmere Hose
A beautiful fabric, nice fine material, per pair..... 15c

Ladies' Grey or White Winter Weight Vests
Regular 35c for..... 15c

Children's Winter Vests
In all sizes worth 35c. Sale price 15c

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Ladies' Kid Gloves
Worth $1.75 for..... .....$1.19

Ladies' Special Corsets
New spring design, trimmed with embroidery, well boned, nickle clasp. Please note these corsets are guaranteed. Special price ..$1.00

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Regular $4.00 and $5.00. Friday and Saturday for..... .....$3.49

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A wide choice of the newest designs for..$1.00

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Ladies' and Children's Ribbed Cashmerette Stockings
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Soft material, fine fabric, very durable. Sale price..... 35c
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Special price.....50c

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All sizes. Special price $1.50

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January Clearance Sale

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HANDSOME GOWN 98c

Made of good quality English Cotton, yoke of pretty Swiss embroidery, sleeves kimona style, finished with ribbon at neck and down the front. Sale price..... 98c

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Of good quality cotton, yoke formed of alternate rows of lace and embroidery, run with ribbon. All sizes. Sale price 48c

Corset Covers are shown in Great Variety

25c, 39c, 48c, 69c, $1.19, $1.29, $1.69 to $4.00

COTTON DRAWERS 25c

Made of English Cotton, frill formed with group of fine tucks and deep hem. Excellent material and well made. Sale price..... 25c

A Multitude of Cotton Drawers

25c, 39c, 69c, 75c, 79c, $1.19, $1.29, $1.69

$3.95 PRINCESS SLIP $1.95

Fine nainsook embroidery frill on skirt and scalloped under-ruffle. Top finished with embroidery beading and ribbon. Extra special for the Whitewear Sale 1.95

The GRESSMAN Company Limited

Improvements Required at The Queen Mary Isolation Hospital

Number of Recommendations Included in the Annual Report Which Was Submitted to the Board of Health—One Hundred and Two Patients Were Treated During the Year.

Miss Hattie Reid, Acting Matron of the Queen Mary Isolation Hospital, includes in her annual report to the Board of Health, the following information concerning the work of the institution:

One hundred and two patients were treated during the year. Three cases proved fatal; cause of death being diphtheria.

Owing to the increased number of patients, also advanced prices, increased expenditures were necessary in every line, with the result that there is a very small amount of the appropriation left to make any necessary improvements. One improvement which has proved very satisfactory was the draining of the root house and cellar. Vegetables from the hospital garden are being stored in the cellar to good advantage.

Gardening Operations.

Gardening operations throughout the year were very successful. Splendid results repaid the work, done entirely by the efficient caretaker. No expense for labour outside of ploughing and harrowing was incurred.

With regard to the present condition of the building, the following may be presented for the consideration of the Board:

The walls of the various wards in north half of building are badly in need of repair and paint.

The floors on the second flat are very poor quality. They are badly opened up and unsanitary. Would suggest that these be replaced by hardwood floors similar to those on the first floor.

All exterior woodwork of the building is very badly in need of painting.

Shacks were built in the spring for the accommodation of smallpox and meningitis patients. It has not been necessary to open them owing to the absence of said disease. In case they are utilized, furnishings and fittings will be necessary.

Expenditures.

Expenditures for the year were as follows:

Groceries and provisions	$ 951.46
Drugs and medicines	218.14
Fuel	486.23
Light	46.83
Telephone	42.90
Water	60.00
Salaries	2,100.62
Incidentals	383.32
	$4,289.50
Appropriation	$4,400.00
Balance	$ 110.50

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THE GREAT "DADDY LONG LEGS" COMING TO PETERBOROUGH

Mr. D. W. Haynes was in the city yesterday arranging for the forth-coming engagement of the big "Daddy Long Legs" Company which occurs at the Grand Opera House in this city on Saturday, January 27th, when two performances of the pretty comedy will be given—matinee and night. The same company identically that began its tour of twenty Canadian cities by playing the week of January 8th at His Majesty's theatre, in Montreal, and the present week is playing at the Grand Opera House, in Toronto, to packed business, will be seen in Peterborough. The management of the Grand Opera House is fortunate in having secured such a notable attraction for its patrons. There are twenty-four members of the company and four splendid sets of scenery.

"Daddy Long Legs" is really one of the best-liked plays now before the American and British publics. Several months ago Mr. Henry Miller, the producer and manager of this attraction, formed another company and took it to London, England, where it is now playing to great audiences at the Duke of York's Theatre. So, at the present time there are two companies under the same management playing "Daddy Long Legs" within the British Empire.

If Peterborough patronizes this visit of "Daddy Long Legs" sufficiently to insure him a fair profit, Mr. Miller will send to the Grand Opera House his other comedy, "Come out of the Kitchen" which is now playing successfully at the George M. Cohan Theatre, New York. Also the great theatrical firm of Klaw & Erlanger, of New York, are watching this Canadian tour of "Daddy Long Legs" (with which they are interested with Mr. Miller) and if it is successful they will send a line of their other big attractions over the very same territory the present season.

The "Daddy Long Legs" Company will play the Russell Theatre Ottawa, on Wednesday and Thursday, January 24th and 25th. On the 26th it will play in Belleville, and the 27th in this city. Peterborough will be the seventh city on the tour.

SERGT. MARRIED FOUR WOMEN IS CLAIM

OTTAWA, Jan. 18.—Three bigamous marriages in five years is the alleged record of Sergt. J. C. Mann 240th Battalion, who is now being held by the Ottawa police on a charge of bigamy. He was arrested at Pembroke on Saturday where he was sojourning with his most recent wife, an Ottawa girl whom he married a month ago. He has four wives.

It is evident that Mann has a warm heart, for although he is said to have four wives he had not deserted any of them but paid them visits at regular intervals. The police say he became possessed of the mania to marry five years ago in Montreal, when he met the girl who became wife No. 1.

KEPT BOTH HAPPY.

A few months afterwards, under the name of McMann, he is supposed to have married wife No. 2. He was contented with these two women for a couple of years and lived first with one and then with the other.

Journeying to Smith's Falls, it is alleged, he became enamoured with one of the fair damsels there and under the name of F. A. Ryan went through a form of marriage with the woman. This marriage took place less than a year ago. He enlisted in the 240th and coming to Ottawa met the girl now known as wife No. 4.

TOO MANY CLAIMS.

It is understood that the wives came to know each other through correspondence with the Militia Department to whom they had written regarding the separation allowance due them because of their marriage with Mann. Three applications for separation allowance from three different women who claimed one man as their "alter ego" showed the authorities that there was something wrong. With the aid of the police Mann's arrest was made and his honeymoon with the Ottawa girl was brought to an end very suddenly.

The accused man is about thirty years of age.

FLEES GERMAN CAMP IN THIRD ATTEMPT

Frenchman Tells How, With His Three Companions, He Finally Reached Holland

PARIS.—A French Corporal, who for over a year was a prisoner in Germany and after three attempts to escape finally returned to France, has given me the following account of his adventures:

"I was captured September, 1915, by a surprise attack of Germans. I was interned at Darmstadt (Hesse), which continued to be my headquarters till I finally regained my liberty last month. The treatment was severe the food was unquestionably rank and insufficient, but at least I had the satisfaction of seeing the German guard eating and enjoying the same diet as we. The chief dish was an unpalatable stew consisting mainly of a peculiar kind of flour nick-named by the prisoners 'revolution flour.'

"I was first sent to work on a farm. At this period I made my first attempt to escape, with three comrades. We constructed a rope ladder and got clear of the camp, carrying out provisions, which we had accumulated for some days previously. We managed to cut the barbed wire and struck out across the woods and fields in the direction of the Dutch frontier, walking at night, lying low in the woods during the day. It was while hiding in the woods that we were discovered by a game keeper who came on us unawares.

"On being sent back to camp, where we knew we should be thoroughly searched, I managed to slip a compass we had used to guide us to a comrade as I shook hands on entering the camp. A compass and maps are the most treasured objects of prisoners, and every care is taken that they do not fall into the hands of the keepers.

"I was sent to work in a mine, the scaffolding of which was so rudimentary that part of the side once collapsed, nearly killing me. While in the mine, two comrades and I devised a new plan for escape, which we carried out successfully at nightfall, this time making for the Swiss frontier. For three days we made good headway, when our career was again cut short by running into a sentinel.

HAD A MAP.

"My last escape was in December, when, with three companions, I again got clear of the camp, unobserved. This time we had a map to guide us to the Dutch frontier. The map was one I had traced from a map lent to me by a British prisoner passing through the camp. For nine nights we marched and for nine days we hid in the December woods, shivering with cold. Once when near the frontier, trudging along a road, toward evening, we met a German officer. You can imagine how our hearts beat. However, we kept cool and marched two by two, as if going into the neighbouring town, and the officer passed on without stopping us.

"It was only when we were brought to a halt by a challenge in Dutch that we realized we were safe. You can imagine our delight, which was heightened by the unconcealed pleasure of our kind captors. They took us to a hotel. The next day we were sent on to Rotterdam. There we made the acquaintance of a supposed Sergeant of the Foreign Legion, who tried to question us about our experiences, but we were on our guard, as we scented him to be a German.

"There is no doubt things are in a very bad way in Germany, for as we passed through the country we could see signs of misery everywhere. The butchers' shops we caught glimpses of were practically bare. Another fact I discovered, which so far has not transpired, is that it is possible for Germans to obtain postponement of military duties for periods of three to six months by paying money, for the son of a farmer where I worked got exemption after turning over 4,000 marks to the authorities.

"Much has been said of the cruelty of the Germans to prisoners. But this I know—every one is sick and weary of the war. I have seen recruits weeping as they left for the front. What a difference on coming home. It seems incredible to find such a contrast, such cheerfulness and confidence."

"CATHEDRALS OF EUROPE" SUBJECT OF K. C. LECTURE

Rev. Father O'Gorman, of Cobalt, delivered a scholarly and interesting address on "The Cathedrals of Europe," at the Knights of Columbus Club last night. There was a large attendance of the members and their ladies, who enjoyed the instructive lecture and the illustrative slides that were shown. Father O'Gorman discussed the types of architecture displayed in the designs of the churches of France, Italy, England, Switzerland, Germany and other countries. The illustrations included the famous cathedrals of St. Peter's at home, Rhelms, Westminster Abbey, Cologne, Milan, Notre Dame and others.

At the conclusion of the lecture a vote of thanks, moved by Mr. F. F. Garden, and seconded by Mr. Harry Phelan, was conveyed to Father O'Gorman by Mr. John R. Corkery, Grand Knight, who presided. Bishop O'Brien, Rev. C. J. Phelan, Chaplain of the Council, and Mayor Duffus, spoke briefly upon the lecture and its subject.

An enjoyable musical programme was contributed by Misses O'Donnell, K. McCarthy, and Mr. Ed. Hanrahan, the accompanists being Misses M. Gorman, L. Hurley and M. Lonergan. The meeting concluded with the singing of the National Anthem.

To do away with the smell of fresh paint, put a pail of water into which an onion has been cut up in the newly painted room over night. If windows and doors are closed the odor will be absorbed by morning.

ALD. DUNCAN WAS RE-ELECTED TO THE BOARD

The 1918 Mayoralty Candidate Will Again head the Board of Health—Accounts passed

MILK TESTING

At a meeting of the Board of Health, held last evening, Ald. G. H. Duncan was re-elected Chairman of the Board for the current year. Ald. Duncan moved that Mr. James Murby be appointed, but the latter declined, and nominated Ald. Duncan, with the above result.

A report was received from Miss H. Reid, Acting Matron of the Queen Mary Isolation Hospital, respecting the work of the institution during the past year. The report showed that one hundred and two patients had been treated during the year. Three of these proved fatal. The financial statemnt showed a balance of one hundred and ten dollars.

Dr. C. H. Amys, Medical Officer of Health, was of the opinion that the fees at the hospital should be raised to one dollar a day for adults, owing to the high cost of living.

Milk Testing.

Mayor Duffus, who is a member of the Board, brought up the matter of testing milk. Dr. Amys said he was willing to instruct somebody in this particular work.

On motion of Mayor Duffus the Medical Officer of Health was instructed to bring in a recommendation regarding the milk testing situation. A committee composed of Mayor Duffus and Ald. Duncan was delegated to look into the matter of obtaining facilities for this work. They will wait upon the Chairman of the Utilities Commission regarding the use of the laboratory for milk testing.

During the year the regular meetings of the Board will be held the second Tuesday of each month at 8 o'clock in the evening.

Accounts Passed.

The following accounts were ordered to be paid: R. J. Boden, $3.00; Dnorss Fruit Co. $2.88; Wm. Brown $2.10; G. J. Jopling and Sons $6.64; J. Steinburg, 77c; Porter S. White, $2; Alexander and Miller, $4.50; Bell Telephone Co. $11.95; W. Scott Co. $2.00.

ALD. G. H. DUNCAN
Who Last Evening was Re-elected Chairman of the Board of Health.

$17.00 CLOCK FREE AT OAK HALL STORE

At nine o'clock this morning, His Worship, Mayor Duffus wound up tightly at the Oak Hall store and took possession of the key, a solid oak clock, citadel design, solid brass figure and hands polished brass plate movements, bevel plate glass with visible brass pendulum ball, striking the hour and 1-2 hour citadel gong, 8-day clock.

The clock is now on exhibition in the Oak Hall window and will be given away to the person guessing nearest to the time the clock stops.

Last year's guesses were confined to Dollar Day only. This year Oak Hall is making a slight change. Commencing Friday morning all purchases made at Oak Hall store up to the night of Dollar Day will be given a ticket with every dollar purchase.

Oak Hall is holding a January Clearance Sale and making radical reductions on their high-class stock and with the valuable clock shown in the window will add greatly to their sale during the week and on Dollar Day.

BAND TO-NIGHT

Positively the BEST Ice in the City. Band in attendance to-night. Sacred Heart Rink. Admission 10c.

A GENERAL ELECTION IS PROPHESIED

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 18.—That there would be a general election in Canada within six months, possibly four months, was the opinion freely expressed to-day by members of both parties who gathered to formally elect a new speaker, E. N. Rhodes, M.P. for Cumberland. Sir Robert Borden and Sir Wilfrid Laurier both spoke briefly this afternoon. His Excellency's speech from the throne will be delivered to-morrow. The debate on the address will be moved on Monday by Gordon Wilson of Wentworth and seconded by J. A. Decarie of Jacques Cartier, in French. There are all kinds of rumours afloat, including the one that Sir Robert Borden may not attend the Imperial conference. Both parties will meet in caucus next week.

SIR CHARLES HIBBERT TUPPER IS CHOSEN AS A DIRECTOR

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Crown Life Insurance Company, held on Tuesday, January 16, 1917, Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, of Vancouver, was elected a Director of the Company. Sir Charles Hibbert is the son of the late Sir Charles Tupper, Bart., the first President of the Crown Life. He has been a shareholder of the Company since its inception, and is keenly interested in its future progress.

WILL COME TO PETERBORO

Miss Ada L. Ward, who will leave on Saturday for Peterborough on her way eastward, has been revelling, as all our overseas visitors do, in the snow and the clear, bright air, and—the wonderful lighting of our streets. After darkened England she says our brightly-lighted towns seem like fairyland and she confesses, with amusing penitance, that she has been enjoying cake, something that the old land has scarcely known the sight of for months.—Toronto Globe.

GEN. VILJOEN, THE FAMOUS BOER, DEAD

MOST BITTER OPPONENT OF BRITISH RULE IS DEAD.

LA MESA, N. M., Jan. 18.—Gen. Benjamin J. Viljoen, who was known as "The Firebrand" during the Boer war and who was regarded as one of the most dangerous Boer leaders, is dead at his home here from pneumonia.

After the war he came here and established a colony of his countrymen. He acted as military adviser to Francisco I. Madero during the Madero revolution in Mexico. His son is now with General Pershing's forces in Mexico.

General Viljoen was in his 49th year and was born in Woodhouse, Eastern Cape Colony. At the age of 18 he joined the gold rush to the Rand, and in 1890 entered the service of the Boer Government. Three years later he began to help organize the Boer military forces, in which he soon rose to the rank of major. In 1896 he broke up the Jameson raid by capturing Dr. Jameson, and for his services was promoted to be commandant of militia and special commandant of burghers in the vicinity of Johannesburg. During the Boer war he gave the British great trouble, and at the end was exiled to St. Helena. In 1902 he was paroled, and, after returning to South Africa to bid his country farewell, forever, came to this country.

ACID STOMACHS ARE DANGEROUS

Nine-tenths of all Stomach Trouble, said to be Due to Acidity

A Physician's Advice on Cause and Cure.

A famous physician whose successful researches into the cause and cure of stomach and intestinal diseases have earned for him an international reputation, said in the course of a recent lecture that nearly all intestinal troubles, as well as many diseases of the vital organs, were directly traceable to a deranged condition of the stomach which in turn was due nine times out of ten to excessive acidity, commonly termed sour stomach or heartburn, which not only irritated and inflamed the delicate lining of the stomach, but also set up gastritis and stomach ulcers. It is interesting to note that he condemns the use of patent medicines as well as of medical treatment for the stomach, stating that he and his colleagues have secured remarkable results by the use of ordinary bisurated magnesia, which, by neutralizing the acidity of the food, removes the source of the trouble. He contends that it is as foolish to treat the stomach itself as it would be for a man who stepped on a tack to rub liniment on the foot without first removing the tack. Remove the tack and the foot will heal itself—neutralize the acid and the stomach troubles will disappear. Irritating medicines and medical treatments are useless, so long as the contents of the stomach remain acid; remove the acidity, and there will be no need for medicine—the inflamed lining of the stomach will then heal itself. Sufferers from acidity, sour stomach or heartburn should get a small bottle of bisurated magnesia from their druggist, and take a teaspoonful in a quarter of a glass of hot or cold water after meals, repeating in fifteen minutes, if necessary, this being the dose which the doctor has found most effacious in all cases.

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VIOLIN, MANDOLIN, PIANO.

Miss M. Telgmann will resume teaching Monday, January 8th. Information Studio, Green Music Co., or 'phone 1098. 5d-mws-6

PIANO, ORGAN, VOICE.

Mr. J. H. Renwick, organist and choirmaster, George Street Methodist Church, has resumed teaching. Pupils prepared for examinations. Many present and former pupils holding good positions. Studio, 567 Aylmer street. 'Phone 1098. 26d-2

MOTHER'S CIRCLE.

The Mother's Circle of the Queen Mary School will hold a meeting for the election of officers for the ensuing year on Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the school. All members are requested to be present.

WANTED.

200 cords green basswood bolts 4 ft. 7 inches long by 4½-inch diameter and upwards. Delivered to Kingdon's Barrell and Heading Factory, 28 Barnardo Avenue, Peterborough. 6d-12-8w-8

RECITAL ON THE NEW EDISON.

To-morrow evening at 8:15 there will be a New Edison Recital given in the Recital Hall of the J. M. Greene Music Co., Ltd., Charlotte St. Programme will appear in Friday's issue. Come and hear it.

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ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH NOTICE.

St. Andrews' Patriotic Society will serve supper in the school-room at 6.30 on Thursday, January 18th (night of annual meeting.) Proceeds for patriotic work. Every member of the congregation is urged to attend. Supper, 25c. 3d-12

EXPRESS AND BAGGAGE.

E. D. Cooney, a returned soldier, has taken over the express business of Eddie Reid and will give prompt and careful attention to all work entrusted to him. 'Phone 847. E. D. Cooney, 340 Aylmer street. 28d-44

TYPEWRITER BARGAINS.

1—Smith Premier (2nd hand) $20.00
1—Smith Premier (rebuilt) 35.00
1—10 in. Underwood (2nd hand) 42.00
1—18 in. Oliver "Biller" 50.00
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Interesting Revelations of a De Laval Officer on a Trip to Florida

A good trip to a big, bustling city, hunderds of miles away, is often the very best tonic a hard-working business or office man can take. Going into some live community, observing what the knowing ones are doing, and coming back with a newly acquired angle of things, is invigorating to one's mental machinery.

These thoughts have been suggested by the recent experience of one of the De Laval Company's busiest office men, who had an opportunity a few weeks ago to get away from his desk for an all too short fortnight's vacation.

That the De Laval cream saving separator has made thousands of friends all over the world received another confirmation by reason of this flying visit made under circumstances similar to what is outlined above.

The closing hours of 1916 found Mr. Chas. D. Cook, manager of the silo department of the De Laval Company of this city, along with his family, en route to the State of Vermont, where they were to enjoy a brief visit to their daughter, who is engaged in one of the largest educational institutions of that border State.

Having enjoyed a few fleeting days in a New Year's family re-union, Mr. Cook was permitted to relieve himself of family ties for a few days in order to gratify a long pent up desire to make a visit to Florida, just to have a personal experience of what sort of a climate existed there in winter time.

On board a U. S. through "flyer," Mr. Cook was rushed through to Savannah in standard time, going over the road at a clip calculated to make some of us who depend on Trent Valley transports feel slightly dizzy. Arriving in Florida he found the temperature up to 65 deg., only a few hours after having left his northern climate, which then registered 8 deg. below zero. Mr. Cook discovered that he had no use for his Canadian overcoat and some other extra baggage. His first experience was in an orange grove, where all he had to do was to put out his hand and pluck the juicy, sun kissed oranges, refreshing himself to his appetites fullest content. But this experience was not exactly what was calculated to satisfy the predominating instincts of a De Laval official. Mr. Cook was far away from home and if he could only come in contact with some of the products of his home works he would be more contented. With a little available help, he soon found himself on his way out to a fine Florida dairy farm where 150 head of cattle were browsing in green pasture fields. On entering his new found friend's premises the first thing that attracted his attention was a De Laval cream-saving separator, and a little farther away was a barrel of Wyandotte cleanser and cleaner. Mr. Cook felt himself at home at once, and while the charms of a Florida climate was strongly appealing to his physical senses, he forgot that he was a thousand miles and more away from his office desk in Peterborough.

Proud to see the products of his home factory in practical use away at the other end of the continent, Mr. Cook stayed round until he could stay no longer. Gathering new information for 1917, and bringing back some "follow-up leads" that would help to start the new year at a good De Laval clip.

"Did the Florida oranges taste any better than those you get in Peterborough?" was asked Mr. Cook.

"Can't say that they did. They just seemed a little bit riper than those picked for shipment north. But I think one can get almost as good an a-range from Mr. Oke as he could pick in Florida."

"Hear anything about the war away down south? "Very little, you wouldn't know that a war was going on. People down there don't talk war the way they do up north. The newspapers do not print any large "scareheads" and business appears to go on as if they didn't know much about the scrap going on in Europe.

A MODERN INVENTION.

It is said that a man who won't buy a paper because he can borrow one has invented a machine by which he can cook his dinner by the smoke from his neighbour's chimney.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. James Blake and family wishes to thank their many friends, the Solders' Wives' and Mothers' Club, I.O.O.F., and All Saints' Bible Class, for their kind sympathy and beautiful floral tributes in their sad and sudden bereavement in the death of their beloved son.

ST. JOHN'S CHOIR.

St. John's Choir practice to-night in the Guild Room at 8 p.m.

Boys at 7:30.

The choruses "The Marvellous Work," and "The Heavens Are Telling," from Haydn's "Creation," will be taken up. Choristers having copies of the "Creation" are requested to bring them to practice.

THANKS EXTENDED.

The Otonabee Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire wish to thank all those who assisted so willingly in making the banquet to returned soldiers such a success: The Conservatory Orchestra, Turner Bros., Mr. Logie of the Bank of Nova Scotia and those who assisted him, Mr. G. A. Morrow, Mr. Fair, Richard Hall & Son, Stenson Bros., Mr. Kerr, Mrs. Collins and Mr. Fessenden, Messrs. Mason, Connal, Prindle, Hamilton Bros, J. Bell, C. Waller, L. Potvin, I. W. Edwards, Matthews-Blackwell, Mervin, Jopling, Gorden, Coleman Bros., Hooper Bros., Jordan Bros., The Examiner, The Review and The Times.

If people only knew what they can buy Jewelry, Watches, etc. for at E. V. Warne's Closing-Out Sale, the goods would not last long.

OBITUARY

MRS. WILLIAM LITTLE.

The death occurred Tuesday, January sixteenth, near midnight, at Port Hope Hospital, of Margaret Little, wife of William Little, 548 Stewart street, Peterborough.

Deceased left Peterborough to visit her sister in Port Hope about two weeks ago.

The funeral will leave her brother-in-law Mr. L. Wilson's residence, Port Hope, Friday morning for the Grand Trunk station. On arrival of noon train, 12.10 in Peterborough, the funeral will proceed to Little Lake cemetery. Service at the grave will be conducted by Rev. Mr. Pogue.

ADELINE FORCIER.

Adeline Forcier died this morning at St. Joseph's Hospital after a short attack of penumonia.

Mrs. Forcier, who was 84 years of age, was born in Quebec, coming to reside in Peterborough a number of years ago.

The funeral will be held on Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from the family residence, Wescott street, to the Church of the Sacred Heart, thence to St. Peter's Cemetery.

JOSEPH MAUD.

Lakefield lost one of her best known and most highly respected residents this morning at 4 o'clock, in the death of Joseph Maud, who, for a long period, had been engaged in the harness business in Lakefield. The deceased had only been sick a few days, dying from an attack of brain fever. The late Mr. Maud was a brother-in-law of Mrs. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Hutchinson and Mrs. Heed of Peterborough. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity and is survived by a wife and one daughter, Hazel.

The funeral will take place on Saturday to the Lakefield cemetery.

JAMES McGRATH

Another resident of our village, passed away on January 13, 1917, in the person of Mr. James McGrath after an illness of five weeks. Deceased was born in the township of Emily fifty-eight years ago and has resided in Kinmount for the past thirty-five years. He leaves to mourn his loss, a sorrowing wife, three sons and three daughters, namely: Nellie and Katie of Toronto, Joseph of Fort William, and Thomas, Dominic and Laura of Kinmount. Interment took place on Tuesday, January 16th in the Galway Roman Catholic cemetery.

THOMAS GUNN.

An old and most highly respected resident of Peterborough passed away last night at 8.30 o'clock in the person of Thomas Gunn, 403 London street after a short illness. The deceased was born in Bristol, England, but had lived in Peterborough for about forty years, carrying on a brush manufacturing business. He had many friends in the district who will be sorry to hear of his death. The deceased is survived by two sons, Charles and John of Saskatchewan and four daughters, Mrs. McAdam, Graham, Ont., Mrs. D. Hatton, Saskatchewan, Mrs. J. D. Peace, Peterborough and Miss Nellie of Regina, Sask. The deceased was a member of the Sons of England and was very popular with his fellow members.

The funeral will take place to-morrow at 2.30 o'clock from the family residence to Little Lake Cemetery.

WEDDING BELLS

FEELEY—WEBSTER.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the church of the Sacred Heart this morning at 7.30 when Pte. Hildos J. Feeley of 553 Romaine street, Peterborough was united in marriage to Mary Grace Webster of Spencerport, N. Y. Rev. Fr. O'Brien performed the ceremony. The bride wore a dress of alice blue silk with hat to match. The couple were attended by Florence and Leon Feeley, sister and brother of the groom.

After the ceremony breakfast was served to about fifteen guests at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Feeley were the recipients of numerous valuable and beautiful gifts.

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"BARNIE" MATSCHKE WELL KNOWN HERE, IS DEAD

Many Peterborough citizens, to whom he was well known, will regret to learn of the death of Bernard A. (Barney) Matschike, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who died recently in German Valley, N.J. He was for twenty-two years with the New York Fire Department, where he gained a reputation as a fearless and daring fire fighter. He was a frequent visitor to Peterborough, his father having been employed here as a fur cutter. The late Mr. Matschike is survived by his wife and by his stepmother, who resides in Peterborough.

Lest you forget—E. V. Warne's Closing-Out Jewelry Sale is still going at Auction Prices. Step in and ask prices.

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

New York Stocks—

Air Brake, 146 1-2, 146 1-2; Atchison, 105 1-2; B. and O., 84 1-2, 84 3-4; C.P.R., 160 1-2, 163 1-8; Erie, 52 1-2, 53 1-8; Erie Pfd., 47 3-4, 48; N.P., 108 3-4; Penna., 56 1-2; Reading, 102 1-2, 103 5-8; St. Paul, 90 3-4, 91 7-8; U.P., 144 3-4, 145 5-8; Beth. Steel, 438, 440; Rep. Steel, 99 1-4, 80 1-8; U. S. Steel, 113 5-8, 115 1-4; Anaconda, 85 1-8, 86 1-4; Inter. Nickel, 41 3-8, 42; Amn. Loco., 77 1-4, 77 3-4.

Canadian Stocks—

Cement, 63 1-4, 63. N. S. Steel, 116; Dom. Steel, 67; Steel of Canada, 66 1-4, 67 ;Steamers, 35; Smelters, 34; Canada Car, 25 bid; Gen. Elec., 112 1-2.

Chicago Grain—

May wheat, 190; July, 153 1-2; May corn, 102 3-8.

BIRTHS.

PERRIN—On Monday, Jan. 8, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Perrin, Bailieboro, a son.

HALL—At Nicholls Hospital, January 7th, Sunday, to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. F. Hall, a son.

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Choir practice to-night at 8. A full attendance of members is requested.

ALL SAINTS' CHOIR.

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GEORGE STREET CHOIR.

The members of the George street Methodist church choir are asked to meet to-night at 7.45 o'clock sharp, for practice.

NOTICE.

A special meeting of the members of Lansdowne Lodge S.O.E. will be held this evening at eight o'clock to arrange for the funeral of the late Bro. T. Gunn.

FUNERAL TO-MORROW.

The funeral of the late Joseph Dwyer will take place on Friday morning, leaving the family residence, 141 Rubidge Street, at a quarter to nine.

A RABBIT HUNT.

Messrs. Roland Denne, Stan. Coon, Chas. Stapleton, M. Kirn and C. Mills had a rabbit hunt on Tuesday last. It was successful in as much as the rabbits were hunted and a good average bag was secured. This should help reduce the high cost of living.

BURIED THIS AFTERNOON.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Anna Maria Yost took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of Mr. John Smith, 140 Antrim Street. The funeral was held under the auspices of the Salvation Army of which she was an active and valued member. The band of the Army was in attendance.

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Egg-O Baking Powder, reg. 25c. Special.. .....tin 22c

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The British Have Made Further Gains on the Western Front

Advance of Teutons in Roumania Is Now At a Standstill

Allied Generals Are Already Carrying Out Chief's Plans

The Meeting Emphasizes Anew the Harmony of Spirit to Win a Victory Which Now Animates the Allies—Will Continue the War Until the Allies Aim Has Been Achieved

FURTHER DRAFTS ANNOUNCED

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, January 19.—The recent Rome conference of Entente Premiers decided what steps the Allies would take in their future warfare. A conference of military chiefs of the Entente just concluded here mapped out how these were to be accomplished with the men and materials in hand.

This interpretation of the meeting called by Premier Lloyd George is generally made by the public to-day in emphasizing anew the harmony of spirit to win a victory which now animates the Allies.

All that was announced on the conference was that it was in line with the Entente reply to President Wilson, which announced the Entente's unswerving determination to continue the war until the Allies' aims had been achieved.

Among the participants were Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig, Commander-in-Chief of the British forces, and General Nivelle, French Generalissimo, with a number of other commanders.

Coincident with the meeting came the announcement from the Government that citizens of the class exempted by the Military Service Law are to replace one-half of the farm workers under twenty-six years of age.

Apparently also the Government has decided that the shoe-making trade can stand further drafts of men, as drafts are out for a large number of workers in this industry under thirty.

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A "Mine" of Frozen Potatoes Is Found By Railway Tracks

Carloads Dumped With Evident Intention of Keeping Up Food Prices—Engineers Make Discovery in Surveying Land For Sewer Project—Ten Carloads Were Sacrificed

HIGH PRICES MAINTAINED

MONTREAL, Jan. 19.—At least one tangible reason for the high cost of living in Montreal was discovered this week by three civil engineers, who came across a 'mine' of frozen potatoes on the Turcot flats, three miles west of Cote St. Paul, beside the tracks of the Grand Trunk Railway. Some ten carloads, worth at present market prices, $2.25 a bag, had been dumped into the discard at that point.

There has been much talk of the destruction of potatoes, and of the withholding of food products from the market to affect the prices paid by the consumer. This find affords conclusive evidence that such tales have basis in fact.

The potato 'mine,' which was visited by a representative of the press after the engineers had reported their discovery, appears clearly an attempt to conceal from public knowledge the wilful destruction of a very large quantity of food supplies, probably for the effect on the market price.

Good Potatoes Frozen.

Three civil engineers of Montreal, R. H. Greetham, Michael Downes and Gilbert Carroll, who are at present engaged in surveying the Turcot flats in connection with the Little St. Pierre River sewer project, were driving survey stakes in the vicinity of the 'disinfecting station' of the Grand Trunk Railway, about three miles west of Cote St. Paul boundary line, when they made the discovery. At one point they found that for a depth of three feet there was a solid bed of perfect, unblighted potatoes, frozen as hard as anthracite coal. Another two feet down, and steam from a repulsive, decaying mass of potatoes rose into the frosty air.

The engineers made further investigations and the full significance of the plot was revealed. Some 300,000 pounds of potatoes, they estimate, must have gone into that dump heap.

Mysterious Cars.

Three weeks ago, they ascertained ten mysterious box cars were backed down the railway siding to the disinfecting station, where cattle-cars, horse cars, etc., are habitually taken to be cleaned out and disinfected. The ten cars in question were also unloaded, as well as being cleaned and disinfected. To-day, beside the railway siding may be seen ten great heaps or mounds, carefully covered over with tons of manure to screen them from the public eye. Nature has seemed to join in the plot by placing above the manure another deep covering of snow.

To-day the farmer, who comes to the disinfecting station to purchase fertilizer for his fields, is paying $5 per ton for material that the public in general would have been glad to have at $40.

The ten carloads of potatoes that would have been exceedingly welcome in the Montreal market have been sacrificed to the economic law of supply and demand, in order that the present price for potatoes, $2.25 a bag, may be maintained.

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FARM STOCK SALE IN ENNISMORE

On Wednesday, January 24th an important acution sale of farm stock, implements, etc., will be held on the premises of Mr. James Guiry, Lot 6 in the 6th Concession of Enniamore. Mr. Guiry's stables contain some fifteen fine horses, well sired and well matched, a large number of pure bred cows and sires; also heifers, steers, and calves; as well as a lot of store hogs, etc. The implements are in good condition. Sale starts at 12 o'clock noon and lunch will be provided. Geo. Jackson, of Port Perry, Auctioneer. Mr. Guiry has rented his farm. 4d-16

SEIZE CLERGYMAN AS DRUG SELLER

NEW YORK—The Rev. Dr. William N. Ritchey, a retired Presbyterian clergyman, seventy-one years old, was arrested by detectives of the drug squad in Brooklyn at his home, No. 108 St. James place. They accused him before Magistrate Folwell in a Brooklyn court of having violated the Public Health law by dispensing morphine.

Dr. Ritchey asserted that his arrest was a great mistake. He has been known to members of the clergy in Brooklyn as a tireless worker among the derelicts of the poorer sections of the city. He himself says that he has saved more than six hundred "drug fiends" since he began the work fifteen years ago. He always works in co-operation with a physician, he says, although he would not reveal the practitioner's name.

When held in bail of $500, his son at once produced five one hundred dollar bills. Detectives Greer, Moog and Higgins, who made the arrest, say they have evidence that Dr. Ritchey has had at least one thousand ounces of morphine in his possession since they have been watching him. One of the detectives says he bought a bottle containing a solution of the drug before the arrest was made.

The Rev. Dr. S. Edward Young, of the Bedford Presbyterian Church, said that he had known Dr. Ritchey for twenty years and that his "intentions were of the best." Dr. Arnold W. Catlin, a physician, of the St. George Hotel, an old friend of the clergyman, called the arrest "an outrage."

May Land More Troops In Greece

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—The ultimatum handed to Greece by the Entente Allies hinted that more troops might be landed at Itea.

Teuton Advance Is Stopped At The Sereth Line

Special to The Examiner:

LONDON, Jan. 19.—The Teuton advance in Roumania is now at a complete standstill. The invaders were stopped at the Sereth line.

Rebels Killed By the Italians

Special to The Examiner:

PARIS, Jan. 19.—One thousand Tripolitan rebels killed by Italian troops advancing 500 strong to attack Zoara.

Raider May Be The Moewe

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

RIO DE JANERIO, Jan. 19.—It is believed certain that the German raider is the Moewe.

Kansas City, Mo., has only 1,006 school children with perfect teeth. Of 17,024 pupils, 15,000 never use tooth brushes.

RUSSIAN ACHIEVEMENTS FOR THE PAST YEAR

Four Hundred and Twenty Thousand German Soldiers Captured by Russian Troops, Also Eight Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy Officers

RUSSIAN OPERATIONS REVIVED

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, Jan. 19.—Four hundred and twenty thousand German soldiers and 8,770 German officers were captured by Russian troops during the year 1916, according to figures published by the Service Journal to-day in reviewing the Russian achievements for the twelve months past. In addition to the capture of men the Russian forces took 525 cannon, 1,661 machine guns, 421 trench mortars and mine throwers. Of the booty, both in men and guns, it is estimated that 80 per cent. came from General Brusiloff's three months' operations on a 300-mile front.

British Have Extended Gains

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 19.—The British have further extended the gains made Wednesday near Beaucourt.

Prisoners Freed By Government

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

ATHENS, Jan. 19.—One hundred and sixty Venizelist prisoners freed by the Athens government.

India Will Issue A War Loan

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 19.—India is to issue a war loan of an unlimited amount to Britain.

Switzerland Fears An Invasion

Examiner Special:

LONDON, Jan. 19.—The Swiss general staff is convinced that the invasion of Switzerland by the Germans is contemplated. It is reported that masses of German troops are concentrating Basle.

BAD STORM IN THE WEST

Rev. Mr. Whittam received a letter from his sister in Moose Jaw yesterday in which she states that Moose Jaw had recently experienced one of the worst snow storms in its history. The storm is reported to be due in this section to-day.

PLOUGHMEN RECORD A HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL YEAR JUST CLOSED

Recommend Township Matches For the Consideration of the Directors —Mr. Joshua Smithson Re-elected President—Satisfactory Financial Statement

The annual meeting of the Peterboro Plowmen's Association was held on Thursday afternoon in the Court House, with John Gillespie presiding in the absence of Mr. Joshua Smithson, who was snowbound at his residence in Otonabee. With other members he could qualify for a first position in field plowing, but furrowing through the snow drifts with a light cutter was a more strenuous and wearying plodding than that which Gray immortalised. However, the attendance was fairly large, and the reports of the most encouraging character.

The officers were elected as follows:

President—Joshua Smithson.
1st Vice-Pres.—John Gillespie.
2nd Vice-Pres.—C. E. Moore.
Sec.-Treas.—Chas. Brown.
Directors for 1917:
North Monaghan—J. McIntosh and H. G. Webber.
Otonabee—W. A. Anderson and W. Cleghorn.
Enniamore — John Young and D. Crough.
Asphodel — Max Brown, William Breckenridge and Wm. Knox.
Douro—M. Walsh.
Belmont—Wes. Johnston.
Dummer—C. J. Darling.
Harvey—R. Shaw.
Smith—J. H. Garbutt and A. B. Mann.
Peterboro—H. B. Cowan.
Auditors—Wm. Collins and J. A. McGregor.

APPOINTED DELEGATES.

J. H. Garbutt and Wm. Knox were appointed delegates to the Provincial Plowmen's Association in Toronto on Feb. 8th.

Moved by Mr. Garbutt, seconded by Mr. Knox, that the treasurer send the annual fee of $10 to the Central Association.

TOWNSHIP MATCHES.

A suggestion was forwarded to the directors of the local county association to try to arrange a competition for the best plowed field of five acres or upwards, to be held in each township and that liberal prizes be offered. It was suggested that the district representatives might act as judges. This is merely a suggestion which it is expected the directors will fully consider. Enniamore already holds a township contest that is bearing good results.

A GOOD YEAR.

The financial statement was entirely satisfactory and from this standpoint and the success of the county match this year it was felt that 1916 had not only found the association flourishing but also making steady progress. Everything points to a continuance of this condition and 1917 is regarded with every hope of even better and bigger results.

Magnetized plates to be fastened to a finger with clips have been invented to save carpenters' time in picking up nails.

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Merchants, whose stores are included in the Dollar Day list, can secure their supplies at the Examiner Office as follows:-

Estimating Blanks, 100, 10c; 1000, $1.00
Pennants, use them freely, 100 ..... 40c
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Medium Cards, 2 styles, doz..... 10c
..... 100 ..... 80c
Large Bargain Cards, 2 for..... 5c..

All are printed in Red Ink, the distinctive Dollar Day colour. Send for, or 'phone list you require and they will be delivered. Get them early. Have some pennants in your window for Saturday, to-morrow, to help advertise the day to the people from outside who will be in town.

Just good old-fashion'd Common Sense tells many folks To use INSTANT POSTUM instead of tea and coffee

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Corrected January 15, 1917.

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*1.32 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, and Ottawa.
**11.57 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and intermediate points, and all points east of Montreal.

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*5.14 a.m.—Maple and North Toronto.
**7.35 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York. Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
**9.15 a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port Mc-Nichol and Intermediate points.
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OUR SERIAL STORY

"DESTINY"

By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday.)

Hamilton's dream palace, with all its splendid plunder of art treasures, had gone under the hammer in satisfaction of a court judgment. Next went the house which his parents had occupied, and before that all the servants had gone, save one. Yamuro's passion of devotion to Hamilton had descended in a lesser degree to Paul, and with the grave courtesy of the Samurai he waived aside all discussion of wages. Had he not saved much money for a Japanese boy who needed little? Already he could open a small shop and sell kimonos and jade trinkets and embroideries....but that could wait until such time as his usefulness ended here.

The final day came, and the shrunken household effects were removed to a small apartment in Greenwich village, so it was time for Paul to say good-bye to Yamuro. It was Yamuro who had found the flat and had haggled explosively over the terms of the lease. It had been to Yamuro, too, who had gone with Mary, when she carried her mother's jewels from place to place, offering them for sale. The faithful little attendant knew that what was salvaged from such bargaining must be the last resort and sole capital of this shattered family. As the lady with the pale but lively face looking out from the shadow of her mourning veil went from dealer to dealer, he followed a step behind her, watchful of eye, guarding her remnant of treasure against possible mischance.

Now he stood with Paul in the room which the musician would not again occupy, and Paul's eyes suddenly filled with tears while the son of a race called stoical turned away and occupied himself with a lump in his throat.

The Jap caught the extended palm in his own two hands and bent over it. He was not weeping and he was not talking but he stood with his head lowered until now the wiry black hair was visible, and in his throat rose guttural and incoherent noises like groans.

"I can't show my appreciation as I'd like," said Paul. "The day for that is gone but there are some clothes that I didn't pack. I left them for you—" Even in an hour which called for defence of every penny Paul was still an impractical man whose open heart and affectionate nature called for expression. "And this—" he put his hand in his pocket and drew out a watch upon which any pawnbroker would have advanced a goodly sum—"this was Hamilton's." His voice broke as he held it out. "I think he would like you to have it. His will left you twenty thousand dollars—but—well, you know."

Yamuro straightened up. He raised both hands in a gesture of protest and his words came fast and vehemently.

"No, no! Thanks ver' mutch—no—no! You great artist—you not un'stand making money. You need—mother—sister—father all need. No—please!"

He halted; then in a deep embarrassment, went on. "Me got money in bank. Me not want be impert'nent, but—" He paused, seeking a disguised and delicate fashion of volunteering aid and looked appealingly into the other's face for assistance.

Fresh tears welled into Paul's eyes. "I understand you, Yamuro," he said laying a head on the stocky shoulder. "No; Yamuro, you have done enough, God bless you!" He could not trust himself further and so he turned abruptly and left the room.

These rooms in the twisting by-ways of picturesque old Greenwich Village, seemed mean and dry to their new tenants but they were very good as compared with what Mary knew must follow. The pitiful store of money which her last stand financiering had raked together would not be renewed when spent, nor would it last long. It was only that they might have a temporary refuge in which to think out the future that the girl had chosen these quarters.

Then very shortly came the day when the house that had been the home of the elder Burtons also went under the hammer, and an unconquerable magnetism drew Paul to the spot though he knew that the place would be filled with people who to him must seem pillagers. He had nerved himself to ask a thing for which he had been longing ever since those doors had closed upon him. In that house was the pagan temple which his brother had built for his shrine of dreams, and the organ which might have graced a temple. If they would allow him ten minutes there alone—ten minutes to finger the keys for the last time—at least he meant to ask it. It was a much changed man who presented himself diffidently at a house to which the public had been invited by the commissioner's advertisement. His clothes were already beginning to indicate his deteriorated condition, although thanks to Mary's care, they were scrupulously neat. The things to be sold this morning could find purchasers only among the very rich, and for that precise reason the occasion had attracted a host of people who came as they might have gone to a fire or to a museum. Paul Burton found it easy enough to meet those eyes. It was when he encountered the gaze of old associates that he shrunk and trembled.

The sale had not yet begun and the crowds were drifting hither and thither, bent on preliminary inspection, jostling arms with the men from the detective agencies assigned to the occasion.

Paul found the person who seemed vested with authority and to him put his request. The individual looked at this pale young man and recognized him. There was a pathos in his face that could hardly be denied — and there was no reason for denying him.

"Certainly, Mr. Burton," he said. "I'll instruct the door man not to let any one else in—unless you have friends that you would like to take with you."

Paul shook his head. "I'd rather be alone," he said. But as the two elbowed their way through the crowd he found himself face to face with a dark haired, deep-eyed woman in fashionable and becoming mourning, upon whose fingers sparkled a number of rings. The musician halted in his tracks and turned desperately pale. He had heard that Loraine Haswell had returned from Europe—and he had heard vague rumours which had deeply shocked him. If they were based on truth it seemed improbable that she would care to risk meeting any of her old associates. Yet when his eyes encountered hers he found her laughing gaily, and he realized that, whatever else had happened to Loraine Haswell, she had lost none of her beauty.

"Loraine!" he exclaimed, his voice betraying his excitement, and she responded calmly, but with no emotion, "Good morning, Mr. Burton." It was as though they had parted yesterday, but also as though they had never met, save casually. Before that parting; as though their lives had never touched more intimately than in the brushing contact of passers by. To Paul it seemed very cruel and he was about to pass on when she stopped him.

"Mr. Burton," she suggested, in a cautiously guarded voice, "I wish that you would send back my letters. I am stopping at the Plaza."

The man was silent for a moment, then he said simply:

"I have already burned them."

She searched his eyes for a moment and seeming satisfied of their truthfulness, smiled. "That will do. It's just as well. Thank you. Now silly they were to write them, were they not?"

Paul hurried after his guide, who had been deferentially waiting a few steps distant, but at the entrance of the music room he halted again—and this time his cheeks blanched with a greater astonishment. There, standing within arm's reach, was Marcia Terrell, though her face was averted, she did not see him.

"What brings you here?" he asked in a low voice, and as she turned to face him her hands went spasmodically to her breast.

"I didn't know that you would be here," she said faintly, but did not tell him that she had come in response to the same instinct which draws pilgrims to shrines has followed by association; because this had been the temple of his art.

"They have promised," Paul told her, "to let me have fifteen minutes in there undisturbed—to play my organ for the last time." His eyes met hers and he added in an earnest undertone, "Won't you go with me, Marcia?"

The woman's eyes glistened with a moisture. "Are you sure that you wouldn't rather be quite alone Isn't it rather sacred to you?"

"That is why I want you," he eagerly declared. "It will be something to remember afterwards."

They went in and for a moment the girl stood gasping at the magnificence of the place, of which she had read descriptions, but which she had never seen. Then her eyes flooded and, with a sense of revelation, she forgave him every frailty and fault—even her isolated horror of longing she had been carrying in her heart. So sensitive a soul, as his could not have been expected to stand out Spartan-bold against the voluptuary blandishments of such surroundings—and such a life. He looked at her for a long while and once, unseen by her, he put out his arms, but caught them back again with a swift gesture and shook his head. Now he knew in all bitterness what Loraine Haswell and his own cowardice had cost him—and it was too late.

Loraine Haswell and his own cowardice! He had not fully realized it before, but from that episode when he fled to Hamilton from his lunch with her had sprung the rest of every succeeding chapter of tragedy—and for her he had lost Marcia! Then he led her to a place of vantage and went to the keyboard.

Never had Paul Burton played like that before for as the music swelled and pealed through the place his heart was singing its swan song. In a moment of manhood beyond his moral stature he had drawn back arms that were hungry for her—and he now knew too late, that there was no one else who counted. But the organ was not so repressive and as she listened she knew that the tragedy was not hers alone. While his fingers strayed to the improvising of his yearning and despair the woman sat spellbound and finally he swung into that tritest of time-worn airs, "Home, Sweet Home."

A gasp came into Marcia's throat. As Paul Burton left his seat, and came down to her, his face was drawn, and he said bluntly, "She is here to day."

She did not have to ask details or if it was ended. The music had told her everything. In a sudden gust of feeling and wrath against this woman who had stood between her and happiness, she wanted to say bitter things—but she only nodded.

"Now that matters have turned out as they have," the man spoke deliberately, but tensely, "I shall not see you again. Now that I'm a bankrupt and it's all over, Marcia, I want you to know that I love you—that I love you without doubt or hesitation. In this world, and whatever other worlds there are, there is only you....you whom I lost because the coward must lose every good thing life holds." He broke off and asked very humbly,—"Just in farewell—may I kiss you—once more?"

With a torrent of sobs she came into his arms. "From the first," she declared, "I've been just yours. I have never thought of myself except as yours. Take me! Poverty doesn't frighten me. I've known it too long—it's like an old friend. Let's fight our way back together."

There are moments which turn mice into lions and make heroes of the craven. Unfortunately they are apt to be ephemeral. Paul Burton shook his head as he looked into her eyes, and answered with an unwonted resolution.

"No," he said bitterly, "not now. Now I am a bum."

(To be continued.)

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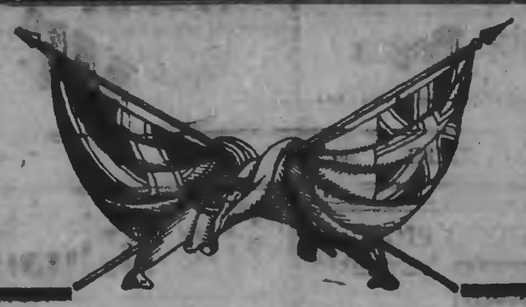

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A Parting Dinner

By ALAN HINSDALE

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"That's not a bad idea," said the husband. "A bit of freedom from this new life that neither of us has yet become used to will give us a breathing spell, and if we come together again we will appreciate each other all the more for it."

"That 'if' is well put in."

"And if we don't come together again just think of the fun we'll have!"

"Fun?"

"Yes. I can remain out at a poker party till 3 o'clock in the morning if I like, smoke and drink to my heart's content, spend no end of time sitting on a stool before a glove counter with a pretty girl on the other side smoothing down my fingers with her soft hand"—

"If these things are so delightful to you why did you marry?"

"I haven't come to your own enjoyments consequent on the break yet. You can sit all day beside your mother, holding her hand and listening to her advice to you how to manage a husband. Won't that be just too nice for anything?"

"If you loved me one-tenth as well as mamma does there would be no need of a separation."

"Oh, I could never compete with a mother's love! That is not to be expected. I suppose that's what gives her a right to tell you just what course to take respecting your husband. Now that you're going to leave me, her advice with respect to me will be no longer necessary, and I wonder what you and she will talk about when you nestle down for a morning chin-chin."

She was inclined to think that, the one interesting topic being removed, the chin-chin would be rather dull, but she did not say so.

"There's one thing I propose to do," continued the provoking husband. "As soon as you are gone I'm going to take down these curtains. I have endured them simply for your sake. They shut out the light."

"Indeed, you will do no such thing!"

"Why so? It will not matter to you whether there are curtains here or not. I shall make a smoking room of this, and you have always declared that when smoke gets into curtains it's hard to get it out."

"A smoking room of this cozy apartment! Why, I arranged everything here myself!"

"So you did, and a delightful room you made of it. I remember when I first saw it I thought how many delightful seances we would have here. I little thought that a few short months would end it all."

"Whose fault is it?"

"Mine."

"Why don't you do better?"

"I can't. I'm naturally wicked. If I were not you wouldn't need to leave me."

"Of course I don't want to leave you, but you can't expect me to endure such treatment forever."

"Certainly not. I deserve it all. But it's sad to think of my having to dismantle this pretty room for a lot of fellows who will throw cigar and pipe ashes all over the carpet and"—

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"I agree with you. Therefore the daughter should never leave her mother."

"The daughter is not expected to marry a—a"—

"Brute! But we are wasting time. When do you go?"

"Are you in haste to be rid of me?"

"Not at all. I merely wish to make arrangements for your departure. Will you permit me to see you to your mother's house?"

"Who said I was going to mamma?"

"Very well. I will take you wherever you wish to go."

"You'll have to dine elsewhere today. I have made no preparations for dinner here."

"Suppose we have a last dinner at Skinners, with a bottle of that wine you like so well?"

She hesitated, and he suggested that she telephone her mother that she would not arrive till after dinner. This last reference to her mother, though highly respectful, called a frown to the wife's brow. Nevertheless she went to the phone and sent the message. Then she dressed for the dinner and came downstairs looking very lugubrious.

"Have you sent your baggage?" he asked mildly.

"No!" she snapped.

They dined with handsomely dressed ladies and gentlemen to detract their attention from their troubles, and music soothed them, and the wine warmed them. The dinner was excellent, and they spent an enjoyable evening together. When they drove away he made no mention of the fact that she had expected to go to her mother, but directed the driver to take them to their own home.

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If Cleopatra had lived in these times she could not possibly get a supper at 2 shillings a head, with waiter and wine included.

In those days a large jar of wine cost only 4 shillings, and this probably lasted a long time. A pigeon was dear at 2½ pence, and a quantity of vegetables which lasted for months could be bought for about 8 shillings.

Slaves were easy enough to get, and their dress was so scanty that liveries couldn't have been expensive.

Cleopatra once went in for a very costly drink. She melted a priceless pearl in a glass of wine and presented it to Mark Antony. But the queen of Egypt did not go in for such extravagances every night.

Nero, the tyrannical emperor of the Romans, famed for his extravagant, luxurious living, who gave twenty-two course dinners, where the guests reclined on ivory and silver couches and dipped their fingers into finger bowls which contained costly wines, did not spend nearly so much on feasting as many modern millionaires.—London Answers.

Zulu Songs'ers.

The arrival of a European in a Zulu village, the opening of a railway, a war, a famine, a plague of locusts, a pestilence may become topics for semi-public songs that are soon circulated among the people. Songs are used at the public functions of chiefs, such as the feast of the first fruits and at royal marriages. War and tribal songs are possessed by every chief and tribe. At marriages and other public ceremonies it is the Zulu custom to render not only the songs of the living chief, but those made famous by his father and grandfather.

Waiting For Him to Start Something.

"I'm just waiting for my husband to complain about my extravagance this month."

"Ready to give him an argument, eh?"

"You bet I am. By mistake his golf club checks came to the house, and I've got 'em."—Detroit Free Press.

Hay Seeds For Confetti.

Weddings in China are arranged by "go-betweens"—usually the busy old gossips of the district—who get a commission on the amount paid by the bridegroom to the father of the bride. On the wedding day the bride is clad in red and carried in a Sedan chair covered with red. Anybody has a right to turn back the chair curtains and take a look at her. Her hair is elaborately oiled, and so all the other girls throw hayseeds at her, which stick. On reaching the home of her husband the bride has to submit to the candid criticisms of the entire family. The strange wedding ceremony consists in the husband and wife eating rice from each other's bowl. Of course there is a feast, but it does not cost much, for every guest is expected to contribute something.

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If you are accustomed to wake up with a coated tongue, foul breath or a dull, dizzy headache; or, if your meals sour and turn into gas and acids, you have a real surprise awaiting you.

To-morrow morning, immediately upon arising, drink a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This is intended to first neutralize and then wash out of your stomach, liver, kidneys and thirty feet of intestines all the indigestible waste, poisons, sour bile and toxins, thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal.

Those subject to sick headaches, backache, bilious attacks, constipation or any form of stomach trouble, are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store and begin enjoying this morning inside-bath. It is said that men and women who try this become enthusiastic and keep it up daily. It is a splendid health measure for it is more important to keep clean and pure on the inside than on the outside, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, causing disease, while the bowel pores do.

The principle of bathing inside is not new, as millions of people practice it. Just as hot water and soap cleanse, purify and freshen the skin, so hot water and a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate set on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels. Limestone phosphate is an inexpensive white powder and almost tasteless.

How's That?

At the conclusion of the assizes at a provincial town the legal luminaries indulged in a cricket match. A certain well-known judge presently occupied the wicket, and so persistantly did he display the stone-walling tactics that his opponents despaired of getting him out. After a futile appeal of "leg before," the judge said to the umpire:

"I wonder if I am to be imprisoned here until the next assizes?"

He had hardly spoken when an extra fast ball removed the cross-pieces.

"No, my lord," replied the umpire, with a sly grin; "you are bailed out."

Morbidly Suspicious.

"If you want to fight I'll hold your coat," said the bystander to the quarrelsome man.

"Great Scott! Can't a man even stand in the street without having a check boy try to work a tip out of him?"—Washington Star.

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SOCIAL ANNOYANCES.

Somewhat Similar in the Tenth Century to What They Are Today.

That there were objectives in the social amenities of life in the tenth century similar to those observable at the present day is shown in a remarkable book, "Makura no Zoshi," which was the work of Sei Shonagon, a postess of the ancient Japanese court. One of her chapters she devotes to "Detestable Things," and these included:

"A visitor who sits down to regale you with a long tale when you are in a hurry. If by chance he is an intimate friend you can pack him off until another time. But those whom you cannot summarily dismiss are detestable indeed.

"Babies who cry or dogs that bark just when you are trying to overhear something.

"A dog that barks at visitors. I have often wanted to kill such dogs.

"People who interrupt your story to show off their own cleverness. All interruptors, young and old, are very detestable.

"People who when you are telling a story break in with 'Oh, I know,' and give quite a different version from your own.

"Either at home or in the palace to be roused up to receive an unwelcome visitor in order to avoid whom you have been pretending to be asleep."

INDEXING BOOKS.

The Custom Is an Old One That Developed Rather Slowly.

The custom of indexing books developed gradually. Cicero used the word "index," but in the sense of a table of contents. Seneca provided scrolls which he sent to a friend with notes of particular passages, "so that he who only aimed at the useful might be spared the trouble of examining them entire." This was at least a partial "index" in the modern sense. Annotated, or at least explanatory, tables of contents seem to have preceded the index proper.

Such tables followed the order of appearance of the subjects in the book itself. Alphabetical arrangement, which was the beginning of the real index, appears not to have been thought of until the invention of printing, and even then it spread but slowly. Erasmus was one of the first to provide his works with alphabetical indexes. The custom did not become universal until well into the sixteenth century.

The first index to an English book is said to be that printed in Polydore Vergil's "Anglise Historiae" in 1546. An edition of this work published ten years later has an index of thirty-seven pages.

It Wasn't Catching.

At a local cricket match the fielding of the home team was very poor, catch after catch being dropped in aggravating persistence. Geordie, who bowled mainly for catches, was riled to see catch after catch dropped from his bowling, and when one of the offenders, failing to hold the ball, muttered something about an "epidemic," Geordie angrily retorted:

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The Flint Razor.

The man of modern times shiveringly trying to shave himself as he stands before the mirror in the early hours of a bitter winter morning may find some comfort in the reflection that he is grappling with a task which has taxed the patience of man for several centuries. In all ages men have set high value on the razor as an adjunct to health and cleanliness.

Discoveries made at St. Achiaul, France, by archaeologists as recently as 1800 would indicate that prehistoric man used razors chipped out of pieces of flint. The flint razor may have been precursor or ancestor of the razor "body snatcher," the first record of which is found in the Book of Job.

While the Egyptians and Romans used razors of flint and bronze, the men of the Middle Ages depended largely upon a slow process of "trimming the skin," to quote Pepys, with pumice stone. It was in the early part of the eighteenth century that the steel razor, a cumbersome hatchet-headed affair with a heavy wooden handle, came into general use.

It remained for American invention to revolutionize the character of the razor, and out of the torture-inflicting weapon to evolve the finely tempered, honed blade which is used to-day.

Discussing a Verb.

As an intransitive verb to "materialize" will no doubt be pilloried by purists as an undesirable slang, but with little effect, for it has long since been commandeered for useful service, though it has not yet gained scholastic support. Like the verb to wire, now in general use, this particular intransitive no doubt comes from America, where it is common to "fix up" an appointment with some one who may "fail to materialize" or wait for a conveyance that misbehaves itself in a similar way.—London Chronicle.

The Mexican War.

If the histories are to be believed the Mexicans during their war with this country in 1846-7 did not win a single battle, notwithstanding the fact that in nearly every encounter the Americans were outnumbered from 2 to 1 to 5 to 1.

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8.55 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg, and points east, connecting at Port Hope, for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 12.35 p.m.
9.25 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Stirling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
9.30 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Colingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
12.30 p.m.—For Lakefield.
11.40 a.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
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5.35 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
6.40 p.m.—For Lakefield.
8.05 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
9.05 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Boston.

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Corrected January 15, 1917.

GOING EAST:
*6.40 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*12.12 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N. B., Boston and New York.
*1.32 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, and Ottawa.
**11.27 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and Intermediate points, and all points east of Montreal.

GOING WEST:
*4.38 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Galt, Woodstock, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*5.54 a.m.—Middle and North Toronto.
**7.35 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York. Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
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OUR SERIAL STORY

"DESTINY"

By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday.)

Hamilton's dream palace, with all its splendid plunder of art treasures, had gone under the hammer in satisfaction of a court judgment. Next went the house which his parents had occupied, and before that all the servants had gone, save one. Yamuro's passion of devotion to Hamilton had descended in a lesser degree to Paul, and with the grave courtesy of the Samurai he waived aside all discussion of wages. Had he not saved much money for a Japanese boy who needed little? Already he could open a small shop and sell kimonos and jade trinkets and embroideries....but that could wait until such time as his usefulness ended here.

The final day came, and the shrunken household effects were removed to a small apartment in Greenwich village, so it was time for Paul to say good-bye to Yamuro. It was Yamuro who had found the flat and had haggled explosively over the terms of the lease. It had been to Yamuro, too, who had gone with Mary, when she carried her mother's jewels from place to place, offering them for sale. The faithful little attendant knew that what was salvaged from such bargaining must be the last resort and sole capital of this shattered family. As the lady with the pale but lively face looking out from the shadow of her mourning veil went from dealer to dealer, he followed a step behind her, watchful of eye, guarding her remnant of treasure against possible mischance.

Now he stood with Paul in the room which the musician would not again occupy, and Paul's eyes suddenly filled with tears while the son of a race called stoical turned away and occupied himself with a lump in his throat.

The Jap caught the extended palm in his own two hands and bent over it. He was not weeping and he was not talking but he stood with his head lowered until now the wiry black hair was visible, and in his throat rose guttural and incoherent noises like groans.

"I can't show my appreciation as I'd like," said Paul. "The day for that is gone but there are some clothes that I didn't pack. I left them for you—" Even in an hour which called for defence of every penny Paul was still an impractical man whose open heart and affectionate nature called for expression. "And this—" he put his hand in his pocket and drew out a watch upon which any pawnbroker would have advanced a goodly sum—"this was Hamilton's." His voice broke as he held it out. "I think he would like you to have it. His will left you twenty thousand dollars—but—well, you know."

Yamuro straightened up. He raised both hands in a gesture of protest and his words came fast and vehemently.

"No, no! Thanks ver' mutch—no—no! You great artist—you not understand making money. You need—mother—sister—father all need. No—please!"

He halted; then in a deep embarrassment, went on. "Me got money in bank. Me not want be impertinent, but—" He paused, seeking a disguised and delicate fashion of volunteering aid and looked appealingly into the other's face for assistance.

Fresh tears welled into Paul's eyes. "I understand you, Yamuro," he said laying a head on the stocky shoulder. "No; Yamuro, you have done enough, God bless you!" He could not trust himself further and so he turned abruptly and left the room.

These rooms in the twisting by-ways of picturesque old Greenwich Village, seemed mean and dry to their new tenants but they were very good as compared with what Mary knew must follow. The pitiful store of money which her last stand financiering had raked together would not be renewed when spent, nor would it last long. It was only that they might have a temporary refuge in which to think out the future that the girl had chosen these quarters.

Then very shortly came the day when the house that had been the home of the elder Burtons also went under the hammer, and an unconquerable magnetism drew Paul to the spot though he knew that the place would be filled with people who to him must seem pillagers. He had nerved himself to ask a thing for which he had been longing ever since those doors had closed upon him. In that house was the pagan temple which his brother had built for his shrine of dreams, and the organ which might have graced a temple. If they would allow him ten minutes there alone—ten minutes to finger the keys for the last time—at least he meant to ask it. It was a much changed man who presented himself diffidently at a house to which the public had been invited by the commissioner's advertisement. His clothes were already beginning to indicate his deteriorated condition, although thanks to Mary's care, they were scrupulously neat. The things to be sold this morning could find purchasers only among the very rich, and for that precise reason the occasion had attracted a host of people who came as they might have gone to a fire or to a museum. Paul Burton found it easy enough to meet those eyes. It was when he encountered the gaze of old associates that he shrunk and trembled.

The sale had not yet begun and the crowds were drifting hither and thither, bent on preliminary inspection, jostling arms with the men from the detective agencies assigned to the occasion.

Paul found the person who seemed vested with authority and to him put his request. The individual looked at this pale young man and recognised him. There was a pathos in his face that could hardly be denied — and there was no reason for denying him.

"Certainly, Mr. Burton," he said. "I'll instruct the door man not to let any one else in—unless you have friends that you would like to take with you."

Paul shook his head. "I'd rather be alone," he said. But as the two elbowed their way through the crowd he found himself face to face with a dark haired, deep-eyed woman in fashionable and becoming mourning, upon whose fingers sparkled a number of rings. The musician halted in his tracks and turned desperately pale. He had heard that Loraine Haswell had returned from Europe—and he had heard vague rumours which had deeply shocked him. If they were based on truth it seemed improbable that she would care to risk meeting any of her old associates. Yet when his eyes encountered hers he found her laughing gally, and he realised that, whatever else had happened to Loraine Haswell, she had lost none of her beauty.

"Loraine!" he exclaimed, his voice betraying his excitement, and she responded calmly, but with no emotion, "Good morning, Mr. Burton." It was as though they had parted yesterday, but also as though they had never met, save casually, before that parting; as though their lives had never touched more intimately than in the brushing contact of passers by. To Paul it seemed very cruel and he was about to pass on when she stopped him.

"Mr. Burton," she suggested, in a cautiously guarded voice, "I wish that you would send back my letters. I am stopping at the Plaza."

The man was silent for a then he said simply:

"I have already burned She searched his eyes f ment and seeming satisfied truthfulness, smiled. 'That just as well. Thank you, we were to write them, were

Paul hurried after his had been deferentially waiting steps distant, but at the e the music room he halted a this time his cheeks blanch greater astonishment. There within arm's reach, was M roll, though her face was a she did not see him.

"What brings you here?" in a low voice, and as she face him her hands went ap ly to her breast.

"I didn't know that you here," she said faintly, but not tell him that she h response to the same insti drawn pilgrims to shrines h association; because this ha temple of his art.

"They have promised," her, "to let me have afte in there undisturbed—to gan for the last time." et hers and he added in undertone, "Won't you Marcia?"

The woman's eyes glist moisture. "Are you sur wouldn't rather be quite a it rather sacred to you?"

"That is why I want yo erly declared. "It will b to remember afterwards."

They went in and for a the girl stood gasping at the of the place, of which descriptions, but which seen. Then her eyes flooded and, with a sense of revelation, she forgave him every frailty and fault—even her isolated horror of longing she had been carrying in her heart. So sensitive a soul, as his could not have been expected to stand out Spartan-bold against the voluptuary blandishments of such surroundings—and such a life. He looked at her for a long while and once, unseen by her, he put out his arms, but caught them back again with a swift gesture and shook his head. Now he knew in all bitterness what Loraine Haswell and his own cowardice had cost him—and it was too late.

Loraine Haswell and his own cowardice! He had not fully realized it before, but from that episode when he fled to Hamilton from his lunch with her had sprung the rest of every succeeding chapter of tragedy—and for her he had lost Marcia! Then he led her to a place of vantage and went to the keyboard.

Never had Paul Burton played like that before for as the music swelled and pealed through the place his heart was singing its swan song. In a moment of manhood beyond his moral stature he had drawn back arms that were hungry for her—and he now knew too late, that there was no one else who counted. But the organ was not so repressive and as she listened she knew that the tragedy was not hers alone. While his fingers strayed to the improvising of his yearning and despair the woman sat spellbound and finally he swung into that tritest of time-worn airs, "Home, Sweet Home."

A gasp came into Marcia's throat. As Paul Burton left his seat, and came down to her, his face was drawn, and he said bluntly, "She is here to day."

She did not have to ask details or if it was ended. The music had told her everything. In a sudden gust of feeling and wrath against this woman who had stood between her and happiness, she wanted to say bitter things—but she only nodded.

"Now that matters have turned out as they have," the man spoke deliberately, but tensely, "I shall not see you again. Now that I'm a bankrupt and it's all over, Marcia, I want you to know that I love you—that I love you without doubt or hesitation. In this world, and whatever other worlds there are, there is only you....you whom I lost because the coward must lose every good thing life holds." He broke off and asked very humbly,—"Just in farewell—may I kiss you—once more?"

With a torrent of sobs she came into his arms. "From the first," she declared, "I've been just yours. I have never thought of myself except as yours. Take me! Poverty doesn't frighten me. I've known it too long—it's like an old friend. Let's fight our way back together."

Ther are moments which turn mice into lions and make heroes of the craven. Unfortunately they are apt to be ephemeral. Paul Burton shook his head as he looked into her eyes, and answered with an unwonted resolution.

"No," he said bitterly, "not now. Now I am a bum."

(To be continued.)

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A Parting Dinner

By ALAN HINSDALE

"Our marriage," said the wife, "has been a mistake. The sooner a mistake is rectified the better. I am going to leave you."

"That's not a bad idea," said the husband. "A bit of freedom from this new life that neither of us has yet become used to will give us a breathing spell, and if we come together again we will appreciate each other all the more for it."

"That 'if' is well put in."

"And if we don't come together again just think of the fun we'll have!"

"Fun?"

"Yes. I can remain out at a poker party till 3 o'clock in the morning if I like, smoke and drink to my heart's content, spend no end of time sitting on a stool before a glove counter with a pretty girl on the other side smoothing down my fingers with her soft hand"—

"If these things are so delightful to you why did you marry?"

"I haven't come to your own enjoyments consequent on the break yet. You can sit all day beside your mother, holding her hand and listening to her advice to you how to manage a husband. Won't that be just too nice for anything?"

"If you loved me one-tenth as well as mamma does there would be no need of a separation."

"Oh, I could never compete with a mother's love! That is not to be expected. I suppose that's what gives her a right to tell you just what course to take respecting your husband. Now that you're going to leave me, her advice with respect to me will be no longer necessary, and I wonder what you and she will talk about when you nestle down for a morning chin-chin."

She was inclined to think that, the one interesting topic being removed, the chin-chin would be rather dull, but she did not say so.

"There's one thing I propose to do," continued the provoking husband. "As soon as you are gone I'm going to take down these curtains. I have endured them simply for your sake. They shut out the light."

"Indeed, you will do no such thing!"

"Why so? It will not matter to you whether there are curtains here or not. I shall make a smoking room of this, and you have always declared that when smoke gets into curtains it's hard to get it out."

"A smoking room of this cozy apartment! Why, I arranged everything here myself!"

"So you did, and a delightful room you made of it. I remember when I first saw it I thought how many delightful seances we would have here. I little thought that a few short months would end it all."

"Whose fault is it?"

"Mine."

"Why don't you do better?"

"I can't. I'm naturally wicked. If I were not you wouldn't need to leave me."

"Of course I don't want to leave you, but you can't expect me to endure such treatment forever."

"Certainly not. I deserve it all. But it's sad to think of my having to dismantle this pretty room for a lot of fellows who will throw cigar and pipe ashes all over the carpet and"—

"They will do no such thing!"

"Why, you're going to have those horrid men here I—I—won't"—

"Won't go?"

"Yes, I'm going. I have come to that decision after long and careful deliberation."

"And consultation with your mother."

This was a home thrust.

"If there is any one who knows what is best for the child she has cared for and loved from babyhood it is surely her mother."

"I agree with you. Therefore the daughter should never leave her mother."

"The daughter is not expected to marry a—a"—

"Brute! But we are wasting time. When do you go?"

"Are you in haste to be rid of me?"

"Not at all. I merely wish to make arrangements for your departure. Will you permit me to see you to your mother's house?"

"Who said I was going to mamma?"

"Very well. I will take you wherever you wish to go."

"You'll have to dine elsewhere today. I have made no preparations for dinner here."

"Suppose we have a last dinner at Skinners, with a bottle of that wine you like so well?"

She hesitated, and he suggested that she telephone her mother that she would not arrive till after dinner. This last reference to her mother, though highly respectful, called a frown to the wife's brow. Nevertheless she went to the phone and sent the message. Then she dressed for the dinner and came downstairs looking very lugubrious.

"Have you sent your baggage?" he asked mildly.

"No!" she snapped.

They dined with handsomely dressed ladies and gentlemen to detract their attention from their troubles, and music soothed them, and the wine warmed them. The dinner was excellent, and they spent an enjoyable evening together. When they drove away he made no mention of the fact that she had expected to go to her mother, but directed the driver to take them to their own home.

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ANCIENT BANQUETS.

Cleopatra Didn't Have to Spend Much, For Things Were Cheap.

We hear a great deal about the luxury and extravagance of Cleopatra, the queen of the Nile, and of the gorgeous feasts she and Mark Antony had together, yet these little dinners and suppers for two cost Cleopatra only about 4 shillings, with wine and attendance.

If Cleopatra had lived in these times she could not possibly get a supper at 2 shillings a head, with waiter and wine included.

In those days a large jar of wine cost only 4 shillings, and this probably lasted a long time. A pigeon was dear at 2½ pence, and a quantity of vegetables which lasted for months could be bought for about 8 shillings.

Slaves were easy enough to get, and their dress was so scanty that liveries couldn't have been expensive.

Cleopatra once went in for a very costly drink. She melted a priceless pearl in a glass of wine and presented it to Mark Antony. But the queen of Egypt did not go in for such extravagances every night.

Nero, the tyrannical emperor of the Romans, famed for his extravagant, luxurious living, who gave twenty-two course dinners, where the guests reclined on ivory and silver couches and dipped their fingers into finger bowls which contained costly wines, did not spend nearly so much on feasting as many modern millionaires.—London Answers.

Zulu Songsters.

The arrival of a European in a Zulu village, the opening of a railway, a war, a famine, a plague of locusts, a pestilence may become topics for semi-public songs that are soon circulated among the people. Songs are used at the public functions of chiefs, such as the feast of the first fruits and at royal marriages. War and tribal songs are possessed by every chief and tribe. At marriages and other public ceremonies it is the Zulu custom to render not only the songs of the living chief, but those made famous by his father and grandfather.

Waiting For Him to Start Something.

"I'm just waiting for my husband to complain about my extravagance this month."

"Ready to give him an argument, eh?"

"You bet I am. By mistake his golf club checks came to the house, and I've got 'em."—Detroit Free Press.

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Hay Seeds For Confetti.

Weddings in China are arranged by "go-betweens"—usually the busy old gossips of the district—who get a commission on the amount paid by the bridegroom to the father of the bride. On the wedding day the bride is clad in red and carried in a Sedan chair covered with red. Anybody has a right to turn back the chair curtains and take a look at her. Her hair is elaborately oiled, and so all the other girls throw hayseeds at her, which stick. On reaching the home of her husband the bride has to submit to the candid criticisms of the entire family. The strange wedding ceremony consists in the husband and wife eating rice from each other's bowl. Of course there is a feast, but it does not cost much, for every guest is expected to contribute something.

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If you are accustomed to wake up with a coated tongue, foul breath or a dull, dizzy headache; or, if your meals sour and turn into gas and acids, you have a real surprise awaiting you.

To-morrow morning, immediately upon arising, drink a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This is intended to first neutralize and then wash out of your stomach, liver, kidneys and thirty feet of intestines all the indigestible waste, poisons, sour bile and toxins, thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal.

Those subject to sick headaches, backache, bilious attacks, constipation or any form of stomach trouble, are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store and begin enjoying this morning ine side-bath. It is said that men and women who try this become enthusiastic and keep it up daily. It is a splendid health measure for it is more important to keep clean and pure on the inside than on the outside, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, causing disease, while the bowel pores do.

The principle of bathing inside is not new, as millions of people practice it. Just as hot water and soap cleanse, purify and freshen the skin, so hot water and a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels. Limestone phosphate is an inexpensive white powder and almost tasteless.

How's That?

At the conclusion of the annual at a provincial town the legal luminaries indulged in a cricket match. A certain well-known judge presently occupied the wicket, and so persistently did he display the stone-walling tactics that his opponents despaired of getting him out. After a futile appeal of "leg before," the judge said to the umpire:

"I wonder if I am to be imprisoned here until the next annual?"

He had hardly spoken when an extra fast ball removed the cross-pieces.

"No, my lord," replied the umpire, with a sly grin; "you are bailed out."

Morbidly Suspicious.

"If you want to fight I'll hold your coat," said the bystander to the quarrelsome man.

"Great Scott! Can't a man even stand in the street without having a check boy try to work a tip out of him?"—Washington Star.

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SOCIAL ANNOYANCES.

Somewhat Similar in the Tenth Century to What They Are Today.

That there were objections in the social amenities of life in the tenth century similar to those observable at the present day is shown in a remarkable book, "Makura no Zoshi," which was the work of Sei Shonagon, a poetess of the ancient Japanese court. One of her chapters she devotes to "Detestable Things, and these included:

"A visitor who sits down to regale you with a long tale when you are in a hurry. If by chance he is an intimate friend you can pack him off until another time. But those whom you cannot summarily dismiss are detestable indeed.

"Babies who cry or dogs that bark just when you are trying to overhear something.

"A dog that barks at visitors. I have often wanted to kill such dogs.

"People who interrupt your story to show off their own cleverness. All interrupters, young and old, are very detestable.

"People who when you are telling a story break in with 'Oh, I know,' and give quite a different version from your own.

"Either at home or in the palace to be roused up to receive an unwelcome visitor in order to avoid whom you have been pretending to be asleep."

INDEXING BOOKS.

The Custom Is an Old One That Developed Rather Slowly.

The custom of indexing books developed gradually. Cicero used the word "index," but in the sense of a table of contents. Seneca provided some books which he sent to a friend with notes of particular passages, "so that he who only aimed at the useful might be spared the trouble of examining them entire." This was at least a partial "index" in the modern sense. Annotated, or at least explanatory, tables of contents seem to have preceded the index proper.

Such tables followed the order of appearance of the subjects in the book itself. Alphabetical arrangement, which was the beginning of the real index, appears not to have been thought of until the invention of printing, and even then it spread but slowly. Erasmus was one of the first to provide his works with alphabetical indexes. The custom did not become universal until well into the sixteenth century.

The first index to an English book is said to be that printed in Polydore Vergil's "Angliae Historiae" in 1546. An edition of this work published ten years later has an index of thirty-seven pages.

It Wasn't Catching.

At a local cricket match the fielding of the home team was very poor, catch after catch being dropped in aggravating persistence. Geordie, who bowled mainly for catches, was riled to see catch after catch dropped from his bowling, and when one of the offenders, failing to hold the ball, muttered something about an "epidemic," Geordie angrily retorted:

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The Flint Razor.

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Discoveries made at St. Achiegul, France, by archaeologists as recently as 1899 would indicate that prehistoric man used razors chipped out of pieces of flint. The flint razor may have been precursor or ancestor of the razor "body scratcher," the first record of which is found in the Book of Job.

While the Egyptians and Romans used razors of flint and bronze, the men of the Middle Ages depended largely upon a slow process of "trimming the skin," to quote Pepys, with pumice stone. It was in the early part of the eighteenth century that the steel razor, a cumbersome hatchet-bladed affair with a heavy wooden handle, came into general use.

It remained for American invention to revolutionize the character of the razor, and out of the torture-inflicting weapon to evolve the finely tempered, honed blade which is used to-day.

Discussing a Verb.

As an intransitive verb to "materialize" will no doubt be pilloried by purists as an undesirable alien, but with little effect, for it has long since been commandeered for useful service, though it has not yet gained scholastic support. Like the verb to wire, now in general use, this particular intransitive no doubt comes from America, where it is common to "fix up" an appointment with some one who may "fail to materialize" or wait for a conveyance that misbehaves itself in a similar way.—London Chronicle.

The Mexican War.

If the histories are to be believed the Mexicans during their war with this country in 1846-7 did not win a single battle, notwithstanding the fact that in nearly every encounter the Americans were outnumbered from 2 to 1 to 5 to 1.

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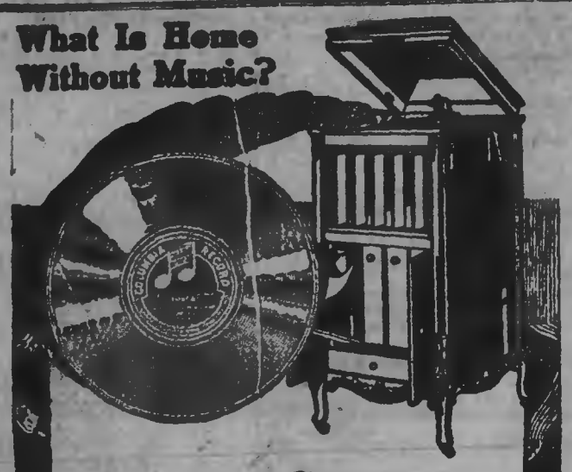

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And restless winds bring echoes of mad tears—
Where sounds, above the cannon's steel-mouthed hate,
The boom of falling walls in far, sad years.

What fires, dust-smouldering, flare,
What quarrel now,
For beauty wronged, stirs passionate strength to dreams?
Alas—the world grows old! A broken vow
Wakes not the curse—but fear, greed-fondled schemes.

Helen, sleep well—no woman's yearning lips
And eyes, love-weary, launch these deadly ships!

—Hortense Flexner.

Was Completely Laid Up With Severe Case of Piles

Sworn Statement From a Man Who Has Unbounded Confidence in Dr. Chase's Ointment

There is no longer any debate as to the best treatment for itching, bleeding or protruding piles But since about one person in every four suffers more or less from this annoying ailment it is necessary to keep on telling the people about Dr. Chase's Ointment.

Mr. Wm. Shaw, Island Brook, Que., writes: "I am writing this to let you know the benefit that I have derived from your Ointment. I have suffered more or less for years with protruding piles and last winter I got so bad I was completely laid up with them. I went to our local storekeeper and asked him if he had anything that was good for piles and he recommended Dr. Chase's Ointment. I purchased a box and took it home and used it according to the directions and for ever one year I have not been troubled with piles. I had tried other remedies before but they only gave me temporary relief and that one box of your Ointment did more for me than all the others, as I have not been troubled since last winter. I consider it to be the best remedy for piles I have ever used and shall always carry a box with me, although I don't think I will need it for piles. We have used it for other purposes in the family, such as burns, and cuts and scratches, etc., and my wife says it is one of the best remedies for such purposes we have ever had in the house. Although you only charge sixty cents a box for it it is well worth $5.00 a box for anyone who is afflicted with piles. Now you can use this letter if you wish or refer anyone to me who wants to know about it for piles. I might say that in my business I am known all over the English portion of Quebec, and am having this statement sworn to before a Justice of the Peace."

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By Anabel Worthington.

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Wheat Market Continues Strong

In spite of German raiders the wheat markets were good and strong yesterday. Export business of large proportions was reported, and on the basis of this the markets closed strong and from 1 3-8c to 2 3-4c higher than Wednesday's close. Cash markets are 2c higher. Oats are strong, and corn 1 1-2c higher.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, $2.11, track, bay ports; No. 2 $2.07 1-2; No. 3 $2.04; No. 4 $1.90; old crop 4c above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W. 73 1-2c; No. 3 71 1-2c; extra No. 1 feed 71 1-2c; No. 1 feed 69 3-4; all rail delivered.

American corn—No. 3 $1.13 1-2; shipment within 30 days.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 64c to 66c; No. 3 white 63c to 65c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1.82 to $1.84; No. 3 $1.80 to $1.82.

Peas—No. 2 nominal, car lots, $2.35.

Barley—Good malting, $1.20 to $1.22; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal $1.28 to $1.30

Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal; No. 2, new, $1.40 to $1.42.

Manitoba flour—First patents in jute bags, $9.90; second patents, in jute, $9.40; strong bakers, in jute, $9 Toronto.

Ontario flour—New winter, $7.40 to $7.50, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment; $7.25, bulk, seaboard, export grade.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered Montreal; shorts, $38; bran $33; feed flour per bag $2.90.

Hay—Baled, No. 1, track, Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots, $12.50 to $13; No. 2 $9 to $11; straw $9.50 to $10.

CATTLE MARKETS

Union Stock Yards; Receipts yesterday 51 cars with 556 cattle, 104 calves, 2,198 hogs, and 279 sheep and lambs.

Trade was decidedly slow yesterday. The market was overloaded with a lot of half-fat cattle and the good to choice were few and far between. Prices for common to medium butchers were from 40c to 50c lower than the opening prices for the week. The best butchers were steadier, but even these were affected by the generally slower demand.

Sheep, lambs and calves were firm at the week's advances.

Latest quotations:

Heavy steers	$9 75 to 10 50
Choice butcher	9 25 10 00
do good	8 50 9 00
do medium	7 75 8 25
do common	6 50 7 50
Heifers, good to choice	8 00 9 40
do medium	7 00 7 50
Butcher cows, choice	7 50 8 25
do medium	5 75 6 25
Butcher bulls, choice	7 50 8 50
do good	7 00 7 25
do medium	6 00 6 50
Feeders 900 to 1,000 lbs.	7 50 8 00
do bulls	6 25 6 50
Stockers, 700 to 800 lbs.	7 50 7 75
do med. 650 to 750 lbs.	6 25 6 75
do light 600 to 650 lbs	6 50
Canners	5 00 5 25
Cutters	5 50 5 75
Sheep, light	8 50 10 00
do heavy	7 50 8 50
Spring lambs	10 75 15 00
Calves	8 00 13 00
Hogs fed and watered	14 00
do weighed off cars	14 25

A BOY'S POCKET.

What more wonderful place is there than a boy's pocket! From its secrecy come a wonderful fund of treasures. One case recently came to the editor's eyes, where from the pants pocket of a seven-year-old came the following:

One ball.
One mirror.
Six small memo pads.
Three peach stone whistles.
Piece of rubber bulb.
Bad cent.
Rubber band.
Two buttons.
Price tag.
Round piece of tin.
Package court plaster.
Lead pencil.
Eraser.
Tin whistle.
Brass check.
Six pieces coloured chalk.
Top of large button.
Two boot buttons.
Eyeglass.
Aluminum medal.
Nut.
Two pieces elastic.
Small flag.
Small pennant.
Five cents.
Handful beans for pea shooter.

WANTED, MORE MEN.

Wanted more men, 'tis the Empire that's calling,
Her dutious sons, in the hour of her need,
While tyranny forges, vile fetters so galling
In vain with those sons, shall the dear mother plead.
Let cowards and cravens of every description
Wait coldly, unmoved, till the strong arm of law
Compels them at length, with slave whip conscription,
The sword for their king and their country to draw.

Wanted, more men, who are loyal and willing
For the cause of mankind and fair freedom to stand,
And assist the brave boys who so nobly are spilling
Their blood for us all, in a far foreign land,
Who would buy a base peace, with the blood of their brother,
Or shrink the steep pathway of duty to tread.
Dull sitting at ease by their fireside while others
To their deathless disgrace, fight, or fall, in their stead.

Wanted, more men, for the task is gigantic,
Men whose hearts with true patriot valour beat high,
To quell the proud despot, beyond the Atlantic,
Good men leal and true, and none else need apply,
Should you wait till the fierce German, red from the slaughter
Of Belgians and Serbs, in his mad purblind hate
Our homes to lay waste, and wife, sister and daughter
To degrade in the dust, thunders loud at our gate.

Wanted, more men, to teach the grim tyrant,
That sons of the soil, where the maple tree waves
While flows in their veins, the warm blood of the Briton
Will die, but will never, no never, be slaves.
Then gird on your arms, for the Kaiser is vaunting,
That the nations must bend to his merciless sway,
Ne'er let it be told that Canadians were wanting
When honour and duty were leading the way.

Wanted, more men, shall their call go unheeded,
Nay, hardy Canuck, to blest liberty born,
Will be found in the front ranks, where heroes are needed
To shirk duty, or danger, full proudly they'd scorn.
Our Empire needs men, and no time this to dally,
Then strike while ye may, 'ere it yet be too late.
Round her glorious banner of liberty rally,
Crush the power of the foeman, or yours Belgium's fate.

Wanted, more men, hark, war's bugle is shrilling
To summons each gallant Canuck to the fray,
The ranks, with the flower of our manhood are filling,
But there's room yet for more, so then make no delay,
For our brave volunteers, there waits martial glory,
Shining laurels enwreathed, is the patriots need,
And fame shall inscribe on her annals the story,
In letters of flame, their heroic deeds.

—Mrs. A. F. Calder.

A WONDER WORKER.

"To heals like magic!" is a favorite expression when Dr. Chase's Ointment is used. It works quickly stops all itching at once, often heals in a single night. For eczema, salt rheum, barber's itch, skin irritations or eruptions, it is a most satisfactory treatment. Being antiseptic it prevents blood poisoning.

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$ DOLLAR DAY $

THE EXAMINER
DOLLAR DAY

The Day when the Dollar Bill talks louder in Peterboro Stores than any other day in the year. This Year it will be held on

THURSDAY, JAN. 25

About 50 of the principal stores in the City are participating, and are busy preparing the best list of bargains they can possibly find in their splendid stocks, and shoppers will certainly appreciate the extremely varied offerings such a large array of stores will assure. As usual the big list of Cash Bonuses is a liberal one, as the Merchants are giving away

CASH $175 PRIZES

This money will be Given Away in this way:—With every Dollar Purchase on that day, an Estimating Blank will be given to the purchaser. You will fill in your name and address, and a number representing your estimate on the following question.

Estimate the Number of these Blanks that will be filled in and dropped into the Ballot Box at "The Examiner Office" by 10:15 p.m. on Dollar Day.

The nearest correct estimate will be awarded the 1st Prize of $25; 2nd $20; 3rd $15 and so on.

56 CASH PRIZES

Nearest correct estimate, 1st prize	$25.00
Next nearest Correct estimate, 2nd prize	20.00
Next nearest Correct estimate, 3rd prize	15.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 4th prize	10.0
Next nearest correct estimate, 5th prize	10.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 6th prize	5.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 7th prize	5.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 8th prize	5.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 9th prize	5.00
Next nearest Correct estimate, 10th prize	5.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 11th prize	5.00
Next 5 nearest correct estimates, 5 prizes, each	3.00
Next 10 nearest correct estimates, 10 prizes, each	2.00
Next 30 nearest correct estimates, 30 prizes, each	1.00

For your guidance in estimating, we might say that The Examiner is printing and distributing to the Merchants, for use on Dollar Day, 30,000 blanks, and it is only necessary to estimate what number each purchaser thinks will be used on the great day. Should any store run short of blanks, The Examiner will print more, so that the number printed might reach as high as 50,000. The number of estimates put in the last 8 Day Campaign was in the neighbourhood of 9,000. With this information, an estimate can be made before coming to town. Of course as many estimates can be made as the purchaser has blanks, and they will get one with every Dollar purchase they make.

Make up your mind what and where you want to buy and come to Peterborough on Thursday, January 25th, expecting the greatest economy shopping event of your lives.

Railway Rates

Parties of Ten coming from any point in Peterboro County on Thursday, January 25th, Dollar Day, can secure a rate of fare and one-third by making application to their local station agent.

See the List of Stores which will be Printed Complete, and Watch their windows and Special Announcements just previous to Dollar Day.

You can recognize all the Stores where DOLLAR SPECIALS are being given by the RED LETTERED PENNANTS IN THEIR WINDOWS.

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GRANT SIX

If you are in the market for a six-cylinder car, be sure and see the Grant Six, at PULKINGHORN'S AUTO AND TAXI LIVERY.

'Phone 278. Res. 'Phone 1141.

THE RUSSO-ROUMANIAN ARMIES ARE NOW ADVANCING ON A WIDE FRONT

Wireless Despatch Says Bridges Over Danube Have Been Swept Away By the Current---Internal Troubles in Russia Indicated by the Two Progressive Ministers Have Been Given "Sick Leave" ---British Freighter Has Brush With a Submarine

A SUMMARY OF TO-DAY'S WAR CABLES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, January 19.—"Disaster has overtaken the enemy," said a wireless press despatch from Petrograd via Rome to-day. "The bridges over the Lanube have been swept away by currents, and the Russo-Roumanian armies are advancing on a wide front.

Progressive Ministers Are Dispensed With

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, January 19.—Advces from Petrograd indicate that two progressive Russian Ministers and friends of the Allies, Pokrofsky and Shakovskoy, have been given "sick leave," which probably means that their services are dispensed with. The date for convening the Duma has been postponed to February 27th.

PARIS, January 19.—(French Official Communique)—The night was calm on the western front.

Moving Picture Man With German Raider

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

NEW YORK, January 19.—Buenos Aires despatches report survivors of the sunken ship Radnorchire as saying that the German raider was accompanied by one or two other ships, and a moving picture operator calmly took pictures of the sinking of ships while the operation was in progress. There has been no confirmation here of the report that the raider has been sunk, though this is hourly expected.

British Freighter Has Brush With Sub

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PORTLAND, Me., January 19.—Bearing the marks of shells, and with two wounded seamen aboard, the British freighter Palm Branch, came into this port to-day telling of a 40-minute chase by a German submarine in the English Channel. She was suddenly approached by the submarine which came to the surface within a few hundred yards. Captain Malling changed his course and put on steam while the submarine followed firing high explosives from a large gun. Fortunately all the hits were above the water line. Four of the life-boats were carried away and one shot exploded in the engine room. Suddenly the submarine submerged.

WASHINGTON, January 19.—Nine Americans were involved in the German raider's activities in the South Atlantic according to the State Department despatch from Consul Stewart at Pernambuco.

RECITAL ON THE NEW EDISON

There Will Be a Recital Given on the New Edison in the Recital Hall of the J. M. GREENE MUSIC CO., LTD., CHARLOTTE STREET

To-night at 8:15 o'clock. All Are Welcome

PROGRAMME:

1. "Bells of Lee" (Adams)—Contralto Solo by Helen Clarke.
2. "A Dream" (Bartlett)—Cornet Solo by Conturier.
3. "I'll Take You Home Again, Kathleen" (Westendorf)—Tenor & Chorus, Walter Van Brunt.
4. "The Bird's Reply" (West)—Mixed Quartette.
5. "Dixie Medley"—Banjo Solo by Fred Van Eps.
6. "Good-bye Sweet Day" (Vannah)—Contralto Solo by Christine Miller.
7. "Happy, That's All"—Vaudeville Specialty.
8. "My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice" (Saint-Saens)—Contralto Solo in English by Elizabeth Spencer
9. "Cavatina" (Raff)—Violin Solo by Spalding.
10. "Draw Me Nearer" (Doane)—Tenor & Baritone and Mixed Chorus.
11. "The Thistle" (Scotch Melodies)—American Symphony Orchestra.
12. "What a Wonderful Mother You'd Be" (Van Alstyne)—Tenor Solo by Burton Lenihan.
13. "Step, Look, Listen" (Irving Berlin)—Jandus Society Orchestra.
14. "Silver Threads Among the Gold" (Danks)—Elizabeth Spencer and Chorus.

GOD SAVE THE KING

Liquor Is Prohibited In French War Zone

HAZELBROUCK, France, Jan. 19.—Traffic in spirituous liquors has been prohibited by the military authorities in the zone occupied by the army. The decree announces that the step has been taken because of a recrudescence of drunkenness in the zone, involving danger to the health of the troops and the civil population. Both the civil and military authorities had complained of the scourge as a hindrance to the development of production required for the national defence. It was the unanimous wish of the patriotic population of northern France, the decree asserts, to have the traffic restricted as the only effective means of fighting alcoholism. Natural wines, beers and cider are not affected.

Another British Peer Killed at the Front

LONDON, Jan. 19.—Major Lord Gorell, killed in action on Tuesday, after a year and ten months' continuous service, was the eldest son of the former president of the Probate, Divorce and Admiralty Division, who was raised to the peerage in 1909. His son, who was a barrister, succeeded to the title in 1913. The award of D.S.O. was gazetted in November, the official account stating that he pushed forward and handled a battery under heavy fire, with the greatest courage.

THE WEATHER

Sharp again, and with a promise of still colder to come. This morning's figure was 9 degrees below, and it has not risen to the zero mark all day. Some of the coldest dips of the year are frequently around this date, or a few days previous or afterwards. On the morning of Jan. 19, 1904, (13 years ago), we had it 30 degrees below zero. This was the morning n which studio on Hunter street, and will be remembered by some of the firemen. Another cold Jan. 19th, was in 1901, when it was 18 below zero in the morning, and 12 below at noon. The following year on the same date, it was 12 below. On Jan. 19, 1897, we had a temperature of 18 below.—W.P.

DEGREE OF D. D.

A coloured congregation in Louisiana, hearing that a college in Kansas was conferring the degree of D. D. for the reasonable 'consideration' of fifty dollars, decided to add to their prestige by raising the required sum and having their pastor decorated with those dignified initials, relates Harper's. Strenuous effort failed to raise more than half the amount; but nothing daunted, they forwarded twenty-five dollars, with the request that the college would forward the first "D," so that they could begin addressing the reverend gentleman as Doctor, a favour which they were sure would assist them very much in collecting the price of his "Divinity."

EXTENSION OF PARLIAMENT'S LIFE WILL BE SOUGHT

Speech From the Throne at the Opening of the House of Commons This Afternoon Shows That This Step Will Be Taken By Government

A CONTENTIOUS POINT

Special to The Examiner:

OTTAWA, Jan. 19.—The ceremonial and official opening of the seventh session of the twelfth Parliament of Canada, which took place at 3 o'clock this afternoon, and excited the usual interest at the Capital this afternoon, despite the fact that some of the usual features were lacking. It was the first formal opening since Parliament took up the new quarters in the Museum Building and limited space and lack of galleries in the improvised Senate Chamber deprived the event of its chief social features. There was the usual brilliant group to the right of His Excellency, including Sir Robt. Borden, in his Windsor uniform, and the officers of headquarters and naval staffs. The Duchess of Devonshire sat to the left of His Excellency. No military escort was provided for the Vice Regal party, but the customary guard of honour awaited their arrival at the parlament buildings, and the usual salute was fired from Nepean Point.

The announcement that Sir Robert Borden's Government will ask for the extension of the term of parliament, thus avoiding an election, and also of the intention of the Government to have an appropriate celebration of the fifteenth anniversary of Canada's history as a domain, were the chief points emphasized in the speech from the throne delivered at the opening of the Canadian House of Commons by th Duke of Devonshire to-day.

The demand for an extension will be the contentious point of the session it is expected. While the Liberal Opposition, under Sir Wilfrid Laurier, has not definitely announced its position on this matter, there is an element of the party which demands a fight in the form of a general election immediately. The speech concluded as follows: "In common with the rest of the Empire the people of this Dominion are firmly resolved that in this war which has entailed so much sacrifice for the highest ideals of humanity and civilization shall be continued and strengthened until they are crowned with an abiding peace.

Following was the statement in a speech from the throne regarding the extension of the life of parliament: "The life of the present parliament will expire in October next, and under existing legislation illresolution and election would be necessary in the early future. My advisors, however, are of the opinion that the wishes of the Canadian people and the urgent requirements of the war would be best met by avoiding the distraction and confusion consequent upon a general election at so critical a time. That purpose can only be effected through the medium of legislation by the parliament of the united kingdom. A resolution authorising and requesting the enactment of such legislation as will further extend the life of this parliament will be presented to you.

Although in some parts of the Dominion weather conditions affected adversely the excellent prospects of an unusually large harvest, yet, taking the country as a whole, the labours of our husbandmen have been abundantly reaped.

The commercial, industrial, and financial stability of the country has been well maintained during the past year. There is every reason to believe that the Dominion will be in a position to meet satisfactorily the readjustment of conditions which must ensue upon the termination of the war.

Important measures, designed to aid in meeting these new conditions, have been in preparation, and some of them will be submitted for your consideration.

Very Few Sarnians Refuses to Sign

SARNIA, Jan. 19.—The National Service cards here were received with considerable enthusiasm and little grumbling and already over 90 per cent. of them have been returned to the Post Office. Cases of absolute refusal to sign cards are very scarce it is believed. The Post Office will make returns to Ottawa in a few days.

TORONTO'S SPECTACULAR PATRIOTIC FUND EFFORT

TORONTO, January 19.—On Tuesday morning at one minute past midnight, will be started here the most spectacular campaign in the history of this city to obtain in four days two and a half millions for Patriotic and Red Cross Funds. An organization headed by 250 of Toronto's most influential business and professional men, and consisting of at least twenty thousand people has been perfected, and the aim will be to bring every human being in Toronto within the scheme of this great money-collecting machine.

Railway Construction Battalion Has Begun Recruiting In City

Standard of Physical Fitness Has Been Lowered For This Important Unit and It is Expected That There Will be a Quick Response Here---How Pte. Smith of 93rd Battalion Was Killed--To-day's Orders and General Military News.

The 256th Railway Construction Battalion has opened a recruiting campaign in Peterborough and as the standard of physical fitness for this most important unit has been lowered it is expected that there will be a quick response here. Lieut. Iles of the 256th Battalion is in Peterborough looking after the recruiting for the new battalion and has been given an office at the Armouries. One Peterborough man, Albert Baker joined the 256th yesterday.

To-day's Orders.

Regimental Orders, Part 1, No. 16.
Peterborough, Ont., Jan. 18, 1917.

Daily Orders by Lieutenant-Colonel C. H. Ackerman, Commanding 247th Bn., C.E.F.:

Orders for Friday, January 19, 1917:

1. Posting.—Lieut. R. B. Brooks is posted to City Recruiting Rooms, until further orders.

2. Church Parade.—All officers and other ranks available at Headquarters or on duty in the city will parade at the Armouries for church parade, on Sunday, January 21.

Roman Catholics, at 10 a.m.
Protestants, at 10.30 a.m.

The Sergeant-Major will detail an N.C.O. for Roman Catholic party.

Band will accompany Headquarters.

No passes are to be given to men with the view of staying away from church parade.

Dress.—N.C.O.'s and men belts with side arms.

3. Duties.—Orderly officer for Friday, January 19, 1917, Lieut. J. F. Strickland; next for duty, January 20, 1917, Lieut. T. W. Quinn.

A. E. Brittain, Lieut.
Adjutant 247th O. S. Bn., C.E.F.

It has been officially announced that James Staback, of Woodville, son of Postmaster Staback, has won a Distinguished Service Medal. He is a member of a machine gun section, and has been at the front since the early stages of the war. Pte. Staback is a nephew of Mrs. P. Glover, city.

Mrs. Henry Smith, whose husband Pte. Henry Smith, formerly of the 93rd Battalion, met death at the front, has received the following letter:

Jan. 1st, 1917.

Dear Mrs. Smith,—I have just received your letter to-day of the 5th of November, forwarded to me by Mr. Weir.

I cannot tell you how I sympathize with you and your family in your terrible loss, but I know it must be a great consolation to you to know that your husband died doing his duty in this great cause in which we are all engaged.

I was near your husband when he was hit. A shell dropped, and fragments of it hit him and rendered him unconscious. We got a stretcher and carried him out almost immediately after being hit, but he only lived for a few minutes, and died without gaining consciousness. This happened about 11 o'clock of the morning of the 16th of September, 1916. I was hit a few hours later, but I understand that he was buried in the cemetery near Pozieres, which is a few miles from Albert, France.

Mr. Weir has forwarded your husband's kit to you, but I expect it may be a little time before you receive it owing to it having to go through the regular course.

Your husband was an excellent soldier and also did his work with a great thoroughness. His cheerfulness at all times made him a great favourite with all whom he came into contact.

If I can be of any service to you I should only be too pleased.

Yours sincerely,
John Duncanson, Lieut.

The Secretary of the St. John's Women's Friendly Bible Class has received the following letter from Lance Corporal Edwin Norman, Ordnance, 3rd Canadian Division, "Somewhere in France"—

Dear Madam,—I had a very pleasant surprise the other day in the shape of a Christmas parcel. I now take this, my earliest opportunity of expressing my thanks and gratitude to all concerned in sending these parcels of good cheer. It helps to keep us in touch with our church, our old friends and dear old Peterborough. God speed the day when our work in this great war will be ended and a lasting peace assured satisfaction to us and to our gallant allies. It is kindness I shall never forget and I heartily wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year. I remain.

Yours sincerely,
EDWIN NORMAN.

The Norwood Register says: During the last week the following men from Norwood enlisted in the 247th Battalion of Peterborough:

Milton Clysdale, Herman McMillan, Jas. Saltern, J. Wesley Rodgers.

One other man offered himself but was rejected by the Medical Board.

This is a good start for Norwood and the prospects ahead look very good. For the men who are unable to enlist themselves the officers have other important work. Join the "One Hundred" club formed at the big patriotic concert on Monday night and thereby pledge yourself to endeavour to secure one recruit for the 247th Battalion of Peterborough county. Lieut. Boadet or Sergeant Puffer will be pleased to help you "sign the pledge." It is the duty of every eligible man to enlist. It is the duty of all other persons to join the "One Hundred" club.

Ptes. Frank and Harold Leal of the 21st Battalion have written home to express their heartfelt thanks to two pupils of the South Central school, Violet Frickey and Virginia French, for the gift of a Christmas parcel of handkerchiefs and cards.

The ladies of the West End Knitting Club have received letters of acknowledgment from Sergt. W. Crowly, Ptes. H. O'Heron, W. Kearns, C. Hardwick, Fountaine, L. McIntosh and Pte. Tobin. These letters expressing keen appreciation, repay in full the efforts the ladies have made to add to the soldiers' comfort.

Major E. D. O'Flynn and Captain M. Hamilton of the 247th Battalion will speak at the big recruiting meeting in Havelock to-night, in aid of the Peterborough County Battalion. The Band of the 247th will be in attendance.

BAND TO-NIGHT

At East City Rink. Good ice Admission 10c. Refreshments will be served by the Ladies Aid.

LINDSAY DROPS OUT OF RACE

The 247th Battalion Intermediate Club received word this morning that the Lindsay Hockey Club has defaulted its remaining games, and the Soldiers are therefore group champions and ready for the second round. In the meantime a series of exhibition games will be arranged, and it is hoped that the fast T. R. and A. A. team, who are leading their senior group, will be here for a game on Tuesday night.

Writ Against A Newspaper

Special to The Examiner:

TORONTO, Jan. 19.—A sequel to the recent legislative bye-election campaign in West Simcoe was the issuance this morning of a writ on behalf of Chas. M. Bowman, M.P.P. against the Collingwood Enterprise for the publication of a statement that Bowman was a grafter under the Ross administration.

GOVERNMENTS NEED A HOUSE-CLEANING

Mrs. Frick's Claim Of $1000 From City Being Heard To-day

Claiming $1,000 damages from the city for injuries received on June 24, 1916, in a fall on Ware Street, the evidence in the Frick vs. Peterborough case, was begun before Judge Huycke this morning. Mrs. Frick, a resident of Jackson Avenue, asserts that she was crossing the street when she stumbled over a piece of planking that had been thrown to one side by employees of the sidewalk department. Several ribs were broken and other injuries sustained. Mr. G. N. Gordon is appearing for the city and Mr. F. D. Kerr for the plaintiff. The case had scarcely got under way before one of the customary Kerr---Gordon arguments arose over the admission of certain photographs Mr. Kerr was submitting.

14 Year Old Boy Twice Escapes The Police Net

A boy of fourteen years, who is wanted on a number of charges, including the retention of $10 for the sale of the Toronto News, has successfully eluded recent attempts at his capture. The other day he was rounded up in Lakefield, and the village constable called up Chief Thompson to that effect, and the Chief in turn mentioned the arrest to the press. But in the meantime the "wee lad" had made good his escape. While the constable was 'phoning to Peterborough the youngster stole out of the Lakefield store and hid away until train time. Then he boarded the train and came to Peterborough. Arriving here he engaged with Mr. Hunter of North Monaghan who took him out to the country that evening. At this point Mr. C. A. G. Spence enters. He had evidently been previously advised that Mr. Hunter would take a boy from the Shelter and a day or so ago went out with a ward whom he intended to place on the farm. But Mr. Spence stumbled upon the youngster from Lakefield and arrangements were made to bring this boy into the city to-day. This morning the farmer drove in with the lad and all went well until the corner of Charlotte and Park streets was reached, when he slipped out of the sleigh and disappeared once more.

Social To-night At Brailey's School

A box and weight social is to take place to-night at Brailey's School House, and a number of folks from town are going out.

Two teams will leave the S. A. Temple at 7:15 to take all who want to go free of charge. A programme of music, etc., will be given at the social.

MR. GILLESPIE SELLS HIS FARM

Mr. G. A. Gillespie, M.P.P., has sold his farm to the previous owner, Mr. Sanderson, from whom Mr. Gillespie purchased it. Mr. Gillespie intends to have a sale of his farm stock and implements shortly, which will be one of the largest farm sales in the district.

Annual Meeting of the Health Association

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Health Association, will be held TO-NIGHT at 8 o'clock in the City Council Chamber. It is desirable and important that every member be present.

The "Geisha's" Gift To The Progressive Club

Mr. Devey on Behalf of "Dramatic Society" Turns Over Whole Profits—$250

The executive and members of the Progressive Club desire to express to Mr. Devey, and those who took part in the "Geisha"—their grateful thanks for the handsome donation of $250.

Mr. Devey and his Dramatic Society spent much time and care upon the production of the "Geisha," and the entire profits were given to the Progressive Club. This is certainly a most patriotic act, and is greatly appreciated by the Club, as well as by all patriotic citizens.

Miss Laura Hughes Believes the Women of the Country Are Thoroughly Qualified to Do the House-cleaning Which She Claims is Badly Needed—Address at the Collegiate Institute.

VOTES FOR WOMEN

That the Governments of both the Dominion and the Province of Ontario are in need of a house cleaning, is the opinion of Miss Laura Hughes, who last evening gave an address in the Collegiate Institute on the subject of the enfranchisement of women. This striking statement coming from a niece of Major-General Sir Sam Hughes, former Minister of Militia in the present Government concluded an address that lasted for nearly two hours. Miss Hughes claims that there is no body of people more qualified to do the house-cleaning than the women of Canada. She assured the audience that the present Provincial Government of Ontario would be given an opportunity of granting votes to women. If the women are unsuccessful the Liberals will be appealed to as Mr. N. W. Rowell, leader of the Liberal party in Ontario has endorsed the movement and the Liberals in other provinces of Canada have introduced women's suffrage. Miss Hughes thought it would be a good thing if the house-cleaning of the Governments could be accomplished before the boys come home from the front. To Miss Hughes the present Government have ceased to remember they represent the people and are more prone to remember they represent the party.

ALD. STRATTON PRESIDED.

Ald. A. H. Stratton presided in the absence of His Worship Mayor Duffus who has not yet got the kinks out of his neck through looking up at the tall buildings in New York City. Ald. Stratton like the good chairman that he is, favoured the gathering with a speech at both the opening and the close of the meeting and incidentally relieved Mr. J. J. Hartley of the arduous task of moving a vote of thanks by the simple and abbreviated expedient of asking the audience to signify its appreciation of Miss Hughes address in the usual manner. This was followed by a hearty handclap and the rendition of the National Anthem. Lieut.-Col Ackerman who was invited to address the meeting referred to the magnificent work accomplished by the women of Canada. He concluded with an appeal to the women for their assistance in the work of recruiting. He characterized Miss Hughes as a suffragette.

"A SUFFRAGIST."

"I am not a suffragette" declared Miss Hughes upon rising to speak. "I am a suffragist," she corrected. Miss Hughes explained that a suffragette differs from a suffragist in that the former represents the militant type and lends her energies to breaking windows and giving incendiary speeches.

"I don't think we will have to resort to those methods in Canada, observed the speaker. The enfranchisement of women is not a new question. It has been talked and written about for over a hundred years. It was first spoken of about the time of the French Revolution when the Frenchmen were fighting for their freedom. They took a rather militant method in those early days.

WILL BE FASHIONABLE.

We are a large body and we are ruled by laws made by other people.

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THE HEALTH ASSOCIATION.

Reminder is given of the annual meeting of the Peterborough Health Association in the City Council Chamber tonight. In regard to the health interests of the city, in view of the applied Christianity and humanity, in view of the Peterborough Health Association's splendid work in the relief of suffering, this annual meeting is of greater importance to Peterborough than the meeting of Parliament. It merits the support and auxiliary co-operation of every citizen.

THE DORCHESTER BY-ELECTION

There may be, though there should not be, surprise at the action of the Liberals of the riding of Dorchester, Quebec, in opposing the reelection of Hon. Mr. Sevigny, the latest Nationalist cabinet minister of the Borden government. In the first place, the action is an act of resentment of the insult of appointing a Nationalist, a light in the anti-British Nationalist faction, as a minister of the Crown, to a Cabinet whose duty is to work with might and main for British interests, unhampered by embodied principles of treason to British interests in its ranks. It is a protest against the Borden government placing party interests above national and imperial interests in the composition of the Cabinet.

The action of the Liberals voices the protest of honest and loyal Quebec Conservatives, who have been ignored in Cabinet appointments. It is an understood thing that the provinces be represented in the cabinet a fair and reasonable thing. But ever since the Borden government was formed, the only true "Bleu" admitted to its councils was the late Hon. T. Chase Casgrain. Honest and loyal Quebec Conservatives have not been represented in the Borden Cabinet by ministers of their party; they say the whole people of the province have been represented by the enemies of British interests and opponents to Canada taking her share in the war. If a straight Conservative minister had been appointed to the Cabinet, there would have been no election in Dorchester.

WHAT A FLAG IS.

There is something like a controversy in the New York Herald, over the question of the oldest national flag, and of course it is proven conclusively that the oldest national flag is that of the United States, though that country has been in existence only a hundred and forty years. The Herald points out that the "Stars and Stripes" was adopted in 1777; the standard of Great Britain was only adopted in 1801.

A national flag owes, if not its age, its significance not to being a mere bit of bunting, but to the spirit and fact it symbolizes.

A national flag cannot count its age from the last new suit or ipsus that has been given it. The British flag, with its tripled amalgamation of the Christian emblems of the three races that have made the greatest impress, had highest character of influence upon the world—the English, the Irish and the Scotch—may have been concretely adopted, as to form, only in 1801, but their real symbolism, the real significance of these separate flag emblems are lost in the mists of history through which their crimson radiance has been flashing for centuries. These now combined emblems have only been united a hundred years; but the Cross of St. George, the flag symbol of Merrie England, has for centuries inspired, watched over and guarded the various evolutionary steps of free institutions, representative institutions, that have made England the cradle of constitutional liberty and the parliamentary government, that are the essence of advanced civilization.

The British flag is centuries old in its embodiment of high spirit, high ideals and impulse to great achievement. A flag's age is counted by what it has stood for in its fundamentals of meaning, and its value by what it does—by its protection of those who owe it allegiance, and of the interests of them and humanity at large. The British flag is a principle as well as an entity. It protects its subjects, from the humblest to the highest. An insult to a British subject is an outrage upon the flag, and if necessary the whole strength of the Empire on sea and shore is exercised to vindicate the sacredness of the flag as the aegis of every soul and body under the shadow of its earth-wide protectorate.

The age of a flag is no matter of importance—but what it stands for and what it does. A flag that does not protect its people from outrage, and itself from insult, though it be as old as the hills, is only a bit of bunting—not even a sacred "rag," as is the standard that has been riddled, with shot and shell, blackened with the stains of conflict in a glorious cause. It is the voice of the British flag that has called Great Britain and her overseas Dominions—has commandeered all her and their mighty resources, all her strength on sea and land—to the greatest fight the world has ever seen—not for conquest, not for gain, but for principle—that mankind might be free, and justice and right might not perish from the earth.

KEEP IT GOING.

The lesson taught by the fable of the tortoise and the hare is that spurts and spasms of energy and action are little worth: it is the steady, persevering going that counts in the race of life, whether in individual, civil, national or belligerent enterprises. We had, not long ago, but long enough to let the spirit seemingly evaporate, a beautiful demonstration of inter-provincial rapprochement, labelled, "la bonne entente." We had beautiful academic exchanges of fraternal sentiments. But will these have been worth the breath spent upon them unless they are followed up—unless pleasant platitudes are worked into a policy to be worked up to and worked out by the peoples of Ontario and Quebec to the end of achieving a real "bonne entente?"

Unless we are willing and really strive to forget old prejudices and forgive—fancied wrongs of intent and action nothing will have been accomplished. It will take something more than fine speeches and after-dinner exchange of vows of eternal friendship to counteract the influences that tend to keep the peoples of the two provinces apart—in hostile camps. We have in the province of Ontario and the province of Quebec respectively, two incendiary, and organized influences or factors, hostile to mutual good understanding. Their activities are unfortunately not spasmodic, but malevolently continous. Each faction is always loaded with prejudices, the charges of recrimination rammed home to the muzzle and the slightest spark of suspicion or distrust served to produce an explosion. While these influences are at work and are tolerated by politicians to serve their ends, and unless the body of patriotic citizenship sees the danger and unites to meet it; and frowns down and neutralizes, outlaws and utterly reprobates the spirit at work in each of the provinces and in each in its own evil and perilous way, we shall never have interprovincial peace; "la bonne entente" will be a dream, and we shall never reach and realize the harmony of citizenship, the oneness of aspiration and aim, the indispensable condition of national progress. We have set the harmony ball rolling; let us keep it going, in thought and deed and word. If we let it stop rolling, many of the best men of Ontario and Quebec will have written themselves down as amiable pretenders and oratorial "false alarms."

In civic affairs we are also subject to spurts in the race of good and productive citizenship. Two or three years ago we had a big banquet, and over the wine and walnuts, our best citizens made valiant championship of a scheme to beautify the city. It was in every way admirable and perfectly feasible; but once the door closed on the last departing banqueter, the thing dropped and silence settled upon it as if each member of the sanhedrim had been bound by an iron-clad oath of secrecy; the only echo was in the newspaper report of the gathering the next day.

We do too much of that sort of thing, and it is not a good thing for a progressive city. We have, so we are told, told, the finest streets of business houses, the finest shop windows and interiors of any city of our size—prosperous and thriving. This argues good business ability and enterprise. We have an equally alert body of business men, conducting our important establishments, yet we can't or don't have, or keep going, that live wire of civic business energy, a live Board of Trade. Once in a while it comes to the surface to take breath and then disappears again — wasn't seen or heard of in 1916. We have in the present conjunction of circumstances, need of the good offices of a Board of Trade. There are some things a city council, if it does its appointed work, is too busy to properly attend to. There is an influential sound in the name, "Board of Trade," and we need its influence to influence public bodies that have the power to do things, to give concessions and impose injunctions necessary to secure, in the interests of the business and general life of the city, conditions that vitally affect our industrial interests and standing and general prosperity. We should get things going, and what is more important, keep them going — inaugurate and maintain a civic perpetual motion of activity and enterprize.

THE FINANCE MINISTER'S ADVICE IS COMMENDED TO HIMSELF

Practise National Economy By Suspending Parliament Buildings Reconstruction

"On Thursday evening Sir Thomas White, Minister of Finance, in the course of an excellent address before the Ottawa Board of Trade on the need for economy and thrift, said:

"The solution of the problems presented on demobilization of our soldiers, and arising from the need of increasing agricultural and other production, and of transportation by land and sea for our products, will, of course, require future financing on the part of the Dominion, but apart from these and the construction of the most necessary public undertakings the policy for the Dominion, provinces and municipalities should be that of rigid economy. It will be good for us financially and morally."

Sir Thomas has at several places delivered addresses along the same lines, all of which are deserving of commendation. There can be no question that the advice he gives respecting the need for economy is sound.

"What a pity it is that such excellent advice is weakened by the fact that at Ottawa, under the eyes of Sir Thomas and his colleagues, and with the concurrence of a Joint Committee of Parliament, the existence of which is calculated to stifle discussion, there is going on a work, the cost of which will run into millions, which cannot by any possibility be properly described as a "most necessary public undertaking." How can the Government expect lessons of economy from any Minister to be received with respect while there is going on the scandalous waste that is involved in the reconstruction of the Parliament Buildings at such a time as this? Of course Canada must have, at the proper time, Parliament Buildings which will be in keeping with the character of the Dominion. But there is hardly anything that Canada has less need of at this time than a new Parliament House. In the Victoria Memorial Museum at Ottawa, Parliament has found convenient and comfortable quarters. There are large rooms, which are well suited to the purposes of the Senate and House of Commons. Indeed, in some respects the accommodation now enjoyed by the members of the two bodies is better than it was in the stately structure on Parliament Hill that was recently destroyed by fire.

"There is quite a large amount of accommodation for committees and for the members. It is not all that could be desired, but it is ample for war time, when some inconvenience and perhaps discomfort have to be borne by everybody. If Parliament has to be housed in its present quarters for several years nobody will be the worse for it. Why then should the Government, at a time when the recruiting offices are almost empty, when the Ottawa battalions call in vain for their complement of men, set hundreds of able bodied men at work for the rebuilding of structures not needed? With what reason can the Government refuse the call for public buildings in other parts of Canada while this wasteful expenditure of millions goes on under their eyes at Ottawa? The actual work of erection is suspended on account of the weather, but the work of preparing the material is going on as usual. All such work done at the present time of high wages will be very costly. That alone would be a reason for delay until a more convenient season. The need of men for military service is another reason. The need there will be for after-the-war work, to furnish employment at a time when it will be much needed, is another reason and a very strong one.—Journal of Commerce.

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A GRAPHIC ACCOUNT

Since the official communique from Paris brought the first news of the great French victory at Verdun, it has become known that five German divisions were beaten by four of France—a splendid achievement. Not only so, but the enemy were driven from some miles of fortified ground which they had won last spring at a heavy cost in dead and wounded.

In short, the triumph of the French not only reproduces the brilliant features of their victory in the same region on Oct. 24, but also restores by recapture the forts which were the outer defences of Verdun.

All through the country the impetuous French assault—the first event to signalize the appointment of General Nivelle as Commander-in-Chief—sent a thrill of ardent satisfaction. "Nine thousand prisoners and over eighty guns" (as the first reports said) was enough in itself to justify that elation.

But hour by hour the record has increased, until the total of prisoners has swollen to over 11,000—equal to a full German division on its reduced scale—and it has been made very unlikely that the enemy will ever again attempt an assault upon his lost strongholds.

Below is told the full story—the first answer given by the Allies to the Kaiser's "Peace" trick.

One of the first vivid descriptions that came to hand was that of Mr. Henry Wood, correspondent, whose message was issued by the Exchange Telegraph Company. He wrote:

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The foot troops under the new French infantry reorganization, divided into groups armed with hand-grenades, portable machine-guns, rifle grenades, and bayonets, advanced under a perfect curtain of artillery fire.

EARTH ITSELF VIBRATED.

The hand and rifle grenadiers executed a grenade barrage wiping out any German position which had escaped the artillery preparations, thus permitting the infantry never to fall behind the pre-established rate of advance.

Yesterday's advance constituted the third step in the Verdun offensive, the previous two having retaken Douaumont and Vaux. It demonstrated the incontestable superiority of the French over the Germans, the French attacking with four divisions the German front, held by five divisions, and inflicting losses which, it is estimated, have wiped out two divisions.

The attack was launched at ten o'clock, and following a day's terrific artillery preparation, culminating before the infantry leaped out of the trenches into such a steady roar that the combined unbroken roar of scores of aeroplanes overhead made both the earth and the air vibrate together.

The French artillery preparation, which had extended over the entire Verdun front to St. Mihiel, evidently puzzled the Germans, who, expecting an attack elsewhere, were unable to begin a barrage fire till the French had swept up a goodly portion of the Poivre (Pepper) Hill.

As the troops neared the summit the fury of the battle increased, and innumerable rockets shot skyward as the different sections signalled their advance.

BARRAGE FIRES' TERRIFIC MEETING.

The German barrage, which began short on the opposite slope to Poivre, gradually lengthened and climbed up, whilst the French barrage ascended from the front side, till both met on the summit in frightful explosions that turned the entire hill into a seething, smoking volcano.

Yet a moment afterwards rockets shot up from the opposite side of the crest, signalling that the French were successfully passing the German barrage, and were descending the opposite slope.

Within an hour the entire Cote Poirre was captured.

Whilst the French troops swept over Poivre others attacked and captured Vacherauville, lying in the Meuse valley at the foot of Poivre.

The fighting was so intense that the volume of grenade smoke gave the impression of an entire village burning.

After the loss of Poivre the Germans devoted almost all their entire artillery to an effort to check the French advance further east, executing solid barrages over Louvemont and Chambrettes Farms, Hardaumont and Bezonvaux. But although the artillery struggle continued with incredible violence, the French advance along the entire front was unchecked.

During the entire battle aviators, flying low behind the German lines, machine-gunned the fleeing Germans, who sought to escape the French advance.

Yesterday's gains place the German line three miles from Souville, Verdun's last defence from which the Germans in July were separated by only 500 yards.

Since the loss of Douaumont on Oct. 24 the Germans had worked night and day entrenching, and fortifying new positions, seven weeks' work, which was wiped out on Friday.

General Nivelle, whose armies have been responsible for the entire defence of Verdun, together with the present offensive, personally congratulated General Mangin, who, under his approval, has planned and executed the Verdun offensive since October 25.

FROM AN EYE-WITNESS.

This brief narrative was followed a little later by a despatch from Mr. G. H. Perris, Lloyd's News and Daily Chronicle special correspondent with the French Army at Verdun. Writing on the night of the battle, he says:

I was an eye-witness to-day of the great battle of Verdun, where the French army struck another deadly blow at the forces still nominally commanded by the German Crown Prince, on the heights of the Meuse.

In a few hours the enemy was beaten back, an average of two miles on a six and a half-mile front, many thousands of prisoners being taken and a number of cannon captured or destroyed.

The most important points of the occupied ground, counting from the river valley eastward, are Vacherauville village, the Poivre crest, Louvemont Hill and village, Haudromont Redoubt and plateau, the woods north of Douaumont as far as Les Chambrettes Farm, and the whole of the Hardaumont plateau, overlooking the eastern plain called the Woevre, with the Hardaumont and Bezonvaux redoubts and the village of Bezonvaux, lying at the foot of the hills two miles north of the village of Vaux.

I was able to watch the whole operation, as far as actions of such extent can be watched, from ten o'clock this morning.

From the French positions of this morning, except Douaumont, the highest point of the plateau, the Meuse heights rise tier beyond tier. From a certain happily situated hill most of the battlefield was clearly visible, and every considerable movement could be closely followed.

Despite a strong and icy wind, the great biplanes and the little Nieuports came and went, while a dozen "sausages" held permanent guard at the end of their long cables.

There must have been some German planes near the front, but I did not see one on our side of the lines, and I only saw one German observation balloon, and that was falling like a huge torch beyond Douaumont.

WHEN THE SIGNAL WAS GIVEN.

Just before ten o'clock there was a hush in the cannonade, a momentary pause, in which we knew that hundreds of officers and thousands of men were standing ready for the signal with bayonets fixed.

Modern assaults go by clockwork, and when the given moment arrived it was rather like the spontaneous movement of a vast mechanism than the noisy and confused clash of old-time armies.

Suddenly the hills echoed with a multitudinous flapping and crashing of hundreds of hidden guns. The green and brown slopes and valleys of the amphitheatre were fuller of gun flashes than a frosty sky is with stars.

The other end of the trajectory of the French barrage fire was visible in long lines of smoke from the exploding shells, preceding with a marvellous closeness the lines of blue-coated infantry advancing behind a moving wall of flame.

Everywhere the sky was splashed with the rising and falling flames of signal rockets, and in every part of the front intrepid airmen were swimming in and out of the zone of death.

After the beginning of the attack the German artillery fire became erratic and ineffectual, probably from the fear that the near guns would be captured, as most of them were.

On the left, or west wing, in the Meuse Valley, the village of Vacherauville, lying between the long ridges of Talou and the Poive, had been fortified in the now familiar manner.

Grenade fighting continued for several hours in the village, and it was not till the commanding positions on the east had been lost that the last defenders gave in.

CAPTURE AFTER CAPTURE.

The capture of Pepper Hill was speedily accomplished. The Germans had a triple system of trenches along the slope up to the summit and on the south side of the road from Vacherauville to Louvemont. Bombing parties cleared their shattered lines with uncanny rapidity, under protection of the French curtain fire.

From below the Pepper Hill summit the front yesterday turned eastward across the valley road from Bras to Louvemont, and then across the wooded hill of Haudromont to Douaumont. Here also the advance was rapid, though the more broken nature of the ground left many obstacles in the way.

Winning Poivre and Haudromont heights made possible a concentric attack all along the Louvemont road from the village over Hill Metre 347 to Les Chambrettes Farm and Hill Metre 358, where the road turns due north. By the early afternoon all the ground was secured.

Two strong lines of trenches north of Douaumont, on the right of the attack, a deep wooded area behind them and east of Douaumont, and the wooded promontory of Hardaumont (north of Vaux), was the hardest part of the battle. By nightfall, nevertheless, the village of Bezonvaux, just two miles northeast of Douaumont, had been reached and cleared, with the remains of several old French redoubt and other intervening works.

This great victory was the work of four French divisions, including many of the Colonial troops who captured Douaumont last month, and started from the points reached in their earlier advance. It completely alters the balance of advantageous positions on the Meuse Heights.

In losing Douaumont and Souville the Germans lose all control over the central mass of this mountain block, and another push equal to that of to-day would put them back to the line they occupied before Feb. 21 last.

Except that the enemy indulged in a violent bombardment of his lost positions on Wednesday and Thursday, there has been no fresh development. Our Allies have consolidated the captured ground, and maintain their position.

By a French expert it has been estimated that the German losses from all causes were about 80,000 men.

PUT FEAR IN ENEMY.

In a later message, Mr. Perris wrote:—

Snow began to fall as I left the field and it is now falling more heavily.

Much of the conquered ground is a foul fog, in which, for the moment, trfenches cannot be dug, the general winter is a more redoubtable for holding such ground seems to me more conspicuous than that by which it was seized. Yet so far it is held, and the probability is that it will be held.

The enemy has received a very heavy blow. Among the 8,000 11,000 prisoners made in the last twenty-four hours there are between 200 and 300 officers. The time when German officers generally died fighting has passed. As to the men, there is a good deal of evidence that they now stand in open fear of our Allies and the decline of moral is very marked.

The organization is still formidable, but it develops no new resources or qualities to meet the increases of the Allies' material strength.

The enemy's principle losses are, of course, irrecoverable for it should always be remembered that the capture of positions is only a means to the supreme end of every operation of war—the destruction of the hostile forces.

In recent actions on the Meuse the Germans have tended to revert to the earlier practice of holding the foremost trenches in strength, but the only result so far has been to increase their losses of all kinds.

ONE MAN IN TEN A PRISONER

It is known that they had in action five divisions, (prisoners were taken belonging to every regiment of these divisions). They probably had, therefore a certain numerical superiority. Yet nearly one mane in ten of the whole army was made prisoner, and it is highly probable that a third of the force was put out of action.

As on the last occasion when Douaumont was recovered, the French casualties are relatively high.

The voice of Verdun is the invincible will of all France in its most deliberate expression.

It means that this people is resolved not to be conquered and not to be tricked. It is a clarion challenging a wearied enemy.

When General Neville took leave of his staff at Verdun he said:

"I leave you, gentlemen, at the close of a splendid day. The experiment is conclusive. Our method has justified itself once more. The Second Army has affirmed its moral and material ascendancy over the enemy.

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Police Force At Kitchener To Be Greatly Reduced

MUNICIPAL COAL YARD WILL BE REPORTED ON BY COMMITTEE.

KITCHENER, Jan. 18.—Before the regular business was taken up by the city council at a meeting held here a formal welcome home was accorded to Ptes. Zaresoteroff, of the 2nd Battalion, and John Noble, of the 1st Battalion. Mayor Gross officiated, and presented each with an address of welcome and a $10 goldpiece.

N. R. Detweiler wrote the council, stating that he declined to accept the appointment as a member of the board of health. He was named at the inaugural meeting, but said he could not accept under existing circumstances, brought about by the late election. Mr. Detweiler was a defeated British League candidate, having secured the largest number of votes, but was three hundred behind the tailender of the previous council.

WANT A REPORT.

On motion of Ald. Reid and Sass the city clerk was directed to communicate with the chief of the Dominion police, requesting that official to furnish a full report of the investigation into the report made that rifles and ammunition had been stored in a near by village schoolhouse during the last municipal elections.

A committee was appointed to make investigations regarding the purchase of coal and the establishment of a municipal coalyard providing such action does not conflict with the Ontario municipal act.

As a matter of economy during these times of stress a resolution was passed on motion of Ald. Asmussen and Reid that a recommendation be made to the board of police commissioners to reduce by three the present force of eight men.

OTHERS TO BLAME

Speaking to the motion, Ald. Sass was of opinion that a great deal of the expense could have been saved if the police had done their duty on election night, as he did not believe that the soldiers of the 118th Battalion were alone to blame for the rowdyism.

Ald. Campbell was strongly of the opinion that the work of the chief was to lead his men, and not sit in the office, especially when there is a riot or trouble on. To-night it was a matter of economy, and he favored a reduction of the staff.

A motion was also passed appointing a committee to inquire into and report back not later than September with a view of submitting to the electors at the next municipal elections the question whether Kitchener should have a commission form of government. This surprised Ald. Bitser, who said that it was hardly necessary because a good council had been elected this year.

Aldermen Sass, Schwartz, Reid, Uttley and Bowman were appointed a committee to consider questions in connection with the assessment of the city with a view to reform.

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"Well, mate, wot's happened since I got tucked away twenty years ago?"

"There's war been declared," said the friend.

"Yes, what else?"

"We've got a new king."

"George."

The convict gave a chuckle of pleasure.

"Good old Lloydy," he said. "I allus knowed he'd come out on top in the end."

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Hand-picked white beans, 2 pound 25c.
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Get wise! Tea is advancing every day. Now is your time to buy.
Ceylon Orange Pekoe, per pound 40c.
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5 Good Values from the Dress Goods Department for Saturday

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An extra heavy quality of All-Wool Serge. Suitable for Skirts and Suits. In Navy only. 40 inches wide. Reg. $1.75. January Clearance Sale 1.39

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Small size	23c	69c Cream Pitchers	35c
Large size	43c	50c Bread and Butter Plates	25c
Tea Kettles—		69c Jewel Cases	35c
Small size	46c		
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Boys' Fleece-Lined Mocha Mitts and Gloves. In Brown only. To fit up to 12 years. January Clearance Sale, pair 1.00

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Women's Wool Underwear, with just enough cotton to prevent shrinking. In Natural or Cream Vests with Drawers to match. .... January Clearance Sale, garment 1.00

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Made of heavy quality of White Flannelette. Made with Dutch collar, buttonhole stitched in blue. In ages 6, 8, 10 years. ..... January Clearance Sale 75c

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THE MILLBROOK WINTER HORSE SHOW WAS A SUCCESS

Some of the Best Performers in the Ring Were Shown at the Annua Show—Horses Were in Good Condition—The Prizewinners

MILLBROOK, Jan. 19.—The annual Short Course and Winter Horse Show, held under the auspices of the Department of Agriculture, Millbrook Agricultural Society and Durham Board of Agriculture, was again a success, despite the weather conditions of the last day, which necessitated postponement for one week.

The demonstration work was a phenomenal success, and the progressive live stock breeders of Durham turned out in large numbers to discuss issues relative to the profession with which their industry and observation have made them familiar.

In Good Condition.

The animals exhibited for demonstration purposes were in good breeding condition, especially the various classes of beef and dairy cattle, which were supplied by Messrs. Fred Fallis, Thomas Jones, Sutton, McNeil, Matchett, and McCamus. These cattle were a credit to the men who own them and an asset to the County of Durham.

The Horses.

The horses exhibited were of exceptional quality and type. In the draft class three animlas of different type were exhibited. There was no difficulty in placing the winner in Staples' big, blocky mare, with both substance and quality; but some little dispute arose as to which animal second place should go, as it either had to follow size in a gelding, or quality in a mare, and a number of people felt inclined to place the mare second. After some deliberation Mr. Gardhouse placed the gelding second and the mare third, which seemed a popular decision.

In the Agricultural Class four animals were shown, mostly all of a different size and quality. After some discussion as to what an Agricultural horse should be, the most ideal in the class was Mr. Lunn's mare, which had more size and possibly a little more Clydesdale type than the others. The second was a Chestnut mare with a tendency to general purpose. The third followed the former type, and the fourth was a good, handy little horse.

Road Class.

In the Road Class four warriors crept on the carpet. More interest was shown as some of these horses were contestants in former competitions, and they were of the proper type. After some discussion, first place went to Johnston's roan gelding. Second went to a little black mare, which was clipped and did not show as she has on former occasions. The third was a little different type and a good, useful kind, and the fourth was a bay gelding, which was not in condition and is only a colt.

Carriage Class.

In the Carriage Class four animals faced the colours, all of good, true carriage type, and all Hackney bred. First place went to Hood's little sorrel filly, which is the Utopia of horse flesh, and, barring accidents, will continue to head the lists in future. The second was her stable mate, with more size, but not so smooth as the winner; the third was a black filly mare, the type of the winner, but acted very coltish, and the fourth was a grey mare that moved nicely and was no doubt an excellent family horse.

All the committees feel grateful to the men who so cheerfully placed their animals in the judging pavilion for the benefit of the public to criticize upon as to their qualities, good or otherwise. It is hoped that all will unite in making the Millbrook Winter Horse Show bigger and better than ever in future.

A PETERBOROUGH BOY IN TEXAS

Mr. James H. Winch Makes His Mark as Successful Druggist

A copy of the Laredo, Texas Daily Times of a recent date has been received by Mr. P. Alexander, containing a reference to one of its most successful citizens, Mr. James H. Winch.

Local interest is given to the article in the Times by reason of the fact that Mr. Winch's wife, Annie Winch, is a sister of Mrs. P. Alexander and a cousin of Mr. H. E. Winch of this city. Following is the personal reference in the Times, accompanying which is a striking half-tone picture of Mr. Winch:—

"James H. Winch, manager of the City Drug Company, was born at Peterborough, province of Ontario, Canada, October 18, 1878. At the early age of 3 years, Mr. Winch came with his parents to New York, later removing to Florida where he received his education. In the year 1895 Mr. Winch removed to Laredo, took up the study of pharmacy and after a period of diligent study was successful in fulfilling all the requirements of the Board of Pharmacy's examination and was granted a certificate to practice his profession. In the year 1900 Mr. Winch removed to various cities in Mexico where he practiced his profession, returning to Laredo in 1902 to accept a position with the City Drug Company, the oldest established drug house in the city. After several years spent in this city, Mr. Winch accepted employment at his profession in El Paso and Los Angeles, Calif., in which places he remained for several years, returning to Laredo in 1910 to again identify himself with the City Drug Company as manager and part proprietor, having purchased an interest in the company.

"Mr. Winch is the possessor of a personality which makes an infinity of friends for himself and his company which, added to his "absolutely square treatment" of his patrons, places him in the vanguard of Laredo business men and among those who may be depended upon in any civic or business emergency."

Fatally Injured At Wood-Cutting Bee

INGERSOLL, Jan. 19.—While assisting at a wood-cutting bee on the premises of John Service, first concession of Dereham township, William Tackle received injuries which may result fatally. His clothing was caught in some manner and before assistance could be rendered he was frightfully mangled. His condition is so serious that the possibility of recovery is very slight.

Over 13,000 Names On Cambridge War List

LONDON, Jan. 19.—At the close of 1916 there were 13,128 names on the Cambridge University war list. Of these, 1,405 were killed, 1,945 were wounded, and 312 missing and prisoners, 916 were mentioned in despatches, five being awarded the Victoria Cross, and 900 other distinctions.

GOVERNMENT WHIP RESIGNS OFFICE

Mr. John Stanfield Will Be Succeeded by Mr. Middlebro.

OTTAWA, Jan. 19.—John Stanfield has resigned his position as chief Conservative whip. He will be succeeded by W. S. Middlebro, member for North Grey.

The retiring whip relinquishes an office which he has filled since the first session of the present Parliament. He retains his seat in the House, which he won in the famous bye-election of 1907, when the "solid eighteen" which Hon. W. S. Fielding brought from Nova Scotia was broken. Some weeks ago it was announced that Mr. Stanfield had stated his intention of resigning from Parliament, following a difference with the Minister of Railways over some matters connected with the administration of the Intercolonial. This, apparently, is not now his intention, although his resignation as whip has reached the Prime Minister.

Mr. Middlebro, who will be the new chief whip, has discharged with satisfaction the duties of assistant whip. He entered Parliament in 1908.

TULLY'S Reduced Groceries

Help to keep down the high cost of living. Here are a few cut prices for Saturday.

Delicious Coffee, reg. 45c for	38c
Fine Flavored Figs, reg. 45c for	38c
Good Dairy Butter	44c
Brit. Col. Salmon, 2 tins for	25c
Evaporated Peaches	15c
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R. J. Orr, D.C.O., of the Arrowsmith "First Aid" Foot-Relief Service, will be at our store three days beginning Monday, January 22nd, 1917, demonstrating the well-known Arrowsmith "First-Aid" Foot Specialties, for the relief and cure of all foot ailments. Mr. Orr is a specialist of broad experience and can diagnose and prescribe for any foot ailment. A free, private and personal examination of your feet.

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75c "Stamped" Bunny Crib Blankets 39c
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A corset that is equal to-day to many dollar lines. Has double coutil front—graduating clasp—straight cut directoire skirt. Sizes 18 to 30. Saturday Snap price, pair 69c

Black and White 50c Habutai Wash Silks 39c yd

Three hundred yards Japanese Wash Silks — 27 inches wide; colours black and white. Silk that cannot be bought to-day to sell again at 50c yard. Snap price will be, yard 39c

60c Value Heavy Ribbed Worsted Wool Hose 48c pr

A splendid quality worsted ribbed wool hose, English make that cannot be bought again. Sizes 8½ to 10. Special 60c value. Saturday Snap price will be, pair 48c

New Wash Materials Now in Stock

Shipments of new wash goods have reached us. This is indeed agreeable, for the recognized shortage of cotton will mean early shopping. We advise you to discard the shopping routine of former years and adjust your buying to suit present conditions. When in the store see the range of these new summery materials.

Six Ready-To-Wear Items Remarkably Low Priced

Sweater Coats $3.75

A heavy plain rib suitable for sport's wear; convertible collar, buttons up well around the throat; two pockets. Colours cadet, cardinal and brown. Good assortment of sizes. Sale price 3.75

Drawers 29c

Made of longcloth, tucked frill and all sizes. This price is special for Saturday, and is an outstanding value on the Snap list. Sale price will be 29c

Flannelette Gowns 89c

Beautiful soft quality flannelette; yoke is of embroidery and tucks, long sleeves, all sizes. A nicely shaped garment and worth considerable more. Snap price will be 89c

$18.00 Coats $8.90

In heavy chinchilla tweed effects, all good styles and worth up to $18.00. In every way they are good comfortable coats and will give honest service. Saturday Snap sale price will be an exceptional one 8.90

Handsome Blouse 98c

Made of fine close quality voile; front arranged with embroidery band and tucks; deep nine-inch collar trimmed with embroidery. Saturday Snap price will be 8

Smart Skirt $2.98

In a pretty shade of grey tweed, nicely cut gored front and gathered back, with belt finish. Sizes well assorted. Saturday Snap price will be 2.98

Immense Stock of New Dress Goods

At no time during subsequent months will our dress goods department present a more extensive array of materials than now. If you fail to realize what a scarcity there will be at a latter date, it will cost you dollars extra for suit, dress, coat or blouse.

House Furnishing Opportunities

40c Coco Matting 29c yard

Coco matting 18 inches wide, hard twist fibre. Regular 40c. Snap, yard 29c

50c Coco Door Mats 39c each

Outside coco door mats. Regular price 50c. Saturday Snap price only, each 39c

15c White Curtain Muslin 9c Yard

White curtain muslin 26 inches wide. Regular 15c yard. Snap price will be, yard 9c

15c Curtain Scrim 11c Yard

Cream curtain scrim, bordered on both sides—36 inches wide. Regular price 15c yard. Snap price, yard 11c

75c Green Blinds 49c Yard

Green window blinds, 36 x 72 inches. Mounted on good spring roller. Regular 75c. Snap price 49c

Women's $3.50 Black Cloth Top Boots $2.69

A boot that is stylish and yet serviceable. Can be had with patent leather lowers. Both button and laced styles. D and E widths. Worth every cent of the $3.50. Snap price 2.69

Ladies' First Quality Guaranteed Rubbers 59c pair

A rubber that is fully guaranteed not to tear at the seams or leak at the soles. Sizes and lasts to fit any shoe. Remember they are first quality. Snap price will be, pair 59c

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Choice Salmon (by the fish), lb 11c
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30c green tea, 5lb. lots, lb 21c
15c dried peaches, 5lb lots, lb 10½c
15c raisins, 5lb lots, for 64c
10lb. rolled oats for 49c
10lb. corn meal for 49c
4lb. honey color syrup for 25c
25c tin tomatoes 5 cans at 17½c
15c peas and corn, 6 cans at 13½c
15c box rolled wheat, 3 for 25c
30c lemons, Sorrento, doz. 19c
$6.25 bag No. 1 bread flour for $4.89
Good roast beef as cut off, lb. 18c
$7 to $12 furs, all at, each $1.99
$5 to $8 fur caps at all, each 98c
$3 lb. Scotch finger yarn, lb $1.49
60c overstockings, pair 49c
Ladies' 25c fleeced stockings, pair 21c
Children's 20c rib stockings, pair 14c

Also wholesale prices on Matthews' pure Bone Brand Lard in 5, 10 and 20 pound pails.

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Need New Methods to Raise Recruits—Let the People Decide

TORONTO, Jan. 19.—The adoption of conscription in Canada was warmly advocated at a meeting held at St. George's Hall last night, and resolutions were passed calling upon the Dominion Government to put the Militia Act into force and to immediately enrol men eligible under Class A of the Act in sufficient numbers to complete the 500,000 men which the Dominion is pledged to place in the field. Also that reinforcements be sent to the front as quickly as possible and continued as required to maintain the Canadian force on the battle line in full strength. The attendance, while not over-large, was representative of all classes of the community, and further was most enthusiastic.

Capt. J. H. Burnham, M.P. for West Peterborough, who recently returned from the front, said he had been privileged to convey from the men in the trenches to the young men of Canada the message and appeal. "Don't see us stuck." The meaning of that message was that the boys at the front saw that owing to the continuance of the war it was necessary that recruiting should not fall off in Canada. The boys at the front needed reinforcements. They who have won imperishable glory for Canada should not be deserted. He asked, What are the Canadian people going to do? The burden was on their shoulders. Would Canadians ignore the warning and request of their sons in France? He thought not. If there were any young men in Canada who did not want to do their duty they had better get out of the country. Such men were not worthy of the protection of the Union Jack. Capt. Burnham advocated the taking of a referendum on the question of conscription. If the people showed by their votes that they wanted it, the Government would act quickly. Politicians, after all, simply gave effect to the wishes of the people. If the people wanted conscription they could get it. The voluntary system had done well, but it was played out. A change must be made; it was impossible to let things drag along the way they were doing. Let the question be submitted to the people, and let everyone abide by the answer given. Capt. Burnham paid a glowing tribute to the gallant lads at the front and to the nursing sisters, and concluded with a fervent appeal for reinforcements to enable the Canadians at the front to win greater glory and to aid in the speedy defeat of the Germans.

German Official Story Categorically Denied

LONDON, Jan. 19.—A Foreign Office communication issued, referring to the statement in the German note of January 12th, to neutrals, in effect, "It is known that in 1687 the British Government was determined not to oppose on these conditions the claiming of the right-of-way through Belgium," says this statement is absolutely devoid of foundation and is categorically denied.

Noah Dunn Burned To Death in Shack

LIVED ALONE IN THE BUILDING SITUATED NEAR McKENZIE'S ISLAND.

Campbelford, Jan. 18.—The dead body of Noah Dunn was taken from the ruins of the shack in which he lived and which was destroyed by fire on Friday afternoon last. The building was located on the south side of the Trent River, near McKenzie's Island, and the blaze was first noticed by some of the children returning from school. Several of the neighbours who rushed to the scene were able to distinguish the body of the unfortunate inmate lying in bed with a rifle in his hands, but owing to the fierceness of the flames they were unable to enter the building.

When the flames had been quenched the charred remains of the body were taken out and were later viewed by the coroner.

Interment was made on Saturday in Centre Church cemetery.—Campbellford News.

How Thin People Can Put On Flesh

Thin men and women—that big, hearty, filling dinner you ate last night. What became of all the fat-producing nourishment it contained? You haven't gained in weight an ounce. That food passed from your body like unburned coal through an open grate. The material was there, but your food doesn't work and stick, and the plain truth is you hardly get enough nourishment from your meals to pay for the cost of cooking. This is true of thin folks the world over. Your nutritive organs, your functions of assimilation, are probably sadly out of gear and need reconstruction.

Cut out the foolish foods and fussy sweetest diets. Cut out everything but the meals you are eating and eat with every one of them a single Sargol tablet. In two weeks note the difference. Let the scales be the judge. Five to eight good solid pounds of healthy, "stay-there" fat may be the net result. Sargol aims to charge, weak, stagnant blood with millions of fresh new red blood corpuscles—to give the blood the carrying power to deliver every ounce of fat-making material in your food to every part of your body. Sargol, too, mixes with your food, to prepare it for the blood in an easily assimilated form. Thin people tell how they have gained all the way from 10 to 25 pounds a month while taking Sargol and say that the new flesh stays put. Sargol tablets are a careful combination of six of the best assimilative elements known to chemistry. They come 60 tablets to a package, are pleasant, harmless and inexpensive, and all good druggists in this vicinity sell them subject to an absolute guarantee of weight increase or money back as found in every large package.

If you find a druggist who is unable to supply you with Sargol send $1.00 money order or registered letter to the National Laboratories, 74 Antoine St., Montreal and a complete ten days' treatment will be sent you postpaid in plain wrapper.

To clean plaster-of-paris figures, sprinkle them with a thick coating of starch and water. When this is dry the dirt will brush off with the dry powder.

MUSICAL EVENING WAS A SUCCESS

Enjoyable Affair at the Home of Mrs. Thos. Poole on Wednesday

A very successful musical evening was held at the home of Mrs. Thos. Poole, Byersville in aid of the new St. Albans' church on Wednesday night. The proceeds amounted to $10.25. Mrs. Poole wishes to thank Mrs. Newton for her part in making the evening a great success, and also Mrs. Crawley, and all who assisted her. The programme, which was very heartily enjoyed was as follows:

Piano solo—Mrs. Poole.
Gramaphone solo — Pte. Oliver White.
Solo, "Flight of Ages"—Mrs. Scolley.
Piano solo—Miss V. Thomas.
Solo, "Home Sweet Home" — Mr. Ridyard.
Solo (patriotic)—Miss Marion Byers.
Duet, "Convent Belle"—Mrs. Scolley and Mr. Ridyard.
Solo, "By the Fountain" — Mrs. Wagstaff.
Solo—Miss Stanley.
Duet —Miss R. Sandiford and Mr. Pacey.
Solo, "Till the Boys Come Home"—Mr. Ridyard.
Solo, "Good Luck to the Boys of the Allies"—Miss M. Byers.
Solo, "Day by Day"—Mrs. Scolley.
Solo, "In the Gloaming" — Mrs. Merton.
Song and Dance—Mr. Wm. Parker.
Solo—Miss L. Ridyard.

A very pleasant evening was brought to a close by the singing of the National Anthem.

Recruiters Invade Trenton Poolrooms

TRENTON, Jan. 19.—The 254th (Hastings and Prince Edward Counties) Battalion is introducing a novel method to aid recruiting here. They have secured permission from the proprietors of the pool-rooms here to place a desk in each poolroom with two men stationed there to plead with young men to join the battalion. Some of the leading citizens have volunteered to assist and will make short recruiting speeches to the players and assist the recruiting men in the pool-rooms.

To Get German Advice On Feeding People

LONDON, Jan. 19.—A Vienna despatch to Reuter's by way of Amsterdam says that Premier Clam Martinic and Major-General Hofer, head of the Austrian War Feeding Department, have left for Berlin to discuss the food question with the German authorities.

Monthly Meeting Of the Millbrook Women's Auxiliary

President Was Absent Owing to Illness—Personal Items

MILLBROOK, Jan. 19.—The January monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of St. Thomas' Church was held this week at the home of Miss Kells, owing to the regretted absence of the President, Mrs. Allan, who is still confined to the house, Mrs. Needler, the vice-president, took the meeting very acceptably. After the devotional exercises were concluded and the regular business disposed of, interesting letters were read from Apsley concerning the bale sent, and from Toronto, and giving accounts of the December and January board meetings. Mrs. Westmacott gave a short sketch of Burmah, and Mrs. Mulligan gave a reading.

Personals.

Mr. Fred Todd, of Cavan, has enlisted with the 247th Battalion.

Rev. A. T. Weir, of Bethany, will preach at St. Thomas' Church at 10 a.m., and at St. John's Church at 2 p.m. next Sunday.

Mrs. H. Lord and daughter, Winnie, are guests of Mrs. H. Tomms, Toronto.

Mr. W. J. Lowes, of Bethany, was in town on Tuesday.

A Lecture.

Col. T. H. Race, the Field Secretary of the National Santarium Association, will give a lecture in the Town Hall on Wednesday evening, January 24, on the subject of "Tuberculosis, Its Nature, Treatment and Prevention," illustrated with instructive lantern views.

Dr. Clarence Dickinson, of Toronto, was in town last week visiting friends.

Mrs. Jas. Leactch, of Toronto, was a guest of her mother, Mrs. Maxwell Henry, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark and Miss Lois Findley, of Fraserville, were visitors in town Friday.

Mr. William Casey, of Emily, is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. C. W. Richards.

Mrs. Wm. Sanderson and children, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Wm. Bingham.

Next Sunday, January 21, will be the 25th anniversary of the opening of Christ Church, Bailieboro. Services will be held at 10:20 a.m., with celebration of Holy Communion at which the rector will officiate; and 7:20 p.m. at which the preacher will be the Rev. A. T. Weir, of Bethany. The offertory will go to the church fund.

Chief of Police Has Resigned

BOBCAYGEON, Jan. 19.—Our Chief of Police has resigned his position, being unable to live on the salary paid, but is continuing his duties until his successor is appointed or he is given an increase.

Evidence in the Anderson Case Heard Yesterday

Magistrate Langley presided at a County Police Court session in Havelock yesterday, in which Wm. Anderson, of Belmont, was charged with having liquor in his possession in a place other than his private dwelling. The evidence on each side was taken and the case adjourned for argument in Peterborough. Mr. G. N. Gordon appeared for the defendant and Crown Attorney Hatton for the prosecution.

Inspector Stewart gave evidence as to his visit to Anderson's towards the end of the year and of the story that liquor was kept in a barn about a mile from Anderson's residence.

Harry Lauder Takes $250,000 of War Loan

LONDON, Friday, Jan. 19.— Harry Lauder has subscribed fifty thousand pounds to the war loan.

MERCHANTS

Will all the merchants who wish to have their stores listed among those participating in Dollar Day and who have not already done so, please notify The Examiner, so their firm name will be included in the published list.

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With the following prices on HIGH-CLASS CLOTHING AND FURNISHINGS, you would be wise to purchase now for Next WINTER. It will pay you better interest than the bank. TAKE THIS TIP. YOU WILL THANK US LATER.

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Men's Heavy Tweed Suits in lovely shades of Brown and Scotch Heather. Extra well made and lined. Sizes from 36 to 48. Worth up to $15.00.

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Everybody says, what a beauty! And remember you get a guess with every $1 purchase from now till Dollar Day at 6 p.m. to guess when the Clock will stop.

TAKE A CHANCE

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Men's Heavy Tweed convertible collar Ulsters, Brown and Greys, well lined and trimmed, belt back, all sizes up to 48. Coats worth $13.50 and $15.00.

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Heavy winter fur band caps, extra good tweeds, dandy patterns, good shape. Regular $1.50 for.... 98c

Heavy silk lined cap, outside pull, brown and grey chinchilla and tweeds. Regular $1.25 for ... 65c

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Nifty young men's Overcoats in all the swell new shapes and cloths, short models, close fitting, velvet collars. Some pinch back. Regular $18 and $20

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Boys' Suits

Good strong school suits, norfolk style, 8 to 15 years. Worth $5.50 for 3.95

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Sizes 4 to 8 years, brown and grey chinchilla, flannelette lined, button up close. Worth $5.50 ..... 3.95

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Heavy honeycomb knit coats, in two colours only, garnet and black and grey and garnet. Sizes 28 to 32. Regular $2.85 for 2.00

If you are after the Clock you can't have too many guesses and remember every Dollar spent here between now and Dollar Day at 6 p.m. Means an extra guess.

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GOVERNMENTS NEED A HOUSE-CLEANING

(Continued from page 8.)

Why shouldn't we have something to say about the laws we are compelled to obey? asked the speaker. There have been women voting in the world for over fifty years, and yet there are to-day people who express alarm when it is suggested that women be given a chance to vote. Some day it is going to be the fashion to be up-to-date in brains as well as in clothes and we are going to adopt new ideas as they come along. In 1818 a man in Baltimore was nearly mobbed for raising an umbrella during a rainstorm because the people of that city had never seen an umbrella. A hundred years from now people will look back at the anti-suffragist of to-day and be as much surprised as the people of Baltimore were when the man appeared in their midst with an umbrella.

NOT A NEW IDEA.

Women suffrage is based on sound principles. It is not a new idea and is democratic. Crime is practically unknown in the state of Wyoming, the pioneer state of women's suffrage. Anti-suffragists do not exist once women's suffrage is introduced. Norway, New Zealand and Australia have all adopted women's suffrage resulting in advanced legislation for all the countries named. The President of the anti-suffraght league in California was one of the first women to register her name as a voter of that state when womens suffrage was introduced.

"If the men were disenfranchised for about five years they would know what it means to be classed with criminals, edicts and children, said Miss Hughes.

TWO PARLIAMENTS.

Since coming to Peterborough the speaker had discovered a man who has been in parliament and who believes that there should be two parliaments in the Province. Miss Hughes did not devulge the name but expressed disapproval of such a solution. She failed to see why the women should not sit in the same parliament with the men. "Too many people, said Miss Hughes make women's suffrage a question of sex antagonism, whereas it should be a uestion of co-operation."

Miss Hughes admitted that had the women been governing the country for the past one hundred years as the men have done they would not have done any better.

Two Functions.

"There are two functions in the world: the man function and the woman function. Neither one is better than the other. Man's mind is trained to a certain line of thought, the same with a woman's mind. Man is destined to always be the provider. He has worked out the industrial and commercial systems of the age. Women have not made the same progress as men because they have not had the same chance. Men look at things from the commercial attitude; woman from the humane side of the question. A few years ago the canners waited upon the Government with the request that the child labour law be modified so that they could utilize child labour. The Secretary of State, in giving his assent to the bill, said: 'If we do not grant this legislation the fruit will spoil.' He failed to realize the effect that such legislation would have on the childhood of the country by permitting them to labour at an immature age. The Secretary of State lived up to the commercial instinct that is in man. If women had been privileged to vote that would never have happened.

A New Brunswick M. P.

"It is not the men's fault," observed the speaker. 'They have done wonders considering they have not had the help of the women. Civilization means the joining together of men and women, and that is one of the reasons why women must have a vote. There is not a single argument against it."

Miss Hughes told a story concerning a member of parliament from New Brunswick, with whom she attempted to discuss some of the larger questions of the day. Failing to get more than a 'yes, yes' in reply, Miss Hughes restricted her conversation to some of the smaller issues with about the same results. Finally Miss Hughes turned her attention to the Province of New Brunswick, in the hope of obtaining something of an informative value from the parliamentary member.

"You grow potatoes in New Brunswick?" enquired Miss Hughes.

"Yes," replied the man addressed.

"What size of a town do you live in?"

"About two hundred of a population," was the reply.

"Don't you find it hard to live in such a small place?"

"Well, a man can live any place if he has his woman with him," replied the man.

"And then they say women are not as intelligent as men," commented the speaker.

Reconstruction.

In conclusion, the speaker foreshadowed a huge reconstruction period following the war. For this reason Miss Hughes urged the adoption of women's suffrage as early as possible, in order that women may have an opportunity of participating in the solution of some of the after the war problems." Some people have said that the Government should not be embarrassed at the present time. "It does not concern the Government at Ottawa," assured Miss Hughes. "It is a question for the Provincial Government to deal with. The movement, instead of hindering the progress of the war, will help the war, and place women in a position where they will be of some service to the country when the war is over."

Ald. A. H. Stratton was of the opinion that a better municipal council would be possible if the women were given a chance to vote. He fully endorsed the movement and predicted great possibilities for women's suffrage.

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The best thing for steady use is just ordinary mulsified cocoanut oil (which is pure and greaseless), and is better than the most expensive soap or anything else you can use.

One or two teaspoonfuls will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get mulsified cocoanut oil at any pharmacy, it's very cheap, and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months.

EXPRESS AND BAGGAGE.

E. D. Cooney, a returned soldier, has taken over the express business of Eddie Bead and will give prompt and careful attention to all work entrusted to him. 'Phone 947. E. D. Cooney. 249 Aylmer stree. 23d-4t

Rev. T. H. Mitchell To Remain At St. Andrew's For Duration Of The War, He Announced

At the Annual Congregational Meeting Last Night—Organ Committee Has Completed Its Work—Debt Wiped Out —Membership Shows Increase For Year.

GOOD FINANCIAL SHOWING

As a fillip to the enthusiasm aroused by the very gratifying reports presented at the annual congregational meeting of St. Andrew's Church, last night, the Pastor, Rev. T. H. Mitchell announced that he had decided to remain at his post for the duration of the war. This term of a more or less military acceptation is used for its appositeness to the expression with which Rev. Mr. Mitchell conveyed his decision. Owing to ill health during the Fall months he had informed the Board of Management that he would be forced to resign on the first of April. In the meantime, however, he had recuperated to such an extent that in view of the sacrifices the Empire and the people were being called upon to make he desired to withdraw the notice previously given, and was glad to be able to remain with St. Andrew's for the duration of the war. The warmth with which this statement was received by the large representation of the membership of the church must have afforded Rev. Mr. Mitchell the satisfaction of knowing that his own sacrifice was fully appreciated, as it was also a spontaneous expression of the confidence and esteem in which he is held by his congregation, and of the cordial and firm relationship that has already developed during the few months of his incumbency. He had intended retiring to the country in the Spring, but that necessity had passed, and the congregation last night left no doubt of the pleasure and inspiration the intelligence had brought them.

A Successful Year.

Rev. Mr. Mitchell presided at the business meeting, which was preceded by supper the ladies had served to more than one hundred members. All the reports from the various departments of the Church disclosed an active and successful year.

Financial Statement.

Mr. Andrew McFarlane read the financial statement for 1916, as follows:

Receipts.

Subscriptions, envelope	$3182.66
Open collections	568.86
Prohibition Fund collection	13.25
Transferred from Property Account	233.80
Total	$3,998.57

Expenditures.

Salaries	$2748.15
Miscellaneous	$1250.42
Total	$3998.57

Property Account.

Receipts.

Gross Revenue	$ 922.50

Expenditures.

Taxes	$ 306.68
Water rates	6.66
Repairs	234.19
Transferred to Church acct.	233.80
Applied on overdraft	141.17
Total	$922.50

Bank Account.

Overdraft Dec. 31st, 1915	$640.40
Transferred from Property ac.	141.17
Overdraft Dec. 31st, 1916	$499.23

Mission Account.

Receipts.

Balance from 1915	$972.89
Subscriptions by envelope	1152.10
Special towards deficit	186.45
Mrs. Hugh Waddell, special towards deficit	1000.00
Mrs. Waddell towards General Fund	250.00
Sunday School	67.35
Total	$3,608.79

Expenditures.

Rev. Dr. Sommerville	$1732.60
Rev. Dr. Sommerville, re deficit	1186.45
Envelopes	15.00
Balance on hand	674.45
Total	$3608.79

1917 Estimates.

The estimates for the present year were placed at $4,100.

Organ Debt Wiped Out.

Mr. W. A. Richardson presented the following report of the Organ Committee, showing that the last indebtedness had been paid, and the committee's work was completed.

This report covers the financial operations of the Organ Committee since its appointment in 1913:

Receipts.

From permanent improvement fund	$2,602.57
From subscriptions	5,374.83
Total	$8,067.40

Expenditures.

Organ contract	$7,093.00
Alterations in choir loft	266.74
Alterations in Church basement	221.04
Interest on notes	198.55
Inspection	235.00
Sundry expenses	44.07
Total	$8,067.40

At the last annual meeting the indebtedness on account of the organ was $700.00. Subscriptions for this amount were secured during the year and the whole amount has been paid. The books have been audited and found correct.

These records, containing a detailed statement of all expenditures and a complete list of all subscriptions received, will be turned over to the Church Treasurer to be kept with other records.

I move that this report be received and that the Committee having completed the work for which they were appointed be discharged.

Other Reports.

Department activities were reported with invariable evidences of satisfactory accomplishment, as follows:

Willing Workers' Mission Band — Miss F. Robertson.

Boys' Club—Mr. J. John.

Sunday School—Mr. Geo. W. Gilman.

Cafeteria — Rev. Mr. Mitchell.

Choir—Mr. R. Lees presenting Mr. F. E. Kerr's report.

Patriotic Society.

Mrs. Sills reported the receipt of $568.94, by the Patriotic Society and detailed its expenditure.

Ladies' Aid.

Mrs. H. Edmison presented the report of the Ladies' Aid Society, indicating a splendid performance Over $800 had been received: The expenditures included a contribution of $21.25 to the Patriotic Society. Mr. McFarlane commented that the efforts of the ladies were not acknowledged with due appreciation. Mr. Richard Lees remarked that he was unable to adequately express the recognition they deserved, and Mr. G. Walter Green added his congratulations.

Women's Missionary Society.

Mrs. Lees read the secretarial report of the W. M. S., and Mrs. W. I. Christholm, Treasurer, stated that the receipts had been $350.32, with a balance of $1.57.

The Expense Fund reported receipt of $25.76, with $5.16 remaining.

Statistical Report.

Presenting the statistical report, Mr. Lees said that in 1916 there were 503 members on the roll; 43 were added during the year; 5 were removed by death, and 11 by certificate, showing a net gain of 27.

Rev. Mr. Mitchell amplified the statement with 15 baptisms and 9 marriages. The total death list was unprepared. It included the names of Lieut Stuart Lang and Pte. James Gibson, killed in action.

Appointments.

The following appointments were made:

Protestant Home Board—Mrs. F. L. Robinson.

Charity Board — Mr. John McClelland.

Nicholls Hospital Board—Mr. E. B. Fowler.

Board of Managers—Andrew McFarlane, G. A. Gillespie, G. Walter Green and W. A. Richardson, re-elected.

Following Rev. Mr. Mitchell's suggestion the Board's membership was increased from twelve to fifteen, and the new members appointed were W. H. Waram, E. Walton and J. E. Latimer.

Printing Committee.

The personnel of the Printing Committee is as follows: Rev. T. H. Mitchell, R. M. Glover, W. H. Waram, E. B. Fowler and W. A. Richardson.

ADULT BIBLE CLASS.

Miss Etta Wiggins read Miss Martin's report of the Adult Bible Class of which Mr. F. E. Kerr is teacher. It shared largely in the successful work of the year and had a financial balance of $17.84.

AN EARLY CANVASS.

Arrangements were effected for a canvass of the congregation early this year. It will be only a visit to keep in touch with the people although Rev. Mr. Mitchell suggested that the needs of missions might be mentioned by the visitors.

Mr. Lees referring to the Mission Fund pointed out that one contribution alone was for $1,000. Without this the showing wouldn't have been so favourable.

APPLICATION OF WORK.

Mr. McFarlane drew attention to the work of the managers last year and particularly referred to the painstaking industry of Mr. W. A. Richardson, Mr. E. B. Fowler and Mr. Wm. Langford, Jr., the latter gentleman for the attention to the church property.

SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Mr. Gilman's report of the Sunday School included the following statement:

Total enrollment of Sunday School, 290.

Highest average during year, 207. Average, 141.

The general receipts were $275.85 and in addition $77.25 were received for missions.

EXPRESS WAS DELAYED.

The afternoon C.P.R. train from Montreal yesterday was delayed several hours on account of a breakdown near Central Junction. It did not reach the city until 6.20 p.m.

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Put up carefully by suitable fruit men and from their own private orchards.

Assortment of Pure Jams in four pound pails.

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Porter S. White

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Dear Mary:

I have your letter telling me how pained you are because Mrs. W—— called and seemed to be so "critical." You should not blame her. She showed the proper spirit in coming to see you. I'm going to be frank and say that you should be PREPARED to entertain those who visit you. Mrs. W—— lives in a beautiful home and could not help noticing things.

You just go right to Tom and tell him you must have some new furniture and rugs, and how easy it will be on the "charge account" payment plan. Hastily—HELEN

P. S.—You'll get the furniture and furnishings you need on easy payments at

Harry Zacks

THE WORLD OF SPORT

Line-ups For The Big Game To-night

Largest Crowd of the Season Will Be Out To-night to See Oshawa and Peterboro' Juniors Clash in Decisive Game For the District Leadership—ice is Lightning Fast.

OSHAWA.		PETERBOROUGH
	Goal	
Smith		Murray
	Right Defence	
Osborne		McIntyre
	Left Defence	
Feegan		Montgomery
	Rover	
Rowden		Graham
	Centre	
Flintoff		Cherrett
	Right Wing	
Venini		McFee
	Left Wing	
Swynyard		Bartley

Referee—Lawson Whitehead, Toronto.
Time of game—8:15 o'clock.

The fastest sheet of ice of the season is ready at Brock St. Rink to-night for the battle between Oshawa and Peterborough Juniors which will have a very important effect on the group standing. It is the first opportunity that Peterborough fans have had this year to see a game on fast ice, and with the two teams as evenly matched as the 11-10 game at Oshawa showed them to be, to-night's clash should be the feature event of the hockey season. That the fans are recognizing it as such is shown by the interest displayed throughout the city in the game which is creating more talk than any other contest of the year. All the surrounding towns are sending delegations for the game, and it looks as if Brock St. Rink will be crowded with one of the noisy old-time crowds. The Petes will be out for the season if they lose this battle, so that Captain Graham and his teammates may be counted upon to let out to the last link to beat Manager Bradley's clever youngsters.

With a lightning fast sheet of ice, two well balanced teams fighting it out to the last ounce and the district championship hinging on the result, there is every reason to expect the most interesting contest of the season.

Referee Whitehead will arrive in town on the 5:30 train, and as the Oshawa team will also be in early, the game will start sharp at 8:15 o'clock, the advertised hour.

LINDSAY COMMENT ON WEDNESDAY'S HOCKEY GAME

Following is some of the Lindsay comment on Wednesday night's game:

The Lindsay Post says: Lindsay received the worst beating of her hockey career last night when the 247th Batt. team of Peterborough ran up a total of 21 goals to the locals 8.

The big, fast Peterborough team simply swarmed all over the Midgets, outskating, outchecking and outshooting them at every stage of the game, but in spite of all that it was a tiresome game to watch, for the locals at time showed flashes of good individual hockey. The Soldiers might have run up even a larger score had it not been for the fact that Armstrong, their star centre man, had to be led off the ice minus three good teeth, which put him out of the party for good, early in the first period. Quinn, too, had to be carried off the ice after receiving a nasty smash during a mix-up in a corner, which turned the game into a five man a side affair. The Petes lived up to advance notices, and the team they presented was one of the best seen here in many moons. They should go a long way toward winning the cup. Adams and Halpin starred last night for Peterborough, while Evans was always on the job, particularly around the nets.

Adams, the Petes' right wing, looks good enough to catch a place on any team. He is a husky gent with plenty of speed and packs a healthy shot.

If Grover Halpin is the smallest man on the team he certainly is one of the most effective. His rushing last night was exceedingly spectacular.

Quinn had a lot of hard luck last night. First he lost a tooth which must have caused him considerable annoyance and then got a smash that put him out of business altogether.

The game Quinn was a returned soldier, having been on the firing line for over a year, and in all that time he wasn't used up as badly as he was last night.

The Warder says:

Peterborough	21
Lindsay	8

What a game! What a score! It was the return game and the score had reached the twenties when Referee Dr. Jerry Laflamme, of the famous St. Michael's seven, skated over to the penalty box and remarked: "How much longer is this going to last?"

How much longer? That was the question many fans were asking.

The attendance was a little larger than in the former game and for the initial two periods the crowd rather enjoyed the game. However, the longer it developed, the greater the agony.

In Fast Company.

The Midgets were soundly trounced and with ease, by one of the best teams local railbirds have ever witnessed travel at the Lindsay street rink. Compared to the visiting soldiers, the locals were as town leaguers. They were in fast company, so fast that the Midgets appeared to be desperately slow. Time and time again the visitors swept down the ice with Hawaiian grace and ease, the locals appearing to be in a daze. Peterborough had what the Midgets lacked—condition, experience, weight and speed. By the end of the first period the Midgets were just about fagged, and were outclassed holus-bolus.

The porridge eaters were strong in every department and should go up a long way in the intermediate race. Armstrong the star centre man, retired early in the game with a damaged jaw, and Flanagan went from rover to centre. "Redtop" Halpin, a Peterborough youth, who last year played with Sarnia, was the best man on the ice. Every time he broke away from left defence the fans automatically remarked, "there he goes again—another goal for Peterborough." He was a bird, fast and effective. Adams, another red-top, is a chunky player, fast and dangerous, with a lightning get-away style. Evans was also good. Flanagan is not classy, although a dangerous man. Quinn, a returned soldier, remained on the defensive all evening. Legros in goal was as cool as an icicle, and all to the good. It was like shooting up a blind alley to get one past him, and the Midgets gave him a chance to distinguish himself.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY DOLLAR SAVING SALE

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Regular $10.00 to $15.00 Special price....$7.50

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Regular $25.00, $30.00, and $35.00. Special sale price.....$18.50

Ladies' New Dress Skirts
$3.75, $5.00, $7.00, $8.25

Ladies' Blouses
Crisp and new from Fashion's centres. Among them are Crepe de Chene, Georgette Crepe, Soft Silks, New Voiles, etc., etc.
$1.50, $3.00, $5.00, etc

Ladies' Underskirts
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Choice of shades. Taffeta Silks in new designs.

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Now is the time to get a high priced Winter Hat at a low price, new styles. Lots of time to wear them yet. $5.00 hats for.....$1.99

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Every time you spend a dollar you get a pink slip which entitles you to purchase any one of the following articles at the prices listed below. With a $2.00 purchase you may buy two and with a $3.00 purchase you may buy three and so on.

Ladies' 50c Quality Cashmere Hose
A beautiful fabric, nice fine material, per pair..... 15c

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In all sizes worth 35c. Sale price 15c

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Ladies' and Children's Ribbed Cashmerette Stockings
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TWO CLOSE BATTLES IN CHURCH LEAGUE

The Church Hockey League was opened last night with two hard fought battles which were exciting from start to finish. George Street beat the Knox team in the first game by 6 goals to 4 and the Trinity—St. Andrew's team winning from Mark Street by 5 to 4. In both cases the winners had to come from behind to win out.

The George Street—Knox class was a battle from the start with both teams inclined to rough it and Referee, Walter Jackson had his hands full. The score was 2-2 at the end of the first period and in the second session Knox drew ahead by scoring two goals while the Methodists only succeeded in finding the nets once. The Knox team held their slender lead until the last few minutes when the Methodists came through with three goals in a row and won handily. They earned the decision by their work throughout, neither team had any combination.

The second clash was equally as close and was in doubt until the finish. The Trinity—St. Andrew's team were behind at the beginning of the third period but finished strong and won out 5 to 4. It was anybody's game. Mark Street showed the best combination of the night and should have won, throwing away their chances by loose work around the nets.

The stomach of a bat will in one night digest three times the weight of the animal.

WITH THE CURLERS

To-night's Games.

The scheduled games to-night are:
Denham vs. Morrow.
Sturgeon vs. Foote.
W. G. Ferguson vs. Wightman.
Kay vs. Dr. Greer.
Davidson vs. Hicks.

Last Night's Games.

The scores last night were as follows:

Dr. Waldon		J. K. Parkins	
M. Comstock		A. M. Laidlaw	
G. L. Bowes		Dr. Eason	
G. L. Bowes		D. Eason	
Skip	7	Skip	9
Rev. R. Pogue		H. Derlo	
W. B. Turner		C. G. Graham	
W. J. Oke		P. D. Fitzgerald	
G. H. Giroux		R. P. Bost	
Skip	5	Skip	11
T. O. Donaldson		Ira Moore	
A. H. Webb		H. W. Cooke	
		R. L. Dobbin	
H. F. Foote		W. D. Campbell	
Skip	10	Skip	15
W. B. Warne		O. Moore	
G. R. Munroe		F. Brownscombe	
G. Boucher		J. H. Metheral	
F. M. Dela Fosse		J. W. McDermid	
Skip	5	Skip	17

BOWLING

Owing to the fact that the bowling alleys have been closed part of the present week, the schedule for the City Bowling League has been moved backward one week. The schedule for the games still to be played will be as follows:

Jan. 23—Printers vs. C.G.E.
Jan. 25—De Laval vs. Grocers.
Jan. 26—Business Men vs. Left Overs.
Jan. 30—Business Men vs. Grocers.
Feb. 1—Left Overs vs. C.G.E.
Feb. 2—De Laval vs. Printers.
Feb. 6—De Laval vs. Left Overs.
Feb. 8—C.G.E. vs. Business Men.
Feb. 9—Printers vs. Grocers.
Feb. 13—De Laval vs. Business Men.
Feb. 15—C.G.E. vs. Grocers.
Feb. 16—Printers vs. Left Overs.

Last night the Business Men took three games from the De Laval in the City Bowling League. By this win the Business Men and the Printers are tie for leadership in the League. The scores:

Business Men—				
Weber	160	148	137	445
Lush	152	164	160	476
Phillips	172	171	140	483
Fielder	153	170	185	508
Dawson	163	218	167	548
Totals	800	871	789	2460
De Laval—				
Byers	101	158	173	501
Hill	129	152	129	410
Barrett	106	138	134	369
Robinson	161	116	128	405
Carter	152	197	172	521
Totals	739	745	715	2199

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PURE-WHITE FLANNELETTE—27 inches wide. This line is an extra special at this sale price. Selling price 15c. Same quality to take the place of this one will be 18c. Two-hour Sale price ..... 8 yards for.. **1.00**

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CURTAIN SCRIM SPECIAL —In white, cream and ecru insertion in border with lace edges, 36 inches wide. Regular prices 35c and 40c. Saturday Sale price, per yd... **25c**

40 TO 45-INCH CURTAIN NETS — Excellent designs in cream, ecru and white. Regular 35c. Saturday Special, per yard **25c**

CHINTZ AND CRETONNES ON SALE—Many designs to choose from. The patterns are copies from very high-grade qualities, and reproduced to sell at 40c. Saturday only at, per yard **25c**

CREAM FLANNELETTE — Just 100 yards of this old reliable quality. No dressing, but extra heavy. Worth 18c. for....7 yards for.. **1.00**

Ladies' $25.00 Black Sealette Coats on Sale To-morrow at $13.95

$50.00 Brown Sealette Coat $25.00

One of the most beautiful coats of the season, (only one left), lined with floral designed corded silk. Regular $50.00. For half price **25.00**

$12.00 Winter Coats on Sale at $5.00

You can buy a new smart winter coat of the latest style and materials that sold from $10.00 to $12.00. To-morrow for..... **5.00**

Children's Coats on Sale at $3.98

The balance of smart winter coats that have been selling at $6.00, $7.00, $8.00. All at one price to-mororw, each..... **3.98**

$2.50 White Wash Silk Blouses $1.79

They are the latest styles in blouses to arrive, but taken as a Saturday Bargain. Regular $2.50. Sale price..... **1.79**

All Wool Underskirts at $1.50

They are plain white and plain cardinal. A good warm, heavy, all-wool rib knit, that are worth $1.75. Sale price..... **1.50**

Children's Flannelette Gowns 98c

All white, very best of material, nicely trimmed, for ages 10 to 14 years. Regular $1.25. Saturday Special..... **98c**

Ladies' White Flannelette Gowns

Not a cheap sale gown, but one much better than you will expect to get. Just see them to-morrow. Several styles. H.S. and tucked yokes. Embroidered yokes, V and high necks. Regular value $1.50. Saturday Special **1.25**

Ladies' Flannelette Drawers 35c

Made from splendid quality stripe flannelette. Worth 50c. Saturday, per pair **35c**

Social and Personal

Mrs. Henry M. Carver, of Caledonia, who was called to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Hugh Mackey, is spending a few days with her brother-in-law, Mr. Oswy and S. D. Carver, of this city.

Mrs. J. W. Rusling, of Bay City, Mich., and Mrs. Griffin and Mr. Myles Fitzgerald of Hamilton, have returned home, after attending the funeral of their sister, Mrs. Hugh Mackay, of Otonabee.

Mr. Ernie Ford, of Simpson, Sask., is in the city renewing old acquaintances. Ernie is farming in the west and likes the life immensely. It is about eight years ago since he visited the city. During his residence here he was a valued member of both lacrosse, hockey and rugby teams.

Mr. Harry Long, left to-day to visit friends in Corbyville.

The Rev. and Mrs. E. A. Pearson, B.A., will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Cressmen while in the city in connection with the Sunday School anniversary of George Street Methodist Church. The Rev. Mr. Pearson will be present in connection with the Sunday School concert that is being held this evening. Special services will be held on Sunday at which Mr. Pearson will preside.

Mr. Michael O'Brien, Jr., son of Mr. M. O'Brien, late Separate School Inspector, has been in Rome for some time, pursuing his studies with a view to the priesthood. His many friends and the friends of the family, will regret to learn that he has been compelled, on account of his health, due to the climate of Italy, to abandon his studies. He has returned home, arriving in New York a day or so ago and is now at the home of his parents, 85 Hayden street, Toronto.

Mrs. Geo. Campbell, of Millbrook, is visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. (Major) Watt and Mrs. Cottrell were the hostesses yesterday afternoon at the weekly tea given by the 57th Chapter I.O.D.E. They were assisted by Mrs. (Col.) Mills who presided at the tea table, which was attractively decorated with pink carnations and candles, and Mrs. Lech, Mrs. Manson Comstock, Mrs. (Capt.) Hall, Mrs. Edgar Worth and Miss Hay.

Mrs. W. M. West, Hastings, was the guest yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. Spence, Downie street.

Bombardier A. Austin is in the city recruiting for the 74th Battery, and is the guest of his parents, Walton street.

Mr. Jas. Dwyer and daughter, Miss Elizabeth Dwyer, Lindsay, are in the city to attend the funeral of the late Joseph Dwyer.

Mrs. E. Clarkson is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Lundy.

Miss Grace Burritt is in the city to attend the Gomer-Somerville wedding, which takes place to-morrow morning in St. John's Church at ten-thirty.

Miss Paul, 189 Hunter street, East City is spending a few days the guest of friends in Montreal.

Miss Lilias Somerville and Mr. Lind Somerville, Toronto, are the guests of their aunts, the Misses Jenkins, Brock street.

Yesterday afternoon St. Peters Patriotic Club held their weekly tea at St. Alphonsus' Lyceum. The tea tables were beautifully decorated with daffodils. The hostesses, Mrs. Bruce Law and Miss Nora Shevlin, were assisted by Mrs. W. H. Blanchard and the Misses Mae C. Kelly, Evelyn O'Brien, Margaret Shevlin and Eileen McCabe. A nice sum was added to the yarn fund.

Sanitary Inspector Cooper is on the sick list, also his assistant, Mr. F. W. Miller.

Mr. H. B. Armstrong, of Edmonton, is in the city visiting friends. He is a son of Mr. H. S. Armstrong, formerly of East City, and has not been in Peterborough for 18 years. Mr. Armstrong is in the drug business and has great faith in the West.

Mr. Robert J. Menzies, of Detroit, is in the city visiting relatives and friends.

The King's Daughters, through the courtesy of the management of the Empress Hotel, will hold a tea in the Grill Room of the Hotel to-morrow afternoon, from 4 to 6.

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New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.— Bethlehem Steel Common, war bride star, which was jumped from $30 to $700 as a result of munition orders, broke $35 a share to $400 on the Stock Exchange this afternoon, as a result of new bond issues.

New York Stocks—

South Pac., 98 1-4, 98; St. Paul, 91, 90 3-4; Union Pac., 145, 144 1-2; Beth. Steel, 430, 402; Rep. Steel, 79 7-8, 80. C. S. Steel, 114 3-4, 114 1-2; Anaconda ex-div., 84 3-8, 83 7-8; Inter. Nickel, 42 1-8, 42; Air Brake, 149, 150; Atchison, 105 1-2; B. and O. ex-div., 82 1-8, 83 3-4; C.P.R., 163 1-4, 163 1-2; N.Y. C., 102 1-8, 102; Erie, 33 1-8, 33; Erie Pfd., 48; Nickel Plate, 109; Penna., 56 5-8, 56 1-2; Reading, 103 1-2, 103 1-4.

Canadian Stocks—

Steamers, 34 1-2 bid; Canada Car, 26 1-2 bid; Gen. Elec., 112 bid; N.S. Steel, 116 bid; Can. Loco., 57 bid. Market dead.

Chicago Grain—

May Wheat, 187 7-8; July, 152 1-4; May Corn, 101 1-4.

Market Opinions of New York Houses.

Jenks, Gwynne & Co.—Believe the tendency to stock values is upward. Look to prices to fluctuate within moderate trading limits on the way up, however, and consequently favour purchases on the dips for quick turns for the present.

Post & Flagg.— After their severe setback in December, the public are apt to be weary, and it can hardly be expected that they will follow up these advances with the old-time enthusiasm. Nevertheless, for the moment the market points upward.

E. & C. Randolph.—The market acts better than it has for three months. There is quiet, sustained strength in every department. It is beginning to reflect the expectation of continued large industrial earnings due to a continuation of the war. I expect the advance to continue.—Evans.

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM BRIDGENORTH

BRIDGENORTH, Jan. 18.—Some of the roads are badly blocked after yesterday's storm.

WAS AN ACTIVE MEMBER.

Mr. John Forsythe and family have moved away from the Village, and gone to Peterborough to reside. Mr. Forsythe has resided in the Village for thirteen years and was a very active worker in the Church, where he held the position of janitor.

He was also an old member of Court Bridgenorth, No. 315, C.O.F., and was Chief Ranger for the year 1916. He always took a very active part in Canadian Forestry. He and Mrs. Forsyth and son Cecil, will be greatly missed in the Village, but what is Bridgenorth's loss will be Peterborough's gain.

JANITOR APPOINTED.

Mr. Thos. Black has been appointed janitor of the Methodist Church by the Trustee Board for the coming year.

BUSY CUTTING WOOD.

Mr. Geo. Bell and son, Samuel, have commenced operations with their gasoline circular saw and are busy cutting wood for the farmers.

DELIVERED A LECTURE.

Mr. Robert Saunders delivered a lecture to the Young Men's Club on Monday night last on Socialism. It was a very interesting subject and is to be continued on next Monday night.

A NEW INDUSTRY.

Mr. John Bradley of Cavan township is moving his portable saw mill to the village and is going to commence operations in the Spring cutting lumber and shingles. He has purchased the Old Brumwell Mill for a site.

SCHOOL BOARD MEETING.

It is the intention of the trustees of school section No. 5 to call a meeting of the ratepayers of the section to get their views as to whether it is in the best interests of the section to have the Normal students attend the school for the coming year as in the past year.

If people only knew what they can buy Jewelry, Watches, etc. for at E. V. Warne's Closing-Out Sale, the goods would not last long.

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Mr. J. H. Renwick, organist and choirmaster, George Street Methodist Church, has resumed teaching. Pupils prepared for examinations. Many present and former pupils holding good positions. Studio, 567 Aylmer street. 'Phone 1098. 28d-2

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City and General

A REMINDER

Immaculate Conception Parish Church Minstrels TO-NIGHT Parish Hall Mark St. Admission 25c. Curtain 8.15

PROBABILITIES.

Fair and cold to-day. Saturday, westerly winds, continued cold; light snow falls.

Broken auto cylinders, machinery and stoves welded, by the new Oxo Acetelyne Process. Anything in iron, steel or aluminum made as good as new, not patched up. Millard's Bicycle Shop, Hunter street, near Aylmer.

AUCTION SALE.

Don't forget Roger Torpey's Auction Sale of farm stock and implements on Tuesday, Jan. 23th. Be on hand. East of city on Norwood road. W. J. Hancock, Auctioneer.

GOOD EATING APPLES.

We have a quantity of "Seek-No-Further" No. 1 eating apples, which we can sell at 50c per peck. Potter S. White, Grocer, etc., George St.

FRESH LAID EGGS WANTED

And Live Hens. Apply to Alex. Gordon, Butcher, 461 George Street. 'Phone 34. 6d-12-8tf

POSTPONED SALE.

Of farm stock, implements and household furniture of Mr. Joseph McKee will be held on Tuesday, January 23rd, at 1 p.m. 3d-16

DENTAL.

Dr. McKenty, Dentist, 370 George Street, on the ground floor first door north of Peterborough Hardware Co. Nitrous oxide and oxygen administered for painless operations.

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'Phone 598, The Greene Music Co., Charlotte Street, when your piano requires tuning or regulating. All work guaranteed. dtf

BARGAINS AT LAKEFIELD.

R. Graham & Son, Lakefield, have arranged for a lot of wonderful Dollar Day bargains on Thursday, January 25th, and will continue the sale on Friday and Saturday, Jan. 26th and 27th. 6d-16

BUSINESS GIRLS' CLUB.

The first meeting of the Business Girls' Club for 1917 will be held tonight in the Green Parlour of the Y.W.C.A.. It is hoped that all the members will be present as important business is to be discussed.

CLEANING, PRESSING AND REPAIRING.

'Phone 1416 for Cleaning, Pressing and Repairing. Goods called for and delivered promptly. Mrs. Read, 150 Rubidge Street. dtf

A FIRE ANNIVERSARY.

Thirteen years ago to-day it was 30 below zero, and it was on this day that Roy's photo gallery was burned. This was one of the coldest days on record in this city.

WANTED.

200 cords green basswood bolts 4 ft. 7 inches long by 4½-inch diameter and upwards. Delivered to Kingdon's Barrell and Heading Factory, 28 Barnardo Avenue, Peterborough. 6d-12-8w-8

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Industrial Exhibition will be held in the City Council Chamber, Peterborough, on Saturday, January 20th, 1917, at one o'clock p.m. G. A. Gillespie, President; F. J. A. Hall, Secretary. 5-9-12-16-19

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SKATING IN EAST CITY.

The boys' club of Mark street church are giving the skating rink to the Women's Patriotic League of Ashburnham on Tuesday afternoon and evening of next week. Tea will be served in the afternoon and refreshments in the evening. The 247th band will be in attendance. Admission ten cents for skating. 3d-16

TYPEWRITER BARGAINS.

1—Smith Premier (2nd hand) $30.00
1—Smith Premier (rebuilt).... 35.00
1—10 in. Underwood (2nd hand) 42.00
1—15 in. Oliver "Biller" 50.00
1—15 in. Oliver, used 3 months 65.00
1—10 in. Oliver (double colour) 95.00
1—10 in. Oliver, new $125.00
1—10 in. Empire, new No. 2.. 85.00
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Lest you forget—E. V. Warne's Closing-Out Jewelry Sale is still going at Auction Prices. Step in and ask prices.

OBITUARY

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Simpson died yesterday at the family residence, High street. The remains will be taken this afternoon to Alnwick for interment.

WILLIAM ALBERT STINSON.

A brother of Mr. Robt. Stinson, Bond street passed away at Janetville on Wednesday, January 17th, 1917, in the person of William Albert Stinson. The deceased was in his 53rd year, and had been ailing for some time. He was a member of the Orange Order, a Presbyterian in religion and a Conservative in politics.

Left to mourn his loss are the following brothers and sisters: Robert of Lindsay; Thomas, of British Columbia; Mrs. Isaac Laidley, of Manvers; Mrs. Jas. Bushnell, of Omemee; Mrs. F. H. Dobbin, of Peterborough, and Miss Ethel Stinson, of British Columbia. Mr. Percy Stinson, station agent at Millbrook, is a son of the deceased, and Mrs. Johnston, of Janetville, is a daughter. The late Mr. Stinson is also survived by a loving wife.

The funeral will leave the family residence, Janetville, on Friday, Jan. 19th, at 2 p.m., and proceed to Janetville cemetery for interment.

To soften brown sugar that has become lumpy place it in a cloth sack and hold the sack over the steam from a boiling tea-kettle. This is easier than rolling it on the bread board, and takes less time.

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VARIOUS RAIDERS LIKELY OPERATING

Original Raider Fitted Out Captives as Additional Raiders —"Movies" Taken as Foe Raider Sank the Ships—Log of Radnorshire Tells of Operations in South Atlantic —Pigmy Submarines Carried by the German Raider.

HOW THE RAIDER OPERATED

(By Chas. B. Stewart, Copyright, 1917, By United Press.)

BUENOS AIRES, January 20.—Pigmy submarines, 78 feet in length, are carried by the German raider which has wrought such damage to Allied shipping in Atlantic waters.

The captain of the captured British steamer Netherby Hall, among those landed at Pernambuco from the German prize ship Hudson Maru, was authority for this statement to-day: "There are three submarines carried by the raider," he said in an interview at Pernambuco. "They are capable of operation over a small radius and are equipped with torpedoes, dynamite and munitions. Such additional details as this indicating the type of German thoroughness with which the raider was prepared and equipped, led shipping circles to predict a long chase by the Allied warships before the sea scourge is cornered. Certainly she had not been definitely located to-day, according to despatches at South American ports. Wireless despatches received to-day said that the auxiliary British cruisers Macedonia and Orama had arrived off Pernambuco.

RAIDERS TEAMED TOGETHER.

BUENOS AIRES, January 20.—Not only the raider now believed to be the Moewe, but two or more German commerce destroyers are still ploughing the sea somewhere around South America, and by this time have probably taken further toll of allied shipping. A despatch from Rio de Janeiro stated that survivors from the Japanese steamer Hudson Maru had declared the British merchantman St. Theodore, first of the captures made by the German raider, had been armed and outfitted. The St. Theodore was used as a consort. That she and the German raider teamed together in marauding operations, was also confirmed in the log of the captain of the British steamer Radnorshire, which mentioned being pursued and then captured by "two strangers." The same log mentioned the German commander of the raider as explaining his instructions were to spare vessels carrying large cargoes. This was taken here to mean he was instructed to take his pick of big vessels and use them as auxiliary raiders, if necessary.

The British steamer Ortega of 8,000 tons, and known as a very speedy vessel, has not yet been accounted for in any of the stories told by survivors. It may be that she has also been pressed into service as a raider on account of her special fitness for such work in speed, size, and seaworthiness. It is known she was among the number overhauled and captured by the raider.

A number of South American sailings were indefinitely postponed. The French steamer Sequana, which sailed yesterday from Rio de Janeiro to Bordeaux, dropped her anchor at Cobras Isle, and stopped, awaiting further orders. Despatches from Santiago, Chili, on the Pacific Ocean side of South America, said a number of sailings of allied merchantmen there had been cancelled or delayed.

The Brazilian press united in denunciation of the German raiding operations in waters adjacent to South America. They pointed out that such depredations were seriously interfering with South American Trade, and demanded immediate internment of the Japanese steamer Hudson Maru, which arrived at Pernambuco under the German flag and a German crew, as one of the raider's prizes.

SIX MORE VICTIMS.

A Rio report says the number of the raider's victims has been increased by six.

This unconfirmed report did not list the ships over whose fate there was anxiety, and it may be that this list is merely a recapitulation of the number of allied vessels which recently left South American ports or were due to arrive and about which there has been na information for some time.

HOW RAIDER OPERATED.

The most graphic story of the raider's method of destruction was told in the log of the captain of the British steamer Radnorshire, brought ashore with the survivors aboard the Hudson Maru at Pernambuco.

"At 10:30 on the night of January 7, following our departure from Pernambuco, we sighted a vessel ahead," the log related. "At that time we were travelling without lights, having received warning to watch out for possible raiders, and as soon as we sighted the stranger we changed our course. Then we saw two strangers, and a second time shifted our course, hoping to slip away unseen in the darkness. But the two vessels had apparently sighted us, despite our lack of lights, and they gave proof of this by immediately putting on full speed and bearing down in our direction.

"I crammed my boilers and did my best to hurry away, but with our ten knots maximum speed it was apparent from the way the two strangers overhauled us that it was useless to try to elude them. Both apparently were capable of at least 16 knots. Pretty soon they were close by. When they were almost alongside I gave the alarm and everybody aboard donned lifebelts. We were fairly certain then that the raider (or raiders) we had been warned about was after us.

MOVIE MAN TOOK PICTURES.

"After lying to there came aboard us very shortly six German officers and twenty men. They took charge of my vessel, seized the cargo of coffee which we carried and took off a considerable amount of food. Then they gave us time in which to gather together a few personal effects before putting us into boats. In the meantime the Germans had planted two explosive bombs on each side of my ship. When we were well off, including the Germans, these were exploded. The vessel sank at 2:45 a.m. on January 9.

"A prisoner aboard one of our captors, I saw two other vessels sunk on January 9 and one on January 19, all three being destroyed in exactly the same fashion. Wherever the sinking took place during daylight hour, a German cinema man aboard the raider calmly and methodically cranked away, taking pictures of the sinking boat.

"I was told by the captain of the two vessels that he had orders to spare all passengers and all vessels carrying in big cargoes.

"We were kept in the port bow compartment of the vessel to which we were transferred. The quarters were most without air, and for five days we were compelled to live and sleep in this cramped, stuffy fashion, sleeping with Hindoos and roughnecks. Then we met the Japanese steamer Hudson Maru and all on our ship were transferred to that vessel except coolies.

The Hudson Maru was despatched to Pernambuco with barely enough water and sea biscuits to complete the voyage."

The preceding sections of the log had detailed how the Radnorshire left Bahia on January 5, and said the spot at which she sighted the raiders was one hundred miles east of Pernambuco.

The captain of the Radnorshire to-day amplified his log with these details:

"We sighted the raiders when 100 miles east of Pernambuco, and having in mind the warnings to watch out for commerce destroyers, immediately sent out a wireless call for help, stating our position and the fact that we were pursued. When one of the raiders had overhauled us and was a mile distant, she fired a shot across our bows. We lay to at once. The vessel came closer to us and finally sent over two boatloads of German officers and sailors. They ordered us to leave without our baggage. Eight minutes later the Radnorshire was blown up.

"The German commander particularly questioned me as to the whereabouts of the British steamer Araguaya." CHARLES P. STEWART.

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Thirteen Prizes to Be Awarded in a Letter Writing Competition

Some years ago the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., of Brockville, Ont., offered a series of prizes to residents of Ontario for the best letters describing cures wrought by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Hundreds of letters were submitted in this competition, and yet there must have been thousands of other users of the pills who did not avail themselves of the opportunity to win a prize. To all these another letter writing competition is offered. Thousands of cures through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have never been reported. These will furnish the material for the letter to be written in this contest. There is no demand upon the imagination; every letter must deal with facts and facts only.

THE PRIZES

The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., of Brockville, Ont., will award a prize of $25.00 for the best letter received on or before the 17th day of February, 1917, from residents of Ontario, on the subject: "Why I Recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills." A prize of $10.00 will be awarded for the second best letter received; a prize of $5.00 for the third best letter, and ten prizes of $2.00 each for the next best ten letters.

THE CONDITIONS:

The cure or benefit from the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills described in the letter may be in the writer's own case or one that has come under his or her personal observation.

More than one cure may be described in the letter, but every statement must be literally and absolutely true.

The letter should be not longer than is necessary to relate the benefit obtained from the remedy in the case described.

Every letter must be signed by the full name and correct address of the person sending it. If it describes the cure of some person other than the writer of the letter, it must also be signed by the person whose cure is described as a guarantee of the truth of the statement made.

The writer of each letter must state the name and the date of the paper in which he or she saw this announcement:

Fine writing will not win the prize unless you have a good case to describe. The strength of the recommendation and not the style of the letter will be the basis of the award.

It is understood that the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co. shall have the right to publish any letters entered in this contest if they desire to do so whether it wins a prize or not.

The contest will close on February 17th, 1917, and the prizes will be awarded as soon as possible thereafter. Do not delay. If you know of a cure write your letter Now. Observe the above conditions carefully or your letter may be thrown out.

Address all letters as follows:
The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co.,
Brockville, Ont.
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ATHENS, June 20.— Entente officials who are to administer allied control in Greece have arrived. The allies' blockade is still maintained here.

Commands Will Not Be Changed

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, June 20.— It is officially announced that no change is contemplated in the commands on the western front.

Dutch Mail Steamer Captured By Germans

AMSTERDAM, June 20.—The Dutch mail steamer, was taken into Zeebrugge for the second time by the Germans.

Thousands Dying From Hunger

Special to The Examiner:

ROME, Jan. 20.— Many thousands are dying from hunger in Turkish Asia.

FORMIDABLE EFFORTS TO CAPTURE WORLD TRADE

Preparations Being Made For the Coming Business Conflict —Government Has Advanced Most of the Capital to Fight German Manufacturers—$10,000,000 Dye Plant

CITY AND STATE AID

CHICAGO, January 20.—James Keeley, editor of The Herald, writing of the business conditions in Europe, says:—

"Before I left Europe I commissioned a trade expert to furnish me with data regarding English, French, and German activities in preparation for the coming business conflict. To-day I present some facts of recent development in Great Britain, and in the next few weeks I expect to tell more of the plans of Governments, municipalities, financiers, manufacturers, and business men to capture the world's trade.

"The most significant recent development is that of city co-operation in making and marketing products for which their towns are famous. All the great English centres of industry are working on what they call 'municipal encouragement of industry.' This civic aid, the exact form of which is not yet determined, is to be entirely apart from any rendered by the national Government. Sheffield, the home of cutlery, certain steel products and machinery, is planning to deal with aid to local industries. Manchester and Birmingham are following in Sheffield's footsteps, and the scheme is spreading all over the United Kingdom.

"This municipal assistance, in conjunction with Governmental aid, will make the British manufacturer a much more formidable opponent than of old, especially when it is understood that the movement to regain British supremacy in trade is not a one-class movement. Labour and capital are organizing for work together, and that means efficiency methods will be introduced with the consent of the workers. And that means increased product.

"In the Reconstruction Commission there is a Sub-Committee on the Redemption of Pledges Made to Labour in connection with the suspension of all union rules for the war industries. The existence of another sub-committee on the relation between capital and labour has not been announced, but may be taken for granted.

"The Minister of Labour, John Hodge, M.P., is pledged to the idea of a commercial war on Germany after the war. In an article prepared before he was appointed, when he was sitting in the House of Commons for a labour constituency, he writes:

> The problem of how best to combat Germany industrially after the war is of supreme importance, and it would be well that trade union leaders should give the matter the most earnest and careful attention. A policy of "wait and see what is going to turn up" savors of madness. Old customs and prejudices must be dropped by both sides if victory in the industrial field is to be attained.

"For the first time in the history of England a meeting was held between representatives of capital and labour at the instance of both, and without the invitation or interference of politicians or Government. This took place early in December between employers and trade union men of virtually all the important industries of Great Britain.

"A committee of the leaders of the iron, steel, shipbuilding, and engineering and allied trades, with a nucleus of 200 firms, has been appointed to

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Leader Admits Starvation Is Near

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 20.—The leader of the Prussian Diet admits that starvation is near.

Explosion In A Munitions Plant

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 20.—An explosion in a munitions plant here caused a heavy loss of life and property.

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LONDON, Jan. 20.—Canadians rescued scores when a flood imperilled a French town.

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PETROGRAD, Jan. 20 — The Allies continue to advance on a wide front against the Germans in Roumania.

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 20. More than one thousand Americans are leaving Palestine.

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8.50 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
11.40 a.m.—For Lakefield.
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6.40 p.m.—For Lakefield.
8.05 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
9.10 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Boston.

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Corrected January 16, 1917.

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By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday.)

"You needn't be. You are young. You have genius. We can win out yet—and win out big—and win out together."

His lips twisted in a pallid smile of self-derision.

"At all events for once I know myself. If I ever become a man, God knows I'll come to you. But I have not done it yet. I mustn't know where you are. I'm strong enough—just now, but in some dark, weak moment I'll come hurrying to you, if I can find you—before I've proved myself."

"I'm going out—on the road—this afternoon," she spoke slowly. "I'm going to wait, and for the first time, I'm really hoping."

In the weeks that followed Paul made a resolute attempt to keep his promise. For a while he played the piano in a restaurant, but his frail constitution had been shattered by these late months and sickness intervened. Mary, too, with her thoughts painfully bent upon the rapid shrinkage of the little bank account, endlessly sought employment. Because she was beautiful, and because even through these dark and hopeless days she had brought with her a regal poise of her lovely head, everyone to whom she applied gave audience—and little else.

In appraising her business assets, she itemized her knowledge of several languages, her excellent education and her willingness to work. She was countered by the reminders that she did not know stenography, could not use a typewriter and had no prior experience. Many business men listened and took her address, but as the days wore on she discovered that the only ones who ever referred again to these memoranda were such as remembered her beauty and insisted on discussing the possibilities in cafes over a supper party for two.

One item of regularity Mary found time for, between her exhausting journeys of tracking down advertisements—she went often to the cemetery where Jefferson Edwardes slept, and her single extravagance was the purchase of a few inexpensive flowers to carry with her.

On one of these occasions she happened upon a burial in a lot near the one she had visited. The deceased had been a person of sufficient importance to warrant newspaper attention, and Mary in passing the spot from which the carriages were passing away, halted reverently. As she went on again someone overtook her and touched her arm. Turning her head she recognized Smitherton. He had been the most courteous and the most considerate of the newspaper men with whom her family's affairs had compelled her to have repeated meetings.

The reporter looked her straightforwardly in the eyes and inquired bluntly, "You were in the office yesterday, looking for employment, were you not?"

"Yes;" she said. "They offered me a position—if I would write a 'heart-interest' story of my life—signing it, and concealing nothing."

The young man nodded. "I know, and I saw your eyes as you refused. I am not talking as a reporter now, but as a human being. You won't make any mistake by trusting me, Miss Burton. Is it so bad as all that with you? Hunting a job?"

The girl had by this time attained a certain reliance in her own abilities of human appraisement. She believed what young Smitherton said and she answered with equal frankness.

"It is so bad that we face sheer starvation, that's all."

After a keen glance at her he observed quietly: "At this moment you are not overfed."

"N—no." A faint amusement lighted her pupils as she answered, "I'm not—well, exactly gorged."

"Now, I want to talk to you, and you needn't hesitate about telling me things." There was a frank boyishness about this young man, and his manner reminded her of Edwardes. She thought that his eyes had something of that same straight fearlessness and honesty. "You are going with me from here to a little restaurant I know, near by, and you are going to hear me out. I know that you are going through sheer hell, and I know a game scrapper when I meet one, whether it be a man or woman. This business teaches a fellow several things."

In the end she went.

CHAPTER XXXI.

An hour later she felt as if she had known Smitherton for a long while, and could rely upon him. Then he lighted a cigar, and said slowly: "I have taken all this time and said nothing useful. I did it deliberately—because what comes next will sound so cruel that I wouldn't say it if the reason wasn't sufficient. I'm going to hurt you, but only as the dentist or surgeon might hurt you. Shall I go on?"

She looked at him across the table, and since cowardice had no place in her composition braced herself and nodded her acquiescence.

"You don't get much help from your brother. It's not his fault, perhaps, but it's true. You get none at all from your father. Your mother is in a condition of mental derangement. It up to you. You've walked your feet sore seeking honest employment—and you have met with failure and affront. Now, I am coming to it, and I'm going to put it plain. In this town of New York there is just one opening for you. One thing will bring you handsome returns: nurses for your mother—comfort for your father—but it will be an ordeal. You must capitalize your beauty and the publicity that attaches to your name."

Mary Burton's lovely face grew paler, and fearing interruption, the man rushed on. "I don't mean in the way the Sunday editor suggested. I mean the stage. I take out my revenue in Park row with some press-agent work, and I happen to know what I am talking about. Mary Burton is one of the most advertised names in the city. To a manager it would be worth whatever it cost."

"But"—her voice faltered—"but, I can't act. I've been in amateur things, of course, but—"

"You don't have to know how to act." His voice rose ironically. "Few stars do—besides, I'm talking about vaudeville. The highest priced vaudeville head liner in America boasts that she can neither act, sing nor dance."

He paused for a moment, then as she said nothing, proceeded gravely. "Think that over, Miss Burton. New York pays for names and what New York pays for the rest of the country accepts—at more than face value. I can see to it that your contract is carefully drawn—and you needn't fear the usual unpleasant features of visiting managers. They will come to you. It's not what you prefer—but if other things fail telephone me."

It was a small restaurant, very plain but neat and at this hour of the late afternoon the man from Park row and the woman who had once been the toast of capitals from the Irish Sea to Suez sat across one of its small tables undisturbed by other patrons. Only a waiter stood across the room and a cat rubbed against his ankles.

In her mourning she made a wonderfully appealing picture, as she gazed down at her plate, even though her lowered lashes half-masked the mismated beauty of her eyes. Suffering had laid a veil of transparent pallor over the brilliant vividness of her coloring—a coloring that her lover had once likened to the gorgeousness of the Mosque of Omar. Yet, by this her beauty was rather enhanced than lessened as though Nature, the master-painter, had retouched a picture already wondrous, softening its color with a tone more spiritual. But face and figure had lost something of roundness and the hand that lay on the table was slenderer of finger and wrist, but Mary Burton had not been robbed of her beauty, and when she spoke, very low and hesitantly, one realised that out of her voice no single golden note was missing. She might still be truthfully advertised as one of the world's rare beauties.

"I know," she said softly, "that you make that suggestion in true kindness—and I know how great my need is. If I am to save my mother and father from starvation, I must do something, and yet—" She paused, and shuddered. "Maybe it is all foolish and over-fastidious, but your suggestion sets every nerve in me on edge. It's not very different after all from your Sunday editor's suggestion—except in the spirit of its making."

"Still, there is a difference?" he assured her. "The footlights are, between and they give a sense of separation and protection. Was Herron—the Sunday man—particularly obnoxious? He's not human, you know—he's just an efficient machine."

The fingers of the hand that lay on the table trembled a little and Mary's eyes as they met his were clouded with distress.

"I hadn't supposed such things could be," she said. "He was very impersonal about it all—and he grew enthusiastic as he outlined what he wanted." Her words came slowly in a detached voice, though as she spoke her delicate features responded to the shiver of disgust that ran through her shoulders and at times her lips quivered. "He wanted me to write it all—telling about every man abroad, especially with a title, who had ever been nice to me. He wanted pictures of me; all sorts of pictures, in evening gowns, in polo togs—in bathing-suits. He wanted a chapter on how much my clothes used to cost—all my clothes. He said the woman would 'eat that up.'" She stopepd, and a wan smile crept into her eyes as she added, "I am using his words, Mr. Smitherton. But I could stand that. I sat through it. I couldn't afford to lose any chance if it was a chance I might decently take. But it was when he wanted his picture, too, Jefferson's—"

She had to stop there for a moment and a mist came to her eyes which she resolutely kept from overflowing in actual tears as she went on. "It was when he wanted me to write down all his words and publish his letters that I realized I couldn't fight even starvation that way."

"The brute!" muttered Smitherton—"The unspeakable beast!"

"To do him justice," admitted the girl generously, "I think he forgot, in visualising those pages which the women would 'eat up,' that it was actually me he was talking to—it was just outlining work to a reporter. He said something about 'sob-stuff,' too. To me, Mr. Smitherton, he spoke of all these terrible, hideous things, that I lie awake remembering, as 'sob-stuff'—and I knew that the worst of them were times that made sobs impossible—when even tears would not come."

"I had no idea it had been that bad." Smitherton's sympathy was genuine and spontaneous.

"It was worse even," she went on—"He spoke of that—that afternoon when I read the ticker tape—and knew what had happened. He said that, properly colored, that would make a—great scene. He said it had drama." Her voice choked, then she added: "So you see your suggestion will be a hard one for me to take. I should feel like—like Godiva riding through the streets. And yet for her own people Judith went to the tent of Holofernes. That wasn't easy, either."

They rose from the table and went out, and the girl held out her hand. "Please don't think that I'm unappreciative," she pleaded. "I know how kind you have been—and I don't know how much longer I can hold out. You said I could trust you, and now I know it, too. If—" her voice broke but her chin came up—"if I am driven to it, I'll let you know—and be very grateful."

"Don't let any one else talk to you" he cautioned. "Remember that this is the capital of sharks. Now I'm going to call a taxi, and take you home."

But she shook her head. "It's good of you," she said and her cheeks flushed. "But I'd rather you didn't. I'm going by the people's chariot—the subway." She was not yet quite able to conquer the old pride that remained from the old life. She shrank from showing him the meanness of her quarters; she who had reigned, and been toasted and lived in the exclusive of the favoured few, and who now faced starvation. So he parted from her at the nearest kiosk of the underground.

(To be continued.)

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By DR. DAVID H. REEDER

Facts Concerning Epilepsy: (By Dr. Wm. Held, 3rd installment.)

We are told that epilepsy was due to injury of the head, causing pressure upon the brain and releasing the convulsions. This form of epilepsy is known as Jacksonian epilepsy. The adherents to this theory operated on such epileptics in whose history previous to the first attack, injury to the head appeared. The operation consists in the cutting out of a round section of bone of the skull, overlying the area over which the pressure is supposed to be.

Lifting of this section of bone is intended to relieve the pressure, thus obviating the reputed cause. But, alas, it was found that the attacks continued shortly after the operation with either the same or increased severity and the unfortunate patient was then advised to accept treatment for the epileptic habit. It was thus admitted, that there is still something else, some other factor in the patient's system independent of the localised pressure, capable to cause epileptic seizures. The sad fact, is that trephining, as this operation is called for epilepsy, has proven a complete failure, not to be mitigated by any ever so learned discussion. Let us turn the searchlight of logic upon the features of Jacksonian epilepsy. While the mentioned pressure is pointed out as the cause and persists all the time yet the attacks do not persist, that is they occur in the Jacksonian epileptic with as much irregularity as is the case in other types of epilepsy, sometimes daily, then again not for weeks or a month. And again, after removal of the so-called cause (the pressure), the attacks do not abate. If the pressure was the cause, then the results, the attacks would be a constant symptom as long as the cause persists, just as paralysis persists a long a the corresponding injury of the brain is maintained. This is, however, as we have seen, not the case with the epileptic. Others have noticed the frequency of intestinal disturbances and constipation in many epileptics. With unexplainable naivety they advocated and performed abdominal operations in epileptics for the relief of constipation by "straightening" out of intestinal kinks, which were said to impede the elimination of bowel contents. It is deplorable that the supporters of this form of treatment have not ceased to perform the abdominable operation; deploratble because in spite of the abundant number of epileptics who have been induced to subject themselves to this dangerous operation, there has not been a single case of epilepsy cured. The promise which lured these patients to the operating table have proven false in every case. In the light of latest knowledge concerning the causes of epilepsy, such operations have interferred with the recovery of the patient; because the inflicted surgery has added shock to the already disturbed system, shock which is a very potent cause in the production and maintainance of the epileptic metabolism, as we shall see later. Not one of the advocates of the abdominal operation for epilepsy will consent to submit case records for investigation of all the useless, want on butchery which was ever imposed upon epileptics, the abdominal operation is the most flagrant violation of reason, science and right. Should any of the surgeons who in the past have practised this procedure, desire to take me to task for my statement, I will welcome the opportunity to answer any challenge by pointing to the large number of sadly disappointed epileptics who have either remained as bad as they were before the operation or have become worse and to the many who by virtue of the operation have been permanently deprived of a chance to recover.

It would require a good deal of space to enumerate all the various conditions which were said to be the cause of epilepsy, the various views and theories expressed at one time or another. Briefly stated the most frequently ascribed causes (all of which are erroneous) are alcoholism, syphilis, heredity, presence of reflex irritation, scars, intestinal and gastric disorders, injuries, eyestrain and even a germ. One or more so-called causes may be elements or coincidents in a given case, but the actual specific cause of epilepsy, can surely be only that particular element which always and under exclusion of all other reputed causative conditions produces the disease tuberculosis. In this disease, the reduction of the patients resistance, the exposure to inclement weather, the living in unhygienic quarters and many other features are important and constitute elements capable of arousing a latent tuberculosis, but none of these elements which are contributory to the undermining of the patient's health, is the cause of the disease, the cause always being the germ of tuberculosis. The mentioned predisposing causes would not, however, produce the specific disease known as tuberculosis were it not for the presence of the germ of tuberculosis, which thrives and multiplies so rapidly under such conditions that they literally consume the patient, hence the term consumption.

In the same manner an epileptic may be shown to have emerged from a very tainted generation; he may have been enveloped in the grasp of alcoholism or nerve disorder or may have suffered head or other injuries but all such and other conditions fail to comply with the law of specificity. What then is the specific cause of epilepsy and how can it be proven to be the specific cause.

The next installment of Dr. Held's article will appear next week. In order to prove the correctness of his work he offers to try free of expense 100 people for the Home Health Club.

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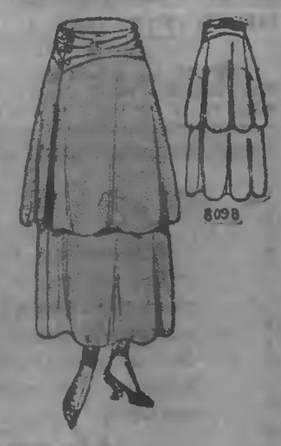

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Separate skirts for the winter season show a semi-fulness with individuality in the belt and the adjustment of a tunic or arrangement of pleats as fancy may direct. In the model illustrated, in addition to the deep tunic, there is an applied girdle of yoke depth and button trimmed, to make the wearer look and feel modishly dressed.

The skirt is cut in two gores, mounted on a raised waistline and has ample fulness without noticeable flare. This is an extremely graceful design for developing in serge, broadcloth, satin, duvetyn or similar weave. It is a desirable style for uniting two materials also and an economical pattern for remodelling last year's garment, using the best part for the foundation and some new material for the tunic, or one may do just the opposite.

If you have only just so much for a skirt, this is your opportunity to join smart fashion and limited income. An amateur will find the making of the garment "plain sailing" with the illustrated pattern before her.

The skirt pattern, No. 8098, cuts in sizes 24 to 30 waist. To make in size 24 requires 4¾ yards of 36 inch material, with girdle of self or other material.

To obtain the pattern, send 10 cents to the office of this publication.

When ordering remember to give your name and address as well as the number and size of pattern required, and age of a child.

Price 15 cents, or 2 for 25 cents.

Address—The Examiner Pattern Service, The Examiner, Peterborough.

INFLUENCE OF FAR COUNTRIES IN OUR MODERN DRESS

China, Japan, Spain and Russia Each Furnish Inspiration

Accessories Seen in the Stores

New York, January 15.

Cosmopolitan New York grows more cosmopolitan daily. Even as her doors are open to those from the most distant parts of the world, so are the minds of her fashion designers open to receive ideas from the four corners of the earth. Whatever may be turned to good account is quickly utilised and brought before the public for the world of fashionable women to pass on.

The very latest influence in dress has come from the Far East. Japanese and Chinese embroideries and like effects have come in for recognition and have taken quite an important position in the world of fashion.

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Showing the Oriental Influence.

Many of the windows of the best shops are now displaying the real Japanese and Chinese garments with their rich silks and gorgeous colorings. Most of us, however, are content to admire these beautiful costumes in the windows. No one has yet appeared on Fifth Avenue arrayed in the true costume from the land of the cherry-blossom. But many have been seen in costumes showing the Oriental influence, such as the sketch above illustrates.

Another country from which has come inspiration for some of the present styles is Spain. The red and black combinations worn by the dark-eyed senoritas of that country is frequently used with charming effect, especially in semi-evening gowns. From Spain also have come the beautiful fine lace scarfs or mantillas which are now fashionable, and the large combs for the hair which are used with the coiffure that is distinctly Spanish.

It is well known that from Russia also we have received a great many contributions to the styles, not only in the line of blouses and dresses but in the Russian turbans raised high in front. Some of the turbans are worn with chin-straps or "brides," to which a veil is often attached.

ACCESSORIES OF DRESS.

All the dainty feminine accessories in every form are displayed to the greatest advantage in the stores. Bags of all descriptions there are, for these are considered a very necessary addition to the wardrobe in these days. Bags of velvet suede ribbon and beads are seen in such a variety of colors and shapes that no one can possibly have any difficulty in selecting those that will harmonize with her costumes. Of black velvet with a band of Paisley placed at the bottom or in the centre, are some very attractive round bags finished with long silk tassels. Others show Chinese embroideries in gold and colors. The bead embroidered bags of silk and velvet are still popular. Silver mesh bags are still worn.

Beaded girdles, ostrich fans which are used for winter balls and operas and which come in all colors to match the gowns with which they are used, and dainty neckwear are only a few of the tempting accessories on display.

Economy

Many women think they are saving money by buying cheap tea, forgetting that it is not the cost per pound but the cost per cup that determines a tea's economy.

You may pay 5 or 10 cents more per pound for Red Rose Tea than for common tea. But because Red Rose Tea is a blend of Indian-Assam teas with Ceylons, consisting of the choice tender shoots and buds—the parts of the tea plant that yield the largest amount of liquor and the finest flavor—one-third less is required in the pot to make the same number of cups.

The cost per cup between Red Rose Tea and common tea is then practically the same. But the flavor—what a difference!

And this distinctive and delightful flavor and rich strength is protected by the Red Rose sealed package. No air, odors or dust can get in to injure Red Rose Tea's splendid quality and economy.

Order a package from your grocer.

In sealed packages only.

WOUNLD NOT INTERFERE.

A recruiting sergeant in the south of Ireland, met Pat, and asked him to join be army. The latter refused whereupon the sergeant asked his reason for refusing. "Aren't the king and the Kaiser cousins?" asked Pat. "Yes," said the recruiting sergeant. "Well," said Pat, "Begorra, I once interfered in a family squabble, and I'm not going to do so again."

GUARD AGAINST PNEUMONIA.

To guard against pneumonia, which is prevalent at this season of the year, keep yourself in the best physical condition, get all the fresh air that you can, and keep your homes well ventilated. If you become over heated at your work, take ample time to cool off gradually before going out in severe weather. Be very careful of contracting any chills at this time of the year.

There are more than 3,000 ruined towns to be rebuilt in France.

The muscles of the human jaw exert a force of 534 pounds.

St. Peter's Cathedral in Rome will accommodate 54,000 people.

A million hides a year are used for upholstering motor cars.

Electricity is the only agent that will thaw frozen water pipes without disturbing the ground.

The stingless bee is more productive of honey than his armed kinsmen.

THE MIRACLE MAN

Who Achieved His Greatest Marvel in the Perfect Re-Creation of Music

THE NEW EDISON is not a "talking machine." It does what no talking machine can do; what no talking machine manufacturer would dare attempt to do.

The New Edison has been compared in public, before 300,000 music lovers, with such great artists as Marie Rappold, Anna Case, Julia Heinrich, Alice Verlet, Charlotte Maconda, Arthur Middleton and Thomas Chalmers, (as well as a dozen others). Thus it was proven, beyond all question, that the living voices of these great artists cannot be detected from the New Edison's Re-Creation of them. Remember that the artists stood beside the New Edison and sang in direct comparison with it, and that the audiences could not distinguish the artists' voices from the New Edison's Re-Creation of those same voices.

The NEW EDISON

accomplishes Mr. Edison's ambition to re-create all forms of music with such literal perfection that the original cannot be told from the Re-Creation.

COME TO OUR STORE THIS WEEK

We want you to hear the re-created voices of Zenatello and Rappold, and the skillful bowing of Spalding and Flesch.

The J. M. GREENE MUSIC COMPANY LIMITED
Greene Music Building, Charlotte Street

FORMIDABLE EFFORTS TO CAPTURE WORLD TRADE

(Continued from Page 1.)

consider after-war conditions. The first report of this committee declares that increased production is the key to prosperity after the war, and this can be achieved only if the workers are guaranteed against any loss through greater output.

"The British Government, looking to the commercial problems of peace time, has established a department of scientific and industrial research under the joint control of the Lord President of the Council (Lord Curzon) and of the Board of Trade. A large sum of money has been placed at the disposal of this department 'to be used as a fund for the conduct of research for the benefit of the national industries on a co-operative basis.' The universities are aiding in this direction and are doing research work for industry on their own behalf.

FOSTERING THE DYE INDUSTRY.

"The Government has fostered the development of certain industries chiefly for war, but also, as in the case of dyes, for general needs. A new department of coaltar industry and dyestuff research has been opened at Manchester. The Government took up the question of dyes in August, 1914. At that time there was one Germany company in England making over half of the total used i Great Britain. This company was placed under a controller, who eventually closed down the works.

"After many schemes failed a national company was formed, and the Government agreed to take on a liability of $5 for every share sold up to $5,000,000 and $5 for every four shares sold beyond that, to a total liability of $7,500,000. The stock sold very slowly and at various times the whole project was almost abandoned because the Government would not guarantee protection for the industry after the war. Finally the plan was modified, protection was promised, and British Dyes, Ltd., was established. By the end of the first year the Government had been called on to meet the greater part of its liability.

"At the same time the Government appropriated $500,000 for research work in the new company and made a loan of $1,000,000 to the largest dye works established (Read, Holliday & Sons) on condition that British Dyes, Ltd., take it over. This was done. The maximum investment of the Government is, therefore, about $10,000,000. The amount of dyes used in Great Britain yearly is in excess of $10,000,000.

"The Government has taken up the question of education and postgraduate schools, industrial schools, and schools for research in direct connection with industries that are certain to be established and supported by the Government in the interests of trade and commerce.

"The British Government is proceeding methodically to examine the conditions surrounding various industries in which foreign competition has injured English trade. A sub-committee of the Board of Trade has investigated twelve industries, including paper, printing, jewellery, cutlery, leather, glass, china, and earthenware and electrical apparatus, with respect to measures for securing the position after the war' of these branches.

INDUSTRIAL REFORMS SUGGESTED.

"It recommends, among other things:—

"1—That the Government should institute industrial research and training on a large scale.

"2—That German and Austrian goods should be distinctly marked with the name of the country of origin, and that all other goods made out of the Empire should be labeled 'foreign made' or 'not British.'

"3—Increased assistance to industry by joint stock banks to be urged by the Government, throwing over the old cautionary spirit of business loans.

"4—Establishment of a Ministry of Commerce.

"5—Reform of the consular system; it is to be 'all British.'

"6—Protection of infant industries when they are of 'vital importance to the national safety or are essential to other industries,' (i. e., key industries,) also general protection for increased revenue to reduce direct taxation.

"General organizations of industries are demanding protection. One group, representing 700 manufacturers with 2,000,000 employees has three principles:

"Protection for all manufactures, preferential tariffs for the British Empire, anti-dumping legislation."

PALE-CHEEKED GIRLS TIRED-OUT WOMEN QUICKLY BUILT UP

WONDERFUL RECORD MADE BY NEW BLOOD-FOOD REMEDY.

Certain Results Guaranteed.

Pale people have pale blood.

In other words, the blood is watery and lacks red corpuscles.

The stomach is wrong.

Assimilation is poor and food is not changed into blood. Naturally the system is robbed of vitality, lacks strength and reconstructive power.

Don't slip from vigor into weakness.

Don't allow the appetite to fail, but instead use Ferrozone.

You're bound to feel rejuvenated and strengthened at once.

Appetite is braced up, digestion is stimulated, vigor imparted to the stomach. Everything you eat is transformed into nutriment that supplies what your thin, weak system needs.

Vital, life-giving blood that makes rosy cheeks and dancing eyes—that's the kind that Ferrozone makes.

The strength and buoyancy that defies depression ad tiredness, that's the sort you get with Ferrozone.

Every pale woman can transform her bleached-out appearance with Ferrozone.

Not only will it improve looks and spirits, but by rebuilding all weak, tired organs, Ferrozone establishes a soundness of health that's surprising.

For women and girls who want to feel well, to look well, to be well, and stay well, nothing known in the annals of medicine is so certain as Ferrozone.

Won't you try Ferrozone?

Concentrated cure in tablet form, that's Ferrozone, 50c. per box or six for $2.50, at all dealers, or direct by mail from The Catarrhozone Co., Kingston, Ont.

WHEAT PRICES DECLINED SHARPLY

Destruction of Ships Had a Distressing Effect—The Cattle Market—High Prices Recorded

More ships reported sunk by the German raider had a depressing effect on the wheat markets yesterday. Practically no export business was reported, and without this support prices declined sharply towards the close, Chicago and Winnipeg going off 2 1-4c.

Manitoba wheat No. 1 northern, $2.08 7-8, track, bay ports; No. 2, $2.05 3-4, No. 3, $2.01 3-4. No. 4, $1.88 3-4. old crop, 4c. above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W., 72c.; No. 3, 69c.; extra No. 1 feed, 72c.; No. 1 feed, 68 1-2c., all rail delivered.

American corn—No. 3, $1.15, shipment within 30 days.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 64c. to 66c.; No. 3 white, 63c. to 65c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter,. per car lot, $1.82 to $1.84; No. 3, $1.80 to $1.82.

Peas—No. 2, nominal, car lots, $2.35.

Barley — Good malting, $1.20 to $1.22; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal, $1.28 to $1.30.

Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal; No. 2, new, $1.40 to $1.42.

Manitoba flour— First patents, in jute bags, $9.60; second patents, in jute, $9.40; strong bakers, in jute, $9, Toronto.

Ontario flour—New winter, $7.40 to $7.50, i nbags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment; $7.25 bulk, seaboard, export grade.

Millfeed —Car lots, delivered Montreal; shorts, $38; bran, $34; feed flour, per bag, $2.80.

Hay—Baled, No. 1, track, Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots, $12.50 to $13; No. 2, $9 to $11; straw, $9.50 to $10.00.

Cattle Market.

The market opened this week with a good supply of cattle offering. The demand was good, and prices for anything with quality were slightly higher than the week before, the advance being steadily maintained throughout the week. For the latter markets a few extra quality loads were offering, but the bulk of the receipts were of a decidedly low average in quality, by far too many half-fat cattle coming to market, which would have brought good returns to feeders had the cattle been kept in the stables a few weeks longer for better finishing. As it was prices began to ease off on the medium and common butcher cattle until on the week end market there was a clear decline of 40c. to 50c. from the week's opening prices.

There was a good steady demand for butcher cows and bulls, and prices held fairly steady, but weakening slightly on the closing market. Canners and cutters showed little change with a good demand all through the week.

There was a fair enquiry for good, breedy stockers and feeders.

Good milch cows and forward springers were in fair demand.

Choice veal calves were in active demand at steadily advancing prices.

Lambs reached new high records, several lots of choice black-faced selling up to $15. Sheep were firm.

Hogs again passed all former records, selling up to $14 fed and watered, and $14.25 weighed off cars.

Cattle Receipts.

Union Stock Yards —Total receipts for the week, 519 cars, with 7,213 cattle, 721 calves, 10,067 hogs, 1,812 sheep and lambs, and 633 horses.

City Cattle Market —91 cars, with 1,331 cattle, 409 sheep and lambs, 873 hogs and 137 calves.

Latest quotations:

Heavy steers	$9.75	to $10.50
Choice butcher	9.25	10.00
do good	8.50	9.00
do medium	7.75	8.25
do common	6.50	7.50
Heifers, good to choice	8.00	9.40
do medium	7.00	7.50
Butcher cows, choice	7.50	8.25
do medium	5.75	6.25
Butcher bulls, choice	7.50	8.50
do good	7.00	7.25
do medium	6.00	6.50
Feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs.	7.50	8.00
do bulls	6.25	6.50
Stockers, 700 to 800 lbs.	7.50	7.75
do med., 550 to 750 lbs.	6.25	6.75
do light, 400 to 650 lbs.		6.50
Canners	5.00	5.25
Cutters	5.50	5.75
Sheep light	8.50	10.00
Calves	8.00	13.00
Hogs, fed and watered		14.00
do weighed off cars	14.25	

Good-bye, Mother, Don't Worry!

Good-bye—trusting in God to bring him home to her safely—if that be His will.

Good-bye—trusting in you and me to see his Mother through while he, her natural support and defender, is somewhere in France, facing shot and shell for God, for right, and for native land.

In the name of Christendom; men and women, what sacrifice is this! What consecration to duty! What response to the call of the Motherland! What clarion challenge to the world to "Watch Canada!"

He goes—joy of his Mother's heart—idol of all her dreams from the day she bore him—hope and bulwark of her declining years.

He goes—and, Heaven bless his belief in us, his people—he goes, leaving his most beloved possession to our care and protection.

He trusts us. Who will fail him? What man or woman, rich with the possession of the memory of a Mother, will fail his Mother as a reward for her sacrifice?

This trust of our soldiers is a holy legacy.

Give to the Mothers of our soldiers in the name of your mother—as your testimonial to Canadian Motherhood. Give to

The Canadian Patriotic Fund

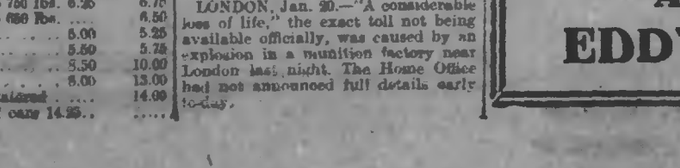
$6,000,000 must be raised in Ontario for this Fund for 1917.

Mothers, wives, and children of Canadian soldiers shall never say that their own people neglected them after their men went forward to suffer and to die.

Every case helped by the Patriotic Fund is carefully investigated. Only where assistance is really needed is assistance given. Everything humanly possible is done to avoid waste and prevent imposition.

GIVE AS YOUR OWN HEART PROMPTS YOU TO THE PATRIOTIC FUND

Ontario will be asked in January to assure the Canadian Patriotic Fund that it can depend on having six million dollars in 1917 for the families of Ontario's soldiers.



Four million of these dollars must be secured from individual subscriptions. If there is no Branch of the Fund in your town or county send your subscription direct to the Head Office, Canadian Patriotic Fund Victoria street, Ottawa.

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Doctor Tells How To Strengthen Eyesight 50 Per Cent. In One Week's Time In Many Instances

A FREE PRESCRIPTION YOU CAN HAVE FILLED AND USED AT HOME.

Philadelphia, Pa. Do you wear glasses? Are you a victim of eyestrain or other eye weaknesses? If so you will be glad to know that according to Dr. Lewis there is real hope for you. Many whose eyes were failing say they have had their eyes restored through a principle of this wonderful free prescription. One man says, after trying it: "I was almost blind and could not see to read at all. Now I can read everything without any glasses and my eyes do not water any more. At night they would pain dreadfully; now they feel fine all the time. It was like a miracle to me." A lady who used it says: "The atmosphere seemed hazy with or without glasses, but after using this prescription for fifteen days everything seemed clear. I can even read fine print without glasses." It is believed that thousands who wear glasses can now discard them in a reasonable time and multitudes more will be able to strengthen their eyes so as to be spared the trouble and the expense of ever getting glasses. Eye troubles of many descriptions may be wonderfully benefited by following the simple rules. Here is the prescription: Go to any active drug store and get a bottle of Bon-Opto tablets. Drop one Bon-Opto tablet in a fourth of a glass of water and allow to dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eyes from two to four times daily. You should notice your eyes clear up perceptibly right from the start and the inflammation will quickly disappear. If your eyes are bothering you, even a little, take steps to save them before it is too late. Many hopelessly blind might have been saved if they had cared for their eyes in time Note:Another prominent physician to whom the above article was submitted, said: "Bon-Opto is a very remarkable remedy. Its constituent ingredients are well known to eminent eye specialists, and widely prescribed by them. The manufacturers guarantee it to strengthen the eyesight 50 per cent. in one week's time in many instances or refund the money. It can be obtained from any good druggist and is one of the very few preparations I feel should be kept on hand for regular use in almost every family." It is sold in Peterboro by Wasse Drug Co.

British Freighter Was Taken To German Port

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BERLIN, Jan. 20.—It is officially announced that the British freighter Yarrowdale, with four hundred and sixty-nine prisoners, taken by the raider in the Atlantic, arrived at a German home port on December 31st.

"A CONSIDERABLE LOSS OF LIFE"

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 20.—"A considerable loss of life," the exact toll not being available officially, was caused by an explosion in a munition factory near London last night. The Home Office had not announced full details early to-day.

LONDON ROYAL PARK IS BEING PLOWED UP

LONDON, Jan. 19.—At Richmond Park yesterday a motor plow started operations on 200 acres of ground, where it is proposed to grow oats and potatoes.

And it sometimes comes to pass that after a man has made his mark he acquires a wife who insists on his toeing it.

EDDY'S MATCHES

Although somewhat increased in price owing to the continued high cost of Potash, Glue and other raw material, are of the usual high standard of quality which has made them famous for over two-thirds of a century.

Always Ask For EDDY'S MATCHES

Laymen and Church Union

The following are a few of the thousands of Presbyterian laymen who heartily approve of the Church Union movement, and permit their names to be attached to the following appeal to the people of Canada:

"We recognize that the basis of union permits and expects existing congregations to continue in every particular exactly as before.

"We regret any insinuation that the big city church (whose congregational life will be absolutely unaffected) is selfishly indifferent to a movement which we believe could meet the religious needs of the country and place the united church in a position to assume a national responsibility for the Canada that is to be.

"We believe conditions generally, but especially in the more sparsely settled districts, demand Union for the sake of efficiency and effective leadership, and to avoid unseemly rivalry, overlapping and waste."

Montreal—Lord Mount Stephen, First President Canadian Pacific Railway.
Mr. R. B. Angus, Director, Bank of Montreal.
Sir Herbert Ames, M.P., Montreal.
Hon. Chief Justice Archibald, Montreal.
Hon. Justice McLennan, Montreal.
R. B. Logan, Vice-President Grand Trunk Railway, Montreal.
W. G. Ross, Chairman Harbor Commission, Montreal.
F. Howard Wilson, J. C. Wilson, Ltd., Montreal.
J. W. Ross, P. S. Ross & Sons, Montreal.
Wm. Yuile, Montreal.
Henry and W. M. Birks, Henry Birks & Sons, Montreal.
James Gardner, of Hodgson, Sumner & Co., Montreal.
Toronto—Sir John M. Gibson K.C.M.G., late Lieut.-Governor of Ontario.
President R. A. Falconer, University of Toronto.
Hon. Justice Sutherland (Supreme Court of Ontario), Toronto.
John K. Macdonald, Esq., President Confederation Life Assurance Company, Toronto.
J. W. Woods, Esq., Chairman Canadian Trade Commission, Toronto.
Thos. Bradshaw, Esq., Commissioner of Finance for the City of Toronto.
Thos. Findlay, Esq., Vice-President Massey-Harris Co.
President George C. Creelman, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, and Commissioner of Agriculture for the Province of Ontario.
Calgary—Hon. Justice Stuart, Calgary, Alta.
Winnipeg—Sir Daniel McMillan, K.C.M.G., late Lieut.-Governor of Manitoba, President Northern Crown Bank.
Hon. Edward Brown, Provincial Treasurer.
A. L. Crossier, President of the Board of Trade.
G. R. Crowe, British Grain Co., Limited.
F. S. Harstone, Harstone Bros.
Geo. Fisher, Managing Director Scottish Wholesale Society, Ltd.
Vancouver—Hon. M. A. Macdonald, Attorney-General British Columbia, Vancouver.
Hon. Justice Grant.
Dean Klinck, College of Agriculture University of British Columbia.
Edward Douglas, of Kelly Douglas.
W. H. Leckie, Leckie Shoe Co.
Ottawa—Jas. W. Robertson, LL.D., C.M.G.
F. H. Chrysler, K.C.
John McMillan, LL.D.
Wm. Stewart.
James Gibson, Esq.
Halifax—Hon. MacCallum Grant, Lieutenant-Governor of Nova Scotia.
George S. Campbell, Merchant and Banker.
Charles Archibald, Banker.
Charles H. Mitchell, of W. & C. H. Mitchell, Merchants.
A. H. McKay, Superintendent of Education.
St. John—Hon. Justice Forbes.
Alex. Watson, Alex. Watson Lumber Co.
C. B. Allan, Treasurer Patriotic Fund.
C. H. Ferguson, Manager Eastern Trust Co.
Alex. Wilson, Wilson Bros. Co., Ltd.
Saskatoon—President W. C. Murray, University of Saskatchewan.

German Munitions

Trade Journals Reveal a Startling Decrease in Production.

LONDON, Jan. 17.—Francis Gribble in an article on Germany's munitions published in the Chronicle says:

"Although the censorship is strict in Germany, awkward truths have a way of leaking out through the columns of trade organs and technical papers, and it may now be gathered that the munition supply is a cause of increasing anxiety. The not enough cars to convey coke to the blast furnaces with the result that the production of steel is menaced. Difficulty exists even in Westphalia and the Rhine provinces, where the Essen syndicate had to diminish its deliveries of coke by one-half. It is even more acute in Silesia, where the number of trucks available is only about 20 per cent. of the number required, and the water transport hardly relieved the situation at all, owing to the scarcity of carts for conveying combustibles to the barges. That is one reason why a metallurgical crisis is imminent. Another may be found in the increasing lack of labor, which is diminishing the output alike in the coal mines and iron mines."

The number of workmen employed in German coal mines in 1913 was 405,182. They were reduced to 294,852 in the last three months of 1916. The output of iron ore of three leading companies for 1915-16 decreased by 3,713,886 tons.

Gribble concludes. "Underfeeding of workers is a factor of scarcely less potency. The official report of a Government functionary attributes to this cause alone a decline of no less than 30 per cent. in the average output of German munition workers. Germany, in short, is well within sight of a munition crisis, which probably will come to a head compels her to lavish her munitions on all her fronts at once."

In 20 generations every person has that 131,076 direct ancestors.

Buttons are now being made from the spent yeast discarded from the breweries.

It is said that some evils are necessary. Can you name one that is?

Believes She Was Saved From Stroke of Paralysis

All One Side Was Cold and Powerless, when She Began Using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food

A dead nerve cell can never be replaced. In this way it is different to other cells of the human body. But feeble, wasted nerve cells may be restored, and herein lies hope.

In this fact is also a warning to take note of such symptoms as sleeplessness and loss of energy and ambition, and restore the vitality to the nervous system before some form of helplessness results.

Nervous prostration, locomotor ataxia and paralysis are the natural results of neglecting to keep the nerves in healthful condition. The use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food when you suspect there is something wrong, will soon restore vitality to the nervous system, and thereby prevent serious developments.

Mrs. Merritt Nichols, R. R. No. 3, Dundalk, Ont., writes: "I take pleasure in writing to tell you the great benefit I have derived from the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. I was so nervous I could not sleep, and found it hard to get my work done at all, but, having no help at the time, had to do the best I could. Finally my left arm became powerless and cold, and this continued to get worse until my whole side was affected, head and all. I decided to try Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and the first box helped me so much that I used several, and believe that this treatment saved me from having a paralytic stroke. It has built me up wonderfully, and I can recommend it most heartily, believing that if more Nerve Food were used there would be much less sickness."

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food cures in nature's way by nourishing the feeble, wasted nerves back to health and vigour. Fifty cents a box, all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

PLAN TO DIVIDE BELGIUM

Germany Said to Hope to Play Flemings Against Walloons After the War.

The Hague.—One of the "real guarantees" which Germany may seek in its peace terms is a scheme of dual Government for Belgium, according to Dr. Franz van Cauwelaert member of the Belgian Chamber and one of the foremost leaders of the Flemish leaders of the Flemish people of Belgium. He has just returned from a visit to the seat of the Belgian Government at Havre, and has told The Associated Press correspondent of an hour's interview he had with King Albert.

"King Albert," he said, "follows the Flemish question with the keenest interest. He feels sincere sympathy with Flemish rights, and has an interest desire that there shall be no language abuses, and he has no prejudice against our solution of the problem. Further, no Fleming has ever expressed or entertains the slightest distrust of his sovereign, who is held by us in the highest esteem and is, indeed, very popular with the entire nation."

Discussing the German attitude toward the Flemish movement he said: "Administrative separation is one of the pet schemes of the German occupiers of Belgium at the moment. It is, indeed, one of the 'real guarantees' which, according to the Imperial Chancellor, Germany will demand respecting Belgium in its peace terms. I am sure that the Germans at first fully intended to stick to Belgium; they would never have thought of restoring her to independence but for hard necessity. Regarding that as now out of the question, however, they would like to make Belgium weak by this scheme of dual government, by creating an internal antithesis, two separate and conflicting parts neutralizing one another's strength. They think, for instance, that if the French-speaking half were inclined to lean towards France, that very fact would tend to make the Flemish half lean towards Germany.

The Germans in Belgium are endeavouring to introduce such administrative separation as far as lies in their power. The education department has been split into two sections to deal respectively with Walloon and Flemish Belgium, with a separate set of officials. Such measure was by no means a necessary accompaniment to the extension of the use of Flemish in the schools, but it fits in with the German plan. The Ministry for the Interior has not yet undergone a similar process, but orders have been issued that Flemish shall be the administrative language in the regions concerned, and all official correspondence there conducted in Flemish.

"A small Flemish group ironically dubbed the 'Flamallemands,' is cooperating with the Germans in these schemes, but the slight success of the Flemish university recently established by Governor-General Von Bissing at Ghent, shows how feeble it is. Every art of cajolery, enticement and compulsion were for months brought to bear in Belgium, Holland and Germany to get together the required staff of professors. The net result is a body of forty-six professors, more than half of whom have no qualifications entitling them seriously to claim such a title, and the rest are very mediocre men. The faculty of law, for instance, is pitiful. The institution does not permit the name of university. Whereas it should normally have had 800 to 900 students, I learn from a good source that far less than a hundred are studying there, and every such student has received a bursary enabling and enticing him to do so. The Germans have placed the 120 bursaries of all the Belgian universities at the disposal of Ghent, so that scholarships are still to be had for the asking. And whereas before the war over 3,000 university men signed our petition in favour of a Flemish university at Ghent, only 150 signed the recent manifesto issued in Belgium bolstering up the German schemes."

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Naturally Grave.

"I have here," said the party with the unbartered hair who had injected his person into the editorial sanctum when the office boy wasn't looking, "a little poem entitled 'A Pauper's Grave.'"

"Huh!" growled the editor. "Nothing remarkable about that. Who has a better right to be grave than a pauper? You certainly wouldn't expect his mirth to slop over, would you?"—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

He Stopped.

"Didn't you hear the whistle?" said the scared engineer as he stopped to pick up the man his engine had knocked off the track.

"Sure, I did—and I saw the sign too. It said, 'Stop, Look and Listen,' and that's just what I did."—New York World.

On the Square.

"Do you consider it wrong to bet on a presidential election?"

"I'm not sure about it. But it's a great temptation. It is one form of contest in which no contender is ever suspected of throwing the game."—Washington Star.

Effect of Heredity.

"What a crusty fellow Jinks is!"

"No wonder; his father is a baker."—Baltimore American.

SEASON FOR CHECKERS.

A Decent Game, "Soothing, Quieting, and Calming."

At one or two places in town the old-fashioned, home-like, mildly-exciting games of checkers is in vogue. Along about this time each year someone drags out the well-worn board, with its well-thumbed men, kicks the coal bucket to within an easy sitting distance of a couple of nail kegs, old chairs or store boxes, gives a knowing wink to all present and issues a wild challenge to the world at large for a game of checkers.

Every community has its star checker player. He may rouse the ire of his nearest neighbours and best friends by taking them down the line for three games in succession, but when the stranger with championship aspirations drops in, the whole caboodle unites against the common enemy and urges the home player on to victory.

Checkers is a decent game, soothing, quieting and calming. Like pitching horseshoes and quoits, it flourishes in the country—out where the nerve is steady, the eye is clear and the brow cool. From now on until spring many a country store will nightly entertain the "checker club," and between moves the problems of the world will be discussed and solved. — Beverly (Ohio) Dispatch.

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The Day when the Dollar Bill talks louder in Peterboro Stores than any other day in the year. This Year it will be held on

THURSDAY, JAN. 25

About 50 of the principal stores in the City are participating, and are busy preparing the best list of bargains they can possibly find in their splendid stocks, and shoppers will certainly appreciate the extremely varied offerings such a large array of stores will assure. As usual the big list of Cash Bonuses is a liberal one, as the Merchants are giving away

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This money will be Given Away in this way:—With every Dollar Purchase on that day, an Estimating Blank will be given to the purchaser. You will fill in your name and address, and a number representing your estimate on the following question.

Estimate the Number of these Blanks that will be filled in and dropped into the Ballot Box at "The Examiner Office" by 10:15 p.m. on Dollar Day.

The nearest correct estimate will be awarded the 1st Prize of $25; 2nd $20; 3rd $15 and so on.

56 CASH PRIZES

Nearest correct estimate, 1st prize	$25.00
Next nearest Correct estimate, 2nd prize	20.00
Next nearest Correct estimate, 3rd prize	15.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 4th prize	10.0
Next nearest correct estimate, 5th prize	10.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 6th prize	5.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 7th prize	5.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 8th prize	5.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 9th prize	5.00
Next nearest Correct estimate, 10th prize	5.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 11th prize	5.00
Next 5 nearest correct estimates, 5 prizes, each	3.00
Next 10 nearest correct estimates, 10 prizes, each	2.00
Next 30 nearest correct estimates, 30 prizes, each	1.00

For your guidance in estimating, we might say that The Examiner is printing and distributing to the Merchants, for use on Dollar Day, 30,000 blanks, and it is only necessary to estimate what number each purchaser thinks will be used on the great day. Should any store run short of blanks, The Examiner will print more, so that the number printed might reach as high as 50,000. The number of estimates put in the last $ Day Campaign was in the neighbourhood of 9,000. With this information, an estimate can be made before coming to town. Of course as many estimates can be made as the purchaser has blanks, and they will get one with every Dollar purchase they make.

Make up your mind what and where you want to buy and come to Peterborough on Thursday, January 25th, expecting the greatest economy shopping event of your lives.

Railway Rates

Parties of Ten coming from any point in Peterboro County on Thursday, January 25th, Dollar Day, can secure a rate of fare and one-third by making application to their local station agent.

See the List of Stores which will be Printed Complete, and Watch their windows and Special Announcements just previous to Dollar Day.

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UNION BANK OF CANADA

52nd Annual Statement, 30th November, 1916

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.

Balance at credit of account, 30th November, 1915	$106,976.75
Net profits, for the year, after deducting expenses and management, interest due depositors, reserving for interest and exchange, and making provision for bad and doubtful debts, and for rebate on bills under discount, have amounted to	651,183.67
	$758,160.42
Which has been applied as follows:—	
Dividend No. 116, 2 per cent., paid 1st March, 1916	$100,000.00
Dividend No. 117, 2 per cent., paid 1st June, 1916	100,000.00
Dividend No. 118, 2 per cent., paid 1st September, 1916	100,000.00
Dividend No. 119, 2 per cent., payable 1st December, 1916	100,000.00
Bonus of 1 per cent., payable 1st December, 1916	50,000.00
Transferred to Contingent Account	150,000.00
Contributions to Officers' Pension Fund	12,000.00
Contribution to British Sailors' Relief Fund	5,000.00
War Tax on Bank Note Circulation to 30th November, 1916	50,000.00
Balance of Profits carried forward	93,160.42
	$758,160.42

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock		$ 5,000,000.00
Rest Account	$3,400,000.00	
Balance of Profit and Loss Account carried forward	93,160.42	
	$3,493,160.42	
Unclaimed Dividends	4,013.53	
Dividend No. 119, payable 1st December, 1916	100,000.00	
Bonus of 1 per cent., payable 1st December, 1916	50,000.00	
		3,647,173.95
		$8,647,173.95
Notes of the Bank in Circulation	$ 8,815,117.00	
Deposits not bearing interest	20,122,948.51	
Deposits bearing interest	60,144,940.61	
Balances due to other Banks in Canada	230,936.03	
Balances due to Banks and Banking Correspondents elsewhere than in Canada	1,476,235.12	
		90,880,077.26
Acceptances under Letters of Credit		$12,234.32
Liabilities not included in the foregoing		695.50
		$100,040,228.03

ASSETS.

Gold and Silver Coin	$3,169,422.26	
Dominion Government Notes	6,965,529.00	
		10,105,021.26
Deposit with the Minister of Finance for the purpose of the Circulation Fund		200,000.00
Deposit in the Central Gold Reserves		4,700,000.00
Notes of other Banks		937,360.00
Cheques on other Banks		4,016,128.03
Balances due by other Banks in Canada		49,872.56
Balances due by Banks and Banking Correspondents elsewhere than in Canada		700,455.05
Dominion and Provincial Government Securities not exceeding market value		2,100,547.50
Canadian Municipal Securities, and British, Foreign and Colonial Public Securities other than Canadian		14,445,701.09
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks not exceeding market value		3,176,971.47
Call and Short (not exceeding 30 days) Loans in Canada, on Bonds, Debentures and Stocks		7,616,493.64
Call and Short (not exceeding 30 days) Loans elsewhere than in Canada		3,434,307.00
		56,687,552.59
Other Current Loans and Discounts in Canada (less rebate of interest)		89,176,367.16
Other Current Loans and Discounts elsewhere than in Canada (less rebate of interest)		346,117.58
Liabilities of customers under Letters of Credit, as per contra		512,251.32
Real Estate other than Bank Premises		356,932.24
Mortgages on Real Estate sold by the Bank		104,464.06
Overdue Debts, estimated loss provided for		241,252.87
Bank Premises, at not more than cost, less amounts written off		1,106,256.35
Other Assets not included in the foregoing		13,614.35
		$100,040,228.03

JOHN GALT, President. G. H. BALFOUR, General Manager.

REPORT OF THE AUDITORS TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF THE UNION BANK OF CANADA.

In accordance with the provisions of sub-sections 19 and 20 of Section 56 of the Bank Act, we report to the Shareholders as follows:—

We have audited the above Balance Sheet with the books and vouchers at Head Office and with the certified returns from the branches.

We have obtained all the information and explanations that we have required, and are of the opinion that the transactions of the Bank which have come under our notice have been within the powers of the Bank.

In addition to our verification at the 30th November, we have, during the year, checked the cash and verified the securities representing the investments of the Bank at its chief office and principal branches and found them to be in agreement with the entries in the books of the Bank relating thereto.

In our opinion the Balance Sheet is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the affairs of the Bank, according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us, and as shown by the books of the Bank.

T. HARRY WEBB, B. S. READ, C. R. HEGAN,
Auditors
of the firm of
WEBB, READ, HEGAN, CALLINGHAM & CO,
Chartered Accountants.

Winnipeg, 20th December, 1916.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

We have not yet reached a point when it would be wise to try to envisage what will happen in the near future, but that need not stop us from taking stock of where we stand—what have been the effects of the past two and a half years of warfare—on Canadian banks in general, and on the Union Bank in particular. The outstanding fact, of course, is the unshaken solvency of our institutions—then comes the remarkable increase in deposits—a pleasing feature of which is the growth of savings accounts, showing that the rank and file of our people are alive to the importance of spending less than they are earning.

Our banks have followed the wise course of carrying ample cash reserves, and of keeping themselves in a liquid position to enable them to meet any possible contingency, and also to do their part in financing the war expenditure of the Government. So far they have taken many millions of British and Canadian loans, and are prepared, and able to take further large amounts as required. It is splendid evidence of the soundness of our banking system and no less of the ability with which our banks have been handled during these times so full of uncertainty, anxiety and peril.

And now to come to our own case. The General Manager will give you his analysis of our statement, and will refer more particularly to the financial aspects. The Union Bank is now in its 52nd year. Starting in Quebec with a small capital, it had a hard road to travel until its management awoke to the value of the great field for development which was opening up in the Northwest prairies. Seizing upon this opportunity which offered itself in the early eighties the Union Bank proceeded to establish itself throughout the West, and by following a wise and liberal policy to-wards its clients has reached a position of strength and influence that was beyond the dreams of any of us a few years ago.

The Shareholders should not be disappointed that our earnings have not exceeded those of last year, but this is entirely due to our sound policy of maintaining a strong and liquid position. This, we know, will meet with your entire approval. Your Directors have resolutely refused to countenance speculation, but they have continued the policy of assisting the Bank's clients in the legitimate expansion of their business, and have always had before them the importance of encouraging production.

London, England.

Our London Office continues to show satisfactory progress. We have been established there for five years and the gratifying increase in our business is due entirely to the wise and able advice and attention of our Advisory Committee, Major J. Leigh Wood, C.M.G., Lieut.-Col. the Hon. Sidney Peel, and Mr. F. W. Ashe.

With the rapid growth of our resources has come the need of improving our facilities for handling the produce of the country, and, to this end, it is gratifying to your Board of Directors to be able to announce today that we shall in the near future, open an agency in the City of New York. Our Foreign Exchange Department has increased its business in a satisfactory manner during the past year, and the contemplated arrangement will better enable us to handle the rapidly increasing business between London, the United States, and Canada.

United States.

Following our London plan, we shall have an Advisory Committee for this bank at New York, and I am happy to inform you that Mr. Stuyvesant Fish, Mr. Cornelius Vanderbilt and Mr. Gilbert G. Thorne have consented to act upon that Committee. It is unnecessary for me to add anything further, as the names of these gentlemen are well known in Canada, the United States, and abroad, and we are indeed fortunate to have worked out a programme for the future which carries with it so much promise.

We are greatly pleased to report the completion of arrangements whereby the Bank is assured of the able services of the well known firm of Carter, Ledyard & Milburn, counsellors-at-law of the City of New York.

We intend to feature a statistical department in New York, through which all information concerning Canada can be readily obtained by our friends in the United States, and through which we expect to be able to quickly furnish such information as may be desired by our home friends in regard to United States affairs.

Agriculture.

Conditions generally throughout the country are far more satisfactory than could have been foreseen. The remarkable harvest of 1915 gave freights to our railroads, a market to our manufacturers and merchants, employment to our people, and showed the Empire what Canada is capable of doing towards supplying food for the world.

Last year, the harvest was not so abundant but the prices realized were so high that never in the history of Canada were our farmers, speaking generally, in such good shape financially. Every farmer has it now within his power to do a real service to the cause by bending his energies towards increasing his production of foodstuffs, which are so urgently needed by the world.

I shall not go into details of conditions in the various provinces as the reports of our superintendents will appear in our annual book form. These reports have been most ably prepared and are well worth reading.

I must not conclude these brief remarks without an urgent appeal to every one who may hear or read them. We must win the war. We cannot all fight but we can all serve the cause in one way or another. We can produce and we can economize. Remember that everything we import has to be paid for—many luxuries are still brought in which we could perfectly well do without, and each one of them makes the balance of trade against Canada so much the greater. Production, whether of foodstuffs or of munitions, intelligent economy, efficient management—these need not be empty phrases—they can and should be put into effect at once, not a moment should be lost. There are two questions which every man in Canada should ask himself—what can I do? and what have I done for my country to-day?

I have an announcement to make that, I am sure, you will be sorry to hear. Mr. Balfour has decided to retire from the position of General Manager after forty-seven years of service—no one should find fault with his decision to take a well-earned rest. He has filled, in succession, every post in the Bank, from that of junior clerk to general manager, and has filled that position during the past thirteen years, which have, without question, been the most prosperous in the history of the Bank. We all feel that the remarkable progress of the institution is, in no small measure, due to the ability and well balanced administration of Mr. Balfour. To his personality is also due the fine esprit de corps which pervades this institution at the present time. The story of his career should be a stimulating one to every officer in the service as it shows what possibilities are before every able, energetic young man if he does his work faithfully and with a single eye to the welfare of the institution. During the many years I have known Mr. Balfour he has been, uniformly, the same courteous and high-minded gentleman. We all have a sincere affection for him and it would be a real misfortune were we to lose him but I am glad to say that he has agreed to retain the benefit of his wisdom and experience. You will be asked today to approve of a resolution increasing the Board of Directors of this Bank from 15 to 16 in order that Mr. Balfour may immediately take his seat on the Board.

Your Directors have decided to appoint Mr. Harold B. Shaw, General Manager. He has been in the Bank's service for twenty-six years, has been Assistant General Manager for the past eight years, and previous to that, filled the position of Superintendent of our western business for eight years. Mr. Shaw is a well trained, conservative and able banker, full of energy, and devoted to the best interests of the Bank. Your Directors have watched his career closely and are satisfied that he will fill his new position with success. The friends of the Bank may rest easy in their minds knowing that the policy of the Bank will be unchanged, and that Mr. Shaw will carry on the traditions of the Bank, which may be summed up as "service and security."

GENERAL MANAGER'S ADDRESS.

In presenting the 52nd Annual Statement of the Bank to the Shareholders, there are but few changes in the balance sheet, as your hands, which require explanations or comment. Owing to the exceptionally profitable harvest of 1915, the balance of trade with Great Britain being greatly in favor of Canada, the tremendous expenditures of money in this country, for war purposes; and the abnormally high prices obtained for an average crop in 1916, assisted by economy—money has been abundant and general trade conditions satisfactory.

Prosperity in Canada has been clearly demonstrated by the ease with which money has been obtained by the Federal Government, for war purchases, and the steadily increasing bank deposits.

Notwithstanding the fact that less anxiety prevailed than in 1915, the same conservative policy has been followed during 1916, owing to their being, as yet, no indications as to when the war may end. What effect the cessation of hostilities may have on business generally, owing to war contracts being summarily discontinued, is a question difficult to answer, but husbanding resources would seem to be the only wise policy to adopt, and so long as the war continues there is no other prudent course to follow.

Profits.

The net profits for the year amounted to $651,183.67, as against $659,688.01 in 1915, or $8,504.34 less, being 13.02 per cent. on paid-up capital; a result with which we were well satisfied, having in mind the fact that exceptionally ample provision for all bad and doubtful paper had been made before closing our books, and to the Bank maintaining very strong cash reserves throughout the year. These profits have been disposed of as follows: dividend of 8% and bonus of 1% paid to shareholders, $450,000; War Tax on note circulation, $50,000; British Sailors Relief Fund, $5,000; Contingent Account, $150,000, and the usual contribution to the Officers Pension Fund of $16,000, leaving $93,160.42 to be carried on to the new Profit and Loss Account as against $106,976.75 brought forward from last year.

With regard to setting aside $150,000 to a Contingent Account, this is purely a precautionary measure which we deem wise owing to fluctuations taking place from time to time in the valuation of securities held by the Bank.

Deposits.

The deposits amount to $89,267,000 against $73,696,000 in 1915; an appreciable increase of $16,582,000, of which $7,000,000 is in non-interest bearing and $9,509,000 in interest-bearing deposits.

Reserves.

The percentage of quick assets to liabilities to the public has increased to 56.65% from 47.32% last year and 36.27% in 1914. The wisdom of maintaining strong liquid reserves, will, I am sure, be commended.

Circulation.

Although the crop was not moved out nearly as freely the past season as it was in 1915, notes of the Bank in circulation were in excess about $1,360,000, bearing evidence of greater business activity throughout the country.

The Dominion Government war tax on our circulation was $50,000.

Total Assets.

The assets of the Bank have passed the century mark, being $100,040,228, an increase of $12,577,165, over 1915 when they amounted to $90,663,063.

Dominion and Provincial Government Securities.

Our holdings in these securities have increased $1,415,000, made up entirely of Canadian War Loan issues.

Canadian Municipal Securities, and British, Foreign and Colonial Public Securities Other Than Canadian.

Since the last statement under review we have purchased $14,000,000 of British Treasury Bills, which accounts for the large increase in securities under the above heading.

Call and Short Loans, Elsewhere Than in Canada.

These loans are higher by $4,000,000 than in 1915, and are secured by British Treasury Bills, in London.

Branches.

Seven branches have been opened during the year, viz: Province of Alberta—Clairmont, Erskom, Cluny. Province of Saskatchewan—Bulyea, Hasenmore, Prussia, Halton; and fifteen branches have been closed, as they were not being operated at a profit, viz: Province of Ontario—Geneva and Welland streets, St. Catharines; Rockland, Cayuga. In Province of Quebec—St. Catherine and St. Christophe streets, Montreal; Jonquieres. In Province of Alberta—Seven Persons. In Province of British Columbia—Vancouver Heights, Granville and Robson streets, Vancouver; City Heights, Vancouver; Enderby, Prince George, Squamish. In Province of Manitoba—Clearwater (Sub. to Crystal City), Sargent and Arlington streets, Winnipeg. In Province of Saskatchewan—Vertigin.

The total number of branches at the present time is 368.

Staff.

We have a male staff of 1216 and female, 268, or a total of 1,532, whose duties are greatly increased, and are being cheerfully performed, owing to so many others having volunteered for overseas duties. The steadily increasing cost of living is a very important factor with all persons on salaries and the Bank has endeavored to lessen the burden as much as possible in its periodical adjustment of salaries.

633 members of the staff have enlisted for overseas active service. Of these we regret to announce 43 have been killed, 28 wounded and 3 are missing, leaving 534 still in the field. To the sorrowing relatives our heartfelt sympathy is extended.

This is the last occasion on which I shall have the pleasure of addressing you as General Manager of the Bank, as I am relinquishing executive duties on the 31st instant after nearly forty-seven years of active service, the last thirteen and a half of which I have been General Manager.

The Bank has shared to a very appreciable extent in the prosperity of the country during this latter period, and I am sure the following figures in this connection will be read with much interest.

	1903	1916
Capital Stock	$ 2,400,000	$ 5,000,000
Rest Account	1,000,000	3,400,000
Profits	200,000	651,000
Dividend	165,000	400,000
Rate of Dividend	7%	8%
Notes in Circulation	2,300,000	8,800,000
Deposits	13,300,000	89,200,000
Balances due to other banks	2,000	1,800,000
Coin and Government notes	1,500,000	10,100,000
Government Circulation fund	91,000	200,000
Deposit in Central Gold Reserves	Nil	4,700,000
Notes and Cheques of other Banks	467,000	4,934,000
Balances due by other Banks	99,000	750,000
Bonds and Stocks	191,000	12,700,000
Call Loans	657,000	15,100,000
Current Loans	15,000,000	50,000,000
Number of Shareholders	847	2,435
No. of Branches	74	368
Total Assets	13,400,000	100,000,000

It is needless to point out that such marked success could not have been achieved without the active co-operation and loyal support of a capable staff of officers, who have, at all times, devoted their best energies to furthering the interests of the Institution they served. I desire to take this opportunity of expressing to them, one and all, my very great appreciation of their valuable assistance.

After seeing the progress of the Bank from 1870, when its operations were very restricted, and it had only three branches, to its present position of one of the important financial institutions of the country, I am retiring with mixed feelings of pride and regret, pride at the enviable position occupied by the Bank, and regret at the severance of such long-standing relations always made pleasant and congenial by the ready assistance of Directors, Executive and Staff.

I esteem it a great honor to be invited to join the Board of Directors of the Bank, and it will be a pleasure and satisfaction to me, if elected by the Shareholders, to retain my connection with the Bank in that capacity. I trust, too, that my intimate knowledge of affairs of the institution may prove of some assistance in an advisory capacity as a Director.

The President has been good enough to refer to my services and retirement in very kind and appreciative words. My relations with the Presidents, Vice-Presidents and Directors with whom I have been associated have, at all times, been very pleasant, and their advice most helpful. I desire to express my very great appreciation of and thanks for the kindly manner in which Mr. Galt has alluded to my resignation.

ASSISTANT GENERAL MANAGER'S REMARKS.

I desire to thank you for the kind words with which you and the Directors have introduced me to the public.

I wish to assure you, Sir, also the Directors and Shareholders of the Bank, that I shall assume my new position with a deep sense of its responsibilities.

I should like to add my testimony to the splendid example which has been set by Mr. Balfour to every member of the Staff, and to express our regret at losing him in an official capacity at the end of this month. It is with the greatest of satisfaction that we have heard that he is to join the Board—for we know that we shall still keep him as a friend and advisor.

I shall do my utmost to live up to the best traditions of the Bank, and to carry on the wise policy of my predecessors.

REMARKS OF MR. F. E. KENASTON OF MINNEAPOLIS.

The important change taking place to-day in the general management of the Bank whereby Mr. G. H. Balfour is resigning as General Manager after forty-seven years of service, and the appointment of Mr. H. B. Shaw, who has so well served the Bank for a number of years as Assistant General Manager, to fill Managership, has impressed me very strongly. When you take into account, Gentlemen, forty-seven of the best years of a man's life, devoted in the most loyal and faithful manner to the upbuilding of a business institution, and when advancing years bring him to reason with himself that it is better to shift the burden of responsibility on to younger shoulders and enjoy a well-earned rest after so many years of arduous work, we must conclude that the severing of the ties which bind men together in business life is a serious thing. I wish to endorse fully all of the words of eulogy which the preceding speakers have used in connection with Mr. Balfour's long years of service, and his decision to now resign the burden of General Managership of the Bank, and to congratulate the Bank, at the same time, that he is to be made a Member of its Board of Directors, so that the vast fund of information and detail knowledge possessed by him of the Bank's business will not be lost to the Institution.

Mr. H. B. Shaw, who is now to be the General Manager of the Bank, is too well known to you all to need any words of introduction from me. He has been connected with the Bank, in one position or another, during all of his working life, and, for many years, has been Assistant General Manager. His well known efficiency and great ability as a banker is sufficient warrant to us all that the affairs of the Institution will be in good hands.

The present business conditions brought on by the great war, have made New York City a great financial centre and in order to avail itself of its proper share of the Empire's financing at the present time, and to assume its share of solving the financial problems which are bound to ensue at the close of the war, the Union Bank has deemed it wise to establish an agency in New York City.

The Officers of the Bank, in their negotiations for suitable connections there, have been most extraordinarily fortunate in securing the services of Messrs. Stuyvesant Fish, Cornelius Vanderbilt, and Gilbert G. Thorne, as Members of an Advisory Committee. These gentlemen are so well known everywhere on this continent that it seems superfluous to say a word in their praise, but I cannot pass by the opportunity of saying that the names of these gentlemen, connected with any business institution or enterprise, is an absolute guarantee of conservatism, integrity and efficient management, and is an endorsement of the Union Bank itself, not only in New York City, but in the Dominion of Canada as well—a fact in which we, as Stockholders, should take great pride. In summing up the situation, gentlemen, I am free to say that the Union Bank is going into New York City with its agency under the most favorable auspices possible.

On the 25th of August last, the Directors of the Union Bank, accompanied by a few invited guests, began a trip of 15 days of inspection of Western Canada with reference to business conditions and prospects generally, and specifically, with reference to its own branches extending throughout the Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

During this trip we met 192 Branch Managers, with whom the Directors discussed very freely their respective local conditions and prospects. The meeting of these Branch Managers (most of them young, vigorous, intelligent men) to some of us was a revelation. We found them, uniformly loyal and enthusiastic workers for the good of the Union Bank, well advised as to their own local conditions, and what was required for the betterment of these conditions as respects mixed farming. The paying of greater attention to stock raising thereby minimizing the risk with which a business or a community constantly stands in peril, by reason of depending upon one crop only.

We saw some very wonderful agricultural development at different points, and a very noticeable appearance of thrift and prosperity in the purely agricultural districts among the farmers. We also found a very satisfactory condition prevailing in the larger towns and cities of the West with regard to commercial affairs, which seem to have been reduced to dealing in staple articles and necessities only, rather than the luxuries. In these lines there was reported a very satisfactory volume of business. We also found an enormous amount of liquidation of indebtedness, particularly among the farmers, by reason of the exceptionally large crops of grain, with good prices, during the years 1915 and 1916.

The trip was very interesting to many of the Directors by reason of the passing through of so much new and hitherto, to them, unknown territory, and particularly the Peace River country, which seemed to open up an enormous field for settlement at a later date. The Peace River country is now being invaded by the iron trail under the vigorous auspices of Mr. J. D. McArthur, who has extended the rails of the Edmonton Dunvegan and British Columbia Railway to Peace River Crossing, and it is to be hoped that he will receive a full measure of reward for the courage he has displayed in this undertaking, and in this connection, it is only proper to state our hearty appreciation to Mr. McArthur for the many courtesies received at his hands during the progress of this trip.

Messrs. T. Harry Webb, C.A., B. S. Read, C.A., and C. R. Hegan, C.A. of the firm of Webb, Read, Hegan, Callingham & Co., were re-appointed as auditors of the Bank.

The following were elected Directors: Sir William Price, Honorary President; Mr. John Galt, president; Mr. R. T. Riley and Mr. Geo. Thomson, vice-presidents; Messrs. W. R. Allan, G. H. Balfour, Hume Blake, K.C., M. Bull, Major-General John Carson, C.B., B. E. Cronyn, Edward L. Drewry, S. Hume, J. S. Hough, K.C., R. O. McCulloch, F. E. Kenaston and Wm. Shaw.

Belgian Children Crying For Bread, Observer Asserts

New York.—Belgium under Prussian rule, with its deportations and slayings, was observed by Jean van der Boon, wealthy rubber expert and a native of Holland, who arrived in New York on January 2nd, after spending two years and three months in Brussels.

As a neutral observer in Brussels, Mr. van der Boon was privileged with certain restrictions, to come and go as he pleased. He gathered many interesting facts regarding the methods of Prussian military rule, the deportation of aged and infirm men, the food situation and Belgium's bitter and increasing hatred of the Central Powers.

To a reporter Mr. van der Boon related his impressions. He declared that the greatest distress prevails among the residents of Brussels and other cities of Belgium. The food supply, cut down in order that grain and other necessities may be conserved for the use of the Prussian army, has become inadequate. On every side, he said, children may be heard crying for the food which their parents are unable to obtain at any price.

"Military rule has embittered the Belgian people to an unbelievable extent," Mr. van der Boon said. "Under the lash of the Prussians, a feeling of hatred which will survive for centuries, has been developed.

WELL TO DO ARE STARVING.

"Many of the formerly well to do residents of cities, such as Brussels, are starving slowly. The aid extended to them by the American Relief Committee has been of great value and Belgium is thankful for it. Of course the people realize that their only relief will be found in a victory for the allies. They daily pray for such an outcome of the war."

Mr. van der Boon described the domineering attitude of the officers who direct the government of Belgium. Prussian soldiers, he said, picket the streets continually, and at 7 o'clock each night residents of cities and villages must extinguish all lights. The Belgians must lock up their houses at six o'clock in the evening, and are not permitted abroad in the streets after that hour. Neutral residents of the cities are permitted more freedom, but their movements are carefully watched by secret agents and soldiers of the Prussian army.

The high schools have been closed, so that the few boys who have attended the classes since the outbreak of the war might be put to work. The lower grade schools have been reopened, and under the direction of the military authorities, some few subjects are being taught.

Mr. van der Boon told of the deportation of old men to Germany to till the soil and take the places of men who entered the army. He said that hundreds of citizens of several cities were ordered to take the "deportation trains."

DEATH FOR DISOBEDIENCE.

Slight infractions of the military rules were punished by the death sentence, according to Mr. van der Boon. The culprit was dragged through the streets, presented before a court martial and pronounced guilty before having an opportunity to defend himself. With the other offenders he was placed in jail and killed by a firing squad the following day.

On the outskirts of Brussels Mr. van der Boon said, the Prussians have converted an illuminating gas plant into a laboratory for the manufacture of the poisonous gas used by them in trench warfare. While he was in Brussels both French and English aviators made daily flights over the city in an effort to "bomb" the plant, but they failed to destroy it.

One of the amusing features of the Prussian occupation of Belgium, according to Mr. van der Boon, is the anxiety of the military authorities to locate the editorial rooms of Libre Belgique, a small publication which has succeeded in arousing the indignation and the disapproval of the invaders. An issue of Libre Belgique is hastily scanned by Prussian officers or articles ridiculing them. Then follow hasty orders for the suppression of the paper. Detachments of Prussian soldiers have searched practically every city in Belgium for the offices of the paper. The reward for their efforts has always been another issue of the paper.

"On June 22 residents of Brussels had an excellent opportunity to witness the destruction of a huge Zeppelin," Mr. van der Boon said. "Aviators from the Allies headquarters fairly swarmed about the big craft. The gas bag was punctured again and again by shells from the guns of the French and English aeroplanes, and finally the Zeppelin exploded with a frightful crash and hurtled to the ground."

VEGETARIANS.

A country vicar advertised for an "ineligible" to make himself useful, etc., in his grounds and garden. A likely candidate turned up and, after being questioned upon several points the Vicar said to him:

"You know we are all vegetarians here and if I engage you I should like you to conform to our rules. Could you?"

The applicant entered into a brown study, and then at last he replied:

"I think so, sir. But I should like to ask an important question first. Do you reckon beer a vegetable?"

Interned Germans Prepare For Peace

Prisoners on Isle of Man Studying Languages and Learning Trades and Professions

Douglas, Isle of Man. — They are busily engaged in preparing for peace in the prison camps on the Isle of Man.

Here are nearly 25,000 German and Austrian civilian prisoners. Many of them have been residents of the British Isles for ten and fifteen years, and expect to go back to their civilian employment as soon as peace comes. Others have been in England for much shorter periods, and plan to seek fresh fields. Hundreds would like to go to the United States.

Two years of imprisonment has a sobering effect on the most frivolous, and the frame of mind of the internment camp prisoner is almost uniformly serious. Some are learning new trades, others mastering new languages, others studying the course of the war in map and law books with a view to being on the spot for post war developments of business and commerce.

Most of this preparation for peace is being done by the prisoners themselves. Their teachers are all from their own numbers, and much of the equipment for the schools and workshops has been purchased through the British authorities by money supplied by well-to-do prisoners.

At the Knockaloe camp there are about 23,000 prisoners. Four thousand of them are studying languages, engineering, navigation, geography, trade. Others are at work as gardeners, farmers, road-makers, or chefs.

The work which a prisoner takes up in the prison schools is frequently an index to some new field of activity in which he is planning to enter after the war. Those studying Polish are casting their eyes on the prospects in the new kingdom of Poland, while those who are devoting their energies to Spanish are generally looking toward opportunity in South America.

All this work is under leaders chosen by the men themselves, with the approval of their British guardians.

The head of the work at Knockaloe—the "University of Knockaloe" as the interned Germans call it—is Prof. ——, who was a prominent automobile engineer in London, before the war.

"We try to think as little as possible about the war," remarked Prof. ——, "and as much as possible about peace. Our aim now is to provide every man in the camp with something to do which will give him a better equipment for earning a living. We have had some wonderful results in the course of our work. Men who had never aspired to be anything more than fairly good waiters or valets have disclosed an aptitude for chemistry or wood carving or architecture.

"One prisoner, who had been a rather unsuccessful delicatessen merchant in London for twenty years, has found that he possesses a real genius for designing toys. Three young men who were restaurant waiters, expect to go back to the world as teachers of languages, having engaged here in a close study of pedagogy under an excellent German professor. We have developed some surprisingly good talent in music and sculpture. We have a few good orchestra leaders and instrumental teachers in our midst. We now have twenty orchestras in this camp alone, together with several glee clubs and comic opera companies."

Among the rank and file of the prisoners there is no serious complains about their lot or their treatment at the hands of the British authorities.

LOCOMOTOR ATAXIA.

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"And if the house burns, do I get $5,000?"

"Certainly, Madam."

"And do you make any inquiries as to the cause of the fire?"

"Why yes; we make a full investigation in every case."

"Ah!" said the lady, with a toss of her head, "I thought there was some catch about it!"

Clergyman Hun Prisoner.

In the internment camp at Tabora, in German East Africa, the British forces found a large number of British prisoners of war, most of whom had been interned for the two years of the war, says The Glasgow Herald. Among them was Archdeacon Woodward, who has been associated with the East Africa missionary movement since 1875. The archdeacon, who was seriously ill, was on the point of sailing for England when he was taken prisoner. Altogether there were over one hundred British subjects, including several women among the prisoners. The conditions of the camp were appalling. European men and women were herded together with natives, the sanitary arrangements were unspeakable, and several prisoners died. The British troops supplied the released prisoners with food, and arranged for their repatriation. Until he was discovered at Tabora nothing had been heard of archdeacon Woodward for two years.

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FOOLING A GUARDIAN

By ETHEL HOLMES

Kate Phillips was an orphan, and her Aunt Rachel Harding was her guardian. Kate surely needed a manager for her estate, for she was a spendthrift. She was also full of high spirits and bent on having a good time.

Kate went to college, not because she wished to learn all about the Greeks and Romans, conic sections and philosophy, but because she had heard that college girls have lots of fun, and she wished to see something of college life. Her guardian was willing that she should spend an ordinary sum while a student, but did not approve of extravagance. The old lady was very fond of her niece—her sister's child—and felt responsible for her bringing up. She therefore limited her ward to a list of reasonable expenditures.

But there was a weak spot in Miss Harding's efforts. Kate was twenty years old and would come into her estate when she was twenty-one. This fact enabled her to borrow at an exorbitant rate of interest or to buy things for much more than they were worth.

Among these was the purchase of a $5,000 automobile, all on credit as it could have been purchased for $500 cash, but Kate was charged [illegible] and the seller kindly agreed to wait a year for his pay, charging 6 per cent interest and a bonus of $200 for the accommodation.

The possession of an auto is not easily kept secret. One can more readily own a gold mine without its being known, for a car is of no use except for riding purposes, and that is exactly what Miss Phillips wanted it for. She was an expert driver and found in taking her fellow students for a spin. The consequence was that everybody knew she owned the handsomest car in college, and the fact was reported to her aunt.

Kate's alma mater was but a dozen miles from her aunt's residence, and the old lady resolved to go over and learn if the report were true and if it was how her ward had obtained the purchase money. Miss Harding possessed a mare and a vehicle called a rockaway, and in this she set forth in quest of the truth about her niece's extravagance. She chose a Saturday afternoon, since Kate would not be engaged in her studies at that time and there would be no interruption to the investigation.

That Kate did not study on Saturday afternoon was as true as that she studied only enough to keep up with her classes. And that was very little, for she learned easily. On this especial Saturday afternoon she invited as many of her classmates as her car would hold to go for a spin, and about the time the old lady set out for the college Kate touched the starting button in her auto.

Kate, in order to reach the road she wanted, took one that led to a point a few miles from her home where the two roads crossed. Shortly before reaching the crossing she caught sight of the familiar rockaway, every part of which was as familiar to her as the jog trot of Nancy, the mare.

"Oh, heavens!" she exclaimed. "There comes my aunt!"

At the same time she pulled on various levers with her hands and shoved certain brakes with her feet, and the car came to a standstill, while every eye in it was fixed on the distant face in the rockaway, lighted by the sun striking the glasses of a pair of spectacles.

"What shall I do?"

"Here," cried a girl in the seat behind, "take my veil! The sun is shining directly in the old lady's eyes, and she couldn't see you even without a veil."

Kate took the veil, or, rather, it was put on by the lender; then she started her car and whirled by her guardian so fast and so near the rockaway that Miss Harding was altogether too frightened to take a good look at the driver. Nevertheless there was suspicion in the glance she did take, and it made Kate uneasy.

"We must get back to college before she arrives," she said, "and prepare for her coming."

On reaching the crossroad she turned, but instead of taking a fifty mile drive, as had been intended, she went back by the first road she came to leading collegeward, and while the aunt was jogging along at seven miles an hour her niece was doing the distance before her in ten minutes. The car was put in the garage under lock and key, and Kate and her friends, having changed their costumes to innocent white, went out on to the campus, and when the old lady drove up to the dormitory where Kate roomed Kate ran to meet her and, leading her to her friends, gave her a formal introduction.

During the ride back to college it had been arranged that every girl was to show the old lady some attention, thus taking up her time so that she would have none for inquiries.

"I met an auto on the road," said Miss Harding to Kate, "and the driver's figure was just like yours. I couldn't see her face for a veil she wore. I didn't know women drivers of cars wore veils."

"That's to keep the dust out of the eyes," suggested one of the party.

Miss Harding spent twenty-four hours with her ward and saw no signs and heard nothing of the motorcar. But every one she came in contact with was coached.

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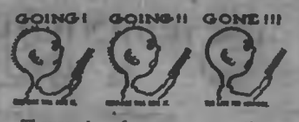

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"Mirages, which may be seen almost every day on these heated deserts, give strange fanciful forms to the mountains and sometimes transfigure them beyond recognition. A pack train crossing the desert a few miles distant may appear like some strange caravan of grotesque beasts fording a shallow lake, the shores of which advance as one rides away. The monotony of midday on the desert is thus broken by elusive forms that are ever changing and suggest a thousand fancies, which divert the attention from the fatigues of the journey.

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Good Scheme.

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Should Not The Advantage of Supervised Playgrounds Be Provided This Year for All the Children of the City

The Playgrounds Association has Demonstrated the success of the Work they have Established during the Past Two Years but they have been Hampered by the Lack of Funds. War emphasizes need of Physical Fitness which should be equally desirable in times of Peace. A Suggestion for the Association

MIDWINTER provides a chilling and distracting atmosphere for the discussion of the activities of midsummer. Yet, unseasonable as it is for a consideration of the prospects of the Playgrounds Association, it may not be inopportune to anticipate some of the problems that are likely to arise this year.

Even at this dismal distance from the holiday months of July and August, two important questions stand out conspicuously against the hazy background. What shall be the extent of the Association's work this summer, and how shall it be financed?

The Association Has Proved The Value of its Work

The continued existence of the Playgrounds Association is accepted as fact. It is no longer an experiment, if it ever was such, but a "successful going concern," thanks to the little group of practical idealists who pioneered the movement in Peterborough. Their achievement during the past two years probably exceeded their expectations, but their hopes, brightened by an earnest fulfilment, remain unrealized. However, the results already accomplished have not only been a delight and a benefit to many children and a welcome relief to their parents, but their unqualified success in the north and centre of the city invites an extension of the idea that its advantages may be provided in at least every ward.

Now the Association approaches its third summer. It is unfortunate that the present national extremity, demanding so much of the attention and resources of the public, discourages other thoughts and efforts, and to that extent accentuates the ordinary difficulties of continuance and development of the playgrounds system. But, notwithstanding these very serious obstacles, the sentiment of the citizens will be found supporting the idea of playgrounds for the use and enjoyment of all the children of the city.

It is unnecessary to refer to the success last summer of the public playgrounds at the Central and King Edward Schools. Their facilities were frequently inadequate to accommodate the large number of young folks who thronged them, but that deficiency of equipment was overcome by the ingenuity and improvisations of the respective supervisers. The children, however, were not only attracted to the playgrounds; they benefitted by them in a measure that is beyond estimation. To the physical improvement of the young people was added a social influence, subtly exercised by the supervisers, and an important factor in the development of "four square" young men and women.

The State Needs Physical Fit Men and Women

Probably the strongest argument in favour of public playgrounds is found in the present demand for physically fit men. Essential as they are to the State in a period of national extremity, their value in times of peace has not been sufficiently appreciated. The point need not be laboured, for the public mind must have awakened by this time to its previous narrow vision in this respect. In other words, the old admonition, "in times of peace prepare for war," has revealed the truth of its direct and also its inverted application.

Accepting this cursory review of the case for public playgrounds, it becomes more imperative that the work of the past two years should be enlarged at once. And since the responsibility of the State or community for the welfare of its youth is so apparent, should not the provision of the means to that end be provided from the community's general funds? Last spring the Playgrounds Association was forced to appeal to the Board of Education for financial assistance to equip the King Edward School-grounds, and the plans for the year were necessarily restricted on account of the lack of capital. Only two grounds were thrown open, when at least four are required. If playgrounds are beneficial to the children in the central and southern districts, surely the same results can be obtained for all the children of the city. Peterborough has not the excuse that it has been attentive to this duty of caring for its youth. It has been most culpably negligent, and would probably have pursued that blind and thoughtless attitude had not the Playgrounds Association taken the initiative. If the idea were a fad would that the City Councils of former days had amused themselves by preserving as playgrounds some of the ideally located fields that were then open and unpromising acres.

Should Not City Provide Funds For The Association?

To summarize; it is surely evident that the number of playgrounds should be increased to at least four this year; to facilitate their preparation and operation and to relieve the Association of the handicap arising out of the lack of capital, is it not feasible and practical to expect the City Council to assume the entire cost? Finally, if this suggestion meets with the approval of the Association, should it not formulate its plans early in the present year that if it so decides it may appeal to the Council for support before the 1917 appropriations are compiled? Is there any better investment the city can make than in its men and women of tomorrow? Public playgrounds will be open when the schools are closed.

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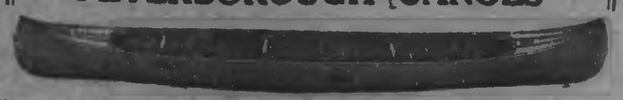
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"Victory is Certain, I Give You My Word on That." —*Gen. Nivelle*

A French seaplane in the harbor at Dunkirk, France, just about to be launched. Dunkirk is a channel station and base for a French seaplane flotilla, from where they start out for bombdropping operations on Zebrugge.

"As Hard as Nails"; mud-bespattered Canadian privates from Trench duty. (Photo to right.)

Embarking a serious case. This wounded sailor is being slung on board by means of a Neil Robertson stretcher, which prevents the patient from being injured in the process.

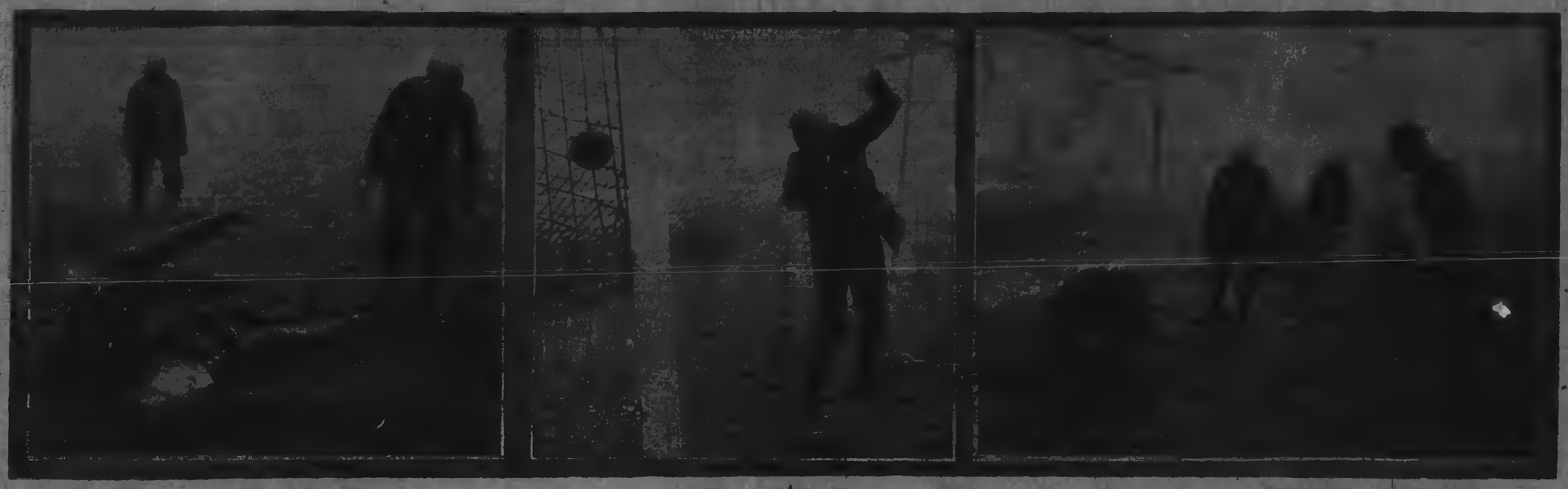
"Victory is certain. I give you my word on that." So said General Nivelle, of Verdun, France's new Generalissimo. (Above.)

The illustration to the left shows men of a British battalion occupying a German dug-out. They are seen just inside the entrance. Over the doorway the German notice-board still remains in position, with its lettering to warn off intruders on the privacy of the original inmates.

A British naval armoured-car detachment serving with the Russian army. Here are shown some of their doings in the Caucasus. They also saw service in Persia, and then made another remarkable journey back to Odessa, and thence to the Dobrudja. "Probably no unit of the British forces," said a recent Reuter account, "has had more varied experiences than those that fell to these devoted men."

Two new bath-caravans, recently inspected by the King and Queen, have been presented to the Belgian army, for use at the front, by the Wounded Allies Relief Committee. It is estimated that the bath-caravans will supply hot baths continuously for 14 hours, and that in that time they may be able to deal with about 1,600 men.

Football in Gas Helmets as Part of Military Training



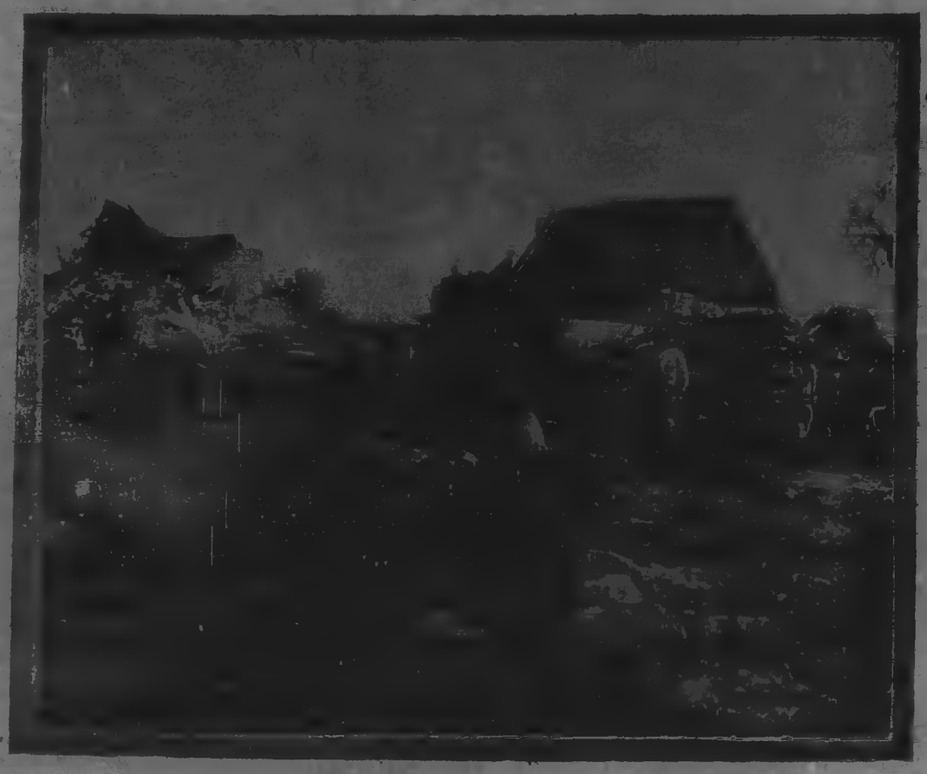
Two men down. The goal keeper beaten by a well placed shot. A clever save from a low shot.
Men of a Royal Fusilier battalion playing football in gas-helmets as part of their military training. They thus become accustomed to wearing their gas-helmets while engaged in strenuous action.

Latest Official British Photographs Taken on the Western Front

Result of the latest recent great drive of the British. Millions and millions of these shells are seen in this pile.

Beech Observatory, found in the woods at Estrees (Somme).

Horses are quite frequently used in the swamp land. Photograph shows Serbian artillery horses pulling a despatch bearer from the dug-out.



Big Boche shell found in the ruins of Vermandovillers (Somme).

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Officers of 134th O.S. Battalion, C.E.F., (48th Highlanders) Taken Recently in England

FIRST ROW (from left to right):—Lieuts. G. M. Malone (attached from 135th Bn.), G. R. Marani, M. H. Bird (attached from 135th Bn.), E. C. Gordon, S. H. Crawford, L. M. Murray (attached from 135th Bn.), A. C. Dean (attached from 135th Bn.). SECOND ROW:—Lieuts. John Mills, G. Heyworth, A. J. Lester, F. M. Ross, Capt. G. W. Loughead, M.O., Capt. M. T. Morgan, Lieuts. T. R. Phillips, R. Dunlop, G. Heighington, G. B. Snow, A. M. Slatter, Capt. N. A. MacEachern (Chaplain). THIRD ROW:—Capt. J. W. Reburn, P.M., Majors T. P. Grubbe, R. Shiell, H. W. Murray, F. S. Allan, Lieut.-Col. A. A. Miller, O.C., Capt. F. M. Murphy, Adjutant, Major P. E. Boyd, Capt. James Nicoll, Q.M., Capts. J. B. Young, F. W. Grant, A. R. Ramsey. Names of four officers in top row (attached from 135th Bn.) are unknown.

RECRUITING SERGT. J. G. R. LANCEFIELD, F. R. G. S.,

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HERBERT LEWIS KIEL,

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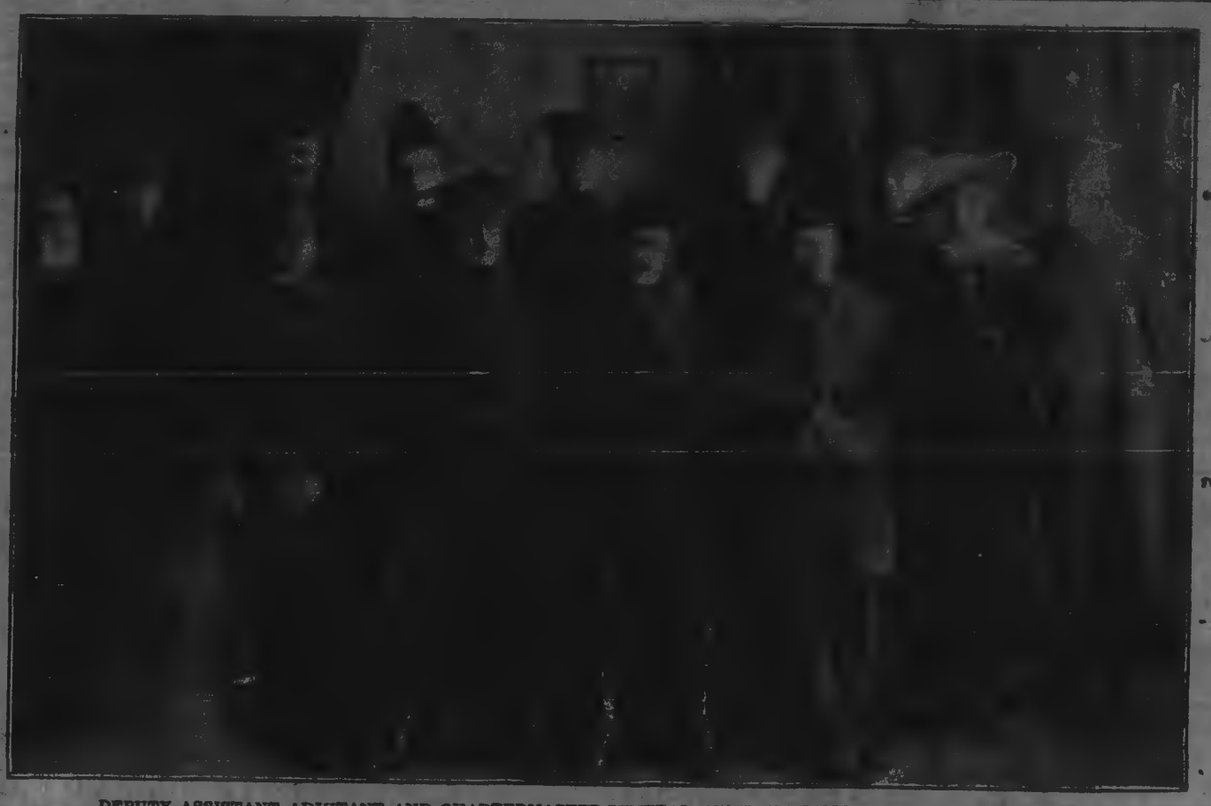
MAJOR J. M. WILSON,

Assistant Director of Dental Services for Military District No. 3, with headquarters at Kingston.



DEPUTY ASSISTANT ADJUTANT AND QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL, MILITARY DISTRICT NO. 3, AND HIS STAFF.

Front row (left to right)—Capt. W. J. McManus, Lieut.-Col. H. R. Wilson, Capt. J. C. Norwell, Sergt.-Major (W. O.) W. Boss, C.M.S.C.
Back row—Miss B. Evans, Sergt C. H. Vanalstyne, Sergt. P. Hayes, Sergt. W. H. Matthews, Sergt. F. H. Hough, Sergt. C. H. R. Hampel, Sergt. D. Hill, Miss L. Staples, Sergt. C. M. P. Holton.

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PTE. WM. DUNCAN,
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PTE. WM. T. PALLIN,
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A SUMMARY OF TO-DAY'S WAR CABLES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, January 20.—Thirty or forty bodies have already been recovered from the wreck caused by last night's explosion in a munition plant near London, the Home Office officially announced to-day.

Probably a hundred were seriously injured in the explosion. The Home Office, however, estimated the casualties were less than had been feared.

The statement said that practically all explosives in the factory let go and that the factory was completely destroyed.

The explosion caused fires in the neighbouring factories, and three rows of houses were practically demolished. There was considerable damage to other property. The accident will make practically no difference in the output of munitions.

Expressions of sympathy for the victims and their families were formally issued on behalf of the King and Government.

A fire engine which was playing a stream of water on the fire when the explosion occurred was blown up and destroyed. Two firemen were killed.

The official statement says that the factory was in the east of London, near the river, and was engaged in refining explosives.

British Steamer's Fight With a German Sub.

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

NEW YORK, January 20.—The British cargo steamship Lindenhall, arriving here to-day from Naples, brought a tale of a battle off Sicily on the last trip across during which a submarine was fought off with a little twelve-pound gun mounted at the ship's stern. Thirty shells out of about 200 fired by the submarine it was stated, hit the steamer, but none in a vital place.

Artillery Fighting On Western Front

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS (French Official Communique), January 20.—Violent artillery action in the region of Plesses De Roye was the only activity reported from the western front to-day in the official statement. Elsewhere on the front it was quiet.

German Leader Admits Starvation is Near

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, January 19. — Reuter's Amsterdam correspondent gives the following excerpts from the speech of Dr. Von Heydebrand, the Conservative leader, who favours a more unrestricted use of submarines, before the Prussian Diet:

"Our economic situation is rich in deprivations and sacrifices. We may calmly state this because it is known abroad what we are now compelled to demand from our population."

Then, says the correspondent, declaring that the rural populations must make greater sacrifices than previously. Dr. Heydebrand added:

"The rural population is not yet imbued with the consciousness of the needs of this great time. The reply of the Entente Powers to President Wilson ought to be placarded in all communes, so that the people may recognize what will confront them if the war is lost.

"The town populations are suffering grievously. It is sad to see how long women have to wait for a couple of potatoes, and how, for the simplest necessaries, town dwellers must pay absolutely exorbitant prices. These prices must also continue for a long time after the war."

Large Market This Morning

Prices Eased Off Towards the Close of the Market

There was a large market this morning, most of the farmers coming in by train, the roads being in very bad condition on account of the drifts. The prices, high at first, were lowered considerably during the morning.

Butter—43c to 44c per lb.
Eggs—50c to 55c doz.
Chickens—20c lb.; $1.40 pair.
Ducks—90c to $1.00 each.
One single turkey was seen, $3.00 being asked for it.

Prepare Plans For Good Roads To Be Built After War

President Holland of the Ontario Motor League met a number of business men including Mayor Duffus at the Empress Hotel last night. Regarding the problem of good roads he suggested that local organizations should not delay until the end of the war to formulate plans for the adoption of a good roads system in Peterborough, but should have all the details mapped out and ready for execution of a good roads system in Peterborough. Peterborough need of a good road to connect the Kingston highway with Peterborough and the Kawartha Lakes was emphasized by Mr. Holland who suggested that the County and Township Councils should be urged to co-operate. Mr. R. Kingan was appointed to solicit the support of the local merchants, Mr. C. H. Pennefather the Board of Trade, and Dr. C. H. Amys the Stoney Lake Cottagers Association. A deputation will wait upon the County Council next week.

A BIG YIELD OF MANGELS

Master Norman Crowe, son of Mr. J. A. Crowe, Lakefield, R.R. No. 4, is receiving a free course at the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, for taking the county prize for growing one acre of mangels. His acre yielded 800 bushels. The variety grown was the Danish Sludstrip.

The year previous, three-quarters of an acre in Peterborough County yielded 1,100 bushels of the same variety, with a three-pound sowing. Five hundred bushels was an exceptionally good yield for last year.

Y. M. C. A. NEWS

City Clerk Armstrong will address the Y.M.C.A. Men's Meeting to-morrow afternoon at 4.15 o'clock. A cordial invitation is given to all men and older boys to attend this service.

The various meetings of the past week have been of unusual interest and well attended. Mr. Ross Dingman, of Toronto, gave a very interesting address last Sunday on the "Morning Watch." Mr. E. Elcombe spoke to over forty boys on Wednesday evening on "Birds." Mr. Roper conducted a discussion at the Life Problem Club on Thursday evening on the subject of "Education." Mr. A. D. Hone, of the Collegiate, conducted a very helpful discussion for the Senior Collegiate Boys on Friday afternoon on the subject of "Gambling and Betting." The Junior and Senior School-Boys' Classes on Saturday morning, led by Mr. Galley, were very well attended. These boys have shown a great interest in the courses of study this year, and a large number of them are preparing to take the National Council Bible Study examinations at the close of the season.

It might be well for visitors to remember that a warm welcome soon burns out.

PEACE SCARCELY MENTIONED BY THE BRITISH NEWSPAPERS

Every Article and Every Address is Devoted to Discuss Ways and Means of Carrying on the War to a Successful Conclusion.

THE GREATER SPIRIT

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LONDON, Jan. 20. — It is very characteristic of the drift of temper of the belligerent nations that while Germany still pours forth numerous appeals, explanations, and imprecations, regarding the peace proposals she so dramatically announced to the World late in December, the word peace scarcely finds even a paragraph ot brief mention in any of the British Journals, or in any of the speeches addressed to the general public. On the contrary, every article and the text of every public address is devoted to discussing ways and means of organizing everything in the country for the one purpose of carrying on the war to a successful and victorious end.

While it is definitely known that the power of the enemy is shaken and his hour of retribution is approaching slowly and surely, greater efforts than any put forth will be necessary to break utterly the resistance of Germany and her allies. The resources of Great Britain are virtually inexhaustible, but the harmonious and close co-operation of the entire people for the use of these resources, is necessary to bring about the desired end. It is with this idea in view that the people of England once more are planning to consecrate themselves anew to the task of mobilizing to the last man—to the last industry—in one united effort to destroy once and for all time the Prussian yoke and the Prussian menace.

THE GREATER SPIRIT.

This is only one of the many signs of the greater spirit as well as the confidence and energy which the Lloyd George Ministry, has created. With everything in the shape of shioping, agriculture and even the daily meals being scrutinized and brought more and more under government control, it looks as if even in this individualistic and one time peaceful country, everybody is shouting out to have everythng under the absolute control of those who are responsible for the conduct of the war.

The chief solicitude of the public and government as well, at the present time, is the possible bringing about of a food shortage by the activities of German submarines in cutting down the available shipping for the carrying of foodstuffs. This concentration of the public attention on the matter of food production has resulted, among other things, in the almost daily announcement that some beautiful park, either public or private, is for the first time in its history broken up for the purpose of growing wheat or potatoes. In Ireland, in particular, this necessity of the war promises to settle one of the still outstanding controversies between the owners of immense grass lands popularly miscalled ranches, and the demands of the small farmers for more land to till.

NEW WAR LOAN.

Next, in the preoccupation of the public mind here, is the gigantic "Win the War Loan" which has every promise of being an extraordinary success. This is partly due to the immense resources of the country and partly to the more fiercely aroused hatred of Germany. These things for the moment, have absolutely shunted peace off the map.

In fact, the huge size of the present war loan, has done more to eliminate from the public mind any idea of a possibility of an early peace, than possibly any other incident of the past few weeks. The popular conception of the loan apparently being that the government is grimly planning for at least two years or more of war.

ARMING THE SHIPS.

The activities of the German Raider in South American waters resulting in the destruction and seizure of a considerable amount of allied tonnage, has renewed the popular demand for the arming of all merchant shipping with guns of large calibre, both fore, aft, and amid ships. In this connection it has been pointed out that at least ten unarmed vessels have been sunk by German submarines for every armed one. While a resolution demanding of the government that measures be adopted instantly by the Admiralty in the matter of arming merchant ships, was recently passed unanimously by a meeting of London business men, no official order to this effect has been issued. However many lined have armed their ships of their own accord as a matter of protection.

RECRUITING MEETINGS FOR THE ARMY AND ALSO FOR THE NAVY

Miss Eva L. Ward Will Be the Speaker at Sunday Night Meeting in the Armouries While Mr. Aemelius Jarvis Will Address a Meeting in Collegiate Hall on Tuesday Night in Aid of the Navy--To-day's Military News.

There will be a recruiting rally in the Armouries to-morrow night, when Miss Eva L. Ward, who was in France for two years as a member of Lena Ashwell's troupe of entertainers who went to the front to put on entertainments for the soldiers, will give an address. Miss Ward is a very entertaining speaker, and the meeting promises to be a great success. The Band of the 247th Battalion will provide music and a silver collection to defray expenses will be taken.

On Tuesday evening, Mr. Aemelius Jarvis, the naval recruiting officer for Ontario, will address a meeting in the Assembly Hall of the Collegiate Institute in the interests of recruiting for the navy. The address will be illustrated by moving pictures of the British navy. Mrs. Renwick and Mr. Douglas Carlisle will sing. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Mr. Jarvis also desires to meet a representative gathering of business men from the city and county in the City Council Chambers at 4 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon.

Sergt. Wm. Lane of the 247th Battalion is arranging a big smoker for Thursday night of next week in the Armouries. There will be boxing and wrestling bouts, music and an exhibition of weight-lifting by Sergt. Lane. The public is cordially invited to attend and there will be no admission charge. The popular trainer of the 247th team has arranged a fine programme for the occasion.

In the list of returned soldiers at the banquet the other night the name of Pte. Woodcock of the Mounted Rifles was published as I. Wedlock, through a typographical error.

Mrs. Downey of the Soldiers' Wives' and Mothers' Club, has received the following letters:

Sunday, Dec. 17th.

Dear Mrs. Downey,—On behalf of the "boys" from the old town please accept our thanks for the fine parcel of socks, etc. Believe me, they were very useful. One thing we do like is dry feet. We are all doing very well. Nothing to kick about now, and we are in a fine position. The boys send the ladies of the Club the best Christmas and New Year's regards. Again thanking you,

Yours sincerely,
BERT WILSON,
28th Battery.

Dundas, Ont., Jan. 7, 1917.

Dear Mrs. Downey,—I received a letter from my boy, Harold, who is a prisoner in Dulmen, Germany, asking me to thank you for the nice box you sent to him. He enjoyed the contents so much and appreciated your kindness in sending it to him. There seems to be some delay in the parcels reaching Germany, as he said he had not received a parcel from me for a month, so you can understand how very acceptable your box was as they are depending entirely upon the boxes the Red Cross and their friends send to them. Poor boys, their lot is a hard one. He says he has running sores on his feet, and they have to work very hard. God hasten the time when this cruel war will soon be over and our loved ones restored to us again. Mrs. Devins and I join in wishing you and yours a very Happy New Year, and again thanking you for your kindness to my darling boy, I remain,

Yours sincerely,
FLORA DEVINS,
Dundas, Ont.

Mrs. T. Laplante, 230 Rubidge Street, has received a letter from her son, Driver Roland Laplante, of the 92nd Battery, in which he desires to thank all those who sent him parcels or cards at Christmas, as well as to the St. Peter's Patriotic Club and the West-End Club.

Sir Wilfrid Investigating Cannon's Talk

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, Jan. 20.—Enquiries have been made by Sir Wilfrid Laurier into the alleged statement of Lucien Cannon, the Liberal candidate in Dorchester, made at St. Prosper on Thursday night. The impression here has been that Mr. Cannon's utterances at St. Prosper have been misconstructed or distorted in reports. Mr. Cannon undoubtedly attacked the Government's methods, but not the general principle of Canada's participation in the war.

Judging by to-day's report of Mr. Cannon's speeches yesterday, he has been strongly advised that no such sentiments as those attributed to him at St. Prosper will meet with the approval of the Liberal leader and his lieutenants. Should the statements alleged to have been made by him prove to have been actually made, then it is believed that Sir Wilfrid will declare himself unequovocally on the subject.

Com. Richards Coming To City on January 28

Commissioner Richards, O. C. Eastern Canada, and about a dozen officers will visit Peterborough to inaugurate a six-weeks' campaign for the young people in this city. The Commissioner will give three special addresses on Sunday, Jan. 28th, in the Foresters' Hall, Simcoe Street, which has been taken for the occasion to avoid interruption in the ordinary work of the Corps that day. All young people from 13 to 25 years of age can get a ticket by application to Adjt. McElhiney or R. C. Braund, who has charge, locally, of the Y. P. work in the city.

DANCE

Monday Evening Jan. 22nd 1917 at 8:30 O'clock

The Peterborough Returned Soldiers' Club have arranged a dance at the Victoria Hall, George street, for the above date. Good music, progressive euchre, refreshments. Double tickets 50c., may be obtained from returned soldiers or Payne's Drug Store. Don't miss this.

Chief Howard Shows Danger of White Sulphurous Match

Reporting the menace of the white sulphurous match, Provincial Fire Marshal Heaton, in an interview with the Toronto Star, quotes the following letter he received from Fire Chief Howard referring to a peculiar circumstance that occurred here recently:

"The box of matches sent you were laid on a table in a living-room by the lady of the house. There were several persons seated in the same room for some 30 minutes. After the matches were placed on the table they were not touched by any person. The nearest person to them was about 10 feet away. The house was filled with smoke and the people thought it was from the stove, but they found out it was the maches had ignited."

Mr. Heaton states that there is no Provincial legislation intended to check this danger, but hinted that in the development of fire prevention work of the Fire Marshal's Office legislation along these lines might yet be enacted.

"The question of the manufacture, sale and use of matches is at present entirely under the jurisdiction of the Federal authorities," continued Mr. Heaton.

Will Hold Local And Open 'Spiel

The Curlers decided in favour of an open and local bonspiel at a meeting last night and appointed the following committee to manage the former.

Robert Hicks (chairman), W. G. Morrow, H. F. Poote, D. Davidson, Robert Harstone, G. H. Logie, C. H. Pennefather.

BOY FINALLY TAKEN AT BOARDING HOUSE

The fourteen-year-old boy who has been wanted by the police for a week past was rounded up last night shortly after he had eluded the farmer who was bringing him into the city. After jumping from the sleigh at the corner of Charlotte and Park street he turned south and applied at several places for board. He said his name was Rye and was taken in. A little later Adjutant McElhiney called and took the boy home with him to supper and afterwards informed Chief Thompson. The boy was remanded for a week this morning and is now at the Shelter.

Annual Meeting Of Health Association

Annual Report of the District Nurse Shows to What Extent the Association Has Endeavoured to Save Lives and Prevent the Spread of Disease — Executive Committee Elected.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE CONSIDERS PLANS FOR BATHING FACILITIES

Will Recommend Bathing Centres at Inverlea Park and Little Lake With Suitable Dressing Rooms to Accommodate 500 Bathers at Each

PETITIONS TO THE COUNCIL

A meeting of the special committee of the Playgrounds Association to consider better public bathing facilities in Peterborough, met in the Y. M. C. A. rooms Friday evening, every member being present.

This committee is taking the leadership in securing data and information to present to the City Council at its meetings the first Monday in February. Petitions listed that will be presented to the Council are made on behalf of ten organizations, also a large number of individual letters, and a general citizens' petition prepared by Mr. Ketcheson. There seems to be no doubt but that the City Council will take favourable action regarding providing suitable public bathing centres and houses as there has not been any public movement in the past better supported than the appeal to the Council to solve the bathing problem.

The Playgrounds committee yesterday went thoroughly into the problem and were of the opinion that if two bathing centres were arranged, one at Inwerlea Park and the other at a convenient point at Little Lake, these centres properly supervised, the bathing problem would be largely solved. Members of the committee who investigated the needs last summer reported that during the heated period, more than fifteen hundred boys and girls and adults were found bathing in the Otonabee daily at ten different points. Should the City Council arrange and approve two bathing centres, shutting off promiscuous bathing at other points provision would have to be made to accommodate five hundred bathers daily at each of these points.

A plan of a building was considered that seemed to be adapted to accommodate the crowd likely to result on appointment of two bathing centres and the consequent concentration of bathing. The building considered adequate is 20 x 80 feet in size and would contain a public dressing room for boys and men, 14 x 40 feet in size, also a public dressing room for girls and women 14 x 30 feet in size, a caretaker's room 8 x 20 and eighteen private dressing rooms 4 x 6 feet in size. The private dressing rooms would be provided with locks and seats and the public dressing rooms, with benches and all necessary equipment, the building itself, to be nicely painted on the outside and the floor inside, painted three coats and to be laid to allow drainage from wet bathing suits.

A building like the one described would accommodate at least 125 people comfortably at one time. That this building is none too large may be seen by the statement that more than 125 persons are often seen in the water at one time at Inverlea park alone. Last summer 137 were counted in the water at Vermont Marble Works at one time, 80 people were found swimming at "The Jacks" at the foot of Dublin street at one time, and at each of a number of other points there were from fifty to one hundred boys and girls observed in the water at one time. Any person who is at all observant surely has been convinced before this that it is unfair to the young people of the community and the state that there are no public dressing places, supervision or plan for safeguarding the swimming provided for the large number of bathers along the Otonabee.

To solve the bathing problem and to arrange two bathing centres cannot be accomplished without some expense. Two buildings like the above located at each end of the city, to-

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HAVE YOU BEEN THINKING

Of having your eyes attended to? You think that that headache and pains in the head are caused from defective eyes, not necessarily defective vision? Then why not make sure? Because, if it is your eyes they only grow worse with delay. See Dr. Lacey and See Better. 410 George St.

Hear Eva L. Ward tell of her two year's experience entertaining the Tommies at the Trenches with rapid blackboard sketches, in Collegiate Hall, Monday Evg., Jan. 22, under auspices of The Women Teachers' Guild, for Patriotic purposes. Tickets 25c. 24-m,w-12

A WORTHY OBJECT

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Health Association was held last evening in the City Council chamber. While the work of this institution has been somewhat hampered by the war, and a consequent diversion of money for war purposes, the annual reports of the district nurses, which are appended below, will show that much good has been accomplished during the past year. It would be difficult to estimate just how many lives have been saved, or how many sufferers have been aided since the Association had its inception, some years ago. The work goes on by day and through the silent watches of the night, and many a man, woman and child in this city can testify to the efficient and effective treatment they have received at the hands of the district nurses, whose reports are given below. It is in a class with the work that is being carried on by the Red Cross organizations on the battlefields and its object is to save life, as well as to prevent the spread of disease.

Rev. Father Phelan, president of the Association, presided. Father Phelan, during the course of a few brief remarks, expressed the hope that once the work was under way for the ensuing year, the citizens would respond, and that the City Council would not be lacking in liberality towards the Association.

Secretary's Report.

Dr. G. S. Cameron, secretary of the Association, presented his report, which contained the following:

The year 1916 has seen the completion of another twelve months' work of the Peterborough Health Association, and when we take into consideration the disturbed conditions under which we are living in consequence of the war, I think we are justified in saying that the year, on the whole, has been a successful one. To have carried the work of such an Association through at all should be a matter of congratulation to those who are interested in its operations. Fortunately, at our last annual meeting we had elected a number of ladies and gentlemen as members of our Executive who have shown a sincere desire to promote the welfare of the Society. With the able assistance of the President, Rev. Father Phelan, we have had regular and well-attended executive meetings. Early in the year the Executive waited upon the City Council and made a request for assistance to the extent of $100 per month, but unfortunately for our Society, the City Fathers were unable to do better than continue the fifty dollar grant which they had been giving monthly during the previous year. Appeals have been made to the public in various ways, from which sums of money have been received, and this amount, together with that received from the ladies of the Nurses' Supervision Committee, has enabled us to carry our work through to the end of 1916; and here we wish to draw to your attention the splendid work of the ladies, who carried through the successful reception recently held at the Empress Hotel, and their splendid work, as I above intimated, on this occasion enabled us to close the year free from any encumberances.

The Nurses' Supervision Committee have met regularly, and from their report you will see that their work has been very thoroughly carried on. I think I can say that no request coming to their notice has gone unanswered.

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UNION BANK OF CANADA.

The solidity and business healthiness of the Union Bank of Canada are a compliment in fact to the proverbial character of the name—union is strength. Its annual statement to be found in another column, reveals remarkable features—a twenty per cent. increase in assets and an addition of eighteen and a half million dollars to the bank's business in a single year. In 1914 the assets of the bank totalled $81,561,850, in 1915 they grew to $90,699,000 and in 1916 they reached the phenomenal figures of $109,000,000, an increase in one year of, in round numbers, nine millions, or 20 per cent., and of over eighteen millions or 38 per cent. in the two years. For 1916 the non-interest bearing deposits showed an increase of more than eight millions and the interest-bearing an increase of nine and a half millions. The bank's strength in liquid assets, amounting to about 56¾ millions enables it to take a prominent part in rendering important services to the Canadian and Imperial governments in the matter of financing the munitions production business, as shown by its enormously increased holdings of Canadian municipal securities in British, foreign and colonial public securities, the total now amounting to fourteen and a half millions, as against only $895,850 a year ago. Though the bank's big volume of assets are at the present time not unusually productive, yet the year's profits, after the usual deduction and payments to pension funds, war taxes and patriotic grants permitted the payment of the regular dividend and bonus totalling 9 per cent. The Union Bank of Canada may be regarded as prosperous as it is solid. It has maintained its dividend and bonus through the war, kept up its Pension Fund appropriations, made full provision for taxes, donations and depreciation and contingent account, all out of current profits and still has a profits balance larger than at the end of 1915.

HISTORY REPEATED.

The death of George Dewey, Admiral of the United States Navy, not only marks the passing of a great naval commander, but suggests retrospect and comparison, altogether apart from his high character as a sea soldier. He is called "the hero of Manilla Bay" from his eminent share in the naval battle of that name in the Spanish-American war. And, though a great New York journal (The Herald) describes it as "one of the most brilliant successes of modern warfare," this broad characterization, especially in view of the tremendous slaughter of the present war, is considerably modified by the fact that the same journal, in its revival of the battle story, concludes it by the naive statement that "the Americans escaped without the loss of a single life, and only eight of them were wounded," a casuality list that recalls that of the opening battle of the great Civil War.

Apart, however, from its decisive share in promoting the victory of the United States in the Spanish-American war, the significance of the battle of Manilla Bay did not, and does not, consist in the brilliancy or the bloodlessness of naval achievement, but in the fact of the relative international spirit and attitude it revealed at the time, strikingly analagous to, and faithfully characteristic of, what they are in their essence in the repeated history of to-day.

In the spring of 1898 Germany showed the same insane international suspicion and jealousy; the same hatred of democracy, as represented by the greatest democracy of the world, as she is showing in both respects to-day. And Great Britain showed the same high regard for the principle; the same friendship for the United States that are the echoes of her national spirit and policy now. At Manilla Bay, on May-day, 1898, Germany showed herself the enemy of the United States; and Great Britain proved herself the friend of the United States—and a friend in need; for, if it had not been for the presence of the British fleet and for the British Admiral Chichester's threat to "clear his decks for action," there is no earthly doubt that the Commander of the German naval forces that had been rushed from further eastern waters would have attacked the United States fleet. Admiral Dewey would have had the Teutons on his back, and the destruction of the invalid Spanish fleet would not have been the walk-over it was.

Time—eighteen years—has not changed the relative spirit, temper, and attitude of Germany and Great Britain towards human liberty and its represented interests. In both cases history repeats itself.

ROWELL'S REVELATION OF BRITAIN'S WONDROUS WAR WORK

The following tribute to Britain's wondrous work in forces and finance was spoken to his hosts of the Empire Club, Toronto, yesterday, by Mr. N. W. Rowell, Liberal Leader:—

"There appears to have been some understanding between the powers of the Entente that if Germany forced a war on France and Great Britain decided to take part in it, her contribution would be the navy, and a small but highly trained expeditionary force of about 150,000 men to be sent to the continent to assist in war on the continent. There is no doubt that France, Russia and Great Britain felt reasonably confident that with this assistance from Great Britain, France and Russia would be able to meet the situation on the continent and defeat Germany and her allies. It may have taken Great Britain some time to realize Germany's strength, but before many months had passed Government and people alike came to the conclusion that a war with the Central powers could not be successfully prosecuted on the limited liability principle, and that it would be necessary for all the allied nations to put forth their utmost strength to bring the war to a successful conclusion. Great Britain, therefore, in the midst of the war, had to face the situation of changing her whole social and industrial organization from a peace footing to a war footing. That would be a most difficult task under any circumstances. It was a particularly difficult task, when, at the same time, she was withdrawing millions of men to form her new armies.

TASK OF THE NAVY.

"How far has she accomplished it? Look at the task of the British navy. The British navy has accomplished these great tasks so quietly and so effectively that the world has failed to appreciate to this day the magnitude of the service of the British navy to the cause of liberty and humanity. After you have provided for every ship that has gone down, the British navy is to-day fifty per cent. stronger in ships than when the war broke out. After you have provided for every gallant sailor who has lost his life, there are two sailors in the British navy to-day for every sailor when the war broke out. (Applause.) The navy has made victory possible in this war, and the continued command of the sea is the surest guarantee of ultimate victory for the allies.

GREATEST VOLUNTARY ARMY.

"Great Britain has raised by voluntary enlistment approximately four and a half millions of men for her army and navy; almost ten per cent. of the entire population. It is the greatest voluntary army ever raised, and the fact that such an army was raised by voluntary effort when no hostile foot had been placed upon Britain's shore is one of the finest possible tributes to the strength of dmocracy, and to the courage and virility of the British people. Since compulsory service has been adopted several hundred thousand have been added to the strength of the army, so that I think we are fair in assuming that up to this time not less than five million men have been called to the colours in both army and navy.

It became necessary to provide guns and munitions for an army of 5,000,000 men; it necessitated a change in the whole industrial and social organization of the country.

"In three weeks while I was in England, they were producing as much 18-pounder ammunition as they had produced in the whole year ending July, 1915. They were producing as much field howitzer ammunition in two years as they had produced in the whole of the previous year. (Applause.) They were producing as much medium-sized shell ammunition in eleven days as they had produced in the whole of the previous year. They were producing as many heavy shells in every four days of every week as they did in the whole year preceding the 1st of July, 1915. But Great Britain has not nearly reached her maximum of production.

HELPING HER ALLIES.

"To-day Great Britain, in addition to making provision for herself, is turning over to France one-third of all the all-shell steel sheet she produces. She is turning over twenty per cent. of her machine tool production for the benefit of the allies, and the production of machine tools is one of the most difficult problems to solve. She is largely supplying one of the most difficult problems to solve. She is largely supplying France and Italy with coal. Ship after ship of His Majesty's transport service is required for providing coal for her allies. Great Britain is also producing guns and munitions for Russia. She is largely producing for Belgium. There is a factory in Great Britain manned by Belgians, the whole output of which goes to the Belgium army to maintain it in the field.

A GREAT ACHIEVEMENT.

"She made a most important contribution to refitting and rearming the Serbian forces, and we will not know until the war is over the exact amount of the assistance she has rendered to Italy. To accomplish all this in a little over two years, and to have raised for her army and navy approximately 5,000,000 of men, is, I venture to think, an achievement unparalleled in human history, and is convincing proof of the virility and courage of the British people. (Loud applause.)

"More ammunition was transported to France last summer than had been handled in twenty-eight years before the war broke out, including the South African War. They handled more ordnance stores in the first year of the war than in the twenty-eight previous years.

"It is difficult for us to appreciate the magnitude of the undertaking involved in enlarging the Army Medical Service to meet the present conditions.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE.

"The original financial war measures were really a stroke of genius. It was a miracle how Great Britain was able to save the financial credit of the world in those early days. It is no less a miracle how Britain has carried the financial burden of the war.

"How has Great Britain been able to make this gigantic expenditure? She is raising far more money by taxation than any other nation at war. She is doing more to pay her own way than any other nation at war. She is the one nation which, by taxation, is really conscripting wealth, and is requiring the wealth of the country to bear a very large share of the burden of the war. Her income the year before the war was £900,000,000. In 1915-16 by reason of increased taxation she raised £907,000,000, and her estimated income for 1916-17 is £502,000,000.

TAXING THE RICH.

"One most important source of income is a profits tax. Many of the rich people who have large incomes are paying no less than 6s 6d on the pound (one-third) by way of taxes, and the general opinion is that, while the super-tax which has been imposed purely for war purposes may be removed when the war is over, practically the whole of this taxation will remain.

"Great Britain must not only carry her own financial burdens and provide her own munitions to carry on this war, but it is certainly believed that she is guaranteeing the purchases of her allies in neutral countries, and that she is practically financing Serbia and Belgium. She is bearing a financial burden unparalleled in history, and is doing it without murmur or complaint. But for the financial obligations which she has assumed and the financial assistance which she has given her allies this war would long since have ended in disaster.

WAR NOT ENDED.

"Those who talk about the old land being effete and of her people having lost their vitality should see what is going on in her factories and shipyards, her armies at the front, and her navy upon the high seas; in her banking houses and in her merchant marine. But the war is not yet ended. Everything must bend to the one supreme object—a just peace—which shall include restoration, reparation, and satisfactory guarantees for the future, and in that Canada has a noble part to play." (Loud applause.)

CONSCRIPTION.

Conscription's coming sure as pop!
Are you the one they'll have to stop
In the middle of the street? and say,
Hold on! Your feet won't take you far away
We've got conscription here to-day.

Aha! my lad, you're nicely caught
Whether you tried to shirk or not,
You've got to go or else be shot;
Is this performance going to pay?
Not much! You'd best enlist to-day.

(You) say, aw go on that don't mean me;
Well; you just wait and see,
It won't be you that's referee.
Oh; no, you'll have to go and fight;
Conscription's just what makes things right.

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Written applications will be received by the undersigned up to noon on Thursday the 25th of January, 1917, for the position of Superintendent of the Cemetery. Applicants to state the salary they expect and their experience and qualifications.

Peterborough, Jan. 20th, 1917.

E. A. PECK
SECRETARY

THE DE LAVAL DAIRY SUPPLY CO. LIMITED

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that under the first part of chapter 79 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906, known as "The Companies Act," supplementary letters patent have been issued under the seal of the Secretary of State of Canada, bearing date of 31st day of December, 1916, changing the corporate name of "De Laval Dairy Supply Company, Limited," to that of "The De Laval Company, Limited."

Dated at the office of the Secretary of State of Canada, this 5th day of January, 1917.

THOMAS MULVEY,
Under-Secretary of State.

House For Sale By Tender

Sealed tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned up to and including Saturday, January the twenty-seventh, 1917, for the sale of House Number 599 Cedar Street, Peterborough. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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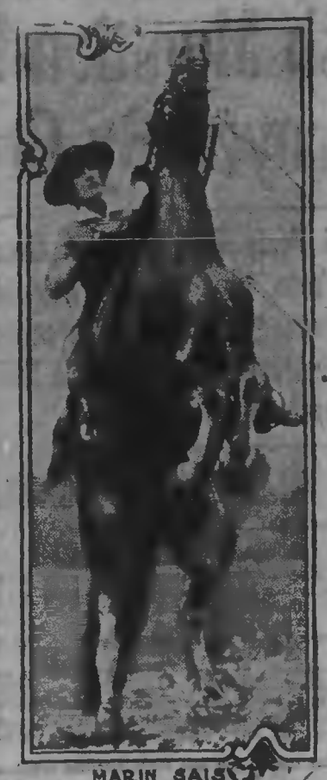

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ROUMANIAN PICTURES

The Boy Scout of Bucharest

(By a Correspondent)

I have never seen boy scouts so numerous or so busy. The whole boy population of the town seems to have been enrolled. Their ages run up to fifteen; some look older than that.

They have added a national and at the same time a theatrical touch to the scout uniform by wearing a broad red sash around the waist. This gives them an air Buffalo Billish or piratical. They mostly wear caps, too, instead of the wide-brimmed, upturned scout hat.

But although they have not the trim, sober appearance of our boy scouts in England, they would gladden Sir Baden Powell's heart by their activity in all kinds of employments which have been found for them by the authorities since Roumania came into the war.

I first made the acquaintance of a Roumanian boy scout at a railway station between the frontier and the capital. In despair of getting any food in the buffet, filled by a raging throng, I was trying to extract nourishment from an "automatic." Up came an urchin in khaki, and with the polite magnificence of a floor-walker in a fashionable department store, told me the machine which I was angrily shaking had been closed as a German enterprise, and led me off to another, still yielding up tablets of gritty chocolate and sweet biscuits that turned to dust in the mouth. He and his comrades appeared to be in charge of the railway station, and very capably they managed the job.

Here in Bucharest one sees them all day long, tearing up and down the narrow streets on bicycles with messages; riding in cabs beside mountains of all sorts of hospital necessaries which they have been commissioned to buy; mounted on motor lorries with soldiers, to whom they are acting as guides. Numbers of them are employed by the Red Cross. Others act as orderlies for the war department and other government offices, taking the place of mobilized men. At their headquarters, which are in a prominent position close to the British Legation and the motor transport branch, there is a continual coming and going, an atmosphere of strenuous and fiery movement. A bomb fell close by, broke all the windows, smashed all the window panes. This only made the boy scouts more energetic. One of their number was blown to pieces in another part of the town. Not a whit was their energy slackened. They went about their business furiously an angry light in their eyes.

An important duty laid upon them is that of helping to warn the population when to expect death from the air. As soon as word is received that airships or aeroplanes have crossed the frontier the deep-toned bell of the cathedral is tolled; other church bells in different quarters of the town sound a quicker more alarming note, all the policemen on point duty blow their whistles, and the boy scouts are dispatched in all directions on bicycles, whistling and shouting to everyone to take cover. In the day time these precautions are of value— are necessary. At night they seem to increase the apprehension of the timid and try the nerves of the more phlegmatic.

Last night, after 60 hours of intermittent bombarding, we had an alarm about nine o'clock. This is the hour at which most people go to bed in these times of dark and empty streets. Accustomed to a night life which gave their capital the title of the Gayest City in the World, they now complain that there is nothing else to do. Hearing the clang of what Othello called the "frightful"—or was it "fearful"?—bells, and the lugubrious high wail of the whistles, quite distinct from the sharp, arresting sound of our police calls, they could not decide what to do, whether to undress as usual or wait until the attack was over. If your house is hit you cut a poor figure escaping in your night clothes. On the other hand, waiting up for the noise of the guns, and the inhuman, threatening beat, beat, beat of the airship motor, an dthe savage "whish" of the falling bomb, and the earth and the air shaking explosion which follows—this is not so comforting as lying in bed with the clothes pulled over your head and the possibility of falling asleep and forgetting all about it.

The Roumanians, for an excitable, volatile people, always at one extreme or another, are standing the ordeal by bombardment wonderfully calmly. Many of the shops have kept open all the time. In the intervals the streets have been almost as crowded as usual. It is amusing to see how quickly they are emptied when the alarm is given. One goes into any door that stands open. In the hotels people assemble in the hall. At night the scene is comical. Men in pajamas or dressing gowns sit and chat, or walk up and down with ladies in night attire. There is only a glimmer of light. It is impossible to get anything to eat or drink. Yet one finds that the "two o'clock in the morning courage," of which Napoleon deplored the rarity in a conversation with Las Casas, is not so rare after all. The hum of talk is subdued, certainly. It stops abruptly when a bomb is heard to explode, but it goes on again at once after the "Mon Dieus" and the "Oh, La, La's" have subsided, with ripples of stifled laughter from dark corners, and a resolve on almost everyone's part to be as cheerful as may be under difficult conditions.

It is nothing new, of course. Other cities have suffered in the same way. We have just had telegrams relating to a raid over London by three Zeppelins. We only suffer from one and yet there is a difference. Three into six millions of Londoners; result, one airship to each two million people. Here we have one to three hundred thousand people. This is a very little city you must recollect. And then we have aeroplanes in the day time, as well as the airship at night. Aeroplane bombs are not so powerful as those which are dropped from Zeppelins but they are powerful enough to have killed and wounded several hundreds of men, women and children going about their business in the sunny streets.

The first day the aeroplanes came they were gazed upon with curiosity. It was three o'clock in the afternoon. The streets were full, discussions went on. Were they our machines or German? The reply came quickly. Sixty persons blown to bits, twice as many injured—all in a few minutes.

What angers one most is the imbecile futility of it all. "On such a lovely day, too," said an English woman, looking sadly up at the sky, with not a cloud in it, after reflecting upon the massacre just recounted to her. That is how I feel. What sacrilege, what bestial waste of God's good gift of life, to stain the beauty of these glorious days, the peaceful splendour of these nights, with blood spilt so vainly, bodies maimed and torn, to no purpose whatever. Never let us or our descendants forget that it was the German, or to shake one by the hand. Let us think of it whenever we are tempted to do business with a German, ir to shake one by the hand, and let us turn from him in loathing and contempt.

I think the boy scouts of Bucharest may be trusted to remember. I have heard many say here: "The Germans who had the greater part of the trade of Roumania in their hands are sure to come back. We Roumanians are too disdainful of trade to do our own business. We cannot keep them out." That is what tired, middle-aged men say, shrugging their shoulders. But young Roumania will have a word to say, I think and hope. It is not possible that the zeal and energy of these boy scouts can fade entirely away when they come to man's estate. They will remember, for they have seen, the horrors of the bombardment. Their word to the German will be "Never Again."

J. E. H.,

LITERARY RAMBLES

(By F. M. DELA FOSSE)

A short time ago I was talking to a gentleman from a small town many miles distant from Peterborough. He was a farmer, a man who had all his lifetime been engaged in agricultural pursuits. To all outward appearance he was as far removed from being a scholar as could possibly be imagined. Yet, that man had read as much as many who have had far greater advantages and his conversation showed that he had used discretion in his choice of literature.

He accounted for his liking for books by the fact that his mother had inculcated the taste in him at an early age and he had always resolved, no matter where his lot was cast, to keep up in the best way he could with the current thought of the day. In the course of conversation he enquired concerning the circulation in the Peterborough Library, also as to the quality of literature that found most favour with our readers and as to the class of people who indulged to the greatest extent in reading. I told him that fiction was certainly the most favoured branch of literature in ours as in all other libraries, that the mechanics were our best patrons and that they also undoubtedly chose the best books. "That is alright as far as it goes" he said "but do these men diversify their reading? Do they merely ask for books dealing with their particular trade or do they relax sometimes and go in for an occasional taste of fiction, or travel or history?" I was obliged to confess that so far as my observation went, the labouring man seemed almost entirely to devote himself to such books as dealt with the particular business in which he might be employed. "That is a great mistake," he said, "nobody can expect to get the same freshness and crispness out of life who keeps in the same old rut and does not wander afield to see what there is over the next hedge row. If I had taken that view of life, and, simply because I was a farmer indulged in nothing but treatises on agriculture and pored over the blue books that our provincial and Dominion governments so lavishly expend money on I would by this time have been no better than a clod and my vote would have been as valueless to my country as that of some benighted foreigner. The newspapers are really the greatest enlighteners of the age. It is from them that the ordinary individual who has no time to spare on an extended course of reading gets what smattering of knowledge he can, but nevertheless there are times when even the newspaper cannot supply one's requirements and it behoves one to turn to other fountains of knowledge for refreshment. But it is useless for one to say that he has no time for reading anything but the newspaper. Everyone has time. Sir Alexander Ball used always to have a book open before him on the dressing table,—Hogg, the Ettrick shepherd utilized the time spent on the moors in delving into all sorts of literature. "I have often thought," my friend went on, "that very few people realise the true value of reading. The great majority take to fiction for the sake of "killing time." I do not know of any expression in our language that I hate more than that. The idea embodied in it strikes me as absolutely devoid of common sense. Long years ago I read a saying of that wise old man, Benjamin Franklin, that has always remained in my memory. It was this: "If time be of all things the most precious, wasting time must be the greatest prodigality, since lost time is never found again." And I often think when I hear someone saying that he is doing so and so in order to kill time that he has not even begun to realise the value of life. If you can get your reading public to see that there are other branches of literature quite as interesting as fiction and far more profitable you will render a service to your whole community. Take, for instance, the vast amount of literature on Travel. Take again, Biography, History, Fine Arts. There is something in all of these subjects that one can never find in even the greatest novel. You know what Bulwer Lytton said about fiction? He said that there was a world of science necessary in choosing books. "I have known some people," he said "in great sorrow fly to a novel or the last light book in fashion." One might as well take a rose draught for the plague. Light reading does not do when the heart is really heavy. That was what Bulwer Lytton, himself one of the outstanding figures in fiction-writing of the last century had to say as to its value compared with the arts or the sciences. Personally, my friend went on, "my preference is for Biography. I never tire of reading all that there is to read concerning that great period of English literature, the 18th century. What wonderful names appear in that grand epoch. Swift, Pope, Bolingbroke Johnson, Congreve, Berkeley, Cobber, Savage, and the hundreds upon hundreds of others whose names cannot be placed on paper. Those were the days when literature was beginning to come into its own, although the man who produced it was often looked at askance. What great men there were. Boswell's immortal work tells us much of many of them but in order to get a satisfactory glimpse of those days we have to gather our knowledge from many sources. Isaac Disraeli's Calamities of Authors tells us much and his curiosities of Literature tells us much also. These are book that are rarely taken up in these day but it is well worth the time expended to read them and also to read the lives of other authors not named therein and see what manner of men they were who have helped to raise our literature to so sublime a height." This and much, my friend, imparted to me. I left him with many regrets. The hour that I had spent in his company had been a profitable and a pleasant one. F.M.D.

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Henry Miller has arranged to send his successful production of "Daddy Long-Legs" to the Grand Opera House on Saturday next, January 27. The play comes to this city stamped with the approval of success in New York, Chicago, San Francisco and other big cities of the United States. It holds a record of a year's run in New York, a twenty-five weeks' season in Chicago and a five-weeks' engagement in San Francisco, where no other play had prior to that been offered at the two-dollar scale of prices for an engagement longer than three weeks. At the same time it is a fact worthy of note that this city is to see Mr. Miller's most famous production while it is still in the first flush of its success. The stage story is a dramatization of the famous "Daddy Long-Legs" letters, which were written by Jean Webster, a niece of the late Mark Twain, and which were published serially by one of the big monthly magazines nearly four years ago. The success of the play is known to every theatre-goer in the United States, and it is only necessary to add that Henry Miller's production is worthy of the charming love story. The engagement here will be limited to one night and one Matinee performance. Mr. Miller is sending an excellent cast here, which will be headed by Edna Walton, and includes Albert Roscoe, Inita Varney, Marie Taylor, Viola Cain, Sue Van Duser, Perdita Hudspeth, Alfred Helton, Frank J. Kirk.

Market Report For the Week

Prices Have Held Steady Throughout the Week—Butter is Easier in Tone

The following comment on the market situation as regards food stuffs appeared in Canadian Grocer this week:

Business in grocery lines has continued good during the week. Prices for the most part have held steady, with advances recorded in a number of lines. Flour is in firm market in the face of a steadiness in wheat and a disposition for the prices of the latter to hold within narrow margin. Demand for mill feeds of all kinds is keeping up well. Demand for flour from the mills is comparatively light at present. Some fairly heavy stocks were laid in by some some time ago, when the market was strong and advancing, and until these are worked off there is not expected to be a heavy demand. Reports from the Argentine about the damage to the grain crop there are confirmed, It is estimated the amount of wheat available from that source will be only in the neighbourhood of 1,000,000 tons as compared with 2,500,000 tons in a normal year.

Sugar Steady.

Sugar holds steady in a quiet market. Reports from Cuba continue to be favourable to a large production during the present campaign. Production is now well under way there, and the balance of the present month it is expected the price of sugar will hold firm, but slightly cheaper sugars are looked for during February, when all of the sugar centrals will be grinding on the Island. Butter is easier in tone, but eggs have again become firmer in price in the face of a heavier demand. Live hogs are higher in price with deliveries light. The higher costs of containers are operating to advance prices on many lines. Reports from molasses producing centres in the South indicate there will be a big crop of West Indian. Teas continue in a firm market with advances recorded in the primary market. Coffee is also in firm market with advances recorded in certain instances. One line of package cereals was reduced during the week.

One of the most notable advances in hardware lines during the week has been in cordage products, where an advance of one-half cent. to four cents a pound has been recorded. This advance was forecast in Hardware and Metal in the leading article of December 30 issue. Waste has also made a big advance. This was also mentioned previously in these columns as being highly probable. Other advances have been recorded in iron rivets and burrs, curry combs, scales, garden hose, trace chains, bifurcated and tubular rivets, oil stoves, lamp chimneys, machinery, steel, sleigh shoe steel, toe calk steel, horseshoe iron, crowbars, vises, clay and rock picks, pliers, pipe plate, dies and bushings, padlocks, cabinet locks. New prices have also been announced on electric weld chain. Gasoline and benzine have registered an advance of one cent per gallon. Linseed oil is in firm market and advances have been recorded in certain quarters. There is great difficulty being experienced by crushers in getting supplies of flaxseed forwarded. Some crushers are not looking for new trade under the conditions, but are only endeavouring to take care of their customers' needs.

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But we can save the women and children through the neutral Belgian Relief Commission, which is feeding three million of them. We can express our indignation, and our sympathy with our Ally's wrongs, in a practical way, by giving more liberally than ever to the Belgian Relief Fund.

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THE PETERBOROUGH RED CROSS SOCIETY COLUMN

In view of the general discussion as to the meaning of the new regulations for prisoners of war parcels and the constant questioning as to whether relatives or friends still have the privilege of sending parcels of food to the prisoners, the local Society thought it wise to write direct to Mrs. Rivers Bulkeley for definite information. In a letter just received by the Treasurer of the Society Mrs. Bulkeley says:

"It is still permissible for relatives residing in Canada to send parcels to Prisoners of War in Germany. These parcels, however, have all to come through this Department and be sorted and repacked by us. We therefore, hope sincerely that every little advantage will be taken of this new regulation and that most people will be content to send us the money and allow us to purchase parcels. I honestly think that this is the most satisfactory in every way."

In conclusion Mrs. Bulkeley states that the Society sends to all men a $1.75 and a $3.00 parcel on alternate weeks, so that we in Canada may indeed feel that our men are being well nourished and looked after, and may with an easier mind, fall in with the reasonable suggestion of those in charge of this work even though it does require a spirit of no small personal sacrifice on our part.

Recently cards of acknowledgment were received by the Treasurer of the Local Society from the following Prisoners of War: Ptes. Geo. Hutchinson, F. H. Evans, C. F. Davison, E. Crofts, B. Davison, Geo. Butcher, Lt. H. Rogers, Ptes. H. Godfrey, R. E. Dent, F. Le Barre, A. Pritchard, J. L. Davis, W. Larkman, Roland Miller, A Bensie, C. Oxford and A. Bartley. With the acknowledgment, Pte. C. M. Drummond has sent a snap-shot of 169 Squad, Depot 2 Statt gart.

All these cards are on exhibition at Payne's Drug Store so that any who are personally interested may see them there.

In the December Canadian Red Cross Bulletin in a report of Supplies and Stores, appears an item of peculiar interest to us in Peterborough. It is as follows:—"A recent letter from one of our Assistant Commissioner's overseas, states that the best packed consignment of fruit which he had seen came from Peterborough Ontario."

The following is the report of the Packing Committee of the Local Red Cross Society for December 1916.

January 1st.

Your Packing Committee report (23) twenty-three cases shipped to St. John, N.B., for December, containing the following:

280 pairs socks; 72 day shirts; 41 night shirts; 93 pairs pajamas; 36 dressing gowns; 364 sheets; 2572 towels.

FLORA H. DAVIDSON,
Convenor.

The six weeks' sewing campaign inaugurated by the local Red Rross Society, January third, has met with a general hearty response from the women of Peterborough. The sincere earnestness, with which the work has been entered into, is perceptible in the very atmosphere of the workroom, which is in every truth "a hive of industry." A more tangible proof, however, of the success of the effort is seen in the steady disappearance of the piles of material from the supply-table and in consequent growth of the piles of beautifully-made garments, which are ready for packing. On looking at these, one's mind unconsciously reverts to our wounded men in hospitals and dressing stations overseas, and one can readily imagine how welcome these garments must be to our wounded and convalescent soldiers and how materially they must add to their comfort.

Special Committee Considers Plans

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gether with their equipment would likely cost $1400 and an additional one hundred dollars would be expended in cleaning the beaches and providing a little life saving apparatus. The caretakers could probably be secured at $35 a month and the expense of two caretakers for the season would likely be $250. The Playgrounds Association will have in the city this year four expert male and female supervisors who could be utilised for part of the time in teaching swimming. Sgt. Kidd of the City Police Force and a man from the Fire Dept. could likely be used for this same purpose. The salaries of the playgrounds supervisors should be met in part by receipts from bathing houses if their services are to be used as swimming instructors.

It is thought, however, that to give the movement a good start, the Council should give an appropriation of at least $2,000 to cover the expense of the buildings, equipment and making some provision for the supervision. If the buildings mentioned are obtained, the plan would be to follow the same methods employed in other cities by collecting a small rental for the use of the private dressing rooms, bathing suits and towels. It is thought that several hundred dollars per season would be obtained from these sources which would go a long way towards paying the expense of the supervisers.

It is the opinion of the leading citizens who are interested in the project that when the Council take up the matter of public bathing seriously, that proper provisions must be made; no half way steps would be advisable. The buildings must be attractive in appearance and in every day adapted to the purpose for which they are intended. It would be the greatest folly to put up any kind of structures unless they could be properly supervised for the effort is to guard the morals and safety of the young people in every possible way.

C. N. Meserve, Chairman,
Mrs. W. R. Morris, Secretary,
Playgrounds Committee on Public Bathing.

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If your hand trembles or is unsteady it is a sure and early sign that your nervous system is at fault. The trouble if not taken in time will develope slowly to a worse stage, and there is no person more to be pitied than one suffering from nervous trouble. You feel unaccountably weak after exertion, lose flesh, turn against food, and suffer palpitations and indigestion after eating. Sometimes sharp pains shoot down your spine and legs, and often neuralgia robs you of your sleep at night. These are some of the troubles that indicate the presence of nervous disorders. If they are neglected they result in a complete nervous collapse, sometimes in paralysis. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have won a great reputation in curing all forms of nervous diseases. The nervous system depends entirely upon the blood supply for nourishment. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills actually increase the supply of rich, red blood; feed, strengthen and tone the nerves, enabling them to perform their functions and dispel all signs of a breakdown. Mrs. B. Wainlott, Beaver Bank, Nova Scotia, says: "I was sick, run down and awfully nervous. The slightest noise would startle and annoy me. I suffered pains around the heart and every particle of color left my face and hands. I always felt tired and slept poorly at night. I was so poorly that my friends thought I would not recover. I tried many medicines but they did not help me. Then I read of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and decided to drop all other medicines and try them. It was fortunate that I did for in the course of a few weeks I found them helping me. I continued taking the pills for some weeks longer and they completely cured me. I earnestly advise every weak woman and girl to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a fair trial and I am sure that they will not be disappointed."

You can get these pills through any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for $2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., of Brockville, Ont.

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PRUDENTIAL HISTORY RECORDS BIG GAIN

Newark, N.J., Jan. 19.—More than $391,000,000 of paid-for life insurance was issued by The Prudential Insurance Company of America in 1916, and at the lowest expense-rate in Prudential history, according to the forty-first annual figures of the Company, read yesterday by President Forrest F. Dryden at the opening session of an international business conference of Prudential field representatives, held here. This issue, Mr. Dryden explained, represents a gain in insurance in force of over $283,000,000.

President Dryden also stated that The Prudential now has 15,000,000 policies, representing a total of over $3,000,000,000 insurance in force, continuing The Prudential, although one of the youngest, as the second company in the world in this respect. Since its organization in 1876 Mr. Dryden stated The Prudential, recently mutualized, has paid a total of over $408,000,000 to its policyholders, including more than $28,750,000 not called for by the policy contracts. These payments in 1916 alone totaled $47,278,000, covering an average of 550 claims every working-day of the year.

Although The Prudential writes insurance only in the United States and Canada, it has paid 1,184 war claims for a total of $384,000.

It is the first time in thirteen years that The Prudential has called its men in from all over the United States and Canada for a general conference with Home Office executives, and it is believed, the gathering, which will last three days, will result in much good to the agency force.

The Conference will be almost a continual session at the Home Offices here, and will be broken by a dinner to-morrow night at the Hotel Biltmore, in New York. At the dinner New Jersey's newly-elected Governor, Walter E. Edge, and Jesse R. Phillips, Insurance Commissioner of New York, George M. LaMonte, Insurance Commissioner of New Jersey, Richard V. Lindabury, General Counsel for the Company, and Austen Colgate, trustee for Prudential policyholders, will be the speakers.

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SUCCESSFUL ANNIVERSARY CONCERT OF THE GEORGE STREET SUNDAY SCHOOL

Great success attended the anniversary concert last night in George street Methodist church, and an enthusiastic audience greeted the Rev. Mr. Pearson back into his old place. The Rev. Mr. Peever, who was chairman of the evening, spoke of the natural deep feeling of a pastor on returning to his old place, and on behalf of the audience welcomed him heartily back. Mr. Pearson replied to the pastor briefly, thanking the congregation for their welcome. He spoke of his deep emotion on coming back to the congregation, which was doubly dear to him, he having lived here as a boy when his father was pastor of the George street church before him. It was from Peterborough he was first called to the church, and on Mr. Dumble's recommendation as a suitable candidate for the ministry, he entered. He spoke of his gratified surprise on 18 years later being called to Peterborough. He spoke with deep feeling of his connection with the Sunday school, which he said, was dearest to him, of the splendid services of Mr. S. Armstrong as superintendent, also of his connection with the Junior League, which he started, of his three boys, former students of the George street school, all of whom are on active service, Leslie in Salonika, Marmaduke and the youngest boy in France.

Selections by the orchestra were very much appreciated and were followed by a violin solo beautifully rendered by Miss Telgaman, by a solo by Mr. Lee, whose voice is an acquisition to any musical gathering. Mr. Bruce Hamilton's Sunday school class, in the uniform of boy scouts, gave a drill which showed great care in preparation. The feature of the evening, however, was "The Making of Canada's Flag," a cantata carefully prepared and staged by Mr. Renwick and Mr. Chas. Parsons. In this representatives from South Africa, '66, Ireland, Scotland and England were heard, also Laura Secord in 'The Spirit of Long Ago.' Mrs. Middleton, who represented Canada, carried off the part in the manner of a professional, her solos being greatly enjoyed.

The evening closed with the singing of God Save the King.

Colds or Cough SHOULD NEVER BE NEGLECTED

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A cold or cough, if neglected, will sooner or later develop into some sort of lung trouble, so we would advise that you get rid of it before it becomes settled. For this purpose we know of nothing to equal Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. This preparation has been on the market for the past twenty-five years, and has always given universal satisfaction.

Mr. Erwell Bolton, Wilton, Ont., writes: "Last winter I was caught in a storm and had to stay in a barn all night. I caught a severe cold which several medicines failed to cure. I went to some of the best doctors but these failed to do me any good. A friend advised me to use Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. I used three bottles and they gave me instant relief."

When you ask for "Dr. Wood's" see that you get the genuine, put up in a yellow wrapper, three pine trees the trade mark, and bearing the name of The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont. Price 35c and 50c.

Dog Smells Smoke, Rouses Families

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Carefully nursing a burned back and tail, but surrounded by luxuries in the form of porterhouse steak and dog biscuits, Nigger, whose pedigree makes him just dog, and who barked a fire warning that saved the lives of a score of persons in the five storey tenement at No. 85 Old Broadway, appeared to be little the worse for his experience. The fire occurred early in the morning, and Nigger was asleep in the cellar. The smoke awakened him and he began to bark. Francis Arm, janitor of the tenement and master of Nigger, was awakened.

Assisted by Benjamin Wagner and Frederick Gaul, second floor tenants, Arm went through the building sounding the warning and aiding families to get to the street by way of the fire escape and stairs. Nigger worked in all parts of the house. On the top floor were the families of Wm. Corcoran and James Rogers. Each has six children. Arm and Policeman Manly, of the West 125th street station, carried the twelve down the fire escape. The damage to the building was estimated at $4000.

After the fire Nigger was found in a bundle of rags in the cellar. His burns were attended to by the tenants and his future looks very bright.

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A CHARMING PARTY DRESS

OF pink taffeta, with but a trace of colour; the bodice is of pink ninon, the outer edge of yoke contributes an unique arrangement of ruffled taffeta, tiny rose buds are judiciously placed here and there making effective garnitures; the skirt has two rows of cord near the bottom, a small sash or tab is suspended from the waist line; short sleeve of ninon finished with gatherings of same. Price..... $22.00

A CUNNING "GEORGETTE CREPE" DRESS

IN mellow pink shade. Simple in construction, yet in spite of its simple lines, allurement is portrayed in every detail. It is one of those gowns designed purposely for the miss from 15 to 18 years, or a small woman. Two bands of tucks are displayed above the hem, silver and ninon flowers make a forcible, but unobtrusive ornamentation on the waist line and bodice. Price..... $17.00

WARM WOOLLY GARMENTS FOR OUT-DOORS

JUST the other day a delayed shipment of sweater coats and sets reached us. Perhaps it is not wise to call two of the numbers sweater coats—"they are something novel"—but we must for want of a better name. One a rich purple, fine rib, ¾ length, and banded on hem with six inches of grey brushed wool, similar trimming on cuffs; closely fitted at waist and tapering out to a graceful swirl around the bottom—jersey knit girdle falls loosely at the side. Price per set..... $13.75

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After seven years' service as assistant general manager, Mr. H. B. Shaw was named at the recent annual meeting as General Manager of the Union Bank, succeeding Mr. George H. Balfour, retiring.

Though still a young man, Mr. Shaw's experience covers every phase of banking in both Eastern and Western Canada. Since joining the branch at Quebec 25 years ago, he has been teller, accountant, branch manager, superintendent and assistant general manager, and while a comparatively young man to hold so responsible a position, he is peculiarly fitted to direct the affairs of this progressive bank, and continue the success achieved under the retiring manager, Mr. Balfour's service extends back almost to Confederation, as he joined the staff of the Union Bank forty-seven years ago. For over a quarter of a century he has been among the leading officials of the Bank, five years manager at Winnipeg, twelve years as manager at Montreal, and thirteen years as General Manager. Though he now drops active service, his experience and sound judgment will still be devoted to the Bank in his new capacity of Director.

In order to better handle the Bank's business between London, the United States and Canada, an agency is being opened in New York, with an advisory committee which includes Messrs. Stuyvesant Fish, Cornelius Vanderbilt and Gilbert G. Horne.

Capture of Neutrals Complicates The German Situation

United States Official Views With Grave Concern the Capture of Neutrals on Steamer "Yarrowdale" Which Was Taken into a German Port

A BIG PROBLEM

Examiner Special:
(By Chas. P. Stewart, Copyright 1917 United Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Danger of complications with Germany over marine problems seemed to the authorities to-day to be nearer than for months past. Her capture of neutrals and making them prisoners on the steamer Yarrowdale, plus the strong trend of German sentiment toward a wider submarine made these possibilities more ominous. The official German statement that the missing Yarrowdale, with more than 450 souls aboard has been "brought into harbour" as a prize with a number of neutral prisoners, gave rise to a graver concern than any thing that has happened in months of ups and downs of critical relationship.

This involves broad questions of armament, but even more so the infringement upon neutral rights by going so far as to make subjects prisoners of war. The whole problem is tied up also, with the peace situation

MR. H. B. SHAW,
The New General Manager of the Union Bank of Canada.

MERCHANTS

Will all the merchants who wish to have their stores listed among those participating in Dollar Day and who have not already done so, please notify The Examiner, so their firm name will be included in the published list.

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FARM STOCK SALE IN ENNISMORE

On Wednesday, January 24th an important auction sale of farm stock, implements, etc., will be held on the premises of Mr. James Guiry, Lot 6 in the 6th Concession of Ennismore. Mr. Guiry's stables contain some fifteen fine horses, well sired and well matched, a large number of pure bred cows and sires; also heifers, steers, and calves; as well as a lot of store hogs, etc. The implements are in good condition. Sale starts at 12 o'clock noon and lunch will be provided. Geo. Jackson, of Port Perry, Auctioneer. Mr. Guiry has rented his farm. Long distance 'phone. 4d-16

ANNUAL MEETING OF HEALTH ASSOCIATION

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I am sorry to say that owing to ill health, Miss Mercier, one of our nurses, has been unable to attend to her duties for about half the past year. For this we are sorry and can only hope that she may be speedily restored to complete health. Miss Hamilton, our other nurse, stepped into the breach and, I am glad to say, has done a splendid work, putting forth her very best efforts to carry on the work of Miss Mercier, as well as her own, and from the report which Miss Hamilton will present to you this evening, you will be able to judge something of what she has accomplished.

The year on which we are entering presents the same difficulties as the one through which we have just passed. We think that with the same earnest attention on behalf of our Executive that we will be able to carry the work through in a satisfactory manner, even though we are compelled to be without the services of on nurse.

Before closing this report I wish to express my sincere thanks to the President, for his courteous and ever ready assistance to me, the Secretary, and also to ask your thorough cooperation for the year 1917.

Treasurer's Report.

The following report was presented by Mr. W. H. Dunsford, treasurer of the Association.

Receipts:

Balance carried forward, 1915	$385.07
From city grant	600.00
Contributions and membership fees	466.00
Nurses' fees	156.00
Balance from Bank of Nova Scotia	11.39
Proceeds, bridge party	289.00
Interest	3.78
Expenditures:	
Salaries	$1,260.00
Supervisor Committee, for supplies	440.00
Provincial Secretary	1.00
Rent, room	60.00
Miss Gillespie, typewriting	2.50
Ingram and Bell, chemists	6.95
Expense, bridge party	10.70
Total	$1,781.15
Balance on hand	$123.09

District Nurses' Report.

The report of Miss Edith Hamilton, general district nurse, contained the following:

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,—I beg to submit the following report for the year 1916:

During the year 1916 there were one hundred and eighty-seven patients:

Obstetric	38
Surgical	46
Medical	103
Total	187

Which had to be visited once or twice a day, making two thousand and fifty visits in all. Five hundred and forty-eight were paid for by the patients themselves, making the sum collected one hundred and thirty-seven dollars. One thousand, five hundred and two were free visits.

The following dressings have been supplied by the Association for the free patients:

250 grs. morphine; 30 yards of sterile gauze, 13 packages absorbent cotton; old linen; adhesive plaster; bandages; lysol; Tr. green soap; Olive oil.

The work has been aided by the following donations:

Clothing, Mrs. W. J. Green.
Clothing, King's Daughters.
Old linen, Mrs. Gallivan and Mrs. Mowat, and Mrs. Davidson.
Magazines, Mrs. Matthews.

I have been called on fifteen times for night duty.

In studying this phase of nursing many questions and problems occur. Perhaps the first question that arises is: how does care received by a patient in the district differ from that received by a patient in hospital or private house? When it is possible to train a helper in the home to give care in my absence, there is practically no difference for in the average home, there is usually some one who can be taught to assist in the nursing. Of all the departments of nursing, district work has the greatest opportunity for doing good, that it is the most depressing work in the profession no one will dispute.

I was called to nurse a baby six months old. When I first attended it, it weighed six and one-half pounds. The child cried and whined almost incessantly while awake and was so wasted that the limbs resembled those of a bird and the fat entirely disappeared from the body. The treatment prescribed by the doctor was faithfully carried out and proper food given. In four months' the baby weighed sixteen pounds.

I was called to a home where the father on account of ill-health, had not been able to work for two years. It was a case of carcinoma of the throat. The Association supplied morphine and two quarts of milk daily for three months.

A girl aged eight years: Nurse was attending her mother, who was ill. She coughed quite frequently and complained of a pain in her side and was attending school. The nurse asked permission to have her taken to the doctor. He examined her and found she had pleurisy in her right side; medicine was provided for her by the Health Association and she is now in good health.

These are just three cases, which occur daily, but they show to some extent that life is being saved, which is so necessary during this period of destruction.

EDITH HAMILTON.

In the absence of Miss Mercier, who, owing to illness, has been unable to continue the work for the past six months, the following report was presented by Miss Hamilton:

The following report is submitted for the year 1916:

During the year Miss Mercier had twenty-nine tubercular patients under supervision, six of which required daily treatment, a number being under observation and a number convalescing. It will be a matter of great pleasure to the members of the Association to know that a number of the tubercular patients have made great progress towards recovery

Nineteen dollars have been collected for services rendered and the following supplies have been given out: Six sputum cups, five hundred and sixty refills, carbolic acid, a large quantity of old linen, comforters and clothing.

The following articles have been loaned: Ice caps, 3 rubber rings, thermometers, head rests, mattresses two tents, a verandah chair, verandah curtains, cots, etc.

Nine hundred and forty-seven visits have been made in all, Miss Mercier making 539 and Miss Hamilton, the general nurse, who relieved for six months, making 408.

Supervision Committee.

Mrs. Scott gave a verbal report of the Nurses' Supervision Committee. During the year nineteen families have been supplied with milk, and twelve families with eggs. Thirty-eight dollars was expended for drugs etc.

Mr. G. W. Powell expressed his appreciation of the very efficient work of the Nurses' Supervision Committee, and also that of the district nurses. He regretted the enforced absence of Miss Mercier but stated that he had received word to the effect that she would be well enough to return to her work in a short time. Dr. Cameron concurred in the commendation of Mr. Powell, and said he hoped it would not be long before the Association would be on the same footing as before Miss Mercier was taken ill. He looked forward to greater activity in the future especially during the reconstruction period that was bound to follow the war.

Executive Committee

The following Executive Committee was elected—Rev. Father Phelan, Dr. Cameron, Mr. W. H. Dunsford, Dr. Neal, Dr. Mann, Dr. Gallivan, Mr. E. F. Mason, Mr. R. Denne, Mr. U. C. Abbott, Mr. G. W. Powell, Mr. E. A. Peck, Mrs. J. A. Aylmer, Mrs. James Kendry, Mrs. W. H. Denham, Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Coulthard, Mrs. Gardiner and Mrs. Nelson.

A donation of one hundred dollars from Mr. James Kendry was reported by Mr. Dunsford. Mr. Kendry was unanimously voted a life member of the Association. This makes the second life member of the Association. The other one is Mrs. (Dr.) Burnham.

A canvas will be made during the month for further donations with which to carry on the work.

The thanks of the Association was extended to the Press.

The executive committee will meet on Monday next at five o'clock in the Bank of Montreal Chambers for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year.

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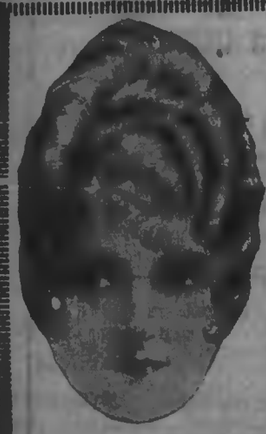

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Defence and Foreign Affairs

The question of the more direct and definite organization of the Empire and the relations of the outlying Dominions to the central power have long occupied, and are still occupying, the attention of thoughtful men. The feeling is acute in some parts that the Dominions should have a larger share in questions of defence and foreign affairs—be made active instead of sleeping partners in the counsels of the Mother Country. It is argued that the present duty is to save the Empire before considering its re-organization; but it will do no harm to discuss the subject and prepare the way for a change in inter-imperial relations that seem to be inevitable.

To the discussion of the subject Mr. E. A. Lash, K.C., LL.D., contributes something valuable and thought producing in his "Defence and Foreign Affairs," a book issued by the MacMillan Co., Limited, Publishers, Toronto. In discussing the subject suggestively as the subtitle modestly states, Mr. Lash has shown all the eminent qualities that fit him to deal with an imperial subject imperially—wide experience of legislation, ripe legal knowledge, clearness of mind, trained logic of reasoning, breadth of outlook, and a large imperial spirit. In ten short and pithy chapters Mr. Lash discusses the various phases of the subject in a thoughtful way that cannot fail to appeal to thoughtful men. Not content with theoretical consideration of the subject of interimperial relations, Mr. Lash sets the example of providing ways and means. In an appendix he furnishes a draft of an "agreement" between Great Britain and her overseas Dominions to constitute a central authority with respect to "Defence and the Foreign Affairs of the Empire."

Mr. Lash's book is well worthy of reading even though the reader may not agree with all his reasonings and conclusions.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AFFECTED BY THE WORLD WAR

Annual Meeting of the Murray Street Baptist Sunday School—Twelve Names Added to the Roll of Honour —A Number of Reports Submitted.

At the annual meeting of the Murray Street Baptist Sunday School, this week, the following report for the year 1916 was read by the Secretary:

Mr. Wearing, teachers and officers, —The past year has been one of trial. Trial to our physical resources and trial to our financial resources. We have, all of us, felt the hot breath of the giant flames from the world's crucible of war, and every phase of our lives has been penetrated by its influence.

In reviewing the work of the past year in our Sunday School we are all prepared to find that it, too, has been affected. We do not expect to hear reports of large results and high averages, such as have been associated with previous years, but rather by noting how much, in spite of all, that God has accomplished through us, we may with renewed courage and greater zeal face the year that is now before us.

Attendance Records.

In looking over our attendance records, we see how like the barometer it has responded to the influences that surround us. The number on the roll at the beginning of 1916 was about 300, but we find that in spite of the active efforts of the school it has shrunk to about 280. This can be checked up by reviewing the records of those who have joined our school during the year and those who have left. We find that we have received 55 new scholars into our school during 1916, but due to members enlisting, removal from the city or other unavoidable reasons we have lost during that time a membership of 76, thus showing a net loss of 21. But in considering the average attendance per Sunday of the scholars during 1916, in the light of this reduction, we are pleased to note the evident increase in regularity of those we still have with us. During 1915, year before last, we recorded an exceptionally high average of 213, but that high mark was mostly influenced by the high average gained during the first six months of the year. The average for the last six months of that year, we find, was 187.8, and when we compare that average with our average for the past year of 187.6 and take into account the greatly reduced membership we certainly have cause for encouragement, in thus noting how loyal has been the support of our scholars, teachers and officers during the year that has passed.

A Record.

This can be even more clearly seen in the individual attendance records of our scholars. During 1915 three of our scholars maintained a record of 100 per cent. for the entire year, that is, they were present every Sunday in the year on time. But during the past year, 1916, no less than seven of our scholars reached that high mark. These are Miss Bessie Elcome, Miss Alice Hardwicke, Miss Bessie Hardwicke, Olive Doughty, Harry Doughty, John Ward and Willie Ward. The following are eleven more that came almost as high: Fred Ward 97.5 per cent.; Mary Eastwood, 96.9; Amy Rathbone, 96.1; Daisy Webber 95.7; Mamie Collins, Garfield Anderson, Miss Walsh, Mr. Airriess and Mrs. Hetherington 95.5, and Grace Read and Bollie Doughty, 95 per cent. Then, in addition, there are twelve more that obtained over 90 per cent., and twenty-six that obtained over 80 per cent., making a total of 56 scholars who during the year, maintained an average in attendance and punctuality of 80 per cent. or over.

But while these have shown clearly their loyalty to our school, we have others whose names we will never forget, who have shown a greater loyalty, and with the greater loyalty a much greater sacrifice by their response to the call of their country.

More Names Added.

We have added twelve more names to our Roll of Honour during the past year, making, with the twenty-three who have gone before, a total of 35 of our active members who have enlisted. Those whose names we have recorded during the past year are as follows:

Gerald Stenton, Wilbert Yelland, McGregor Smith, Donald Smith, Percy Ward, Vincent Eastwood, Mr. Sidney Jolliffe, J. Elliam, Arthur Lewis, Charles Richardson, George Collins, Alfred Armstrong.

During the past year we have held three special Sundays: Easter Sunday, April 23nd; Mothers' Day, May 14th (second Sunday), and Rally Day September 24th. On Friday, July 21, we held our annual excursion. We chartered the Steamer Stoney Lake, for the full day, and took a trip to South Beach and around the Lakes. On Friday, December 29th, we held our annual Christmas tea and entertainment. After an abundant repast the scholars were entertained in the school auditorium by lantern views, followed by an excellent programme. During the evening the classes took the opportunity of subscribing a cash gift to some benevolent object, and $24 was raised, half for the Belgian Relief Fund and half to the Poor Fund of the Church.

Now that we have been permitted to look forward to another year of service for our Master may we remember our privilege and strive to earn His "Well Done".

Respectfully submitted.
(Signed) WILMOT BROWETT, Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT

The following report was given by the treasurer:

Receipts.

Cash on hand	$ 65 34
General offerings	312 74
Missionary offerings	77 84
Rally Day offerings	13 82
Special offerings	24 00
Proceeds from S.S. Picnic and Booth	11 84
Interest on deposit	1 79
Contribution from Viola Gamir	1 00
Returns from various departments	12 83
	$519 89

Disbursements.

Payment on Church Building Fund	$ 50 00
North-West and Manitoba Missions	16 21
Grande Ligne	17 51
Home Missions	26 13
Foreign Missions	17 69
Baptist S. S. Work	6 70
Tuning piano	6 00
Re-binding books	6 80
County and Provincial work	5 00
Books for prizes	6 68
Interest on deposit	105 00
Periodicals	120 42
Sundries	48 64
Cash on hand	87 11
	$519 89

By cash on hand ....$ 87 11

Respectfully submitted.
(Sgd.) M. Josephine Barnard, Treasurer.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

The following officers were elected for the present year:

Superintendent—Mr. Joseph Wearing.

Associate Superintendents—Mr. W. G. Shiner and Mr. C. B. Routley.

Secretary—Mr. Wilmot Browett.

1st Assistant Secretary—Mr. Chas. Lapp.

2nd Assistant Secretary—Mr. Kenneth Routley.

Financial Secretary—Mr. Walter Garbutt.

Treasurer—Miss Josephine Barnard.

Honorary Librarian—Mr. H. G. Webber.

Librarian—Miss Eagleson.

Assistant Librarian—Miss M. Garbutt.

Pianist—Miss B. Elcome.

Lantern Operator—Mr. Leon Webb

Assistant Lantern Operator—Mr. M. Cottingham.

Supt. Chinese Dept. — Mr. L. J. Petrit.

Supt. Primary Dept.—Miss L. Smith.

Supt. Cradle Roll—Appointment by Superintendent of Sunday School.

NEW BOOKS AT THE PUBLIC LIBRARY

New books at the Public Library.

Girl of the Limberlost—Porter.

Waitful Watching—Ford.

Spanish Gold—Birmingham.

Castaways—Jacobs.

Mirage—Thurston.

Leatherface—Orczy.

Red Hand of Ulster—Birmingham.

Sergeant Michael Cassidy, R.E.—"Sapper."

Knight on Wheels—Hay.

Power House—Buchan.

Turmoil—Tarkington.

Coo-oo-ee—Cooper.

Green Ray—LeQueux.

Priscilla's Spies—Birmingham.

Handbook for literary and debating Societies—Gibson.

Who's Who—1917.

Canada's Future—Victor, Presented.

Old Blood—Palmer.

Century Book of Facts—Knoff.

Dog Book—Watson.

Boy Mechanic, 2 vols.—Watson.

Home Life in China—Headland.

Tramps in Dark Mongolia—Hedley

Thirty-nine Steps—Buchan.

Greenmantle—Buchan.

Prester John—Buchan.

Non-combatants and others—Macauley.

Friendship—Black, Presented.

Visitor of the great horned Alexander—Stockton, Presented.

Annual Summary 1917—Stockton. Presented.

Vale of Cedars—Aguilar, Presented

Gateless Barrier—Malet, Presented

Zuleika—Ross, Presented.

I Promessi Sposi—Manzoni, Presented (in Italian.)

John Halifax, Gentleman—Mulock, Presented.

A SPLENDID WAY TO REDUCE ONE'S WEIGHT

There is, perhaps, no one thing that shows the passing of our youth so much as the horrible tendency of some of us to put on too much weight after we have reached the age of 25 or 30. However young our face may appear, our figures "give us away".

The cause of this over-greatness is that our stomachs convert the food we eat into fat because there is not enough oxygen in the blood to produce a proper combination to destroy the fatty tissue. To reduce your weight go to a good druggist and get oil of orlene in capsule form, and take one after each meal. It is sold only in original sealed packages. Oil of orlene taken at meal-time gives you all the benefit of the food you eat, and at the same time dissolves the fatty tissue from any part of the body where there is excessive fat. In this way many have reduced their weight at the rate of about a lb. a day, and no inhabitant is left.

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Ave. Attendance George St. Sunday School Over 400

Eighty of Its Young Men Enlisted During the Past Year—A Page From the History of the Church

The present anniversary of the George street Methodist Sunday school with its forty-five teachers and average attendance of over four hundred, an exceptionally flourishing and progressive school, directs the imagination to other days of fewer classes and students, but of splendid faith and fervour. An idea of those early times at George street church is provided from a page of an old scrap book that recounts the incidents of the George street church picnic to Stony Lake in Sept. 1874 as follows:

"A most successful picnic and excursion came off on Wednesday last, the 2nd inst, in aid of the Building Fund of the magnificent new church now in course of erection. (The old church then occupied was on the west side of George street, opposite the present structure.) A special train, provided by the generous authorities of the Midland Railway free of charge, conveyed the excursionists to Lakefield; thence at half past nine they proceeded per steamer Chippewa to Mount Julian in Stoney Lake, remaining at that delightful watering place between three and four hours.

The leading spirits of the enterprise and expedition are the Rev. Charles Fish, our indefatigable superintendent minister, and the man of his right, W. Cluxton, Esq."

The writer then diverts to a description of the scenery of Stoney Lake, with which he was seemingly enraptured and concludes as follows:

"The Excelsior band, under the leadership of Mr. Walker, accompanied the excursion, and discoursed sweet music at intervals. Various choral harmonies were also performed by the George street choir. Mrs. Bradburn presided at the melodeon. It is expected that at least $400 will be realized by this excursion, but how much more good has been accomplished by it cannot at present be computed. Certain it is that mutual kindliness and sympathy, and fellowship and love has been promoted, whilst the cause of the new church has received a fresh impetus and inspiration. An enthusiasm begins to prevail and spread with reference to the new building now in course of erection to the honour of God's great name. As the noble pile ascends, a feeling akin to that which took possession of the Jews in the time of Solomon's temple, takes hold of the people, and they look on admiringly, approvingly as the stately proportions of the house and its architectural beauties are being more and more developed. May a worthy and noble ambition ever be the characteristic of this people, and may these children of a pious ancestry emulate the deeds of the past, and excel more and more in every good work and work."

This is indeed an inspiring and revealing voice from the past. Its prayer is answered in the reports of the succeeding anniversaries of which the latest presents a most encouraging condition. The average attendance of the Sunday school has been over 400 and eighty boys have enlisted during the past year. Nearly all the "teen" age boys are now taught by men, and the primary department has been broken up into groups of seven or eight instead of the former classes of forty. The school includes in its membership children of the cradle roll to some of the oldest adults. The teachers' training course conducted by Mr. E. Ingal of the Normal school with thirty teachers enrolled, has been of great assistance to the school. This anniversary, celebrated last night, finds the school with a total of 42 teachers all engaged every Sunday. The claims of the school for the interest of the entire church and for a greater membership are being pressed with increasing emphasis as the importance of the Bible study and training classes is more fully appreciated.

Mr. G. A. Gillespie Again President Of Fair Board

At the annual meeting of the Peterborough Industrial Fair directors this afternoon, the following officers were elected;

President—G. A. Gillespie, M.P.P.
1st Vice-Pres.—C. E. Moore,
2nd Vice Pres.—Jas. Baptie.
Geo.-Treas.—F. J. A. Hall.

Board of Directors—R. M. Glover, J. A. Storey, T. O. Gibbs, Wm. Roberts, E. J. Shaw, R. Denne, W. J. Cox, S. Milburn, T. H. Hooper, J. D. Ball, J. Gillespie, E. Duffus, A. B. Mann, T. Cruickshanks, F. Wise, C. F. Kitney, Thos. Brown, D. Jordan, Dr. Fortune, Reg. Turner.

Secretary Hall reported total receipts for the year of $7,220.84, and expenditure of $6,737.93, leaving a balance of $561.86.

The dates of the 1917 Fair were set for September 13, 14 and 15, and Mr. Gillespie, Mr. Glover, and Mr. Hall were appointed to negotiate a new lease of the present grounds.

Messrs. Brown and Roberts were named as delegates to the Ontario Association of Fairs' Convention.

Mr. Brown was appointed superintendent for this year.

A resolution of condolence to Mrs. J. J. Turner, Sr., was moved by Mr. J. H. Garbutt, seconded by Mr. A. B. Mann.

And many a man's reputation for truthfulness goes lame when he begins to say things about himself.

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW

ANGLICAN

St. John's Church
REV. J. C DAVIDSON, RECTOR.

THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Matins and Sermon.
Processional 387—All people that on earth do dwell.
Venite 7.
Te Deum—Dr. Hopkins.
Jubilate 66.
Office Hymn 409—To Him that Overcometh.
Hymn Before Sermon 535—"O God of love, O King of peace."
Anthem—"Soldiers of Christ"—Roberts.
God Save the King.
Recessional 619—Stand up, stand up for Jesus.
7 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes
7 p.m.—Choral Evensong and Sermon.
Processional 630—The King of Love.
Responses—Tallis.
Psalm Chant 33.
Magnificat—Foote.
Nunc Dimittis 113.
Office Hymn 625—Jerusalem on High.
Before Sermon 541—"Lord of all Power and Might."
Anthem—"O Lamb of God"—Marshall.
God Save the King.
Vesper—Be with all the dear ones.
Recessional 21—"At even, ere the sun was set."
The 90th Battalion will parade to the morning service.
The Rev. Canon Cornish will officiate. Richard J. Dever, Organist and Choirmaster.

All Saints' Church
REV. R. S. GROSS, M.A., RECTOR.

THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

11 a.m.—Morning Prayer (Ante Communion.)
Hymn 646—"Lord of all power and might."
Venite 16; Psalms 82; Te Deum 30-31; Jubilate 32.
Anthem—"Joy to the world the Lord is come."
Hymn 465—"Rejoice the Lord is King."
Kyrie 125; Gloria Tibi 125.
Alms presentation 168.
Hymn 394—"All hail the power of Jesus' name."
Amen 128.
3 p.m., Sunday School.
Mrs. Stevenson's Bible Class for Ladies.
The Rector's Bible Class for men.
7 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Holy Communion.
Hymn 555—"Jerusalem on High my song and city is."
Psalms 77; Magnificat 79; Nunc Dimittis 45.
Anthem—"The Lord is my Shepherd."
Hymn 776—"Pass me not O gentle Saviour."
Alms Presentation 388.
Hymn 19—"Abide with me."
Amen 128; Vesper 46.
Anthem 128, Vesper 46.
Choirmaster, Mr. George E. Chandler
Organist, Miss Flowers.

St. Luke's Church
ASHBURNHAM—EAST CITY.
REV. W. E. WHITE, M.A., RECTOR.

THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Matins, Holy Communion and Sermon.
3 p.m., Sunday School and Bible Classes
7 p.m., Evensong and sermon.
Wednesday 7.45—Bible Study and Conference.
Superintendent of Sunday School, J. J. Turner, Jr.
Organist and Choir Leader, Mrs. W. A. Grunsdale.

St. George's Church
South Peterboro. Lock and Braidwood
REV. J. PRICE, RECTOR.

11 a.m.—Holy Communion and Sermon.
3 p.m., Sunday school.
7 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon.
Wednesday 7 p.m.—Mission Band.
Wednesday 8 p.m.—Choir Practice.
Thursday 2.30 p.m.—Ladies' Guild.
Organist and Choirmaster Mr. Turner

St. Alban's Mission
Church of England,
Business Street, Brownton.
Mr. C. A. G. Spence in charge.

11 a.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—Evening Service and Sermon.
Tuesday 7 p.m.—Boys' Brigade.
Thursday 7 p.m.—Mission Band.
Preacher—Mr. C. A. G. Spence.

METHODIST

George Street Methodist
REV. R. G. PREVER, B.D., PASTOR.

10 a.m.—Society Class-meeting and Junior Epworth League.
Sunday School Anniversary Services
Rev. E. A. Pearson B.A., of Chatham, former pastor will preach at both services. The Sunday School orchestra will be in attendance. A rally of all Sunday School scholars, teachers and officers of Grace and George street churches will be held at 2.30 thirty tomorrow morning in the Sundy School Hall.
Morning Music:
Orchestra Selection—Intermezzo—Lake.
Chorus—O Canada—Lavalle.
Duet—The Children's Friend is Jesus—Alexander.
Mildred and Hazel Trethewey.
Orchestra—Sweet spirit hear my prayer—Wallace.
Solo—Beautiful Land of Heaven—Wilson.
Miss Rae Gallagher.
Orchestra—March "Ben Hur"—King.
3 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class.
7 p.m.—Evening Service.
Evening Music:
Orchestra Selections—Gloria — Mozart; Evening Slumbers—Mercadante.
Anthem—O King of Kings—Churchill.
Solo parts—Mrs. J. H. Renwick.
Orchestra—Melody in F—Rubenstein
Solo—Jesus Lover of my soul—Touro.
Mrs. J. H. Renwick.
Orchestra—March in B flat—Pinsuti.
Special Music. All Welcome.
Mr. J. H. Renwick, Organist and Choirmaster.

Trinity Methodist Church
SIMCOE STREET.
REV. J. P. WILSON, B.A., PASTOR.

11 a.m., Morning Service.
2.30 p.m.—Sunday School Rally.
7 p.m.—Evening Service.

Mark Street Methodist
PREACHER, REV. R. A. WHATTAM

11 a.m., Morning Service.
Subject—"Women who counted—and Men."
Anthem—The Son of God—Dr. Calkin.
Soprano Solo—"Father of Light"—Stephen Adams.
Mrs. H. Wand.
3 p.m., S. S. and Bible classes.
7 p.m., Evening Service.
Subject—"Joseph I's Slave."
Anthem—Ere Another Sabbath Closes—E. E. Bowles.
Duet part—Miss McIntyre and Mr. J. Lock.
Anthem—O Jesus Thou Art Standing—J Knecht.
Organist and Choir Leader, Mrs. J. Lash
All Welcome.

St. James' Methodist
REV. B. GREATRIX, PASTOR.

10 a.m.—Fellowship Meeting.
11 a.m.—Morning Service
Subject—"A Pertinent Question."
Anthem—"In the hour of trial"—Lane.
2.30 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class.
7 p.m.—Evening Service.
Subject—"The Reconciler's Effect."
Evening Music:
Anthem—O taste and see—Marzo.
Solo parts—Mrs. J. H. Renwick.
Orchestra—Melody in F—Rubenstein
Solo—Jesus Lover of my soul—Touro.
Mrs. J. H. Renwick.
Orchestra—March in B flat—Pinsuti.
Special Music. All Welcome.
Mr. J. H. Renwick, Organist and Choirmaster.

Mark Street Methodist
PREACHER, REV. R. A. WHATTAM

11 a.m., Morning Service.
Subject—"Women who counted—and Men."
Anthem—The Son of God—Dr. Calkin.
Soprano Solo—"Father of Light"—Stephen Adams.
Mrs. H. Wand.
3 p.m., S. S. and Bible classes.
7 p.m., Evening Service.
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PRESBYTERIAN

Knox Church
REV. J. A. MACKENZIE, B.A., PASTOR

11 a.m.—Morning Service.
Prelude—Barnby.
Anthem—The splendours of Thy glory—Woodward.
3 p.m., Sunday School and Bible classes.
7 p.m., Evening Service.
Prelude—Harris.
Anthem—I heard a great voice—Thompson.
Solo—Mr. J. Smith.
Quartette—God is a spirit—Bennett.
Misses Kenyon and Frances; Messrs. Humphds and Smith.
Seats free, and strangers welcome.
Mr. George Kenyon, Organist and Choirmaster.

St. Paul's Church
REV. ROBERT POGUE, PASTOR.

11 a.m.—Morning Service.
The pastor will preach.
Organ Prelude—"Offertoria"—King Hall.
Solo (soprano) "Open the gates of the Temple"—Knapp.
Miss Dorothy Allan.
Offertory Anthem—"My Soul truly waiteth"—Ess.
Organ Postlude—"The Horse and his Rider" (Israel in Egypt)—Handel.
3 p.m., Sunday School. Young Ladies' Class, Teacher, Rev. R. Pogue; Young Men's Class, Teacher, Mr. H. B. Cowan.
7 p.m., Evening Service.
The pastor will preach.
Organ Prelude—Rhenish—Lemare.
Male Chorus (unaccompanied)—Stand up for Jesus"—Rhys-Herbert.
Offertory Anthem—"Nearer my God to Thee"—Stapelle.
Soprano Obligato by Miss Allan.
Baritone Solo by Mr. Arthur Milton.
Quartette—"Softly and tenderly Jesus is calling"—Edwards.
Miss Allan, Mrs. Lloyd, Mr. H. F. McKeown, Mr. Nelson.
Organ Postlude—"Serenade"—Lemare.
Organist and choirmaster, Mr John Allan.

St. Andrew's Church.
CAPT. JAMES ROLLINS, MINISTER.
Rev. T. H. Mitchell, Minister in charge.

11 a.m.—Divine Service.
3 p.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—Divine Service.
Prelude—Cavalleria Rusticana—Mascagni.
Anthem—Leave us not neither forsake us.—Stainer.
Offertory—Evening Song—Allen
Solo—The Lost Chord—Sullivan.
Mr. Douglas Carlisle.
Postlude—La Morcelaise.
Herbert C. Tremain, Organist and Choir Master.
Strangers Welcome Seats Free.

BAPTIST

Murray Street Baptist Church
REV. J. H. WEBB, PASTOR
Residence 196 London ?

11 a.m.—Morning Service.
The ordinance of Baptism will be observed at the morning service.
The pastor will preach both morning and evening.
Organ Prelude—Hymn Voluntary.
Anthem—O sun of Righteousness—Nicholl.
Organ Postlude—Low.
3 p.m.—Sunday School.
Mr. Walker's Adult Class.
7 p.m.—Evening Service.
Organ Prelude—The Mercy Seat—Wilson.
Anthem—Crossing the Bar—Crook.
Offertory Hymn—Saved by Grace—Sankey.
Solo parts—Miss Lillian Eastwood; Messrs. G. W. Fitzgerald and J. Graham.
Lead Kindly Light (unaccompanied)—Contralto Obligato part—Miss Doris Rathbone.
Postlude—March—Battmann.
All seats free and strangers are cordially welcome.

Park Street Baptist Church
PASTOR REV. DOUGALD BROWN,
218 Reid Street.

Rev. Dougald Brown will preach at both services.
11 a.m., Morning Service.
Subject—"Fellowship with Christ."
3 p.m., Sunday School. Supt. Mr. F. A. D. Fry. Men's Bible Class, Teacher Rev. Dougald Brown. Ladies' Bible Class, Teacher, Mrs. A. Nicholls.
7 p.m., Evening Service.
Subject—"Renewing the Parishing."
Monday 8 p.m.—B.Y.P.U.
Wednesday 8 p.m.—Prayer and Praise Service.
Thursday, 8 p.m., Choir Practice.
Mr. A. Nicholls, Organist and Choir master.
Seats free. Everybody welcome.

ROMAN CATHOLIC

St. Peter's Cathedral

There will be two masses celebrated.
At 8 a.m.—Low Mass. At 10:30 a.m.—High Mass. At 7 p.m.—Vespers and Sermon.

MISCELLANEOUS

Bethany Tabernacle
PASTOR, A. G. BONER.

Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
3 p.m.—Sunday School. Supt. Bro. A. J. Johnson; Adult Bible Study Class, Remarks, Pastor; Young Women's Class Miss Nellie Jones, graduate of Nyack Institute.
7 p.m.—Special lecture by Pastor to illustrated Dispensational Chart.
Spiritual, congregational singing led by Miss N. Jones, soloist and deaconess.
All requests for special prayer or visitation will be promptly and faithfully attended to.
All inquirers gladly met at close of any service.
A cordial welcome to all.

Salvation Army Temple

9 a.m.—Prayer Meeting.
10 a.m.—Y.-P. Directory Class.
Open Air at the corner of McDonnel and Aylmer streets 10.15 a.m.
11 a.m.—Holiness Meeting.
3 p.m.—Sunday School.
3.15 p.m.—Open Air George and Hunter street
7 p.m.—Free and Easy.
8.30 p.m.—Senior Open Air Hunter St.
8.15 p.m.—Junior Open Air Smoke-Holes.

Assembly Hall
(George Street, First Floor Old Opera House Building.)

Meetings on Lord's Day.
11 a.m.—Breaking of Bread.
3 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class
7 p.m.—Gospel Meeting.
A hearty Welcome to all.
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GOSPEL SONG SERVICE

10 a.m.—Sunday School.
11 a.m.—The Lords Supper.
7 p.m.—Gospel Meeting.
Sunday evening at 7 p.m. all are invited to attend a special meeting at the above Hall, where Mr. R. McKenzie, of Toronto will preach the Gospel. No collection.
8 p.m. Wednesday—Prayer Meeting.

Free Methodist
Aylmer Street, Between Charlotte and King Streets
REV. R. SNYDER, PASTOR.

Sunday Services—
9.45 a.m.—Sunday School.
11 a.m.—Preaching.
7 p.m.—Preaching.
Week Night Services:—
Tuesday 8 p.m.—Prayer Meeting.
Friday 8 p.m.—Quarterly meeting will begin.
Saturday 8 p.m.—Preaching.

IN THE WORLD OF SPORT

PETERBORO' JUNIORS OUT OF THE RACE
LOST IN OVERTIME GAME TO OSHAWA

Most Exciting Game Staged at Brock St. Rink in Years Won by Visitors Who Scored the Winning Counter After 9 Minutes and 40 Seconds of Overtime.

FINAL SCORE WAS 8 TO 7

In the hardest fought battle seen at the Brock street rink in many moons, the Peterborough juniors were beaten 8 goals to 7 by the Oshawa youngsters last night after ten minutes of overtime, and the red, white and blue team are out of the running. Lack of hockey brains in their offensive work and Smith's grand performance in the nets for Oshawa cost the Petes the game. With any system in their attack in the second period, when they had Oshawa on the defensive for the entire twenty minutes, the local youngsters would have won out by three or four goals to spare. They whaled shots at Smith from all angles in that period, but in spite of all their efforts failed to score a single goal Half a dozen times a pass at the proper moment would have meant a counter, but as the Oshawa goaler remarked after the game, "they did not come in close enough." Everybody seemed to want to do the scoring, and the failure to pass threw away the game. In a word, the Peterborough kids forgot all Jerry Coughlin's coaching and each tried to play the game by himself. At they would have got away with it with a less capable goal guardian than Smith, who performed with veteran coolness and skill.

It was one grand game of hockey. The pace never slackened and the teams were out to the last ounce before it was all over. Oshawa led at the end of the first period by 5 to 4 and the figures remained unchanged throughout the second session. Peterborough tied it up early in the third, only to have Oshawa draw away again and with nine minutes to go Oshawa were leading 7 to 5. The Petes kept battling until finally they tied the score with a couple of minutes to go. It was 7-7 at the end of the hour, and the teams battled through the first overtime period and four and forty seconds of the second before Rowden won the game for Oshawa by a pretty rush..

The pace was fast all the way and the big crowd was wildly excited. The teams never stopped trying, and although both showed lack of team work there was plenty of individual stunts that kept the fans on their feet. In spite of the close checking and the exciting nature of the game, both played clean hockey, and the penalty list was small.

Three men were in the limelight for Oshawa, Smith the clever net guardian, Rowden, the tricky Port Hope boy at rover, and Venini, the chunky Italian lad at right wing. Smith's performance in the nets, especially in the second period, was magnicent. He nailed shot after shot, kicking them out from all angles, and although the Petes bombarded him continuously for almost the whole of the second session, they could not beat him. Rowden was the star of the rest of the bunch. He had speed and stick handling ability, and used his head when going in on the nets. His work kept Oshawa in the running in the third period and won the game for them in the overtime. Venini was good all the way and shone especially in the first period. These three players were head and shoulders above their team mates, although Flintoff, the centre man, was useful.

For the Petes, no one particularly monopolized the spot light. Murray, in spite of the fact that he was ill, handled himself nicely in the nets, earing off some good stops. McIntyre played his best game of the season and the first period especially seemed about the only Peterborough player able to break away, his rushes being responsible for several goals. Montgomery showed his usual speed, but was not as effective as usual, while the penalty he drew in the last minute of the overtime had a lot to do with the Petes' defeat. The forward line all tried hard, but showed no team work and Smith's goal keeping beat their individual efforts.

Lawson Whitehead gave good satisfaction as referee. The line-up:

Oshawa		Peterborough
Smith	Goal	Murray
Osborne Feagan	Defence	McIntyre Montgomery
Rowden	Rover	Graham
Flintoff	Centre	Cherrett
Venini	Right Wing	McFee
Swynyard	Left Wing	Bartley

Referee Whitehead got the teams away sharp at 8.15 on perfect ice. The game started at a furious clip with both sides working their heads off. Smith and Murray both had shots to handle within the first minute. Then McIntyre broke away, and on a pretty rush pulled the Oshawa defence out and slipped the rubber out to Cherrett, who registered. Oshawa tied it up three minutes afterwards, when Osborne got away alone and eluded the Peterborough defence for a nice counter. Fegan drew the first penalty of the game for slashing. Smith beat the Petes several times when they were right in, nailing a beauty from Cherrett. Finally, however, the Petes broke into the lead when Cherrett poked one past Smith on a scrimmage. Bartley made it 3 to 1 after a rush by McIntyre, and the Petes' chances looked bright However. Montgomery lost the rubber in trying to bring it out in front of his own nets and Swynyard batted in a goal. Venini tied it up when he slipped down the boards and beat Murray with a low side shot. The Italian lad came right back with another in the same way, and then Flintoff hammered one in, putting the visitors two to the good. McFee closed the gap when he took a pass from Graham and fooled Smith with a swift shot.

Just before the end of the period McIntyre was benched for tripping Rowden.

There was no score in the second period, although the Petes should have come out of the session three or four goals at least, to the good. They had ten shots to Oshawa's one in this stage and failed to register a single counter. They either shot from half way down the rink or else tried to stick handle into the nets and Smith got them either way. Oshawa only got away a few times in the period and with their opportunities the local kids should have won the game then and there. However, they refused to pass the puck and as a result Oshawa are group champions. McFee and Fegan drew five minutes for mixing it in this period and Bartley also drew a penalty.

The third period was very fast and exciting. With a goal needed to tie the score and twenty minutes to go, the Petes worked like beavers and had their reward when Bartley shoved one through in a scrimmage, tying the score.

A moment after, Montgomery was nailed on the ankle by a swift shot and the game was called to give him a chance to rover. When play resumed, Rowden broke away and scored on a pretty rush, putting Oshawa once more in the lead. A little later he repeated the play and the visitors were two to the good. Swynyard was hit in the face and had to retire, McFee bein dropped to even up. With only nine minutes to go, the Petes' chances did not look bright, but they threw everybody up on the forward line and took a chance of Oshawa breaking away. The tactics were successful, for Montgomery slammed a goal through from a scrimmage, and Bartley tied the score on a pass from Montgomery, and the count was even.. Neither team could find the nets again and it was a case of overtime.

After the ten minute rest, Whitehead sent them away again and the going was as hard as ever. The Petes still seemed to have the edge but could not slip one past the clever Smith. The first five minute period saw no score and it began to look as if the second period would be another blank, when with a minute to go Montgomerywas benched for foolishly putting a half Nelson on one of the visitors. The odd man advantage helped the Bradleyites, and Rowden broke up the game when he got away at centre and fooled Cherrett and McIntyre, going in close for the goal, that put the Petes out of the district race. Summary:

First Period.

1 Peterborough, Cherrett, 3 mins.
2 Oshawa, Osborne, 3 mins.
3 Peterborough, Cherrett, 4 mins.
4 Peterborough, Bartley, 2 mins.
5 Oshawa, Swynyard, 2 mins.
6 Oshawa, Venini, 1.30 mins.
7 Oshawa, Venini, 2 mins.
8 Oshawa, Flintoff, 1 min.
9 Peterborough, McFee, 1 min.

Second Period.

No score.

Third Period.

10 Peterborough, Bartley, 3 mins.
11 Oshawa, Rowden, 1 min.
12 Oshawa, Rowden, 3 mins.
13 Peterborough, Montgomery, 6 mins.
14 Peterborough, Bartley, 4 mins.

First Overtime Period.

No score.

Second Overtime Period.

15 Oshawa, Rowden, 4.40 mins.

Penalties—
Peterborough — McFee, McIntyre, Bartley, Montgomery. Total 4.
Oshawa—Feagan 2, Flintoff. Total, 3.

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G. A. GILLESPIE IN NEW YORK STATE

Delivers Address to Dairymen on Cheese Selling by Auction

The first important meeting of the Bureau of Farmers Institute of New York State was held this week at Gouverneur Street, Lawrence New York, under the authority of the New York State Department of Agriculture at which our local member G. A. Gillespie, M.P.P. was united to deliver an address. Mr. Gillespie attended these sessions at the request of the Ontario Department of Agriculture in response to a request from the New York Bureau to send a practical representative to address their body on the subject of "Cheese selling on the auction plan." It appears that cheese boards, as they exist in the Province are not conducted in the section of New York State where these meetings were held and information on the subject was desired from some Ontario expert, prominent as a cheese buyer.

Mr. Gillespie being fully conversant with the subject and being an extreme cheese buyer as well as a large producer and retailer in the milk business was specially fitted for these duties; and accordingly he was selected by the Department to proceed to New York as its representative. His address at Gouverneur was listened to with special interest for over one hour by a large gathering of farmers and dairymen from the State. Mr. Gillespie not only dealt with his special subject "Cheese selling on the Auction Plan" but gave a practical talk on a number of other allied matters, relating to the milk and cheese industries.

BUTTER FAT EXPERIMENTS

An interesting point which Mr. Gillespie was able to carry away with him from these meetings was that the experiments conducted in the last season by the United States Department of Agriculture corresponded exactly with similar experiments by our own Department of Ontario and was additional proof that the average yield of cheese is greater comparatively from milk testing, a different percentage of butter fat. The experiments conducted were on milk testing from 3 to 4 per cent. butter fat.

Voice of The People

Correspondence under this heading, containing or involving attacks on individuals or violent or extreme statements, must to secure insertion, be signed with writer's real name, the owner of which thus assumes the responsibility.

To the Editor of The Examiner.

Dear Sir,—The City of Peterborough boasts of its superior school accommodation; but what do we do for the "kids" during the summer vacation?

Law, or no law, when the summer comes a boy has got to swim, and our present method often drives the boys to out-of-the-way places when they wish to get rid of that dog-days' feeling, with the result that if an accident occurs there is no one within reach of offer assistance, and another young life is snuffed out. What a price is this to pay just because we do not spend a few dollars to have a properly supervised bathing place.

Yours truly,
PRO PUERIS.

Editor of the Examiner:

Dear Sir,—The approach of Dollar Day reminds us all of the special days, Tag Day, Shamrock Day, etc., observed in this city, but I wish to ask the citizens to be good enough to observe another special day to be called "Milk bottle returning day." If all the ladies in town would be so kind as to hunt up all the milk bottles that may be taking a rest on the pantry shelves or elsewhere, and return them to their milkman, they would have all kinds of blessings called down upon them by that patient, long suffering mortal who is on the doorstep seven days a week no matter what the weather may be.

Milk bottles, like everything else, have gone up in price, and are likely to go higher, and by not returning the empty bottles, the ladies are putting the milkmen to considerable and unnecessary expense. Personally, I have lost fifteen dozen bottles in the last two months, doubtless some of these have been broken, but the large majority are in my customer's houses resting.

Any day would do for 'bottle day' but to give the ladies lots of time to hunt them up, let them take Saturday, January 27th to put out the bottles and watch the smiles on the face of the milkmen.

MILKMAN.

Editor of the Examiner:

Dear Sir,—In yesterday's report of St. Andrew's annual meeting both evening papers give the impression that I have been suffering from ill-health. This is hardly in accordance with fact. I have scarcely ever been sick during my life. I gave up my work in London just to get a needed relaxative. I am pleased to say that I am succeeding in my purpose.

Very truly yours,
THOMAS H. MITCHELL,
St. Andrew's Manse.

More Socks For The Boys In the Trenches

The Canadain Kitchener League sent another shipment of socks this week, to the Peterborough boys in the trenches. 116 pairs were mailed to the following addresses:

Pte. Geo. Melton, 216th Batt., A Company, France.
Gunner H. Coon, 26th Battery, 7th Brigade, France.
Pte. Fred Botsford, 24th Batt., A Company, France.
Pte. Jos. McCoy, 21st Batt., A Company, France.
Pte. Harold Scott, Signallers, France.
Lt. J. M. Watt, 18th Batt., A Company, France.

The League would like to send another shipment before the end of the month and would ask everyone who is knitting to hand in as many pairs as possible before that time. This is the weather when the boys need these nice, warm, comfortable socks more than any other time, and the League hope to be able to make a shipment every two weeks. The sacrificing of a little time will make this possible and the packages more generous. The League thank their many knitters for the noble work they are doing, but they still have yarn for many more knitters.

The hostesses for the Canadian Kitchener League tea on Wednesday next will be Mrs. Knox and Mrs. Carver. The tea will be held at the Oriental tea rooms, Hunter street.

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R. H. Hunter.

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John D. Craig.
E. B. Clegg & Co.
Harry Zacks.

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Grafton & Co.
H. LeBrun & Co.
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Oak Hall.
Semi-Ready Tailoring.
D. H. Hickey, 245 George St.

BOOTS AND SHOES.
R. Neill.
J. T. Stenson & Sons.
C. E. Smith.
J. W. Miller & Sons.
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D. Zacks.

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Social and Personal

Friends of Mrs. Hugh Burtram will regret to hear of her illness which confines her to her home.

Miss Muriel Gladman left to-day for Toronto, where she will be the guest of Miss Kathleen Wallis, who leaves shortly for England.

Mrs. T. B. Marting, Lakefield, was in the city to-day, the guest of Mrs. Grieve, Brock Street.

Rev. Mr. Robbins, rector of St. Aiden's Church, was in the city to-day on business.

A personal invitation is extended to all ladies and gentlemen to come and visit the large, spacious rooms of the 57th Reg. Chapter I.O.D.E. in the Masonic Rooms, George Street, on Dollar Day, Thursday afternoon, Jan. 5th. Hot tea, sandwiches and home-made cake; also choice music.

Capt. Warren of the Army Medical Corps, Kingston is visiting his sister, Mrs. Kimberly, Bolivar street.

Mr. Edgar Burnham, Weller street is in Montreal on business.

Among the large class who have passed their examinations at the College of Pharmacy, Toronto is Wilfrid C. Kelly of Hamilton, who stood third in the honour roll. He is a nephew of Mrs. Alex. McGregor, Hunter street, and is only 22 years of age.

Judgment Reserved in Frick Damage Suit

After the evidence and arguments in the Frick vs. Peterborough damage action for $1,000 was heard by Judge Huycke yesterday evening, he reserved judgment.

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PROBABILITIES.

Show flurries, becoming colder, with north-westerly winds to-night. Sunday—Fair and decidedly colder.

Broken auto cylinders, machinery and stoves welded, by the new Oxo Acetelyne Process. Anything in iron, steel or aluminum made as good as new, not patched up. Millard's Bicycle Shop, Hunter street, near Aylmer.

"AT HOME."

St. Peter's T.A.S. will hold an "At Home" in St. Alphonsus Lyceum on Wednesday evening, January 24th.

FRESH LAID EGGS WANTED

And Live Hens. Apply to Alex. Gordon, Butcher, 461 George Street. 'Phone 34. 6d-13-97a

POSTPONED SALE.

Of farm stock, implements and household furniture of Mr. Joseph McKee will be held on Tuesday January 23rd, at 1 p.m. 2d-16

VIOLIN, MANDOLIN, PIANO.

Miss M. Telgmann will resume teaching Monday, January 8th. Information Studio, Green Music Co., or 'phone 1088. 8d-mws-6

WILL HOLD TALENT TEA.

The Girls' Auxiliary of St. Luke's Church will hold a Talent Tea on Tuesday afternoon and evening, at the home of Miss Dawson, 433 Donegal Street. 2d-17

DENTAL.

Dr. McKenty, Dentist, 370 George Street, on the ground floor first door north of Peterborough Hardware Co. Nitrous oxide and oxygen administered for painless operations.

WANTED.

200 cords green basswood bolts 4 ft. 7 inches long by 4½-inch diameter and upwards. Delivered to Kingdon's Barrell and Heading Factory, 26 Barnardo Avenue, Peterborough. 6d-12-8w-8

BARGAINS AT LAKEFIELD.

R. Graham & Son, Lakefield, have arranged for a lot of wonderful Dollar Day bargains on Thursday, January 25th, and will continue the sale on Friday and Saturday, Jan. 26th and 27th. 6d-16

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MISSIONARY ADDRESS.

In the George street Methodist church Sunday school hall on Monday evening, Mrs. Robertson, wife of the well known Methodist missionary of that name, will give an address on their work in the China mission fields.

EXPRESS AND BAGGAGE.

E. D. Cooney, a returned soldier, has taken over the express business of Eddie Beid and will give prompt and careful attention to all work entrusted to him. 'Phone 847. E. D. Cooney, 340 Aylmer stree. 28d-44

AUCTION SALE.

Household Furniture, etc., at the home of Mr. Thos. McMurray, 173 Douro street, East City, on Wednesday, January 24th, at 1-30 p.m. when everything will be sold without reserve.—W. J. Hancock, Auctioneer, 494 George Street. 3d-17

SKATING IN EAST CITY.

The boys' club of Mark street church are giving the skating rink to the Women's Patriotic League of Ashburnham on Tuesday afternoon and evening of next week. Tea will be served in the afternoon and refreshments in the evening. The 57th band will be in attendance. Admission ten cents for skating. Refreshments will be served at the rink to those who skate and those who do not skate will be served at the home of Mrs. Mein, next door to the rink. 3d-16

HUMAN HAIR PROTECTS AND ADORNS THE HEAD.

and if you have thin hair—if you are bald—do not miss seeing Dorenwend's Exhibit of Human Hair-Goods for ladies and gentlemen, at the Oriental Hotel, on Friday, Jan. 26th, and Saturday, Jan. 27th, until 8 p.m. The display will include Ladies' Switches Coronet and Fancy Braids, Transformations, Pompadours, Waves, Chignons, Bangs, and for bald men toupee and wig structures that will benefit the health and appearance. There is no charge for a demonstration. 3d16-20-25-3w-3

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Ladies' morning gymnasium class. Special class Y.W.C.A. Tuesday and Friday mornings at 10:30. Application to be made to the secretary.

CONDUCT SERVICES AT NORWOOD.

Mr. C. A. G. Spence will conduct services to-morrow at the Anglican churches at Norwood and Westwood in the absence of Rev. Mr. Noble, who is seriously ill.

GOSPEL HALL.

Mr. R. McKenzie and Mr. A. Smith, of Toronto, will preach the gospel in the above hall on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Come and hear them preach the blessed Gospel of the grace of God, which gives peace, joy and eternal life to those who receive the Lord Jesus Christ.

BOX SOCIAL AT BRAILEY'S SCHOOL WAS A SUCCESS.

The box and weight social at Brailey's school house last night was a splendid success in every way.

A good crowd from town, and a nice crowd from Fraserville made the occasion very pleasant indeed, and a good sum was realized for the school.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Simpson of High Street desire to express their thanks to their friends for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of their daughter, Alma, also to the employees of the Matthews-Blackwell Co. for their kindness shown.

WEDDING BELLS

GOMER—SOMERVILLE.

A wedding of great interest was solemnized this morning in St. John's Church at ten-thirty when Annie Muriel, youngest daughter of the late F. L. Somerville, was united in matrimony to John W. Gomer, assistant accountant of the Bank of Commerce, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gomer, Budlake, Exeter, England. The petite bride charmingly gowned in her going-away suit of navy blue velvet with lynx trimming and black hat and wearing an enormous bouquet of White American Beauties, was given away by her brother, Mr. Lind Somerville, and was attended by Miss Grace Burritt, Toronto. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple left by the eleven o'clock train for Montreal for a brief honey moon. On returning Mr. and Mrs. Gomer will reside at 236 Brock street.

OBITUARY

LORETTA MILLOY.

The death occurred this morning of Loretta, daughter of Mr. Peter Milloy, 324 Parnell street, at St. John's Hospital, Long Island, N.Y. Miss Milloy who was but 23 years of age, had recently entered St. John's Hospital as a nurse in training, later undergoing a mastoid operation. She is survived by her parents, three sisters, Mrs. Sylvester Shaughnessy, Aileen, Marie, and three brothers, John of Syracuse, James of North Dakota, and Aloysius at home.

The funeral announcement will be made later.

To Enforce the Law Re Cutting of Ice

It is understood that the local Board of Health intends to enforce the regulations governing the cutting of ice in Peterborough. During the past years Dr. Amys stated they have been openly ignored. No effort is made to obtain pure ice for domestic use, and a number of complaints have been received demanding that the law in this regard be put into effect.

TO STOP $100,000 ELECTION.

Taxpayer Asks Court to Prevent Selection of Sheriff's Successor.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Because a special election for Sheriff in Queens County would cost the taxpayers $100,000, Elbert L. Conklin, a taxpayer, has appealed to Supreme Court Justice Callahan to prevent it. Conklin is a printer of 123 Grove St., Jamaica.

The special election has been ordered for January 23 by Governor Whitman to fill the place of Sheriff Paul Stier, who was recently killed by a madman. Samuel J. Mitchell, the present Under Sheriff, is the Democratic candidate, and Thomas P. Wilsnack has been nominated by the Republicans. Conklin obtained an order from Justice Callahan in Brooklyn requiring the Board of Elections to show cause why the costly election should not be stopped.

Was Lillian Anderson's Baby Palmed Off As Slingsby Heir?

Sculpture and photography figured in the proceedings during the week in the House of Lords in the Slingsby appeal case, in which Commander Slingsby seeks to have it declared that Charles Eugene Edward Slingsby is the lawful and legitimate child of himself and Mrs. Slingsby. The brothers of the commander contend that the boy is the illegitimate son of other parties.

Mr. Schiller, K.C., who appears for Commander Slingsby, continued reading of evidence, and dealt with the testimony of Mrs. Fay, of "the adoption department" of the Associated Charities of San Francisco, who said that Mrs. Slingsby called and said that she wished to withdraw her application for a child, as she had secured one elsewhere. Mrs. Slingsby wished to have the record of the application destroyed. Witness destroyed the envelope with the names and references, and her report of a visit to a Mr. Hermann, who had been given as a reference. She attempted to do so and tore the page, and then decided that it was not necessary to remove the page. Counsel said that Mrs. Slingsby denied ever having made the application.

Lord Loreburn interrupted with the remark that it was a remarkable coincidence that Mrs. Slingsby's baby and Lillian Anderson's baby should have been brought to the house. He did not know what a mathematician would say about the probabilities in the case. Was it counsel's case that Lillian Anderson had had no baby at all?

Council said he was not bound to put any case before the Lordship with regard to Lillian Anderson.

Lord Loreburn: You must expect us to arrive at the conclusion which men of common sense would arrive at if there is no answer.

Lord Mersey: The learned judge says that there was no baby born to Lillian Anderson at all. You must say the same thing, because if you do not you are in the quandary that there were two babies.

At a later stage Lord Loreburn said he declined to believe that a foul conspiracy of the kind suggested could be carried out in America without the knowledge of the solicitor here, and he wholly declined to believe that gentlemen on the roll of an honorable profession were guilty of any such thing. He thought it was terrible to suggest it without any opportunity being given of denying it.

Strong comments were made upon the calling in by Mr. Justice Bargrave Deane of Sir George Frampton, the sculptor on the question of likeness in the Slingsby baby case.

Lord Atkinson wished to know why this business was resorted to at all if the judge was not going to found his judgment on it.

Mr. Schiller explained that he was so struck with the likeness that he desired to have confirmation, not wishing to be deceived by it.

Lord Loreburn: He says he did not rely upon it, then why did he want to introduce it at all.

Lord Loreburn says he did not care about the evidence of any R. A. or any other sage as to likeness; such evidence was worthless.

Lord Mersey: I am entirely of that opinion; it is absolutely valueless.

Lord Loreburn: In my opinion this evidence is worth zero.

The hearing was later on resumed and terminated in a decision that the Slingsby baby was not the real goods.

Robs Third Safe Below "Dead Line"

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—For the third time within three months the successful robbery of an office safe below the old Fulton street "deadline" was reported to the police. Charles E. Berner & Co., brokers, who occupy a suite of rooms on the third floor of the United States Realty Building, No. 115 Broadway, reported their safe had been opened some time during the night or early in the morning and $12,000 in cash as well as valuable jewelry stolen. So clever did the burglar work that he left not a clew for the police.

When the office was opened in the morning the employes, who arrived before Charles Doetger, cashier, went about their work unaware of the burglary. Mr. Doetger arrived at nine o'clock, and going to the safe, which he had locked the night previous, found it still locked. He turned the combination and the safe opened as usual. On the inside, however, everything was overturned. The strong box drawer and two security drawers had been smashed and their contents scattered. A hurried inventory resulted in the discovery that all the money and jewelry had been taken. Of the money taken $9,000 was the property of the firm and $3,000 belonged to an employes' co-operative benefit association.

After an investigation which lasted all morning, Inspector Faurot, finger print expert, and several detectives said they had made no headway. They believe, however that the man who opened the safe of the Union Central Life Insurance Company in the Woolworth Building, on New Year's Eve, and the safe in the office of William Sheldron, at No. 71 Broadway, on November 15, was responsible for this latest theft. Special watchmen and scrubwomen who were in the building during the night and early morning hours said they had seen no one enter or leave the building after closing hours.

THE RUSSIANS ARE OPTIMISTIC

View of Internal Affairs Cheerful Despite Reactionists' Victory.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 20.— The spirit of the Russian New Year's Day gilded the seamy side of politics which has been exhibited for so long in the columns of the press, and the newspapers, although pursuing the usual round of political comment, abound in optimistic reviews of the past and forecasts of the future. Leaders of public organizations such as the Zemsky Coyus, whose patriotic work in the face of great difficulties has gained the warm support and appreciation of the country, unite in expressig the conviction that the internal affairs of Russia are not beyond repair or as bad as they have been painted.

The newspapers find another cause of satisfaction in the Allies' reply to the American note and comment on what they term its precision and dignity as contrasted with opposite qualities alleged to be displayed by the notes of the Central Powers. The Reich, however, does not lose sight of the political situation or the new strength of the reaction as shown in the recent ministerial changes.

"The new Premier," says this paper, "has reiterated the many laudable sentiments of his predecessors, but in each of his declarations there is a 'but.' Collaboration with the Duma is necessary—but the Government cannot tolerate such events as took place recently. Public organizations are necessary—but only so long as they carry out their duty. Meetings can be allowed—but there must be a reason for such meetings. In other words, everything can be allowed, but everything must be under the supervision of the Bureaucracy."

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

New York Stocks.

Air Brake 150; Achison 105 1-2; B. & O. 82 3-4; C.P.R. 163; N.Y.C. 101 1-2, 101 3-4; Erie 33 7-8; Penn. 56 5-8, 56 3-4; Reading 103 1-8; St. Paul 90 1-2; U.P. 144 3-8, 144 1-8; Beth. Steel 425, 430; U.S. Steel 114, 114 3-4; Rep. Steel 80 3-8, 80 1-4; Anaconda 84, 83 5-8; Inter. Nickel 42, 43; Amn. Loco. 99 1-2, 75.

Canadian Stocks.

Steamers 85, 34 1-2; Dom. Steel 66 3-4, 66 1-4; Cement 63 3-4, 63; Steel Can. 66; Smelters 33, 32 7-8; Can. Car. 28 1-2, 29 bid; Gen. Elec. 113 bid; Can. Loco. 57 bid.

JANUARY.

Friday 19.—Lou & Nash ex-div 3 1-2 per cent., payable 2-10-17; Gen. Motors Com., ex-div $1 payable 2-1-17; Willys Overland ex-div $3-4, payable 2-1-17; B. & O., ex-div. 2 1-2, payable 2-1-17; Anaconda, ex-div. $2 payable 2-26-17.

Monday 22. — Reading, ex-div., 2 per cent., payable 2-8-17.

Thursday 25.—Foreign Trade Convention at Pittsburg C.M. & St. P. dividend meeting scheduled.

Tuesday 30.—U. S. Steel dividend meeting and quarterly earnings.

Wednesday 31.—Can. Cement Pfd., ex-div., 1 3-4 per cent., payable 2-16-17.

IMPORTANT BULLISH FACTORS

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Enormous Corporation Earnings
Dividend Increases.
Technical Strength.
Recent severe liquidation resulting in a greatly reduced average price level.
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IMPORTANT BEARISH FACTORS.

Submarine Fears.
Mexican Situation.
Railroad Wage Uncertainties.
Peace Outlook.
High Cost of Living.

AVERAGE PRICES.

20 Industrial Stock, Jan. 16th, 1916—$95.59.
20 Railroad Stocks, Jan 16th, 1916—$103.65.

TOWN TOPICS.

The next news from the German raider is likely to be regarding its capture. There may be some selling yet in view of possible complications with Germany over the matter but it looks as if Washington would about face, rather than run into danger zones. Meantime peace drifts further into the future with the Balfour statement to the American people. We do not think stocks will suffer material reaction at this time. There are too many good things in immediate prospect and earnings all round are too enormous. Beth. Steel forthcoming dividend action is likely to be a pleasanter expression of opulence even than the action of a year ago. Lack. Steel is due for a very good statement of quarterly earnings. The Steel Corporations report is only a little away. Steel stocks generally should be bought on soft place we think and for very good profits in view of these definite developments and the continued remarkable prosperity in the trade. Pittsburg Coal is linked with this prosperity and should do even better than before. Sloss Sheffield, V Chem. Crucibile, Gulf States, Steel Foundries should all do much better along with U. S. Steel. The buy in woollen and rubber seems very good. Con. Gas seems well taken. Cons. Coal is a splendid stock to have during the great industrial boom and Colo. Fuel also. We would buy Marines on reactions for good turns or at market for immence profits in Long run. M. O. P. new stock is among the best rails at the moment. Buy Airbrake and Locomotives and Pressed Car on soft places. We look for lower prices in wheat and cotton.

A man should have a good excuse ready before committing a mean act.

Trying to be nice to his wife's relatives is awfully rough on a man's digestion.

Murphy was taking a day off, says an English weekly to enjoy himself thoroughly, he walked round to watch "the boys." He was surprised to see his friend Kelly working as if carrying a hodful of mortar up and down a ladder was the only thing he took any real pleasure in.

"It's yourself that's working mighty hard to-day, Kelly!" expostulated Murphy.

"Whist! I'm just making a fool of the boss!" said Kelly, winking slyly.

"And how are you doing that, Kelly?"

"Sure, Murphy, it's as easy as kissing your hand! He sees me going up the ladder with my hod full of mortar and he thinks I'm working. But, Murphy, my boy, it's the same hodful I'm carting up and down all the time."—Youth's Companion.

Good Food Cheap

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Choice Salmon (by the fish), lb	11c
15c cooking figs, 5lb lots, lb	9½c
15c prunes, 5lb lots, lb	9½c
10c tea, 5lb lots, lb	10c
40c extra fine coffee, lb	35c
25c green tea, 5lb. lots, lb	21c
15c dried peaches, 5lb lots, lb	10½c
15c raisins, 5lb lots, for	64c
10lb. rolled oats for	45c
10lb. corn meal for	40c
4lb. honey color syrup for	25c
25c tin tomatoes 6 cans at	17½c
15c peas and corn, 6 cans at	12½c
15c box rolled wheat, 2 for	25c
30c lemons, bargain, doz.	15c
$5.25 bag No. 1 bread flour for	$4.54
Good roast beef as cut off, lb.	18c
$7 to $12 furs, all at, each	$4.99
$3 to $8 fur cuffs at all, each	99c
$2 lb. Scotch finger yarn, lb	$1.49
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NEW RATIONS INTRODUCED

LONDON, January 22.—Sir George Perley has officially announced two important changes regarding Canadian troops in England which it is predicted will make for efficiency and economy, and which will form part of the general policy of centralization which General Turner has inaugurated since he took over command. Both reports are from the Quartermaster-General's Department. It first deals with transport.

Hitherto every battalion coming to England has had its own horses, harness and waggons, and there has been considerable overlapping in the use of these. From now on all regimental transport will be centralized under direct control of the Canadian Army Service Corps, which will acquire all regimental transport. It is estimated in the report that the change will result in saving over 200 horses and other equipment. There will be better attention for the animals and a reduction of transport expenses of over $500 daily. The report mentions that in England regimental transport work has always been done by the Army Service Corps.

NEW RATIONING SCHEME.

The second scheme effects the rationing of the men, and, according to the report, which has been adopted, predicts an annual saving of nearly three hundred thousand dollars, in addition to which there will be over four hundred thousand dollars rebate on customs duties. Briefly, the report, which has been adopted, recommends rationing on the English system, with the co-operation of the English canteens and Canadian members of the Imperial Canteen Committee.

A thorough test of a new varied ration has been made at the Canadian camps at Shoreham and Hastings, and has been favourably reported on by unit commanders and by the medical authorities. As far as possible, Canadian supplies coming in duty free under new arrangement will be used.

ROLAND HILL.

The Raiders Are Still At Large

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

RIO DE JANEIRO, Jan. 22.—Four vessels under the United States flag reported to be the Hun raiders.

CALL OUT WOMEN FOR SENTRIES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BERLIN, Jan. 22. — Germans call out women for sentries.

British Advance In Mesopotamia

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 22.—The British capture a bend in the Tigris river below Kut.

NOTHING LIKE IT FOR COLDS

Mrs. Holland Ferguson, Sheffield, N. S., writes: "Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine has cured my children and myself of severe colds. We are never without it in the house. There is nothing like it for colds and throat troubles and it is so soothing and pleasant to take, my children would drink a whole bottle if they were permitted."

Plan Invasion Of Switzerland

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 22.—The Germans plan an invasion of Switzerland in an effort to turn the Anglo-French flank and hack their way through to the Jura Pass.

Seven Senators Are Appointed

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, Jan. 22.—Seven Senators appointed, including H. W. Richardson of Kingston, four going to Ontario, two to Nova Scotia, and one to New Brunswick.

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NO ISSUE WHICH MY HOUSE HAS SPONSORED HAS EVER LOST A CUSTOMER A SINGLE DOLLAR NOR HAS THERE EVER BEEN A TIME DURING THE YEAR AT WHICH ANY HOLDER OF THESE STOCKS COULD HAVE SOLD AT A LOSS.

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I now urge the purchase of Boston Creek stock, as I believe it is the forerunner of another big bonanza and low-grade gold camp—one which bids fair to attain to the importance of Porcupine.

I urge you to buy Boston Creek. I know the mines—I know the country—I know the money that has gone into the properties. I know the men personally, with the money they command and the faith they have in them, who are behind the mines. I am speaking from knowledge—not from heresay. I know that Boston Creek has produced one of the best showings in bonanza ore and in high-grade tonnage ever known in the north country. I know that there has been expended around one-quarter of a million dollars already in bringing this property to a shipping basis. I know that there is at least twice as much more money available for the building of a mill and the provision of accommodations, so that a couple of hundred men may be put to work in mining and milling operations. I know that some of the biggest manufacturers of the Middle West, founders and heads of a multi-millionaire firm, one of the largest brokers of Toronto, and one of the best mining engineers and largest power contractors in Canada are at the helm of Boston Creek. I know that the properties are now about ready to begin shipments to the McIntyre mill at Porcupine and that some of the Boston Creek interests are also McIntyre interests, making for a certain affiliation between the two companies. I know that they have an estimated amount of $1,500,000 in developed ore to ship from. I know that ore has been taken out at Boston Creek which has attracted great attention and has been sent West for public exhibition. I know that this ore has run as high as five pounds of gold to 100 pounds of rock—a bonanza exhibit. I know there are two big parallel vein systems. I know that the work has been pushed to the 200 level and the promise of the surface and the upper level has been more than fulfilled below. I know that a settlement—station, hotel, postoffice, etc.—exists right at the mines; that the new power line from Cobalt to Kirkland Lake is now nearly ready to deliver its energy to the mines; that the initial unit of 375-ton mill is planned to be built in the near future; that the mines are to be placed with no loss of time upon a permanent earning and dividend-paying basis.

Boston Creek has advanced quickly to $1.27 a share on the Standard Stock Exchange and New York Curb Market, and looks good to me for $5 a share. Knowing it as I do, I would be recreant to the duty I assume to my great following in mines and investments and to the public at large if I did not advise them to buy Boston Creek "at the market" and await the results of a sensational series of developments already scheduled to take place this year.

Buy it. Buy it now. It's the best recommendation I ever made in my life. It looks good for immense dividends—immense market profits.

MARK HARRIS

P. S.—We advise the immediate purchase of Boston Creek Mines, Ltd., stock at going market prices through your banker or your broker or place your order direct with us at our head office—Standard Bank Building, Toronto, Ontario, —or any of our nearest offices as we specialize on this issue, and we are in a position to give the earliest and most complete information on the mines. Buy this stock for large indicated market profits and for the promise of an early and permanent dividend-payer.

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GERMANY MAY ATTEMPT AGGRESSIVE SUBMARINE CAMPAIGN

Plans to Put Thirty Super-Submarines on the High Seas by February the First—New Boats Fitted For Mine Laying

"STARVATION BLOCKADE"

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—Germany is shortly to establish a submarine "barrier" around England and France, attempting a "starvation blockade" herself, according to the general belief in these two nations, passengers on the White Star Liner Baltic said to-day.

According to this information Germany plans to notify the world about February first of the institution of this new form of blockade.

Germany will put into service thirty new 'super submarines' capable of 18 knots on the surface, armed with heavier guns than any undersea craft heretofore in service.

These new boats are said to be fitted also for extensive mine laying and able to cruise two thousand miles or more without replenishment of supplies.

Saturday Grain Market Report

Wheat Prices Unchanged — The Cattle Market

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, $2.08 7-8, track, bay ports; No. 2, $2.05 3-4; No. 3, $2.03 3-4; No. 4, $1.88 3-4; old crop, 4c above new crop.

Manitoba oats — No. 2 C.W. 72c; No. 3, 69c; extra No. 1 feed, 72c; No. 1 feed, 69 1-2c; all rail delivered.

American corn — No. 3, $1.12, shipment within 30 days.

Ontario oats—No. 2, white, 64c to 66c; No. 3 white, 63c to 65c.

Ontario wheat — No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1.82 to $1.84; No. 3, $1.80 to $1.82.

Peas—No. 2, nominal; car lots, $3.35.

Barley — Good malting, $1.20 to $1.23; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal, $1.28 to $1.30

Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal; No. 2, new, $1.40 to $1.42.

Manitoba flour — First patents, in jute bags, $9.90; second patents, in jute, $9.40; strong bakers, in jute, $9, Toronto.

Ontario flour — New winter, $7.40 to $7.50, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment; $7.25, bulk, seaboard, export grade.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered Montreal; shorts, $38; bran, $34; feed flour, per bag, $2.80.

Hay—Baled, No. 1, track, Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots, $12.50 to $13; No. 2, $9 to $11; straw $9.50 to $10.

Cattle Markets.

Latest quotations:

Heavy steers	$9.75 to	$10.50
Choice butcher	9.25	10.00
do good	8.50	9.00
do medium	7.75	8.25
do common	6.50	7.50
Heifers, good to choice	8.00	9.40
do medium	7.00	7.50
Butcher cows, choice	7.50	8.25
do medium	5.75	6.25
Butcher bulls, choice	7.50	8.50
do good	7.00	7.25
do medium	6.00	6.50
Feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs.	7.50	8.00
do bulls	6.25	6.50
Stockers, 700 to 800 lbs.	7.50	7.75
do, med., 650 to 750 lbs.	6.25	6.75
do light, 600 to 650 lbs.		6.50
Canners	5.00	5.25
Cutters	6.50	5.75
Sheep, light	8.50	10.00
do heavy	7.50	8.50
Spring lambs	10.75	15.00
Calves	8.00	13.00
Hogs, fed and watered		14.00
do, weighed off cars	14.25	

FARM STOCK SALE IN ENNISMORE

On Wednesday, January 24th an important auction sale of farm stock, implements, etc., will be held on the premises of Mr. James Guiry, Lot 6 in the 6th Concession of Ennismore. Mr. Guiry's stables contain some fifteen fine horses, well sired and well matched, a large number of pure bred cows and sires; also heifers, steers, and calves; as well as a lot of store hogs, etc. The implements are in good condition. Sale starts at 12 o'clock noon and lunch will be provided. Geo. Jackson, of Port Perry, Auctioneer. Mr. Guiry has rented his farm. Long distance 'phone. 4d-16

Five Steamers Were Torpedoed

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 22.—Lloyds report the torpedoing of one British, one Spanish and three Norwegian boats.

Raider Jammed With Ammunition

Neutrals Are Patrolling the Shore Line Fearing Violation of Neutrality—Six British Warships Added to the Number Now Chasing the German Sea Rover.

ONLY CARGO BOATS SUNK

Examiner Special:

Special Cable by H. D. Robertson. (Copyright 1911 by the United Press.)

RIO DE JANEIRO, January 22.—The first report indicating the general location of the German South Atlantic raider was received here. The Brazilian packet steamer Bahia reported she sighted a vessel, believed to be the raider, off the coast of Rio Grande do Norte on Thursday. The stranger was travelling north at a speed estimated at about 20 knots. No consort was sighted with her.

NEUTRALS PATROLLING COAST.

Practically all South American nations are taking steps strictly to guard the neutrality of their territorial waters. The Uruguayan Government sent the steamer Corsario from Montevideo to patrol its coastline. The Brazilian Government has already despatched several of its war vessels to back up enforcement of neutralty.

Meanwhile despatches up and down the South American coast indicated a concentration of allied warships in these waters. Wireless advices from the Falkland Islands said that six British warships had sped north from there, searching for the sea terror. Pernambuco reported arrival of two British auxiliary cruisers.

Evidence of the German's punctilous observance of every rule of war and of international law in all its captures was accumulating here. American Consul Gottschalk declared his official advices indicated a "predetermined plan to avoid attacks on passenger ships to avoid possibility of the loss of life of such travellers and any international complications."

ONLY CARGO BOATS SUNK.

Only cargo boats have so far been captured or sunk. The German sea rover is likewise scrupulously careful to hoist his true colours as soon as within gun range of vessels he overhauls, judging from survivors' stories received here from Pernambuco, although in most cases the raider adopted the strategem of flying British colours in the pursuit.

All those who have seen the raider united in declaring she is capable of great speed, and some of the survivors added that she was jammed to the hatches with ammunition.

All allied ship owners here have announced indefinite suspension of sailings, and are still anxiously awaiting news of several vessels which are now overdue.

Shipping on the Pacific coast of South America is likewise worried over the German raider, or raiders, since it is generally accepted here now that the original commerce destroyer has outfitted as auxiliary raiders one or more of her prizes. A number of messages have been despatched from Santiago, Chili, to the United States discussing some means of preventing the European war belligerents from hampering trade between the Americas.

The Prize-winners At The Peterboro' Poultry Show

Following are the rewards at Peterborough Poultry show, Jan. 9, 10, 11.

Silver cup for best male in show, Colored Dorking cock—Jas. Baptie, R. R. No. 5 Peterborough.

Silver cup for best female in show, White Wyandotte hen—A. Brault, Peterborough.

Silver cup for best shaped male in show, Colored Dorking cock—Jas. Baptie, R. R. No. 5 Peterborough.

Silver cup for most points in Black Orpingtons—Geo. Buller, Peterborough.

Silver cup for most points in White Wyandottes—A. Everson, Peterborough.

Silver cup for most points in Light Brahamas—Curtiss Bros., Warkworth

Silver cup for best White Wyandotte cockerel—Geo. Harris, Belleville.

Silver cup for most points in S. C. White Leghorns—Hibbert and Griffith, Wilfred, Ont.

Silver cup for most points in Barred Rocks—A. O. Kidd, Peterborough

Silver cup for most points in S. C. Black Minorcas—R. D. Robson, Peterborough.

Silver cup most points in Columbian Wyandottes—Harry Daniels, Lindsay.

Silver cup for most points in Golden-Laced Wyandottes—S. J. Cox, Colbourne.

Silver Fruit Bowl for most points in White Orpingtons—W. J. Munroe, Grafton.

Silver cup for most points in Black Hambings—H. T. Lush, Peterborough.

Hat for most points in Buff Rocks—John Meharry Peterborough.

Silver cup for most points in S. C. Brown Leghorns—Curtiss Bros. Warkworth.

Silver cup for most points in S. C. Rhode Island Reds—Geo. Buller, Peterborough.

Silver cup for most points in R. C. Brown Leghorns—Jack Hefferman, Peterborough.

Silver cup for best cock, hen, cockerel and pullet in show—Curtiss Bros. Peterborough.

Best Breeding Pen, heavy—H. T. Lush, Peterborough.

Best Breeding Pen, light—H. T Lush, Peterborough.

Most points in Partridge Wyandottes—Harry Daniels, Lindsay.

Most points in Black Cochin Bantams—Prottall and Sons, Bowmanville.

Best cock, hen, cockerel and pullet in White Wyandottes—A. Brault, Peterborough.

Most points in White Rocks—Curtiss Bros., Warkworth.

Most points in Silver S. Hamburgs—H. T. Lush, Peterborough

Best goose in show—S. J. Cox, Colbourne.

Best drake in show—H. J. Crowhurst, R. R. No. 2, Port Hope.

Most points in Silver Dorkings—J. J. Hartley, Peterborough.

Whitest bird in show, White Leghorn hen—A. H. Pigott, Sulphide.

Best Bird in English class, Colored Dorking cock—Jas. Baptie, R. R. 5 Peterborough.

Best Shaped Wyandotte, male, White Wyandotte, cockerel—Geo. Harris, Belleville.

Best Leghorn in show, White Leghorn, cock—A. H. Pigott, Sulphide.

Best Bantam in show, Rose Comb Bantam hen—Bothell and Sons, Bowmanville.

The following is a list of the awards:

Brahamas Light.—1-2 cock, 1-2 hen, 1-2 cockerel, 1-2 pullet—Curtiss Bros., Warkworth; 3 cock, 2 hen, E. S. Waite Belleville.

Brahamas Dark—1 cock, 3 hen, 1 cockerel—E. S. Waite, Belleville; 2-3 cock, 1 hen, 2 pullet—H. T. Lush, Peterborough; 2 hen, 2 cockerel, 1 pullet, Curtiss Bros., Warkworth; 3 cockerel, 3 pullet—F. L. Walsh, Warkworth.

Cochin Buff—1-2-3 cock, 1-2 hen, 1-2-3 cockerel, 1-2 pullet—H. T. Lush, Peterborough; 3 hen, 3 pullet—John Clancy, Peterborough.

Cochin Partridge—1 cock, 1 hen—H. T. Lush, Peterborough.

Cochin A.O.V.—2 cock, 2-3 hen, 1-2 cockerel, 1 pullet—F. L. Walsh, Warkworth.

Langshan—1 cock, 1 hen, 1 cockerel, 1 pullet—H. J. Munroe, Grafton; 2 cockerel—F. L. Walsh, Warkworth.

Plymouth Rock Barred—1 cock, Edgar Hayden, Cobourg; 2 cock, 3 cockerel, H J. Colwill, Port Hope; 3 cock, 3 pullet, R. H. Dilling, Bowmanville; 1 hen, 1-2-4 cockerel, 2 pullet, A. O. Kidd, Peterborough; 2 hen, H. J. Nesbitt, Peterborough; 3 hen, 1-4 pullet, Joe Kelly, Peterborough.

Plymouth Rock White—1 cock, 1 hen, H. J. Nesbitt, Peterborough; 2 hen, 1 cockerel, 1 pullet, Curtiss Bros., Warkworth; 3 cock, 3 hen, Hibbert and Griffith, Wilfred, Ont.

Plymouth Rock Buff—1-2 cock, 1-2 hen, John Meharry, Peterborough; 3 cock, 3 hen, 1 cockerel, 1 pullet, E. S. Waite, Belleville.

Plymouth Rock Partridge—1 cock, 1-2 hen, 1 cockerel, 1-2 pullet, Hibbert and Griffith, Wilfred, Ont.; 2-3 cock, L. F. Hadworth, Port Hope; 2 hen, 2 cockerel, 3 pullet, H. T. Abott, Peterborough; 3 cockerel, Harry Daniels, Lindsay.

Wyandotte Golden Laced—1-3 cock, 3 hen, 3 cockerel, H. T. Lush, Peterborough; 2 cock, 1-2 hen, 1 cockerel, 3 pullet, S. J. Cox, Colborne; 2 cock-

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SCOTT'S EMULSION
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Big Increase In Death Roll

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 22. — Lloyd's Weekly News says the death roll in Friday's munitions explosion is now between fifty and sixty, twenty-one of the injured having died since Saturday. There are still 112 receiving treatment, and 265 suffering from lighter injuries.

ACTIVITY ON THE WESTERN FRONT

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 22.—British official reports successful raid east of St. Eloi and the dispersing of enemy working parties northeast of Neuve Chappelle.

PARIS, Jan. 22. — Belgian guns counter-shelled enemy batteries in the Dixmude sector, where violent artillery duels were fought.

Col. W. C. MacDonald Instantly Killed At Union Station

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Jan. 22.—Colonel W. C. MacDonald, Managing Director of the Confederation Life and prominent in military activities, was instantly killed and four others seriously injured at the Union Station last night when a G.T.R. engine backed into the crowd which was seeing a draft of soldiers off.

OBITUARY

MRS. FRED W. SCOTT.

The death occurred in Nicholls Hospital, yesterday morning, of Mary McEwen, wife of Mr. Fred W. Scott, Chemong Road.

The funeral will take place to-morrow, Tuesday, Jan. 23rd, from the family residence, Chemong Road, to Little Lake cemetery, at 2 o'clock. Service at the house at 1.30 o'clock.

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Railway Time Tables

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
Corrected Jan. 15th, 1917.

7.00 a.m.—For Lakefield.
8.05 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg, and points east, connecting at Port Hope, for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 11.35 p.m.
9.25 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
3.20 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
10.30 p.m.—For Lakefield.
11.40 a.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
1.20 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
5.35 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
6.40 p.m.—For Lakefield.
8.55 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
9.05 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Boston.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
Corrected January 15 1917.

GOING EAST:
*2.40 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*12.12 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N. B., Boston and New York.
*1.20 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, and Ottawa.
**11.27 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and Intermediate points, and all points east of Montreal.

GOING WEST:
*4.50 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Galt, Woodstock, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*6.04 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
*7.35 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York. Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
**9.15 a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port Mc-Nichol and Intermediate points.
**3.45 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Buffalo, New York, Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, London, Detroit and Chicago.
**6.45 p.m.—North Toronto and West Toronto and Intermediate points.
*Daily. **Daily except Sunday.

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OUR SERIAL STORY

"DESTINY"

By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday.)

It would be a pleasant thing to paint the rehabilitation of Paul Burton, showing how the underlying qualities of manhood rose in adversity as they had never risen in opulence, and how love transformed him from a weakling into a hero. But veracity intervenes. In childhood his character had lacked stamina, and in manhood a hothouse atmosphere had stifled even what had been there in the beginning. For a short time after he had seen Marcia Terroll he fought the world and his own terrible weakness with such a resolution that he utterly burned up and consumed what spirit of combat was left within him. Perhaps the recording angel, counting not only results but handicaps, wrote on the greater ledger of human balances a generous merit mark for even that brief struggle.

Paul was like a weak swimmer in a strong undertow. He battled hard, and if he could not battle long it was because the measure of his strength was not a matter of his own choosing. For a while he held a position as organist of a church—and during those days he brought home the only revenue which came in. But that did not last. The truth must be told. Paul's fastidious spirit sickened at the sordid and tawdry, and when he discovered one day, through the unkind offices of a vagabond violinist, that it was possible to reconstruct a dream world, even in the midst of want and poverty, his hunger for tranquility triumphed over his resolve. With a hypodermic needle he picked the lock and threw open the gates of dreams. To himself he said it was only a temporary indulgence, to be put aside when he had conquered the agonies of that sleeplessness which had of late tortured him. Mary deprived of his aid, fought on alone, with all the fighting courage of the Burton blood at its best—and fought hopelessly.

Elizabeth Burton could not be left alone. Her mind had crumbled into such pitiful decay that her care chained the daughter in a rigorous confinement. Now even the opportunity for seeking employment was denied her.

The ruin of the Burton family was as total and complete as if fate were bent on tallying measure for measure their past magnificence. The quarters which Yamuro had chosen were given up and lodgings were taken of a far meaner sort.

If Mary needed a final twisting of the knife in her wounded life it came when there stood between them and the streets a single asset, and she went to realise on that, haggling with a pawn broker for her engagement ring.

Marcia Terroll came back to town for a brief stay between engagements and stopped with Dorothy Melliss at their old rooms. She had not dared to ask any questions about Paul, and the other girl would have refrained from volunteering information had she possessed it. Indeed it would have been unlikely that Dorothy would know anything of the submerged Burtons in this city where lives may run out parallel spans almost door to door, and never touch. But one evening as Marcia was crossing the square, just after the lights began to glow, a human derelict sidled up to her and accosted her with a mumbled petition for alms. The man was old, and his clothes though neatly patched were threadbare and worn. His face too was seamed, and his breath was alcoholic.

"Madam," he said in a low voice as he fell into step with her, "I was not always so unfortunate, nor am I responsible for my adversities. Could you—"

With a shudder of disgust Marcia quickened her pace, and the man fearful of the eye of the police authority dropped back. But Miss Marcia Terroll could never bring herself without a struggle to ignore the plea of old age. It struck her, too, that despite the panhandler's manner this man was yet in a fashion different. There was evidently someone who sought to keep him neatly mended up, for her woman's eye had caught that detail in a glance. Through his inebriety lurked a ghost like suggestion of past gentility. She turned impulsively back, beckoning to him as she searched her purse. In it were two quarters, and one of them she gave him.

"God bless you, madam," he began with a grotesque echo of the ancient pomposeness. "God knows I had never anticipated such a necessity."

As she hurried on, he removed his hat and bowed with an attempt at stateliness which held a pathos of burlesque.

Marcia Terroll was spared the hurt of knowing that the panhandler with whom she had divided the contents of her pocketbook, and whom she had thus enabled to buy five greatly desired glasses of beer, was the father of the man she loved.

So, though Mary Burton did not know it, this was the way old Tom picked out the very scant pin money she could spare him for his own method of drugging his sorrows.

CHAPTER XXXII.

An old year was dying and a young year was about to be born. Along the blazing stretch of Broadway from Thirtieth street to Columbus circle seethed and sounded the noisy saturnalia of New Year's Eve.

The street that never sleeps was tonight a human spill-way, churning in reshet. Between its walls went up the clamor of human threats raised in talk, in shouts, in song, in laughter, and in contest with the blaring of tin horns, the racket of rattlers and all those discordances that seek to swell pandemonium to the bursting of ear drums. Theatres were disgorging their "big-night" audiences and pedestrians moved in a congested mass, which battalions of traffic officers herded slowly as dogs herd crowded sheep.

An endless procession was this, in which human entities were molecules that crept, elbowing, jamming, laughing along. Holly wreathed windows bore in additional decoration, placards announcing, "This cafe is open all night." For this was the city's wild occasion of suspended laws, when two edicts only hold in the favored points of rendezvous. "Nothing barred wine," and, "Everything goes."

Vendors of paper caps, false moustaches, confetti, balloons and all the noise swelling devices ever bred of deviltry, hawked their wares along the curbs, and the furs of women glittered with atoms of colored paper.

Within the restaurants and cabarets was added to the outer din a popping of corks, a fanfare of orchestras and the songs of supper guests at tables and dancers on the floors.

Already a sequence of wild scenes telescoped themselves along the White Way, but the evening was yet young and would ripen toward fulfilment as the hours progressed. Its Bacchanal zenith would be reached after the million lights of these gilded palaces had died—like the snuffing of a single candle—into the five minutes of dark hush which heralds the changing year.

Along the uproarious sidewalks pressing ragged shoulders to the richness of ermine and seal, drifted many hopeless derelicts, but to-night was to be a night of forgetting them, of forgetting everything save that it was a "large evening" and that life held only the present clarion of gaiety. The tragedy under this thin crust must be ignored. Mirth must be crowned laughter must be enthroned; glasses must sparkle and clink and such individuals as elected to remain sober, must look indulgently and unfailingly on scenes which at another time would require a blush. To blush on Broadway on New Year's eve would be a misdemeanour. It does not happen.

One splinter of human drift which was carried along on the tide gazed about out of a chalky face—morphia-stamped. This chip on the churning eddy bore the name of Paul Burton. He had of course no business there. For him there was no reasonable prospect of a Happy New Year. There still remained a roof—of a sort—to cover him when he went home, which was not so often as it should be, and he still wore a suit of decent cut, though of a past fashion, but in its pockets there was no jingle of coins. Passively Paul had been drawn into the maelstrom of the marching crowds yet he was not of its membership. He could not turn in at any of the doors that blazed with light and invitation. But he had certain dreams which vaguely recompensed him—and in his pockets was a hypodermic needle.

At Longacre square, where the swirl and eddy of human currents meet and become a cauldron and a whirlpool, he was held up at a crossing while the crowd shrunk back on itself, waiting the raised hand of the traffic policeman.

Finding himself jostled, he glanced languidly over his shoulder. The needle makes for such languidness at times between its moments of dreaming and its moments of jumping nerves.

Several men in evening dress, and fur coats surrounded him, and he knew them all. The face of Norvil Phayre was laughing into his and he recognized that an evening well started had painted its flush on the cheeks of each of them.

"My word, Burton!" laughed the Englishman. "I haven't seen you since the War of the Roses. How goes it lad?" Then, even in his heightened gaiety of mood, Thayre recognized the want and distress which had left their impress and pallor on this face, and his eyes sobered. With the other rules of the season he felt felt that forgetfulness of the past accorded, so he hastened to add, "You know these fellows. Fall in and hike along with us. We have a table reserved at Kenley's, and it's close to the platform. I dare say we shan't miss many tricks."

A deep embarrassment flooded the face of the outcast. He who had once numbered these men among his associates felt sensitively the pinched poverty of his present condition and its contrast with their Persian lamb collars, otter lined coats and their white shirt fronts of evening dress.

"Thank you," he said gravely, "I'm afraid I can't. Your party is made up, and—and—"

But as he stammered to a pause Thayre slapped him heartily on the back, and the others, with voices of more advanced inebriety, made it a chorus of insistence.

"'Twill do you no harm, my lad," declared the Englishman. "A little nonsense now and then—" You know the old saw. A bite of mixed grill, and a beaker of bubbles will buck you up, no end."

The musician hesitated, very deeply tempted. To sit at table with white damask and clear glass, and once more to eat such things as they serve at Kenley's! The idea could not be lightly dismissed. Besides he felt suddenly giddy and weak. He frequently felt so these days and if he accepted he could rest quietly until the vertigo passed.

"I say—of course," Thayre leaned forward and explained in a lowered voice, "you go as my guest. I'm giving the party to-night."

Ten minutes later, retrieved from the street, Paul Burton sat near the edge of the cabaret platform in a cafe where every table had been reserved long in advance and from whose doors many eager applicants were being turned away.

Nearby, too, was the space reserved for dancing, and as Paul drank his first glance of champagne the bubbles rose and raced merrily through his thin blood, lifting him out of his squalid reality into an echo world of irresponsibility. The crowd on the floor were swirling to a delirious dance tune while above their heads shot up the white arms of women and the black arms of men, to keep dozens of multi-colored toy balloons afloat over them.

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Paul Burton's hosts had arrived at the stage of mellow exhilaration, but over Paul himself, as his eyes met the great clock which was to herald the eventful moment fell a sudden shadow of black depression. Another year to face! He thought of what he had to do with this one—and of what he had done! Those last moments in his music room rose to his memory and now carried a penalty which slugged his heart into an intensity of shame and misery. Paul Burton, sitting here with this thin semblance of merriment around him, saw himself once again very clearly for what he was.

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OUR DAILY SHORT STORY

A Way Around a Difficulty

By ELINOR MARSH

Mrs. Haskins had but one person in the world to tie to; that was Alice Neil. The old lady had the usual selfishness of one of her age and condition and would not on any account consent that Alice should marry.

"But, grandma," argued the girl, 'suppose I marry and you continued to live with me?"

"That wouldn't do at all. No house is large enough for two families. No, Alice, you can't marry as long as I live. I took you when you were a little girl, and but for me you would have had no home. Now that I have no home but with you, it is your duty to remain single and take care of me."

That ended the dialogue. Alice sighed, for she had a lover who was arguing on the other side of the question. He admitted that Alice should continue to make a home for her grandmother, but he offered to take upon himself a case of mother-in-law, or, rather, of grandmother-in-law, which was worse, and argued that the old woman should be satisfied with this. But so long as she would consent to nothing but Alice's spinsterhood there was nothing for it except that Alice should remain a spinster.

Fred Martin, Alice's lover, finally persuaded her to a marriage which should be concealed from her grandmother. The old lady was so feeble that the couple did not expect her to live very long, and while she did live this plan would enable Alice to take care of her on her grandmother's own conditions. Of course it would be hard on Fred and Alice, but after all wouldn't it be better than for both to grow old separated or better even than a case of grandmother-in-law, for, so far as the old woman was concerned, Fred would be nonexistent.

So the couple were married, and Fred fitted up a house near where his wife lived, he taking up his abode in single blessedness, except when Alice could visit him. The old lady went to bed at 9 o'clock, and when she was asleep Alice would slip out and go to be home where she really belonged. They kept a maid, so that if Mrs. Haskins woke up and Alice wasn't on hand the maid could say she had stepped around the corner to buy something.

This was not exactly home life, but as Fred was at work all day, not returning usually till after 7 o'clock, it was not so bad, and it was not obligatory on his wife to hurry home. By and by Alice told her grandmother that she must go to a hospital for a few weeks, and the old lady was obliged to remain in care of the maid.

After Alice was discharged from the hospital there was a period when she was continually running out for something. But she could not go often enough for her purpose, so one morning when she was away and the maid was engaged the old lady answered a ring at the doorbell, and there on the step was a three-weeks-old baby.

Mrs. Haskins took the little thing up in her arms, and when Alice came home she found her grandmother dandling it on her knee in a very motherly sort of way. The old lady wouldn't consent that the child should be sent away, so Alice was obliged to divide its motherhood with her. It wasn't long before the one woman was as fond of the child as the other.

Then one day the postman brought a note signed by a man who claimed to be the baby's father, saying that he regretted parting with it and asking that it be sent to him. This put the old lady in great distress. Alice wrote a letter to the father—at her grandmother's dictation—begging the father to leave the child where it was, he being permitted to come and see it whenever he liked.

This brought a man who gave his name as Frederick Martin, and after a conference in which he insisted that unless they would take him to board he would take the child away, Mrs. Haskins consented, and the family was increased by one man.

After awhile Fred began to pour a tale of woe into Mrs. Haskins' ear. His wife had deserted him and her child for her grandmother. The old lady was so indignant at the "old crone," as she called the grandmother, that she could scarcely contain herself.

Meanwhile the old lady noticed that Fred and Alice were together a good deal, and she wished Fred's wife would die so that he could marry Alice and the baby could have a mother as well as a father. When the pear was ripe Fred came home one evening and announced that his wife was "no more."

He tried hard to appear respectful to his wife's memory, but found it difficult. This was not remarkable since the departed had treated both her husband and her child so badly. Mrs. Haskins averred that no respect whatever was due her; that she had been a soulless, shameless creature, and the sooner Martin forgot her the better. As for Alice, she maintained a discreet silence, which her grandmother attributed to an expectation that she would take the lost wife's place.

The old lady after this was very impatient to learn that the widower had proposed to Alice. She was not long kept waiting for the announcement or the wedding. After the ceremony she fell on her grandson-in-law's shoulder and hoped heaven would punish that "old cat" who had caused him so much trouble.

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Most national anthems are the result of either inspiration or chance. Some, like the "Marseillaise," are born of patriotism at a white heat; others are fortuitous adaptations of old tunes to catchy words. But the Russian hymn was written and composed to order—and there is nothing grander. It is a triumph of absolute monarchy.

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You can recognize all the Stores where DOLLAR SPECIALS are being given by the RED LETTERED PENNANTS IN THEIR WINDOWS.

THE PRIZE-WINNERS AT THE PETERBORO' POULTRY SHOW

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erel, 1-2 pullet, A. Cripps, Peterborough.

Wyandotte Silver Laced—1 cock, 3 hen, M. McDowell, Cavan; 2 cock, 2-4 hen, 2-3 cockerel, H. T. Lush, Peterborough; 3 cock, 1 hen, 1 cockerel, 1-2-3 pullet—Jas. Baptie, Peterborough.

Wyandotte White—1-2 cock, 2-4-5 hen, A. Everson Peterborough; 3 cock 1-3 hen, 5 cockerel, 3-5 pullet, A. Brault, Peterborough; 1-3 cockerel, 2 pullet, Geo. Harris, Belleville; 2 cockerel, A. Kingdon, Peterborough; 4 cockerel, 4 pullet, Leanord Fisher, Oshawa; 1 pullet, Jas. Vinson, Oshawa.

Wyandotte Black—1 cock, 2 hen, Geo. Buller, Peterborough; 2 cock, H. J. Colwell, Port Hope; 1 hen, A. O. Kidd, Peterborough; 3 hen, H. T. Lush, Peterborough.

Wyandotte Partridge—1 cock, C. H. Law, Oshawa; 2 cock, 1-3 hen, 3 cockerel, 1-3 pullet, Harry Daniels, Lindsay, 3 cock, 2 hen, 1-2 cockerel, 3 pullet, Geo. Harris, Belleville.

Wyandotte Buff—1 cock, 1-2 hen, 3 pullet, Harry Daniels, Lindsay; 3 hen, 1-2 cockerel, 1-2 pullet, H. T. Lush, Peterborough.

Wyandotte Columbian—1 cock, 3 hen, Geo. Dunsford, Peterborough; 2-3 cock, 1-2 hen, 1-3 cockerel, 1-2 pullet, Harry Daniels, Lindsay; 2 cockerel, 3 pullet, Elliott Bros., Peterborough.

Javas—1 cock, 1-2 hen, 1-3 pullet, Bothell and Sons, Bowmanville; 2 pullet, F. L. Walsh, Warkworth.

Orpington Buff—1 cock, 1 cockerel, 1 pullet, C. F. Brown, Peterborough; 2 cock, J. E. Bennett, Peterborough; 3 cock, 2 hen, 2-3 cockerel, 5 pullet, T. R. Stewart, Bobcaygeon; 5 pullet, Guerin, Peterborough; 3 hen S. A. Oke, Peterborough; 2-3-4 pullet, Edgar Hayden, Cobourg.

Orpington Black—1-3 cock, 1-2 hen, 2-3 cockerel, Geo. Buller, Peterborough; 2 cock, John Clancy, Peterborough; 3 hen, 3 pullet, H. J. Munroe, Grafton; 1 cockerel, 1 pullet Jas. Baptie, R. R. 5 Peterborough; 2 pullet, A. G. Austin, Wooler.

Orpington White—1 cock, 1-2 hen, 1 cockerel, 1-2 pullet, H. J. Munroe, Grafton; 2-3 cock, H. T. Lush, Peterborough; 3 hen, H. H. Lord, Campbellcroft; 2 cockerel, E. S. Waite, Belleville; 3 cockerel, 3 pullet, P. G. Pirie, Peterborough.

Orpington Blue—1-2-3 cock, 1-2-3 hen, 1 cockerel, 1 pullet, F. H. Brown Port Hope.

Rhode Island Red R. C.—1 cock, 3 hen, 2 cockerel, 1-2 pullet, Geo. Buller, Peterborough; 2 cock, W. Guerin, Peterborough; 3 cock, 3 cockerel, J. McNulty, Belleville; 1-2 hen, 1 cockerel, Hibbert and Griffith, Wilfrid, Ont.; 3 pullet, Thos Darrah, Peterborough.

Rhode Island Red S. C.—1 cock, 2-3 hen; 2 cockerel, 2 pullet, Dowton and Gardiner, Parkdale, Toronto; 2 cock, 1 hen, 1 cockerel 1-3 pullet Geo. Buller, Peterborough; 3 cock, 3 cockerel, C. W. Law, Oshawa.

Dorkings Silver—1 cock, 2 hen, Jas. Booth, Peterborough; 2-3 cock, 1-3 hen, 1-2 cockerel, 1-2 pullet, J. J. Hartley, Peterborough.

Dorkings Colored—1-2 cock, 1-2 hen, 1-2 cockerel, 1-2 pullet, Jas Baptie, R. R. 5 Peterborough.

Houdans.—1-3 cock, 1-2 hen, 1-2-3 cockerel, 1-2-3 pullet, Victor Suggitt; Valentia; 2 cock, 3 hen, H. T. Lush, Peterborough.

Spanish Black.—1 cock, 1 hen, Curtiss Bros., Warkworth; 1 cockerel, 1-2 pullet, H. H. Lord, Campbellcroft.

Anconas.—1 cock, 1 hen, 2 cockerel, 2 pullet, John Clancy, Peterborough; 1 cockerel, 1 pullet, Curtiss Bros., Warkworth.

Campines Silver.—1 cock, 3 hen, Jas. Booth, Peterborough; 2 cock, 2 hen, 1 cockerel, 1 pullet, H. H. Lord, Campbellcroft; 3 cock, 1 hen, 2 pullet, W. C. Pakenham, Norwood; 2-3 cockerel, 3 puller. A. Kingdon, R. R. 3 Peterborough.

Campines Golden.—1 cock, 1-2 hen, 1-2 cockerel, 1-3 pullet, D. R. Gardiner, Peterborough; 3 cockerel, Frank Lawless, Peterborough; 2 pullet, A. G. Austin, Wooler.

Leghorns Black.—1 cock, 1 hen, Bothell and Sons, Bowmanville; 2 cock, 2 hen, 1-2 cockerel, 1-2-3 pullet, H. T. Lush, Peterborough.

Leghorns R. C. White—1 hen, E. S. Waite, Belleville.

Leghorns S. C. White.—1 cock, 1 hen, A. H. Pigott, Sulphide; 2 cock, 2 hen, Earnest Campbell, Oshawa; 3 cock, Thos. Stenton, Peterborough; 3 hen, 1-2 cockerel, 1-2 pullet, Hibbert and Griffith, Wilfrid, Ont.; 3 cockerel, Curtiss Bros., Warkworth; 3 pullet, Earnest Thompson, Belleville.

Leghorns R. C. Brown.—1-2-3 cock, 1-2-3 hen, 1 cockerel, 1-2-3 pullet, Jack Heffernan, Peterborough; 2-3 cockerel, J. C. Campbell, Campbellcroft.

Leghorns S. C. Brown.—1 cock, 2 hen, Jack Heffernan, Peterborough; 2-3 cock, 1-2 hen, 1-2 cockerel, 1-2 pullet, Curtiss Bros., Warkworth.

Leghorns Buff.—1 cock, 1-3 hen, R. H. Dilling, Bowmanville; 2 hen, 1 cockerel, P. H. Smednor, Peterborough.

Minorcas S. C. Black.—1 cock, 1-5 hen, 1-3 cockerel, 1-3 pullet, R. D. Robson, Peterborough; 2 cock, Bothell and Sons, Bowmanville; 3 cock, 2 hen F. L. Walsh, Warkworth; 2 hen 2 pullet, Robt. Fox, Port Hope; 4 hen, 2 cockerel, Edgar Hayden, Cobourg.

Minorcas A.O.V.—1 cock, 2 hen, 2 cockerel, 3 pullet, Sam Jordan, Peterborough; 2 cock, 1 hen, 1 cockerel, 1 pullet, Earnest Thompson Belleville; 3 cock, 3 hen, 2 cockerel, 2 pullet, Curtiss Bros., Warkworth.

Andelusions Blue.—1 cock, 1-3 hen, 1-3 cockerel, 2-3 pullet, F. H. Brown, Port Hope; 2 cock, E. S. Waite, Belleville; 3 cock, W. E. Pakenham, Norwood; 2 hen, Thos. Danch, Peterborough; 2 cockerel, 1 pullet, H. J. Colwell, Port Hope.

Games Cornish.—1 cock, 2 hen, Curtiss Bros., Warkworth; 2 cock, 1 hen, 3 pullet, F. L. Walsh, Warkworth; 3 cock, 3 hen, 1 pullet, Bothell and Sons Bowmanville; 1 cockerel, Jas. Lewis, Peterborough; 2 cockerel, W. E. Pakenham, Norwood; 3 cockerel, 2 pullet, P. Hartley, Peterborough.

Games Black, Brown or Red.—1 cock, 1-2 hen, 1 cockerel, 1-2 pullet, Bothell and Sons, Bowmanville.

Games Duckwing or Pyle.—1 cockerel, Bothell and Sons, Bowmanville.

Games Pet A. O.—1 cock, 3 hen, Bothell and sons, Bowmanville, 2 cock, 1 hen, 1 cockerel, 1 pullet, Curtiss Bros., Warkworth; 3 cock, R. Bugg, Peterborough; 2 hen, P. Hartley, Peterborough; 2 cockerel, 2 pullet, Frank Chambo, Peterborough.

Duckwing Game Bantams—1 cock, 1and 2, hen; 1, cockerel, 1 pullet, Bottrell and Sons, Bowmanville.

Pyle Game Bantams—1 cock, 1 and 2 hen, 1 cockerel, 1 pullet, Bottrell and Sons, Bowmanville.

Bantams, Sesbright Golden—1 and 2. cock; 1 and 3, hen; 1 and 2, cockerel; 2, pullet, Bottrell and Sons, Bowmanville; 3, cock; 1, pullet, H. T. Lush, Peterborough; 2, hen; 3, cockerel; 3, pullet, Thos. Northey, Oshawa.

Bantams, Seabright, silver—1 cock. 1 and 3, hen; 1, cockerel; 1, pullet, Bottrell and Sons Bowmanville; 2, hen; 2, cockerel, H. T. Lush, Peterborough.

Bantams, Rose Comb, A.C.—1, cock, 1 and 3, hen; 2, cockerel; 1, pullet; Bottrell and Sons, Bowmanville; 2, cock; 1, cockerel; 2, pullet, H. J. Colwill, Port Hope; 3, cock; 2, hen; Bert Letts, Lindsay; 3, cockerel, 3, pullet, Thos. Northey, Oshawa.

Cochin Buff Bantams—1, cock, 1, hen, Bert Letts, Lindsay; 2, cock; 2, hen; 1, cockerel; 1, pullet; Bottrell and Sons, Bowmanville; 3, hen; Thos. Northey, Oshawa; 2, cockerel, 2, pullet, Victor Suggett, Valentia, Ont.; 3, cockerel; 3, pullet, H. T. Lush Peterborough.

Cochin Black Bantams—1, cock; 2, hen; Thos. Northey, Oshawa; 2, cock; 3, cockerel; 1, pullet, Bottrell and Sons, Bowmanville; 3, cock; 1, hen; Bert Letts, Lindsay; 3, hen; 2, cockerel; E. S. Waite, Belleville; 1, cockerel; 2, pullet, H. T. Lush Peterborough.

Cochin White Bantams—1, cock, 1, hen; 2, cockerel; 1, pullet, Bottrell and Sons, Bowmanville; 2, cock; 3, hen; 1, cockerel; 3 pullet; Bert Letts Lindsay; 3, cock; 2, hen, Thos. Northey, Oshawa; 3, cockerel, F. L. Walsh, Warkworth.

A.O.V. Clean Leg Bantams—1 cock, 1, hen, Thoomas Northey, Oshawa; 2, cock; 2, hen; 1, cockerel; 1, pullet; W. W. Lord, Campbellcroft; 3, cock; 3, hen; Elliott Bros., Peterborough.

A. O. V. Feather Leg Bantams—1, cock; 2, hen; 1, cockerel; 2, pullet, Bottrell and Sons, Bowmanville; 2, cock; 1, hen; 2, cockerel; 1, pullet, W. W. Lord Campbellcroft.

Poland's U.C.B.—1 cock, 1 hen, 2-3 cockerel, 1-2 pullet, H. T. Lush, Peterborough; 1, cockerel, Leanord Fisher, Oshawa.

Polands Golden.—1 cock, 2 hen, F. L. Walsh, Warkworth; 1 hen, 1 cockerel, 1 pullet, H. H. Lord, Campbellcroft.

Polands Silver.—1 cockerel, 1 pullet, H. H. Lord, Campbellcroft.

Red Caps.—1 cock, 1 hen, 1 pullet, W. J. Munroe, Grafton.

Hamburgs Black.—1-2 cock, 3 hen, 3 cockerel, 1-3 pullet, H. T. Lush, Peterborough; 3 cock, 4 hen, 1 cockerel, Curtiss Bros., Warkworth; 4 cock, 4 cockerel, P. Hartley, Peterborough; 1-2 hen, 2 cockerel 2-4 pullet, Jas. Baptie, R. R. 5 Peterborough.

Hamburgs Golden Spangled.—1 cock, 1 cockerel, 1-2 pullet, Curtiss Bros., Warkworth; 2-3 cock, 1-2-3 hen, 3 cockerel, 3 pullet, H. T. Lush, Peterborough, 2 cockerel, Jas Baptie, R. R. 5 Peterborough.

Hamburgs Silver Spangled.—1-2 cock 1-3 hen, 1-2 cockerel, 2 pullet, H. T. Lush, Peterborough; 3 cock, 2 hen, 3 cockerel, 1-3 pullet, Curtiss Bros., Warkworth.

Hamburgs Silver Pencilled—1 cock, 1 hen, 1 cockerel, 1-2 pullet, H. T. Lush Peterborough.

Hamburgs Golden Pencilled.—1-2 cock, 1-2 hen, 1-2 cockerel, 1-2 pullet, H. T. Lush, Peterborough.

Silkies.—1 cock, Bothell and Sons, Bowmanville; 2 cock, 1 pullet. H. T. Abbott, Peterborough.

Guinea Fowl.—1 cock, 1 hen, 1 cockerel, 2 pullet, H. H. Lord, Campbellcroft; 2 cock, 2 hen, 2 cockerel, 1 pullet, Curtiss Bros. Warkworth.

Black Red Game Bantams.—1 cock, 1-2 hen, 1 cockerel, 1 pullet, Bothell and Sons, Bowmanville.

Brown Red Game Bantams.—1-2 hen, 1 cockerel, 1-2 pullet, Bothell and Sons, Bowmanville.

Pigeons, Fantails—1 W. J. Colwill, Port Hope.

Pigeons, Jacobins — 1 Bottrell & Sons, Bowmanville.

Pigeons, Homers—1 and 3 Bottrell & Sons, Bowmanville, 2 E. S. Waite, Belleville.

Pigeons, Tumblers—1 and 2 Bottrell & Sons, Bowmanville.

Pigeons, Owls—1 Bottrell & Sons, Bowmanville.

Pigeons, Carriers—1 Bottrell & Sons, Bowmanville.

Pigeon, A.O.V.—1 and 2 Bottrell & Sons, Bowmanville, 2 E. S. Waite, Belleville.

Pigeons, Best Collection—1 Bottrell & Sons, Bowmanville, 2 E. S. Waite, Belleville.

Belgian Hares—1 and 2 E. T. Lush, Peterborough, 3 W. G. Lamb, Peterborough.

Rabbits, A.O.V.—1 Bottrell & Sons, Bowmanville, 2 and 3 E. T. Lush, Peterborough.

Turkeys, Bronze—1 cock, 1 hen, 1 cockerel, 1 pullet, S. J. Cox, Colborne.

Geese, Toulouse—1 cock, 1, 2, 3 hen, 1, 2 cockerel, 1, 2 pullet, S. J. Cox, Colborne, 2 cock, 3 cockerel, 3 pullet, W. J. Crowbush, Port Hope; 3 cock, Curtiss Bros., Warkworth.

Geese, Embdury—1 cock, 1 hen, 1 pullet, W. H. Lord, Campbellford.

Geese, A.O.V.—1 cock, 2 hen, 1 cockerel, 1 pullet, Curtiss Bros., Warkworth, 2 cock, 3 hen, 2 cockerel, 3 pullet, S. J. Cox, Colborne; 3 cock, 1 hen, 2 pullet, W. H. Lord, Campbellcroft.

Ducks, Aylsbury—1 cock, 1 hen, 1 cockerel, Curtiss Bros., Warkworth.

Ducks, Pekin—1 and 3 cock, 1 and 2 hen, 1 and 2 cockerel, 1 and 2 pullet, W. J. Crowbursh, Port Hope; 3 cock, S. J. Cox, Colborne.

Ducks, Rouen—1 and 2 cock, 2 and 3 hen, 1 and 2 cockerel, W. J. Crowburah, Port Hope; 3 cock, 1 hen, S. J. Cox, Colborne.

Ducks, Cayuga—1 cock, 1 hen, 1 and 3 cockerel, 2 and 3 pullet, Jas. Baptie, R.R. No. 5. Peterborough; 2 cock, 2 hen, 2 cockerel, 1 pullet, S. J. Cox, Colborne.

Ducks, Indian Runner— 1 and 2 cock, 1 and 2 hen, 1 and 2 cockerel, 1 and 2 pullet, W. H. Lord, Campbellcroft; 3 hen, 3 cockerel, 3 pullet, Wilfrid Brown, Peterborough.

Ducks, A.O.V.—1 and 2 hen, 1 cockerel, 1 and 2 pullet, S. J. Cox, Colborne.

Dressed Chickens—1 and 2 S. A. Oke, Peterborough.

One Dozen Eggs, Brown—1 G. A. Bendelon, R.R. No. 1, Ida, 2 S. A. Oke, Peterborough, 3 Joe Kelly, Peterborough.

Breeding Pen, Heavy—1 H. T. Lush, Peterborough, 2 C. W. Law, Oshawa, 3 Jas. Vinson, Oshawa.

Breeding Pen, Light—1 H. T. Lush, Peterborough, 2 Hibbert Griffith, Wilfred, Ont., 3 F. H. Brown, Port Hope.

Sales Class, Heavy—1 A. Everson, Peterborough, 2 and 4 Jas. Baptie, R. R. No. 5, Peterborough, 3 H. T. Lush, Peterborough, 5 Joe Kelly, Peterborough.

Sales Class, Light—1 Jas. Baptie, R. R. No. , Peterborough, 2, 4 and 5 H. T. Lush, Peterborough, 3 Edgar Hayden, Cobourg.

Buchin Game Bantams—1, cock; 1 and 2, hen; 1 and 2, cockerel, 1 and 2, pullet. Bottrell and Sons, Bowmanville; 3, hen, H. T. Lush, Peterborough.

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A PRESENTATION AT COLDSPRINGS

At a social evening held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Pamment of Coldsprings, the following address accompanied a presentation of a watch to Miss Bennet:

Dear Miss Bennet,—We, the members of your Sunday School Class and some of your many friends thought that this gathering would be a good opportunity to express to you our appreciation of your untiring and unselfish interest, not only as teacher of your class, but in the community as a whole.

Many times you must have felt discouraged when you had difficulties to surmount, but "every cloud has its silver lining," and your work has, and will bring forth in time, the results you desire.

We would ask you to accept this watch, not as a reward for what you have done; we could not do that, but as a slight, tangible token of our esteem, and we trust that in the wearing of it you may think of the time you have redeemed in helping to fit us for the better life.

We know and appreciate any little token we give you, so we do not expect any reply, but we hope to spend many social times together, such as we are having to-night.

(Signed)—Mrs. Reid, Cassie Gillespie, Mrs. Tully, Mrs. Pamment.

A WORD OF GRATITUDE.

"In justice to humanity I want to tell you that I was a great sufferer from itching piles, and have found Dr. Chase's Ointment the best treatment obtainable," writes Mr. Fred Hins, Brodhagen, Ont. "It gives instant relief and I can recommend it to any sufferer from this dreadful disease."

Appeal For Women Workers

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 22.—Urgent appeal issued by the Minister of Munitions for eight thousand women workers.

BIRMINGHAM, Jan. 22.—Arthur Chamberlain says recourse will be had to compulsory national service if appeal for voluntary workers fail.

AFTER SICKNESS

How To Recover Strength

So many Peterboro people are asking how to recover their strength after sickness that we are publishing this information for their benefit.

After grippe, pleurisy, pneumonia or any illness what you need is new strength and richer blood.

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MATCH FACTORY FIRE TRIAL BEGINS

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.— The heavy chained trapdoor which was at the head of the stairs leading from the third floor to the fourth floor of the Diamond factory building, in North Sixth street, Williamsburg, which burned November 6, 1915, with the loss of twelve lives, was put in evidence at the trial of Samuel Barkin. The trial was before Justice Kapper in the Criminal Branch of the Supreme Court in Brooklyn, on an indictment charging manslaughter.

Barkin was present of the Essex Waist Company, which occupied the third floor, and it is charged that because the door was locked from beneath, persons trying to escape by way of this door, perished.

Captain Isaac Ludgate, of Truck No. 104, testified that when he searched the ruins the day after the fire for bodies he went to the third floor and examined this trapdoor. He swore that it was fastened so securely from below that tools were necessary to unlock the bolt. He said there was a staple and a piece of iron on the upper side of the door but this was not fastened.

Edward J. Connolly fireman assigned to Engine Company No. 221, told of arriving at the first on the first alarm. He said smoke and flames were belching from the lower stories and frenzied employes in the building filed the fire escapes. Ladders were raised, but the fire became so hot that the firemen had to retreat after making man rescues and left about a dozen persons on the upper fire escapes who had been overcome by smoke. These persons perished, and he said he believed that one of them was Rose Goldman, responsibility for whose death Barkin is specifically accused of.

Meier Steinbrink, counsel for Barkin, at this point announced he was willing to concede that the young man perished in the building at this fire. Justice Kapper refused to allow this concession to go on the record and directed that the prosecution be permitted to prove it in the usual way.

Frank P. Keniston, of the Bureau of Fire Prevention, testified he saw the trapdoor in Fire Headquarters, Manahttan, a day or two after the fire and observed a man unscrewing one of the nuts that held the bolt in place. He reprimanded the ran sharply, and the man rerarked: "I merely wished to see how my partner had done it." The witness said he subsequently found out that this man was Barkin.

The trial will be continued.

Defends Italy's Aim To Gain Territory

ROME, Jan. 20.—Italy's territorial aspirations in connection with the war were explained and defended by Francesco Ruffini, Minister of Public Instruction and a historian of prominence.

"In the note of the Allies to President Wilson," he said, "they make a point which is understandable to neutrals, and particularly to America. Italy, no less than her allies, awaits with calm confidence the realization of the aims set forth in that passage of the note which refers to the redemption of Italians subject to Austria. The German press seeks to depict Italy as desirous of conquests, but American public opinion, so far-seeing, so well educated to freedom and to a deep spirit of national unity, cannot confound brutal lust of conquest with a justified claim to territories with populations like those of the Trentino, Istria and Dalmatia.

"These territories have had only one civilization in their history, that of Italy, and only one great humiliation—which must cease—that of foreign domination which attempted to destroy the principle of nationality. America knows well that Italy, notwithstanding these just claims, abstained from any provocation before European conflagration, being occupied only with her peaceful development. Austria was responsible for the outbreak of the conflict, having willed war with Serbia after provoking Italy 100 times with violent persecution of Italians of Trent, Trieste, Fiume and Zara, whom she denied even the right to educate themelves in their own language.

"Once the conflagration was ignited, Italy felt that fate called her to complete her national unity and resume her just and holy work and her wars of independence, which have been studied with such enthusiasm by your illustrious American historians. Only those who are ignorant of the history of Austria's violent usurpations were surprised by Italy's action, initiated by her victorious armies, or considered her just claims to be ambition for conquest. Italy faced the terrible sacrifices of blood and riches imposed by the war with that same religious spirit which animated all the deeds of her national resurrection, of which America's attainment of independence was so full.

"Italy counts on the considered and tranquil judgment of American public opinion which, while justly desiring the return of peace, cannot, if it examines the origin of the conflict and the problem raised thereby, wish that the European equilibrium, broken by violence in 1914, be replaced to-day by a premature and unfruitful peace containing the germs of graver conflicts in the future."

SINN FEINER NOW IN U.S.

Formally Admitted to Republic After Exciting Adventures and Escape.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 22. — After experiences fit to grace the pages of the most exciting of novels, Thomas Kenney, 37, prominent participant in the Sinn Fein uprising in Ireland, was formally admitted to the United States, and his story first became known.

Kenney, after being in the midst of the uprising, had a price placed upon his head by the British Government similar to that of many who were later apprehended. He took refuge in the hills of Galway. While there he several times escaped searching groups of soldiers by digging holes in the sand and burying himself, with nothing but his nose free, that he might breathe.

Sympathizers managed to get him to Dublin, and later to Liverpool, where he spent some time in hiding. His friends procured a berth for him aboard the British steamer Hyraspes as a fireman under the assumed name of Jim Donovan. His story first became known Saturday when he was formally admitted to this country by the Boston immigration authorities. He is now with his sister at her home in Cambridge.

Kenney was a well-known football player, referee, and all-round sportsman in Ireland.

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Uncoloured Japan tea, per pound 40c. 3 pound $1.10
Choice pink salmon, can ..... 15c.
Sweet wrinkle peas (special) 2 cans 25c.
Corn flakes, 3 pkgs. for ..... 25c.
Fresh rolled oats, 5 pound ..... 25c.
Sour pickles, better than home-made, quart ..... 25c.
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PRESIDENT WILSON'S PEACE PROGRAMME

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PRESIDENT WILSON PROPOSES THE MONROE DOCTRINE FOR WHOLE WORLD

Every People Should Be Left Free to Determine Its Own Policy the Chief Executive of United States Tells the Senate To-day in Outlining a Programme of Peace For the World---Discusses the Reply of the Belligerents to His Peace Note.

A SUMMARY OF TO-DAY'S WAR CABLES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, January 22. — Speaking, he said, "for liberals and friends of humanity in every nation and of every programme of liberty," President Wilson to-day outlined to the United States Senate a programme of peace for the world, which he believes, would keep all the world safe from future aggression. He declares that only peace which can last is a peace based upon "equality and a common participation in a common benefit."

The guarantees exchanged, he said, "must neither recognise nor imply a difference between big nations and small."

The President in closing his address said:

"I am proposing, as it were, that the nations should with one accord adopt the doctrine of President Monroe as the doctrine of the world.

"That no nation should seek to extend its policy over any other nation or people, but that every people should be left free to determine its own policy, its own way of development unhindered until, unthreatened, unafraid, the little along with the great and powerful complete their own destiny.

"I am proposing that all nations henceforth avoid entangling alliances which would drive them into competitions of power, catch them in a net of intrigue and selfish rivalry. And disturb their own affairs with influences intruded from without."

Discussing the replies the warring nations gave to his peace note, President Wilson said:

"The Central Powers united in a reply which stated merely that they were ready to meet their antagonists in conference to discuss terms of peace. The Entente Powers have replied more definitely and have stated in general terms indeed, but with sufficient definiteness to imply details.

"We are that much nearer a definite discussion of the peace terms that shall end the present war and bring us to that international concert which must hereafter hold the world at peace."

The President declared "the very explicit assurances" regarding peace, received from the belligerents, imply that the peace that comes must be "a peace without victory."

It is not pleasant to say this. I beg that I may be permitted to put my own interpretation upon it, and that it may be understood that no other interpretation was in my thought. I am seeking only to face realities and to face them without soft concealments. Victory would mean peace forced upon the loser, a victor's terms imposed upon the vanquished. It would be accepted in humiliation, under duress at an intolerable sacrifice, and would leave a sting, a resentment, a bitter memory upon which terms of peace would rest, not permanently but only as upon quicksand. Only a peace between equals can last.

President Wilson recommended that the United States join a league of nations to enforce world peace.

The President said a settlement to guarantee peace and justice throughout the world cannot be long postponed, and that this Government formulate the conditions upon which it could ask its people to approve adherence to a league for peace.

The President declared that the present war must first be ended.

German Attacks are Stopped by French

Special to The Examiner

PARIS (French Official Communique), January 22.—Two German attacks on trenches north of Courieres Wood yesterday evening, were stopped by artillery and infantry fire. A number of patrol combats in Alsace were also reported.

British Attacks are Repulsed, Says Berlin

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

BERLIN, January 22.—The repulse of a "minor English attack" in a hand granade engagement near Lens was announced in to-day's official statement.

The capture of several French soldiers and a machine gun by German reconnoitring detachments which made short advances into hostile positions near Beronvaux and Pont-A-Mausson, was also reported.

President Wilson is Shaking up Diplomats

Special to The Examiner.

WASHINGTON, January 22.—President Wilson is planning a shake-up of the diplomatic service after March 4th, when all United States diplomats will submit their resignations. Wilson intends to improve the diplomatic service "with less politics and more regard for efficiency."

In this connection there was an unconfirmed report to-day that Secretary of State Lansing might succeed Ambassador Walter Hines Page at London. The President hopes to install into the whole diplomatic service the principle of "promotion by efficiency and not necessarily by seniority."

Enemy Advocates are Stopped by Russians

Special to The Examiner

PETROGRAD, January 22.—Arrest of enemy attempts to advance by Russian in the Oitoz Valley was reported in to-day's official statement. On the rest of the Roumanian front there was mutual exchange of fire.

FOOT TROUBLES

For the benefit of our customers who suffer from corns, bunions, callouses, fallen arch, weak ankles, or in fact, any form of foot trouble, we have been fortunate in securing the services of Mr. R. J. Orr, D.C.O., an expert foot specialist who will be in our store, to-day, to-morrow, and Wednesday, three days. Mr. Orr is a specialist of many years' experience and can prescribe for all foot ailments. Consulation is free. C. E. Smith, The Shoe Man, 384 George St.

HAVE YOU BEEN THINKING

Of having your eyes attended to? You think that that headache and pains in the head are caused from defective eyes, not necessarily defective vision? Then why not make sure? Because, if it is your eyes they only grow worse with delay. See Dr. Lacey and See Better. 410 George St.

COL. MACDONALD KILLED BY TRAIN IN UNION STATION

Terrible Accident When Locomotive Backed Into Party That Gathered to Say Good-bye to Draft of Soldiers

OTHERS WERE INJURED

TORONTO, Jan. 22.—Colonel William Campbell Macdonald brigadier of the 1st Brigade at the Exhibition Camp, was crushed to death last night beneath the wheels of an engine which backed into a large crowd of people who gathered at the Union Station to witness the departure of an Army Service Corps draft for an eastern point. Four other spectators were injured, one of whom is not expected to recover, while a score of others were struck by the locomotive, but were fortunately hurled clear of the tracks and escaped with a few bruises and minor hurts.

The accident is said to have been due to the severe gale and snowstorm which raged over the city during the day. Driven by a strong wind the snow swept across the railway tracks, completely covering the rails and the crowds thronging the station platforms gathered across the tracks, believing that they were standing on the platforms. While the engineer rang his bell as the locomotive approached, the cheers of the spectators as they bade good-bye to their friends in khaki and the swirl of the wind prevented them from receiving any warning of the impending danger.

The casualty list is as follows:

DEAD.

Col. William Campbell Macdonald, crushed beneath the engine, leg and thigh amputated.

FATALLY INJURED.

Frank Lewarne, 87 Perth Avenue, trucker at Station "A" Postoffice, mangled beneath the brake-beams of the engine, and suffering severe internal injuries. Removed to General Hospital, where no hope is held out for his recovery.

INJURED.

Isaac Brock Lucas, son of Hon. I. B. Lucas, Provincial Attorney-General, 273 Russell Hill Road, suffering from bad bruises and severe shock.

M. A. Jenkins, 1073a Bathurst street, suffering from a bad fracture of the left arm and a number of bad bruises.

Bennie Cameron, 186 Tecumseh street, injured head and badly cut arm.

ARRESTS FOLLOW.

Following the accident a hurried investigation was made by Acting-Detective Walter McConnell, of No. 1 police division, which resulted in the engine crew being taken from the en-

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The Cressman Co. Take Over the Reid Stock

Tender Accepted by W. R. Morris, Assignee for Stock and Fixtures —Will Conduct the Store in Future

The tender of the Cressman Co. for the Reid stock and fixtures was accepted by Assignee Morris on Saturday afternoon and already the Company is in possession, putting it in shape for opening in a few days. The addition of the Reid store will round out a very complete establishment for the Cressman Company, which will bring uniformity and add to the appearance of the already fine store of the Cressman Company. Peterborough can boast of a number of as fine stores as can be found in any city of its size, with the general front street appearance much ahead of those cities, due to the very progressive ideas of the merchants here.

The store will be open for the first time under the new proprietors on Thursday, Dollar Day.

WILL GIVE AN ADDRESS ON THE BRITISH NAVY

A public meeting will be held to-morrow evening in the Collegiate Institute. The speaker of the evening will be Mr. Emilius Jarvis, of Toronto, Naval Recruiting officer, R.N.C.V.R., Overseas Division for Ontario. Mr. Jarvis will give an address on the British Navy and the need for recruits for this important branch of Imperial defence. In the afternoon at four o'clock, Mr. Jarvis will meet a number of business men in the City Council Chamber, and will discuss with them the question of organization. Peterborough is looked upon as a promising field for naval recruits, and the address to-morrow evening should attract a large number who are interested in the work of the British Navy.

WAY IS OPENED NOW FOR THE ENLISTMENT OF MANY MORE MEN

Standard of Fitness For the Forestry, Railway, Construction and Skilled Railway Employees' Units--Another Lang Boy Joins the 247th Battalion--To-day's General Military News.

The new physical standard for recruits for construction and forestry Battalions and for the skilled railway employees section of the Canadian Expeditionary Force is set forth in a letter received by the officer commanding the 247th Battalion from the D.A.A. and Q.M.G. No. 3 District as follows:

SPECIAL ENLISTMENT

Authority is hereby granted for you to enlist into the Unit under your Command, all men who are not fit for Infantry Units, but who come under the description as published in Divisional Orders No. 59, dated 11th January 1917, as follows:

The following relaxations in physical standards of recruits for construction and Forestry Battalions recommended. Minimum height 4 ft. 11 in. Care must be taken that boys under eighteen are not enlisted. Vision first lowest standard of vision, second recruits whose visions can be raised to standard one by aid of glasses, third men who have lost one or the sight thereof, but whose sight has not been lost as results of injuries or progressive organic disease within three years. One-eyed men should be taken on as incapacitated men entitled only to class three pension, two hundred and eighty dollars ($280.00) per annum if they lose sight of sound eye.

A note to this effect should be made on Attestation paper and initialed by recruit. Moderate degrees of flat feet will not constitute cause for rejection, but recruits should be tested by five mile walk or if necessary X-ray plates made. Many so called flat feet due to great development of plantar muscles. Loss of one or two fingers either hand accepted if Medical Boards consider the recruit capable of labour, also loss of two toes, either or both feet, provided they are not the great toe. Men deaf in one ear, but hearing normally in opposite ear and otitis Media. In this case same proviso re pension, pension age limit forty-eight years. Care should be taken as to condition of arteries of men over forty-one years of age.

The above relaxations in physical standards also applies to Section Skilled Railway Employees.

CAPTAIN, Asst. D.A.A. and Q.M.G. Military District No. 3.

KINGSTON, Ont., Jan. 22.—Unofficially reported killed in action, and made the subject of a memorial service at his home, Corporal Robert Troup, of the 21st Battalion, Belleville, has turned up alive and well, and is still fighting with that unit in the trenches.

A letter signed "A Giver" has been received at the Patriotic Fund office. The facts referred to are quite well known, but the rules require that certain attention and assistance shall be made for a stated period. When that has elapsed the matter will come under the care of the military authorities. The letter will be forwarded to the proper hands, and any action taken, in a military way, will be at the discretion of the Paymaster General.

General Hemming, General Officer Commanding No. 3 Military District, will pay a visit to Peterborough on Wednesday morning and will inspect the 247th Battalion.

Lang, Otonabee, is still keeping up its good work and this morning another Lang boy, Eric Kimball, became a member of the 247th Battalion. This is the seventh recruit sent by the little Otonabee centre in a week, six of which were successful in passing the medical examination. Archie D. Hubbell of Belmont Township, also joined the Peterborough County unit to-day. Several Havelock recruits signed on by Major O'Flynn, at Friday's big recruiting rally, have not yet been medically examined.

Mrs. Harry Bell of Smith has received the following letter from her brother, Corp. H. Portsmith of the 5th Canadian Battalion.

Dear Sister,—Just a few lines to let you know I am O.K., and to thank you for the Christmas box which I received just in time for Christmas. And the cigars, well you could not see for smoke three minutes after we opened the box for it is not very often we get such good cigars.

Mother sent me a new pen, so I am just breaking it in. I will not have any excuse for not writing now, will I?

We have been having some pretty rough weather lately. I don't think any of us will be sorry to see Spring come again. I have been out of hospital for a week now and am having some rest.

We get our Christmas dinner to-night as the company were not all together at Christmas. You see we are having our feeds by companies. A couple of us bought a hen and got a French woman to roast it for us. Believe me, it went good, washed down with champagne. Well I guess I will have to ring off for this time as the mail is going in. So hoping to hear from you soon and trusting this finds you all in the best of health. I remain

Your loving brother,

CORP. H. PORTSMITH,

5th Canadian Battalion.

Corp. Portsmith enclosed the following verses printed on a silk ribbon:

KIND THOUGHTS FOR XMAS.

From the prairies free, far over the sea,
To the trenches muddy and wet;
Is "some miles" 'to stray I needn't say,
And a bit of a change you bet.
But it's not of the fight I want to write,
Or the foe and his Hunnish way;
But just of you and how you do,
In Canadian homes to-day.
Now there's not much need for me to plead,
That you'll sometimes give me a Thought,
For when we come back there'll be no lack,
Of a welcome for those who've fought,
Then over the land on every hand.
We shall hear Britannia's cry;
On the wings of fame shall Canada's name,
Through the centuries never die.

Pension to Mother of Sergt. C. M. Smith

The Dominion Pension Board has announced the granting of a pension to Mrs. Annie Smith, mother of the late Sergt. Clarence M. Smith, of $300 per annum. The pension became effective on Sept. 10th, 1916.

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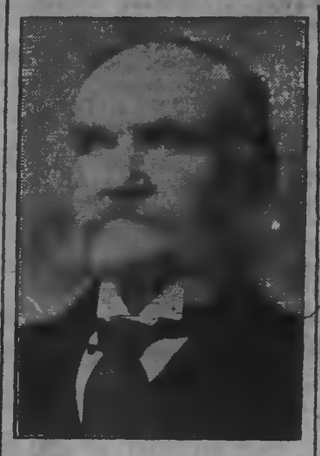

MR. J. H. COBB
One of Peterborough's Oldest Residents, who has passed away.

Miss Ada L. Ward's Speech at the Armouries Last Evening Held Audience Spellbound --- Real Christianity at the Front.

LAST NIGHT'S MEETING

"If you are not moved by this appeal only conscription will move you," was the concise way Col. Ackerman voiced the opinion of the large audience who heard Miss Ward speak last night at the Armouries.

He spoke briefly saying that we were much honoured in having one of the thousands of women who are playing so important a part in co-operating with the men in helping them to forget a little of the grave business they are engaged in during the rest periods. It had been his lot to see a small portion of what women are doing in the firing line. After the second battle of Ypres a motor truck had been unofficially attached to his battalion, this manned by three women. Here hot soup was waiting, and what was really first aid administered. Coming back after the battle foot sore, weary and exhausted ready to fall, only 200 left out of the original 1,055, after four days and nights, the orderly called the officers round to tell them that orders from General Alderson were they should rest one-half hour, then return to the Yser and hold the trenches until the British came, and it was during that half-hour the women came up with their motor truck and every man had a cup of coffee or bovril. It is impossible to describe the wonder this worked. The exhausted men who had dragged themselves up to the truck put on their packs and marched back fortified and wonderfully picked up in spirit. This is but one instance of that wonderful work women are doing at the front.

Miss Ward's Address.

Miss Ward, whose magnetic personality held the audience spellbound, spoke of the last two years which have been to her just as they have been to us rousing to existence. When we look back before that eventful morning of August 4, 1914, we wonder how we lived. Since then most of Miss Ward's days have been passed in the company of men who are upholding the honour of the Empire. She spoke of the beginning when war was first brought home, when Belgian refugees, poor dejected frightened creatures, came pouring into England, then she first realized what war meant. Out here in Canada, the land of plenty, we don't know what war means. Mothers who send their boys they know, mothers whose dear ones will never see the home fires burning again, they'll realize. In England where there is not enough food, and going out to tea you must take your own sugar, the idea of what war is is borne upon you. She saw at Charing Cross the most pitiable yet sometimes comical misery in the Belgian refugees. One, a lady, who had fled from Malines, who clasped in her hand a little wooden toy—all she had saved—another woman clad only in a night-dress and overcoat, and with a baby 10 days old. These are the comical ones—there are some which would make your blood curdle in your veins.

Men at the Front.

These were the sights that made her long to be a man, to be in the thick of it. "All I have," said Miss Ward, "is my tongue, but if I had the

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DIRECTORS WILL NOT BE ALLOWED IN THE COMPETITION

Peterborough Horticultural Decides to Bar Them From Participating in the Annual Lawn and Garden Contest

SOME SPECIAL PRIZES

A well attended meeting of the Directors of The Peterborough Horticultural Society was held Friday evening last, when plans for the season's work were discussed. It was decided to make some changes in the Lawn and Garden competition held by the Society each year. A resolution was passed barring any of the directors of the society from participating in this contest. Two classes will be made, one specialising the Workingman's Lawns and Gardens. In addition to the regular prizes offered by the society for the latter class, special cash prizes will be offered, as follows by Mr. W. J. Kennedy $5.00; by Mr. W. Stocker, $3; by Chief Howard, $2. It is hoped by these special inducements more enthusiasm will be in evidence this season.

A long list of plant and shrub options was gone over for distribution to the members this spring, and this will shortly be published in the press. An active canvass for new members will also be made to bring the membership of the society up to one thousand.

The Examiner's Dollar Day Contest

A Genuine Estimating Contest— $25.00 in Prizes and a Special Prize of $10.00

This year's Dollar Day, which is to be held on Thuraday, January 25th, should be one of the best on record. The Examiner is adding interest to the occasion by putting on an estimating contest that can be figured out with a little patience. We have bought a quart sealer at Masons Grocery Store and sufficient beans at Denne's Flour and Feed Store, George street, to fill it, and to those who put in the nearest correct estimates to the number of beans in the sealer, the following prizes will be given:

First nearest estimate	$ 6.00
Second nearest estimate	5.00
Third nearest estimate	4.00
Fourth nearest estimate	3.00
Fifth nearest estimate	2.00
Sixth nearest estimate	1.00
Seventh nearest estimate	1.00
Eighth nearest estimate	1.00
Ninth nearest estimate	1.00
Tenth nearest estimate	1.00
	$25.00

And a special prize of $10.00 if the winner of the merchants' treasury box prize got the estimating blank at the Examiner office.

Read the large two column advertisement for further particulars.

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MR. WOBBLING WARBURTON.

Mr. Warburton, of Toronto, Chairman of the Committee of One Hundred, that hustled the Hearst Government into bringing in a prohibition measure is, apparently weakening in his zeal for the temperance cause. He is breaking into party politics and comes out in support of Mr. McPherson in Northwest Toronto, who is being voted upon to-day. Mr. McPherson is not quite in the class of Caesar's wife, in the matter of his temperance orthodoxy. He voted at one session against the principle of prohibition, and at the next, like a good boy, voted for it, because he was told it was good party politics to support a temperance measure the Government he supported was dragooned into introducing. Is Mr. Warburton taking the advice of a city hall official and getting "in line for a government job?"

WORKING DOUBLE SHIFTS.

We encounter protest from politicians against any political activity of a contentious kind during the progress of the war—especially from the class of politicians who don't want government actions considered. We expect that from the politicians, for they, or a certain class of them, hold party interests as the first consideration. There are some women, and others, who claim that the whole time of our women should be exclusively concentrated upon war work — their whole time given to it. It is objected that the present is an inopportune time to provoke consideration of the important question of woman suffrage —the discussion will engender antagonism and interfere with war work. There may be something in this claim, but it ignores the immense capacity of women to do things; and it is possible for war work to go on uninterruptedly and other interests be promoted at the same time. We never are so busy, any of us, that we can't do a little more, especially if our heart is in the little more. Some politicians say that our government and parliament should devote their whole energies to the war, yet at the opening of the Legislature yesterday, one member gave notice of a woman suffrage resolution, and another of a divorce court resolution. These things are not directly connected with the war, but nevertheless parliament will no doubt not neglect war measures. Besides there is need for relaxation even in the best work, when the strain is prolonged. Continuous work is not conducive to the greatest results. A time of rest is a divine institution, as represented by the Sabbath Day, and experience has shown that working men seven days a week on munitions production doesn't bring the highest output. It has been shown that workers produce the most in the first hours of the day when they are fresh from a night's rest. Even the soldiers at the front are not kept to the trenches; they are periodically relived, and so; they are periodically relieved, and chance to recuperate.

So with our women engaged in war work: they will work better for a little relaxation. Besides, they can't keep the pace—there's a limit to the human endurance of exertion, and keeping fit for further exertion. If the war lasts much longer our women will have to husband their strength. And a little relaxation will not do them any harm, nor interefere with their output of work. Of course our first work should be to win the war, but a greater work awaits all of us—women as well as men—when peace comes and problems of readjustment will demand harder work and greater wisdom. The work for war winning depends upon the united efforts of men and women, and the problems of readjustment can't all be settled by men. Women must do their share, and they will do it the better if they have the inspiration and authority of the vote—and they won't get the vote unless they "get after it."

SAVING AND THRIFT FOR ALL.

The appeal of Sir Thomas White, Minister of Finance, to the people to practice thrift, applies to governments, federal, provincial and municipal, as well as to the people. The claims of the war, and the means for its successful prosecution, which include not only money, but the prudent use of it, should take precedence of everything else. People individually practicing economy save dollars: governments practising economy can save millions. The Journal of Commerce claims that the men employed upon, and the money spent in rebuilding the parliamentary buildings at Ottawa, could better be devoted in strengthening our forces and fortifying the finances of the country in the interests of war prosecution. We can wait for new parliament buildings, but we cannot wait for victory by neglecting to furnish now the materials in men and money for war purposes.

There is reason to believe that a great deal of waste takes place in managing this war. Signal examples crop up one after another. For instance it is asserted by Mr. Dewart, M.P.P., that Col. Currie, M.P., though home from the front, and not in charge of any brigade or battalion, is drawing full pay every day, (pay and allowance, $10 per day), simply for doing nothing. In addition to violating the Finance Minister's appeal to saving and thrift, he violates the King's regulations by taking part in party politics, while under King's pay; and not only that, but while disloyally drawing unearned pay, he has the impudence to assail the character of an honourable public man by charging him with disloyalty, because he bears a name similar to that borne by some German, though there is not a drop of German blood in his veins—with as much consistency as there would be in saying that Premier Hearst is a pro-German because he has the same name as Hearst, the pro-German newspaper publisher in New York.

This by way of parenthesis; but it is an example of the way in which the resources of Canada are being wasted by the protege of a government that is calling upon the common people to exercise saving and practice thrift so that they may lend money to the government—what for? To pay ornamental colonels, though with gallant record of service, ten dollars a day, for doing nothing, which is possibly and, perhaps, a type of similar extravagance in all the expenditures of the government in regard to the war. This in contrast with what Britain is doing in the way of taxation, actually putting wealth under conscription, taxing the rich to the hilt. It is only by avoiding waste that Great Britain is able to bear a financial burden unparalleled in history. Our government in Canada claims exemption from criticism during the war; but does it deserve such exemption, when it violates, in greater or lesser part, the spirit of its call to the people to save to lend to the government. If the people put their money in the government's hands it is their money still; and they have a right to demand that not a dollar should be spent without getting a dollar's value—millions for munitions, but not a dollar for waste.

A FALLING BAROMETER.

The members, defenders, journalistic and otherwise, of the Ontario Government rejoiced greatly over the victory in West Simcoe. They must have been mightily frightened and doubtful of the result when they broke into rejoicing over a "victory" that, in a bye-election permitting a concentration of government influence, cut the government majority of the general electron in half. This is of itself a proof that the Government's popularity is waning, for it is one of a series of bye-elections that have demonstrated the weakening popular support of the government. The following bye-election results are as discouraging to the Government party as they are encouraging to the Opposition.

Peel—Government majority 1914, 627; opposition majority 1916, 305. Opposition gain, 932.

North Perth — Government majority 1914, 1147; opposition majority 1916, 546. Opposition gain 1666.

Southwest Toronto—Government majority 1914, 3995; opposition majority 1916, 551. Opposition gain, 4247.

West Simcoe—Government majority 1914, 1025; government majority 1917, 631. Opposition gain, 454.

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SOMETHING ABOUT THE MAKING OF OLEOMARGARINE

For more than thirty years in America, and for a longer time in Great Britain, oleomargarine, or margarine as the English call it, has been a food of the people. In the United States its annual consumption exceeds half a billion pounds and more are consumed every year. Yet in Canada its manufacture and sale is forbidden due to the opposition of the dairy interests.

In itself margarine, or oleomargarine, is an innocent thing. It is not a fraud, nor bad, but on the other hand a legitimate, wholesome, palatable, cleanly and nutritious article of food; and even its honest enemies are compelled to admit that in itself it is the practical equal of butter as a fat food, equally palatable, and that it can be made and sold for about half the price of butter. What, then, is the quarrel with this commodity?

Briefly the quarrel is and has been that margarine has been sold as butter, under the name of butter, and so a fraud has been perpetrated on both the dairy interests and the public. This fraud has been possible because of the likeness of margarine to butter in taste, smell, flavor, and color, and because the average individual cannot distinguish good margarine from butter. Hence it has been exceedingly easy to substitute margarine for butter, fraudulently; and this has been done on a gigantic scale, particularly in the United States where the laws actually incite to the practice of fraud. In Great Britain, the fraudulent sale of margarine has quite ceased, thanks to more enlightened legislators and legislation.

The quarrel of the dairymen over margarine is not with the product, nor with the way in which it is made, nor with the materials of which it is made; but with the selling and sellers of it. The sinner is not the article, but the man who sells it—jobber and retailer—this in the United States. Margarine has been the victim of its own excellence and likeness to butter.

The modern way of making oleomargarine (as practiced in the United States) is herewith described:

The caul or inner fat (the best fat) of freshly killed beeves is taken; and after a thorough washing in tepid water, and then in iced water, the fat is allowed to stand in a cool room until thoroughly cold.

Then the fat is cut up finely by machinery and melted in steam-heated cauldrons at about 160 deg. F., after which it is allowed to settle. Salt is scattered over the surface of the fat to accelerate the settling of fibre or membrane. After settling, the clear oil is siphoned to a second series of cauldrons when more salt is added, and the temperature controlled, until the second settling is completed. The oil is then siphoned into vats in which it is allowed to stand from three to five days at a temperature favourable to the crystallization of the stearin (the main component of solid fat). The mass is then thoroughly mixed, wrapped in cloths, and submitted to powerful pressure which separates the oil from the stearin. This oil, quite free from membrane or tissue, flows out into a tank of cold water where it solidifies into a granular mass, which is known to the trade as "oleo oil," or simply "oleo."

The physical properties of oleomargarine are so similar to those of butter that it is very difficult to distinguish between them by any superficial test. On this subject of the physical properties or construction of the two substances, a word here is in place. Butter is put together in a peculiar way. It is formed of little globules of fat enclosed in a tiny sack. It gets into this peculiar condition in the process of churning, and it is because of this physical arrangement that it spreads so well. In the case of oleomargarine, the formation is the same and for the same reason, but the walls of the sacks are a little thicker than in the case of butter.—Canadian Grocer.

WHY WAS DORCHESTER OPENED?

Some persons are asking why there should be a by-election in Dorchester at this time? A very proper question. The answer is that Sir Robert Borden brought on the by-election because he would not say "No" to the Nationalist demand for the possession of still another Cabinet position in a so-called Conservatice Government. Mr Sevigny is a Nationalist and has never repudiated his Nationalist utterances. It is impossible to believe that Premier Borden exercised freedom of choice in giving the position to Mr. Sevigny. He simply yielded to demands, knowing what he was doing, and trusting that war conditions would force members of his own party and of the Opposition into condoning his acquiescence in Nationalist demands.

If Premier Borden had decided not to run the risk of a by-election, if he had desired to avoid even the suggestion of stirring up political strife at this period, then instead of promoting Mr. Blondin, the National of "short-holes-in-the-British flag" fame to the position left vacant by that splendid type of French-Canadian, the late Hon. T. Chase Casgrain, and promoting the Nationalist, Mr. Patenaude, to Mr. Blondin's place, and promoting the Nationalist, Mr. Sevigny, to Mr. Patenaude's place, he would have given Mr. T. Chase-Casgrain's portfolio to a man of the type of the Hon. Joseph Bolduc. Senator Bolduc is a politician of high reputation, business man, and one who has always taken a keen interest in national questions, particularly those of education and agriculture. He has also to his credit a long experience as a member of the House of Commons.

Why was Senator Bolduc passed over in favour of Mr. Sevigny? When Parliament met last Thursday, Senator Bolduc was appointed on the Premier's direct nomination, Speaker of the Senate. The question is, why did the Premier not offer the portfolio held by Mr. Casgrain to Senator Bolduc? Then there would have been no by-election anywhere, and the Cabinet would have been strengthened by the accession to office of an experienced parliamentarian of the Casgrain school.

There certainly was no occasion to open Dorchester simply to gratify the aspirations of the three Nationalists, Blondin, Patenaude, and Sevigny.—Montreal Herald.

Voice of The People

Correspondence under this heading, containing or involving attacks on individuals or violent or extreme statements, must to secure insertion, be signed with writer's real name, the owner of which thus assumes the responsibility.

Editor of the Examiner:

Dear Sir,—In the North Ward we have in "Inverlea" one of the prettiest parks to be found anywhere, but a great many are deprived of using it, because any afternoon in the summer it is a common thing to see from 50 to 100 boys and young men changing their clothes out in the open. This "back to nature" stunt might be all right 100 miles north of here, but it is hardly in keeping with the centre of an enlightened city like Peterborough. Let us be fair to the modesty of the public and to the natural modesty of the boys themselves, and see that proper bathing facilities are placed at the disposal of Peterborough's future Statesmen Leaders.

Yours truly,

NORTH WARD

COL. MACDONALD KILLED BY TRAIN

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gine and placed under arrest on a charge of manslaughter. At midnight a third arrest was made, when the man alleged to have given the signal for the engine to run through the station was taken into custody on a similar charge.

The arrests made are:

John Ross, engineer, 216 Pearson Avenue.

Charles Farmer, Sarnia, Ont.

Patrick J. Hickey, 1026 Bathurst street, railway signaler.

The tragedy marked the departure of the troop train from the station shortly after 9 o'clock. To facilitate handling the crowds the troop train was run over the main freight tracks, just beyond No. 6 passenger track. As the train pulled slowly from the station towards the east the crowds ran along the snow, cheering and waving handkerchiefs. Col. Macdonald, accompanied by the staff of No. 1 Division, stood in the centre of track No. 6, surrounded by a concourse of shouting people, when without any warning engine No. 215, running light, backed into the crowd. The Col. was struck by the pilot, and the impact of the blow made him stagger forward a couple of feet. Then he pitched head forward on the snow, directly in front of the oncoming engine and disappeared beneath the heavy wheels.

Before Col. Macdonald was struck the locomotive ran down Frank Lewarne, who, unconscious of all danger was waving a last farewell to his son as the troop train disappeared. He likewise fell in front of the engine and was carried beneath the brake beams.

In the meantime the engine was clearing its way through the crowds, scattering people to the right and the left, and throwing them into a mass of struggling humanity on either side. Several received painful injuries, while many others had narrow escapes from instant death, rescuing hands pulling them from certain death not a second too soon. Prominent among the rescuers was Patrol Sergt. McMenomy, of No. 1 Division, who leaped through the panic-stricken crowds and thrust his way along, pulling the people from danger. Constable Henshaw also did good work, and likewise has a number of rescues to his credit.

CROWD PANIC-STRICKEN.

Carried along by the momentum of its own weight the engine ran fully 10 yards with the two men beneath the trucks before it could be brought to a stop. In its wake it left a panic stricken crowd who ran up and down the platform, shrieking and crying, while several of the injured lay unconscious on the snow. Several of the headquarters staff including Capt. William B. McPherson, attached to No. 1 Division, who had a narrow escape from serious injury, restored order after considerable difficulty, and the injured were carried into a station waiting-room, where they received medical attention from Capt. G. S. Foulds, of the Exhibition Camp, and Dr. Gordon Rice, who was hurriedly called. None, however, were found to be seriously enough hurt to warrant their removal to a hospital, although several were rushed to their homes in automobiles.

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THOMAS MULVEY,
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The Veil

By Canadian Overseas

He had the curious, inexplicable feeling, long before any experience of the firing line, that he would go unwounded through whatever scenes of war he might pass. his sensation of immunity from physical harm had accompanied him ever since the days of his boyhood.

As the days drew near, when death would reap her harvest all about him, he felt careless of evil; and when at last the distant reverberations of the guns having changed to a definite roar, he trudged with his platoon through the dark windings of the communication trench on his way to the real fring and the sharp explosions not far off shook him, he felt conscious even of a kind of exhilaration. Later, amid shattering shrapnel fire, this feeling was intensified. To go through all that infernal din, that storm of flying iron and death that killed, burned and maimed, without a scratch—it was glorious!

He became known as the man who bore a charmed life. Through a hail of bullets he would advance with his Company to find himself always one of the unwounded group. Chosen to take a message along the line at a deadly moment, tempting the snipers again and again, he passed unhurt. The jaws of death snapped at him a thousand times, but always missed.

A day came when his Battalion had to take a Village, which was a stronghold. It was dawn when the men 'went over.' For nine hours previously their own batteries had stormed the place until through the glasses it looked like a heap of ruins. They felt sure that nothing could have lived through it, but from hidden holes machine-guns swept the advancing battalion. He saw men fall; he saw men rise and stagger on; he saw them drop again and be still. He soon realized that less than half of them would gain [illegible] finally they reached the spot and silenced the guns. He, himself, went on to explore until he came to the cracked walls of a little chapel. He was all alone. He heard the shouts of his comrades in the distance, gradually they were heard no more and all was quiet.

The sun had just risen. Its level rays illuminated an ancient Gargoyle which grinned maliciously down. He could not get away from it. He began to feel queer. All the stones grinned and mocked him and shadows lurked behind piles of rubbish.

All through the night the veil had been with him, but now for the first time he knew fear—cold, horrible, ominous fear, and he felt that the veil was being torn.

Presently he heard a familiar sound and knew that some kind of news had reached the enemy's batteries. A couple of shells burst far down the shattered street. Where were his comrades? The silence was strange, and he could see no one. He did not know they had received a message to retire until night fall. As the din grew louder he took refuge closer in to the wall and shells screamed round where he crouched. They came nearer and nearer -- one struck the doorway of the chapel, and the gurgoyle fell grinning at his feet It chilled him to the bone, and he knew the veil was torn still more.

He gazed at all this desolation; this wild ruin; this shattered street; this ruined church, and the innocent little gurgoyle grinning up at him. Then a blast caught him full and flung him against the stones. He felt the veil was torn completely and he threw his hands pathetically to his eyes. Then came a star-pricked blackness and then oblivion.

When he woke he heard subdued voices about his bed. He opened his eyes wide, but could see nothing, nothing, nothing, and he knew all. He had gone through without a wound and though the veil was gone he was left in darkness.

Canadian Overseas.

WHY NOT SNEEZE.

It is Said to Be Nature's Attempt to Cure You.

Sneezing is not a complaint, but an effort on the part of nature to get rid of a complaint. It may be due to any one of a number of causes. Dust, the pollen of plants, a draught of cold air on a too-warm exposed surface of the body will excite the sternutatory spasm. Bright light will cause many persons to sneeze; while gazing at the clear, blue sky will cause the nasal convulsion in many cases.

When you begin to contract one of the various conditions commonly bunched under the general name of "a cold" the sneezing is due to an attempt of nature to cure you. The sneeze may expel the dust or the pollen which is causing the irritation. But it does more than that. Nature is making you sneeze for the same purpose that she makes you shudder—she is attempting to generate heat for raising the temperature of the body and preventing you from taking cold. You do not sneeze with the nose alone but with the entire body. During the act about every muscle in the body gives a little jump, and the combined effect of all this energy of motion is to warm the entire system. A shiver does the same thing—it spasmodically contracts all the muscles and so raises the temperature.

But sneezing is not always efficacious in curing one. It is worth while to know that one can help nature along when she gives one this warning and also stop the spasm of sneezing by a few deep breathing exercises. Try it the next time. Stop and fill your lungs full of air half a dozen times or so; you will stop sneezing and perhaps abort a cold.—Cleveland "Plain-Dealer."

The annual value of the agricultural produce of British India has recently been estimated at roughly $5,000,000,000. More than two-thirds of the inhabitants are engaged in agriculture or in the industries subsidary to it.

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To-day the grandson, by the aid of improved horse power or moter-driven machinery, can produce two bushels of corn in an hour and a half in so far as the labour element is concerned. Put in another way, the grandson, by means of mechanical and cultural helps, can accomplish six times as much in a given period as did his grandfather sixty years ago in the work of feeding the world.

Calculating the results of increased efficiency on this basis, should the corn-growing grandson receive six times as much for a year's planting, management, and labour as did his grandsire? If so, does he get it? Is his land investment, farm equipment and labour bill six times greater, and do his living expenses, taxes, insurance and upkeep of his farm plant call for a correspondingly greater outlay?

Unless the grandson's receipts have kept pace with the increase of farm efficiency of his generation, thus enabling him to secure and equip a farm for himself, pay expenses, and have a reasonable surplus of profit, something is still out of joint in the farming business. Furthermore, even though the grandson may have become six times more efficient than his grandfather in the production of food supplies, unless he has advanced to where he can take his rightful place in the world's civic and social duties and enjoy an equitable share of its recreations, the grandson has still the most important of his accomplishments before him — getting these things.—Farm and Fireside.

Y. M. C. A. NEWS

Dr. Harvey will lecture on "Home Nursing" Tuesday evening at 8.30, instead of Monday evening. These lectures are practical, interesting and instructive, and it is hoped will be largely attended.

Now is the time to join the special class for ladies on Tuesday and Friday mornings.

The Segior School Girls' gymnasium class enjoyed a snow-shoe tramp on Saturday afternoon.

All girls interested in indoor and outdoor sports, basket ball, snow-shoeing, etc., are invited to join the Association "Indoor and Outdoor Club."

Miss Winnifred Thomas the Y.W.C.A. Eastern Student Secretary will visit the Y.W.C.A. and Normal School Y.W.C.A. on Tuesday and Wednesday.

The following are a few of the activities for the week:

Sunday 4.15—Bible Study and Song Service.

Monday 4.30—Gymnasium Senior School Girls; 8.00—Gymnasium Advanced Business Girls.

Tuesday 10.30—Gymnasium Ladies Class; 7.00—Gymnasium Beginners, Business Girls; 8.30—Lecture: "Home Nursing"—Dr. Harvey.

Wednesday 7.30—Gymnasium, Ladies Special Good Comrade Class.

Thursday 4.30—Gymnasium, Senior School Girls; 7.30 Bible Study Class, Miss Ferguson; 8.00—Advanced Gymnasium Class, Loyalty Club.

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ANNIVERSARY OF GEORGE STREET METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOL

Rev. E. A. Pearson, Fomer Pastor of George Street Occupied the Pulpit at Both Services—How to Become a Christian and How to Remain One—"Watch, Pray, Work."

The anniversary of the Sunday school of the George street Methodist church was observed yesterday, especially at the morning service. The Sunday school gathered at 10.30 o'clock in the morning and marched into the church, occupying the large part reserved for them. The Rev. E. A. Pearson, of Chatham, and formerly of the George street church, occupied the pulpit at both services. In the morning Dr. J. E. Middleton, Sunday school superintendent, presided, and Mr. G. R. Armstrong, assistant superintendent, assisted in the service.

The anniversary music was splendid. At the morning service the Misses Tretheway, who are scholars of the primary department of the Sunday school, rendered a duet that was very greatly appreciated. Miss Gallagher, who is attending Normal school in the city, sang nicely, in a solo. At both services the offerings of the Sunday school orchestra were very greatly appreciated. The orchestra, under the direction of Mr. W. A. Cunningham, not only made a splendid showing from the standpoint of attendance, but provided remarkably good music both morning and evening. All their numbers were heartily enjoyed and added very considerably to the success of a very successful anniversary. In the evening Mrs. J. H. Renwick sang very acceptably.

Speaking in the morning, Rev. Mr. Pearson frankly admitted that on facing the congregation for the first time since his pastorate here, so many memories crowded his mind that he did not feel capable of beginning his talk at the place where he had intended to begin it. "I would like to tell you how glad I am to be here," said the speaker, "but I assume that you know how good it is for me to come back to this church even for so short a time. I have precious memories of this church. He referred to the fact that it was while his father was pastor at George street he was recommended for the ministry, and that some years later he had returned to it as pastor. He recounted some of the many incidents he could not forget, in which the members of the congregation had been so kind to him. He remembered the day when our young man, who has since laid down his life on the battlefield, walked up the aisle and became a member of the church.

"These," said Mr. Pearson, with feeling, "are considerations which tend to overwhelm me this morning."

Words Worth While.

It was his custom, he explained when addressing Sunday schools on their anniversary day, to choose as his text the golden text of the Sunday school lesson of the day. To-day the gold text consisted of but eight letters and two words. They were, however, words of very great importance—words worth while. "I should be very sorry indeed to come 250 miles to you without something worth while to talk to you about, said Mr. Pearson. "I am glad I have a subject worth while. My text then will be the golden text of to-day's lesson, "Follow Me.'"

"Follow Me"—Jesus had used these words very often. We find them among the first of His words of which we have any record, and among the last. And all through His ministry He was continuously saying "Follow Me." In his sermon the speaker proposed to answer five questions, namely:

1. What is a Christian?
2. How may I become a Christian?
3. How early may I become a Christian?
4. How may I know I am a Christian?
5. How may I continue to be a Christian.

Firstly, then, what is a Christian? The answer is in our text. A Christian is one who follows Him, Jesus said again and again, "Follow Me." That is what it means to be a Christian. At that time the disciples of Jesus had no idea of an inspired Bible, nor of theology, for it was not then a science, nor of the church as we understand it, for it was not yet an organization. Then there was no creed by which to determine one's faith. At that time a Christian was one who followed Christ, and the same thing applied to-day.

Become a Christian.

How may I become a Christian? The one who makes up his mind to follow Jesus becomes a Christian. Boys and girls were constantly making up their minds. They made up their minds to study music, or to go to school and to do a hundred and one various things. They knew what it meant for them to make up their minds. Then if they made up their minds to read the book about Jesus and to trust, obey and follow Him—that was the way to become a Christian. The way by which we show this decision is by confession, and the manner of confession is to join the church. "I am not particularly concerned," said the speaker, "about formulas and definitions and that sort of thing. Some would say that I was letting down the bars, but I say that is putting them up. I find that Jesus was not particularly interested in speculative questions. I find he was constantly saying "Follow Me" and "Abide in Me."

Thirdly, how early may I become a Christian? Some thought that it was necessary for children to wait until they could understand all the big words the minister uses. This was a great mistake. Anyone is old enough to become a Christian as soon as they know there is a Jesus to follow. As soon as one is old enough to want to follow Christ he can do it, and as soon as he does it he becomes a Christian. Do you know any better or bigger word than the word Christian There is none. And if Jesus looked down at the child in the cradle and said, "Of such is the Kingdom of Heaven," who can quarrel with me if I call these children Christians?

Remain Christians?

Fourthly. How can we know we are Christians? I wonder how anyone could be happy unless he knows he is a Christian. Uncertainty about important matters is always distressing. Some think it is not modest to say, "I am a Christian," but these men are confused in their ideas of Christianity." "Don't you think you can know it's your aim to follow Jesus?" We always know when we are trying to do anything else, why should this uncertainty take hold of us with regard to religious effort? We ought to know positively whether we are Christians or not, and the more certain we are the stronger we are to do His will.

Lastly. How may we remain Christians. This was the hardest point of all. Some men are fine starters, but they do no finish at all, or else finish far too soon. A lot of young men drop out of the race somewhere between the Sunday school and the church. There are three words of just one syllable each that should help us to remain Christians. They are, "Watch, Pray, Work." Keep your eyes open. Over in England they are scaning the earth and sky and sea, and every speck on the horizon is watched and accounted for. So we should not go to sleep. We should never watch our body, watch our minds and watch our associates. We should watch our companions—and books are splendid companions which have to be watched too.

We should pray because we need more strength than our own. We should want it, ask for it and use it. It is a funny sort of a friend we never talk to, isn't it? And praying is talking to Jesus. Lastly we should work. Jesus was always busy, and constantly using the words, work and serve. We should not remember that he has said that the greatest on earth is the one who is the most useful to the most people.

NEW SENATOR IS PLEASED

Special to The Examiner:

TORONTO, Jan. 22. — Frederick Nicholls of the Canadian General Electric Company, Hon. Lieut. Col., to-day expressed himself as pleased over his appointment as Senator. He felt that although he had had an active life this gave him an opportunity of doing further useful work.

"Daddy Long Legs" Charming As Ever"

Henry Miller's Production of Jean Webster's Delightful Story at the Grand on Saturday

The Toronto World says:

Because it reads so like a fairy story, "Daddy Long Legs" will never grow old. This delightful story which originated in novel form from the pen of Jean Webster, was once more received with open arms at the Grand Opera House last night. The present production has still for sponsor Henry Miller, the director, who first persuaded Miss Webster that her sweet little story of an orphan adopted by a school trustee, would eventually become the most popular play of a decade. And having found such a play, Henry Miller has placed it in most capable hands at all times. To a very youthful little leading lady, indeed, fall the honours of the role of Judy. As the hard-worked protege of the John Grier Orphanage, Miss Edna Walton proves that she is already a talented actress. Later, as Judy, the happy college girl, who at last "belongs" to someone, her sweet personality rivals her dramatic talent.

As Jervis Pendleton, "Daddy Long Legs," and a fairy godfather of the first rank, Albert Roscoe is quite charming. His interest in the poor little orphan slavey began when she showed personality enough to get angry with the impossible old trustee, and increased to love and admiration as he watched her grasp opportunity with both hands and become a genius.

Harry Ridding is a typical college boy and carries off the role of James McBride, whose father owns the overall factory, with becoming swagger.

Viola Cain is a charming Julia and Agnes Martin as Sallie McBride, Judy's other college room mate, is always sweetly sympathetic.

Marie Taylor as Mrs. Semple, Pendleton's faithful old nurse, lends considerable color and the orphan children in the first act deserve great credit for the excellent row they make.

Sue Van Dusen as the philanthropic Miss Pritchard and the rest of the cast assisted in making "Daddy Long Legs" once more an entertainment, rare and delightful.

SOLDIERS' WIVES' AND MOTHERS' CLUB.

The members of the Soldiers' Wives' and Mothers' Club are requested to meet at the home of Mrs. Downey, 158 Edinburgh street, on Tuesday, at 2.30, to pack socks for the boys in the trenches.

The members of the Soldiers' Wives' and Mothers' Club are reminded that Friday is "tea day." Members are urgently requested to be present. Business important. Election of officers.

THRILLING APPEAL MADE FOR RECRUITS

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Kaiser I'd make it work until he cried 'Stop the war at any price'." Miss Ward had seen men off—men from the pulpit, the stage, the platform, the store, the stable, from Scotland, Wales, Ireland, and glorious Canada, all who had rallied to the Motherland's call of distress, and she had been chosen to go and help the men to forget — to make Tommie laugh. Miss Ward's appeal to the mothers was strong "Many," she said, "form a wrong idea of the religion of the ment at the front—there worship and religion are strong factors. Mothers are apt to wish to keep their lads tied to their apron strings—they are afraid the environment will hurt their religions principles. I want to tell you your boys don't know the meaning of religion until they are in danger." She spoke of the allegorical likeness of the very watches the boys all wear with their phospherent figgures. These, like religion, stand the test of their worth in darkness. She had stood shivering in a basement in shell torn France with men who had never dreamed of church or prayer, and had heard these men as they wondered where the next shell would fall, call to God for help. A wonderful religion is brought out out yonder at the front. There the 2,000 year quarrel, Catholics burning Protestants, and Protestants burning Catholics, elders and priests differences is levelled into the real religion of "Fear God and keep his commandments for this is the whole duty of man." The religion of unselfishness is the religion of the front. Miss Ward brings a special message from Belgium and France — "We thank you from our hearts for all the comforts and help you have sent us, and the lads, clear-eyed and clean-limbed whose very name spelled loyaltyy and devotion."

The Canadians.

"I wonder," said Miss Ward, "what the Kaiser will say when he realizes that all that prevented his pushing into Calais was a little band of Canadians," out there when Miss Ward was called upon to amuse the men they asked for "Rock of Ages," and not forgetting their brothers on the sea, "Eternal Father Strong to Save." Then every head was bared, fair, dark and a few ginger heads. They are'nt saints but they are nearer to God than ever before. There is a strange levelling of worship, there in the firing line, one church or hut made into such bears the inscription —"Divine service wil be held in this church—Church of England service at 9, Roman Catholic 10, and non-Conformist at 3 p.m., and on Saturday service for Jews. Isn't this getting pretty near an ideal religion? The boys are nearer God and humanity out there that they are here, home training is not forgotten. Every Sunday the boys put their watches back and wonder what the home folks are doing. The remembrance of Sunday school training struck Miss Ward just as the ending of almost every letter which goes over, and generally reads—"God bless you," and this Miss Ward assures all is meant. There is another change that comes over the boys. At home sometime ago they came in with a "What's for dinner"—or "I'm downright sick" — over there she has seen the same lads bite their gum, cigarettes to keep back the groans. They have become manly chaps.

Advice to Mothers.

You don't know the meaning of rest until you have fought your country's battles. After a battle the men want entertained, but more they want their mothers, "but," said Miss Ward, "I wouldn't advise any mother to go—England is a very sad place just now. She is fighting for her very existance." Of the speaker's famly every made member has gone—even her father, over 70 years of age, passed as 40, and enlisted. However, he had to give up, but is still in patriotic work. "I wouldn't look at a man who wouldn't go," she said. "There are of course, thase who find it harder to stay than to go. We have no right to judge. There are extinuating circumstances, but lads who can go—who are fit come in. It's the biggest thing in the world. You will never know the value of home until you leave it. It's only a coat of khaki, but it makes you proud and free. It started with a small thing, only a scrap of paper, but it's a big cause. Who is for it?

GOVERNOR GENERAL IS IN TORONTO

Special to The Examiner:

TORONTO, Jan. 22.—Wrapped in a typically Canadian fur coat and hat of the same material, the Duke of Devonshire, Governor-General and staff arrived here to-day to inaugurate, with a big meeting in Massey Hall to-night, the two and a half millions in four days patriotic and Red Cross campaign. His Excellency will spend a busy two days here, visiting various institutions. To-morrow he will be made an LL.D. of Toronto University.

SOCK SHOWER WAS A SUCCESS

Otonabee Chapter I. O. D. E. Have 160 pair Contributed

The shock shower held at the residence of Mrs. G. H. Thompson on Saturday afternoon under the auspices of the Otonabee Chapter I.O.D.E. was most successful. About 160 pairs were brought in and will be sent to the Secours National this week.

The regent and members of the Chapter wish to offer their warmest thanks to all those who so kindly sent in socks. The number of contributors is too long to give in detail, but special mention must be made of a donation from the Progressive Club of 30 pairs and another from the "Thursday Club" of 19 pairs.

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ROUMANIAN PICTURES

A Roumanian Peasant, Hero of the War

(By a Correspondent.)

(A Rumanian Peasant Hero of the War by a Correspondent.)

"Stories of bravery and devotion are so frequently to be picked up in these days that they have almost lost their value. Here is one, however, which not only brings to light courage and self-sacrifice from above the common, but also illustrates the character of the Rumanian peasant soldier and the relations of a feudal kind which still exists in this army, between the officers and the men.

There is a captain in a hospital here in Bucharest, wounded in the Dodrudja upon that fatal hill which cost the Rumanians as much and more than Spion Cap cost us. Although it is against custom his orderly is allowed to wait upon him. This man, a tall, lithe fellow, with good features and deep-set, dark eyes, and a frank, simple childlike expression, has been given some job in the hospital so that he may be near his master. His name is Gheorghes Lupu. In English it would be George Wolf. And this is the story told by the captain, of how George saved his life.

"When we got the orders to advance I told him to stay behind, but he begged to be allowed to march with the company. He comes from the same part of the country as I do. His family has worked on our property for generations. "Oh Captain," he said, "I promised Madame I would not leave you, I am responsible for your safety to Madame. So he came with us and we were soon in touch with the enemy.

At first we drove them back and we went with a rush up to the top of a biggish plateau where there was never a sign of a Bulgar. So on we went until all of a sudden there was a tremendous burst of rifle fire and then a few moments later of shrapnel all around us. I was trying to spot where this fire came from when I felt a blow in my right thigh as if a horse had kicked me. I tried to get up from where I had fallen, but I could scarcely move. I looked about for my Bugler and signaller; but couldn't see them. The only man alive and near me was Lupu. He was lying stretched out by me, only a yard or so away. He had followed me closely all the time.

His first idea was to carry me, but as soon as he raised himself up at all he gave the riflemen and the gunners a target and the fire grew hotter. We were left there in a little salient all our own. The enemy wouldn't come up the hill because they did not know what force we might have on the other side, but they peppered it steadily. Our chances looked pretty poor.

I had lost so much blood that I had very little strength left. I did not lose consciousness, but I was in that state of complete lethargy that came neither painful or unpleasant which is caused by loss of blood and which has helped so many poor fellows to pass away quietly unresistingly, instead of suffering and struggling in vain. How long I stayed like that I don't know but the first thing I remember is hearing Lupu's voice saying to me, "Captain we can't stay here." "All right" I said. "Try to save yourself." "No. no," he protested, I promised not to leave you. I must stay with you. What would Madame say if I broke my word.

The Bulgarians kept on "watering" the hill. Presently Lupre spoke again. "Come, Captain," he said, "you must make an effort. If the Bulgarians find us here they will cut off our hands and bulge out our eyes. God knows what tortures they will put us to. Pull yourself together, captain. We'll crawl along together. I shan't leave you. Don't be afraid of that." If he hadn't been so insistent in his patient way I should never have moved. I felt that it was too much of an effort. I didn't care what happened to me. I only wanted to be left alone. I managed to get enough energy at last to start moving, but it was a fearful struggle. In a few moments I had begun to relax into inactivity.

Then Lupu changed his tactics. He saw that he must try a new tone. He spoke for the first time with a shade of impatience. "Come, captain," he said, "you know what you always used to be telling us in the regiment. When things are difficult. You used to say, clench your fists and grit your teeth. This is the time for it. Grit your teeth, clench your fists. Then we shall go along. Somehow or other Lupus' instinct told him to speak just the words, the only words I dare say, which were capable of rousing me. It seemed as if he had managed to transfer some of his healthy, vigorous blood into my veins that were so nearly dry. I felt now as if I could get away, and I wanted to try. It was a tedious business, crawling, wriggling, rolling over and over, dragging myself along. I thought it would never end. We covered like that three kilometres (more than a mile and a half). We went through brushwood, over stones, through stiff, pricky weed. Our clothes were in rags, we were covered with dirt, but at last we came to a little ravine, for we no longer had rifle and shrapnel bullets zipping and rattling around us. We took a rest here, then Lupus hoisted me up on his back. He carried me until we came to a village, where we found some other wounded of our side beating off the attack of some peasants. We joined in and and all of us got away safely. When we turned up at the place where the rest of the regiment was, the colonel thought we were ghosts. They had given us up as lost. Then I was sent here and Lupu with me, and he delivered me up to Madame as he had promised.

Even to Roumanians who know their peasantry well that story appeals with so much force that one of the principal newspapers here gives it a place of honour and Gheorghe is being made a popular hero of the war. There is some quality in it which distinguishes it from other stories of the kind.

One can vividly understand the naused his captain's exhortation to such ture of the good simple fellow who good purpose. The Roumanian peasants are like that. "Big children," people say, but children with a remarkable turn for talking. In a hospital a day or two ago, after a famous Roumanian poetess had given the men a little lecture about the war generally and had played the guitar for them, up got a young soldier and made an eloquent two-minute speech of thanks. I asked a Roumanian acquaintance who was there if this was not unusual. "Oh, no," he said, "they can talk. It seems to come natural to them."

They have the pretty old-world manners, too, which we associate with the patriarch age, when society was neatly arranged in grades, each grade recognizing what was due to the other, and behaving "as such." When the laundress brings home my "washing" she kisses my hand after I have paid her. The servants have special forms of salutation for use when addressing their "betters." In the country the feudal system still flourishes in many districts. The owners of the soil are not far from being the owners of the peasantry as well.

I need scarcely say that all this is passing and soon will be no more. There is no need to regret it. At heart these peasants will remain the same. Their fleunt tongues will not become speechless any more than those of the Italians. There will still be Gheorge Lupus to light up the dark records of bloodshed with gleams of radiant devotion and disregard of fear.

J. E. H.
Canadian Overseas.

Britain Will Lease Greek Merchant Marine

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

ATHENS, Jan. 22. — Britain will lease the Greek merchant marine.

DANCE

Monday Evening Jan. 22nd 1917 at 8:30 O'clock

The Peterborough Returned Soldiers' Club have arranged a dance at the Victoria Hall, George street, for the above date. Good music, progressive euchre, refreshments. Double tickets 50c., may be obtained from returned soldiers or Payne's Drug Store. Don't miss this

UNUSUAL FIRE CONDITIONS RESPONSIBLE FOR COLLAPSE OF QUAKER OATS WAREHOUSE

Interesting Address to Insurance Men by Mr. W. W. Pearse, City Architect of Toronto—What the Quaker Oats Conflagration Showed—How the Fire Started.

"Modern Fireproof Construction" is a subject of much interest to all fire insurance men. Mr. W. W. Pearse, city architect of Toronto, addressing the insurance institute of that city, dealt in a thorough manner with this topic. He said in part:

"There are two distinct types of modern fireproof construction known as 'steel skeleton construction' and 'reinforced concrete.'

"The 'steel skeleton construction' has, without doubt, held first place up till to-day, due to the fact that the steel work can be run up to almost any height in an incredibly short time; the balance of the construction follows immediately, some times, in fact generally, the brick and stonework are started at different stories, the upper part frequently being finished before the lower stories are commenced. This is usually caused by the lower stories being built of stone and, therefore, more difficult to get.

"Buildings up to 12 stories in height are generally built in what is known as curtain wall construction, which means that the walls are self-sustaining. This usually applies only to the side walls, the front being almost invariably built of skeleton construction, which means that at each floor the brickwork is supported.

"Buildings of 12-stories in height are usually erected inside of one year.

"Steelwork has been able to overcome all the difficulties of construction caused by wind stresses and tremendous dead loads, and in my opinion, will never be superseded by any mode of construction for buildings more than 12 stories in height. This is particularly true when you consider that practically all the material used in these modern buildings is fabricated at the shop, all marked for erection; the foreman of the different trades is furnished with drawings which show where every piece is to go. This is true for practically all trades, such as stonework, terra cotta front work, steel work, plumbing, heating, etc. By this method these huge buildings are rapidly and economically constructed.

Reinforced Concrete Buildings.

"Referring to the reinforced concrete buildings, this type of construction has undoubtedly come to stay, and I might refer you to some of the modern buildings that are being erected in Toronto, one being the 'Trusts and Guarantee Building' on Bay Street, which is 11 stories in height, having girders for one storey built of concrete of the full depth of the story and carrying interior columns which have considerable loads coming thereon. This type of construction is what is known as beam and girder reinforced concrete. In other words, reinforced concrete beams and girders take the place of steel beams and girders in the steel skeleton construction.

"Another type is what is known as the four-way flat slab construction. An example of this construction is well illustrated in mail order building of the Simpson Company.

"Another type of concrete construction is the new Eaton factory building which is being erected on Downey's Lane and Alice street. This building is a 12-story one, and is a combination of flat slab construction and skeleton steel. The columns are built of steel work of such shape that the concrete when poured afound them reinforce them, and we have then a **steel column reinforced** with concrete, whereas in the Simpson building we have a concrete column reinforced with steel. The Eaton building then has floors constructed on lines similar to the four-way type of construction.

"The different floor systems are almost infinite but they usually resolve themselves down to terra cotta brick, gypsum, cinder or stone concrete.

Mr. Pearce illustrated further remarks with slides showing the various classes of construction.

Mr. T. D. Myrea, assistant to the city architect, dealt with "flat slab" construction, and in part, said:

"Since November 25th, 1915, a little over a year, there have been erected or started in Toronto thirteen reinforced concrete buildings of the type known as the 'flat slab type,' with a total permit value of $1,672,000. Previous to this time there were but two flat slab buildings constructed, with a permit value of $295,000.

"Confronted with the type of building that was first recognized in a building code by Chicago only as recently as 1914, and which purported to be as fireproof as any other existing type, our department was anxious to learn all that it possibly could as to its first resisting qualities. So when attention was called to the fact that a flat slab building was almost completely destroyed by the recent conflagration at the plant, of the Quaker Oats Company, at Peterborough, Ont., a report was obtained.

'The fire was started by an explosion in the dry house which blew out the east and north walls. In falling the north wall wrecked the boiler house, putting the fire pump out of commission, and the east wall took with it a 6-inch sprinkler riser, and buried the valve controlling this riser. The large stream of water thus drawn from the city mains so lowered the pressure that for perhaps an hour, until proper street valves could be located and closed, the water pressure from fire plugs in the neighbourhood was a slight breeze from the north-allowed to rage unhindered. There was a silght breeze from the northeast, which helped carry the fire from the point where it started to all the other bills in the plant, and all the buildings, with the exception of the circular grain bins, are now in ruins.

How Fire Started.

"The fire started about 10.15 a.m. The explosion started the fire on all six floors of the mill building at the same time. The fire doors in all fire walls were open, as the plant was in operation, but the employees managed to close those located between the mill and warehouse No. 1 before the fire got that far. It was not until a portion of the south wall of the mill fell, crashing through the roof and some of the floors of the warehouse, that the fire gained admission to it. Owing to the wind the concrete building was exposed directly to the flames from the burning mill and warehouse No. 1. By twelve o'clock the dry-house, mill and warehouse No. 1 were in ruins, the top of the wooden elevator was gone, and the fire was just starting in the reinforced concrete building."

Various views showing the effect of fire upon reinforced concrete, steel columns, bricks, ceilings, etc., were shown, Mr. Myirea adding:

In reality it is easier to explain why the Quaker Oats warehouse fell than why the Edison buildings stood. As soon as steel becomes heated, the working strength diminishes, and this weakening taxes place at the rate of approximately 4 per cent. for each 100 deg. Fahrenheit increase in temperature. At 2,500 deg. Fahreinheit, therefore, the strength would be 0, and this is very nearly the melting point of steel. If we take the evidence of the brick, which shows that a temperature of over 2,000 deg. Fahrenheit penetrated two inches into a material of just about the same conductivity as concrete, and, from this assume that the slab rods reached this temperature, it is evident that their working strength was reduced by about 80 per cent. For a steel with an elastic limit of 35,000 pounds per square inch, this would mean that the available working strength was less than 7,000 pounds per square inch. In the columns this would not be of such grave importance as in the floor slabs, but in the slabs the stresses developed were in excess of this reduced allowable stress. It is, therefore, probable that the floors failed first and carried the columns with them. This explanation appears to be confirmed by pictures taken. It is possible that the depth of the beams and girders and the short spans of the floor slabs in the Edison building offered a more effective resistance to collapse by reason of their shape, even were the working strengths temporarily reduced.

Wiser Course to Follow.

"There is much more evidence that the floor slabs collapsed first in the Quaker Oats warehouse. Even though protected in some cases with a very thin coat of concrete, the reinforcing walls were not oxidiead, while other exposed metal was. This might have been inferred from the fact that a thin coat of cement mortar will prevent rust, which is another form of oxidation. If a fire of sufficient intensity and duration to heat a nine-inch floor slab through, it is evident tha even four and one-half inches of fire-proofing would have availed nothing. So it seems to the speaker that it would be incorrect to call for excessive fireproofing simply because one building collapsed when exposed to unusual fire conditions. The wiser course would be to have just such an amount as by reason of its low heat conductivity would prevent the steel from becoming overheated in an ordinary blaze."

Minstrel Show in East City Parish Hall a Success

A minstrel show in the parish hall of the Church of the Immaculate Conception, on Friday night, drew a capacity house and delighted the audience of several hundred that included a considerable representation from the west side of the river. The production went smoothly all the way. The songs were well rendered both in solo and choral effect, and the work of the end men was new and bright. Mr. John McCabe, as stage manager, had forseseen all the requirements, and Mr. Dan. Leonard, musical director, arranged a very pleasing programme. All Weatherhead, pianist, played the accompaniments with good taste and precision. The success of the production was largely due to the clever work of Mr. Alex. Primeau, who, in his first appearance as an interlocutor, made a fine impression. Among the vocal numbers, Mr. Arthur Leonard's solo "Farewell to Thee," was particularly effective. The olio included step-dancing by Mr. D. Quinlan and Mr. M. English; a banjo specialty by Mr. Frank Clarke, and a comedy finale entitled "The Doctor," presented by Mr. D. Leonard, Joseph Collins and John Primeau.

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Rita Jolivet a Charming Actress in Another Excellent Picture

The Story of the Play.

Bennington Brent, the laundry king, uses the phrases of the trade to shrewdly express his observations His beautiful daughter, Florence Brent, being of another generation, reflects the finish, or as Brent expresses it, "the satin gloss" of wealth and elegance.

Congressman John Oglesby, her chum from childhood, is a handsome young statesman and a prominent member of the National Assembly.

Florence visits her chum, Eleanor Williamson, who lives in Washington, and meets Eleanor's fiance, Count Krinburg.

The Duke of Burits, a fellow countryman of the Count, endeavours to corrupt Oglesby for international-political reasons. But he fails in his estimate of the man.

The Duke, who is the ambassador for his country at the American Capitol, is introduced to Florence by the Count, on whom she has made a great impression. The attentiveness of the Count to Florence leads to the breaking of her engagement by Eleanor Williamson, but having inherited an estate, the Count feels independent of international marriages.

The blase attitude of the Duke is changed to deep and sudden interest by Florence's beauty and charm. Florence Brent in turn is dazzled by this foreign nobleman of royal blood.

The Duke is so entranced that he proposes to and is accepted by Florence. He departs for his country to arrange for the wedding. He meets with the opposition of his family, but prevails upon them to invite Florence to Burits.

Because of his love for Florence, John Oglesby accedes to her father's request and goes abroad with the Brents.

The Duke is playing a desperate game to overcome the obstacles in the way of is marriage to Florence, and as plan after plan fails he forces Florence into a tangled situation.

The subtle deception of the Duke and Count is discovered and shown up by Oglesby, who solves the seemingly impossible tangle in a masterly way.

ACCIDENT TO MISS M. HAYES

Miss Marion Hayes, daughter of Mr. John E. Hayes, Park street, met with a painful accident while skating at the Brock street rink on Saturday afternoon, falling on the ice and receiving a bad gash near her right eye. She was taken to the residence of her uncle, Mr. T. J. Lane, Hunter street, and Dr. McNulty called. Later in the evening Miss Hayes was removed to her home.

TRAIN CREW ARE REMANDED

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Jan. 22.—Grand Trunk Engineer John Ross, Fireman Chas. Farner, and Signalman Patrick Healey were arraigned this morning in the police court in connection with the death of Colonel W. C. MacDonald the serious injury of four others at the Union Station, last night, and remanded to await the result of an

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CRIPPLED FRANCE

REPUBLIC HAS SENT OFFICERS TO RUN RUSSIAN FACTORIES —HUGE EXPORTS OF SUPPLIES.

PARIS. France was deprived of 50 per cent. of her resources in coal, 90 per cent. of her iron ore and 80 per cent. of her steel and iron manufacturing establishments by the German invasion. At the same time, the developments of the war multiplied her needs of precisely the things which those resources supplied.

Official figures furnished show how, crippled as she was, France metamorphosed her remaining industries, and improvised new ones so as to utilise to the maximum her remaining resources, not only supplying her own army, but handing over nearly a quarter of her output in arms and munitions to her allies.

France has supplied to Belgians, Russians, Italians, Serbians and Roumanians great quantities of such arms and munitions as she has manufactured herself, and has abandoned to her allies a considerable part of what she has bought abroad.

"The cessions of war supplies France has made to her allies are not regarded as sacrifices," an officer of the General Staff says; "we simply delegate thus a part of our energies to those who are in a situation to employ them to the best advantage."

Of its total production since the beginning of the war France has turned over to the allies quantities that represent the following proportions:

	P.C
Rifles	30
Cartridges	22
Field gun shells	20
Heavy artillery ammunition	20
Trench mortars	13
Hand grenades	27½
Protecting masks against suffocating gas	10
Powder	8
Other explosives	5

MUNITIONS SENT TO RUSSIA.

A French officer says that up to October 16 France had supplied Russia with more than 900,000 rifles and more than 300,000,000 cartridges; sent to her several hundred pieces of heavy artillery, millions of projectiles for field guns, millions of hand grenades, and thousands of aeroplane motors.

"French technical experts and specialists were also sent to Russia to intensify the home production," he said "There are now 22 officers and 236 subaltern officers and soldiers of the French army occupying important posts in the Russian munition factories."

The most important French mission sent to Russia was that headed by Colonel Pyot, who transformed into munition factories a great many establishments that had not previously worked for national defence.

Raw materials and coal have been sent in large quantities from France to Italy, together with a number of batteries of heavy artillery with a supply of shells to go with it. Besides keeping up the provision of projectiles for these heavy guns, France furnished Italy with a considerable number of charged three inch shells, and engaged to supply regularly several thousand empty shells a day. Five hundred thousand helmets, 40,000 trench shields, more than one hundred trench mortars, hundreds of tons of aluminum and chemical products were among the things furnished to Italy, while a French Flying Corps constitutes the defence of Venice against Austrian air attacks.

From the end of 1914 until the evacuation of Serbia, France supplied the Serbian artillery with 2,000 three-inch shells a day. After the retreat it was France that undertook the transportation and the reconstitution of the Serbian army at Corfu. The armament and the ammunition were furnished exclusively by France, and were identical with those of the French divisions; the rest of the material and supplies were furnished in common by France and Great Britain. One hundred and fifty vessels were required for the transportation, constituting another great privation to France in such dire need of better ocean transportation facilities. Some seventy six voyages were required for the entire operation, and it was accomplished without a single accident.

SUPPLIED ROUMANIAN ARMY.

France also supplied entirely the Roumanian Army with war materials and munitions from the day of its entry into the war. France supplied to Roumania more than 100,000 rifles, with 80,000,000 cartridges, and the additional supplies of 10,000 rifles a month, more than 1,000 machine guns with the necessary munition supplies; and more than 1,000,000 hand grenades. She furnished her with field guns, heavy artillery, trench guns, and anti-aircraft guns, with an initial supply of munitions for each, and with the undertaking to keep that supply up to the requirements. France gave the Roumanian Army all its engineering material, including telephonic and telegraphic lines, and all its wireless outfit, with a certain number of automobile searchlights, and more than 400 searchlights of different calibres, with 4,500 tons of barbed wire.

All the aviation material used by Roumania is of French manufacture; the French Flying Corps ceded to them 200 machines for pursuit, bombardment, and reconnoitring, while 100 other machines were built in Roumania with material or parts furnished by French industry. France made 200,000 steel helmets, 500,000 gas masks and 5,200 apparatuses against asphyxiating gas for Roumania. In September and October of this year France shipped to Roumania more than 5,000 tons of material. It went by way of Archangel and over the Russian railroads.

Twenty French officers and 300 French soldiers trained in the aviation service were sent to Roumania immediately after the declaration of war and formed the nucleus of its flying corps.

NATURE LOVER'S WILL

A curious will story is the subject of much gossip in North Westmoreland, England.

On August 10th there died at the Patterdale Hotel a retiring old gentleman, Dr. Peter Quin Keegan, an Irishman. He had lived in the dale a good many years, but little was known about him, except that his father had been a member of the firm of Keegan, Graham and Co., wine merchants, Belfast. Dr. Keegan was an LL.D. of Dublin University, and was keenly interested in botany, geology, and arboriculture. He wrote, among many other papers, one on the 'Chemistry of Lakeland Trees."

Some time before his death he met Mr. Ronald Ellwood, a traveller for Mr. T. Bardgett, draper, Penrith. Mr. Ellwood was travelling in the Patterdale district, and got into conversation with the venerable doctor in regard to botanical matters. Dr. Keegan gave Mr. Ellwood a book on the subject, which he took away with him. A short time ago Mr. Ellwood had occasion to consult the book, and found that two of its pages were fastened together and outside one of them was written an instruction by Dr. Keegan that they had not to be opened until after his death.

The doctor having died in the meantime, Mr. Ellwood opened the pages, and found the old gentleman's will, which has been placed in the hands of Messrs. Arnison and Co., solicitors, Penrith, and who are now in communication with the relatives. This will is entirely in order except that the witnesses cannot at present be found, and they are to be advertised for. Rumour says that Dr. Keegan left property amounting to £30,000, and that besides two local beneficiaries — the Misses Hudson, Patterdale — there are bequests to his two sisters, and Mr. Ellwood is beneficiary legatee.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

Examiner Special:

TORONTO, Jan. 22.—Live stock receipts heavy. Market strong. Prices ... as last week's closing.

THE WEATHER

Lowest temperature Saturday night, 5 degrees below zero. Highest reached on Sunday, 4 degrees above. Lowest figure Sunday night, just zero. At noon to-day, 3 above zero, and drifting badly in the open.—W.P.

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Choice Salmon (by the fish), lb	11c
15c cooking figs, 5lb lots, lb	9½c
15c prunes, 5lb lots, lb	8½c
40c tea, 5lb lots, lb	33c
40c extra fine coffee, lb	33c
30c green tea, 5lb. lots, lb	21c
15c dried peaches, 5lb lots, lb	10½c
15c raisins, 5lb lots, for	9½c
25lb. rolled oats for	49c
25lb. corn meal for	49c
4lb. honey color syrup for	25c
20c tin tomatoes 2 cans at	17½c
15c peas and corn, 2 cans at	13½c
15c box rolled wheat, 2 for	25c
20c lemons, bargain, doz.	10c
$4.25 bag No. 1 bread flour for	$4.04
Good roast beef as cut off, lb.	18c
$7 to $12 furs, all at, each	$4.89
$3 to $6 fur caps at all, each	98c
60 lb. Scotch finger yarn, lb	$1.49
40c overstockings, pair	29c
Ladies' 25c flooded stockings, pair	21c
Children's 20c rib stockings, pair	14c

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Account of Attack On Regina Trench That Won the D.S.O. For Nephew of Mrs. A. Brock, City

Major Chas. B. Worsnop, of 102nd British Columbia Battalion, Indicates Difficulties Under Which His Command Carried On in a Memorable Engagement.

The following graphic account of a Canadian attack on Regina trench was written by Major Chas. B. Worsnop of the 102nd British Columbia Battalion, who is a godson of Mrs. A. Brock, Weller street. The story was included in a recent letter Major Worsnop wrote to his parents. For his work in that action he won the D.S.O. and a staff appointment.

Sunday, 12th, 11/1/16.

Dear Mater and Dad.— Just out again from a turn in the trenches, and it developed into something more than the usual this time, and yours truly came through in good shape. The usual programme is to go in and hold a certain system of trenches, cause casualties, work and improve the position, etc., and on this occasion the Colonel stayed out. He had quite a hearing time last time in.

The trenches we are in at present are in many places eight feet deep, nearly three feet deep in mud, which we try to shovel out; if anyone ever lapped sorrows with a teaspoon, this is the real McCoy, not for a yard or two, but miles of it. Our men generally work up here for about twenty-four hours and then move back a short distance into what is known as support and reserve. In this particular position, owing to the weather and shelling, the trenches are frightful, and the usual way is not to go along them at night, but to climb out and walk behind, and although the men are issued with hip-boots, we have to dig them out quite frequently and in some cases on pulling them out, off comes their boots and sometimes are lost, but fortunately boots are plentiful and generally quite close at hand (on the German dead.)

On this particular occasion our battalion went in quite weak, about 300 all ranks available for fighting, so the two companies that were in for 24 hours did not get relieved, as we had a rush order to take two objects and we needed every one for our allotted task.

How would you like to stand in mud wet through to your hips, not able to move about (with instructions to change your socks at least once a day and rub your feet with whale oil) to have only biscuits and bully beef, with 90 p.c. of the water bottles empty, and just as you are expecting relief to get word to stand by for a show. Our artillery that morning from 5.30 to 7 had plieced a heavy barrage on their front line and had chewed up the ground pretty well.

I received verbal instructions about 3.30 and written ones at 5. I went into the scheme with the company captains and the general stood by while I gave them their instructions and did not interfere with my plans, which were changed by local conditions from the ones I received. I had to bring in two more companies on the left half battalion, give them bombs, and get them in position and ready to move at given hour, 12 midnight in this case. It was a long time between 5 p.m. when the officers left me with the G.O.C. and we sat and talked and waited. The artillery opened an awful roar at 12 and it kept up for about three hours. You see this barrage business means hammering one particular locality for a certain time, lifting so many yards for so long and so on. This time was 8 minutes on their front line and then a lift of 150 yards. Reports began coming in about two and from then on. It had been uncomfortable before, but it was hell now.

Bewildered men, who had been isolated, came in with most weird stories. "We had taken our objective,' 'we hadn't," "we had run out of bombs," "out of ammunition," "of lead and wounded," "of counter attacks," "of artillery retaliation," "of no one to tell them what to do of this and that, and no good anywhere." However, we kept our heads; written reports now came in. I am quoting: 'We are still holding trench, but opposite C. Co." "The enemy are massed for attack." We have no machine guns that are in action, mud is terrible in trenches and the men are all played out; send assistance. O. C. 4," and then perhaps one not quite as bad, then one stating that the officers of C Co. were out of action (one dead—not true.) Then I had to use my head, and fortunately I did the right thing. I sent over a chap, Lieutentant Lister, of Cranbrooke, who had been in from the first and had charge of a carrying party, and placed him in charge. The frantic calls for help I had answered by sending over 30 men carrying ammunition, and in no time things settle down, and reports worth while came in. Lister, knowing we must be anxious, came in himself for a minute, gave us his distance of trench he had taken and also the other company. He now returned and sent back the twenty men saying he did not need them. One could not have done it better for oneself. He was grand.

Our artillery started a heavy barrage again at 5.30 to 7, when it lifted again at 8. I sent out Major Cary (with us now from the 67th B.C. Electric Engineers, Jordan River) for a personal reconnaisance, as I had to stand by in case of trouble. He was in by 9 and reported every one happy, working hard, burying and carrying wounded, but everyone too damned friendly. So out I went, not a shot being fired, so I went up the whole way overland, and what do you imagine I found. Some of our chaps cleaning out the trench, some gathering wounded, some had been exchanging presents with Fritz and Fritz the same with us. I jumped over the trench we had taken, posed off a bombing post 50 yards farther out, had a good look out at the enemy, sized up the situation and back to the trench. Instructed all our chaps to start hostilities as soon as possible and raise hell. I got back to headquarters and reported by 'phone to the Brigade Major and told him what I had done and what I had seen, and thought the General should be advised. I was told the General would be up to make a look, see himself, so I stopped our aggressiveness, pretended to bury the dead. There were dozens, but belonging to an old affair, and waited for the G.O.C., when we made another trip, mostly overland, but they chased us with whizz bangs. We went through the front line and talked the matter over thoroughly. I showed him the new trench we had discovered and the number in there. Oh, yes, previously I had asked him for an aircraft attack or artillery if possible. The G.O.C. decided on artillery, and later in the day they got busy. While there I spoke to the General, with Lister present and told him what I thought. The General will see he gets the D.S.O., and you know how often they are granted these days; they are like hen's teeth. Well, what had we done? We not only had accomplished our tasks, we had taken 250 yards more than our share and had repulsed three counter attacks. You ask, with this mere handful? Yes. The G. O. C. said in our presence, it was the biggest and most successful "small affair" he had ever heard of, and all the way back to Headquarters waxed most enthusiastic. We were supposed to keep in touch with the 47th on our right. They pulled us away over and in consequence we got 350 yards of their trench for them! Much to the disgust of the Brigadier of the 10th and likewise Col. Winsby. Everyone is talking over our success. Our casualties, 5 killed and 36 wounded, including Capt. Ironside, Lieuts. Matheson and Sturgeon. We inflicted heavy casualties and captured 38 prisoners from two different battalions, we captured 100 yards of front line and contro with a bombing post of 75 yards of communication trench. The General has written the Col., specially mentioning me and he himself congratulated me several times, and if you only knew General O, you would appreciate his praise. He demands a great deal and gets it.

Love to all. Look for a rest soon.

CHAD.

"Aladdin And His Wonderful Lamp" Coming

Famous Pantomime Will Be Seen at the Grand on Monday, Jan. 29th

Peterborough is to have its first English pantomime on Monday, Jan. 29th, when the well-known author-manager F. Stuart Whyte, presents his elaborate production of "Aladdin and his Wonderful Lamp."

"Aladdin" is a classic among pantommes founded upon the stories in the famous Arabian Nights, it takes precedence over those of less pretentious origin, such as nursery rhymes and old proverbs.

With all of its scenes laid in China and its characters Chinese, the costumes and settings admit of lavish investure and a predominance of picturesque colour schemes.

There is also another not-to-be-overlooked advantage in having the action supposedly take place in China. Many things happen in the land poppy that could not possibly happen anywhere else on the face of the globe. For instance, in the 1916-17 version of "Aladdin" there is a General Sam Fuse, in command of the Chinese Army, who is responsible for many things, including laughs. Then there is the Emperor and the Grand Vizier, who, together with a select few political henchmen, endeavour to clean out the Imperial Exchequer, and even strive to make profit out of the munitions of war, such as knives, chop-sticks, flags and rockets, at the expense of the Imperial Chinese Government. Of course this is very wrong and the malefactors are severely punished by having the crystals on their wrist watches fractured in three places.

However, there are two honest hearts in China, the possessors of them being Aladdin and the Princess Yoo-Shi, whose course of true love runs as smoothly as a nineteen-thirteen Ford on a provincial highway.

The pantomime is in five acts, or scenes, and will be presented here by a company of twenty-five distinguished artists, not to forget the perfect beauty chorus and a troupe of Jap. acrobats.

"Y" Boys Had Fine Outing On Saturday

Saturday afternoon the members of the Junior School Boys' Bible Club of the Y.M.C.A. held a most enjoyable outing to Jackson Park. A good programme of sports were run off consisting of snow shoe, ski and toboggan races. After the sports the boys had a scouting game through the woods which they thoroughly enjoyed.

At five o'clock the boys returned to the building where a good supper was waiting for them which had been provided by their parents. There are 88 boys on the Junior Bible Club roll, and 40 were on hand when the signal was given for supper.

To-night the Senior Employed Boys' Gymnasium class at 8 p.m. The attendance of this class has been very encouraging and every member is requested to be on hand at 8 p.m. sharp.

Wednesday night the Standard Efficiency Test programme will consist of an exhibition of coins, stamps, minerals, different kinds of wood, and articles in their various stage of manufacture.

The older boys of the "Y" are especially invited to be present and help make the evening a success.

DAN NOBLE

(New York World)

With the passing of 1916 the history of Dan Noble will go forever from the lead coloured cabinet at the Detective Bureau.

It was decided recently at Police Headquarters that this should be so, for word was received that Dan was dead. Once the possessor of more than $500,000 in cash, as his share of a notorious robbery, this man, at the age of 82, died a pauper. At war with society for practically his entire life, he was cared for by society at his end.

He died last November 27 at the Farm Colony, Staten Island, conducted at the expense of the city. The next day his relatives — for he has relatives of good standing in the community — ordered a quiet funeral and his burial in an up-state cemetery.

Feared and Watched.

Dan Noble in his day was feared by bankers and watched by detectives. Since his release from Auburn, December 19, 1899, he had been "good." He went to that prison in 1897 to finish a sentence imposed on him March 3, 1871. In January, 1873, he escaped from Auburn, and during the succeeding years led the police of two continents a most perplexing chase excepting when in prison in England and France.

The Pinkertons and all other detectives who in the last fifty years have been guarding bankers, always regarded Dan Noble as a man without an equal. He never participated in "small games."

One of the first big robberies was of the Royal Insurance Company in Wall street in 1866. Negotiable bonds and other property of the value of $1,700,000 were stolen. Frank Knapp and Jimmie Griffin, two well-known characters of that day, were his confederates, and all escaped to Canada. Being arrested there, Noble was indignant, and demanded they be released on bail. In this way, $75,000 went away from them.

The three stuck together, and each was supposed to have at that time $500,000 in cash, obtained by disposing of the proceeds of the robbery. They went to Elmira, where Noble tried to become an honest real estate man, but one of his pals, who disliked his airs, filed a complaint against him, alleging he had brought stolen property into Chemung County.

This led to his arrest and sentence to Auburn, from which he escaped. "Jim" Hope, who engineered the Manhattan Bank robbery, and other well-known crooks escaped with him.

The next the police learned of Noble was when he became active in London. He joined Johnny Miller, Joe Champan and Jack Phillips in circulating spurious money. He went to Paris, too, where he was concerned in a diamond robbery and sentenced to five years in a French prison, but escaped. Then he returned to England, where he was born, by the way, in 1834. There he was arrested for forgery.

Released Again.

He was sentenced to twenty years' imprisonment. He worked a "pull," through American friends, who interceded and said he was dying in prison. This brought his release in 1895.

In 1897 he returned to New York and was arrested, charged with passing a worthless check on the Fourth National Bank. Later he was identified by a former keeper of Auburn as the escaped convict.

The last public record the police have of him was in 1907, when he was a complainant in the West Side Court, where he charged a woman with stealing his dog. He said he had merely allowed her to keep the dog for him and she refused to give it up.

Noble then dropped from sight until a well-known politician of this city heard of his plight and used his influence to have him committed to the Farm Colony. Detectives said yesterday that Noble had not participated in the Manhattan Bank robbery, although there were stories that he had done so.

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and to the nearest correct estimates we will give the prizes mentioned below.

For every dollar paid into the Examiner on DOLLAR DAY, **Thursday, January 26th,** for an account, a subscription the Daily Examiner at $4.00 per year or the Weekly Examiner at $1.00 per year we will give estimating blanks for **Our Own Contest of $25.00** and for the **Merchants' Treasury Box of $175.00** and we are also offering a **Special Prize of $10.00 extra** if the person winning the Merchants' Treasury Box **First Prize of $25.00** secured the Estimating Blank through the Examiner Office.

It is possible then for a first prize winner who has secured Examiner Estimating Blanks to earn

Merchants' Treasury Box Prize of -	**$25.00**
Our Own First Prize -	**6.00**
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And Total of	**41.00**

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First Nearest Estimate -	**$6.00**
Second " "	**5.00**
Third " "	**4.00**
Fourth " "	**3.00**
Fifth " "	**2.00**
Sixth " "	**1.00**
Seventh " "	**1.00**
Eight " "	**1.00**
Ninth " "	**1.00**
Tenth " "	**1.00**
	25.00
Our Special Prize of -	**10.00**
	35.00

The quart gem was bought in Mason's Grocery and the beans required to fill it at Denne's Flour and Feed Store, George Street.

Aside from the attraction and excitement of the different contests put on by the merchants, the opportunity of purchasing seasonable goods at Dollar Day prices should be a sufficient incentive to draw a large crowd to the City.

THE WORLD OF SPORT

HOCKEY GOSSIP

Mark Street Rink, Saturday morning, between 11 and 12, was the scene of a lively game of hockey, when P. C. I. Commercial and St. Peter's clashed together. The former went down to defeat at the hands of the fast St. Peter's seven. The score was 9 to 7. Line-up:

St. Peter's — Goal, C. Theobald; defence, N. Gerard, M. Ranger; rover, V. Killoran; centre, F. Collins; wings, W. Killoran, C. McCarney.

P. C. I. Commercial—Goal, Moffatt; defence, S. Hagerman, Gillespie; rover, McDonald; centre, P. Connolly; wings, Hagerman, McWilliams.

To the Editor of The Examiner.

Dear Sir,—Will you please tell me who is entitled to a pool on the hockey game on Friday night, the one closest to the score at the end of the three periods, or the one at the conclusion of the overtime period.

Yours truly,
HOCKEY FAN.

Any pool on Friday night's game should be decided on the final result of the game, which, of course, is the score at the end of the overtime period.—Sporting Editor.

WITH THE CURLERS

Toronto Clubs May Come.

Letters have been received from the Toronto Curling Club and Toronto Granites asking for dates for games in Peterborough.

District Cup Games.

Two Peterborough rinks go to Lindsay to-morrow for the primary round of the District Cup games. Skips W. D. Campbell and Alex Kay will lead the local rinks which will likely be composed as follows:

J. H. Metheral, Percy Fitzgerald, E. G. Patterson and A. Kay, Skip.

R. L. Dobbin, A. W. Archibald, R. P. Best and W. D. Campbell, skip.

To-night's Games.

The scheduled games to-night are:
Lang vs. Matthews.
Best vs. Dela Fosse.
J. H. Ferguson vs. Waddell.
Campbell vs. Brightman.

JUNIOR PLAYERS MEET TO-NIGHT

There will be an important meeting of the Peterborough Junior O. H. A. players at Brock Street rink, to-night at 7.30 o'clock. All members of the junior team are asked to attend this meeting.

"The Making of Canada's Flag"

Names of Those Who Took Part in Entertainment That Was Given on Friday Night

Following is a list of those who took part in "The Making of Canada's Flag":

Britannia—Mrs. (Dr.) Middleton.
Canada—Miss Athol Beatty.
English Girl—Miss Allie Bennett.
Scotch Girl—Miss Roxie McKee.
Irish Girl—Miss Mabel Patterson.
"Spirit of Long Ago"—Miss Maisie Armstrong.
Laura Secord—Mrs. C. C. Parsons.
Veterans of '66 — Mr. Walter Bourne and Sergt. J. Miller.
South African Representative—Mr. Bruce Hamilton.
Boys in Khaki—Mr. Bruce Hamilton's class of 19 boys.
Girl Reciter—Miss Muriel Harvey.
Pages—Farren Stevens and Fred Doupe.
Emblem Bearers—Hazel and Mildred Trethewey.
Soloists—Mrs. J. H. Renwick, Mrs. (Dr.) Middleton, Miss Rae Gallagher, Miss Etta Kemp, and Mr. A. Lee.

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KITCHENER'S PATRIOTIC FUND PRESIDENT HAS RESIGNED

Mr. A. J. Williams, president of the W. G. and R. Co. of Kitchener, Ont., has resigned the presidency of the Patriotic Fund of that city. A principal factor in his decision were the recent events that had brought the City of Kitchener into somewhat questionable prominence. He was an active member of the British League, whose representatives were defeated in the recent municipal election. Under his presidency the Kitchener Patriotic Fund raised $96,000 in its first year exceeding every city of its size in Canada.

WILL GIVE JUDGMENT ON SATURDAY NEXT

Magistrate Langley this morning heard the argument in the Anderson liquor case and reserved judgment until Saturday. Mr. G. N. Gordon appeared for the defendant and Crown Attorney Hatton for the prosecution. Anderson, a Belmont man, is charged with having liquor in his possession in a place other than in his private dwelling.

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Committee of the Whole Council This Evening

Report is Being Prepared Concerning the Trip of Mayor Duffus and Ald. Dobbin Down Through the Snow-clad Hills of Vermont

A meeting of the Committee of the Whole Council will be held this evening, commencing at 8 o'clock. A voluminous report has been prepared concerning the recent trip of His Worship Mayor Duffus and Ald. F. H. Dobbin to the wilds of New York City. At noon to-day the report extended over twelve pages with a "turn rule" on the bottom of the last page, indicating that there was more to follow. Ald. Dobbin, the author, has promised to present a complimentary copy to each of the aldermen in the hope that they will peruse it and acquaint themselves with the ramifications of the New York fire department. Late this afternoon a hurry call was sent out for another thousand sheets of paper, so that the report may resemble a recent edition of "Baedeker."

MALL VOTE IN TORONTO

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Jan. 22 — Indications up to 2 p.m. were that a very small vote is being polled in the Northwest Toronto Legislature by-election today, in which Hon. W. D. McPherson, Provincial Secretary, is the Government candidate, with James Cane for the Opposition. There is scarcely any doubt of Mr. McPherson's re-election.

OAK HALL CLOCK ATTRACTS ATTENTION

Mr. M. J. Maher, of the Oak Hall, reports a decided interest in Dollar Day Thursday, January 25th. The particular attraction of the Oak Hall apart from special values in men's clothing is the handsome clock which has already drawn many guesses as the hour at which it will stop.

ANTI-TRUST SUITS ARE DISMISSED

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—The Supreme Court to-day dismissed without prejudice the Government anti-trust suits against the South Atlantic and Asiatic Shipping Pools, by which steamship lines were alleged to have "split up" the ocean business.

A British aviator, now in the hospital, after having been the target for many a gunner, remarked: "I'll never shoot at another bird. I know now how they feel."

The Sense of the Future

By Rev. J. H. Jowett, D.D.

"I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down from God out of heaven."—Rev. xxi. 2.

This man saw the finished city when the walls had scarcely begun to rise. He gazed upon the top-stone on the day the foundation stone was laid. He lived in the city before it was built. His eyes surveyed the waving harvest when the seed was only newly sown. He ate his bread before the sheaves had been gathered in. He had a great and sacred sense of the future. He felt the days before him. He drank the stimulating wine of a glorious vintage when the vine was scarcely above the ground. He was inspired by the strength of finished purposes. He looked to the joy that was set before him. Amid the grim confinements of Patmos he saw the new Jerusalem, and he walked its bright and golden streets.

It is the sense of the coming day which gives the soul power to endure. It inspires the song which makes the nimble feet. "They talked about the city to which they were going"! Yes, and that is always the kind of communion which braces the pilgrims to meet and overcome the renewed antagonisms of the road. The social reformer, toiling amid noise and enmity, amid brick-dust and mire, must look to the city to which he is going. The patriot, often trudging over roads of pain, and sorrow, and unspeakable desolation, must hug the thought of the established righteousness, and the richer, purer freedom, which are hidden away over the horizon. We must feed our souls with the visions of the finished city, with its gleaming minarets and towers. To be imprisoned in Patmos, with no alluring glory of the holy city, is a paralysing exile; but to be in Patmos in the company of that vision is to breathe the invigorating air of home.

It is this sense of the future which we need so much to-day. Our life is bigger than the passing hour. We must relate to-day to to-morrow. The sharp, destructive sweep of the plough-share, shearing the roots of ten thousand flowers, must be related to the coming golden grain. We must link the bare, overturned clods with the harvest home! "We are saved by hope." Brave, consecrated men and women, devoting their strength to holy cases, are not moving in blind and futile circles; they are moving on God's road to ever-brightening issues. "The path of the just is as a shining light that shineth more and more, even unto perfect day." It is our wisdom to live and move and have our being in the power of that glorious expectation!

BROCK ST. RINK SKATING TO-NIGHT

Another fine crowd was on hand Saturday night for skating. The ice is in grand condition for to-night. Good band in attendance.

Be on hand while the skating lasts. Hockey nights and bad weather may take up quite a few nights from now on.

Allied Merchantmen Will be Convoyed

Examiner Special:

RIO DE JANEIRO, January 22.—Allied steamship agents to-day were discussing plans for a convoy by allied merchantmen across the seas. The project contemplates "ports of rendesvous" in Europe and South America. Under such a scheme Allied merchantmen would assemble probably at Lisbon and Pernambuco and on certain specified dates would sail under the protection of Allied warships all the way across the Atlantic. British, French and Norwegian Consul officials to-day completed the arrangements for the transfer "back home" of citizens of those nations including prisoners landed from the Hudson Maru at Pernambuco.

Many will start to return on the next outgoing steamer.

The Brazilian Government is taking no chances of violation of its territorial waters.

Dropped Bombs on Bagdad Munition Plant

Examiner Special:

LONDON, January 22.—An official report says: "On Saturday our airplanes dropped six bombs of one hundred pounds each in and around the Turkish munitions factory in the Bagdad Citadel."

From Kut-El-Amara, on the Tigris, where the British now are, Bagdad to the northwest is about one hundred miles.

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HOCKEY PLAYER IS INJURED

Jex of Port Hope Club, Stepped Off Train at Viaduct and Fell 65 Feet

A serious mishap occurred at Port Hope at 8 o'clock Saturday morning when the Port Hope hockey team were returning from Whitby, where they played Friday night. For some reason or other the train stopped on the high viaduct, previous to entering the C.P.R. station and the conductor or some person called out, "Port Hope."

Stephen Jex, the sturdy defence player on the team, grabbed his club bag and made for the door of the car. It was rank and he failed to notice that the train was some distance from the depot. Jex stepped off the train to the ground 65 feet below. When picked up he was found to be seriously injured and unconscious; also one arm was broken. He is at present in the hospital and in a precarious condition.

OFFICERS OF ST. PETER'S SODALITY ELECTED

At the annual meeting of the Young Ladies' Sodality of St. Peter's Cathedral yesterday, the officers for the new year were elected as follows:

Pres.—Miss Frances Carveth.
Vice-Pres.—Miss K. Derocher.
Secretary—Miss Florence Leahy.
Assist.-Sec.—Miss Olive Tangney.
Treas.—Miss Mary Doris.
Councillors—Misses Madeline Rutherford, Gertrude Clancy, Myrtle Wolfe, Lily Callahan, Margaret McGrath and May Kelly.

Rev. Father Phelan was present and addressed the Sodality, thanking the members for their fidelity in attendance and interest in the affairs of the Society.

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On past Dollar Day events customers who bought generously from us were lucky enough to capture a large number of the Big Cash Prizes that are being offered in the guessing competition. Every Dollar's worth of goods you buy here gives you a chance to guess and let us hope to capture one or many of the liberal Cash Prizes, a list of which and full explanations are set forth elsewhere in this evening's paper.

WEDDING BELLS

PETERS—GENGE.

On Saturday afternoon in the Trinity Methodist church parsonage, the marriage took place of Miss Hazel May Genge, daughter of Mr. Charles Genge, Peterborough, to Mr. Thomas Harry Peters. Rev. J. P. Wilson performed the ceremony. The couple were unattended.

OBITUARY

EDWARD HENRY.

The death occurred in Buffalo, N. Y., on the morning of Saturday, Jan. 20th, of Edward Henry of that city, formerly of Peterborough. The late Mr. Henry is survived by two sisters, Elisabeth and Ellen.

The remains will arrive in this city on the 8.40 C.P.R. train, this evening, and the funeral will be held from the residence of Mr. Henry Carveth, 320 Charlotte Street, at 9 o'clock, to-morrow morning, to St. Peter's Cathedral, and thence to St. Peter's cemetery.

JOHN H. WALTON.

John H. Walton died at the family residence, 490 Sherbrooke street, this morning at four o'clock, after a short illness. Mr. Walton was born in Durham county 51 years ago, coming to Peterborough to reside in 1913. He is survived by his wife and two children, Mrs. F. Perkins, Douro, and Pearl at home, and three brothers, Mr. T. Walton, Saskatchewan, Ralph of Michigan, and Wm. of Illinois, and one sister, Mrs. J. Brown, of Port Hope.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday at 10.30. A short service, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Grobb, will be held at the house before proceeding to the G.T.R. train,

WM. EDWARD TRAILL.

This morning Miss Traill, 216 McDonnell street, received the sad intelligence of the death of her brother, William Edward Traill, who died in Prince Albert on Sunday, Jan. 14th. Mr. Traill was the son of Thomas Traill, of "Westove," Orkney Islands, and Catharine Parr Traill, the authoress, was born in Lakefield 73 years ago. In 1864 he became a factor of the Hudson Bay Company, remaining with this company until 19 years ago, when he resigned from Fort St. James, Stuart Lake, B. C., then taking up ranching in Prince Albert. He is survived by his wife, Harriette McKay, daughter of the chief factor of the company, and nine children, seven daughters and two sons.

Interment took place in Prince Rupert on Tuesday, January 16th.

JOSEPH H. COBB.

On Saturday evening at 8.30 there passed away at his late residence, No. 7, Grand Central Apartments, Mr. Jos. H. Cobb, an old and very highly respected resident of Peterborough, in the 80th year of his age.

Mr. Cobb was born and raised in the city and had filled the position of councillor for a number of years. He will also be remembered by many for his business as florist on Aylmer street, a work in which he took great delight.

He leaves to mourn his departure, an aged widow to whom much sympathy is extended by her many friends and acquaintances.

The funeral will take place from the late residence on Tuesday afternoon at 2.30. Service conducted by Rev. R. G. Peever, B.A., pastor of George street Methodist church, of which Mr. Cobb was a member. Interment at Little Lake cemetery.

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SPECIAL PRACTICE.

There will be a special practice for the Temple Songsters to-night.

FRESH LAID EGGS WANTED

And Live Hens. Apply to Alex. Gordon, Butcher, 461 George Street. 'Phone 34. 6d-13-972

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'Phone 595, The Greene Music Co., Charlotte Street, when your piano requires tuning or regulating. All work guaranteed. dtf

"PINAFORE" NOTICE.

The young people who are taking part in "Pinafore" are asked to meet at the Conservatory on Wednesday evening instead of to-night.

CLEANING, PRESSING AND REPAIRING.

'Phone 1416 for Cleaning, Pressing and Repairing. Goods called for and delivered promptly. Mrs. Read, 180 Rubidge Street. dtf

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Local Council of Women will be held on Friday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock in the Green Room of the Y.M.C.A. A full attendance is requested.

WILL HOLD TALENT TEA.

The Girls' Auxiliary of St. Luke's Church will hold a Talent Tea on Tuesday afternoon and evening, at the home of Miss Dawson, 483 Donegal Street. 2d-17

DENTAL.

Dr. McKenty, Dentist, 370 George Street, on the ground floor first door north of Peterborough Hardware Co. Nitrous Oxide and oxygen administered for painless operations.

BARGAINS AT LAKEFIELD.

R. Graham & Son, Lakefield, have arranged for a lot of wonderful Dollar Day bargains on Thursday, January 25th, and will continue the sale on Friday and Saturday, Jan. 26th and 27th. 6d-16

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PIANO, ORGAN, VOICE.

Mr. J. H. Renwick, organist and choirmaster, George Street Methodist Church, has resumed teaching. Pupils prepared for examinations. Many present and former pupils holding good positions. Studio, 567 Aylmer street. 'Phone 1096. 28d-2

LIVE HENS WANTED.

And fresh laid eggs. Apply to Alex. Gordan, butcher, 461 George Street. 'Phone 34. 2d-17

AUCTION SALE.

Household Furniture, etc., at the home of Mr. Thos. McMurray, 173 Douro street, East City, on Wednesday, January 24th, at 1.30 p.m. when everything will be sold without reserve.—W. J. Hancock, Auctioneer, 494 George Street. 3d-17

ALL SAINTS' A. Y. P. A.

The regular meeting of All Saints' A. Y. P. A. will be held this evening in the Parish Hall at 8 o'clock. Mr. G. O. Cameron of the Bell Telephone Co. will give an illustrated lecture on 'The Evolution of the Telephone.' This should prove a very interesting evening and a cordial invitation is extended.

BUSINESS GIRLS' CLUB.

Through the kindness of Mrs. (Dr.) Neal there will be a meeting of the Business Girls' Club at her home, 314 Rubidge Street, on Wednesday, January 24th, which will be our first meeting this year for Red Cross work. It is hoped that all the members will make a special effort to be present. 2d-16

AUCTION SALE.

Of Household Furniture and effects at the home of the late James Gordon, 259 Stewart street, on Thursday, Jan. 25th, including parlour suite, three bedroom suites with bedding; kitchen range, (Art Souvenir heater, new), dishes etc. Sale at 1.30 o'clock. 'Phone 956.—J. F. Thornton, Auctioneer, 683 George Street. 3d-18

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ST. JOHN'S NOTICES.

Monday—8.15 (daily) Service of intercession for allied forces; 7.30, Girls' Auxiliary.

Tuesday—2.30, W. A. sewing meeting; 7.30, Girls' Association. Red Cross.

Wednesday—7.30, M.B.C. Club meeting.

Thursday — 2.15, Mothers' Union Festival of St. Paul, Apostle and Martyr. 8.00, Holy Communion; 11.00 Morning prayer; 8 p.m., Evensong; 9.30, Choir practice. Boys at 7.30.

Friday —2 p.m., C.W.A. Red Cross sewing meeting; 4.15, Mission Band

Saturday—9 a.m., Boys' choir practice.

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DIAMOND HALL

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WILL ARRIVE TO-NIGHT.

The body of the late Miss Milloy, who died at Long Island, N.Y., on Friday, is expected to arrive in the city this evening. The funeral announcement will be made later.

A CHANCE FOR ALL TO HELP THE BOYS AT THE FRONT

Come to the Ashburnham Rink, corner Hunter and Mark Street, on Tuesday afternoon and evening. Music supplied by the 247th Band, in the evening. Admission for skating, 10 cents. Refreshments served at the rink. All proceeds to go to the Women's Patriotic League of Ashburnham. For those who do not skate Mrs. Mein, Mark street, has kindly offered her home. Come and enjoy a cup of tea. Admission, silver collection.

Social and Personal

Mrs. J. Carpenter and infant daughter of Toronto are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. Gordon, Perry street for a few weeks.

Mrs. R. Gordon, Perry street has been spending a few weeks in Toronto the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. Carpenter.

Miss Grace Burritt, who has been the guest of the Misses Jenkins, Brock street, returned to her home in Toronto to-day.

Miss Lilias Somerville and Mr. Lind Somerville, who were in the city to attend the wedding of their sister, returned to Toronto this morning.

On Saturday afternoon a party of about twenty young people chaperoned by Mrs. Shaw, drove out to Mrs. Vincent Eastwood's cottage at Chemong, where a very successful winter picnic was held.

The tea given by the King's Daughters on Saturday afternoon at the Empress was most successful and well attended. Those assisting were: Mrs. Dr. Cameron, Mrs. Clarkson (Toronto) Misses Esme Alymer, Hilda Cubitt, Bessie Mather and Jessie Spence.

Mr. Frank Roszel has returned to the city, after having been called to Fonthill, to attend the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Storrs B. Roszel.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Wilson, Emerson, Man., are visiting Mrs. Cooney, Drummond Station.

Mr. Leslie Turner is in Toronto on business to-day.

Mrs. C. C. Hodge (nee Miss Edna Pickering), of Toronto, is the guest of Miss Zetta Johnston, Riverdale, North Monaghan.

Miss Ada Ward was the guest of the Public School teachers of the city at a reception held in the Central School between four and six o'clock this afternoon. Miss Ward speaks in the Collegiate Assembly Hall this evening on "With My Blackboard at the Front."

Miss Ada Ward, who will speak in the Collegiate Institute to-night under the auspices of the local lady teachers, is the guest of Mrs. Vincent Eastwood while in the city.

The sock shower given by the Otonabee Chapter I.O.D.E. at the residence of Mrs. Harry Thompson, Hunter street, on Saturday afternoon, was a great success, over one hundred and fifty pairs of beautifully knit socks being received. The tea table was presided over by Mrs. Aylmer, who was assisted by Mrs. Trebilcock and Mrs. Goodwill.

Miss Florence Scott, Hunter street, entertained at a most successful "musical tea" given in honour of her guest, Miss Eason, Toronto University, on Saturday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. E. A. Pearson who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Greesman, returned home this morning.

Bombardier A. Austin, who has spent the past few days the guest of his parents, returned to-day to Kingston.

Messrs. C. H. R. Devey, Bank of Toronto, and E. L. Bowes, C.P.R. staff, spent the week-end in Toronto.

Mr. Gerald O'Brien spent the week end the guest of his parents in Toronto.

Mr. Dan. O'Connell of Toronto is a guest in the city to-day.

Mr. Robert Doble, Kirk street, returned last night from Toronto.

The many friends of Mr. T. C. Tucker of Romaine street, who has been severely ill from la grippe, will be glad to learn that he is recovering.

The Social Class will meet at the Conservatory of Music to-morrow night as usual.

Even in this period of labour scarcity every farmer can afford to put up at least a small quantity of ice. It is worth while for the making of ice cream alone.

Church Parade Of the 247th

Peterboro' Soldiers Attended St. John's Church Yesterday Morning

The first church parade of the 247th Battalion was held yesterday morning. The Protestant members of the battalion, headed by the band, paraded to St. John's church, where a very impressive service was held. The band of the battalion assisted in the musical portion of the programme. Rev. Canon Cornish preached a very eloquent sermon.

BRIGADIER MOREHEN IN PETERBOROUGH

Brigadier Morehen, of Montreal, is visiting the Temple Corps to-night, conducting an enrollment service at 8 o'clock. The Songster Brigade will render special music and a welcome will be accorded to all.

Final arrangements for the Young People's Day will be made by the Brigadier, when delegates from Lindsay, Belleville Fenelon Falls, Tweed and other outlying districts will be in attendance. The meetings will be conducted by Commissioner Richards and his staff.

LEGISLATURE OPENS FEB. 13TH

The Ontario Legislature will open on Tuesday, Feb. 13th, according to an official announcement received by Mr. G. A. Gillespie, member of the Legislature for East Peterborough. A number of important questions will be considered, including equal suffrage.

FUNERAL OF LATE MRS. DAVID L. CROWLEY TO-DAY

The funeral of the late Mrs. David L. Crowley, who passed away on Saturday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Lynch, Cedar street, after an illness of several months, was held this morning to St. Peter's Cathedral and thence to St. Peter's cemetery. At the Cathedral the requiem mass was celebrated by her son, Rev. Thomas Crowley, of Copper Cliff, assisted by Rev. C. J. Phelan, deacon, and Rev. J. J. O'Brien, sub-deacon. Bishop O'Brien, Rev. Dean McColl, Rev. Father Collins and Father McHugh were present. The late Mrs. Crowley was born in Otonabee and had resided in Peterborough thirty-five years, where with the members of the family she was widely known and highly respected. She was predeceased by her husband many years ago. The surviving children are Rev. Father Crowley, Sergt. Will Crowley with the Canadian Engineer in France, Mrs. Wm. Lynch of Peterborough, Mrs. M. J. Shea of Sudbury, and Miss Agnes Crowley of Copper Cliff. At this morning's mass Bishop O'Brien spoke briefly on the life of the deceased.

Cottage Prayer Meetings

John xv., 4 and 7.

4—"Abide in me and I in you as the branch cannot bear fruit of itself except it abide in the vine; no more can ye, except ye abide in me."

7—"If ye abide in me and my words abide in you, ye shall ask what ye will and it shall be done unto you."

Wonderful promise. What power for weak humanity, but it is conditional as we see.

Prayer services will be held this week as below beginning at 7.45.

To-night—At J. H. Bettes, No. 1 Hunter Street East.

Thursday, Jan. 25—At Mr. Oates, 288 Rubidge Street.

Friday, Jan. 26—At Mr. Truesdal's, 177 Edinburgh Street.

We desire all to feel that they are welcome.

Miss Ada L. Ward at the Collegiate To-night

Come and hear Ada L. Ward, an English actress, tell of her two years' experiences entertaining the Tommies in the trenches. To-night she will illustrate her lecture with rapid blackboard sketches. The proceeds are for patriotic purposes. Admission 25c.

SAMPSON GUILTY ON REMAINING CHARGES

Clarence Sampson was found guilty on Saturday afternoon of stealing cattle from John Deen and Stuart Clydsdale of Dummer, and sentenced to three years in the penitentiary. Practically this was but the formal disposition of the charges that remained after that on which he was previously found guilty of stealing from Arthur Carveth and sentenced to three years at Kingston. The two terms fixed on Saturday run concurrently with that of the former sentence. At this hearing the evidence of the first case was used, the only addition being the identification of the remaining three hides.

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New York Stock Market

Chicago Grain—

Closing—May wheat 186 7-8; July, 153 1-4; May corn, 101 3-8.

New York Stocks—

Airbrake, 153 3-4, 151 1-2; Atcheson, 105 3-8, 104 7-8; B. and O., 82 3-4, 82 1-4; C.P.R., 162; N.Y.C., 101 3-4, 101 1-4; Erie, 32 5-8, 32 3-8; Erie Pfd., 47 1-2; Penna., 56 5-8; Reading, 102 1-4, 101; St. Paul, 90 1-2, 90; U. P., 144 3-8, 144 1-8; Beth. Steel, 484, 481; Rep. Steel, 80 3-8, 79 3-4; U. S. Steel, 114 7-8, 113 7-8; Anaconda, 84, 83; Inter. Nickel, 42 7-8, 42 1-2.

Canadian Stocks—

Steamers, 34; N. S. Car, 18, 17 3-4; Steel of Canada, 65 7-8, 65 1-4; Dom. Steel, 66 1-4, 65 7-8; Smelters, 39; Can. Car, 29; Gen. Elec., 113 bid; Can. Loco., 57 bid.

Town Topics.

The effect of the selling that has been going on in Beth. Steel should soon wear off. It does not look as if actual insiders were especially alarmed about Russian payments and the necessity to bridge these over with financing to attempt to liquidate at this time. Had insiders desired to liquidate their holdings, long since would we have seen a movement to cut down the size of the shares or distribute new stock. Bethlehem has grown fat on war profits. Some lean comes along with the fat at times. The stock will recover sharply in our opinion. Meantime the practical stoppage of export business pending the running down of commercial raiders will give way to the escort plan probably. We are very bullish on stocks generally and especially steel and iron and coal stocks and shipping shares. The rise in marines is very significant especially as new strong buying has been taking place by bankers who failed to appreciate the possibilities of Marines before their big rise. The common stock we think the best thing in the street as a speculation. Smelting looks very good and Coppers are acting all right. National Lead is one of the "sleepers" on the market. Its cartridge profits must be large as it was not a new business that was undertaken. Equipments are splendid to have. Airbrake is worth much more. The Locomotives Crucible, Atlantic Gulf, Alcohol are among specialties that should advance sharply. We expect a better market to-day and next week pending the big Steel developments.

Average Prices.

20 Industrial stocks, Jan. 19th, 1916, 97.35.

20 Railroad stocks, Jan. 19th, 1916, 104.84.

Important Bullish Factors.

Record January Reinvestment Funds.
Enormous Corporation Earnings.
Dividend Increases.
Technical Strength.
Recent severe liquidation resulting in a greatly reduced average price level.
Continued gold imports, which have made the United States master of the world's gold supply.
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Important Bearish Factors.

Submarine fears.
Mexican situation.

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Hon. W. D. McPherson Was Elected In North Toronto

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Jan. 23.— Hon. W. D. McPherson, Provincial Secretary, was yesterday elected in the North Toronto bye-election by the comfortable majority of 810. The early returns gave the successful candidate a big lead.

At the elections in 1914, Hon. W. D. McPherson polled 5,975 against 3,556 by W. O. McTaggart and 544 by W. E. E. James, the Socialist candidate.

Hon. J. G. H. Bergeron Is Dead

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

MONTREAL, Que., Jan. 23.—Hon. J. G. H. Bergeron, Postmaster of this city is dead. He was formerly Deputy speaker of the House of Commons.

CAMPAIGN OPENED LAST EVENING

TORONTO, Jan. 23.—Last evening the Duke of Devonshire opened the big campaign for two and a half million dollars for the Patriotic Fund.

Wilson's Speech Is Condemned

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Jan. 23—Leading Canadian papers condemn the sentiments of Wilson's speech to the senate.

SIGNS OF KIDNEY TROUBLE.

In the early stages kidney troubles are known by backache and urinary disorders. Later come dropsy, stone, rheumatic pains and perhaps diabetes. But don't wait for them. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills will help you in a few hours. Their thorough action on the liver, kidneys and bowels will clear away the poison and the aches and make you well again.

MISSING ARMY AVIATORS WERE FOUND IN MEXICO

Two Men Lived For a Week on Two Sandwiches and Two Oranges--Men May Be Court Martialled For Starting On Disastrous Flight Without Orders

WELLTON, Aris., Jan. 23.—Lieutenant Colonel Harry C. Bishop and Lieutenant W. A. Robertson, U.S.A. Aviation Corps, have been found. The aviators, who have been missing since the morning of January 10, were forced to land in the wilds of Northern Mexico. They had with them two sandwiches and two oranges, and the only water was in the radiator of the engine of the biplane. Those supplies gave out after four days, and since that time the army officers had been without food and tramping in the desert country trying to find a way out.

Lieutenant Colonel Bishop suffered most from the hardships and when found, thirty miles behind Lieutenant Robertson was speechless from exhaustion.

The experience of the two army officers will go down in American aviation history as one of the most harrowing ever falling to the lot of aviators. On the morning of January 10 Lieutenant Colonel Bishop and Lieutenant Robertson left an aviation school and started on a flight, Calexico being their objective.

Landed in a Dessert.

It is said that when the aviators reached a point about two hundred and fifty miles south of the Mexican boundary something went wrong with their engine, forcing them to make a landing. The aviators found themselves in the foothills of the Gila Mountains. Those foothills are little more than high sand dunes. There is practically no vegetation in the country, except here and there a cactus, and no living animal or stream of water was found.

Lieutenant Robertson said they had two sandwiches and two oranges, which he had placed in the aeroplane just before starting, thinking they might come in handy." The only water was about a gallon or so in the radiator of the engine. It was absolutely essential that they should conserve their supplies, so they decided that a meal should be one bite from a sandwich. The greater demand was made on the water because of the terrific heat in the day time. In order to carry the water it was necessary to break the engine, and this was dangerous, because some of the precious liquid might have been spilled.

With such rations the two officers set out to walk back to civilization, which they knew to be about two hundred and fifty miles distant. By "a bite a meal" the sandwiches lasted four days, or for twelve meals. Lieutenant Robertson said that not an edible herb or root could be found nor did they cross a stream or see a spring. It was dust, dust; dust in the eyes and mouth, and but very little water to quench a terrible thirst. The nights were bitterly cold, which made it necessary for the officers to carry their heavy aviators' garments during the heat of the day.

Lieutenant Robertsons' Account.

Lieutenant Robertson gave his story in detail as follows:

"We left San Diego at half-past eight o'clock in the morning, January 10, intending to go across the mountains east to Calexico. Insufficient maps made it necessary to rely largely on compass readings. For that reason to keep north of the Mexican border we sailed a course twenty-five degrees north of east. I counted on that course putting me into the Imperial Valley, well north of the border, and then having to sail south for about fifty miles.

"In order to cross the high mountains it was necessary to travel high, averaging more than seven thousand feet. From this altitude it was impossible to detect a very strong wind which I encountered in the mountains.

"I then turned southeast. After about thirty minutes on the course I could see distinctly through a haze a large body of water we thought to be the Salton Sea. The only map of that section I had, showed Salton Sea much too far south so that confirmed my belief I was right. As my gas was running low my only course was to keep going farther south in order to strike Calexico. Colonel Bishop thought his body of water to be the Salton Sea, so both of us were satisfied we were going in the correct course.

"Neither Colonel Bishop nor myself could possibly figure on the drift of the machine. As it was hazy it was impossible to pick out objects clearly. The strong north wind also made our rate of travel much faster than was figured on. When about thirty minutes of search was made for the Southern Pacific Railway, which I knew to be near Salton Sea, I decided to land and investigate. The landing was almost completed when the aircraft struck soft ground and the plane tipped up. This was at half-past twelve in the afternoon and I still thought we were at Salton Sea, and we were only convinced of our error after close examination. We then decided on walking back to the Imperial Valley.

"We put one gallon of water from the radiator in an extra oil can and with a light lunch started northwest. That was at half-past four o'clock in the afternoon.

"We kept a north-west course, travelling by night and day. Our water gave out Sunday, January 14. By that time Colonel Bishop was so weak our progress was slow. We agreed it would be wise to separate when we could travel no farther and take the only available course, and to continue on and send back aid if possible.

"This I did at daybreak Wednesday the 17th. I kept to the Northwest and at daybreak, on the 18th, found a trail of one of the rescuing parties. Following this trail I caught the party about nine o'clock Thursday morning. They immediately set out to find Colonel Bishop, and following my directions they found him about nine o'clock that night, January 18. He was too weak to move, but still conscious. It was necessary to leave him quiet for a few hours until he could recover his strength. I was brought here by automobile, leaving Colonel Bishop in care of the rescuing parties, which had consolidated."

It was said that Lieutenant-Colonel Bishop and Lieutenant Robertson took the aeroplane from the North Island School, at San Diego, on their own initiative.

The finding of the aviators ends the most exciting border search since General Pershing went after Villa. Hundreds of army aviators, civilians and Mexican troopers have been looking for the men.

Says Question of Court Martial Rests with the Washington Authorities.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Jan. 23.—Asked if Lieutenant Colonel Bishop and Lieutenant Robertson would be court-martialled for aking out an aeroplane without permission, Colonel W. A. Glassford, commandant at the school, said that the question of court martial would be for the authorities at Washington to decide.

Father of Lieutenant Colonel Bishop Weeps at News of Safety.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Jan. 23.—Louis H. Bishop, of Normal, Ill., father of Lieutenant Colonel Harry G. Bishop, broke down and wept at the news of his son's safety. No personal message has been received from Lieutenant Colonel Bishop.

Washington Officials Await Report from San Diego Aviation Station.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Jan. 23.— In the absence of Secretary Baker, War Department officials did not comment on suggestions that the aviators might be court martialled for starting on their disastrous flight without orders. A report from the commandant of the San Diego station will be awaited before any action is taken.

BIG ITALIAN LOAN FOR RUSSIA

ROME, Jan. 23.—A Big Italian loan has been made for the Russians.

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LITTLE CHANGE IN WHEAT PRICES

A Sharp Decline Early in the Trading—Markets Strengthened Towards the Close—The Cattle Markets

There was but little change in wheat prices at the close yesterday as compared with Saturday's close.

There was a rather sharp decline early in the trading, but commission house buying said to be for export, strengthened the market at the close, and prices recovered from the earlier decline. Cash prices are about steady.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, $2.07 1-2, track, bay ports; No. 2 $2.04 1-2; No. 3 $1.99 1-2; No. 4, $1.87 1-2; old crop 4c above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W. 71c; No. 3, 68c; extra No. 1 feed 68c; No. 1 feed, 67 1-2c; all rail delivered.

American corn—No. 3 $1.38, shipment within 30 days.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 68c to 66c; No. 3 white 68c to 65c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, per car lot $1.82 to $1.84; No. 3 $1.80 to $1.82.

Peas—No. 2 nominal, car lots $2.35.

Barley—Good malting $1.20 to $1.22; feed barley nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal, $1.28 to $1.30

Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal: No. 2 new $1.40 to $1.42.

Manitoba flour—First patents in jute bags, $9.90; second patents, in jute $9.40; strong bakers in jute $9, Toronto.

Ontario flour—New winter, $7.40 to $7.50, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment, $7.25 bulk, seaboard export grade.

Millfeed—Car lots delivered Montreal; shorts $38; bran $34; feed flour, per bag, $2.80.

Hay—Baled, No. 1 track, Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots, $12.50 to $13; No. 2 $9 to $11; straw, $9.

CATTLE MARKETS

Union Stock Yards: Receipts yesterday: 103 cars, with 1,941 cattle, 174 calves, 1,231 hogs, and 385 sheep and lambs.

Market was strong and from 10c to 15c higher than a week ago yesterday. The decline at the latter end of last week was more than recovered, and more loads of choice butcher cattle sold at the top prices than on any market this season. There was a fair run of cattle in, but not a heavy run, and some loads held over from last week, sold at an advance. Sheep and lambs were strong. Hogs steady at $14.00 fed and watered.

Latest quotations:

Heavy steers	$9 75	$10 50
Choice butcher	9 25	10 00
do good	8 50	9 00
do medium	7 75	8 25
do common	6 50	7 50
Heifers, good to choice	8 00	9 40
do medium	7 00	7 50
Butcher cows, choice	7 50	8 25
do medium	5 75	6 25
Butcher bulls, choice	7 50	8 50
do good	7 00	7 25
do medium	6 00	6 50
Feeders 900 to 1,000 lbs	7 50	8 00
do bulls	6 25	6 50
Stockers 700 to 800 lbs.	7 50	7 75
do med. 650 to 750 lbs	6 25	6 75
do light 600 to 650 lbs		6 50
Canners	5 00	5 25
Cutters	5 50	5 75
Sheep, light	8 50	10 00
do heavy	7 50	8 50
Spring lambs	10 75	15 00
Calves	8 00	13 00
Hogs fed and watered		14 00
Hogs fed and watered		

Just One Application And the Hairs Vanish

(Toilet Talks.)

Any woman can keep her skin free from unsightly hair or fuzz if she will follow these simple instructions: When hairy growth appear, apply a simple paste, made by mixing some water with powdered delatone. Apply this to hairy surface and after 2 or 3 minutes rub off, wash the skin and the hairs are gone. This is a harmless treatment, but be sure you get the real delatone.

KEEPING EVERY RECORD THAT WILL HELP COMPILE CANADA'S PART IN WAR

Baron Beaverbrook, Formerly Sir Max Aitken, Publishes an Apologia on the Charge That the Official "Eye Witness" Did Not Witness

LONDON, Jan. 23.—Sir Max Aitken (Baron Beaverbrook) publishes an apologia of his work in the War Records Office as a report to Sir Robert Borden. Answering the charge that although the "Official Eye Witness" he did not witness any of the events. He says the system of supplying official eye witness accounts from the front ended in the fall of 1916, when the British authorities substituted accredited press correspondents. The Canadian press failed to agree on the appointment of a correspondent.

"I then endeavored," he says, "to get permission to continue work of Canadian eye witness. This demand was refused by the military authorities. They pointed out that the messages of accredited correspondents were passed as long as they were not against the public interest, but that this did not render the military authorities liable for the facts contained in them. On the other hand, the work of an official eye witness must be vouched for as correct. In fact, such work could not be published safely until nine or ten months after the events described. Eye witness articles, therefore, ceased, and so far no accredited newspaper correspondent has gone out to fill the gap."

FAILURE TO MEET IMMEDIATE DEMAND.

He admits the failure to meet the demand for immediate news since the post of eye witness was abolished, laying the blame upon Canadian inability to agree upon a press representative, but declares there is still every prospect of a solution being reached. He maintains that the principal work of his office has been the assembling, compiling, and keeping securely every document of fact covering Canadian war doings. The United States spent three million dollars compiling records of the civil war; Canada spent $25,000.

The book "Canada in Flanders" earned $5,000 for Canadian charities, the author himself paying all expenses. Photography and cinema have been extensively, effectively, and profitably used. The photographs' profits have totalled $16,000. A record of every locality is compiled and accounts and origin of every Canadian regiment and its actions in the field have been preserved. Sir Max Aitken claims that in the adequate compilation of every shred of evidence bearing upon Canadian corps in the present campaign his department has not failed.

Dandruff Surely Destroys the Hair

Girls—if you want plenty of thick, beautiful, glossy, silky hair, do by all means get rid of dandruff, for it will starve your hair and ruin it if you don't.

It doesn't do much good to try to brush or wash it out. The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do his, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop, and your hair will look and feel a hundred times better. You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive and four ounces is all you will need, no matter how much dandruff you have. This simple remedy never fails.

Mr. Eugene Moloney Was Elected in Ennismore

ENNISMORE, Jan. 23.—Mr. Eugene Moloney will complete the personnel of the 1917 Township Council. He was elected yesterday by a majority of twelve over Mr. M. Sullivan. This year's Council comprises the following: Mr. John Young (Reeve); Councillors P. Crowley, W. Harrington, C. Telford and Eugene Moloney.

The bye-election yesterday was due to the failure of one of the candidates to qualify at the previous election.

Was Anaemic FOR OVER A YEAR

Anaemia, or blood turning to water, is caused by the heart becoming deranged, and if the heart becomes weakened it cannot pump the blood as it should. As a result the blood becomes impoverished, and it loses its nourishing qualities. The face becomes pale and thin, and the lips bloodless. There is a weakness, tiredness and loss of weight.

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Drawn War Is Impossible Between Belligerents

That Is the View of the British Press in Regard to President Wilson's Use of the Term "Peace Without Victory"

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 23.—British Editors to-day were generally cautious in attempts to analyze and interpret President Wilson's speech in the Senate.

Most of the comment, however, hinged on the American Executive's use of the term 'peace without victory' most papers insisted that there cannot be a drawn war between the spirit with which Allies and animated on the one side and on the other, the spirit of Prussian militarism.

As a whole the Press applauded the lofty principles in the President's statement, but balked at most of applications thereof.

The general impression among both press and public seems to be that the speech was neither pro-Ally nor pro-German, but rather pro-American designed primarily for American consumption.

FARM STOCK SALE IN ENNISMORE

On Wednesday, January 24th an important auction sale of farm stock, implements, etc., will be held on the premises of Mr. James Guiry, Lot 6 in the 6th Concession of Ennismore. Mr. Guiry's stables contain some fifteen fine horses, well aired and well matched, a large number of pure bred cows and aires; also heifers, steers, and calves; as well as a lot of store hogs, etc. The implements are in good condition. Sale starts at 12 o'clock noon and lunch will be provided. Geo. Jackson, of Port Perry, Auctioneer. Mr. Guiry has rented his farm. Long distance 'phone. 4d-16

GENERALS CONDEMN THE ROSS RIFLE

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, Jan. 23.—Letters tabled in the House of Commons show that both Generals French and Haig roundly condemned the Ross rifle.

Sergeant Had Four Wives

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, Jan. 23.—J. C. Mann, Sergeant in the 240th Battalion who had four wives was sentenced to four years in the penitentiary for bigamy.

Quiet On All Battle Fronts

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 23.—Reports from all the war zones indicate fairly quiet on all fronts.

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434,529 Canadians Have Enlisted

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Jan. 23.—434,529 Canadians have enlisted in the war and there have been 70,000 casualties.

HALF MILLION WOMEN WORKING ON MUNITIONS

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 23.—One half million women are now engaged in making munitions in Britain and the number is being increased one thousand weekly.

Council Voted Half a Million

Special to The Examiner:

TORONTO, Jan. 23.—The City Council voted half a million dollars to the Patriotic and Red Cross Fund campaign.

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Railway Time Tables

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Corrected Jan. 15th, 1917.

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8.05 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg, and points east, connecting at Port Hope, for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 12.25 p.m.
8.35 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Stirling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
9.30 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
12.20 p.m.—For Lakefield.
11.40 a.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
1.30 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
5.35 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
5.40 p.m.—For Lakefield.
8.05 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
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"DESTINY"

By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday.)

Thayre leaned over. "I say, men," he suggested with the enthusiasm of a new and bright idea sparkling in his eyes, "let's call the head waiter and have Burton play for us. The management will be jolly well pleased when they know that they are getting the greatest instrumentalist in New York."

Paul protested, but Thayre was a man of quick action, and a moment later the waiter had brought the head waiter and the head waiter had gone for the manager.

Such patrons as these the managers had every wish to oblige and he was by no means unwilling to utilize such an artist as Paul Burton when the lights came on again and his patrons rose to their feet for the national anthem.

"Of course, cautioned Thayre, "Mr. Burton does not want his name announced," and even to that restriction, limiting the value of his extemporaneous "feature," the manager reluctantly acceded.

To live for music and to have no instrument with which to express one's emotions means a tortured privation of the spirit. Paul Burton as he took his seat at the piano forgot that it was New Year's eve on Broadway, forgot the lights, the confetti and the toy balloons. He remembered only that here were keys which unlocked his dream world of music, and when he began to play the the clamour of the place slowly and quite unconsciously subsided and quiet came—not at once, but as a delirium may soften slowly into sleep under the stroke of a soothing hand.

When from an outlying table a woman, grown louder of laughter than she realized, interrupted this quiet, a score of faces turned angrily in her direction, rebuking her with their glances.

But the music went on and the great crowd which had a few moments before been abandoning itself to noise and riot now found itself listening—listening in a sort of rapt trance—with its many gazes converging on a slender young man. His pallid face and cameo features seemed exalted, and his eyes burned strangely under the dark locks that fell across his forehead.

They did not hear the first peal of the midnight clock until the sudden darkness which that stroke heralded reminded them of the hour.

The place which had blazed with light was now as black as some sea-floor cavern, and that should have been the signal for a hundred horns and rattlers and shouts of greeting and the reaching of hands to meet and grasp other hands across the tables.

But in Kenley's it was quiet except for those peals of music that came from the platform. At last the strains ended in silence, and a deep breath passed among the tables as though from one composite pair of lungs. Then once more the instrument spoke—spoke with a grotesque inappropriateness for a night that was not to end till morning—for the notes that sounded across the place were the opening bars of "Home, Sweet Home."

There were only a few bars—and after that a loud crash as though a number of hands had simultaneously fallen, with violence, upon the keys—and then the lights blazed again from the opalescent chandeliers and all the wall brackets.

Instantly from tables near the centre two young women in paper caps leaped from their seats and kissed the men and the women of the party. A wave of greetings swept the place.

Across one end of the room gleamed a huge electric sign, "Happy New Year"—and lying hunched forward, with his face on the keyboard of the instrument support the unmoving figure of Paul Burton.

At once the lights went out again, leaving the place dark, and the voice of the manager was heard from the platform, a little strained in tone as he sought to conceal the tragedy which, should it become known, would end the night's profit for his establishment.

"Ladies and gentlemen," he lied resourcefully, "I hope that you will all keep your seats and indulge the management for a few moments. A fuse has burned out, but it will at once be remedied. Our pianist, I will add, has suffered a fainting spell, but is in no danger."

When the lights came on again, the figure at the piano was no longer there. Just back of the platform was a door used by the cabaret performers and through this he had been borne.

But the faintness which had come upon Paul Burton was the faintness of death, and there were those among the merry makers who could not forget the grotesque attitude of which they had caught a glimpse, and who found subsequent merry making impossible.

"Notify the coroner," ordered a policeman who had come in from the corner through a service entrance. "This is a case for him."

The manager bent an ear toward the outer door and recognized that there had been no resumption of the satyrnalian chorus between his walls. "Mr. Thayre," he commented bitterly to the guest who had followed into the private room, "your friend there has put New Year's eve on the blink for my place—this thing costs me thousands."

"Who's the dead man?" demanded the officer blutely, and when Thayre replied with two words, "Paul Burton," he gave a long, low whistle of astonishment. The name of Burton was not yet forgotten in New York.

CHAPTER XXXIII.

Mary Burton was returning from a Sixth avenue delicatessen shop with the bottle of milk and the box of crackers which constituted the marketing for to-morrow morning's breakfast. She felt very faint and unspeakably sick at heart. There was no longer even a trivial thing with which to interest the pawnbroker. She had had little sleep for many nights, and her temples throbbed with pain. She had been trying to think out some way to mend their misfortunes and each day brought her nearer the point where the grinding struggle must end in starvation.

"If it were only myself," she said bitterly as she turned the corner under the superstructure of the Elevated and shivered in the cutting wind of the blizzard which was sweeping the city, "it would be simple." She paused a moment later and halted against the wall of Jefferson Market Court where a brick abutment broke the force of the bluster. Mary was not so warmly clad as this rigorous weather warranted. The last thing she had taken to the sign of the three balls was a heavy cloak.

"For me," she said to herself as she bent her head into the smother of wind driven snow, "life ended there in that office—when he died. If I had just myself to consider I don't think that God would blame me much for ending it."

But it was not only herself she had to consider. The doctor told her that her mother's tenuous life strand might snap at any time in sudden death or might stretch indefinitely in helplessness and dethroned reason. Even in the mean lodgings she occupied other tenants were sometimes prone to the drawing of lines and Mary knew that the landlord did not regard it as helpful to his business to have "a crazy lady in the house. Some guests objected." So when she began falling into arrears she did not delude herself with false hopes of charitable indulgence. Her father, too, though he had dropped down the scale of life to a forlorn old man who loafed his hours away in saloons until he was turned out, was still her father, and while the breath remained in his disreputable body his stomach required food as well as drink.

The girl went in at the dark door of the house which was not greatly different from a tenement, and then climbed the double flight of stairs. From a place by the window her mother looked up from the chair where she sat incessantly rocking. She held in her lap an old blank book and her expression was vacant. "I have just been reading Ham's diary," she querulously annotated. Mary shuddered. Of late her mother was always reading that old record of boyhood ambitions, which to her was always new since no memory—save those of other years—outlasted the hour.

"Ham thinks he's going to be a great man some day, and I hope he's right. He's a good boy and a dutiful son and—"

But the daughter was not listening—her eyes had encountered an envelope on the dresser mirror, and, as she tore the end off it, she felt a premonition of its contents.

"How about some money on account?" questioned the writer. "Unless I get some by to-morrow I want my rooms vacated."

So the ultimatum had come. Mary Burton stood before the mirror for a moment and out of her body all the strength seemed to flow. Her knees shook, and her hands grew moist and chilly. Lest her sudden weakness be apparent to her mother, turned and went wearily into the other room. There she sat on the edge of her bed and tried to think.

"To-morrow!" She dully repeated. "To-morrow we are put out—then a public asylum for my mother—and the street or the almhouse for my father." Even now she was not thinking of herself. If it came to that she still believed that God would not resent her opening for herself the single door of escape.

But these two old and helpless people! To Mary they were desperate burdens but perhaps that only made her love them the more, and fight for them the more loyally.

For a long while she sat there in silence, then she rose with a red spot burning on each cheek and put on her hat again. At the lower landing she encountered the landlord. He was not a prepossessing man at best, and his face just now did not indicate that he was at his best.

"You got my note?" he inquired bluntly, and the girl nodded.

"I think," she faltered, "probably I can do something about the rent to-morrow."

"Thinking is not going to satisfy me," he announced. "To-morrow's the limit of my patience."

Mary suddenly remembered that to telephone costs a nickel, and that she had none with her. For a moment she stood on the sidewalk before climbing the two flights again to aid the little supply of her purse. The endless anxiety and the unbroken strain of these calamitous months had weakened her to the point of realising that the stairs were steep. Then she remembered that the Italian woman at the delicatessen shop was her friend, and would trust her for the five cents. She fought her way along to the store through a wind which threatened to sweep her off her feet, and which cut her like whiplashes.

Her trembling fingers made a task of turning the pages of the directory, and finding the number of a newspaper on Park Row, but at last she succeeded.

"Is Mr. Smitherton there?" she asked, and the operator direction came back, "Hold the wire."

Smitherton was sitting at a desk littered with newspaper clippings and sheaves of copy paper. His shirt sleeves were rolled to the elbow and the light of his desk bulb shone on his ruffled hair as the "cop-kid" called out to him with that insouciant freshness which stamps his kind.

"Dame wants you on the wire. Got a voice like a million dollars worth of peaches an' cream." Mary with the receiver to her ear heard the subtle compliment of those mixed metaphors.

Smitherton finished pasting a clipping into the blank place in a typewritten page, and rose slowly.

"Well?" he inquired shortly. "What is it? This is Smitherton."

At once he recognised the voice, which replied, and recognised that it came faintly and full of indecision.

"This is Mary Burton, Mr. Smitherton. Do you think you could still find me work in vaudeville?"

"Oh!" The reporter's office brusqueness fell away and his tone changed. He knew that this was the girl's last stand and that she had not admitted its necessity until every other effort had failed, every path of escape closed. "I don't think, Miss Burton," he assured her, "I am certain."

"Do you think," the voice was even fainter—"it would be possible to get a little money—some sort of an advance—soon—to-morrow?"

"Leave that to me," he confidently commanded. "Just give me your address, and I'll be at your place in the morning."

Mary slept but little that night. Against her windows screamed and whined the wind, driving a swish of the hard snow in its breath. From the two rivers came the dull groaning of the fog horns. But the storm which kept her eyes hot and sleepless was one within her own breast.

Over and over again she told herself that the work for which she was volunteering was in no wise disgraceful. Probably many women who were her superiors were doing it with willingness, even with warrantable pride. It would mean for her mother as the reporter had reminded her, comfort and competent nursing. Perhaps in surroundings of greater ease, her father might even get rehabilitate himself into a manlier old age. Save to serve them her own life was already lived out.

(To be continued.)

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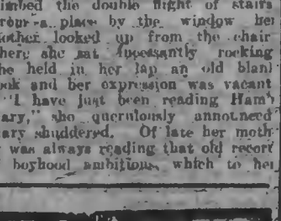

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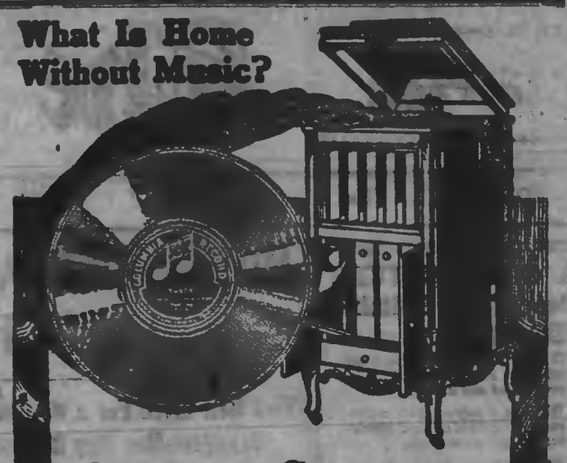

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THE WAYS OF FATE

By M. QUAD

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Miss Dorothy Campbell knew that it had rained and frozen during the night. She opened the door and stepped out to find that the top stone step was still a glare. Miss Dorothy was falling and screaming when a male pedestrian who happened to be passing at that moment, rushed part way up the steps and received her in his arms. The shock landed both of them on the walk, but on their feet and they suffered no injury.

"You will excuse me, miss," said the man as he raised his hat.

"Not only excuse, but thank you," was the reply.

"And you were going out without rubbers?" he queried.

"I never wear them."

"You run a terrible risk such a day as today."

"Oh, I am pretty surefooted," she laughed as she noticed that he had provided himself with a pair. "Thanks again."

As Miss Dorothy was moving away she noticed that her rescuer was a man of perhaps twenty-five, with a professional look about him. He had dark hair and eyes and a smile that was good nature itself. He was still standing, and she realized that he would watch her until she had crossed the street, and, though there was ice under her feet, she stepped out boldly. She saw two or three pedestrians slipping and falling, but she would take no warning. By sheer good luck she reached the destination she had set out for, and in time she started to make her way home. She had made half the distance when a rough neck of a man in passing her seemed to give her his elbow with intent to make her fall, and fall she did. But Miss Dorothy didn't go right down amid the slush. A pair of strong arms prevented her, and as she was lifted on her feet again she turned to find the man who had saved her before.

"Why—you—you"—

"Yes," he smiled. "I was not following you to act the part of a guardian, but I had to come back this way and had only just seen you when the big loafer brought about the collision. I was near enough to save you from a fall."

"And I owe you my thanks again," she said.

It was about the middle of the next May, and there were early roses instead of slush and ice that Miss Dorothy Campbell arrived at a little country railroad station twenty miles out of the big city. She had come down to pay her sister a brief visit, and they were to meet her at the station with an auto. The auto had not arrived yet, and the girl was standing on the platform, waiting.

"Look out! Look out!" shouted a dozen voices in chorus, and then there was a mad scramble among those on the platform. One of the freight cars being pushed along by the locomotive had partly left the rail and broken loose from the train, and it would be almost sure to bump into the platform.

Miss Dorothy was about the only one in the crowd who did not see the danger. Most of them had got away, and she was still standing and wondering, when an arm went around her waist and she was lifted up and half carried and half dragged to the far end of the platform and thence half way across a street. She turned to find "that man." He lifted his hat and calmly explained:

"I have come down here to visit my brother, who is to meet me here. I was on the car with you, but you did not see me. I am glad to have been of service to you. Three or four people have been hurt and will require the aid of a surgeon. You, doubtless, have friends coming to meet you. Will you excuse me while I go and see what I can do for those who have been injured? I am a physician, you know."

Just then her sister came up in the auto and called to her. So she and the young man had met once more, though she had never expected to see him again.

After she recovered her composure and had been asked a dozen times over for the particulars of the incident, she related her whole story from the beginning.

A week passed away. If Dr. Roy Goodsend took any measures to discover where the young lady was stopping, no one but his brother knew. If Miss Dorothy Campbell was rather anxious to find where the doctor was located she kept it to herself, but Fate solved the problem. In walking about her sister's gardens Miss Dorothy stepped in a hole and fell forward and broke an arm. A telephone call was sent out over the country neighborhood for a doctor—and a doctor that could come with a rush. Half an hour later Dr. Roy Goodsend appeared at the house, and in less than an hour the broken bone was set and splinted and bandaged, and about all he said of any consequence before he took his departure was:

"I was sorry I was not at hand to catch you as you fell. Really, Miss Campbell, you seem to need the care of a guardian."

Before the broken bone had completely knit Dr. Roy Goodsend had something to say. He sat amidst the roses climbing over the veranda. He hadn't a wife and two or three children, but wanted them, and Miss Dorothy was sensible enough to let him rescue her for the fourth time.

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A HORRIBLE BUTCHERY.

Carpathians Are a Vast Cemetery for Hungarians.

The Hungarian committee entrusted with the care of the graves of fallen soldiers have issued a report, in which it is stated that their researches in the northern Carpathians have resulted in the discovery altogether of 200,000 graves of Austro-Hungarian and German soldiers, says the Budapest correspondent of The Glasgow Herald. Of these over 35,000 were common graves, where more than one body is interred. The crosses over the graves were re-marked, and the names—where these were known—rewritten. The figures given indicate that during the winter of 1914-15 over 25,000 men were killed in the battlefields of that region—a fact never before revealed. The publication of the report in question therefore has caused the greatest depression, for it is well known that the majority of the units who were engaged there against the Russians were composed of Hungarians, only a small fraction of the forces being German and Austrian. The "Nepszava," commenting on the report, points out that at that time the Russians were the attacking party. "Now we are the attackers, and it is hardly necessary to say more," says the writer. "What if the Russians in the winter of 1914-15 had had the artillery and munitions that they have now and will have during the winter of 1916-17? How would that have affected the number of casualties in a defensive campaign? The difference between the defensive campaign and the offensive campaign of this autumn affords much food for reflection."

A horrible butchery is in fact going on in the wooded Carpathians, where thousands and thousands have been sacrificed in the endeavor to drive a wedge between the Russian and the Roumanian line. The plan of campaign is conceived solely with a view to German interests, although the men who lie in those graves among the mountains are mostly Hungarians.

"From Orsova to the Uzsok Pass the Carpathians are a vast cemetery," says the report, and 7,000 men are being employed in identifying the graves and restoring them. "The work has to be completed before the snow covers everything over and the floods wash away all traces of the resting-places of those who have fallen." The committee, therefore, have but a very short time at their disposal. If General Falkenhayn and the Archduke Karl do not succeed in breaking through the Russian and Roumanian lines, next year the committee will have to begin their work all over again, for at the present rate of butchery in the Carpathians and the Transylvanian Alps the number of graves will soon be doubled.

Rhinoceros Horn as Cure.

Rhinoceros horn is one of the chief remedies resorted to by Chinese doctors in the treatment of typhoid fever. An epidemic of typhoid recently swept through Wenchow in the Chekiang Province, China, and resulted in the death of many persons. During the epidemic foreigners had an opportunity to study the treatment of the disease used by native physicians. Cold towels were applied to the head of the patient while the abdomen was covered thickly with mud kept cool and moist by frequent application of cold water. Some of the more prosperous patients were given as much as $12 worth of ground rhinoceros horn in a single day.

Russia's Ice-free Harbor.

Russia's most important transportation undertaking since the construction of the Trans-Siberian railway is the new road from Petrograd due north to an ice-free port on the Arctic Ocean, says Paul P. Foster, in the Review of Reviews. No country in the world with the possibilities that Russia possesses is so unfortunately situated with regard to access to the sea. Archangel and the other northern ports are closed with ice during a great part of the year, and this is true also of the Baltic outlets. The war closed the Dardanelles to Russia, and Vladivostock, 6,000 miles from the capital, has hitherto been the only year-round ice-free harbor of the great empire. But at Novo Alexandrovsk, on the Kola peninsula of Lapland and well within the Arctic circle, the influence of the Gulf stream keeps the mouth of the bay free from ice the year round. The Russian Government has therefore rushed the construction of a railway which will bring her sorely needed supplies without interruption during the winter months from this isolated port to the capital. At last accounts all but the brief stretch of road that lies between Soroka and Kamdalaksha had been completed. This is the most difficult section, for it passes through the vast forests and treacherous swamps that border the White Sea. There is every reason to believe, however, that the last rails will be laid in December, when the whole road should be in working order.

BIRDS FLY AT NIGHT.

Thousands Migrate in the Darkness During Fall.

It is difficult to believe that at times during the season of migration the sky at night is filled with birds from dusk until dawn. Onward they hurry through the darkness. If they see the earth below, it must be too dim to guide them on their journey. Still they find their way just as surely as do those birds which travel by day.

The day flyers are hardy rovers which are used to the open and do not hesitate to venture far from cover. But the night flyers, writes Frank M. Chapman in The Travels of Birds, are the shy, retiring birds of thickets and undergrowth, which rarely go far from their own doorstep. Or, if they live in trees, their flight is usually only from tree to tree. The Thrushes, Warblers, Virels, and small Fly-Catchers are all night flyers.

Most of the Snipe live along the beaches or in treeless places, and, as we have learned, they travel by day. But that retiring member of this family, the Woodcock, lives in the dark, shady places and waits for the sun to set before he starts on his journey.

For several reasons, we know more about the travels of the night flyers than we do about those of the day flyers. First, because many more birds travel by night than by day; second, because practically all birds that fly by night are real migrants; third, because the night flyers seem unable to avoid the lighthouses in their way.

By night as well as day our ears can tell us much about the number of birds that are passing overhead. Indeed, during nights when many birds are flying, we can, from favorable places, such as high hills, hear their call-notes almost constantly. The hill brings us nearer the birds, and the city lights bring the birds nearer to us. Light seems to attract them as it does moths.

An ornithologist at Madison, Wis., states, that on the night of September 14, 1906, no less than 3,800 bird calls were heard from one place. The average was 13 calls for one minute. But at times so many calls were heard that it was evident the air above was thronged with birds.

Study the birds' time-table, and some night during the season of migration go out of doors and listen. You may hear the chirp of Warblers, the metallic chink of the Bobolinks, the soft whistle of the Thrushes. Nothing I can write will make you realize more clearly how wonderful is the journey, through darkness, of these small feathered travelers.

A Turkless Mecca.

A sanitary pilgrimage to Mecca should not pass without a word. In the past the devout who journeyed across the Arabian desert fell prey to many a scourge of disease, not to mention incursions of bandits. This year the returning travellers tell a different story. Among other things they tell of a Mecca minus the Turks who have ruled it so long, and of a Grand Sherif, a descendant of Allah who has not only revolted from the Ottoman Empire, but has studied hygiene.

The ceremony of receiving the Holy Carpet at Cairo on its return from Mecca took place in the presence of the Prime Minister, representing the Sultan, who is indisposed. The pilgrimage was accomplished this year without any untoward incident. All those who took part in it are highly satisfied with the manner in which the Grand Sherif of Mecca cared for their needs. Especially remarkable were the hygienic precautions taken by his highness, precautions to which the immunity of the pilgrimage from cholera and plague is in great measure ascribed.

There were about 30,000 pilgrims this year, including 5,000 Indians, 2,000 Egyptians, and 18,000 from the Hedjas.

It is said that the Indians and Moslems from other regions that were met at Mecca were similarly favorably impressed and that the news spread by returning pilgrims of the successful accomplishment of the pilgrimage, amid conditions contrasting strikingly with those existing before the war, when pillage and bloodshed were of daily occurrence, and epidemics and terrible privations followed in the wake of the pilgrims, will go a long way to convince the Moslem world of the beneficial effects accruing to it from the Grand Sherif's blow for independence.

The Reason.

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THE SPEED OF SHIPS.

Influence of the Depth of Water and the "Wave of Translation."

On first thought the sea's depth seems of little importance if the ship finds depth enough to give her an easy draft. If she can run free apparently it makes little difference whether she has six feet or 600 feet between her keel and the bottom. Such an inference is, however, erroneous, for the depth exercises an important influence.

The British cruisers Blake and Blenheim were expected to run twenty-one knots, but actually ran two knots less in shallow water. They ran again under the same power, but the depth was between 135 and 165 feet, and their speed was twenty-two knots, one knot in excess of the maximum calculation.

The difference in speed is attributed to the influence of the "wave of translation" displaced by the ship as she moves forward, which acts as a brake. The nearer the ship's keel to the bottom the stronger the friction. A ship drawing twenty-seven feet of water—say a ship of 12,000 tonnage—feels that friction over a depth of 250 feet. According to some calculations, the dragging influence ceases to be felt at a depth equal to ten and one-half times the draft if the ship stands high out of the water.

A curious feature of the matter is that the speed of the ship is as important an element as the depth of the water—that is to say, the influence of the depth on the ship's speed is more or less powerful in proportion as the speed is great.—A ship increases her speed more readily over deep water; but, on the other hand, the faster a ship runs the more depth of water she requires to prevent the hindrance caused by the dragging influence of the friction which is always felt when the ship's keel "senses" bottom.

Running ten knots an hour, a ship must have between twenty-six and twenty-seven feet of depth or she is dragged from below. If running twenty knots she needs a depth of 104 to 105 feet, and when running thirty knots she feels the drag over a depth of nearly 324 feet.—Exchange.

"Who Will Believe This?"—English Host—"What do you say to looking in at the music-hall?" Scotch Guest (up for the week end)—"Na, na, mon! I never veesit a music hall on Saturday for I fear I should laugh i' the kirk on the Sawbeth."

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Mr. J. Brice, Temperance road, Parry Sound, Ont., writes: "Just a line to praise Dr. Chase's Ointment for what it has done for my wife. She has been suffering from eczema in her head for two years, and has spent no end of money with doctors and for ointments, which did her no good. She had about given up hope of ever being cured, when someone told her to try Dr. Chase's Ointment. By the use of this Ointment the trouble has left her entirely, so we have unbounded faith in it. I have told several people about the Ointment."

Mrs. W. G. Dowden, Greenspond, Bonavista Bay, Nfld., writes: "I suffered with eczema on my hands, and for eighteen months was so bad that I could not use a needle to sew or do anything. I could scarcely dress myself. Though I had lots of salves from doctors, I could never get much benefit from them. Then I sent for a sample of Dr. Chase's Ointment, and found it very different in action. It was not long before my hands begn to heal, and four 60c. boxes made them well. I cannot praise Dr. Chase's Ointment too highly, and frequently give some to others to get them using it, for I know that it will cure."

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TOAST OF THE ROYAL SCOTS

SALONIKA—There is a Scotch regiment here which takes its liquor to a truly Caledonian toast:

"Here's tae us! Wha's like us? Damn few!"

That sentiment did not make for popularity once. only those who would truckle for whiskey's sake drank with them. After that announcement had been repeated about five grim times the wise boss of a barroom turned out the light and hid under the bed. Nowadays it goes with a roar and a chorus. Even those who are buying their own drinks on army pay and at the Salonika scale join in on it:

"Here's to 'em," shout the Sassenachs. "Who's like em? Damn few!"

THEY HAVE MADE GOOD.

Because the Jocks have something more than made good the Scotch claim to be fighting men, it is a little early to say that this regiment or that are the best Britons at Salonika, but the opinion seems to be unanimous that if the Jocks are at the back, the regiment in front is sure they'll stay there. If the Jocks are in front, the regiment behind will have to scramble to get part of the fun. There is no invidious rating between the Scotch regiments. They are all dour, grim, enduring fighting men.

I haven't quite made out what the captain of the battery was doing in this show. The fighting was on the Struma, and his battery had had a part of it. Three days they had been under shell fire. The story of that battery's part is a story in itself, because for three days they "stuck it" under the most accurate fire that any man of them had ever experienced. In the soft ground the six-inch shells that were being dumped in on them made holes twenty feet across and eight feet deep, and yet in the three days not a man or a gun was scratched.

The captain of the battery doesn't account for it. He bears rather a hard exterior finish, does the captain, but there is an accent of awe in his voice when he tells the story. It was a bit of a miracle, says he.

BULGARS THREE TO ONE.

Anyhow, the Royal Scots were one of the regiments sent up to hold the line. There were three Bulgars to one against them, at the least, and no one who has fought the Bulgarians will say that they are not good fighting men. Maybe they don't "stick it" as well as some other people. In army phrase they "get the wind up 'em" after they have been hammered to bits for a time. But as long as they have the top hold they are roaring, cursing, hard-hitting scrappers.

The Royal Scots had had two days and two nights of continual fighting. They were very tired. The men fell asleep against the walls of the trenches and lay at full length in the Struma mud, which is extraordinarily mean mud. At 2 o'clock in the morning of the third day the Bulgarians attacked in force.

"It was a rotten night," said the captain of eighteen-pounders. "My word! Raining and cold no end."

The old colonel of the Royal Scots gave an order and the kilties scrambled out of their trenches and lined up on the Bulgarian side of the barbed wire. The captain of the eighteen-pounders was unable to more than indicate the scene. He was dimly conscious that on either side of him ran a line of men, grimly silent, resting, as though carved in stone, on their muskets.

Now and then a flash of lightning pierced the wet veil of night. He caught dim plimpse of their sodden bonnets and their dripping kilts, and their hard faces. Then came the pipes.

"He played' em forward into action," said the captain of the eighteen-pounders, "I don't know what the tune was. I was never in Scotland in my life. But I went forward along with them."

The line moved on silent, steady elbows touching, in an alignment that seemed almost perfect. Now and then the lightning came and before the Royal Scots could be seen the pipers, heads up, elbows pumping, a screech of some old reviving tune skirling from their bags. On ahead the Bulgarians were shooting bloody death at them, but the Royal Scots marched on.

They worked their way through the wires and came to the lip of the great trench in which the Bulgarians were sheltered and still the pipes screamed that wild melody under the stormy sky.

"You should have heard 'em say 'hoo'—softly— as they dropped into that big trench packed with men," said the captain of the eighteen-pounders.

No doubt he had a reason for being there — a reason he can give to his C. O., and quite unconnected with bagpipes — but at the moment it does not appear. A little later on he climbed a minaret and standing on the balcony from which the mullah calls the faithful to their prayers he directed the fire of his battery.

Frightened, of course, he says. No man not a born fool could be other than frightened in such a place, with the bullets nicking the soft brick about him, and his own shells passing so near he could feel the wind, and now and then a Bulgarian shell just ticking the pointed top of the minaret. But every now and then the wind died away and the noise of battle was lulled and the drive of the ram seemed to soften, and then he could hear the pipes of the Royal Scots leaped into that trench in the ward into battle.

"But the thing of all I'll never forget," says he "is the way the Royal Scots leaped into that trenche in the black night and the way they said 'hoo' — softly — as they sent in the steel."

IF KIDNEYS AND BLADDER BOTHER

Take Salts to Flush Kidneys and Neutralize Irritating Acids

Kidney and Bladder weakness result from uric acid, says a noted authority. The kidneys filter this acid from the blood, and pass it on to the bladder, where it often remains to irritate and inflame, causing a burning, scalding sensation, or setting up an irritation at the neck of the bladder, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night. The sufferer is in constant dread, the water passes sometimes with a scalding sensation and is very profuse; again, there is difficulty in avoiding it.

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Sunday Sermon For Those Who Do Not Go To Church

(By JAMES SUTHERLAND)

St. John 11th chap., 43rd to 46th verses:

"And when He had thus spoken He cried with a loud voice, Lazarus, come forth."

There is nothing that we naturally shrink back from more than the grave—it is a heart-rending thought even to the best and the bravest of us to leave those that we have companioned with all along life's journey from youth to old age, who has ministered to all our wants, and whose presence has lifted our burdens and lightened our sorrows. It is hard to leave the darlings of our home, the joy and the sunshine of our lives. It is hard to think that we shall never clasp hands or meet their happy, joyous smiles again. God has planted those ties and those affections in the human heart, never to be dissolved or broken again. If we are His in time we shall be His in eternity, and we shall meet those that we have loved and lost awhile, to part no more. And this is the victory, that in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised incorruptible. Then we shall say, O grave where is thy victory. John 5th chap., 25th verse. Verily, verily, I say unto you, the hour is coming and now is, when the dead shall hear the voice of the Son of God, and they that hear shall live. Jesus speaks through the Bible, through His servants, through afflictions, troubles and trials, and is calling men everywhere to repentance. The first recorded sermon of Christ's was repent, for the kingdom of Heaven is at hand. This was also John the Baptist's theme. This was the Apostle Peter's theme at Pentecost. Repent, that your sins may be blotted out and that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord. Wherever the gospel is preached under the inspiration of the Holy Ghost souls are saved. It was so at Lazarus' grave. The Saviour's prayer and address led many of the Jews to believe on Him. It was a happy day in Bethany. Sorrow was turned into rejoicing; grief and crying and tears into songs of praise. Lazarus was restored to the bosom of his family. He was again clasped in their arms, safe and sound I can imagine with what joy and gladness they met at family worship that evening, and their song would be: Return unto thy rest, O my soul, for the Lord hath dealt bountifully with thee. All their unbelief and doubts were cleared away; the clouds were dispersed, and joy and gladness filled their glad hearts. His promises, His tarrying, His trial of them—all was explained, and Mary sat at His feet and heard His words, and her faith in Him was stronger than ever, and their joy was still further increased because many of the Jews believed on Him. The Shepherd had found some of the lost sheep that night and there was joy among the angels of God over the saved ones. It was a birthnight for eternity.

The voice that called Lazarus forth pierced many a heart. The cottage at Bethany would be like a little heaven that night. The Jews believed when they saw the things that Jesus did—just as the dying thief believed on Jesus when he saw His calmness, His love, His pity. He could not but believe that this was the Son of God, the Saviour of the world, and draw from Him that dying prayer, Lord, remember me when thou comest into Thy kingdom.

The Jews saw the amazing love of Jesus to Lazarus, to Martha, and to Mary. They saw His tears; they heard His groans; they heard Him thank and praise His father, and they could not but believe on Him. They saw divine power and divine love to sinners. It is the same thing which persuades sinners now to believe. Some of the great gathering at the grave were saved, and some went away unsaved, for they went and told the Pharisees all about the raising of Lazarus from the dead, so the Pharisees and the chief priests came together in council and said, What do we, for this man doeth many miracles. If we let him thus alone all men will believe on Him and the Romans shall come and take away both our place and notion. Then from that day forth they took counsel together for to put Him to death. Jesus therefore walked no more openly among the Jews; they sought for to take Him and gave commandment that if any man knew where He was he should show it that they might take Him. They expected that He would come to the passover. They were determined not to believe His miracles, neither would they acknowledge Him as their Messiah. They despised His mean appearance—so different from their carnal ideas. Caiphas was a hold, profane politician; he considered that Christ should be sacrificed, thinking it even expedient that an innocent person should be put to death, rather than that the nation should suffer. Some members of the Sanhedrim, notably Nicodemus and Joseph of Arimithea, did not concur in these resolutions. When Caiaphas uttered his wicked counsel God was pleased to guide Him to utter a remarkable prophecy declaring that Jesus should be an atoning sacrifice for the sins of the world, suffering the just for the unjust, that by His death He might save the world from perishing. The evangelist here expounds the meaning of the Holy Ghost who spake by him; and that bitter enemy of Christ was constrained to bear testimony to the great doctrine of Salvation through His atoning blood. Even Balaam was constrained to bless Israel when bent on cursing; the counsel of Caiaphas determined the Sanhedrim to devise measures for putting Jesus to death. Jesus willingly died to gather the children of God into His Kingdom. Christ's dying is the great attractive of our hearts. For this end He is lifted up, to draw men to Him. His love in dying for us is the great loadstone of our love. Christ by the merit of His death recommended all the saints in one to the grace of God. Heb. 2nd, 11 and 13 vs. It was our Lord's purpose to suffer death at the ensuing feast of the Passover. He was pleased to retire to an obscure part of the country where He abode with His disciples till within a few days of the Passover, when they came to Bethany to the home of Lazarus, Martha and Mary, to sit at their table for the last time on earth, to linger under the shade of the fig tree, and to speak those loving farewell words that angels nor historian has ever written, but will ever be remembered by the happy family at Bethany.

It has been a great pleasure to me to write these Sunday sermons. I have been profited myself, and many others are reading them, I hope to their own good. What suggested this subject to me was this: I was at a prayer meeting, and while a lady was giving her testimony she was weeping. I thought of Jesus weeping at Lazarus' grave, and Martha and Mary in tears. And then I thought of the tears I have shed while standing at the little grass covered mound, the grave of my loved ones.

Yours sincerely,
James Sutherland.

352 1-2 Water Street, Peterboro.
January 17, 1917.

A LUMBERMAN'S OPINION.

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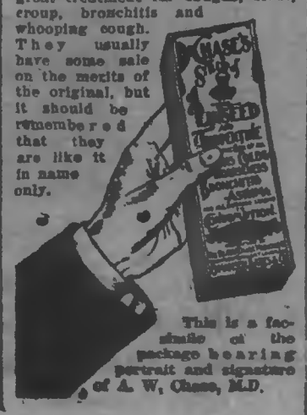

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Tightening Up On Passports For All The Outer Empire

LONDON, Jan. 22.—Applications for passports for Canada as well as for other places, are bein scrutinized here closely now. Persons between sixteen and sixty years of age in both sexes who might likely be of use in munition making or some other form of national service have little chance of obtaining permission to proceed to other parts of the Empire.

Many applications for passports for women wanting to go to Canada for domestic service have recently been turned down.

Emigration and steamship agents, who get a commission, naturally are much perturbed, but the official reply to protests is that the national emergency is of such a character that it is impossible to allow anybody who might possibly be useful to leave the country.

When Tank Meets Tank

News from Roumania of a new German armoured automobile, 25 feet long, with wheels a foot wide, encased in solid rubber, propelled by 1-100 horse-power engine, capable of carrying ten men and machine guns, is proclaimed with an assurance intended to give impression that this monster is calculated to outtank the British tank.

Asserted speed of 25 miles an hour may show superiority in this respect over the snail-like English tank; but can it cross trenches, bridge chasms, knock down and clamber over buildings?

These inventions are symptomatic in one respect, at least, of English and German mental characteristics—the one a leader in inventive genius, the other an able imitator with clever adaptability.

Of 70 odd basic inventions of world-wide importance, conceived since about the middle of the 17th century, the Teutonic allies have been but small contributors. Bulgaria and Turkey furnished none; Austria, one; and Germany, four—a total of five. Entente Allies are credited with 34, of which Italy boasts two, France, 12; Great Britain, 20.

"Yankee ingenuity," moreover, gives added evidence of superior capacity for great invention among English-speaking peoples, for during the past 250 years Americans have originated nearly as many great inventions as all the rest of the world Among these are the cotton gin, successful steam navigation, friction matches, typewriter, electric telegraph, sewing machine and the telephone.

Whether or not protracted war stimulates invention, it is noteworthy that nearly a fifth of our great inventions were brought out from 1861 to 1866, including the iron-clad steam battery, gatling gun, automobile torpedo, etc. About two-thirds of the great English inventions in the last 2 1-2 centuries were conceived during war times.

On His Furlough.—The reading lesson was on, and the word "furlough" occurred. Miss Jones, the teacher, asked if any little girl or boy knew the meaning of the word. One small hand was raised. "Furlough means a mule," said the child. "Oh, no; it doesn't," said the teacher. "Yes, ma'am," insisted the little girl. "I have a book at home that says so." Miss Jones told the child to bring the book to school. The next morning the child came armed with a book, and triumphantly showed a picture of an American soldier riding a mule, under which was the caption—"Going home on his furlough."

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Her Tragic Death Follows Reverses

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Family reverses, both social and financial, are believed to have caused Mrs. Eleanor R. Schlaepfer, wife of Carl Schlaepfer, of Paterson, N.J., at one time manager of the American branch of the Naef Brothers Silk Manufacturing Company, of Paterson, to rush in front of a train at the Broadway station. Frank Gallagher, motorman, stated that she jumped from the platform as the train he was driving approached, and he could not make a complete stop until five cars had passed over her body.

From all accounts, Mrs. Schlaefer stood in the middle of the platform until the train came into the station and then jumped to the tracks. While it is stated by members of the family that there was no estrangement, the police and other Paterson sources give information which may explain the death.

Immediately after Schlaefer's act a call was sent for a fire truck, but before it arrived Policeman Schopper, of the West 177th street station, who had heard the cries of the passengers on the platform, extricated the body from beneath the train and placed it on the platform. In her handbag was a sealed letter addressed to Carl Schlaefer, Braun Building, Market street, Paterson, N.J. Also the bag contained $7.16, a wedding ring inscribed "Carl to Ella, April 6, 1892," and minor articles.

Forty-Eight Years Old.

In Paterson it was established beyond doubt that the woman was Mrs. Schlaepfer. It was said that she was forty-eight years old and lived with her daughter, Miss Lenore Schlaepfer, at No. 106 Northern avenue, near 181st street, this city. She has one son, Rudolph, twenty-eight years old, who served until recently with the New Jersey National Guard on the border; also a daughter, twenty-five years old, a Vassar graduate, employed as the secretary of a Mr. Parker, general sales agent of the Library Bureau, No. 316 Broadway, New York city. Her husband after the liquidation of the Naef Brothers Silk Manufacturing Company became associated with the Victory Silk Company, of Paterson.

For many years while Mr. Schlaepfer held his first position the family was prominent socially. They were all members of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, and Mrs. Schlaepfer was one of the managers of the Paterson General Hospital. She also was connected with the Woman's Guild of the church. It was stated that financial reverses caused the separation of the family recently.

The Rev. D. Stuart Hamilton, pastor of St. Paul's Church, was sure, he said, that there was no family estrangement because only last Sunday the family, except Mrs. Schlaepfer, had dinner with friends in Paterson. At the time she was indisposed and could not attend, he said.

Miss Lenore Schlaepfer said at her home that she was certain her mother's death was due to an accident. "I am certain that she was overcome with dizziness and lurched forward under the cars," she declared.

Miss Schlaepfer said her mother had told her she was going down town to do some shopping. Her mother kept house for her while she went out to business, Miss Schlaepfer said, and they had both been very happy.

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Mr. A. George, 30 Blevin's Place, Toronto, Ont., writes: "Having greatly benefitted from your remedy, Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, I take the liberty to write you a few words about the effect of that wonderful syrup. Two years ago I caught a severe cold followed by a spasmodic cough and pain in my chest. I was treated by many doctors but without any benefit, and also took many proprietory medicines which all failed to cure. One of my friends recommended Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, and after using three bottles I was completely cured. I recommend it to anyone as a God-sent remedy."

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GRANT IX

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HEAR THE NEEDS OF NAVY EXPLAINED

Illustrated Address at Collegiate To-Night

PARLIAMENT TO ADJOURN TO LET THE PREMIER ATTEND IMPERIAL CONFERENCE

This Step Seems Practically Certain Following the Development of the Opening Day's Debate on the Address---Varied Comment on President Wilson's Peace Proposal Speech to the Senate ---Little Activity From the War Fronts.

THE GERMAN RAIDER HAS DISAPPEARED

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, January 23.—That Parliament will remain in session for a month longer and then adjourn for a period of at least six weeks in order to allow the Prime Minister to attend the Imperial Conference, appears to be practically certain, following the developments of the opening days' debate on the address.

MADISON, Wis., January 23.—Wm. Jennings Bryan is opposed to the proposition of the United States joining a league of nations to enforce peace.

Commenting on President Wilson's speech before the Senate, Bryan to-day declared it to be a "wonderful eloquent appeal to the nations at war," but said the President had sown "wheat and tares together," and expressed the hope that the Senate would "reject the tares."

PARIS, January 23. — The French press is frankly critical to-day of President Wilson's address to the American Senate. All editorials agreed in the general belief that his message is not without merit, but adjudge utopian because it is to be applied to Germany and pan-Germanism.

LONDON, January 23.—"Victory for the Allies," says the Pall Mall Gazette, "is the first essential safety, after that we can talk about permanent suppression of war at our leisure."

The Times lauds Wilson as the first individual in a big nation who advances as a practical plan "the dreams of many thinkers for a great number of centuries."

"The Allies believe that a victorious peace is essential however," the Times concluded, "as Lincoln believed it essential in the Civil War."

WASHINGTON, January 23.—That literal working out of the President's suggestions regarding "a direct outlet to the great highways of the seas" for all nations would mean complete neutralization of the Panama, Suez and Kiel Canals, as well as the neutralization of Gibraltar and the Dardanelles, is the interpretation by British, German and neutral officials here to-day.

NEW YORK, January 23.—With few exceptions the Democratic press of the United States to-day hailed President Wilson's speech to the Senate as a great step in the history of the nation and of the world.

Editorial comment to-day showed political party division. Some Republican newspapers attacked it, but others merely expressed fear that its advanced idealism would lead to misunderstandings abroad and dispute at home.

The New York Tribune (Republican), declares that the President "has gone from bad to worse," while the St. Louis Globe (Democrat), calls the speech "either a monumental mistake or an act that will fill a glowing page in history."

To a certain extent a similar division is apparent in the Democratic press. The Louisville Courier Journal, on the other hand refers to the speech as the "proposal of a transcendental dreamer."

The New York Staats Zeitung (German), declares the President's words "will ring through the centuries," while the Illinois Statts Zeitung (German), declares he "spoke without authority."

BUENOS AIRES, January 23.—The German raider has apparently disappeared just as mysteriously as she arrived in the South Atlantic.

Rio de Janeiro reported several vessels, which might be the raider and consorts, sighted on the North Brazil coast, but there was no tangible evidence that any of these were actually the raiders.

Rumours that the British cruiser Glasgow had sunk the raider were entirely discredited to-day.

RIO DE JANIERO, January 23.—During the night the guns of the Fort of Santa Cruz halted the steamer Hammershus, flying the Danish flag, and leaving here with a cargo of provisions and munitions, believed to be for the German raider. The steamer put back to port and is now under surveillance.

BERLIN, January 23.—A gigantic scheme in food swindling has just been uncovered through the arrest of Frau Kupfer and her pretty daughter by the police to-day. Berlin's first citizens, it is now revealed, have been swindled out of millions of marks in a story of financing and manipulation that rivals fiction.

LONDON, January 23.—Sixty-nine persons were killed, 72 seriously injured, and 328 slightly hurt, in the explosion in a munitions plant "in the neighbourhood of London," last Friday, according to official figures issued to-day. This was said to be a complete list of casualties.

PARIS, January 23.—A cannonading between the Aisne and the Oise was the only feature of a calm night along the western front, to-day's official statement declared.

LANCE-CORPORAL FRED H. MILLS

An Omemee boy who died of wounds on November 20th. He was a nephew of Mrs. C. W. Richards, of Millbrook. Another brother is in the trenches.

TORONTO CAMPAIGN FOR $2,500,000 OFF TO GOOD START

First Half Day of the Effort to Raise Two and a Half Millions for Patriotic and Red Cross Great Success

A TOTAL OF $947,273

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Jan. 23.—At noon on the first of the four days' campaign to raise two and a half million dollars for Patriotic and Red Cross funds in Toronto and York County, the total stood at $947,273, which is 46 thousand ahead of the same period in last year's campaign.

Clock Contest At Oak Hall A Big Feature

The Clock Contest at Oak Hall promises to be a lively one, from the way guesses are coming in. No doubt the contest will be more keenly contested this year, as the public had the experience of last year's clock tested out. The question is, will there be much, if any, difference, in the time. Last year's clock was a $12.00 one. This year Oak Hall is giving a $17.00 clock, with their special January sale prices, and dollar day bargains on the merchandise Oak Hall offers, with the opportunity to win a $17.00 clock, makes Oak Hall a magnet for Dollar Day. Bring your blanks filled out and deposit in ballot box at the store.

DIED.

MORROW.—Died at the Nicholls Hospital on Monday, Jan. 22nd, 1917, Dr. R. F. Morrow, 176 Dalhousie street. Service at home Wednesday at 8 p.m., followed by Masonic service.

Funeral Thursday morning at 7.30 a.m. to G.T.R. station. Interment at Lindsay on the arrival of the train.

CARTER.—At 15 Lisburn street, Auburn, on Thursday, January 23rd, 1917, Margaret Carter, relict of the late Elijah Carter, aged 80 years.

The funeral will take place from the residence of her son, Mr. W. H. Carter, 15 Lisburn street, on Thursday afternoon, January 25th, at 2.30 o'clock and proceed to the Little Lake cemetery for interment.

AN APPEAL TO THE EMPLOYERS OF LABOUR

An appeal is here made to employers of labour to redeem the promises made publicly if not privately, that work would be found for the men returned from service, especially those who served in France, and who have had disablements.

Then there is the class of men who went to England, were discharged from service as medically unfit and who have come back. Pretty much as they were before enlistment. How far does the promise as noted above apply to these men? Not their fault that they were not on the lines.

Many men come into the office and complain that they are refused work, that is, no places are open to them. Possibly some places open are not to their liking. One man complains, and this man saw service and was returned disabled, that where he was employed a girl was taken on in his place at $1.25 per day. He says he would not work for that wage, so quit.

Now we might just as well be plain about this matter. These men have a right to expect some consideration. Are they getting it? It is practically impossible to telephone to thirteen factories three or four times a day to see if there are vacancies. For the last two weeks not one employer has signified that there was employment to be given, that places would be made.

Employers should have consistency enough to instruct some one in the service to notify the Patriotic Fund office of any opportunity to place men, and to do so without being stirred up. On the other hand if we have reached the point in the city where there is no employment to be had, why not say so. Let us not go ahead on a fiction, as at present.

This is an appeal to employers to wake up, so far as the returned man is concerned. Don't shove the duty off onto the other fellow. What about your shop? Any openings? Then advise.

And it will be taken, and rightly so, that if no one says that men can be taken on that there has ceased to be a want for men. Then the returned man can be told, as he will be told, that out of town for him. That is the only alternative.

Is there anything else we can do? And who will do it?

FINE PROGRAMME FOR THURSDAY'S SMOKER IN LOCAL ARMOURIES

Sergt. Wm. Lane Has Arranged an Interesting Evening ---Public is Cordially Invited---Lt.-Col. Glass of Lindsay Battalion Asks to Be Relieved of His Command Canada's Contributions to the War--To-day's General Military News.

Under the direction of Sergt. Wm. Lane, a big smoker will be held in the Armouries on Thursday night to which the public is cordially invited. There will be no admission charge, and the programme is of a most interesting nature, with boxing, wrestling, music by the 24th Band, songs, and Sergt. Lane's wonderful strong man stunt and weight lifting exhibition. The Band of the 247th Battalion will provide music. The programme will be as follows:

Selection—247th Band.
Boxing—Pte. Peers vs. Pte. Deline.
Selection 247th Band.
Wrestling—Pte. Fagan vs. Pte. Dunnette.
Song.
Boxing—Kid Coats vs. Kid Pants.
Buck and Wing Dancing.
Boxing—Pte. Dobbs vs. Pte. Wilson.
Song.
Boxing—Pte. Worrall vs. Pte. Dallin.
Selection—247th Band.
"Ajax"—Posing, weight lifting, etc.

Toronto, Jan. 21.—The Provincial Attorney-General would like to get the names of the people who send out the so-called Golden Chain Prayer. "The letters are anonymous, and we have no one to prosecute," said Hon. J. B. Lucas to-day." The circulation of the letters is causing worry to wives and mothers of soldiers, who are asked to send out seven copies of it to others, failing to do which great misfortune will come. The prayer implores a blessing on soldiers and sailors.

OTTAWA, Jan. 22.—In his speech to-night Sir Robert Borden gave the following interesting statistics as to Canada's contribution to the prosecution of the war, showing that 434,-589 persons of the manhood of Canada have enrolled themselves for service.

Enlistments in Canadian Expeditionary Force	404,169
(Including 9,699 active militia and 2,470 permanent force called out.)	
Canadian naval forces	3,310
British naval service	1,900
Imperial mechanical transport service	1,200
Munition work for Imperial authorities	8,600
British army reservists	2,750
French army reservists	5,000
Russian army reservists	7,500
Italian army reservists	5,000
Actually left country up to Dec. 31	310,922
Canadian Expeditionary Force overseas	280,502
Still in Canada training	48,312
(In addition to 9,699 on guard duty and 1,470 of permanent force, a total of 57,864.)	
Casualties among Canadians, 70,258:	
Killed in action	10,854
Died of wounds	4,010
Died of sickness	494
Presumed dead	1,108
Wounded	48,454
Missing	2,970
Prisoners of war	2,378
In England, reinforcements, proceed to France	10,000
In England, reinforcements, casualties, etc.	39,589
Saw service in France or the East	175,000

The Lindsay Post says: The Post was informed to-day that Lieut.-Col. Glass O. C. 222nd Batt., has notified Brigadier-General Hemming, G.O.C., Third Military District, Kingston, that he wished to be relieved of his command of the battalion at present being recruited in Victoria and Haliburton counties.

On receipt of the information a reporter interviewed Lieut.-Col. Glass. The officer stated that he felt that the great expense entailed in recruiting in the united counties was not productive of the results anticipated, and in view of this disappointing aspect of the situation he did not feel he was justified in having these conditions continue. Recruiting for the 222nd Battalion commenced the latter part of October.

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NOTICE

A special meeting of Peterboro Lodge No. 111, I. O. O. F., will be held this evening, Tuesday, January 23rd; in connection with the death of our late Bro. R. F. Morrow. A full attendance is requested.

H. Huffman, N. G.

ROSS RIFLE CONDEMNED BY HAIG AND FRENCH

Correspondence Tabled by Premier Borden in the House of Commons Yesterday Afternoon---Full Story Has Not Yet Come Out.

GEN. HAIG'S REPORT

OTTAWA, Jan. 22.— A part of the story of the Ross rifle, Mark III., with which Canada's troops were armed at the outbreak of the war, is told in voluminous correspondence between the Government and the War Office, tabled by the Premier in the Commons this afternoon. It is only a part of the story which is told, however; the real story will doubtless come out later, when a Parliamentary inquiry is obtained.

The correspondence tabled to-day begins with a letter sent on March 30, 1916, in which Sir R. L. Borden asked Sir George Perley to report as to the real facts regarding the efficiency of the Ross rifle. This report was asked for because the Government wanted to know as to whether further orders for the manufacture of the rifle should be placed. It will be noted that this request comes only after the Canadians had been in the trenches for more than a year, and had long since fought the battle of St. Julien. It was after this battle that the stories began to come back to Canada as to trouble with the rifle.

General French's Ordered Re-arming.

There is enclosed to the Canadian Government Sir John French's report on the Ross rifle, under date of June 19, 1915. In this report General French says that in view of a growing want of confidence in the Ross rifle, he had caused the committee to have a test made. The result of the committee's findings was that the Ross rifle could not be relied upon to work smoothly and efficiently in rapid fire with any ammunition other than that of Canadian manufacture. He notes that no Canadian ammunition was at the time available. Consequently, he says, he ordered the re-arming of the infantry of the Canadian Division with the Lee-Enfield. This was carried out before they went into action on June 16. He suggests a further investigation by the Army Council through the most highly qualified experts available, with a view to finally determine whether it might be advisable to restore the Ross rifle to the Canadian divisions. He adds: "In conclusion, I would observe that I have never condemned the Ross rifle, nor have sufficient data to justify me in doing so."

He notes that the main trouble seemed to be that the ammunition of British manufacture was not suitable for use with the Ross rifle, and he recommends "a slight alteration to the chamber of the rifle, which will better adapt it for use with the British ammunition."

How Long Was It Withheld?

There is nothing in the correspondence, as tabled, to show that this report of Sir John French was given to the Government here until July of 1916. It was not until the spring of last year apparently that Sir Robert Borden finally took decisive action to

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WAS THREE TIMES ON BOATS THAT WERE SUBMARINED

Brother of Peterboro Woman Has Had an Exciting Time in the Merchant Service, Which he Joined since the Beginning of the War

TELLS HIS EXPERIENCE

Mrs. T. Carpenter, 196 Reid street, has received a letter from her brother, S. Carpenter, who has had a remarkable experience in the merchant marine service, having been on three ships that have been submarined, and in another that was sunk in another way. He has only been in the service since the war broke out. He gives an interesting account of the last experience in his letter to his sister. He says:

"We have been sunk by a German submarine again at 2.30 p.m. Thursday. I was taken aboard the submarine for nearly an hour. They were very good to me when I told them it was my third time. We were in a little boat for 10 1-2 hours, being picked up by a Dutch steamer at 1 a.m. It was a Godsend for us, for there was a big sea on all the time, and we were tossed from one side of the boat to the other.

"We were well looked after on the Dutch boat, which was a passenger steamer of 12,000 tons. We were on her until Saturday morning at 8 a.m. We had our breakfast on the Downs, our dinner in Deal, and our tea in the Sailors' Home at London.

He says that the submarine commander did not care to torpedo the ship he was on for fear of attracting the attention of other British ships. It was only a small sailing vessel with five men on board, and the commander, after taking all the food, ordered the skipper and his men to go aboard the submarine. This they did, after which the pirate sent two men in a small boat to put bombs on board. When they returned to the submarine, they sailed for an hour, and then ordered the British sailors to take to the small boats. Before they left the commander of the submarine gave them two buckets of drinking water, but this was soon upset owing to the rough sea. Seaman Carpenter says that the submarine commander spoke excellent English. Despite his exciting experiences he has been ordered, and is quite ready, to take another long journey across the ocean.

The Examiner's Dollar Day Contest

A Genuine Estimating Contest— $25.00 in Prizes and a Special Prize of $10.00

This year's Dollar Day, which is to be held on Thursday, January 25th, should be one of the best on record. The Examiner is adding interest to the occasion by putting on an estimating contest that can be figured out with a little patience. We have bought a quart sealer at Masons Grocery Store and sufficient beans at Denne's Flour and Feed Store, George street, to fill it, and to those who put in the nearest correct estimates to the number of beans in the sealer, the following prizes will be given:

First nearest estimate	$ 6.00
Second nearest estimate	5.00
Third nearest estimate	4.00
Fourth nearest estimate	3.00
Fifth nearest estimate	2.00
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And a special prize of $10.00 if the winner of the merchants' treasury box prize got the estimating blank at the Examiner office.

Read the large two column advertisement for further particulars.

HAVE YOU BEEN THINKING

Of having your eyes attended to? You think that that headache and pains in the head are caused from defective eyes, not necessarily defective vision? Then why not make sure? Because, if it is your eyes they only grow worse with delay. See Dr. Lacey and See Better. 410 George St.

MASONIC NOTICE

An emergent meeting of Peterborough Lodge A. F. and A. M. No 155, will be held to-morrow Wednesday, at 7.30 p.m. for the purpose of attending the funeral service of our late V. W. Bro. Dr. R. F. Morrow. Members of sister lodges are invited. Interment at Lindsay, Thursday morning.

W. H. Walkey
(Secretary)

Death of Former Peterboro' Man

William S. Stewart Dead—Was Toronto Representative of Hamilton Cotton Company.

TORONTO, Jan. 23.—A resident of Toronto practically all his life passed away yesterday at his late residence, 136 Bedford Road, in the person of Wm. R. Stewart, at the age of 61 years. The late Mr. Stewart was well known in business circles, having been for the past 23 years the local representative of the Hamilton Cotton Company. He was born in Peterborough, Ontario, where he received his early education. He was a Presbyterian and attended the Bloor Street Presbyterian Church. He is survived by his wife, four sons and three daughters.

THE WEATHER

Last night's lowest temperature, 9 below zero. This is the tenth occasion this month that zero or below has been reached. More moderate conditions prevailed towards morning, and at noon the thermometer had risen to 16 above zero.—W. P.

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TUESDAY, JAN. 23, 1917

NORTH WEST TORONTO.

Hon. W. D. McPherson, the new Provincial Secretary in the Hearst government, who went back to his constituency in Northwest Toronto, was yesterday re-elected by a largely reduced majority—of about 1,600 as compared with his majority of 2,416 in the general election of 1914, in a three man contest. Thus another reduced majority for a Hearst government candidate, appealing to the people under the most favourable circumstances—in a by-election, with concentration of government influence—with the help of the "Tory machine" in Tory Toronto, with the prestige of ministerial standing. Toronto electors have Hogtown characteristics. Mr. McPherson was made minister at the point of a pistol, Toronto sending a solid contingent of eight supporters, demanded the portfolio and got it. The electors, independently of other considerations, would naturally be anxious that Toronto should have another representative in the cabinet, if only till the general elections two years hence. The Liberal candidate made a good run, and the Liberals challenged by Mr. McPherson to put a man into the field, justified his candidature. The benighted people of Toronto had the Liberal policy of progress presented to them, and it is hoped that the educative process will do them good.

THE PETERBOROUGH SENATORSHIP.

From Peterborough's point of view, the despatch announcing the appointment of a batch of Senators, is remarkable for what it does not contain—no appointee for the Peterborough district. The nearest approach to local senatorial representation is the appointment of Mr. Frederick Nicholls, associated or connected with Peterborough as president of the Canadian General Electric Company and, thereupon, our congratulations are in order. But that is not specific enough to satisfy Peterborough's desires and claims to representation in the Senate. It is noted that the seven Senators appointed are described as "long and faithful supporters of the Conservative party." If that is the grounds upon which elevation to the Senate is made, Peterborough can abundantly qualify, not only on that score, but on the score of ability and creditable qualification for the office of Senator.

It is to be hoped that without reference to party, the influential members of Peterborough citizenship will get into action and bring pressure to bear in order to induce the Government to fill one of the seven remaining vacancies with a Peterborough man. As politics go, no matter what our claims to Senatorial honours may be, we shan't get it unless we "get busy."

FARMERS AND LAWYERS.

A platform friend of the farmers told the electors of West Simcoe, in the recent by-election, that they were represented in the Ontario Legislature in a very log-headed way—in a house composed of 111 members, there are only 17 farmers. We can't exactly explain how, but that relative preponderance of the legal profession applies to or affects all legislative bodies. The New York Herald tells of a committee of the House of Representatives at Washington—the Committee on House Rules—of eleven members, of which eight are lawyers, in full standing, and that of the other three, one was educated as a lawyer, another is a doctor, and the other a plain lone farmer. Yet with this great array of legal talent, the committee finds it necessary to "to employ outside counsel at the expense of the taxpayers to conduct its desk investigation."

We don't suppose that our Canadian political lawyers, any more than the United States lawyers of the same class, are expected to violate professional "ethics" by doing purely legal work for nothing—for the poor, paltry sessional indemnity of $2,500 per session—only $27 per day, for the average session. There is argument on the lawyers' side, of a kind. Farmers employ lawyers to do their private business, and pay pretty handily for it sometimes. It is logical, then, to hold that lawyers are necessary to do the business of a province of farmers in the Legislature. The farmers seem to think that is all right; for they continue to elect lawyers, instead of farmers. It is also natural that law making should be done by lawyers; without their help the proverbial coach-and-four hole in the average statute might be forgotten; opportunities for subsequent litigation might be neglected. After all the chief objection to electing lawyers to Parliament is that they are thereby subjected to the temptations that the wiles of practical politicians plant in the way of the unwary, and are in danger of having the traditional honesty of the legal fraternity corrupted.

A FAT RED HERRING.

There is suspicious unanimity of Government journals in the denunciation of the Liberal candidate in Dorchester, Quebec, who is opposing the newest Nationalist Minister in the Conservative Cabinet of Sir Robert Borden. The organs claim that Mr. Lucien Cannon, the Liberal candidate, is disloyal. It is averred that in a speech he declared that he was opposed to Canada taking part in the war. This charge is based on this alleged declaration by Mr. Cannon:

"There are considerations national and Canadian. Are we to ruin our country from the point of view of men, and wealth, and everything else for England? I say 'No' without any hesitation."

Thereupon the organs and politicians lash themselves into a fury of denunciation and loyalty, and can't say enough that is bad enough about the "disloyal" Liberal candidate, judged by his words. But the words quoted are not his words, or if they are somewhat like them, are separated from their context and a misleading interpretation put upon them. Mr. Cannon's statement of his position does not justify the blame that is put upon a few detached and distorted words. Here is what he says:

"The Conservative reports of my speech in Dorchester are greatly misleading. I understand they are obeying the order of their 'bosses' in vile attempts to divide Liberals, and create ill-feeling between both races in this country, when a united effort is necessary. My programme as expounded to my electors, is as follows: 'I am proud to be a British subject and wish to remain so. I believe that Canada should give to the mother country all possible help in money and men, but most strenuously object to being robbed, as we were at Valcartier and other places, by Government friends.'

"As Lord Shaughnessy said, 'Our country should not be drained of all her manhood and resources.' I am opposed to conscription, if it should commence in Quebec, as suggested by Sir Sam Hughes, when Minister of Militia. Vancouver, Winnipeg, and many other cities think as I do in this respect. I think the government should ascertain the available resources of the country in men and wealth, but believe that the National Service cards are badly worded and badly distributed, and not the best means to attain the object in view."

The false version of what Mr. Cannon says is declared to be the result of "a premeditated scheme to discredit the Liberal candidate and the Liberal cause." His platform, as given above, is one with which all loyal Canadians will agree, especially the reference to Government waste of public money in its promotion of war measures. With this, however, disloyal Canadians will not agree, for their partisanship condones all this extravagance to "save the party's face."

It does not need much shrewdness to see why the party organs and party hacks are lashing themselves into a fury over the alleged disloyal utterances of the Liberal candidate—only made so by distortion of their meaning and garbling of their text. The reason is, their indignation, their blatant, pumped-up and affected anger is thrown out as a red herring to draw the scent from the trail that leads to the greater and more notorious and more disastrous disloyalty of the Government. The Borden Governments has from its beginning contained in important Cabinet positions, and still contains, three or four representatives of the only truly disloyal element in Canada, outside a few German and Austrian immigrants. Three or four followers of Bourassa, whose doctrine is that we Canadians owe no allegiance or anything else to Great Britain—"have no use for England and the English," that we must denounce naval preparation for Canada, and cut ourselves off from all idea of sympathy or interested connection with the Mother Country.

This is a surprising record for a loyal government, but it is only half as wonderful as the fact that a large section of the party which arrogates all loyalty to itself, condones this disgraceful and disloyal truckling to a disgraceful and disloyal element, and justifies it as a means of keeping power. It is not too much to assert that the Borden Government holds power by the grace and votes of the Nationalists of Quebec. If it were not for the some twenty Nationalists standing solidly behind the Government in the House, the Government majority would be reduced to the precarious margin of majority of nine or ten, or at most a "devil's dozen." This Nationalist humiliation—a trifle worse than the reciprocity "pact"—is the price of a compact, by which the Nationalists—the shoot-the-flag Nationalists—were to support the Borden Government on condition of the Borden Government killing the Laurier Naval Bill, calling for a Canadian navy. The Government has not dared to do this, but it has perpetrated an equivalent—it has rewarded Nationalists with fat Cabinet positions—shuffled Cabinet positions, not to give strength to the Government, but to give Cabinet emoluments to traitors—to keep up the succession.

This is why the politicians and yellow journals of the party are screaming themselves hoarse with condemnation of the Liberal candidate, founded upon garbling and distortion of his utterances. They think they will draw away attention from the damning record of the Government in its toadyish subserrency to Nationalism, a national outrage, that finds its latest expression in advancing another Nationalist to Cabinet honours over the of loyal Quebec Conservatives.

THE PROBLEM OF POST BELLUM RECONSTRUCTION IN CANADA

In his address last week, Sir Herbert Holt presented a vivid sketch of post-war conditions. He pointed out that there is no permanence in war prosperity, that it is war business which has so accelerated the wheels of industry, and the termination of this must react on industrial activities with far-reaching results. "Factories employed exclusively in this connection will close," he said. "Kindred industries stimulated by high prices will suffer by the establishment of more ordinary conditions. Exports will decline as Europe imports less, and commodity prices will recede. Labour will become a glut on the market, aggravated by the return of soldiers in large numbers. All this appears certain to follow the establishment of peace, and the longer the war endures the more drastic will be the depression, because of the greater economic exhaustion of Europe and the effect upon her buying power. We have already seen the stock markets convulsed by a most improbable suggestion of peace."

Sir Herbert, and others, have previously pleaded for intelligent action to meet post-bellum problems. That there will be such problems nearly all admit. Many, too, have a fairly good idea of their size and type. Yet, with the exception of a few special commissions, some of which are doing good work, little is being done in Canada to prepare for the difficult period to come.

In our leading article this week, Professor R. M. MacIver, of the University of Toronto, makes a convincing statement of the case for the appointment by the federal government of a non-political board to investigate and report upon the problems of post-bellum reconstruction.

"All important belligerent countries, all important neutral countries, have already accomplished much in this direction. Great Britain, the nation which has by far the biggest war job, will, by its foresight now, probably prove to be the best prepare for post-bellum conditions, readjustment and reconstruction. Lloyd George said last week: 'The resources of the nation employed in every direction clear a path to the barbed wire entanglements for our gallant fellows to march through,' he said. 'A loan helps you, insures victory. A loan will help shorten the war; it will help save lives; it will help save the British Empire; it will help save Europe; it will help save civilization.'"

Sir Edmund Walker has said that in this Great War we shall not fail, for then, difficult as enlistment may be, we shall not fail because of inability to make or to procure war supplies. "If we fail it will be because we have wasted on unnecessary things the money that would have won the war." The man or woman who works hard at making shells may take much comfort in helping to win the war, but the man or woman who, in addition, saves a part of the present high wages due to war and buys a war security, or helps a bank to do so, has helped twice, and the second kind of help is the most vital."—Monetary Times.

County and City Councils To Discuss Good Roads Scheme

All the members of the Council were present at a meeting of the Committee of the Whole last night, which was confined largely to the discussion of several matters of civic importance it was deemed inadvisable to make public at the present time.

Mayor Duffus introduced the subject of a good roads system in Peterborough County. He gave a verbal report of a meeting in the Empress Hotel last Friday night at which a number of local business men heard the views and suggestions of the Provincial Road Engineer, Holland of the Ontario Motor League. The Council decided to confer with the County Council which is in session here this week with a view to learning their disposition towards a good roads system. Mayor Duffus expressed the opinion that important as rural radials may be to the urban and country communities, good highways are likely to prove more advantageous, a view Ald. Worth endorsed.

It may be remarked that the County Council and some of the townships have evidenced a deep interest in this highway question. It has been discussed at several sessions and the Reeves are conversant with the provisions of the Highways Act. They have not been entirely inactive, but arrived at a decision to defer actual organization until the war is over. Then, they believe, the money now contributed for patriotic purposes may be diverted to building good roads. The ratepayers will have become accustomed to the increased taxes, and if the present tentative plan can be, as it were, automatically effected an extensive good roads system could be readily financed without a suggestion of new burdens added to the tax rate.

Hence if the City Council is prepared to move for a good roads system, they will likely find the County Council willing to co-operate.

AUTOS SPLASH MUD ON BRIDGE

Ald. Smith reported complaints from ladies that they had been splashed with mud cast up by automobiles speeding over the Hunter Street bridge. He suggested that signs be placed at either end of the bridge requiring automobiles to slow down to about six miles an hour.

RE A SENATORSHIP.

It was suggested that some action should be taken to remind the Federal Government of Peterborough's claims to a senatorship. Ald. Stratton added that seven new senators had been appointed at the week end. Mayor Duffus stated that Capt. Burnham, M.P., had intimated that the Government was too busily engaged with more weighty questions, Ald. Smith asked whether there was any personal reason behind Capt. Burnham's intimation, but the subject was dropped at that point.

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A resolution passed by the Council of London, Ont., was endorsed as follows:

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Despite the fine performance of Otis Skinner in 'Mister Antonio" here the other night, Mr. Ruggeri and his friends have determined that the organ grinder can find more useful work. He is wasting his time, says the president, and his woman companion constantly is subject to insult. Hence, to uphift the standing of the Italian people in the State, one of its traditional occupations must go.

"Nobody in Italy plays the grind organ," to-day said Mr. Ruggeri. "Only lazy fellows here play the organ. It makes the women cheap to go in the saloons. That's one of the reasons why they all call us 'wops.'

"And, besides, this hand organ makes rotten music. It don't play Verdi, Mascagni, Puccini—no, only popular, airs, and even those it plays out of tune."

Sugar Apportioning Not Settled in France

Census of Population will be Necessary First.

PARIS, Jan. 23.—The question of sugar cards is still agitating the authorities of Paris and the department of the Seine.

Although it was proposed to put these tickets into circulation some time ago, it was suddenly discovered that a census of the population would first be necessary.

This will cost $40,000, and will involve considerable labour. The new regime will be delayed considerably if it becomes effective at all.

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Seal Tight — Something specially good—quality the best—in airtight per oelain Sealshipt Cans.

Full assortment of

LAKE and SEA FISH

Winter caught. A trial order will convince you they are sound and fresh.

APPLES

A variety of good Canadian Apples at from $3 to $5 per barrel.

FRESH FRUITS

Oranges and Tangerines
Grape Fruit and Lemons
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Lettuce, Celery, Sweet Potatoes.
Carrots, Etc.

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376 George Phones 18 & 19

"AMID THE ROAR OF WORLD'S ARTILLERY FATE WILL SEAL DESTINY OF GERMAN RULER"

So Declares Prof. Fortier, of Montreal, in His Predictions For the Year—Greece, Norway and Holland Will Be Coming into the Conflict

The German Emperor will not live to see the end of the war; Villa will die before September 15, and into the frightful vortex Greece, Norway, and Holland will be drawn."

So declares Prof. L. J. Fortier of Montreal, in his prophecies for this year. "But the covenant of peace shall rise out of a sea of blood."

The following prophecies are given that we may all think wisely, act nobly in these tragic hours. "Where there is no vision the people perish." The volution of humanity to the full flower of the divine brotherhood is in process. The world is not slipping into chaos, Christianity is not crumbling, nor civilization dropping into oblivion. A golden era is unfolding, the glory of which shall fill the whole earth.

The Kings of earth and their armies are gathered together to make war, the nations are filled with the wine of wrath and nation shall rise against nation, but the end is not yet. He that leadeth into captivity, he that killeth with the sword shall be killed by the sword and God shall scatter the people that delight in war. Wisdom is better than weapons of war, by the sword thou shalt live to serve thy brother, and when thou shalt have dominion thou shalt break the yoke off his neck. Then shall thy dwelling be the fatness of the earth, with the dew of heaven, and thou shalt behold the tabernacle of God is with men and He shall dwell with them and they shall be His people and He shall be their God."

America Cannot Save Herself.

"The fires of war are melting off from humanity the fetters of tradition burning away the barriers of racial prejudice, consuming the dross of militarism and materialism, fusing a new world brotherhood. Customs, creeds, cruelty are passing. Vision, faith, service are rising full robed. This cataclysm of nations is the soul of humanity shattering its chrysalis into a diviner freedom. Amid the crash of empires a new civilization is being born. The calvary of civilization is being enacted. But the end is not yet. The flame of war is to encircle the earth. Nation is to rise against nation: The world's war is to be fulfilled. Into the frightful vortex Greece, Norway and Holland will be drawn, and Sweden rent with strife. The great shocks of war are yet to come. The tribunal of Governments has set, the vintage of nations is gathered, the blood from the wine press of this war shall cleanse the heart of the world, and shall become the everlasting covenant of peace. There was an ultimate hour when America could have saved this world tragedy, now she cannot save herself from it.

Villa to Die Soon.

The United States, by force of arms will again enter Mexico, and will establish a provisional government. Carranza and his regime will pass away. Villa will not be alive on September 15. A relative of a former ruler will rise to prominence in the new government. This new order in Mexico will open an El Dorado for American capital and enterprise beyond the Utopian dreams of the most sanguine, "the fatness of the earth and the dew of heaven." United States faces an international crisis. Startling defiance of American rights, violation of agreements, and the imperilling of American citizens will arise. Plots of violence against those high in authority will be discovered. The somnolent conscience of America will be awakened. Her sword will be drawn, not to kill nor destroy, but to give life and to serve her brother nations. She shall rise to dominion and shall break the yoke of oppression off the neck of the crushed and defenceless, she shall stay the sword that killeth and set free those in captivity. America is the vision of God, her people shall not perish, but shall restore the wasted nations and rebuild the cities of desolation.

Kaiser to be Slain.

"Again I declare that the German Emperor will not live to see the end of this war: amid the roar of the world's artillery, fate shall seal his destiny as a mighty king of battles. Deep sorrows will shadow his royal family. The Royal circles of Russia Italy, Greece and Spain suffer. The ruler of Prussia and the Ottoman Empire shall pass with the close of the war. The thrones of the far East will be shaken.

Overtures of peace have failed, they shall fail until the will of God shall rule the conscience of nations. Nations cannot make peace with war in their hearts. This war is a disillusionment of the world that might makes right, the rebuke of nations that lift the sword to kill and that lead into captivity. In the first cycle of the year United States will be profoundly aroused. She will offer her sovereign blood at the altars of universal sacrifice.

STILL NO PEACE.

No neutral nation shall mediate peace, the covenant of peace shall rise out of a sea of blood. It will not restore former systems encumbered with human injustice. This war will not divide the world, it will unite it: the out-pouring of the blood of millions is not Godless chaos, but divine cosmos. It is not to patch up an old-world but to bring the glory of nations into a new world. It is not to turn back the march of human progress but is an eternal purpose setting forward the hodege of time.

Expedient peace plans will be numerous, but they will mean revolution, a severer chastisement and deeper humiliation. Nations will lay down their arms as the leaves of another autumn fall, but lasting peace is not indexed before 1919. A peace that redeems, atones and justifies.

FURIOUS NAVAL FIGHTING.

Great naval activity among the war fleets of Europe will come in the early part of the year, decisive battles will be fought and naval warfare undergo many changes. Look for a titantic policy of aggressiveness on the part of England. The fusion of young blood into new methods. The army and navy of United States will undergo drastic changes, there will be opposition and strife in the war circles of their government. A stormy cycle is index for their President in the first four months. Cabinet changes will come. Congress will be reactionary. Labor legislation will be disappointing. Strikes and riots add to the government's burden. Those high in authority will be in peril. Great agitation will shock the nation. But over against this will be immense business enterprise, high markets, enormous transportations, and a swelling prosperity. Money will be simply poured out in all directions. Great revenues will be raised by the government.

Hard Year for States.

The year will bring acute tension in United States foreign relations. Japan will aggressively plan against America. Look for a coalition between Japan, Russia and Germany. United States will see the need of a strong agreement with England and France. Deep concern will be felt for their foreign trade and active measures will be taken by congress to conserve it. A broad protective policy against foreign invasion of their industrial market will arouse strong opposition. The first hundred days will be an index of the year. Look for a world sensation in which United States will be the central figure. The trend of the stock market will be downward. There will be tremendous activity in securities. A great year of advantage in land deals. Shipping will take on great activity. Copper, cotton, coal and general products will be high. America will bestow enormous gifts for the relief of war sufferers.

Good Year for Farmers.

New England will be greatly favored by the continued wave of prosperity. Mills and factories on full time. A fine year for farmers. Deep snows in January and February index an excellent maple sugar season. The season will be rather late. Little rain fall is indexed for the year; farmers should sow and plant along the low lands. Drouth will effect the west and south. Crops should be put in early as late summer will be hot and dry. Sudden, violent storms are indexed, with high winds. Heavy storms are shown for the last half of January, the third week in February and the first half of March. Shipping and transportation will suffer. February, April and July are the dark months of the year; intense magnetic bands encircle the earth agitations, strikes, riots crime and epidemic likely to appear. The idea of March are dark for America.

The railroads systems of United States will show enormous earnings. Transportation and traffic will overtax all facilities. Look for important changes in management. Steel and iron mills will have a year of tremendous business. Labor unrest will be absorbed by high wages. All manufacturing interest will take on new life. Prosperity that has been in heaps, will spread out into numerous channels. Commodities and merchandise will be in demand at high prices. The automobile industry will reap a harvest. Cotton and woollen mills will find a broadening market. The cotton crop will be favoured. The west will have a great yield of corn. An abundant fruit season is indexed. There will be a boom in land, farm and general real estate.

Preparedness Budget.

Congress of United States will pass a great war budget for preparedness. The declaration of war by United States is sure to come it will be received by the people with the enthusiasm of a holiday festivity. The resilient and elastic temperament of America is unprecedented in the world.

The swiftness and directness of United States preparation and action will astound the nations. Young blood and new methods will perdominate. Health and recreation resorts in United States will have a long and prosperous season. Extended period of intense heat will make mountain and seashore resorts popular. The great abundance of money will make the season gay with festivities. Yachting, polo racing and baseball will have record-breaking seasons. Sports and games everywhere will win abounding enthusiasm.

Great religious activity will abound. Churches will reorganize, will unite and cast aside old method of work. War agitation and preparation will augment religious fervor. Creed barriers will disappear, unity, harmony, co-operation will abound. Human suffering will bring forth a deeper human sympathy. Religious bodies will achieve brilliant and decisive victional institutions will be greatly favoured. A new national interest will develop in schools and colleges.

Wonderful inventions will appear, electrical science will go forward by leaps and bounds. America will finance the reconstruction of the world. The army and navy of England, the army of France and the forces of Italy will achieve brilliant and decisive victories. Destructive earthquakes are indexed in the first and third cycle of the year for Japan, Italy and America. Sea disasters will sadden Germany, England and America."

Spain Will Punish Pro-German Press

LEGAL PROCEEDINGS ORDERED AGAINST NEWSPAPERS.

MADRID, January, 23.—The judicial authorities have begun proceedings against Germanophile papers under instructions from the ministry. Actions have been begun against the Espana Nueva, the Correo Espanol the Commentrios and El Diario, of Madrid.

El Sonscialista was seized by the police on Thursday.

If Stomach Hurts Drink Hot Water

A PHYSICIAN'S ADVICE

"In dyspepsia, sufferers from gas, wind of flatulence, stomach acidity or sourness, gastric catarrh, heartburn, etc., would take a teaspoonful of pure bisurated magnesia in half a glass of hot water immediately after eating, they would soon forget they were ever afflicted with stomach trouble, and doctors would have to look elsewhere for patients." In explanation of these words a well known New York Physician stated that most forms of stomach trouble are due to stomach acidity and fermentation of the food contents of the stomach combined with an insufficient blood supply to the stomach. Hot water increases the blood supply and bisurated magnesia instantly neutralizes the excessive stomach acid and stops food fermentation, the combination of the two, therefore, being marvellously successful and decidedly preferable to the use of artificial digestants, stimulants, or medicines for indigestion.

TULLY'S

Reduced Groceries

Help to keep down the high cost of living. Here are a few cut prices for To-morrow.

Delicious Coffee, reg. 45c for ..38c
Fine Flavored Figs, reg 15c 2 for 24c
Good Dairy Butter 44c
Brit. Col. Salmon, 2 tins for....35c
Evaporated Peaches 15c
McLaren's Jelly Powder, 3 pkgs. 25c

Plenty of other lines at economical prices and small profits. Order early.

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Cor. Georgs & Simcoe Sts.

$ DOLLAR $ DAY $

THE EXAMINER DOLLAR DAY

The Day when the Dollar Bill talks louder in Peterboro Stores than any other day in the year. This Year it will be held on

THURSDAY, JAN. 25

About 50 of the principal stores in the City are participating, and are busy preparing the best list of bargains they can possibly find in their splendid stocks, and shoppers will certainly appreciate the extremely varied offerings such a large array of stores will assure. As usual the big list of Cash Bonuses is a liberal one, as the Merchants are giving away

CASH $175 PRIZES

This money will be Given Away in this way:—With every Dollar Purchase on that day, an Estimating Blank will be given to the purchaser. You will fill in your name and address, and a number representing your estimate on the following question.

Estimate the Number of these Blanks that will be filled in and dropped into the Ballot Box at "The Examiner Office" by 10:15 p.m. on Dollar Day.

The nearest correct estimate will be awarded the 1st Prize of $25; 2nd $20; 3rd $15 and so on.

56 CASH PRIZES

Nearest correct estimate, 1st prize	$25.00
Next nearest Correct estimate, 2nd prize	20.00
Next nearest Correct estimate, 3rd prize	15.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 4th prize	10.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 5th prize	10.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 6th prize	5.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 7th prize	5.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 8th prize	5.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 9th prize	5.00
Next nearest Correct estimate, 10th prize	5.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 11th prize	5.00
Next 5 nearest correct estimates, 5 prizes, each	3.00
Next 10 nearest correct estimates, 10 prizes, each	2.00
Next 30 nearest correct estimates, 30 prizes, each	1.00

For your guidance in estimating, we might say that The Examiner is printing and distributing to the Merchants, for use on Dollar Day, 30,000 blanks, and it is only necessary to estimate what number each purchaser thinks will be used on the great day. Should any store run short of blanks, The Examiner will print more, so that the number printed might reach as high as 50,000. The number of estimates put in the last $ Day Campaign was in the neighbourhood of 9,000. With this information, an estimate can be made before coming to town. Of course as many estimates can be made as the purchaser has blanks, and they will get one with every Dollar purchase they make.

Make up your mind what and where you want to buy and come to Peterborough on Thursday, January 25th, expecting the greatest economy shopping event of your lives.

Railway Rates

Parties of Ten coming from any point in Peterboro County on Thursday, January 25th, Dollar Day, can secure a rate of fare and one-third by making application to their local station agent.

See the List of Stores which will be Printed Complete, and Watch their windows and Special Announcements just previous to Dollar Day.

You can recognize all the Stores where DOLLAR SPECIALS are being given by the RED LETTERED PENNANTS IN THEIR WINDOWS.

TO-MORROW ALL OUR

BEST SILK, SERGE

AND

VELVET DRESSES

Will be marked for a vigorous clearance for the January Clearance Sale.

You will be astonished at the values. No wonder! When have you seen such stylish, desirable garments at such low prices? Qualities are up to our usual high standard and values at original prices were the best obtainable! Think what values you are getting now that prices are greatly reduced. Economical women will appreciate the opportunities to save that we offer!

These dresses will go fast at our January Clearance prices. Come early to-morrow for the best choice.

HERE ARE A FEW OF THEM:

$20.00 Duchess Satin $16.50

In Navy Blue Duchess Satin with white Georgette Crepe front and collar. Finished with soft girdle, and covered buttons and loops. Regular $20.00. January Clearance Sale 16.50

$25.00 Duchess Satin Dress $19.50

Made of Russian Green Duchess Satin, with long peplum. Soft girdle with silver ornament. Dainty white Georgette collar. Regular $25.00. January Clearance Sale..... 19.50

$35.00 Charmeuse and Velvet Dress $27.50

Made of Brown Charmeuse Silk and Velvet. In the long straight lines and loose panels. Trimmed with beaver fur and champagne silk collar and cuffs. Fastened down the back with brass buttons. Regular $35.00. January Clearance Sale 27.50

$40.00 Charmeuse Silk Dress $29.50

Made of beautiful quality Charmeuse Silk in plum shade, with large black velvet collar, trimmed with silk fringe, and skirt trimmed with wide velvet band and silk fringe. Sash girdle. Regular $40.00. January Clearance Sale 29.50

RICHARD HALL & SON LIMITED

Reeve Brown, of Asphodel, the New Warden of County

Reeve Max Brown of Asphodel was elected Warden of the County of Peterborough this afternoon at the opening of the January session of the County Council. It was an unanimous choice, indicative of the Council's confidence in the Reeve of Asphodel. County Clerk Elliott presided during the usual preliminary and received Mr. W. A. Anderson's motion, seconded by Mr. F. McKee, nominating Mr. Brown as successor to C. J. Darling, in the Wardenship for 1917.

After taking the oath of office Warden Brown thanked the Council for the honour conferred upon him and particularly for the manner in which it was conveyed. "I ask you to give me your he.. this year," he continued "and with your assistance I am sure we will succeed as in former years.

COMPOSITION OF COUNCIL

The personnel of the Council is as follows:

Fred McKee—Smith.
Geo. Nicholls (deputy)—Smith.
W E. Griffith—Belmont.
M. Walsh—Douro.
H. B. Rye—Monaghan.
J. H. Bell (deputy)—Monaghan.
Fred Eason (deputy)—Otonabee.
John Young—Ennismore.
H. G. Fitzgerald—Lakefield.
C. J. Darling—Dummer.
Wm. Mathison—Havelock.
Robert Ingram—Harvey.
Jonathan Clark—Galway and Cavendish.
Norman Lean—Burleigh and Anstruther.
F. J. Bullied—Chandos.
M. Brown—Asphodel.
Bert Squire—Norwood.

STANDING COMMITTEE.

The Council with Reeve Fitzgerald as chairman was appointed to strike the standing committees for the new year resulting as follows:

County Property—Messrs. Anderson (chairman), McKee, Eason, Squire, Nicholls, Matheson, Ingram, Fitzgerald, Young, Bullied, Clark, Rye, Walsh and Bell.

Appointments—Messrs. Matheson, (chairman), Ingram, Rye, McKee, Matheson, Walsh, Lean, Clark Anderson, Griffith, Bullied.

Roads and Bridges—The whole Council, Mr. Bullied chairman.

Schools—The whole Council, Mr. Griffith chairman.

Petitions—Messrs. Young (chairman), Matheson, Clark, Lean, Eason, Walsh, Fitzgerald, Darling, Griffith and Nicholls.

Printing—Messrs. McKee, chairman, Darling, Clark, Walsh, Squire, McKee, Rye, Ingram, Anderson, Nicholls and Bullied.

Finance—The whole Council, Mr. Squire chairman.

Equalization and Assessment—The whole Council, Mr. Fitzgerald chairman.

Joint Committee—Messrs. Rye, chairman, Young, Eason, Ingram, Fitzgerald, Squire, Nicholls, Griffith, Matheson, Bullied and Clark.

Legislative and Railway—Messrs. Lean chairman, Ingram, Nicholls, Darling, Squire, Bell, Bullied, Griffith and Rye.

House of Refuge—Messrs. Walsh, chairman, Eason and Warden Brown.

WARDEN'S EXPERIENCE.

Warden Brown has just completed his fifth year with the County Council and begins his sixth term with the distinction of a wardenship. He has been a member of Asphodel township Council for twelve years, is well versed in municipal affairs and knows the needs of the County in detail.

Dollar Day Specials

Space will not permit us to itemize our bargain list, but we are offering extraordinary bargains, in all lines of our stock—Furs, Men's Hats and Caps and Children's Headwear of all descriptions.

If you want the best Values in the City, visit our store on Dollar Day.

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VOICES

By Canadian Overseas

The voices came to him, interruptedly at odd moments, unexpectedly. In the middle of the night he would wake suddenly, thinking that some one had called him, sharply. In the midst of a conversation he would have the feeling that a door had been opened and would have confused sentences and isolated words. Out of doors the noise of traffic, the roar of trains, and even the clatter of the restaurant failed to drown these mysterious haunting sounds. He was always conscious of voices.

He had been sent home to recuperate from the ceaseless din of guns and shells, but he was gradually getting worse. In spite of all he did his trouble grew. For hours, perhaps, he would be blessedly free; then, without a moment's warning, the deadly mumble would begin, and he would have to listen, bewildered and distraught. The voices would go on for hours, and then, with their cessation, would come exhaustion and the boon of sleep. But from sleep he was certain to be roused abruptly and pitilessly by the sudden utterance of his name.

He began to feel the meaning of terror, that dread of the unknown; something which cannot be fought, or beaten off. He feared the end, the awful, lonely imprisonment with others, who were also — mad.

In one of his infrequent periods of release, when the voices were silent, he thought out a plan — a defiant plan to outwit the noises. He would answer them, give them a loud reply; shout them down; show them that he was not afraid of them.

During the day he pondered over it, and when twilight fell and darkness deepened he knew he would hear them soon. He fell asleep. But he woke with a jerk. He heard his name ringing loudly through the room, and the infernal gabble of voices began at once. He heard among them echoes of sardonic laughter. He sat upright in bed, his heart thumping. The nurse came softly, but quickly, raised the light, and put her hand on his brow, gently: "What is it?" she said gently. "The voices again? Don't listen to them, try to sleep." But he took no notice of her.

"Hullo!" he shouted. "Yes; I am here; what do you want? Tell me!" Instantly there was silence; a hush so sweet with hopes that the sudden relief almost overpowered him. He flung himself forward on the bed, listening, listening, but no sound from his brain disturbed the stillness; he heard only the comfortable little sounds of the room—the slight noises of the fire, the tranquil tone of the nurse, the soft swaying of the window curtains in the breeze, the restful patter of the rain outside.

He laid his tired head on the pillow, smiling happily, the voices were gone, and he knew as he fell asleep that he had locked a mysterious door and they would not reach him again.

Canadian Overseas.

London, Dec., 1916.

Who Will Find That "G" On Gertrude's Leg?

WICHITA, Kan., Jan. 23.—The police of Wichita, as upright a body of night stick twiddlers as ever thrived in a prohibition State, nervously are seeking Gertrude Smith, wife of James of that ilk, who fled her bed and board in the Smith mansion at Augusta, Kan., several days ago.

James wants her and the two children she took with her to come back home, and he has asked the eagle eyed pavement pounders to find her. There is but little, he admits to distinguish Gertrude from other feminine Smiths, except one of her legs, on which in a moment of pride she had tattooed the initial "G." James says he is certain that if the good officers of the law will but examine a few lady Smith's legs they will run across a vagrant "G" and Gertrude.

Now, in Kansas, a great many innovations in politics, law and even police procedure are developed, but so far no policeman, not even the bachelors have volunteered to go alphabet seeking to find Gertrude and her tattooed leg.

In his plea to the police James neglected to give the exact latitude and longitude of the initial. That's the most interesting topic of discussion these quiet Wichita evenings around Police Headquarters.

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1220 Patients Were Treated in Nicholls Hospital Last Year

Largest Number of Patients in History of Local Institution in Past 1916—Annual Meeting Was Held Yesterday.

COMMITTEES CHOSEN

The annual meeting of the Nicholls Hospital Trust was held in the Dominion Bank Chambers on Monday, January 22nd, 1916, at 4 p.m.

There were present W. H. Hill, R. Fair, W. Madill, Thos. Brown, John McClelland, E. B. Fowler, Dr. Malcolm McCulloch and Wm. Aldridge.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

In the absence of the Chairman, Mr. Richard Hall, through illness, Mr. W. H. Hill was voted to the chair.

The statement of receipts and expenditures to the end of the statutory year, Sept. 30th, 1916, was presented by the Secretary-Treasurer, Mr. Crane, as follows:

Expenditure.	
Dietary	$7,736.44
Drugs and medicine	1,847.14
Surgical appliances	1,534.63
House furnishings	1,167.43
Fuel	3,188.98
Salaries and wages	8-817.10
Repairs	954.80
Light and power	660.01
Cleaning	168.48
Water and ice	218.00
Taxes and insurance	204.75
Printing and stationery	155.60
Other expenses not enum'ed	401.41
Applied on account of new wing and equipment	6,256.50
Balance on hand	92,647.83
Total	$35,516.09
Receipts.	
Balance forward	$3,173.77
Government grant	1,593.40
City of Peterborough indigent account	1,273.00
Pay patients	19,284.63
Income from endowment	10,059.99
Other receipts	95.10
Total	$35,516.09

The report was received and referred to the City Auditor for verification.

The chairman said, in part: "The past year has been one of much activity at the Nicholls Hospital. During the year there were treated 1,220 patients, being 227 over that of the previous year, and constituting the largest number treated in the history of the Hospital. The establishment here of the 93rd Battalion was in some measure, responsible for the increase, but there is no doubt our people are becoming more and more appreciative of the advantages of our hospital in times of illness. We were also able to do considerable for the wives and dependents of those on active service, 'in which the medical call,' and enlisted for overseas serassisted materially in the work.

Early in the year our Lady Superintendent, Miss Beamish, heard the call," and enlisted for overseas service. Our last reports are that she is well and pursuing her work in the neighbourhood of Salonika. Miss Sanderson has carried on the Superintendent's duties with much acceptance, and at a time when the demands made upon her were heavy, and of a trying nature. She has been ably assisted by Miss Howson, as Assistant Superintendent. The nursing staff throughout is efficient and capable.

The medical staff has, with commendable zeal, done much to further the efficiency of the Hospital. The lectures and instructions to the nursing staff are highly important, and are faithfully contributed without remuneration. The medical staff is doing much to make the hospital deservedly popular.

The Board should, in the near future, look into the advisability of providing more adequate quarters for the nursing staff.

Instructions have been given to install fire hose permanently to the hydrant outside the hospital, and every precaution is being taken to safeguard those entrusted to our care.

The Provincial Inspector, in a recent visit, spoke very highly of existing conditions and complimented all concerned on the general excellence of the institution.

A committee composed of Dr. McCulloch, W. Madill, R. Fair, Jno. McClelland and E. B. Fowler was appointed to strike the standing committees for the year. The committee reported as follows, the report being adopted:

Supervision — B. F. Ackerman, (Chairman), R. Fair, W. Madill.

Finance — Dr. McCulloch (Chairman); E. B. Fowler, Thos. Brown.

Property—W. Aldridge (Chairman) Jno. McClelland, B. F. Ackerman.

The Chairman and Honorary Secretary being ex-officio members of the above committees:

Visiting—

January and July—Messrs. E. A. Peck and R. Fair.

February and August—Messrs. G. A. Gobeen and the Mayor.

March and September—Messrs. R. Neill and W. Aldridge.

April and October — Messrs. J. Green and Thos. Brown.

May and November—Messrs. W. Madill and E. B. Fowler.

June and December—Dr. McCullough and B. F. Ackerman.

On motion of Dr. McCulloch, seconded by Mr. R. Fair, the Secretary was instructed to express to Mr. Hall, Chairman of the Board, the appreciation felt by the Board for his many years of faithful service in the interest of the hospital; their regret at his inability to be present, and their hope that he would soon recover from illness.

The Board adjourned.

Keen Contest In Manvers Tp. For Wardenship

In Manvers it is expected that Reeve Armstrong will be elected as Warden of the Counties of Durham and Northumberland. Mr. Armstrong has a good following in the County Council and from reports he makes an excellent municipal governor.

Reeve R. Doake, of Millbrook, is also spoken of as a likely aspirant; also Reeves Stephens and Stanley, of Darlington.

The County Council will meet at Cobourg on Tuesday, January 23rd inst., and from accounts here is a lively time at the election each year.

When Mr. Joseph Hickson was elected to the honourable position he received 30 votes, which was electing him by a unanimous vote of the Council. It has often taken two days to settle the matter.

RETIRED FARMERS SHOULD COME BACK

Would Solve Shortage of Farm Labour Situation, Thinks Major Campbell.

OTTAWA, Jan. 23.—"If retired farmers would go back to the land, I feel that the scarcity of help on farms would be greatly decreased," said Major G. I. Campbell, chief recruiting officer for this division.

"In Ontario we have hundreds of retired farmers, who could render greater help to the cause than by subscribing money. There are many who are fit for several years of hard work. If they could be persuaded to go back to the land the output of grain and other necessities would be increased."

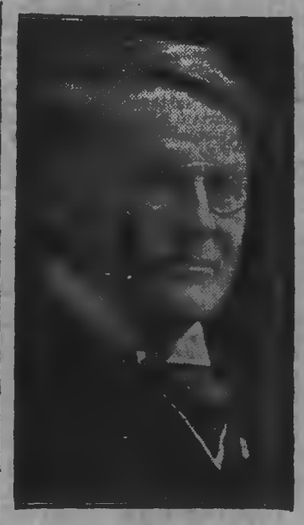
That returned soldiers could be placed on the farms and receive instructions which would help them if the Government set aside land tracts for the soldiers, is the contention of another officer of the Headquarters Staff. There are many hundred returned soldiers in the division and although they might not be able to do the heavier work, their efforts would be much appreciated on the farms.

Voice of The People

Correspondence under this heading, containing or involving attacks on individuals or violent or extreme statements, must be signed with writer's real name, the owner of which thus assumes the responsibility.

Dear Sir: I wish to correct the statement which appeared in The Examiner on Saturday, January 13th, stating that Thomas Gorman had sold his house on Reid street. Now, Thos. Gorman did not own that house to sell. I sold that house, now occupied by Mr. Gorman.

P. J. Carroll,
270 King Street.



SIR CHARLES HIBBERT TUPPER

Of Vancouver, who has been elected a Director of the Crown Life Insurance Company.

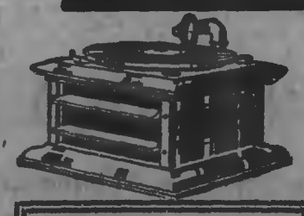
PILSEN BREWERIES STOP BREWING BEER

AMSTERDAM, via London, Jan. 23.—The Pilsen breweries have ceased work, according to a report received by the Nieue Rotterdamsche Courant.

TRY GASTINE WITH YOUR GASOLINE

Gastine is used with your gasoline. A tablet to a gallon. Put it in your tank. It gives you more power, faster ignition; an easier hill-climbing car; better sparking motor; removes and prevents carbon; will not injure your motor; car will run better in cold weather; used by several armies at the front; can be used in automobiles, stationary gasoline engines, motor trucks, motor boats, motor cycles and aeroplanes. Price one dollar per box—hundred tablets. Try it. Get a free sample, number limited. The Gastine Co., Bridgeton, N.J., or Duffus Garage, Simcoe street. 4d-18

DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS



$1 Down

Puts a "CONQUEROR" GRAPHONOLA in your home. Balance of the $15.00 at $1.00 a week. You can add 8 Records to the outfit on same terms.

CUSTOMERS Make your payments on DOLLAR DAY and get an estimating blank for each $ paid.

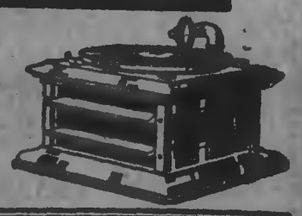
One dollar down on Dollar Day will put one of these splendid Columbia Graphonolas in your home

Choice of Two Fine Outfts on Easy Terms

THE CONQUEROR Outfit is so good, that we are willing to put one in your home on Dollar Day with only a payment of One Dollar Down, and balance $1.00 weekly. We will take the machine back at its full value, $15.00, within six months, if you wish to exchange it on a Cabinet Graphonola.

THE METEOR is the biggest $30.00 value in a talking machine on the market. It will play 10 or 12-inch records, and is an astonishing entertainer. One Dollar Down brings it to your home on Dollar Day, balance of the $20.00 payable at $1.00 a week.

RECORDS TO GO WITH THE OUTFITS — Columbia double face disc records, only 85c, give the finest selections by the world's foremost artists. You may select eight selections to go with the Conqueror outfit at 85c each, or ten selections to go with the Meteor outfit, the value to be added to the price of the machine chosen, but the terms on the full outfit to remain the same — $1.00 down, and $1.00 a week till paid, if bought on Dollar Day, at



$1 Down

Puts a "METEOR" GRAPHONOLA in your home on Dollar Day. Pay the balance of the $20.00 at $1.00 a week. You can add 10 Records to the outfit on same terms.

The J. M. GREENE MUSIC CO., Limited

GREENE MUSIC BUILDING - - - - - CHARLOTTE STREET

586th Bargain Annex Event — **Wednesday, Jan. 24th, 1917**

Bargain Annex
Registered

Leader. 90c Heavy Corduroy Velvet 59c yard

Fully 27 inches wide, and a most excellent quality. Sells every day in the regular stock for 90c yard. Can be had in the following colours: Navy, Grey, Copenhagen, Green and Brown. Wednesday's Annex Leader price will be, yard **59c**

Odd Lines "Wide" Silk and Satin Ribbons 12½c yard

We are clearing these regular stock lines of wide Duchess Satin and Silk Taffeta Ribbons. Lines that have been sold down to a few pieces or are being discontinued. Good selections of colours. Reg. values up to 25c yard. Rush Selling Annex Sale, yard **12½c**

$1.25 Bedspreads 89c each

Imported White Spread. Heavy quality. Size 63 x 80 inches. Sell regularly at $1.25, and at that price the value is excellent. Annex Leader price will be **89c**

Yard Wide 18c Curtain Muslins 12½c

This shipment of Floral Curtain Muslins arrived but recently. Colours are Blue, Green and Yellow, on Cream ground. 36 inches wide. ..... Annex price, yard **12½c**

2 and 3 Ply Canadian Factory Yarn 95c lb.

Splendid quality 2 and 3-ply Canadian Knitting Yarns. Colours are Black, Light and Dark Grey. A yarn that is costing more at the mill. Regular $1.25 value. Annex, lb. **95c**

Leader. New Spring Shipment. 18c White Indian Head Suiting 14½c yard

Our Special "A" quality Indian Head Suiting. Pure bleach. 32 inches wide. Suitable for Suits, Skirts, Middies, etc. Worth regularly 18c yard. Leader price, yard **14½c**

TWO "TIME LIMIT" SALES

White Flannelette

From 8:15 to 9:15 Morning — From 1:30 to 2:30 Afternoon

ONLY SOLD DURING THESE HOURS

Six hundred yards White Flannelette. Splendid weight, 27 inches wide. Our regular stock 15c value. Time Limit Sale. Leader, yard **10c**
No 'phone orders and not more than ten yards to one customer.

$1.60 'Lakeside' Flannelette Blankets $1.39 pair

White only; either pink or blue borders. Size 64 by 76. A quality blanket that is well worth $1.60. Wednesday Annex price will be, pair **1.39**

Bleached Steamloom 8½c yard

"Monarch Cotton." Full bleach. Soft longcloth finish. Bought nine months ago. The Annex price is less than to-day's actual mill cost. Annex, yard **8½c**

50c Habutai Wash Silks 39c yard

Here is an opportunity to purchase a Wash Silk that can be used in a multitude of ways. Obtainable in colours of Cream, Black and White. Regular price is is 50c yard. ..... Annex Leader, yard **39c**

See the New Wash Materials — The CRESSMAN Company Limited — *See the Spring Dress Goods*

Leader. 15c 40 inch Factory Cotton 11½c yard

Six hundred yards clean, firm Factory Cotton. Full 40 inches wide. At the old values it is a 15c line. To-day it is really worth 18c. One Annex Sale only at this price. ..... Leader, yard **11½c**

15c Coat Hangers 5c each 6 for 25c

Two hundred Polished Wood Coat Hangers. Many have inside skirt or trouser bars. Strong and durable. Will last a life-time. Sell regularly 15c. Should be bought by the half dozen at the Wednesday Annex price of 5c Each, or ..... 6 for **25c**

48c Brown Terry Bath Towels 34c pair

Brown Terry Bath Towels. Red and white centres and borders; fringed ends. Size 18 x 43 inches. Regular value 48c pair. Annex, pair **34c**

Women's $1.00 Sample Blouses 59c

These blouses are a factory sample lot. Sell regularly for $1.00. Styles for Spring are included in the lot. Some need pressing, but are not soiled. ..... Annex price, each **59c**

18c yard wide Nainsook 14½c yard

An Imported Nainsook. Full yard wide and sells regularly for 18c yard. Nice fine quality. Will make splendid undergarments Wednesday Annex price will be, yard **14½c**

Leader. 20 Pieces 65c, 59c and 50c Dress Goods 39c yard

An excellent selection of many new lines, plain and fancy weave Dress Goods, in a good range of "wanted" colours. Regular stock values 65c and 60c, and a few at 55c and 50c. All one price for the Annex. Leader, yard **39c**

Park Street Baptist Sunday School Has Passed 200 Mark

Annual Distribution of Prizes Took Place on Sunday—Miss Rose Theobald Has Not Missed One Sunday in Four Years--Financial Year a Success.

Sunday was a red-letter day in connection with the Park Street Baptist Sunday School, when the prizes were distributed to those scholars who were present fifty Sundays and over.

Four years ago the Robert Raiker diploma system was adopted by the school, and each year this is followed up by adding different seals, according to number of years to each scholar's credit. It is also customary to present each scholar with the first year's record, with a well-bound Testament. Those with two years, with a good book, and those with three years, with a better book, and this year Miss Rose Theobald, who has not missed a Sunday in four years, was presented with a beautiful bound book of Tennyson's poems besides receiving the fourth year seal on the certificate. Rev. Mr. Brown presented the prizes as follows:

Those present 50 Sundays and over for 1916, eighteen, as follows:

Percy Luffman, Gordon Thomas, Miss J. Nichols, Herbert Tranter, Muriel Thomas, Gladys Thomas, Ena Whitley, Nellie Lemon, Garfield Whatley, Iva Whatley, Viola Tranter, Blanche Panter, Winnie Atkinson, Mrs. A. Fallis, Mr. Geo. Whatley, Mr. Wm. Saunders, Mr. F. A. D. Fry, Mr. A. Fallis.

Those present two years, 50 Sundays and over, were the following twelve scholars: Doris Veenman, James Batley, Geo. Batley, Ethel Reynolds, Rennie Fallis, Ethel Theobald, Miss Elsie Fallis, Ivy Veeman, Fred Reynolds, Dorothy White, Miss Nellie Fallis, Ethel White.

Those present three years, 50 Sundays and over, were the following three, Alberta Sloan, Mabel Theobald, Maggie Shepherdson.

Those present four years and never absent: Miss Rose Theobald.

Successful Financial Year.

The past year has been a most successful one in the Sunday School receipts being $400.15; expenditures, with next six months' supplies paid for, $389.65, leaving a balance on hand of $11.50.

Average attendance for past year being 181. The attendance during the past three months is running over 200.

The annual election of officers took place recently and resulted as follows:

Superintendent—Mr. F. A. D. Fry.
Asst. Superintendent — Mr. Wm. Saunders.
Sec.-Treasurer—Mr. O. S. Matchett.
Asst. Secretary—Mr. Herbert Tranter.
Librarian — Mr. Willie Bullied.
Asst. Librarian—Mr. Rennie Fallin.
Supt. Home Dept.—Mrs. J. Shiner.
Supt. Cradle Roll — Mrs. R. Wright
Organist—Miss Norma Moore.
Teachers—Mrs. (Rev.) Brown, Mrs. A. Nichols, Mrs. Wm. Saunders, Mrs. R. Wright, Mrs. O. S. Matchett, Mrs. A. Fallis, Mrs. Eakin, Mrs. Babcock, Miss Elsie Fallis, Miss N. Fallis, Miss T. Hill, Miss J. Nichols, Rev. (Mr.) Brown, Mr. Sellen, Mr. Wm. Saunders, Mr. C. Barrie, Mr. W. Moore, Mr. Neil Porter.

A cordial invitation is extended to every one to attend the Park Street Baptist Sunday School, which meets every Sunday at 3 p.m.

ROSS RIFLE CONDEMNED BY HAIG AND FRENCH

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secure the real facts in regard to the way the rifle met actual service conditions.

General Haig's Report.

Then, in response to the various communications to the War Office through Sir George Perley, the report of Sir Douglas Haig, May 28, 1916, was produced. This reads:

"I have the honour to inform you that I have satisfied myself after extensive inquiries carried throughout the Canadian corps, that as a service rifle the Ross rifle is less trustworthy than the Lee-Enfield, and that the majority of the men armed with the Ross rifles have not the confidence in it that it is so essential they should possess. The inquiry on which these conclusions are based was the outcome of an urgent application from a battalion on the 3rd Canadian Division for rearmament with the short Lee-Enfield rifle, and in consequence of a high percentage of jam experienced with their Ross rifles during a hostile attack on the 1st of May, 1916.

"(2) I am accordingly of the opinion that the 2nd and 3rd Canadian Divisions should be rearmed with the short Lee-Enfield rifles. It will be remembered that the 1st Canadian Division was so rearmed on the 12th of June, 1915."

Second Report More Condemnatory.

Between the lines it is apparent that General French's condemnation of the Ross rifle was not nearly so conclusive as General Haig's. General French had attributed the troubles mainly to the ammunition, and had recommended the enlarging of the chambers with a view to obviate further jamming. This enlarging was done; then the rifles were given back to the troops. Some months later when the rifles were again called upon to stand the ordeal of battle they were found unsatisfactory, and General Haig finally took action to recall all of them. What Parliament will have to inquire into will evidently be: who was responsible for the enlarging of the chambers, and how it came about that the last condition of the rifle was much worse than the first.

Lee-Enfields Not Yet Made Here.

The correspondence further develops the fact that the War Office suggested to the Canadian Government on July 5, 1916, that it should go ahead with the manufacture of the improved Lee-Enfields as already being manufactured in the United States. Although six months have elapsed since that suggestion was made, and although the War Office notified the Canadian Government early in 1916 that there were not enough Lee-Enfields available to replace all the Ross rifles, no steps have apparently been taken yet to secure the manufacture in Canada of the new and improved arm by the established factory here.

Left to Commander-in-Chief.

On May 15, 1916, Sir R. L. Borden cabled to Sir Max Aitken to the effect that the Canadian Government would leave the question of the efficiency of the Ross rifle to the judgment of the Commander-in-chief. The cabled added: "It is the only arm we are equipped to produce in Canada at present, and we believe it effective if properly used. The Minister of Militia informs me that reports of recent official tests in England thoroughly demonstrate the efficiency of our rifle."

On June 5, 1916, Sir Robert Borden cabled to Sir George Perley, asking whether Great Britain had adopted a new type of rifle. If so, the cable continued, the British order for the Ross rifle might be cancelled and a new order for 100,000 of the new type might be given instead.

"Under Consideration" Six Months.

On June 24, Sir Robert again cabled to Sir George Perley asking for "definite, reliable and thorough reports on the merits of the Ross rifle." This information was needed because the Government had had under consideration "since January last" an order for 100,000 additional Ross rifles. Sir Robert Borden further noted that the Master-General of Ordnance had for several months been urging "immediate action."

Exchange Recommended.

Replying to this cable on July 5, Sir George Perley stated that the officer commanding the 2nd Army Division stated that the working of the Ross rifle during the last fight "has only confirmed his opinion that Canadians in the 3rd Division have lost confidence in their rifle, and he recommends that rifles in this division be exchanged." Sir George Perley noted also that Sir Douglas Haig had recommended that Lee-Enfields should be issued to all three divisions of the Canadian Corps. This suggestion by Sir Douglas Haig had been approved by the Army Council, which hoped to be able to use the Ross rifle thus released, as well as those in possession of Canadian troops in England, for other war purposes. Sir George Perley also forwarded Sir Douglas Haig's suggestion that the Canadian Government should go ahead with the manufacture of the improved Lee-Enfield.

A few days late Sir George Perley forwarded to Sir R. L. Borden the two reports of General French and General Haig, to which reference is made above.

Lee-Enfield Suggested to be Made.

On July 11, 1916, Sir Max Aitken cabled to Sir R. L. Borden stating that the Secretary for War wished the Canadian Government informed that a new type of Lee-Enfield rifle had been adopted, and that, with a view of securing a uniform type for all his Majesty's forces throughout the Empire, all existing facilities for the production of this rifle in the overseas Dominion "would doubtless be utilized."

4th Division Rearmed.

On August 30, 1916, the Governor-General cabled to the Colonial Secretary asking if there was any truth in the report that the 4th Canadian Division was armed with the Canadian rifle when despatched to France. The Colonial Secretary in reply declared that the 4th Division had been sent to France ramed with Ross rifles, but that the Lee-Enfields had been sent to France to be substituted for the Ross rifle.

NORMAL SCHOOL LITERARY SOCIETY

A meeting of the Normal School Literary Society was held on Monday afternoon in the Assembly Hall, the President occupying the chair.

The programme was as follows:

Opening chorus.
Vocal duet by Miss Ruttan and Miss Northey.
Impromptu speech by Mr. Lathrope, "Harvesting in the Great West."
Reading of "Hill Top Oracle," by Mr. O'Keefe.
Impromptu speech by Mr. Woodley, "What Ontario has Done Since Prohibition."
Impromptu speech by Miss Berry, "Why We Should Teach Domestic Science."
Remarks from Mr. Knoxon, "Normal in a Nut Shell."
Critic's remarks.
National Anthem.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MEN'S SOCIAL BIBLE CLASS HELD

The Men's Social Bible Class of George Street Methodist Church held their annual meeting last night in the church parlour. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Mr. A. E. Micks.
Vice-President—Mr. J. Howland.
Secretary—Mr. C. E. Wiley.
Treasurer—Mr. Geo. Powell.

The various committees will be appointed at a later date.

Interesting Address In George Street Methodist Church

A very instructive address was given last evening in George Street Methodist Church by Mrs. H. D. Robertson, wife of the Rev. H. D. Robertson of the China Mission field. Mrs. Robertson said that China at the time of her departure, in September last, was over-run with the provincial armies. A number of the provinces have declared their independence and are backing it up with their own individual armies. Some of the weaker provinces which have failed to take a similar stand, are threatened with extinction. This is responsible for a condition of internal strife that tends to hamper the work of the missionaries.

Mrs. Kemp and Miss Eastwood contributed solos while Miss Belle Elliott, convener of the Missionary Committee, presided.

The CRESSMAN Company Limited

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Including Coats, Suits, Dresses, Blouses, Flannelettewear, Whitewear, Parasols, Raincoats, Kimonas, Underskirts, etc., etc.

THIS STOCK HAS BEEN PURCHASED AT A VERY LOW RATE ON THE DOLLAR AND REMARKED AT SHARP CLEARING PRICES.

Sale will start at 8:30 Thursday Morning. Every Garment will be put on Tables and Racks.

Positively no approbations---no charges---no Exchanges on Garment sold during this Sale. All Alterations Charged For.

"GO ON KNITTING, WORKING, WRITING"

Miss Ada L. Ward Gives This Advice to the Women of Peterborough in the Course of Her Vividly Interesting Lecture in the Collegiate Assembly Hall Last Night.

A new side of the war was brought out last night by Miss Ada Ward who spoke before a crowded house at the Collegiate Institute Hall, that of Tommy being amused. Mr. Vincent Eastwood, chairman of the evening, who introduced Miss Ward explained that he had been at many recruiting meetings when the interested centered on harrowing stories of the dark side of war, on the suffering of the Belgian Refugees, but it had fallen to the lot of the Teachers' Association to introduce a speaker who could tell a little of the lighter side of Tommy's life. Up to now it has been that directly an army went into France it was swallowed, but now the veil had been lifted and we were permitted through one who had been honoured by being chosen to penetrate the veil and help make life more bearable in order to entertain the soldiers and make Tommy forget during his rest periods to see the lighter side.

Miss Ward, whose lecture was illustrated by black-board drawing spoke of the beginning of her marvellous career in the firing line, which began by means of a very modern instrument, the telephone. One Friday afternoon she was called and asked if she could be ready to leave immediately for France as a variety turn was needed. She was told the Tommies' message was "send Ada Ward" and it was then she first realised she was famous "as" she said "directly you lose the handle to your name you are famous." She lost no time and next day filed her application for a passport. Miss Ward was highly amused over the pertinent questions contained on this—Age? Height? Fore head? Mouth, which she said puzzled her whether to say Cupid's bow, or a letter box, color of hair? Nose? a photo and a sample of hand writing. She was then called to give an exhibition before Princess Victoria.

Here Miss Ward was non-plussed—How could she come in, how go out from this audience of two—a Princess and a brilliant actress. She felt that she wore cotton gloves with a hole in every finger and elastic sided shoes. However, she didn't care. She steeled herself with the thought of going to amuse the boys. The exhibition she gave compromising the evolution of a boy—being satisfactory on Saturday, as a result she found herself crossing the channel. "I shall never forget," said Miss Ward "that first concert, I saw the boys who had left strong and well brought in helpless, shattered, limping, hopping, borne on stretchers—how was I to make these poor wrecks laugh. That was the hardest experience, but Oh how I was repaid. One poor Tommy came limping up and assured me it was the first time he had forgotten his foot was off. Oh the indominatable spirit of the boys. Another laughed as he held his poor shattered right hand up and asked what it mattered to him—Fritz had made a mistake for he was left handed anyway. How can I describe the thrill when the Tommies joined in the choruses, the charm of the nurses. She told of the army surgeon's difficult work. There are many veteran doctors but this campaign has brought but something new to combat with—the treatment for gasses of the marvellous strides surgery has made. One surgeon the radiographer from McGill showed how a photo of a shattered elbow which with the splinters of bone looked like a snow storm, "surely this was a case for amputation?" The doctor had struggled and brought it back to perfection and sent the patient to convalesence in England. "He never got there," she said. "He was aboard the Anglia, it was torpedoed. King George could not receive better treatment than the poorest private. The Y.M.C.A's wonderful work, too, cannot be over-estimated at the front.

There is one great danger out yonder in France. Monotony. Tommy wants amusement during his rest periods and Tommy must have it, and he wants the best, and he deserves it, we must give it to him. Miss Ward's work was not all fun, it was arduous. The stages are strange and wonderful places, and the work is difficult. Tommy must smoke while he is amused and she has played six night's a week almost kippered with smoke and on Sunday told illustrated Bible stories. But it paid. Tommy will wait and does wait two hours in the pouring rain for his turn to come into the theatre.

There's a great difference in the feelings towards the soldiers to-day and that of 10 years ago. Then a uniform was eyed with suspicion, "He must be able to get no other job" was the conclusion. Every difficult case was thrust into the army where the discipling would do him good. To-day it is different. "I want to pay a tribute to that human diamond Tommy Aitkins, "He is the best."

There is a difference, too, in the soldiers of the British and those of our allied armies. The Belgian and French are satisfied with a bottle of wine and a pretty girl—Tommy must have home. Mothers little know how the thoughts of the dear ones come back to them. They beg for hymns. Their new religion brought out by war is a wonderful thing

The speaker made one small appeal for equal franchise, "Surely," she said "after the way women have fallen in, good women, grand women, women in every walk of life lending their gracious influences, surely they should be able after these terrible days are past, now that she has proved herself, to put a little cross on a little square of cardboard. You who are knitting go ahead and knit, for God's sake knit, if you could see the men as I have seen them with the wool worn into their feet, limping, you'd never let them go without socks—sugar they need, too. You who have given your dearest couldn't have done less and you couldn't have done more. Those who have fallen are not dead, and for my part I should rather be with them in the fields of shell-torn France of Gallipoli, than crushed under the heel of German militarism.

On leaving France a concert was held for which a small fee was charged. After this Miss Ward was handed $1,000 to take back to Lena Ashwell to assist her in her glorious work.

"It takes big hearts," said Miss Ward in conclusion "to keep up under the strain, but go on—for God's sake go on knitting, working, writing—Oh how can I describe how much a letter is needed by poor Tommy out there—keep it up, it's worth it.

During the evening a violin solo, "Paderewski's Minuet" by Dr. Park was much enjoyed also a solo by Miss Maisie Armstrong.

MR. JOHN I. ALLEN RETURNS FROM NEW JERSEY

Local Superintendent of Prudential Insurance Co., Attended International Conference of Superintendents and Agency Organizers

Mr. John I. Allen, local superintendent of the Prudential Insurance Company, Peterborough, has just returned home from the International conference of the superintendents and agency organizers of the Prudential Insurance Company of America, which was held at the Home Office of the Company at Newark New Jersey.

The conference was one of great enthusiasm and of educational value to all who attended. The keynote of the conference was service to the policy-holders of the Prudential by their field organization and the Home Office, whose policy-holders now number fifteen million.

The superintendents and agency organizers were present from Vancouver to Halifax; from New Orleans to Bangor, Maine, and from New Orleans to Florida.

Great enthusiasm was exhibited when the announcement was made by Mr. Dryden, President of the Prudential Insurance Company, that the Prudential Insurance Company, which is purely mutual, had issued five hundred and ninety-one million dollars worth of business during 1916.

The meeting was attended by the Governor of the state of New Jersey; Insurance Commissioner of the State of New York, also of New Jersey, and by Richard V. Lindabury, General Solicitor for the Prudential Insurance Company of America.

The whole conference was one of great interest and educational features will be spread amongst the entire field force for the benefit of the policy holders.

Mr. Allen expresses himself as having had a very enjoyable time.

SON OF REVEREND MR. PEARSON IS REPORTED WOUNDED

Rev. E. A. Pearson, B.A., former pastor of George street Methodist church, who was in the city on Sunday last, has received word to the effect that his son, Marmaduke Pearson, is suffering from a gunshot wound in the thigh. He is a member of the artillery.

A CONFERENCE ON SCHOOL QUESTION

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, Jan. 23.—With the object of securing an understanding between the French Canadian and Irish Catholic clergy looking toward a satisfactory settlement of the school question, an imposing array of clerics and laity are gathered here to-day.

The conference is taking place at the Bishop's Palace. Its object is to bring the French and Irish elements to some understanding so that they might arrive at some definite proposition to put up to the Ontario government with a view of settling the bilingual question.

Thin People Can Increase Weight

Thin men and women who would like to increase their weight with 10 or 15 pounds of healthy "stay there" fat should try eating a little Sargol with their meals for a while and note results. Here is a good test worth trying. First weigh yourself and measure yourself. Then take Sargol—one tablet with every meal—for two weeks. Then weigh and measure again. It isn't a question of how you look or feel on what your friends say and think. The scales and the tape measure will tell their own story, and many thin men and women we believe can easily add from five to eight pounds in the first fourteen days by following this simple direction. And both of all the new flesh stays put.

Sargol does not of itself make fat, but mixing with your food, it aims to prepare the fattening strength-giving material of what you have eaten, into rich, ripe, fat-producing nourishment for the tissues and blood—prepare it in an easily assimilated form which the blood can readily accept. Much of this nourishment now passes from your body as waste. But Sargol works to stop the waste and do it quickly and to make the fat producing contents of the very same meals you are eating now develop pounds and pounds of healthy flesh between your skin and bones. Sargol is safe, pleasant, efficient and inexpensive, all leading druggists in this vicinity sell it in large boxes—forty tablets to a package—on a guarantee of weight increase or money back as found in each large box.

If you find a druggist who is unable to supply you with Sargol send $1.00 money order or registered letter to the Nationa Laboratories, 76 Ancoine St., Montreal, and a complete ten days' treatment will be sent you postpaid in plain wrapper.

How To Tell The Age.—Town Lady (in country)—"How old is your cow?" Farmer—"Two." Town Lady—"How can you tell that?" Farmer—"By the horns." Town Lady—"Two of them. Of course? How stupid."

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

Chicago grain, closing. May wheat 184 3-4; uly 152 1-4; May corn, 101 3-8.

New York, Jan. 23.—Airbrake 150 1-2; Atchison 104 3-4, 105 1-4; B. and O., 81 7-8, 81 3-4; C.P.R. 161 7-8; N. Y. C., 101 3-8; Erie 32 3-8, bid; Erie Pfd., 47 1-2; Penna., 56 7-8, 57; Reading 101, 101 1-4; St. Paul, 90 5-8, 90 3-8; U. P., 144 1-2, 144 1-4; Beth Steel 435, 435; Rep. Steel 79 1-2, 79 5-8; U. S. Steel 113 1-4, 113 3-8; Anaconda, 82 3-4, 82 7-8; Inter. Nickel 42, 42 1-4; Amn. Loco., 77 5-8, 78.

Toronto, Jan. 23.—Steel of Canada 65 1-4; Cement. 63 1-2; Steamships, 34; N. S. Car. Pfd. 69; Gen. Elec., 112, bid; Can. Loco. 57, bid; Duluth Sup. 50, 50 1-2.

82 3-4, 82 7-8; Inter. Nickel 42, 42 1-2,

THE RISE IN SILVER.

The price of silver has rocketed upward 3-8 to 3-4 of a cent every day for the past three days. One reason for the boost in silver is the readjustment of Indian financing, but the immediate super-inducing cause of the bulge at this particular time is the declaration of silver as contraband and the increase in transoceanic freight and insurance rates from 2 to 5 per cent. With silver around 75c per ounce, the increase in freight and insurance rates amounts to adding about 2 1-4c per ounce on to the price of export metal. The additions on silver quotations in the past three days have added about 1 3-4c per ounce to the price of the white metal. The rise in the price of silver is a boon to silver mining companies whose profits are based on the New York price of silver. Some of the export shippers and speculators in the metal may not rejoice, however, when they reflect on the increased freight insurance rates which have been the cause of the present increase.

DR. THOMPSON PASSES AWAY

OMEMEE, Jan. 23. — John Nixon Thompson, M.D., died at his home here to-day, aged 70. Born in Newtonville, Ont., Dr. Thompson practiced in Mount Pleasant and Bobcaygeon, and then in Omemee for the past 30 years. He leaves a widow and family of seven: Wesley J., of St. Paul, Minn.; R. J., of Toronto; W. H., of Edmonton; Mrs. W. Watson, of Coboconk; Miss Annie, of Toronto; Mrs. T. Cook, Chengtu, China, and Mrs. J. Coulter, at home. The remains will be taken to Toronto and interred in Prospect cemetery there on Thursday morning.

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DOLLAR DAY IS WITH US AGAIN

And the **EXAMINER** is assisting to make it a success. Each year we have conducted an Estimating Contest that has added interest to the event.

This year we are asking you to estimate on

THE NUMBER OF BEANS IN A QUART SEALER

and to the nearest correct estimates we will give the prizes mentioned below.

For every dollar paid into the Examiner on DOLLAR DAY, **Thursday, January 25th,** for an account, a subscription the Daily Examiner at $4.00 per year or the Weekly Examiner at $1.00 per year we will give estimating blanks for **Our Own Contest of $25.00** and for the **Merchants' Treasury Box of $175.60** and we are also offering a **Special Prize of $10.00 extra** if the person winning the Merchants' Treasury Box **First Prize of $25.00** secured the Estimating Blank through the Examiner Office.

It is possible then for a first prize winner who has secured Examiner Estimating Blanks to earn

Merchants' Treasury Box Prize of -	**$25.00**
Our Own First Prize -	**6.00**
And Special Prize of -	**10.00**
And Total of	**41.00**

The following is the list of prizes offered by the Examiner for estimating the number of beans in the quart sealer which will be on exhibition in the Peterborough Book Store window from Saturday the 20th until Dollar Day night at 10 o'clock :

First Nearest Estimate -			**$6.00**
Second	"	"	**5.00**
Third	"	"	**4.00**
Fourth	"	"	**3.00**
Fifth	"	"	**2.00**
Sixth	"	"	**1.00**
Seventh	"	"	**1.00**
Eight	"	"	**1.00**
Ninth	"	"	**1.00**
Tenth	"	"	**1.00**
			25.00
Our Special Prize of -			**10.00**
			35.00

The quart gem was bought in Mason's Grocery and the beans required to fill it at Denne's Flour and Feed Store, George Street.

Aside from the attraction and excitement of the different contests put on by the merchants, the opportunity of purchasing seasonable goods at Dollar Day prices should be a sufficient incentive to draw a large crowd to the City.

THE WORLD OF SPORT

228th Seniors To Play Here Friday

Fast Northern Players Will Clash With 247th Intermediates —Battle Between the Two Soldier Clubs Should be the Season's Best Hockey Offering—T. R. and A. A. Unable to Come.

Owing to the injuries sustained by Hicks and other players in last Friday night's game with the Dentals, the T. R. and A. A. team of Toronto, which was to have played an exhibition game here to-night with the 247th team, will be unable to visit Peterborough and the game has been cancelled. However, the local soldiers have been fortunate in arranging a game for Friday night with the fast 228th Battalion Senior O. H. A. team. The Northern Fusiliers are known as the hockey battalion, as they have teams in the N. H. A. and Senior and Junior O.H.A. Their senior team, which plays here on Friday night, is well up in the running in the group race and surprised the fans recently by a clean-cut defeat of Queen's University, in Kingston. The players are all from the north and are fast and clever. It will be a great test for Peterborough's fast intermediates and the fans will get their first opportunity of judging the locals' capabilities against a real team. Keep Friday night open, as it will be the game of the season.

Reserved seats are on sale at Warne's drug store and Yeates' Bros. and Sprout's Cigar Store.

OSHAWA WON FROM BOWMANVILLE 9 TO 2

BOWMANVILLE, Jan. 22. — In the junior O.H.A. game played here this evening between Bowmanville and Oshawa, Oshawa defeated the home team by the score of 9 to 2. The line-up:—

Oshawa—Goal, Smith; right defence, Osborne; left defence, Fagan; rover, Rowden; right wing, Veneni; left wing, Henry; centre, Flintoff.

Bowmanville—Goal, Jeffery; right defence, Corden; left defence, Rowe; rover, Grant; right wing, Mingeaud; left wing, Williams; centre, Tucker.

Referee—Hewitson.

WITH THE CURLERS

LAST NIGHT'S GAMES.

Last night's scheduled games provided the following results:

J. K. Parkin	F. O. Donaldson
A. M. Laidlaw	A. H. Webb
D. Eason	W. P. Adamson
W. M. Lang, Skip..... 8	T. F. Matthews, Skip.....11
H. Derle	W. B. Warne
C. G. Graham	G. R. Munroe
P. D. Fitzgerald	Geo. Boucher
R. P. Best, Skip..... 7	F. M. Dela Fosse, Skip 13
Geo. Graham	J. H. Parsons
A. Macnab	C. C. Abbott
W. G. Read	C. H. Pennefather
J. H. Ferguson, Skip..... 8	R. M. Waddell, Skip..... 9

TO-NIGHT'S SLATE.

The games scheduled for to-night are as follows:

Wightman vs. Denham.
Greer vs. Sturgeon.
Hicks vs. Archibald.
Morrow vs. Davidson.
McDermid vs. Lang.

HOCKEY GOSSIP

The Peterborough Junior O. H. A. team will go to Bowmanville to-morrow to play the return game with Manager Williams' team. The Petes will leave on the 11.40 G.T.R. train to-morrow morning.

TORONTO, Jan. 22.—The Kingston Depot Battery, stationed at Kingston, have withdrawn their O.H.A. junior team because of the loss of a number of players who are proceeding overseas. This leaves Kingston juniors and the 235th Battalion, of Belleville, to fight it out for the group championship.

The Lindsay club has withdrawn from the O.H.A. intermediate series. This gives the group championship to the undefeated 247th Battalion team of Peterborough.

William Symons has joined the 235th Battalion and applied for an O.H.A. certificate. He was the star of the Belleville intermediates last year.

Collingwood juniors defaulted to Barrie at the last minutes without the required notice, and will have to stand the Barrie club's expenses for the game.

MILITARY NEWS

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and notwithstanding the fact that Lieut.-Col. Glass was surrounded by an efficient and enthusiastic staff of officers the enlistments to date only total about 150 men.

OTTAWA, Jan. 24—In reply to inquiries made by Sir Robert Borden as to the rum issued to the troops at the front, the following statement has been received from Sir George Perley, Overseas Minister of Militia. "The War Office definitely informs me that rum is only issued to the troops at the discretion of the General Officer Commanding on the recommendation of the Medical Officer and that when an issue of rum is ordered for the troops serving with the expeditionary forces in the field, individual soldiers who have an objection to the spirits may be supplied with cocoa or chocolate in lieu.

A recent casualty list contained the name of Pte. Harold Marsh, whose next of kin was given as living in England. This is thought to have been Pte. Harold Marsh, of the 83rd Battalion, who formerly boarded at the home of Mrs. Robt. Mitchell, 336 Water street. Pte. Marsh was a member of the crack 83rd soccer team, and is reported wounded.

Lt.-Col. J. D. Clarke, formerly of Peterborough, who went overseas with the 111th Battalion, is now in France. A field post card was received from him to-day.

Pte. A. Cripps, formerly of the 39th Battalion, has gone to the convalescent Hospital at Hamilton, where he will undergo treatment. His friends will be sorry to learn that he is not in very good health. Pte. Cripps was invalided home from England in May of last year.

Mrs. D. J. McIntosh has received the following letter in regard to her husband, Pte. D. J. McIntosh, formerly of the 93rd Battalion:

Dear Mrs. McIntosh,—I met your husband in this hospital, No. 6 Stationary Hospital, B. E. F., France, some days past. He has been wounded about the face. I have made inquiries about his case and I believe he will improve and be fit again at some time. He will be changed from here soon, so he will send you word himself the next time. Once he leaves here I shall be unable to send you news of him. I visit him every day. You will be glad to hear that he does not suffer much. I said mass for his recovery the other morning. You too, should pray with confidence for the same result.

Yours truly,
Paul I. Raftar, C.F.,
Catholic Chaplain.

Youths to Train For Home Defence

Examiner Special:

LONDON, Jan. 23.—The War Office announces the calling out of youths of eighteen to train for home defence.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE
Saturday, Jan. 27, Matinee & Night
THE MOST FASCINATING COMEDY OF THE DAY

DADDY LONG LEGS
By Jean Webster
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Manager
STORY of the GIRL WHOSE DREAMS CAME TRUE
Has Been Witnessed by More Than 2,000,000 People
24 PEOPLE IN CO. 4 SUPERB SCENIC SETS
Evening—50c, 75c, 1.00 & 1.50
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SALE OPENS THURSDAY

Dollar Day Specials

ELASTIC DOLLARS

Your Dollar will cover much more than usual, in this store on Dollar Day.

Your Dollars on Dollar Day in the Coat Section, will save you from $5.00 to $15.00. It would be economy to buy a Coat now.

CHARMING NEW BLOUSES IN MANY ATTRACTIVE STYLES AT JUST ONE DOLLAR

New styles—every one of them. Showing the new ripple wide collar, embroidered collar with hemstitching. Some of the white blouses are trimmed with fillet lace, some with Venice lace. Some relieved with dainty colourings, some partly trimmed with embroidery and pearl buttons. Your choice of any of them for just

ONE DOLLAR

KNITTING YARNS

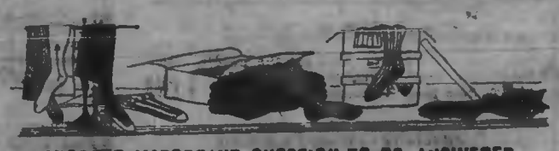
We have in our Yarn Store-room about 5,000 lbs. of just the Yarns you are looking for. Every quality. Big choice of shades.

We have quite a stock yet of Men's All Wool Shirts and Drawers, they are just a Dollar and a Quarter at present. Next season we expect them to be $2 00

"The moral is get them now"

Another line of men's Underwear, with a slight mixture of cotton. Their present price is 85c. The mills are asking a dollar apiece for them now, and what will they want for them next Fall? We cannot say how high they will go. Get them now for 85c

Men's Heavy All-Wool Warm Socks. We have still a number of cases in stock. Just count up what the wool costs, and you will conclude that it would be wise to lay in a sufficient stock at, per pair 50c



ANOTHER IMPORTANT QUESTION TO BE ANSWERED WILL YOU BUY RELIABLE QUALITY HOSIERY AT LESS THAN USUAL PRICES?

Think this matter over seriously. Can you afford to pay higher costs when Hosiery such as can be had here can be bought at present costs? Among our big lists of Hose Bargains you will find these and many more—

Ladies' Fine Cashmere Hose. Worth regular 50c, for 35c

Or Three Pair for a DOLLAR

Men's Fine Cashmere Socks. Regular 50c quality, for 35c

Or Three Pair for a DOLLAR

A VERY SPECIAL HOSIERY OFFERING ALL SIZES SMALL AND LARGE, REGULAR 40c DOLLAR DAY FOR 28c

Would you sell a dollar bill for $1.25? Of course you would, and in the same way, you can make a dollar buy more than a dollar and a quarter's worth of goods now.

We've arranged them for easy seeing. Here is a great chance for mothers to provide, both for themselves and the little folks. It will be absolutely impossible for us to duplicate this stock at the price. The mother who has several children to look after, can buy for all and save a goodly sum by taking advantage of this offering. All sizes are just 28c

We were told the other day that we had gotten the last of the good quality House Dresses at the old prices. It would be wise to secure two or three while they last. Just now they are just 1.25

Elliots Store

A VERY SUPERIOR KID GLOVE FOR $1.75

Have you read about our new way of selling Kid Gloves. Our regular $1.75 Kid Glove, when you take them without the guarantee the price is only 1.35

We have all colours and sizes.

WE CAN STILL OFFER YOU THE GOOD OLD QUALITY OF TOWELS AND TOWELLING AT THE FORMER PRICES. WE EXCEL IN TOWELS TEST US

We have every quality in Towels that you can think about. Turkish Towelling, Real Linen Towels, Glass Towels, dozens of different kinds. We can please you as to stock and we can more than delight you as to quality and price. TEST US.

In our Fancy Goods Section we have every kind of Threads. All the newest hints for needlework

NEW BLOUSES FROM $5.00 TO $10.00

In Blouses at this price one may gain a clear idea of the style tendencies for Spring. And may learn, too, what effective designs are to be found in the favoured Georgette Crepe and Silks of a lustre finish, tailored effects, others with fancy ruffles, some with bolero effects, while some of the Georgette Crepes in Flesh, White and Vivid have square necks and very effectively trimmed with pearl buttons or lace.

Enjoyable Meeting Of the A.Y.P.A.

The regular meeting of the A. Y. P. A. of All Saints' Church was held last evening in the Parish Hall with the president, Mr. Frank Dawson in the chair. In the absence of Mr. G. O. Cameron, who was to have spoken, Mr. Reynold, of the Bell Telephone Co., gave a most interesting and instructive address on "The Evolution of the Telephone," his talk being greatly enjoyed by all. Mr. Dawson expressed the thanks of the A. Y. P. A. A fine musical programme was given as follows:

Instrumental Solo—Mr. Barrie.
Vocal Solo Mr. Chandler.
Violin Duet—Misses Gardiner.
Vocal Solo—Miss Johnston.
Piano Duet—Misses Gardiner.

After a social hour had been spent the evening was brought to a close with the National Anthem.

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Red Feather Feature in 5 parts
A Yoke Of Gold
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The Girl Who Feared Daylight
HEX - Ben Wilson in
His World of Darkness
Two Comedies—A STAGE VILLAIN and HARMONY IN A FLAT

STRAND THEATRE
UNDER LADIES MANAGEMENT
TO-DAY— A SPECIAL FEATURE OF GREAT INTEREST TO THE YOUNG PEOPLE
"Joy And The Dragon"
A 5 part Drama, Presenting
"Baby Marie Osborne"
Pathe Film Co's Celebrated, Wonder Child Actress
Special Afternoon Mats. for Ladies and Children
PARENTS and GUARDIANS 10c—CHILDREN 5c ONLY
Come along—take a hand in the Bean Contest and enjoy the show with the children

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WEDNESDAY

8-4 Empire Sheeting 29c
Pure White. Good heavy make. The Spring Price for this Sheeting will be 40c. Buy it To-morrow at, per yard 29c

15c Towellings 4 yds for 50c
Several lines of Roller, Hand and Dish Towelling. Most of them all linen, that are special at 15c. To-morrow, ... 4 Yards for 50c

All Linen Fancy Towelling
Plain and fancy centres, with wide fancy borders. 22 inches wide. Guaranteed all linen. Worth to-day 75c. Sale price, per yard.. 50c

White Terry Bath Towelling
50 Yards only. 20 inches wide. Splendid quality that sells at 20c. To-morrow, per yard 15c

Pure White Flannelette
A beautiful quality, soft fleecy finish. Just like swansdown. 27 inches wide. Worth 17c. Sale price, ... 7 Yards for 1.00

The Famous Millbrook Lawns
Made in Ireland. Superior bleach and finish. The ideal fabric for underwear. 36 inches wide At, per yard 30c

26 inch Check Dish Towelling
A very wide width. Red or blue check. A splendid make. Reg. price 25c. Sale price To-morrow, ... 5 Yards for 1.00

12-4 Flannelette Blankets
The largest and best napped make. Very heavy quality. Full 12-4 size. A blanket we will have to sell at $2.50 after the present stock is sold put. To-morrow's price, per pair 2.00

Pest Quality Circular Pillow Cotton
Buy Pillow Cotton To-morrow. It will pay you. Widths 42, 44, 46 inches. Extra good quality. Sale price, per yard 30c

Longcloth Cotton Special
An excellent quality. Soft for the needle. Best for family use. 36 inches wide. Sells at 20c. Sale price To-morrow, 6 Yds. for 1.00

Specially Finished Cambric
It will pay to buy this Cambric Cotton To-morrow at the special price. A perfect fabric for Underwear. 36 inches wide. Reg. price 18c. Sale price, per yard 15c

Factory Cotton and White Cotton
Two specials at the one price for To-morrow. 36 inches wide. Both lines worth 12½c. Wednesday Sale price, ... 10 Yards for 1.00

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This Cotton is worth more and is a better grade than the price indicated. Reg. selling price 18c. To-morrow, ... 8 Yards for 1.00

Nainsook and Madapolam Cottons
Very fine make. Not a particle of dressing. A quality that could not be purchased to-day to sell at 35c. Sale price To-morrow, ... 4 Yards for 1.00

12½c Fingering Yarn 10c Skein
4-Ply in White, Red, Light and Dark Greys. Don't miss this good chance to buy your Yarn that sells at 12½c for, per skein .. 10c

Buy Your Prints To-morrow
36-Inch, in light and medium grounds in stripe designs. Reg. 15c for, per yard 12½c
36-Inch Navy Blue Prints at, per yard 15c

36 in. Chintz For Quilts
Floral and Paisley designs, in splendid combination of colourings. Note the width. Worth 25c yd. Sale price To-morrow, yd. 18c

OBITUARY

MRS. MARGARET SCOTT.

Mrs. Margaret Scott, relict of the late Alex. Scott, died in Ottawa. The remains will arrive on the 5 a.m. train Wednesday. The funeral will take place at 8 o'clock from 186 Lansdowne to Little Lake cemetery.

DR. R. F. MORROW.

Dr. R. F. Morrow, for thirty-one years a prominent dentist of this city, passed away at a late hour yesterday afternoon at Nicholls Hospital. Taken ill a few weeks ago, his condition grew rapidly serious, and, although every medical aid was obtained, it became apparent recently that there was little hope of his recovery.

In the death of Dr. Morrow, Peterboro has lost an estimable citizen, who enjoyed the confidence and the highest regard of the entire community. He was born in the Township of Manvers in 1857, and in 1884 graduated from the Dental College, Toronto. His course was marked by honour standing in his examinations, and in his final year he was a gold medalist and honour graduate of Toronto School of Dentistry. He was also an honour graduate of Toronto University.

In 1885 he came to Peterborough, opening an office over the old Chisa Hall store, now occupied by the Dominion Bank, where he gursued an extensive and successful practice of his profession. Those intervening thirty-one years had securely established Dr. Morrow in an ever-broadening circle of friends who received the information of his serious illness with the deepest regret and to whom his death brings a feeling of personal loss.

The deceased was prominent in local and district Masonry. He was a Past Master of Peterborough Lodge No. 155, A. F. and A. M., and was one of the best informed members in lodge work. He had also held the highest offices in Peterborough Lodge, I.O.O.F., No. 111, and was a member of Mount Hebron encampment. The Ancient Order of Foresters also numbered the late Dr. Morrow alons its valued members. In religion, he was a member of George Street Methodist Church. In his character there was manifested a sincere and abiding spirit of fraternity, of which in his personality and his unfailing self-sacrifice he was always a true exemplar.

Dr. Morrow is survived by three sisters and one brother, Mrs. R. D. Preston of Midland, Mrs. D. Clarke of Hamilton, Miss Fannie Morrow of Peterborough, and Mr. George Morrow of Salt Lake City, Utah.

A funeral service will be held at his late residence, 176 Dalhousie street on Wednesday night, at eight o'clock, to be followed by the Masonic service.

The funeral will be held on Thursday morning at 7.30 o'clock to the G. T. R. station, from which the remains will be taken to Lindsay for interment, the funeral following the arrival of the Peterborough train.

WILLIAM B. STEWART.

The death occurred on Monday, Jan. 23, of William B. Stewart, aged 61, at his residence, 136 Bedford Road, Toronto. The funeral will take place on Wednesday at 3.30 to Prospect cemetery.

The late Mr. Stewart is a cousin of Mr. J. D. Collins, McDonnell street.

MARGARET CARTER.

Margaret Davidson Carter died this morning at her residence, 15 Lisburn street, Auburn. Mrs. Carter who was 80 years old, was born in Quebec, coming to Peterborough to live some years ago. She was predeceased by her husband.

Funeral arrangements will be made later.

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Gold Scarf Pins set with one Pearl—$1.75, $2.50, $3.50, $4 up.
Warne Bros.
DIAMOND HALL
NEXT TO WARNE DRUG CO

Social and Personal

Mr. G. G. Pope, of Madoc, is in the city for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kendry and their grand-daughter, Miss Bessie Burham, have left for Sea Breeze, Florida, for the winter.

Rev. R. G. Peever, B.A., returned last evening from Toronto, where he was assisting in missionary work. On Sunday Rev. Mr. Peever preached at the Broadway Tabernacle, both morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hubbell and Miss Orde have left for the south, where they will spend six weeks or two months.—Toronto Globe.

Miss Grobb, St. Catharines, is the guest of her brother, Rev. R. W. Grobb, Rectory, Park street.

Miss Easson, who has been the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Scott, returned yesterday to Toronto.

Lieut. Geoffrey Hilliard, Lakefield, was in the city yesterday on his last leave before leaving for overseas.

Mrs. Marling, Miss Hilliard and Miss Winnifred Mackenzie, Lakefield, were in the city yesterday.

Mr. W. H. Hill of the Sun Life Assurance Co., is in Montreal for a few days.

Messrs. Wm. Murray, James Murray, James McGinnis and Louis Donoghue of Toronto are in the city to attend the funeral of Miss L. Milloy.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

Examiner Special:

TORONTO, Jan. 23. — Receipts, light; demand active; heavy steers, $10.25 to $10.30; choice butcher, $9.75 to $10. Good butcher, $8.75 to $9.25. Others unchanged.

City and General

PROBABILITIES.

Moderate to fresh southwest and southerly winds, fair. Wednesday, moderately cold, light local snow falls.

Broken auto cylinders, machinery and stoves welded, by the new Oxo Acetelyne Process. Anything in iron, steel or aluminum made as good as new, not patched up. Millard's Bicycle Shop, Hunter street, near Aylmer.

AT HOME.

St. Peter's T.A.S. will hold an At Home in St. Alphonsus Lyceum on Wednesday evening, Jan. 24th, at 8:15.

PIANO TUNING.

'Phone 826, The Greene Music Co., Charlotte Street, when your piano requires tuning or regulating. All work guaranteed. dtf

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'Phone 1416 for Cleaning, Pressing and Repairing. Goods called for and delivered promptly. Mrs. Read, 150 Rubidge Street. dtf

DENTAL.

Dr. McKenty, Dentist, 370 George Street, on the ground floor first door north of Peterborough Hardware Co. Nitrous oxide and oxygen administered for painless operations.

BARGAINS AT LAKEFIELD.

R. Graham & Son, Lakefield, have arranged for a lot of wonderful Dollar Day bargains on Thursday, January 25th, and will continue the sale on Friday and Saturday, Jan. 26th and 27th. 6d-16

FARM STOCK SALE.

Mr. Edward Elsom, of Lot No. 22, Con. 11, Otonabee, just east of Curtis Brick Yard, is having an auction sale on Thursday, February 1st, of all his farm stock and implements. 1d-1w-4

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Mr. J. H. Renwick, organist and choirmaster, George Street Methodist Church, has resumed teaching. Pupils prepared for examinations. Many present and former pupils holding good positions. Studio, 587 Aylmer street. 'Phone 1098. 26d-2

AUCTION SALE.

Household Furniture, etc., at the home of Mr. Thos. McMurray, 173 Douro street, East City, on Wednesday, January 24th, at 1:30 p.m. when everything will be sold without reserve.—W. J. Hancock, Auctioneer, 494 George Street. 3d-17

HOW'S YOUR CAR RUNNING?

If it needs overhauling or repairs of any kind, do it now—don't wait until Spring. We will send for it, and deliver it in good running order. Skilled mechanics employed and extra parts always in stock.—Duffus' Garage; Jos. J. Duffus, proprietor; 195 Simcoe street. dtf

BUSINESS GIRLS' CLUB.

Through the kindness of Mrs. (Dr.) Neal there will be a meeting of the Business Girls' Club at her home, 314 Rubidge Street, on Wednesday, January 24th, which will be our first meeting this year for Red Cross work. It is hoped that all the members will make a special effort to be present. 2d-18

E. B. CLEGG CO. DOLLAR DAY BARGAINS.

20 per cent. off pictures, hundreds to choose from, a number of oil paintings in French gilt frames, burnished corners. Regular $4.50 for $3.20. 10 per cent. off of all furniture, dining-room, living-room and library furniture. See our big stock of beds and bedding. Mattresses at all prices. See our show window.

AUCTION SALE.

Of Household Furniture and effects at the home of the late James Gordon, 253 Stewart street, on Thursday, Jan. 25th, including parlour suite, three bedroom suites with bedding; kitchen range, (Art Souvenir heater, new), dishes etc. Sale at 1.30 o'clock. 'Phone 256.—J. F. Thornton, Auctioneer, 663 George Street. 3d-18

FUNERAL WEDNESDAY MORNING.

The funeral of the late Miss Milloy, who died at Long Island, N.Y., will be held to-morrow morning from the family residence, 524 Parnell street to the Church of the Sacred Heart at 9 o'clock. Thence to St. Peter's cemetery.

HELLOW! 229?

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HUMAN HAIR PROTECTS AND ADORNS THE HEAD.

and if you have thin hair—if you are bald—do not miss seeing Dorenwend's Exhibit of Human Hair Goods for ladies and gentlemen, at the Oriental Hotel, on Friday, Jan. 26th, and Saturday, Jan. 27th, until 9 p.m. The display will include Ladies' Switches Coronet and Fancy Braids, Transformations, Pompadours, Waves, Chignons, Bangs, and for bald men toupee and wig structures that will benefit the health and appearance. There is no charge for a demonstration. 3d16-20-25-Sw-3

MEMORIAL FLOWERS.

The flowers placed on the Altar of St. John's Church on Sunday last, were placed there in memory of the late Florence Moule. Mr. and Mrs. Moule and family are now resident in Amsterdam, N.Y.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Sunday School Committee of Management of George street Methodist church will be held this evening in the church parlours, commencing at eight o'clock. Reports from the various departments will be received and the work of the year reviewed.

THE GREEK SLAVE.

Peterborough Operatic and Dramatic practice for "A Greek Slave" to-night, at 265 Park Street. Ladies, 8 p.m., gentlemen, 9 p.m. Please be prompt. Three "Geisha" vocal scores not yet returned, are asked for this evening, as the whole 'Geisha' outfit is being stored this week.

FUNERAL THIS MORNING OF LATE EDWARD HENRY

The funeral of the late Edward Henry, who died in Buffalo on Saturday, January 20th, was held this morning. Mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Phelan at St. Peter's Cathedral at 9 o'clock before proceeding to St. Peter's cemetery. The pallbearers were Messrs. Jas. Drain, I. McCarty, George Aheran, Sam Angrey, Sam Houlihan, and Jas. Pope.

MUST PAY ALIMONY

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Jan. 23.—Justice Middleton has decided that R. B. Cromarty, prominent publisher here, is entitled to pay alimony to his wife, who married him after being divorced from her first husband, named Lamphini, in Chicago. Cromarty's defence was that the Chicago divorce was invalid, therefore he was not legally the husband of plaintiff. If parties cannot settle on the amount of alimony, it will be settled by court. Mrs. Cromarty was an Ingersoll girl.

District Cup Games To-day

Special to The Examiner.

LINDSAY, Jan. 23.—In the District Cup Curling games to-day, Lindsay defeated Lakefield in the first round by the big score of 49 to 13. Peterborough drew the bye and are playing Lindsay this afternoon. The score:

Lindsay.		Lakefield.
Geo. Beake		J. W. Ridpath
Skip—21		Skip— 6
W. Carley		J. C. Strickland
Skip—28		Skip— 5

Casey Pays His Respects To England In "Poem"

ROCHESTER, Jan. 23.—"Casey" is the only name one of three prisoners brought by Patrolman Pribus to the Franklin street station would give, so "Casey" is the way it is registered in Police Court, and also at the penitentiary, where "Casey" will spend the next 15 days, having been convicted by Justice Gillette of vagrancy. When Casey was removed from the cell in Franklin street station, Captain Frank E. Mehle was amused to see inscribed on a scrap of paper lying on the cot in Casey's cell, the following "gem":

Across the old Ireland, the land of my birth,
The land of the Shamrock, the greatest on earth,
For Ireland was Ireland, when England wasn't much,
And Ireland will be Ireland, when England turns Dutch.

The downfall of Ireland, as all you can see,
Is coming so quickly, we will all soon be free,
For England next summer will walk on a crutch,
Surrounded by Germans, and all talking Dutch.

Heroic Effort To Save Crew of Dredge Failed

The Sailors Repeatedly Risked Their Lives in Attempt to Save Their Comrades.

HALIFAX, N.S., Jan. 23.— From White Head with a story of loss of Government Dredge Cape Breton and her crew of eight men Shag Rock, January 17, The tug F. W. Boebling arrived in port. Captain Mood, master of the tug, in a report which was given out, tells in terse sailor language the thrilling story of the efforts made by the Robeling to rescue the men on the dredge.

The report says that after the Cape Breton had broken away from the tug and was drifting towards the rocks the crew of the dredge lowered the boats, but both of these were smashed. The tug then lowered a dory attached to a line and allowed that to drift by the dredge but the men on the dredge did not get into it. Apparently the tugs Robeling and Lisgar made every possible effort to save the crew of the Cape Breton, but the heavy gales, the short space of time to work, and the difficulty of getting a line on the dredge worked against them, and despite their efforts, the crew was lost.

We may possibly have a revival of evening gowns touching the floor.

Black is charming for all ages when relieved with a touch of soft color.

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The numbers will count each way from center of day's sales. Those numbers will be published in this paper on Saturday, January 27th. The slips or numbers will be redeemed for cash on presentation at store office.

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Every Dollar paid into the store entitles you to an estimating blank for the Merchant's Treasury Box of $175.00.

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Dance Was Great Success

The dance under the auspices of the Peterborough Returned Soldiers' Club held in Victoria Hall last night was a great success. The attendance was large and the gathering thoroughly enjoyed themselves as the guests of the boys who have returned from overseas.

Rev. Father Phalen Was Re-elected

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Peterborough Health Association, held yesterday afternoon, in the Bank of Montreal Chambers, Rev. Father Phalen was re-elected President of the Association for the ensuing year.

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Three Hundred German Casualties As Result of Raid

LONDON, Jan. 24—Three hundred German casualties inflicted by the Canadians during recent raid.

LAKEFIELD MAN REPORTED WOUNDED

LAKEFIELD, Jan. 24. — Private Henry Hampton, son of Mr. William Hampton of this place, has been officially reported wounded. Private Hampton of this place, has been of Mounted Rifles at Medicine Hat, shortly after war was declared and went overseas in June, 1915.

German Destroyers Sunk In A Naval Battle Off The Coast of Holland

Wounded German Sailors in Holland Declare That Eight German Ships Were Sunk—British Admiralty Officially Announce the Loss of Two German Destroyers—British Losses Were Very Slight.

TRAWLER BROUGHT IN WOUNDED

Examiner Special:

LONDON, January 24.—One British as well as two German destroyers were lost in the North Sea fights. Wounded Germans in Holland declare that eight German ships in all were sunk.

LONDON, January 24.—The Admiralty officially announces that two German destroyers were sunk in two distinct engagements off the Dutch coast last night. One was sunk in action, and another crippled by a torpedo and later sunk by the British. Three German officers and forty-four men were lost, and many others made prisoners. British losses were very slight.

YMUIDEN, Holland, January 24.—A trawler has brought in wounded German prisoners from the German destroyer V-69, which probably sank before reaching port. This makes at least three destroyers lost.

Norwegian Vessel Was Submarined

LONDON, Jan. 24.—Norwegian steamer Rimuga torpedoed by a German submarine.

Heavy Artillery Fighting Resumed

BERLIN, Jan. 24.—Heavy artillery fighting has been resumed southwest of Riga.

An Apology Is Demanded

Peterborough Young People Display Unseemly Conduct in Lakefield Church

LAKEFIELD, Jan. 24.—On Saturday afternoon a party of young people from Peterborough visited Lakefield and while here went in to view St. John's Church. The church had been all swept and dusted for Sunday and they when they went in did not sweep their feet off and the snow was tracked all through the church, showing that they had been in the vestry, going through the church books and vestments. They also went into the Chancel and took the Brass Alms dish off the altar and placed it on one of the choir benches, placing in it a Royal Theatre ticket and a candy, which the Rector and Wardens consider a desecration of God's House. As the names of the young people are known as also the two soldiers accompanying them; unless an apology is forwarded at once to Rev. A. W. MacKenzie the Rector, action may be taken against them, as there is a special clause in the Criminal Code, dealing with the desecration of churches, which the Wardens would be very sorry to have to put in effect.

Russians Defeated Enemy Attacks

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, Jan. 24.—The Russians defeated enemy attacks at several points yesterday.

COMPANIES MUST SUPPLY POWER

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

NIAGARA FALLS, Jan. 24.—Power companies with Canadian charters here notified they must supply Ontario Hydro Power Commission with fifty thousand more horse-power at once.

THREE MORE VESSELS SUNK

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 24.—Two Norwegian and one Swedish ship sunk by submarines.

Appointment For Surgeon-Gen. Jones

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 24.—Surgeon General Jones is to be Inspector General Canada Medical Services in Britain, France and Canada.

Food Crisis Very Acute

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 24—Food crisis is very acute in many parts of Germany.

President Wilson's Speech Was Cabled To German Emperor

Special to The Examiner.

BERLIN, Jan. 24.—President Wilson's Senate speech was telegraphed to the Kaiser and Field Marshal Von Hindenburg at the front to-day.

Ambassador Gerard conferred for forty minutes with Foreign Secretary Zimmerman last night, and later cabled the State Department at Washington a confidential outline of the German Foreign Office impression of the statement.

Meanwhile the President's sentiments are fully echoed publicly and officially in Germany. They are viewed with interest and favour.

Whether Germany can take official cognisance of the declarations is not yet clear.

BEFORE THE SENATE.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—President Wilson's historic address to the world is before the Senate to-day.

It seemed certain early to-day that consideration would be confined, for the present, to the question of whether on Monday there shall or shall not be full and unlimited debate on the proposals made by the President.

Successful French Raids Reported

Special to The Examiner:

PARIS, Jan. 24.—Successful French raids on the German lines at different points south of Chilly and in the Woevre district, were announced in to-day's official statement. Also reported great activity of patrols in the region of the Seille, but calm everywhere along the remainder of the front.

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Mark your calendar and set the alarm clock, tell Central to call you early, tie a string on your finger do most anything that will remind you Dollar Day is January 25th. But that is not all of it—This year it comes when we have a January Clearance Sale on and with Dollar Day Specials on top of our January Sale Prices means a barrel of money to buyers. COME GET SOME OF IT.

AT OAK HALL AT

Overcoats

Every new material and fashionable style is shown in Overcoats and Ulsters. Finely tailored garments that will give lasting service. Really double what we ask. During January Sale and Dollar Day.

Regular $12 and $13 Overcoat for ..... TEN $1

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Some broken sizes in Last Falls Chesterfield Style Overcoats. This is a style coat never changes, always the same self collar, fly front, neat skirt, all-wool linings. Sovereign brand make in plain rich shade of dark grey cheviot cloth, also black. Worth To-Day $20 and $22 for $15.00

Men's Suits

All our regular stock of fine Tweed & Worsted Suits Mostly old cloths and Sovereign Brand make.

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It will be placed in our window and wound up on Thursday, Jan. 18th, by His Worship Mayor Duffus.

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Heavy all-wool Tweed Caps with fur bands and without. Worth $1.50 .. $1

20 Boys' Sweater Coats, garnet & black, grey & garnet. Ages 10 to 14 years, worth $3.00 for ..... TWO $1

Men's Blue & Black Suits

Our showing of Men's Blue and Black Suits are always up to a high standard. The low cheap lines we don't stock as they are not good buying. The lines we are showing is New English model and with low long lapels, as well as the more conservative models are suits with character, dignity and extra values as the cloths are old values. If needing a blue suit. See them. Prices

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Boys' Blue Serge Suit

All-wool Blue Serge Suit in standard Norfolk styles, full cut bloomer pants. All sizes 29 to 33. Worth $11 to $12 .. EIGHT $1

Child's Blue Serge Suits

All-Wool Norfolk Buster, plain knickers, guaranteed blue. Ages 3 to 7 years. Worth $6.00 for..... FOUR $1

Boy's fine worsted Jerseys, best English make, all colors, plain only, 20 to 30 sizes Worth $1.25 & $1.50, for $1

Special All-wool Cashmere Sox, black, all sizes. Old prices ..... 3 for $1

Men's Pants

Lot 1. A heavy Grey Stripe Worsted, 5 pockets, cuffs and belt loops, worth $3.50. Pants and Heavy Brace, for .. .. THREE $1

Lot 2. Tweed & Worsted Pants, all sizes, some extra quality in large sizes, worth $2.50. Pants & heavy brace ..... TWO $1

Boys' Overcoats

A clean-up in Boys' Coats for ages 3 to 8 years. Worth $5.50 for ..... THREE $1

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Good Strong School Suits, Norfolk style, full bloomer sizes 8 to 17 years, worth $5.50, for ..... THREE $1.00

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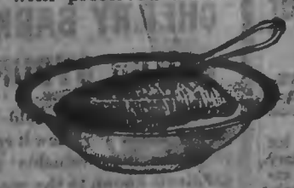

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Railway Time Tables

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Corrected Jan. 15th, 1917.

... for Lakefield.
... a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg, and principal stations connecting at Port Hope, for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at ... a.m.
... for Lindsay, Orillia, Campbellford, Trenton, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Montreal.
... for Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
12.32 p.m.—For Lakefield.
11.40 a.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, and Bay ports. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
... for Lindsay, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
5.35 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
5.40 p.m.—For Lakefield.
8.05 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
9.05 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Boston.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Corrected January 15, 1917.

GOING EAST:
... a.m.—Madoc Junction, Norwood, Havelock and Toronto.
*12.12 p.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N. B., Boston and New York.
*1.30 p.m.—Norwood, Lakefield, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, and Ottawa.
*11.27 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and Intermediate points, and all points east of Montreal.

GOING WEST:
*4.54 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Utica, Watertown, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*5.54 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
*7.25 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York. Intermediate points Peterborough and Toronto.
*2.25 p.m.—Sunday, Orillia, Port Perry, Myrtle and Intermediate points.
*4.40 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Buffalo, New York, Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, Bowmanville, Detroit, Chicago.
*5.30 p.m.—North Toronto and West Toronto and Intermediate points.
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OUR SERIAL STORY

"DESTINY"

By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday.)

But the shudder of disgust would return despite her efforts at its banishment and shake her like a chill. In her case it was not vaudeville—and it was only lying to herself to call it so. No manager was considering the payment of a salary to her for anything she could legitimately do. It was what Smitherton had described as capitalizing the publicity of a misfortune so sweeping as to pass a morbid public interest. In whatever generosity of terms her contract was drawn its essential meaning was that in ten and a hundred-fold it would come back to the management, for that one reason. It would so come because people would flock in vulgar curiosity to see the woman who had reigned in exclusive sets of society from which they were themselves barred; whose brother had forged a magnificent dictator of dollars. They would come because they had heard of this beauty, and had glutted themselves with column upon column of yellow and sensational news recording untold opulence, and afterwards of tragedy building, and decked to this climax, herself standing there on exhibition in the pillory of their gaze.

Seats would be filled and applicants turned away from the box office because a large part of the American public differs in no wise from that of Rome when it gathered in the circus to see a Christian princess thrown to the beasts—or claimed as a captor's slave. Her value could be based only on pandering to the mob spirit of gloating over the fall of the great. They would warm over and republish all the sensational details which time would cool. The story she had refused to write, others would not refuse to write—neither would they refuse to "color" certain scenes into drama.

The girl, lying in her bed, pressed her forearms against her eyes and struggled to shut out the pictures that rose as horrors in her mind—but they passed and repassed with fiendish pertinacity. Nightmare shapes leered at her from gargoyle features.

To any human being a situation is what it seems to be.

Had she actually, like the Lady Godiva, been called upon to ride the length of Broadway, clad only in her beautiful hair, and placarded "Burton's Sister and Edwardes' Fiancee," it could have meant to her delicacy of feeling no greater trial, no more truly the denuding of herself to the public gaze.

Had all this realization not been so keen and so poignant Mary Burton would not have fought so long against the idea which seemed to open the only way.

Were there just herself she would. Before considering such desecration of every sacred memory, have preferred to stuff with paper the crannies of that wind rattled window and to turn on the gas. In comparison this would have been easy.

Easy! Suddenly the idea became a soul-clutching temptation. It offered escape from the horror of decision and action escape, too, from the haunting of memory. The woman sat up in bed and her eyes gazed feverishly ahead through the dark. She trembled violently and the plan invitingly unfolded. Some unseen devil's advocate was urging her for the instant half-persuading her, insinuating and luring. Often as a very little girl she had slept in a room as bare as this and listened contentedly to the rattle of storm shaken shutters. She had cuddled a warm, soft shape, under the blankets, and sunk sweetly, and dreamily into unconsciousness, and happy dreams. It was so easy! There in a drawer where she had thrust it with abhorrence for the emblem of a contemptible weakness, was Paul's hypodermic needle. This very night she could again drift, unresisting into sleep, and while she slept the gas jet could flow freely.

The room was cold. Sitting upright in her bed she shivered. Then as she realized how seriously she had yielded for a panic-ridden moment to the temptation of turning her back on life's need of courage, the shiver grew from a shudder of the flesh to a shudder of the soul. She lay down again and hid her face in the pillow.

From the next room she heard the heavy snore of her father and the gentler sleeping breath of her mother. Personal preferences and prejudices belonged to the past.

Very well—she still had the flaming Burton courage. She would do this hateful thing, and when she gazed on the eyes that glutted their curiosity with staring she would meet them serenely and give them no sign that she was being tortured.

And—this thing Mary Burton did—did with that calm dignity which is vouchsafed to those whose souls are of heroic quality.

It was only when the day's work of rehearsal ended and she was locked again in her own room that she sat dry-eyed and wretched, remembering a dozen things which made her shudder. But as she walked along the streets she kept her eyes to the front because she could not tell from what wall one of those blazing "three sheets" might confront her. They were advertising her as Mary Hamilton Burton—that the value of those two names might doubly pique the curiosity of the morbid.

Also, she avoided as a pestilence the newspapers, and what they might contain.

Abey Lewis did not at all understand her, though he had handled a variety of people during his long career as a purveyor of "refined vaudeville" to the public. He confessed as much to Mr. Smitherton, with whom, as Miss Burton's business manager, he came into constant association.

"I don't get her at all, Mr. Smitherton," he querulously complained. "I've known most of the big-time artists that have come along in vodeville, and she ain't like none of them I ever seen. I've made a lot of headliners, but this girl acts like it gives her a pain to talk to me. She don't seem to take no interest in her act."

The business manager, chewed irritably on his cigar. They were sitting in the darkened theatre while Mary Burton was being rehearsed in the short and dramatic sketch which Smitherton had secured for her.

"Has it occurred to you, Lewis," he suggested, with a certain coolness of manner, "that you wouldn't be paying Miss Burton the salary you are if she was like anybody else you've known? Haven't you considered the fact that this lady is going to pack your place to capacity because of her difference?"

"Maybe so. Maybe she's a big headliner, and I ain't kicking," asserted the other. "But it does seem to me she ought to be more grateful for the chance she's getting. She's a knock-out all right! Them eyes ought to get the folks going—I wish she'd use 'em more."

The two sat silent for a while with the empty chairs around them, then Mr. Abey Lewis raised the megaphone with which he was directing and spoke to the stage.

"Daughter," he instructed, "you ain't quite got the psychology of the part yet." Mary Burton came down toward the front of the stage, with her fore-arm raised across her face to shut off the glare of the "foots," as she listened. Mr. Lewis rose and walked thoughtfully down the aisle toward her. It was Mr. Lewis' intent to handle very delicately this new headliner whom he failed to comprehend, and of whom he stood in secret awe.

"Now you see, daughter," he went on, "this act gives you a great chance for emotion, and I know, when you get the right angle on it you'll eat it up. You've just got to use them, when I bother me to the fact that your husband's a criminal. You didn't never suspected he was a crook before. Now that calls for emotion. Put more colour into it. Found it a little harder. When George ends his long speech and pauses, that brings you across. It cues your reception of the news. It throws a bomb under you. In times like them women get more hysterical. They don't quiet in grief, like men. They just cut loose a little more. Give us a nice little scream."

For once Mary Burton almost smiled as she hearkened to this wise dissertation on emotion, but she only bowed her head in assent, as the director added: "Take the scene up again at George's entrance."

When he sat down beside Smitherton, Abey Lewis shook his head. "I ain't sure we didn't make a mistake in giving her the straight dramatic sketch," he said dubiously. "She ain't got the emotions. She don't emote pep. Now if she had an act where she changed of costume a few times that would give her a better, it might go bigger."

Smitherton growled.

"Yes and then you wouldn't have had at all," he retorted. "Get it through your head that this whole thing is distasteful to Miss Burton. It's bad enough as it is, without asking her to do a diving Venus."

"She won't ever be an actor," commented Mr. Lewis, sagely, "but what the hell's the difference? It's the name that's going to carry this act—and it's going to be a knock-out."

(To be continued.)

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Notwithstanding all these precautions elephant stealing continues in Siam, and in one year alone fifty elephants were stolen from British foresters, representing a loss of some $45,000.

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Lieut.-Colonel Ripley's Battalion is Ready to Go Overseas.

No. 1 Construction Battalion, which started recruiting in Toronto on May 12, has already filled its ranks to the number of 1,050 men, and is now in camp at Valcartier for a short period of training before going overseas. In the ranks are a number of graduate civil engineers who are qualified as Lieutenants, but have resigned their rank in order to go overseas with the battalion. In this category are Lieutenants Jupp, Mitchell, Lindsay, and Nicholl, all of whom have completed courses at the School of Practical Science here, and a number of graduates in engineering from McGill University. There are also a number of men who have filled important positions as construction men for the Canadian Pacific, Canadian Northern, Grand Trunk, and Grand Trunk Pacific Railways, and on the new Welland Canal. Mr. E. P. Muntz, who had charge of a section of the Welland Canal, for instance, was taken on the strength the other day as a supernumerary lieutenant.

An analysis of the first 600 men recruited shows the wide range of callings represented in the battalion. They were classified as follows: Blacksmiths (general) 14, bricklayers 21, carpenters 72, concrete workers 33, cooks 17, construction foremen 17, civil engineers 7, draughtsmen and surveyors 4, drivers and teamsters 24, dynamite men 2, farmers and drovers 19, firemen 15, iron workers 26, laborers (railway construction) 92, locomotive engineers 9, machinists 23, miners 11, plumbers and steamfitters 19, stationary engineers 11, stationary engineers (cranemen, drillers, etc.) 23, sailors 3, shoe workers 3, timbermen 8, tradesmen 72, tailors 3, trackmen and section men 12.

Some 57 men were taken on the strength of the battalion in a single week at St. John, N.B., where the officer in charge of recruiting is Lt. Frederick G. Cross, who has been engaged in construction work for the Canadian Pacific Railway in Western Canada for the past seven or eight years. During the same period 59 men were secured at Montreal, and others have been enlisted at Fort William, Sudbury, Parry Sound, Pembroke, Windsor, London, St. Thomas, and other places.

Lieut.-Colonel Ripley, the officer commanding No. 1 Construction Battalion, has had much experience as a railway construction engineer. He has had charge of railway building in every province of Canada, and has done work in the United States. The unit is not yet known as a railway construction battalion, but, with the experience of the commanding officer and the railway engineers among the officers and the class of men being enrolled, it will be able to carry on high-class railway work, including tunnelling and bridge building in France.

Sold Valuable Islands.

Away back in 1469 the King of Norway was in need of cash and pawned the Orkney and Shetland Islands to the then King of Scotland for 60,000 florins. Kaiser Wilhelm wants the islands for a naval base, and is bargaining with Norway for the equity of redemption. Maybe if he buys them he will settle down there after the war. Anyway, if compound interest is to be paid on the 60,000 florins that Norway raised, the price will run to about £20,000,000,000.

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WHEN THE TANKS MADE THEIR DEBUT

GERMAN GUNS HAD NO MORE EFFECT THAN BREAD PELLETS.

The following vivid article by a gunner was printed in the French magazine, "Lecture Pour Tous."

Our "Tanks" have made their debut, and a startling debut it was.

Heavens, what a warm day's work! I can speak of it, for I was there. There were only a few privileged people "in the know"—the mechanics, first of all, and the machine gunners like myself—because it was very necessary to experiment with the "tanks" before sending them into battle, and to teach each one of us the part he would be called upon to play. It would be a great mistake to suppose that this apprenticeship was a soft job. It is exceedingly uncomfortable in a "tank;" and as my friend Charlie said to me (he is a blue jacket, a regular sea-dog, and has been transferred from the navy for this special work), "it is as bad there as in a battleship turret."

But these were only minor troubles which were exaggerated during our training, and for which we were amply repaid in the hour of battle, and particularly in the hour of triumph.

A COSMOPOLITAN CROWD.

We were in the front line with our "tanks" in little groups of "crews," each under the command of an officer. The resemblance to a battleship had seemed to us so striking that we had named our "tanks" of our own accord. There was the crew of the "Creme de Menthe," of the "Diplodocus," and of one ironically styled "The Boches' Victory." Indeed the name of some prehistoric animal was very appropriate to this kind of machine. The enormous silhouette of ours amid the ruins of Posierres—where it had been quartered waiting to be brought up to the line of fire—called up in the moonlight the idea of some fantastic monster of prehistoric times. It looked like a tortoise with a hump. There were Tommies from London, and Northumberland, Scotsmen, Canadians and New Zealanders—who were presently to march into the firing line with us—staring at my machine with curiosity and respect.

But the hour is approaching. Dawn will soon be here. I smoke my last, because once inside the tank farewell to any other chance of smoking. My good old pipe, though it may be really and truly my last one! I gaze at the enormous machine, whose engines are already beginning to groan terribly; it seems like a gigantic tomb. How will it behave if a large shell should fall on top of it? I fear that it would be the end of everything—both of us and of the steel beast itself. After all it is war; we must wait till we see what happens. Here comes our officer. There is a quick rally and a short address. He reminds us of our respective roles, and of what Sir Douglas Haig expects both of us and of the "tanks," and compliments us on our courage, our coolheadedness. A manhole is opened in the side of the "tank" and one by one we enter the interior like cats going through a hole in the door.

ALL ABOARD THE "TANK."

The whole crew climbs on board this fortress on wheels. I instal myself in the narrow space, by the side of my machine gun, whose muzzle is pointing outside the steel-plate sides of the tank, and fix my eyes to the loop-hole. "How hot it is!" said my neighbor. "It will be worse in an hour!" Through my loophole I can see just a strip of sky, which looks light to me, although the day has not yet fully dawned. In front of me I see undulating fields which have been ploughed up by guns of every calibre. Further on is the Fourreaux Wood, where we are to operate.

There is a crater to the left of the wood which according to the reports of our airmen, the Germans have converted into a fortress. This is the objective of the "tank" on our left. At the right of the wood there is a redoubt described to us as extraordinarily powerful; walls, interminable barbed-wire chevaux de frise, a formidable entanglement of all sorts of vile contrivances. A real "nest" of vile beasts! This is to be our job. By Jove, how stifling it is! Suddenly the glare of a rocket lights up the sky, followed by ten, twenty, thirty others. A sharp whistle sounds strangely in our prison. The hour has really come we are to start.

My heart is beating violently—I do not know why. One needs to have "sea-legs" to avoid knocking oneself against the sides of this carcase of steel, which is now waddling along ungracefully over the ruts and uneven places. I take hold of the metallic handle of a case of machine gun ammunition. The motor system of our "tank" is gripping the soil, sticking to it, gliding and dragging itself along like a centipede. We move on while the enthusiastic cheers of our infantry reach our ears in spite of the fearful din. As we advance the earth everywhere around our track is ploughed up and thrown aside. But, Heavens, how stifling it is, and how infernally far away the Fourreaux Wood seems to be!

SHOTS LIKE HAILSTONES.

One "tank" rolls down the slope of an exploded mine, breaking through a house en route. All goes well.

Now we arrive at the bottom. Without apparent trouble we climb up the other side. Once more the strip of sky shows itself and the jagged trunks of the trees of the Fourreaux Wood are appreciably nearer. Bang! A shell has hit us "head on," and the noise of the impact and the bursting of the shell makes the whole carcase vibrate but otherwise no damage is done, and we go calmly on our way.

A heavy thud then a flash over my head. Our "tank" is trembling from top to bottom. We have just fired. This perpetual rumbling over my head has a disturbing effect; the machine resounds, the air vibrates. They are getting it, these Boches. Tock, tock, tock! Thousands of "Tock-tock" re-echo on the steel sides of our "tank." It sounds like a myriad of hailstones beating against the window panes of a moving train. The German guns have opened fire on us. But in faith they are wasted shots. They have as much effect on our machine as pellets of bread against a wall.

At last we are near the "nest" we are to destroy. I can distinguish the sandbags heaped up and the walls pierced with holes. Little white flakes are coming from these holes, as though they were safety valves for the escape of steam. These were the guns of the enemy.

WENT THROUGH A WALL.

"Our "tank" advanced steadily and inexorably. A ditch—we clear it; an incline—we scale it; a heap of rubbish from a demolished house—we pass over it. And then we come to the first barbed wire entanglements. Our "tank" does not even make an effort; everything breaks, everything is crushed, everything is torn up. Splinters of wood jump up from all sides of us, the chevaux de frise are beaten down. I have the sensation of being in the interior of a gigantic iron wedge which is cutting through something like butter.

As for us we fire without ceasing, hand on gun and eye glued to the loophole pierced in the steel, with the sweat pouring down our foreheads.

A thud, a powerful panting, a last and almost imperceptible stop! The nose of our tank scatters sand and cement bags and throws them right and left as if it were ploughing up a field. Another violent shock, a heavy blow and a crashing. We are going straight through a wall. We are pulverising machine guns. Grenades burst upon our armour. We are in the midst of our "nest." All at once ugly German heads with terror on their faces appear on both sides of us! To work! Now it is my turn and that of my comrades! Our machine guns crackle. Our bullets whistle in the German trenches, taken thus by enfilade, and in the underground passages leading from the "nest" to the rear.

The Germans are now in the greatest disorder. They throw themselves flat on their stomachs, they raise their arms to heaven, some of them try to run away. A whistle sounds in the "tank" and it stops. Then wild cheers come faintly to my ears, and I soon see the dear old uniform of our boys who are taking possession of the "nest" and gathering up everything living which remains.

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Tragic.

She flung herself into the arms of her mother-in-law in an abandonment of grief.

"What in the world's the matter, Arabella?" asked the elderly lady, anxiously. "Has anything happened to Edwin?"

"Oh, it's dreadful!" sobbed the bride of a few months. "He's staying out late at nights. I wait for him to come home hour after hour. Every foot step I hear on the pavement I think must be his. I rush to the door—but no Edwin!"

"Dear me! Dear me!" This is dreadful, Arabella. I must talk to Edwin," she added, with a real mother-in-law's look in her eyes. "How late does he stay out?"

"Well," sobbed Arabella, "he leaves the office at five every evening. A few nights ago he didn't get home till six o'clock, and yesterday he wasn't home till—till (another burst of sobs) half-past six!"

Big One.

"I heard the bride and groom had a serious falling out on their honeymoon trip."

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Promises Made To Look After Soldiers Are Being Broken

Municipal Bodies and Citizens Are Forgetting Obligations—Good Position is Open—Why not make some Hero Sheriff of Elgin, says Lawyer

ST. THOMAS, Jan. 23.—In a patriotic address at Knox Church, Colin S. Clair Leitch, a prominent lawyer, severely reprimanded municipal bodies and inidividuals for failing to keep their promises in looking after returned soldiers.

"The men were promised everything upon leaving for the front," he said, "and we find many of the returned heroes without even a position."

The speaker mentioned the office of sheriff for the county of Elgin, a position which would be most suitable for a returned soldier. "There are," he said, "men who have returned who would not be capable of holding the position, but there are others who are capable of holding even higher positions. If a man has lost the use of an arm or a leg he can still occupy this position. In fact," remarked Mr. Leitch, "he could successfully manage the position of sheriff of Elgin County if he had no legs at all.

"Filling this position with a returned soldier," he said, "would constitute the first reformation in the work that has been overlooked by the authorities."

The position of sheriff has been vacant for about two years, the Government having failed to appoint a successor to the late Sheriff Dougal McColl.

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Next nearest correct estimate, 8th prize	5.00
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Next nearest Correct estimate, 10th prize	5.00
Next nearest correct estimate, 11th prize	5.00
Next 5 nearest correct estimates, 5 prizes, each	3.00
Next 10 nearest correct estimates, 10 prizes, each	2.00
Next 30 nearest correct estimates, 30 prizes, each	1.00

For your guidance in estimating, we might say that The Examiner is printing and distributing to the Merchants, for use on Dollar Day, 30,000 blanks, and it is only necessary to estimate what number each purchaser thinks will be used on the great day. Should any store run short of blanks, The Examiner will print more, so that the number printed might reach as high as 50,000. The number of estimates put in the last $ Day Campaign was in the neighbourhood of 9,000. With this information, an estimate can be made before coming to town. Of course as many estimates can be made as the purchaser has blanks, and they will get one with every Dollar purchase they make.

Make up your mind what and where you want to buy and come to Peterborough on Thursday, January 25th, expecting the greatest economy shopping event of your lives.

Railway Rates

Parties of Ten coming from any point in Peterboro County on Thursday, January 25th, Dollar Day, can secure a rate of fare and one-third by making application to their local station agent.

See the List of Stores which will be Printed Complete, and Watch their windows and Special Announcements just previous to Dollar Day.

You can recognize all the Stores where DOLLAR SPECIALS are being given by the RED LETTERED PENNANTS IN THEIR WINDOWS.

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WEDNESDAY, JAN. 24, 1917

DOLLAR DAY.

The public will note with interest and pleasure that Thursday next, January 25th, that is to-morrow, is The Examiner's Dollar Day—with Peterborough merchants. Dollar Day is in sympathy with the genius and call of the time—to thrift and saving. Dollar Day is the harvest of the shrewd buyer, for it affords a chance to reap, not so many big bargains, big in character if not in bulk. If Dollar Day is systematically used it can be turned to splendid account by the public. In The Examiner from day to day, and particularly to-day, appear the advertisements of our merchants. If each reader marks what appeals to her in these advertisements, and goes after them early on Thursday morning, she can shop with a purpose and make reasonably sure of getting what she wants. Our merchants are honourably living up to the spirit of the Dollar Days of the past, and the public can be assured that even in these days of high prices, a dollar can find a chance to express something like its old time purchasing power.

UNEQUAL ZEAL.

We are told that a special preventive officer operating at Brockville, made the residents of that place disgorge over $3,000 in customs duties they had evaded—on goods brought into the country without paying duty. There is no fault to be found with this action. The law should be applied equally to all. But this zeal in going back for two years to get people to pay their dues, is in striking contrast to the government tenderheartedness it recalls. It is a matter of recent history that John Wesley Allison, a war profiter, and said by his enemies to be something unduly acquisitive, was permitted to bring in dutiable goods by the shipload, at the port of Montreal, without paying one cent of duty. This evasion of the customs dues probably mounted into the thousands, while a few women in Brockville, whose shortcomings could be counted in cents, were made to pay to the uttermost farthing. Of course Allison was a good Conservative and favoured of the government; and in the matter of graft, if it is going, it simplifies bookkeeping a good deal to get at the spoil in the very beginning—making money by refraining from paying just dues.

A CONTRAST.

If Canada's way to secure national cooperation in national service is lacking is "punch" it has one redeeming feature. It still leaves us a free people, a saving quality that should make us all the more anxious to give effective and united service, because the appeal is made in the interests of preserving the liberty to serve or not serve, to give or not give, that we value so highly. If we had the German conditions, which we ought to sacrifice everything we have to avoid, we should not have such a thing as choice; force and compulsion would be the word from the start. Germany does not ask or request; she orders and compels. In Canada, if we fail to meet the call of duty, all we have to reckon with is our conscience and, if things go wrong through our failure, with our remorse. But if we were in Germany, if we were brought under the German autocracy and brutal reign of force, we should have, in failure to obey orders, to reckon with jail or the butt end of a musket, if not with its bullet through our head. We don't like the German way but it has its advantages when it comes to having things done. It is, however, what we are fighting against; and some of us will have to do more, if we will win in the fight and keep the liberty to do as we like—the liberty to shirk our duty or do it.

DORCHESTER.

We can't predict with any certainty what the result of the polling will be in Dorchester, Quebec, where Mr. Sevigny, the Nationalist, is seeking re-election, necessary on account of his having accepted a portfolio in the Borden Government. A Liberal is running in opposition to him as a protest against the outrage of a member of a faction whose creed is that Canada has no duty to help in the war of liberty, being made a minister in a British Cabinet, whose sole duty at this time is to lead Canada in doing her best. If a straight, honest, loyal Quebec Conservative had been appointed a Minister and had sought re-election, the Liberals would not have opposed him.

It is difficult to forecast what the result will be. The Borden Government has permitted and encouraged the poison of Nationalism—shooting-the-flag, etc.—to so infect the popular mind in Quebec, that it has killed recruiting in that province, and helped make the rank and file indifferent not only to imperial but to national duty. The Nationalists own the Borden government, because they have bought it with a price—the price of Nationalist parliamentary support, including the gift of fat portfolios to a faction that has "no use for England and the English," that "shot holes through the flag," and is utterly opposed to Canada doing any part of the life and death duty she is is called upon to do now. Such conditions have poisoned the popular mind in Quebec to an extent that makes it difficult to predict what the electors will do on polling day in Dorchester.

Besides, Dorchester is an uncertain riding; it changes its political allegiance frequently. Its record since Confederation is as follows: 1867, Conservative by acclamation; 1872, Conservative, by 321; 1874, Conservative by 21; 1875, Conservative by 466; 1878, Conservative by 1186; 1882, Conservative by acclamation; 1887, Liberal by 476; 1888, Liberal by acclamation; 1891, Independent-Liberal by acclamation; 1896, Conservative by 330; 1900, Conservative by 369; 1904, Conservative by 344; 1908, Liberal by 163; 1911, Nationalist (Mr. Sevigny) by 332.

ECONOMY AND WASTE.

If municipalities wanted a precedent to justify the experiment of government by commission, they have it in the Dominion government. This government has brought it to pass that we no longer have representative, but government by commission. The people delegate their authority as a self-governing population to the members of parliament they elect; a committee or commission of Parliament, called a government or cabinet, acts for parliament; and, in a great many instances outside of mere routine, and when anything of real moment is to be done its work is turned over by the government to a commission. It is not necessary to note the number of commissioners, always very costly, to which the government has turned over its responsibilities. With sixteen ministerial departments, each presided over by a minister and an office staff of twenty-five to thirty, under salaries totalling from $50,000 to $75,000 each, the work of the government has to be delegated to commissions.

It seems that we are desperately over-governed and at an expense quite out of measure with the results. The government, through Sir Thomas White, Finance Minister, is calling upon us for the strictest economy, so that we can lend to the government; yet, at the same time the government and its departments, and their swarming officials are responsible for setting at defiance the Finance Minister's call for economy. And all the extravagant expenditure is not incurred upon a national plan. The government spends freely the money of the people not in a way to conduce to the most effective national service, but largely with reference to party interests. This policy is bad at any time but monstrous at war time, when every dollar should be counted and every dollar spent to insure return value without reference to whether it is spent among the friends and partisans of the government. We don't know all the details of the partisanship that attends the expenditure of public money, but we get some idea of its immense importance when a high party official, like Government whip Stanfield, resigns his position because a Minister of the Crown "butts in" and interferes with the whip's prerogative of spending the public money in his party's interests in his riding. A pretty quarrel about party patronage rights at a time when Sir Thomas White is asking even our school children to forego lollipops that they may have money to contribute to war loans. One does not have to be a Socialist to regard with regret the immense sums that are squandered in waste and unnecessary expenditures in connection with the burdensome over-government of the people of Canada.

Norwood Items Of Interest

NORWOOD, Jan. 24.—Mr. Thos. Sampson of Chapleau, was in town last week.

Miss Chamberlain of Toronto has been a guest of Mrs. Harry Harper.

Mrs. Johnson and son of Hoard's Station visited last week at the home of Miss M. P. Williame.

Milton Clysdale, one of the Norwood High School boys, has enlisted with the 247th Battalion.

Mrs. Harry Andrews of Havelock was in town last week.

Pte. Tom Parker of Norwood, who was wounded in the thigh some time ago, has recovered and is back in the trenches.

Miss Lillie McLeary has accepted a position in the local branch of the Union Bank.

On Wednesday, Jan. 17th, in Belmont, at the home of her son, Wellington, the death occurred of Elizabeth Harriet Thompson, wife of the late Wm. Burgess, in her 77th year. The funeral took place on Saturday afternoon to the Norwood cemetery.

The local Chapter of the I.O.D.E. were presented last week with $24.25 the amount of collection taken up at the recruiting meeting held in the town hall on Monday evening.

Mr. Wm. Barrie attended Ottawa Winter Fair last week.

Miss Dyer of Zephyr, Ont., is a guest of her sister, Mrs. F. Buck.

Herman McMillan has left high school and has enlisted with the 247th.

Mrs. Dainard of Havelock was in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ogilvie of Calgary have been guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. John Marks.

Mr. U. Spence of Peterborough conducted the services in the Church of England on Sunday.

Norwood Lodge.

On Wednesday evening the regular meeting of Norwood Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 262, was held, and the following officers installed:

Jr. Past Grand—Walter Sedgwick.
Noble Grand—Thos. Lumsden.
Vice Grand—B. F. Weese.
Rec.-Secretary—B. Dean.
Fin. Secretary—C. J. Searight.
Treasurer—D. I. Puffer.
Warden—John Logan.
Conductor—Nelson Wellman.
Chaplain—Theodore Burgess.
R. S. S.—Wm. Beckett.
L. S. S.—Hugh Adams.
R. S. N. G.—John Marks.
L. S. N. G.—Thos. Elliott.
R. S. V. G.—Thos. Watson.
L. S. V. G.—Hugh McDonald.
I. G.—E. Brown.
O. G.—S. Wildman.

Mr. Watt, D.D.G.M., and other brethren from Peterborough, were present for the purpose.

Mrs. T. Burkell was in Oshawa last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Weir, Miss Pauline Weir, Armar and Alex. Weir, were in Madoc last week, attending the funeral of Mr. Weir's father, Mr. Armar Weir, who died on Thursday morning.

Mrs. (Rev.) Peer has returned home from Toronto, where she had been visiting her sister.

(Mrs. (Dr.) Sutton was in Madoc last week on account of the death of her father, Mr. Armar Weir.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church will hold their regular monthly meeting on Thursday afternoon at 3.30 at the home of Mrs. B. W. Squire.

Miss Flora Adams of Peterborough, is a guest of Misses Ruby and Lilla Buck.

Rev. Mr. Irwin will preach on Sunday in behalf of the education work of the Methodist church.

Sergeant Smart of Toronto, has been a guest of his sister, Mrs. Jas. Meikle.

Mr. Earl Laing of the Bank of Toronto, Havelock, has been visiting at his parents home.

Miss Lawson of Sydenham, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Lawlor.

Mr. Thompson of Hastings, was in town on Tuesday.

Eastland Death Claims Climb To Over $8,000,000

Federal Court Cases Reach Huge Total of $8,931,678.

CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—Claims totalling $8,931,678 for death and personal injury and loss of property arising from the overturning of the steamer Eastland in the Chicago river were recorded in a report to the Federal Court completed by Lewis F. Mason, U. S. Commissioner. The number of death claims, after the elemination of a number of duplications, will be less than 500, it was said. Death claims amounted to $8,740,000; personal injury claims to $151,260 and those for destruction of personal property to $20,418.

The Eastland, laden with excursionists, overturned in the Chicago river July 24, 1915, with a loss of 812 lives.

EXCEEDED SUM SOUGHT.

CANADA GIVES $553,488 TO BRITISH SAILORS' RELIEF FUND.

MONTREAL, Jan. 23.—The total subscriptions to the British Sailors' Relief Fund amounted to $553,448, apportioned as follows:

Ontario, $246,595; Montreal $185,470; Manitoba $53,280; Nova Scotia, $25,815; New Brunswick $15,080; British Columbia, $10,500; Saskatchewan $8,508; Prince Edward Island, $4,129; Quebec City $12,000.

This announcement was made by W. G. Ross, president of the fund, today. The sum sought was $500,000.

Over $80,000 is still to come in.

LOST

LOST—A LADIES LAMB GAUNTLET, right hand, near Brick street on George. Finder please leave at Examiner Office. 3d-18-1066

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Sealed tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned up to and including Saturday, January the twenty-seventh, 1917, for the sale of House Number 399 Cedar Street, Peterborough. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

HALL & HALL,
116 Hunter Street,
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6d-sod-15

HELP WANTED—MALE

SMART BREAD BOY. APPLY 336 WATER. 3d-19-1051

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TO RENT

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOM NEAR C.G.E. Apply 143 Rubidge street. 3d-19-1075

TO LET—APARTMENT, SECOND FLOOR. Apply 360 Water street. 12d-13-969

TO LET—THREE GOOD SINGLE ROOMS with board. Apply 281 Rubidge street. 3d-19-1054

GOOD OFFICE OR STORE WITH WATER connection and heated, possession at once. Apply 183 Charlotte St. dtf-26-2799

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Where to Buy On Dollar Day

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Richard Hall & Son.
J. C. Turnbull Co.
Robt. Fair.
Elliiot's.
Nelson Routly, Park and Breck.

GROCERS.
P. Connal & Son
E. F. Mason.
Porter S. White.
W. J. Routley.
R. H. Hunter.

FURNITURE.
John D. Craig.
E. B. Clegg & Co.
Harry Zacks.

GENTS' CLOTHING.
Grafton & Co.
H. LeBrun & Co.
Merrell & Meredith.
Oak Hall.
Semi-Ready Tailoring.
D. H. Hickey, 345 George St.

BOOTS AND SHOES.
R. Neill.
J. T. Stenson & Sons.
C. E. Smith.
J. W. Miller & Sons.
City Footwear, Charlotte St.
Peterboro' Shoe Store, 291 Geo.
D. Zacks.

5, 10 AND 15c. STORE.
F. W. Woolworth Co., Ltd.

HATS AND FURS.
Barries Ltd.
Wm. Lech & Sons.
Wm. E. Lech.
McWilliams & Co.

CHINA, WALLPAPER AND STATIONERY.
C. B. Routley.
R. J. Soden.
Trebilcock Bros.

FRESH MEATS.
J. W. Edwards.

PIANOS AND MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.
J. M. Greene Music Co., Ltd.
Peterborough Music Co.
Ye Olde Firme Heintzman & Co., 421 George St.

JEWELLERS.
Warne Bros.
Schneider Bros.
E. V. Warne.

ELECTRICIANS.
F. R. J. MacPherson Co.
Grant & Thorpe.
Alexander & Miller.

OPTICAL ROOMS.
A. A. Fowler.
Peterborough Optical Parlours.

MILLINERY.
Miss McGiverin.
Mrs. Wilson.

LADIES' TAILORING.
Toronto Ladies' Tailoring.

LADIES' WEAR AND FURNISHINGS.
H. Abramson.
H. J. Zacks.
N. Sukloff.
S. Chester.
M. Fine.
P. Black, Cor. King and George.

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The Examiner.

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Written applications will be received by the undersigned up to noon on Thursday the 25th of January, 1917, for the position of Superintendent of the Cemetery. Applicants to state the salary they expect and their experience and qualifications.

Peterborough, Jan. 20th, 1917.

E. A. PECK
SECRETARY

SEALED TENDERS

Addressed to Chairman of Board of Health

Will be received up to and including February 13th, 1917 for the supply of ICE for the Isolation Hospital. Particulars may be had at the City Treasurer's Office.

Chairman Board of Health

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Boston Creek remains the leading feature of the Toronto mining share market, both in activity and price advances.

I recommend its purchase by investors—by semi-investors for the long pull and large market profits—by investors for extraordinary indicated earnings and dividends.

BOSTON CREEK IS UNDOUBTEDLY THE SENSATION OF THE NEW YEAR FROM THE NORTH COUNTRY. NOT SINCE THE DISCOVERY AND DEVELOPMENT OF PORCUPINE, WHICH REQUIRED THE BUILDING OF A RAILROAD INTO THE CAMP, HAS THERE BEEN A MINE AND CAMP OF THE NORTH BROUGHT TO PUBLIC ATTENTION WHICH INVITES INVESTMENT AND SPECULATION TO AN EXTENT EQUAL TO BOSTON CREEK, with a RAILROAD AND STATION ON THE PROPERTIES.

I believe present buyers of Boston Creek have but to stay with the development of 1917, as already announced through the management, to see this company push very far on the road to permanent earnings and extraordinary dividend payments. I believe those who buy now and stay with this proposition will count their profits in figures of from 100% to 500%. And I believe those who buy and await the dividend-paying period, which should not be long in following the inauguration of bonanza ore shipments this month or next, will have reason to regard their holdings highly for the exceptionally high net yields which they will make on the basis of stock purchased anywhere from $1.25 to $5 a share.

Boston Creek is to-day the sensation of the Toronto Standard Stock Exchange and the New York Curb Market. Its recent volume of transactions recalls the days when Porcupine gold issues were active and were advancing in price. On the New York and Toronto markets the transaction as shown on the sheet in Boston Creek recall the heavy and sensational trading the latter part of October in Magma and at an earlier date in United Verde Extension.

Buy Boston Creek now. The company has a management with abundant financial and technical means to carry it to success. It represents an expenditure to date of a quarter of a million dollars. The management plans to expend as much more in providing accommodations to increase the working forces from 50 to 200 men and in the building of a mill to treat ore on the ground. A large tonnage of the highest grade ore in the north has been developed underground and placed on the dump, and shipments are now about to start which will startle the country with the remarkable sustained showings of values—thousands of dollars to the ton—which will appear in the settlement sheets from the reduction company. The company has developed ore of such fabulous value that it is now estimated that $1,500,000 already is available. The mine grows richer with depth and has been pronounced by the best experts to have the earmarks of a WHALE OF A PERMANENT BONANZA PROPERTY. There are two big parallel vein systems and the formation has been passed upon favorably by geologists, who are of the opinion that the ore will "go to the deep," just like the mines of Porcupine—like the great deep-vein copper mines of the United States.

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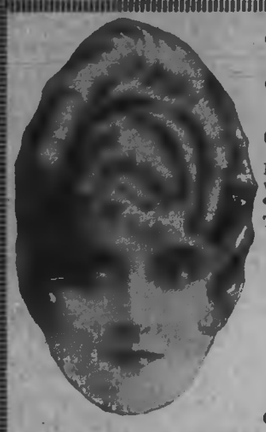

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The Examiner's Dollar Day Contest

A Genuine Estimating Contest—$25.00 in Prizes and a Special Prize of $10.00

This year's Dollar Day, which is to be held on Thursday, January 25th, should be one of the best on record. The Examiner is adding interest to the occasion by putting on an estimating contest that can be figured out with a little patience. We have bought a quart sealer at Masons Grocery Store and sufficient beans at Denne's Flour and Feed Store, George street, to fill it, and to those who put in the nearest correct estimates to the number of beans in the sealer, the following prizes will be given:

First nearest estimate	$ 6.00
Second nearest estimate	5.00
Third nearest estimate	4.00
Fourth nearest estimate	3.00
Fifth nearest estimate	2.00
Sixth nearest estimate	1.00
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Ninth nearest estimate	1.00
Tenth nearest estimate	1.00
	$25.00

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"I was a great sufferer on eczema and salt rheum for years," writes Mr. John W. Naas, Lunenburg, N. S. "Five years ago three boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment cured me and the old trouble never returned. My skin is as soft as a child's now, and I shall always say a good word for this Ointment."

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Both Parties At Ottawa Growing Scared of Country

Realize That People Are Becoming Sick of Partisanship When Smell of Blood is in the Air--Members Affected By Own Sons at the Front---Sam Hughes a Chastener

SESSION WILL ADJOURN

OTTAWA, Ont., January 23.—After all the talk about tension being apparent between the parties, one finds evidence only of depression and a most curious species of fear. Nothing like it has been seen by the oldest Parliamentarian. The debate on the address has opened and not a real note of partisan conflict has entered into nearly five hours' discussion. The sting has been taken out of the assumed controversy about an extension of Parliament by Sir Wilfrid's most politic offer to clear the way for Sir Robert's attendance at the Imperial Conferences with the War Cabinet so that there may be a renewed session with something worth while to occupy the attenton of men who may want to win the war more than they will hunger for an ignoble election.

POLITICIANS AT SEA.

But there was more than Sir Wilfrid's conciliatory tone behind the curious temper of the House. Men who came here last year ready for party fraying—Liberals, eager for exposure of Allisonian scandals, Conservatives, hot to repel charges of incompetence and worse—frankly say they can't read the political sky. One who is much bigger than a partisan told me this evenng that the fellows on both sides have seen a gathering cloud as they have traversed their constituencies. They begin to realize that the people are getting sick of partisanship, when the smell of blood is in the air. They have a more or less defined apprehension that there is a great, big policeman outside with a grasp strong enough to take them by the scuff of the neck and put the disunionists where they belong.

The parties then, are getting scared of the country. "National Government" is being muttered and uttered wherever incipient electioneerers go, and they dread disturbance of the old landmarks.

SHIFTING IS IN PROGRESS.

You must not suppose that there is a mephitic police court air about the White Chamber. The old stamping grounds are being shifted at last and parliamentary intelligence is beginning to glimpse the truth that the war which is blowing half a continent to pieces will really make a difference in these too traditional corridors. That is partly due to the cruelty of the war which has invaded the House itself as it had not broken into it a year ago. One member and the sons of several more have been killed since prorogation. Mr. Hazen's son died as last session was dying. Three Liberals have been bereaved. Both Mr. Loggie's sons have been wounded. Three of Dr. Clark's boys are in khaki, one of them wonderfully preserved since he first saw battle with the Princess Pat's.

This sort of thing helps the breaking away from partizanship in which the country is ahead of the Commons and subdues the ardor of the most vehement foeman of yesterday.

NO FEVERISH EXCITEMENT.

No more curious evidence of the changing spirit has been given than the quietude with which Sir Wilfrid's criticisms of the Government were received by his own henchmen. From the time he left praising the Duke of Connaught and the new Duke till he sat down, fifty-five minutes later, he was treated to more silence than a similar speech of his has ever received. That was not because of dissent from his friends, but because of the strange pall that has descended on the more crowded Government side there was a similar though not as complete a reticense.

There was an old time reminiscence in the cheers when Sir Robert to quoqueing Sir Wilfrid on his charge of lack of harmony in the Cabinet reminded him of Tarte's declaration that in the Laurier Government they fought like blazes. But, on the question of extending the life of Parliament when Sir Robert declared, with as much vigor as he put into anything he said, that the reasons he gave a year ago for extension are quite as congent now, not a semblance of a sound broke the calm of his followers.

IN LEASH, PERHAPS NOT CHAINED.

Of course the temper of these leashed parties may break down or break up, any hour. You never can tell what the Maritime men may throw nto a simmering pot, and the scandal of Dorchester is an uncertain quantity. But the two leaders are statesmen, after all, and Sir Robert's virtual acceptance of the offer to vote supply, cry off contention, and go home while he goes to London is proof enough to go on with that the logic of events is penetrating the Museum. If everything had to be held up for Sir Wilfrid's attendance at the Imperial Conference in 1911, how much more reason is there to silence the dogs of domestic war while weightier matters are on trial. An election soon followed Sir Wilfrid's return, and history may repeat itself in an unrepeatable war. If it does, the country will at least have had time to find itself and the incurable partisans opportunity to forget themselves.

And on the questions of prosecuting the war, the scope of peace which alone can honour our dead, and the spirit in which the after-war problems must be approached, both sides gave sufficient sign of being essentially agreed. To fight now about extending the life of a Parliament which is insured for nearly eight months—well, even children are sometimes wise.

SIR SAM HUGHES' POSITION.

Sir Sam Hughes is a first-class chastener; on the Government side he is the enfant incalculable. Now that it has come to the impossibility of cheering both him and Sir Robert Borden, the embarrassment of their friends evokes the sympathy of the humane. With pitiless logic Sir Wilfrid had exposed the seriousness of Sir Sam's charges against Sir Robert revealed in the fatal correspondence. The alleged holding up of the second contingent for four months while the patronage leeches fought for unnecessary commissions on the purchase of supplies is a sample of the indictments against the Borden way of not doing things at home, and the wanton scrapping of good equipment is a specimen of the subordination of Canadian common sense to English crassness, which Sir Sam says distinguished the abdication of Canadian control over Canadian affairs that in effect has caused us to fight more like a flunkey than like a nation. Sir Sam says that in 1914 Lord Kitchener told them the acting High Commissioner had conveyed the wish of the Canadian Government that in England the Canadian troops would be treated like British regulars—absolutely under War Office direction. Against this Sir Sam never ceased to protest.

RETORTS OF LEADERS.

"Is that parliamentary government?" asked Sir Wilfrid, without pronouncing as between the two knights. Sir Sam sat at the end of the front ministerial line, on a back bencher's chair, a handsome, rather pathetic figure, with some of the former dominant lines smoothed out of his face. He was a bull terrier trying to look at ease while a fire smouldered in his vitals.

Sir Robert made the best show he has ever made of turning water off a duck's back, as he referred to assertions that he is a confirmed vacillator. He was quite gay and bantering and played with great gusto a swell-looking card. He compared the Laurier change of front about troops for South Africa with his own committal of Canada to this war, "while my colleagues were not at Ottawa."

Sir Wilfrid's obvious retort was that Sir Robert's big troubles always come because he can't make up his mind when his colleagues are at Ottawa, but he didn't make it.

Anyway Sir Robert skated away from the real issue that Sir Sam's letters have projected into the final politics of the war. The conflict as to fact which was renewed in the House by Sir Sam's challenge to Sir Robert to recall his protest against the Kitchener attitude in 1914, and the objection raised in England against the second divison command, lifted the veil only a little, but enough to promise a real lively time if ever Sir Sam lets himself go. Sir Robert handled a difficult situation exceedingly well.

Borden Offers Sevigny Ontario Seat If He Loses

OTTAWA, Jan. 23.—It is stated here on good authority that Sir Robert Borden has intimated to Hon Albert Sevingy, Minister of Inland Revenue that if he is defeated in Dorchester by Lucien Cannon, several Conservative constituencies in Ontario will be placed at his disposal, from which he may choose a seat. The report appears in the French Conservative organ, La Patrie, and is not denied here. Several members in Ontario are said to be ready to step out in favour of the new Nationalist Minister.

Meanwhile the fight in Dorchester goes merrily on, with opinion fairly well divided as to the result, Mr. Cannon continues to attack the record of his opponent and the methods and extravagance of the Government. Mr Sevigny has undertaken to give $1,000 to charity, if Mr. Cannon can establish to the electorate that his candidature following his St. Prosper speech, is endorsed by Sir Wilfrid Laurier. Mr. Cannon declines to take up the bet.

Simply Foolish.—"Man," remarked Sandy, "I did a thing last nicht that I've no dune this twenty year. I went to ma bed pairrfectly sober, but I'm richt thankful to say I got up this mornin' noose the waur!"

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For Dyspepsia, Indigestion
Heartburn, Belching, Sour Stomach, Gas in Stomach, etc., take a teaspoonful of Bisurated Magnesia in a half glass of hot water after eating. Is safe, pleasant, and harmless to use and gives instant relief from all forms of stomach disorder. Sold by all druggists everywhere.

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"Fruit-a-tives" Builds Up The Whole System

Those who take "Fruit-a-tives" for the first time, are often astonished at the way *it builds them up and makes them feel better all over*. They may be taking "Fruit-a-tives" for some specific disease, as Constipation, Indigestion, Chronic Headaches or Neuralgia, Kidney or Bladder Trouble, Rheumatism or Pain in the Back. And they find when "Fruit-a-tives" has cured the disease, that they feel better and stronger in every way. This is due to the *wonderful tonic properties* of these famous tablets, made from fruit juices.

50c. a box, 6 for $2.50, trial size, 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

New Ruling Made In A. R. Standard

Buttons to Be Divided Into Two Classes According to Numbers

A marked change in the issuing of A. R. buttons came into effect at the Central Recruiting Depot yesterday, as a result of which buttons will be issued in future only to applicants who have been found unfit for overseas service with the unit recruiting under the lowest physical standard—in other words, to applicants who have been found physically unfit for the 257th Railway Construction Battalion, No. 1 Skilled Railway Employes' Section, or for the Forestry unit now recruiting a section in Northern Ontario. As was pointed out the practice up to date has been to issue the A. R. button to men who applied and were found unfit for one of the harder branches of the service, such as the artillery or the cavalry, quite regardless of the fact that they might be acceptable to the Railway Construction or Forestry units.

Buttons are Graded.

In announcing this change in the system, the officers in charge of the depot recognize that it will be a much harder matter for a man to secure an A. R. button to-day than it was two days ago, and that all those who received buttons in the past may still be fit for service overseas with the railway units. For that reason they are drawing a distinct line of cleavage between the two classes of A. R. men in order that the public may know just where each man stands, the line being placed at button No. 7,732, which was the last to be issued under the old conditions. The result of this is that all men in the city holding buttons numbered anywhere from 1 to 7,732 may still be fit for one of the lighter branches of the service, and the holders will have an opportunity of establishing their claim to one of the higher numbered buttons by going back to the depot and offering their services to one of the units to which the recent lowering of the physical standard applies. If they are found unfit for service on any of these units, their old buttons will be taken in and new ones will be issued bearing numbers which will indicate that they have been found unfit for military duty in any capacity.

Number is important.

The result of the change, as the military men see it, is that the number on a man's button is now of far more significance than the button itself, and the only way to determine that a man has offered himself for service in any capacity is to learn that the number of his button is higher than 7732. While 7732 represents the number of buttons issued under the old conditions, the authorities recognize that there must be hundreds of those who are unfit for service in any form whatever, and who will want to prove the same, just as there must be hundreds of others who are fit for several units now that the standard has been lowered, and for that reason they are anticipating a fresh run on the depot for buttons.

BEECHAM ESTATE $5,000,000

LONDON, Jan. 23.—The will of Sir Joseph Beecham, whose death occurred last October, was sworn for probate this week. The estate amounts to £1,000,000 ($5,000,000). The testator left his American property to his son Henry.

Want your hair to stay?
Give it some attention. Sunlight and Newsora Hairpicide, the original remedy that kills the dandruff germ. Don't use "hair growers" and gums before brushes. Hairpicide cures dandruff and stops itching at once. Almost everybody needs before its too late.

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DOLLAR DAY IS WITH US AGAIN

And the **EXAMINER** is assisting to make it a success. Each year we have conducted an Estimating Contest that has added interest to the event.

This year we are asking you to estimate on

THE NUMBER OF BEANS IN A QUART SEALER

and to the nearest correct estimates we will give the prizes mentioned below.

For every dollar paid into the Examiner on DOLLAR DAY, **Thursday, January 25th,** for an account, a subscription the Daily Examiner at $4.00 per year or the Weekly Examiner at $1.00 per year we will give estimating blanks for **Our Own Contest of $25.00** and for the **Merchants' Treasury Box of $175.00** and we are also offering a **Special Prize of $10.00 extra** if the person winning the Merchants' Treasury Box **First Prize of $25.00** secured the Estimating Blank through the Examiner Office.

It is possible then for a first prize winner who has secured Examiner Estimating Blanks to earn

Merchants' Treasury Box Prize of	**$25.00**
Our Own First Prize	**6.00**
And Special Prize of	**10.00**
And Total of	**41.00**

The following is the list of prizes offered by the Examiner for estimating the number of beans in the quart sealer which will be on exhibition in the Peterborough Book Store window from Saturday the 20th until Dollar Day night at 10 o'clock:

First Nearest Estimate			**$6.00**
Second	"	"	**5.00**
Third	"	"	**4.00**
Fourth	"	"	**3.00**
Fifth	"	"	**2.00**
Sixth	"	"	**1.00**
Seventh	"	"	**1.00**
Eight	"	"	**1.00**
Ninth	"	"	**1.00**
Tenth	"	"	**1.00**
			25.00
Our Special Prize of			**10.00**
			35.00

The quart gem was bought in Mason's Grocery and the beans required to fill it at Denne's Flour and Feed Store, George Street.

Aside from the attraction and excitement of the different contests put on by the merchants, the opportunity of purchasing seasonable goods at Dollar Day prices should be a sufficient incentive to draw a large crowd to the City.

SODEN'S BOOKSTORE

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NEXT BANK OF COMMERCE

In premises formerly occupied by Royal Bank

BORDEN HEDGING ON THE SOLDIERS' VOTE

Now Takes Directly the Opposite View to That of Two Years Ago

OTTAWA, Jan. 23—Sir Robert Borden's new and somewhat novel argument in favour of extension, namely, that it would be impossible to take the soldiers' vote, has created some amusement in political circles at Ottawa. This, it will be recalled, was the very argument used by the Opposition two seasons ago, when the Government was pushing the soldiers' voting bill through Parliament, but the argument held no weight with the Prime Minister, the Minister of Justice, and the rank and file of the party. The bill was passed, the ballots were prepared, crated, and sent to England, and they are even now stacked in the High Commissioner's Office at London. At that time, it may be noted, the Government was more favourable to an election than it is to-day.

As a matter of fact, it is stated that the Government has been making inquiries as to the possibility of distributing campaign literature among the troops at the front. Judging by Sir Robert's statement to the House, the result of these inquiries has not been very satisfactory. As a consequence, the publication of a paper for distribution among the soldiers is in contemplation. Without doubt, it will be carefully edited.

It is clear that a new cry will be raised in the event of an election being held, namely, that Liberals forced the contest, with the knowledge that the troops could not vote.

Failing Sight Traced To Kidney Plaster

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—The Optical Journal received from Dr. Frank lin D. Seward, president of the New York State Optical Society, a report of an unusual case which came to his attention in which belladonna, used in a plaster over the kidneys, caused almost total blindness and so poisoned the entire system that the saliva was dried up and all food tasted like sawdust.

Dr. Seward, who has an office at No. 47 West Thirty-fourth street, had the case brought to his attention when Bert Green, a member of the brokerage firm of Hooley & Co., of No. 15 Broad street, and living at Rutherford, N.J., came to him for treatment, reporting that he feared he was becoming blind as he could not read even the large headlines of newspapers.

Upon examination Dr. Seward found that the optic disc was in good condition and the refractive muscles were paralysed. He diagnosed the case as poisoning from atropine or belladonna, but Mr. Green replied that he had taken no medicine. Upon further examination Dr. Seward found his patient for three days had been wearing an application which contained belladonna. After this was taken off the sight returned, other symptoms disappeared and Mr. Green is now in perfect health.

There has been No Increase In the price of **Grape-Nuts** Nor Any Decrease In the Size of Package Or Quality Of the Food

WHEAT MARKET WEAK YESTERDAY

Markets were weak yesterday, with a very slow demand from Europe, and Wilson's speech being effectively used to bear the market. Chicago closed off 2 1-8c. and Winnipeg 2 7-8c. off on the May option. Cash price 2c. lower on Manitobas, and one cent lower on Ontario.

Manitoba wheat— No. 1 northern, $2.05, track, bay ports; No. 2, $2.02; No. 3, $1.97; No. 4, $1.86; old crop, 4c. above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W., 71c.; No. 3, 67 1-2c.; extra No. 1 feed, 67 1-2c.; No. 1 feed, 67c., all rail delivered.

American corn—No. 3, $1.13, shipment within 30 days.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 64c. to 65c.; No. 3 white, 63c. to 65c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1.81 to $1.83; No. 3, $1.79 to $1.81.

Peas— No. 2, nominal, car lots, $2.35.

Barley — Good malting, $1.20 to $1.22; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal, $1.28 to $1.30.

Rye— No. 1 commercial, nominal, No. 2, new, $1.40 to $1.42.

Manitoba flour —First patents, in jute bags, $9.90; second patents, in jute, $9.40; strong bakers, in jute, $9, Toronto.

Ontario flour—New winter, $7.40 to $7.50, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment; $7.25, bulk, seaboard, export grade.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered Montreal; shorts, $38; bran, $34; feed flour, per bag, $2.90.

Hay—Baled, No. 1, track, Toronto best grade, new hay, car lots, $13; No 2, $12 to $12.50; mixed, $10 to $11.50; straw, $9.

Cattle Marke.

Union Stock Yards: Receipts yesterday, 28 cars, with 369 sheep, 111 calves, 466 hogs, and 83 sheep and lambs.

Supplies were short and scarcely enough to make a market, but sufficient to bring out a very keen demand for anything in the way of choice killing or feeding cattle. A couple of choice heavy steers topped the market at $10.90, and a bunch of 9 good butcher steers sold at $10.60. The lower grades were steady to strong.

Sharp and cattle strong.

Hogs steady to strong.

Latest quotations:

Heavy steers	$10.25 to $10.90
Choice butcher	9.75 10.00
do good	9.25 9.25
do common	8.50 7.50
do medium	8.00 8.50
Heifers, good to choice	8.00 9.00
do medium	7.00 7.50
Butcher cows, choice	7.60 8.25
do medium	6.75 6.25
Butcher bulls, choice	7.50 8.50
do good	7.00 7.25
do medium	6.00 6.50
Feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs.	7.50 8.00
do bulls	6.25 6.50
Stockers, 700 to 800 lbs.	7.50 7.75
do med., 650 to 750 lbs.	6.25 6.75
do light, 500 to 650 lbs.	.... 6.50
Canners	5.00 5.25
Cutters	5.50 5.75
Sheep, light	8.50 10.00
do heavy	7.50 8.50
Spring lambs	10.75 15.00
Calves	8.00 13.00
Hogs, fed and watered	.... 14.00
do weighed off cars	14.25 ....

NATIONWIDE FIGHT ON HEART DISEASE UNDER WAY IN U.S.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.— Heart disease has caused more deaths in this country and city in the last few years than tuberculosis, according to physicians in the New York Post-Graduate Medical School and Hospital, Second avenue and Twentieth street. The hospital is conducting a vigorous campaign against heart disease and is educating sufferers from it in a manner similar to the way other organizations are trying to curtail consumption. Little has been organized in the Post-Graduate a special heart clinic, and one hundred persons, half of them children, are being treated there.

The fact that at least twenty thousand of New York city's eight hundred thousand school children are suffering from various forms of heart disease is a danger signal that must arrest the attention of the community to the menace of this ailment," one of the hospital physicians said. "Unless the condition of these children is greatly relieved many of them will become dependents thus adding an increasing burden to the taxpayers for their maintenance.

Knowledge of Disease Lacking.

"The widespread publicity given to tuberculosis has been highly effective in reducing the death rate from that disease. On the other hand a comparative lack of knowledge concerning the proper care of heart sufferers has contributed to a large extent to the great increase in the mortality from that disease."

The hospital officials say that in 913 9,674 persons died of heart disease, whereas 8,604 succumbed to tuberculosis. Organic heart disease deaths in 1914 were 10,058 as compared with 8,-18 from consumption and in 1915 10,-83 deaths occurred from cardiac causes as against 8,825 from the "white plague."

In 1915 the United States government received reports showing that in the registration area 105,200 persons died of heart disease, while tuberculosis in all forms caused only 98,194. In the United States registration area in 1915 there were 67,306,992 persons. As the total population of continental United States for that year was estimated at 100,399,318, deaths occurring among the 67.1 per cent. of the population registered were reported to the government officials. Therefore the physicians interested said the figures show that heart disease is the greatest menace to health in this country, and it is expected by those specializing in its treatment that co-ordinated efforts by city, county, State and national agencies soon will be launched to to combat the disease.

Due to Mouth Infection.

In speaking of the causes of the disease physicians said that it is conceded by the foremost medical authorities that a large proportion of organic disease is a direct result of infection originating in the mouth, chiefly in the tonsils and as a result of decayed teeth. When the tonsils are diseased they serve as dangerous incubators it was said, the physician adding that in examination in the New York public schools had revealed that thousands of children have unhealthy tonsils.

It was explained that the poisons excreted in the tonsils are carried by the blood stream to the heart, where the streptococci act selectively on certain tissues of that organ and in varying degrees impair its efficiency. The same dangerous bacteria are said to inhabit in great numbers the tissues surrounding the roots of diseased teeth.

Many striking instances of how proper mouth and throat hygiene relieves heart sufferers were given by the physicians discussing the work of the Post-Graduate heart class.

The case of Susie, eight years old, treated in the heart clinic, illustrates what the general carrying out of preventive measures would mean in the fight against heart disease. Her heart was so weakened she was unable to stand the strain of daily school sessions.

The first step, as the clinic physician put it, was to "clean up her mouth." That meant that her teeth were treated until there was no more infection from decay, and her disease tonsils, which had been culture medium for bacteria, were removed. She then was sent to an open air convalescent home on Staten Island, where in four weeks she gained three pounds. She had to return to the hospital for several weeks for treatment for another disease of childhood, from which she quickly recovered.

The child then was placed in convalescent home at Sea Cliff, L.I. In six week she added nine more pounds to her weight. She now is attending school, her weakened heart is much stronger, and by careful living, members of the clinic staff assert, her life will be prolonged many years.

SUNDAY READING FOR A THOUGHTFUL HOUR

Prepared for the Examiner by a Local Church Worker

MOVE TO THE FORE.

Men whom God hath made fit for the fray,
Not yours to shrink, as the feeble ones may;
Not yours to parley and quibble and shirk;
Fit for the world if ye do not God's work.
Move to the fore!
Move to the fore!

Say not another is fitter than thou—
Shame to the manhood that sits on thy brow!
Own thyself equal to all that man may;
Cease thine evading; God needs thee to-day.
Move to the fore!
Move to the fore!

God, Himself, waits and must wait till thou come,
Men are God's prophets though ages be dumb;
Hail's the Christ-kingdom with conquest so near?
Thou art the cause, then, thou man at the rear.
Move to the fore!

A Christian Future.

One of the greatest needs of the hour is the need for a firmer and more assured faith on the part of every one of us in the possibility of a Christian future for the world. Looking at it to-day from the outside it looks like an utterly pagan affair, does it not And, superficially, the future doesn't seem much brighter than the present. Preparedness campaigns and threats of bitter trade wars do not presage the immediate dawning of the day of universal brotherhood. Sometimes it looks like the devil's world, does it not? But it isn't. In fact it never was as far from being his as it is today. And one of the things you and I need very much is a strong, clear vision and faith that will enable us to see in the turmoil and strife of our day the struggle of great divine principles that points to a day of triumph for righteousness and brotherly-kindness in the earth. The great Father of us all is in this struggle, and He will bring out of it, as we will let Him, a good to the race that will be past our reckoning. That should be our faith and hope.

Is this a time to halt when all around
Wide horizons meet, new destinies confront?
Stern duties wait our nation, never wont
To play the laggard, when God's will was found.
No; rather strengthen stakes and lengthen cords,
Enlarge thy bands and gates, O thou elect;
And to thy kingdom come for such a time.
The earth, with all its fulness, is the Lord's;
Great things attempt for Him, great things expect,
Whose love imperial is, whose power sublime.

—Selected.

Willing To Pay $170,000 To Woman Rather Than Marry Her

Twelve Pittsburgh jurors, unable to agree otherwise on the amount of damages Miss Nettie M. Richardson should receive from Henry Deniston, aged Swissvalle recluse, for his failure to marry her, added the amounts each believed she should have, divided the total by twelve, and awarded her a verdict for the result—$17,000. That is the largest verdict ever given in the courts for a failure to keep a promise to marry.

This application of arithmetic to the troubles of Mr. Dennison and the young woman was satisfactory to her and even she intimated he was willing to let the matter drop there, but his attorneys said the case would be appealed to a higher court, where perhaps the application of higher mathematics would give a different result.

Miss Richardson is forty years old. She formerly was a hotel clerk. Mr. Denniston is seventy-eight and credited with possessing $3,000,000. They are third cousins, if such a relationship may be figured. The cashier of the Braddock National Bank testified that Mr. Denniston had $400,000 in cash on deposit there, and that seemed to be sufficient evidence for the jury concerning his ability to pay a large sum.

Mr. Denniston never made love to Miss Richardson, she testified. He did not caress her, nor kiss her. It was a purely business understanding with him. On two of her calls at his home she testified he had proposed that they be married and that she take care of him in his declining years, for which service he proposed to make a liberal allowance, realized that he had gotten along fairly well through his long life, without spending much money, so why begin at his advanced age? Therefore, he informed Miss Richardson he would not marry her.

"I thank God that there were twelve honest men on the jury to give an honest verdict to a working girl," said Miss Richardson after the jury reported. "I had expected not less than $100,000, and believed I might get as much as $200,000. I had asked for $500,000. Therefore, I am not surprised by the verdict."

"I do not think the case will go any further," said Mr. Denniston. He indicated he was tired of the entire matter and wished to drop it.

Cocoanut Oil Fine For Washing Hair

If you want to keep your hair in good condition, be careful what you wash it with.

Don't use prepared shampoos or anything else, that contains too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and is very harmful Just plain mulsified cocoanut oil (which isp ure and entirely greaseless), is much better than the most expensive soap or anything else you can use for shampooing, as this can't possibly injure the hair.

Simply moisten your hair with water and rub it in. One or two teaspoonfuls will make an abundance of rich, creamy lather, and cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. The lather rinses out easily and removes every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves it fine and silky, bright, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get mulsified cocoanut oil at most any drug store. It is very cheap, and a few ounces is enough to last everyone in the family for months.

Women Lawers in England Opposed

GENERAL COUNCIL OF BAR DEFEATS PROPOSAL TO CONSIDER THEIR ADMISSION.

LONDON, Jan. 23.—Women will not be permitted to practise law in England if the lawyers can prevent them. At a meeting of the General Council of the Bar, over which Attorney General Sir F. E. Smith presided a resolution asking for General Council to "consider a report upon the desirability of making provision for the admission of duly qualified women to the profession" was overwhelming defeated.

Labour Party Will Support New Government

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

MANCHESTER, Eng., Jan. 24.— Congratulations from Premier Lloyd George were received by the Labour Party Conference here to-day.

The British Prime Minister expressed his approbation of the Conference's vote yesterday supporting the co-operation of its members with the new Government, and with labour's decision to take its share of the burden and responsibility in directing the affairs of the Empire during the great struggle for freedom and international right now on.

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A Famous Romance

Interesting records from the pedigree of a famous family of fighting Scots were read to the Baronetage Committee of the Privy Council on the consideration of the petition of Mr. Alexander Bethune to be placed on the official roll of baronets in respect of the baronetcy of Sharp of Scotscraig. The Committee was composed of the Earl of Desart, Lord Sandhurst, Lord Dunedin, Lord Strathclyde and Lord Scott-Dickson.

The story of the baronetage as put forward in the claim was a truly romantic one. It was originally conferred by Charles II. in 1683 upon Sir William Sharp of Scotscraig, the son of Archbishop Sharp, of St. Andrews, who was murdered in 1677. A subsequent holder of the title was Sir William Sharp, who was born in 1729, along with an uncle, he took part in the rising of 1745. Taken prisoner, he pleaded guilty to a charge of treason, but, on account of his youth, obtained a reprieve. After his release he went abroad and served in the French army till 1761, when, in the hope of securing a full pardon, he left the French service and returned to England. In the meantime France and Spain declared war against Portugal, which was in alliance with Great Britain and Sir William entered the Portuguese army and rose to high rank, becoming brigadier-general and governor of the fortified town of Olivenca.

Returning to England in 1768 he presented a memorial to the Crown praying for a formal pardon in order that he might be entitled to enjoy his baronetcy. The prayer of the memorial was granted by George III., in the following year. He then returned to Scotland and married Bethune, eldest daughter of John Bethune of Blebo. The Bethunes of Blebo were a family of ancient lineage and high standing in Fife. Of this marriage a son was born. The entry in the register of the episcopal church of St. Andrews was as follows: "A Blebo, Aug. 20, 1771, Alexander, son of Sir William Sharp, was baptized, and Mr Bethune, of Blebo, the mother's father; the Rev. Jas. Hutchison, and my Lady Sharp, the father's mother, were sponsors."

Sir William Sharp died in London in February, 1780, and was buried in St. Marylebone Churchyard. As to the marriage of Sir William Sharp and Margaret Bethune, no certificate was known to be in existence, and no entry of the proclamation of the banns or the celebration of the marriage could be found; but the explanation was that no register of banns or marriages for the parish of Kemback existed for the whole period 1703-1787. In the ordinary case therefore, showing the unambiguous recognition by both families would amply establish the fact of the marriage and the legitimacy of the child.

It was, however, stated by Sir William's mother, after his death, that he had a lawful widow and a natural daughter in Portugal. The son Alexander never served heir to his father, or assumed the title, while Margaret Bethune ultimately resumed his maiden name.

Alexander meanwhile obtained a commission in the army, and was for a number of years a prisoner of war in France. At one time he was at Verdun-sur-Meuse. In 1795 he was authorized to take the name and arms of Bethune of Blebo, and ultimately became General Bethune of Blebo.

Accounts in the name of Alexander Sharp, dated 1788, contained such items as "Cock-fighting, 6d." "To a fiddler's wedding, 2d.," "Coals for the school, 8 1-2d.," and "Chaise hire from Cupar, 10d."

Alexander (General Bethune of Blebo), died in 1847, and was succeeded by his eldest son, Alexander, who married Margaret Maxwell, and died in 1900. The claimant —Mr Alexander Bethune—is their son.

By the law of Scotland, said the defendant, where a marriage was null because of some pre-existing impediment the legitimacy of the children might be saved if even one of the parents was in honest ignorance of the impediment.

It was urged that the marriage of Sir William and Margaret and the paternity of the child were recognized most solemnly by both families and by the clergymen.

The committee announced that his Majesty would be advised of their decision later.

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The decision of the jury came after Mrs. Stewart's declaration on the witness stand that when she met Mr. Rourke she had no love for her husband, having realized her "mistake" immediately after her marriage, in 1887, but that she decided to "put up with it" and that she had never gone out with her husband from the day of her marriage or received as much as a stick of peppermint candy from him.

Counsel for Mr. Rourke moved to set aside the verdict. Decision was reserved and Justice Kelly gave each side one week in which to submit briefs.

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OUR DAILY SHORT STORY

A Balky Lover

By ELINOR MARSH

Mr. and Mrs. Harkaway's daughter, Maria, was the one being on earth who absorbed their interest. All went well till Maria's affections became centered on a young man, and the young man was so slow in proposing that Mrs. Harkaway feared some other girl would steal him away from her daughter. The mother kept her fears to herself as long as possible, then revealed them to her husband.

"I do think," said Mrs. Harkaway, "that young fellow who is coming to see Maria should either propose to her or be told not to come to see her any more."

"How do you know that he hasn't proposed to her?" asked her husband.

"Because when I went into the parlor last evening after he had gone I asked her, and she said he hadn't."

"Does she want him to propose?"

"Of course she does. Do you suppose she would let him come and sit with her twice a week—sometimes three times—unless she expected that he would ask her to marry him?"

"Maria is a good girl. Do you know whether he is a good man?"

"Maria says he is as steady as a clock and has money laid up."

"What do you suppose he's waiting for?"

"Maria says he's a natural putter off of things."

"Well, I reckon we'll have to find some way to help her out."

"What do you mean?"

"Why, don't you remember when we were engaged how I was waiting to get a certain sum laid up to be married on, and your little brother one day flatly asked me why I didn't marry you or take myself off? I know very well that he had taken the words from your father's mouth, and it brought me to the scratch. We must lay some such plan for this young lover."

"That's easier said than done."

One evening when the usual sparkling was going on in the parlor there was a ring at the front door bell. Maria went to the door and reported that an Italian was there with a parrot he said the gentleman had asked him to bring to him. The man was admitted to the living room, and Mr. Harkaway said to him:

"You think you have found a bird that will talk, eh?"

'You betta I have."

'What is he worth?'

'Fifty dolla'."

"Well, let's hear what he can do."

The Italian took the parrot from his arm and by talking to him elicited many wonderful sayings. When he had done so Mrs. Harkaway said to him:

"I wish you would let my daughter hear him talk. Come this way."

She led him out into the parlor, where Maria's young man was sitting beside her.

"Maria," said the lady, "I wish you to hear this wonderful parrot. He says such queer things."

"Yes'm," said Maria, and her young man rose and stood in presence of the mother. The Italian held the parrot on his forefinger and said a number of things to him, which the bird doubtless understood, for he began to chatter. Then, suddenly fixing his attention on the lovers, he said:

"Maria, give me a kiss."

Maria colored, and her young man started.

Then followed some rambling talk, during which the parrot seemed to have forgotten the lovers. They were recovering from his pertinent remark when he broke forth anew:

"Maria, will you marry me?"

By this time Mr. Harkaway had come through the hall and stood in the parlor door, evidently desirous of satisfying himself that the parrot was worth the price asked for him. He was in time to hear the last words.

"Of course I'll marry you," were the parrot's last words.

Harkaway, pretending that he supposed the proposition and acceptance to come from the lovers, marched up to Maria and congratulated her. Then, turning to her young man, he said:

"You've got a mighty good girl, and she'll make you a mighty good wife."

The young man, instead of looking disgruntled, seemed pleased. He was not much of a talker, and a smile was his only response to the congratulations. It is quite likely he felt grateful to the bird for relieving him of making a proposal.

Mrs. Harkaway hung back for a time, not pretending that she had mistaken the parrot's voice for that of the lovers; but, seeing that the young man was disposed to avail himself of the bird's proposal, she went to Maria and offered her congratulations.

The Italian was sent away with his parrot and a five dollar bill to pay for his exhibition of ventriloquism, for he had been hired and coached by Harkaway to bring about what had occurred.

"What an absurd scene!" remarked Mrs. Harkaway to her husband. "I almost gave it all away by laughing."

"But it was effective."

"Nothing would have made it effective but your unmitigated assurance."

After that Maria's young man came to make preparations for the wedding, Maria being furnished with a trousseau by her mother. The nuptials were celebrated quietly, though Mr. and Mrs. Harkaway were present to hear giving away the bride.

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That cooked cucumbers are delicious? They can be boiled and creamed with a little onion or parsley for flavor or baked in the oven like stuffed peppers.

That the shells of fresh green peas make a delicious basis for soup? They should be very tender and very young, and should be simmered gently for an hour.

That in preparing beets for cooking you should be careful not to break or cut the skin? If you do the juice escapes in cooking and the beets thereby lose some of their food value.

That if string beans are somewhat wilted when they come from the garden or the market they should be made crisp by soaking in cold water for an hour before preparing them for cooking? After they have been freed from strings and cut they should be soaked in cold water again for at least twelve hours for cooking.

That green peas should always be cooked slowly and with the cover partly off from the saucepan? That they should never be cooked more than thirty minutes? That when green peas are a little overgrown and hard they should be cooked with a few ounces of pork?

That lettuce that is too old or tough to eat green makes a delicious dish when cooked as a green? It should be cooked for ten or fifteen minutes, drained, chopped and reheated either with butter, pepper and salt or a flavored white sauce. The addition of a well beaten egg yolk adds to its flavor and nutritive value.

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The hat is of white net trimmed with a white ostrich feather band.

GENERAL AS SAMSON

White of Ladysmith Had Remarkable Powers—Kaiser's Visit

In Sir Mortimer Durand's biography of Sir George White, Captain Harry Brooke, in a note contributed to the volume, says that the defender of Ladysmith was a man of remarkable physical strength. "Sir George," he says, "was left-handed and very powerful. I have seen him take two Schneider rifles by the muzzles and hold them both out at arms' length; and when we travelled together in the west of Ireland we used to have great fun 'putting' the shot and lifting weights against the strong men of the Irish Constabulary. Sir George used to humbug them by first 'putting' with his right arm, and then if they beat him he would take them on with the left, and easily beat them all. He was also very fond of racquets, and a very good player, serving terrifically hard with his left arm."

Not the least interesting of the letters from Sir George White quoted in Sir Mortimer Durand's book are those written when he was Governor of Gibraltar, describing a visit of the Kaiser to the Rock in 1904. The German Emperor climbed to the top of the Rock, and was struck with the magnificent view which he obtained of the Mediterranean and the Bay and Straits of Gibraltar. He said it was representative, on a small scale, of the insularity and inaccessibility of England.

"In the Pink"—A Hero

An Englishman writes: I have just heard of a man who has lost his left arm, had his right collar-bone broken, and his jaw smashed "to little bits." He is being removed to another hospital to have a false jaw fixed up, and has written to his employer to say that he has "arrived safely at Leeds," and that he, too, is "feeling in the pink at present." It is a strange world into which we have all drifted!

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BLEACHING LACE

If the lace on any garment is in need of bleaching, it should be ripped off the blouse or gown, if possible, and bleached separately, as a different process is needed to that used with white goods. The lace should be washed and ironed then stitched on cotton with basting thread and soaked for twenty minutes in olive oil. Afterward it should be boiled for twenty minutes in suds of castile soap and rinsed in warm water. This will make it beautifully white. If the lace is only slightly yellowed it may be washed in strong soapsuds, rinsed and afterward immersed in fresh suds, and then exposed to the sun. The sun's rays will often do much toward bleaching lace or other white goods.

If a thin summer gown has become so faded that it looks shabby, then it can either be dyed at home to a pretty color or it can be bleached white. If the latter is desired, the gown should be boiled in soapsuds, to which a good amount of bran has been added, and then hung up in the sun to dry. A more efficacious way of bleaching the silk and one which is sure to meet with success is to expose the gown to the fumes of sulphur.

Dandelion Salad

When dandelions are plentiful, cover a number of the young plants with a pot, flat stones or flat pieces of wood, or simply draw over them an inch of sand and leave for a week, then uncover and cut out by the roots. The leaves should then be strongly blanched by this procedure. Where this is not possible, simply select the tiny heart leaves from the quantity you have.

After thorough washing let stand in cold water for an hour; then, if not needed at once, wrap them in a wet cloth and stand on the ice or in the refrigerator. It is cold, preventing evaporation by wrapping it in a piece of brown paper. When making the salad, put the leaves dry on a soft cloth and mix with a French dressing or a thin mayonnaise, as may be preferred.

The dressing calls for four tablespoonfuls of olive oil mixed with half a teaspoonful of salt and one-quarter of a teaspoonful of black pepper. Drop slowly into this one tablespoonful of vinegar, stirring vigorously until thoroughly mixed then put in one of the oil and vinegar will separate. Add shredded hard boiled eggs.

If you have light-colored blankets which are too worn to use on your beds, you can make lovely comforts by placing between sateen or pretty silkoline and tacking them together with worsted.

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"I am happy to tell you that I used Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine, and was promptly cured of a very bad cold in the chest," writes Mrs. Josephine, Gaultier, Dover South, Ont. You can depend on Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine to relieve and cure all inflammations and irritations of the throat and bronchial tubes.

EXAMINER PATTERN SERVICE

LADY'S LONG KIMONO.

By Anabel Worthington.

6588

Looking at this picture, one is easily convinced that Fashion extends her favor to the kimono as well as to the garment worn in public. Life is never so dull for the Parisian designer that she cannot put excitement into the cosy garment, and to the kimono illustrated is sure to attract attention.

The collar of contrasting goods and color has a "long and pointed" pedigree. It dips to the waistline at front and back and has a frill of edging to give the softness of outline that such intimate garment needs; the loose sleeves are cuffed to correspond. Silk fringe, wool fringe or ruchings of silk, according to the material employed in making the kimono, may be used instead of lace, or the collar may be without embellishment.

A fascinating ribbon sash arranged at normal waistline has its useful purpose in adjusting the fulness and in fastening the garment—its decorative worth is notable.

Silk, albatross, challis, serpentine crepe or soft warm flannel may be chosen to make this cosy garment. To see it is to want it and it may easily be yours at small cost with the help of the illustrated instructions on the pattern tissue showing HOW to put the pieces together.

The pattern of kimono No. 6588 cuts in sizes 36, 40 and 44. To make in size 36 requires 5¼ yards 36 inch material, ¾ yard contrasting goods, 5 yards wide edging.

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Bird Sand, 3 packages	.25
Pork and Beans, 7 for	$1.00
Pork and Beans, large, 6 for	$1.00
Green Beans, 8 cans for	$1.00
Dutch Cleanser, 12 cans for	$1.00
Surprise Soap, 22 bars for	$1.00
Holbrook's Malt Vinegar, 2 bottles, for	$1.00
Best Corn Starch, 12 pkgs., for	$1.00
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Blueberries, 8 cans	$1.00
Granulated Sugar, 13 lbs.	$1.00
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Blue 5
Berries 18
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No. 5 — $1
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Huckle Berries 15
Dates 15
Marrowfat Beans 15
Tooth Brush 25
Can Peas 15
French Mustard 15
$1.25

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Tea Salada 25
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Pickles 25
Tin Zip 10
1 Tray 25
$1.36

No. 17 — $1
Prunes 15
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1 Jelly 10
Gran. Sugar 25
Quick Tapioca 15
Tin Custard 10
Corn Flakes 10
Blue 5
Tin Asparagus 20
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No. 13 — $1
Green Fig and Ginger Marmalade 25
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Can Peas 15
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Shredded Wheat 15
Pkge. Ammonia 10
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Annual Meeting Of the Lakefield Fair Directors

List of Officers Who Presided 63 Years Ago—Officers Elected For the Ensuing Year

DATE OF FAIR

LAKEFIELD, Jan. 24.— The sixty-third annual meeting of the Lakefield Agricultural Society, which was held in the Town Hall on Friday, Jan. 19th, was well attended by members and directors of the Society. The secretary's report was very satisfactory, showing a balance on hand after paying all expenses. The secretary produced a list of officers and directors of the Lakefield Fair held at Bridgenorth sixty-three years ago, which were as follows:

President—Mr. Louis Davis.
Vice-Pres.—Mr. Emanuel Mann.
Secretary—Mr. M.S. Dean.
Treasurer—Mr. James Mann.
Directors— Messrs. T. T. Milburn, John Thomas, Mathew Wharam, John Galvin, Jos. Trennum, Charles Taylor, Isaac Garbutt, Ed. Sanderson and Adam Hall. Of those thirteen, Mr. Adam Hall is the only one living at the present time.

Following are officers elected for the ensuing year:

Pres.—Mr. Thompson Braden.
1st Vice-Pres.—Mr. E. J. Galvin.
2nd Vice-Pres.—Mr. R. H. Knox.
Sec.-Treas.—Mr. W. Sherin.
Directors— Messrs. Gavin Graham, B. Q. Dench, James Walton, Geo. E. Johnson, A. Darling, T. T. Milburn, H. C. Garbut, Wilbert Roseborough, A. B. Mann, Bruce Garbutt, Dr. Munroe and S. S. Bickell.
Auditors"—Messrs. Alex. Graham and Laverne Walton. The Fair this year will be held September 18th and 19th.

LAKEFIELD PERSONALS

LAKEFIELD, Jan. 24.— Mr. Jas. Campbell was called to Brampton last week owing to the serious illness of his son, Mr. James Campbell, Jr. Mr. Campbell's condition, however, is improving and he is now on a fair road to recovery.

The Rev. Mr. Robins of Young's Point, passed through the village on Saturday last on his way to Toronto.

A bus load of young people drove up from Peterborough on Thursday night and spent the evening skating at the rink here.

Mrs. Robins of Young's Point, is spending a few days this week in the village visiting Mrs. T. B. Marling.

There will be a special service of intercession in St. John Baptist church this Wednesday evening at eight o'clock.

Lieut. G. C. Hilliard of the Royal Canadian Dragoons, Toronto, spent the week end at his home in the village. Lieut. Hilliard was on his last leave and expects to leave shortly for overseas.

Mrs. Marling and Miss Dorothy Hilliard were in Peterborough on Monday.

Master Kenneth Mackenzie, who has been spending the vacation at his home here, leaves this Wednesday for Halifax, N.B., to resume his studies at the Royal Naval College.

Mr. R. Patton, who has been the guest of Rev. and Mrs. A. W. Mackenzie at "The Grove" for the past few days returns to Toronto to-day.

The Rev. A. W. Mackenzie was in Toronto on Thursday last.

Mr. T. C. Ridpath, of Lethbridge, Alta., is in the village on a visit to his brother, Mr. J. W. Ridpath.

Two Pretty Girls Aid Hold-up Band

Man Lured Into Dark Hallway Beaten Unconscious and Robbed—Accuses Woman Prisoner.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—His face swathed in bandages as the result of a beating in a dark hallway to which he had been led on Thursday night by two pretty young women, John H. Carson, forty-four, of No. 375 Henry Street, Brooklyn, appeared in the Gates Avenue Court to press a charge of robbery against Miss Margaret Clark, twenty-one, who gave her address as No. 441 West Forty-ninth Street, Manhattan. Carson charged that Miss Clark was one of the girls who lured him into the hallway of a house at No. 610 Park Avenue, where he was beaten and robbed by three men.

Carson told Magistrate Naumer that he was waiting for a car at Nostrand Avenue and Fulton Street at midnight Thursday when two girls accosted him with a request that he take them home. He said they told him it was too late for them to go home unescorted. The three had a few drinks before boarding a Nostrand Avenue car.

Carson said the girls led him to No. 610 Park Avenue, where they walked through a dark hallway to the first floor. Suddenly three men jumped upon him and knocked him unconscious. When he recovered a moment later the girls and men were running into the street. His watch and $35 were missing.

Policeman Tigar, of the Vernon Avenue Station, saw the assailants fleeing and after a pursuit arrested Miss Clark as one of the women.

Miss Clark pleaded not guilty in court and was held for a hearing in $1,000 bail.

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Social and Personal

Mrs. (Col.) Stevenson and Mrs. (Maj.) Hounsell will be the hostesses of the 57th Chapter, I.O.D.E. tea, to be held in the Masonic dining hall, to-morrow afternoon, from 3 until 5.30 o'clock.

Mr. Aylmer who has been in Ottawa for the past few days returned this morning.

Miss Jessie Cressman is in Toronto the guest of Miss Renwick.

Miss Muriel Gladman, returned yesterday from Toronto where she was the guest of Miss Kathleen Wallis.

Mr. Earnest Clarkson, Toronto, was in the city yesterday en route for Montreal.

The hostesses of the afternoon tea given by the Kitchener League at the Oriental to-day are Mrs. J. Knox, and Mrs. Garner.

WEDDING BELLS

DILLON—WALSH.

A quiet wedding was celebrated yesterday morning at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, East City, when Miss Margaret Dorothea Walsh, Edmonton, became the bride of James P. Dillon of this city. The bride and groom were unattended. The bride is the daughter of Mr. T. Walsh of Keene.

They will reside at 303 Mark street.

Short-weight Butter Seized at Guelph

Twenty-Nine Pounds Taken and Guilty Parties Fined.

GUELPH, Jan. 23.—Chief Randall and Inspector Greenaway visited the market to find out if the butter offered for sale was full weight or not. As a result they seized 29 pounds that was light, on an average an ounce a pound, and it was turned over to the charitable institutions of the city. The owners were asked to appear in court, where they were fined the costs of the proceedings. One woman failed to answer the summons, and she will be served with a notice to appear.

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BARGAINS AT LAKEFIELD.

R. Graham & Son, Lakefield, have arranged for a lot of wonderful Dollar Day bargains on Thursday, January 25th, and will continue the sale on Friday and Saturday, Jan. 26th and 27th. 6d-16

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If it needs overhauling or repairs of any kind, do it now—don't wait until Spring. We will send for it, and deliver it in good running order. Skilled mechanics employed and extra parts always in stock.—Duffus' Garage; Jos. J. Duffus, proprietor; 195 Simcoe street. dtf

DOLLAR OPTIONS.

Do not fail to read Dollar Day grocery options in to-night's Examiner. These special bargains should be eagerly snapped up as the savings is quite apparent in cash. Those published are only a few of the many others to be had at White's, to-morrow.

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AUCTION SALE.

Of Household Furniture and effects at the home of the late James Gordon, 253 Stewart street, on Thursday, Jan. 25th, including parlour suite, three bedroom suites with bedding; kitchen range, (Art Souvenir heater, new), dishes etc. Sale at 1.30 o'clock. 'Phone 256.—J. F. Thornton, Auctioneer, 663 George Street. 3d-18

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HUMAN HAIR PROTECTS AND ADORNS THE HEAD.

and if you have thin hair—if you are bald—do not miss seeing Dorenwend's Exhibit of Human Hair-Goods for ladies and gentlemen, at the Oriental Hotel, on Friday, Jan. 26th, and Saturday, Jan. 27th, until 2 p.m. The display will include Ladies' Switches Coronet and Fancy Braids, Transformations, Pompadours, Waves, Chignons, Bangs, and for bald men toupee and wig structures that will benefit the health and appearance. There is no charge for a demonstration. 3d18-20-25-2w-3

Farmer Slain By Wife In Quarrel

He Accused Her of Being Friendly with Other Men, She Says—Goes to Jail with Baby.

YORK, Pa., Jan. 23.—Harry Dellinger, twenty-eight years old, a farmer, living in York county, was shot and killed by his wife, Mrs. Annie Dellinger, twenty-five years old.

Mrs. Dellinger, who was arrested and committed to jail with her two-year-old baby, made this statement to the police:

"We had been drinking and quarrelled. The quarrel started at the home of a neighbour, J. W. Allen, about ten o'clock, and continued when we got home. He accused me of being friendly with other men in the community and I told him he lied.

"He was sitting on a chair with our three-year-old son, Clarence, on his knee, and I went to an adjoining room and got a shotgun. I aimed the gun at him and told him if he moved I would kill him. I thought he made a motion as if he was getting off the chair and it was then that I fired.

When I saw what I had done I threw the gun out of the door, but later became frightened and hid it under my bed, where it was found by the detectives. The empty shell I put in the stove. I sat beside the body until the following morning, and I then summoned neighbours, telling them that my husband had been killed by some unknown man."

At Hexham the best beef was quoted for the English Christmas market at 90s per cwt. live weight, and mutton Is 4d per pound.

In feeding from the silo keep the outer edge a little lower than the rest of the surface and danger of feeding will be greatly minmized.

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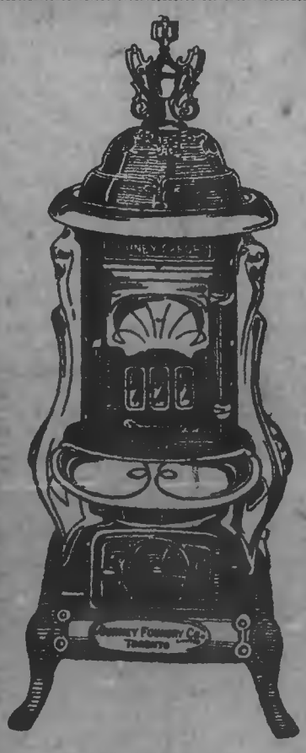

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FROM SIX TO TEN GERMAN DESTROYERS ARE REPORTED SUNK BY THE BRITISH

Berlin Report Refers to One of the Engagements in the North Sea---One British Destroyer Lost--Gravity of the Submarine Situation--Losses Have Nearly Trebled---Austria's Extraordinary Attempt to Stave Off Bankruptcy.

A SUMMARY OF TO-DAY'S WAR CABLES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, January 24.—Persistent repeated reports from Holland today were that from six to ten German destroyers had been sunk in Monday night's engagement between the British and German sea forces.

BERLIN, January 24.—One British destroyer was sunk in the naval action off the Dutch coast yesterday, and one of the German torpedo boats reached a Dutch harbour. The rest of the German vessels returned with slight losses.

This refers to the action reported by the British Admiralty as having occurred in the North Sea.

THE SUBMARINE SITUATION.

LONDON, January 24.—The Daily News to-day gives prominence to an article by its naval correspondent, who calls attention to the gravity of German submarine activity. The writer says he fears the real seriousness of the German campaign against merchant shipping is not realised by a majority of the British people.

The correspondent recalls that when the German submarine blockade began the British Admiralty issued weekly statements of losses, but this was discontinued.

The weekly average loss was formerly five vessels, but during the past three months the rate of losses has been nearly trebled.

"We are confronted with the most serious menace that ever threatened us," the correspondent says. He contends that it is imperative for the people to cut down their consumption of tobacco and other imported luxuries. He adds that the question will be raised in the Commons when Parliament meets.

STAVING OFF BANKRUPTCY.

PARIS, January 24.—Austria has decided on an extraordinary measure to stave off "imminent bankruptcy," actording to the Petit Journal's Geneva correspondent.

A fourth part of the real and personal property of all the subjects is to become the property of the State, in exchange for a kind of mortgage bond redeemable when national finances permit.

BULGARIAN BATTALION WIPED OUT.

PETROGRAD, January 24.—A severe blow struck upon a Bulgarian battalion which had crossed the Georgief River branch of the Danube was announced to-day.

The Russian forces surprised the Bulgarians and practically annihilated the regiment taking 337 as prisoners and capturing four machine guns.

In the Riga sector between the Livel Swamp and the River Aa, the statement said, "the Germans pushed us back a mile and a half northwards."

STOCKHOLM, January 26.—Swedish newspapers of both parties interpret President Wilson's speech as that of a "Germanophile" antagonistic to the Entente nations.

BOMBARDED GERMAN WORKS.

PARIS, January 24.—Sixteen British aeroplanes bombarded the German blast furnaces in the Saare Valley January 22nd, doing much damage to factories and works.

ATHENS, January 24.—There are all the signs of a general agreement among the Greek shippers to the British Government chartering Greek cargo boats. Several ship owners have already made contracts, one vessel at Piraeus having already passed into our hands. The answer of most of the important companies is expected to-day.

The 3rd Battery, 1st Greek Regiment Field Artillery, left Peloponnese yesterday, vessels being used to transport the troops and guns.

HALIFAX, N.S., January 24.—Among 250 N.C.O.'s and men of the Canadian expeditionary force who arrived here yesterday from England were 25 from the Maritime Provinces, many of whom are wounded, while others are returned on sick leave, or permanently unfit. Included in the party also were about 30 aviators, most of them Canadians, and most of whom have seen considerable service at the front, who have come to Canada in connection with an aviation school at Toronto.

The train bearing the returned soldiers, other than those of the Maritime Provinces, was to have left last night at seven o'clock for Montreal, but an engine ahead of the train went off the track and there was some delay in the train's departure.

Positions Open For Returned Soldiers

Patriotic Fund Office they can hear of several places required to be filled.

Man wanted to look after some records, answer 'phone and assist in business. Should have some knowledge of general business

Man wanted for general work on machinery. Nothing very difficult. Who can handle the place?

Man wanted as driver of delivery rig. Good place and with a good employer. Better catch on while the place is open.

Good place open for competent man. Can't tell particulars here Come to the office.

Other places will be announced.

A GRAPHIC ACCOUNT OF NAVAL ENGAGEMENT

German Destroyer Driven to Dutch Port Badly Mauled—Another Reported to be Limping in Severely Damaged

TEUTON LOSSES MAY BE 7

The British official account of the battle in the North Sea does not claim the sinking of more than one German destroyer, darkness making it impossible to ascertain the full extent of the punishment inflicted upon the foe. One British destroyer was sunk. Unofficial Dutch reports say that three to seven foe destroyers went down.

London, Jan. 24.—The Chronicle's correspondent sends the following from Ymuiden, Holland, dated Tuesday:

I have heard the fullest possible account of the naval engagement which took place on this bitter winter morning not many miles from the Dutch coast at a point between the Hague and Ymuiden. That the fight was sharp, sudden and very furious while it lasted there can be little doubt, for the one German torpedo boat which reached Ymuiden with the help of Dutch tugs shows ample evidence that, as a naval expert remarked to me, "she had just about as much as she could carry into port" (where she will be interned).

FEARED BEING FROZEN IN

As I write, I learn another lame German duck is slowly making for Ymuiden. From all available reports at Ymuiden, and from the few words dropped by the wounded or crew before silence was sternly and officially impressed upon them, I am able to send you a fairly full and accurate account of what took place. It appears that the harbor of Zeebrugge was becoming frozen over, so the German flotilla or torpedo boats was in danger of becoming fixed in the ice, and would therefore have been in great danger of destruction from the fire of British monitors or other vessels. The German command, therefore, decided to send the entire flotilla out of port at midnight, with orders to steal through the darkness as near and as safe to the Dutch coast as possible, and make for a German harbor. The number of ships in the German flotilla is given as fourteen, though some say only twelve. All went well until at a point somewhere between The Hague and Ymuiden.

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The Reid Company Stock On Sale To-morrow

The purchase of the Reid Co'y stock at a low rate on the dollar means exceptional buying opportunities in all lines of ready-to-wear garments.

It is the intention of the Cressman Co'y to make a sharp, quick, complete clearance. Every garment has been reticketed and re-marked and there is no alternative but to quickly dispose of the entire stock.

As seen by advertisement elsewhere, the sale starts sharp at 8.30 Thursday morning.

In addition to garments suitable for this season, many lines of summer goods will also be placed on sale and disposed of regardless of original cost.

Young's Point Boy Wins Military Medal For Conspicuous Bravery

Corp. O. R. Brooks Who Left Peterboro' as a Member of the 57th Regiment's Quota to the 2nd Battalion C.E.F. is Decorated—Recruits For the 256th Railway Construction—To-day's Orders and General Military News.

In the list of Canadians honoured at the front, announced yesterday, appears the name of a well known Peterborough County boy in the person of Corp. O. R. Brooks, of the 2nd Battalion, who has geen awarded the Military Medal for bravery. The news will be gladly received by Corp. Brooks' many friends. The young soldier is a son of Mr. Wm. Brooks, of Young's Point, proprietor of the South Beach summer resort and was born in that village. When the war broke out Corp. Brooks enlisted with the 57th Regiment's quota to the first contingent, leaving Peterborough in August, 1914, for Valcartier. He went overseas as a member of the 2nd Battalion, "The Iron Second," and has been with the Eastern Ontario 1st Division unit during all the hard fighting.

Following are some of the new Peterborough recruits secured by Lieut. Iles for the 256th Construction Battalion:

G. F. Johnston, 389 Waterford street.

Isaac Woodcock, 4 Gladstone avenue.

Sidney Spooner, 296 Lake street.

Fred Coles, Peterborough.

Osborne Edwards, 23 Caddy street.

Chas. E. Sturgeon, 264 Wolfe street

Mrs. Henry Smith, 217 Woodbine Avenue has received the following letter from Pte. F. Scallan, formerly of the 93rd Battalion and now at the front with the 8th C.M.R.

"Just a few lines to let you know I am still on the land of the living. I received your letter yesterday. I am sorry for your trouble. You ask me about your husband Henry. I was along with him when he was wounded. He was hit in the chest. He died the next day. I stayed with him till his wound was dressed. Poor man, he never spoke. He and I were in the same tent from the day we left Peterborough. I hope he is better off. He was hit when we were coming out of the trenches.

All those who have been attested for the 256th Construction Battalion are asked to meet in the Armouries to-morrow afternoon and receive their uniforms.

Five new recruits joined the 247th Battalion yesterday and this morning. Only one of these was from Peterborough, William A. Primeau, well-known in the city as a restaurant keeper. The list follows:

Henry Chas. Lord—Millbrook.

John Martin—Ormsby.

Patrick J. L. Gould—Havelock.

Chas. A. Richards—Millbrook.

William A. Primeau—212 1-2 Charlotte street, Peterborough.

TO-DAY'S ORDERS.

Regimental Orders Part 1, No. 20.

Daily Orders by Lieut-Col. D. H. Ackerman, Commanding 247th Bn., C.E.F.

Orders for Wednesday, January 24th, 1917.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.—

Lieut. R. G. Johnston, "Hqs." is granted leave of absence from January 26, 1917, until noon January 30, 1917. Authority, 3MD., 20-247-10. January 22, 1917.

GARRISON BOARD.—

A Garrison Board will assemble at Headquarters of this unit on Tuesday January 30, 1917 at 9 a.m. for the purpose of examining and reporting upon the condition of clothing of members of the band.

Two officers will be detailed to act on this Board.

SUBSISTANCE.—

N. C. O's and men on recruiting duty, either in or outside of city cannot exceed sixty (60c) per day for subsistance. This being the Authorized rate.

Any rate beyond this will not be recognised by the Paymaster.

DUTIES.—

Orderly Officer for Wednesday, January 24th, 1917—Lieut. T. W. Quinn.

Next for Duty, Thursday, January 25th, 1917—Lieut. J. F. Strickland.

A. E. BRITANS, Lieut., Adj., 247th O. S. Battalion, C.E.F.

An Official Visit.

Brigadier-General Hemming, Officer Commanding the Third Military District, of which Peterborough forms a part, is in the city to-day, making an official visit to the 247th Battalion.

A Senator For Peterboro'; Why Not?

To the Editor of The Examiner.

Dear Sir,—Is this district to be ignored again? Of the ninety odd Senators needed to represent the Dominion of Canada not one is from Peterborough, nor has one ever been appointed from this centre.

Toronto has three, if not four; Belleville, two; Lindsay, one; Peterborough, ever growing in population and importance, is not and, apparently, never has been deemed worthy of a member in the Senate.

Has the time not yet arrived?

There are, or were, fourteen vacancies. Never a better opportunity can present itself, but Mr. Burnham says this is not the time. Neither was it his time to call on the Government to get permission to recruit a regiment here, and if it had depended on his initiative to locate the 93rd in Peterborough, that noble, fine body of men, the pride of the city, would have been scattered amongst fifteen or twenty other regiments by this time; nor has it ever been his time or pleasure to get, or even try to get, any one attraction for this constituency. Lindsay, Trenton, Toronto and other cities have obtained Government aid and status, but never Peterborough.

"This is not the time," and "That was not the time," When is the appointed hour?

The people may demand Regiments and Canal completion, but one can hardly expect the Ministers to voluntarily appoint a Senator whilst representatives of other places are moving every force and effort for their respective constituences. They are only too grateful to Mr. Burnham to be let alone.

The people understand that neither Mr. Kendry, Mr. Bradburn, nor Mr. Hatton are satisfactory to his mightiness. They are of the old line of Conservatives and their fathers before them. That line is extinct—perhaps.

From what the writer knows of these men; and if Burnham will submit a name acceptable to the people of this city and county, I think they will waive any claim, that is, if they think they have any to this representation — only give Peterborough a Senator.

Get busy, Mr. Burnham. Surely there must be some one in either county or city capable of bearing up under the responsibilities of Senatorship.

Progressive Peterborough.

WHO WILL GET THE OAK HALL CLOCK?

To-morrow "Dollar Day" is Last Chance to Make Your Guess When Clock Will Stop

Fill out your coupons with date, hour and minute, be sure to state a.m. or p.m., and deposit in ballot box at Oak Hall Store. For the convenience of the workingman, store will be open until 7 p.m. We cannot put any more seconds in a minute, or minutes in an hour or tell you when the clock will stop. No one can. All have an equal chance. One thing we can do, and will do. In fact we've done it. We have put more cents in a dollar bill than you thought. You will show more sense with your dollar by bringing them to Oak Hall, and your dollar will have more cents and a chance to win a $17.00 clock free for you.

Racing More Profitable Than Liquor Traffic

TORONTO, Jan. 24.—In backing up the curtailment of the Racing Bill, fathered in the Commons by Oliver Wilcox, M.P., South Essex, the Social Service Council, with headquarters here, has issued a rather startling report of the investigations made by their agents. The report describes the business of race track gambling as the most profitable in Canada, more profitable than munition making, or the liquor traffic in its best days.

RECRUITS WANTED FOR BRITISH NAVY

PTE. O. R. BROOKS, a Young's Point boy, who left Peterborough as a member of the 57th Regiment quota to the 2nd Battalion, and who has won the Military Medal for bravery at the front. He is a son of Mr. Wm. Brooks, proprietor of the well known South Beach summer resort

Interesting Sidelights on the Strong Right Arm of the British Empire—Two "Handy Men" of Long Experience Present at the Meeting.

RATE OF PAY

While admitting that the audience lacked necessary material for naval recruits, Mr. Aemilius Jarvis, at a meeting held last evening in the Collegiate Institute, expressed the hope that those present would go out and do a little missionary work on behalf of the British navy. Incidentally the speaker put in a plea for the British Sailors Relief Fund, whose object is to supplement the assistance given to the wives and dependents of sailors of the navy as well as the mercantile marine. Peterborough City and County has been asked to contribute ten thousand dollars to this fund to be added to the half million dollars that has already been raised throughout the Dominion of Canada. A disappointing feature of last night's meeting was the failure of the motion picture machine, by which it was hoped to illustrate in a small way the work that is being accomplished by the navy. After some considerable delay a couple of Petty Officers who accompanied Mr. Jarvis to Peterborough were able to effect such repairs to the machine as to enable the speaker to show a few slides, among them being an excellent picture of the Admiralty, which Mr. Jarvis characterised as the nerve centre of the British navy; also a number of pictures of the Union Jack in its various stages of formation. The real Union Jack is represented by the three crosses of St. George, St. Patrick, and St. Andrew. In a great number of cases both in Peterborough and elsewhere the flag of the mercantile marine is flown instead of the Union Jack. How people are aware of the distinction.

AROUSE PUBLIC INTEREST.

In his address on the navy, Mr. Jarvis said that Canada has lived so long in security that the people here are inclined to feel indifferent to the navy. The present war has done much to arouse public interest in this very efficient and indispensible branch of Imperial defence and the opportunity is now open to the young men of Canada to ally themselves with the guardians of the seven seas. At the outbreak of the war Canada had a debit of three hundred and sixty million dollars. In two and a half years this was changed to a credit of over four hundred million dollars due in a large measure to the activity of the navy in sweeping the enemy from the high seas and thereby keeping the steamer lanes open. Canada's increase in prosperity is greater per capita than that of the United States. This has been brought about by the fact that the ocean trade has been protected by the silent navy.

In addition to this Canada has sent overseas the largest army that ever crossed the ocean without losing a single man. The men were sent over in British ships, under the supervision of the British navy. Another phase of the situation is the regularity with which the mails arrive in Canada bringing news of loved ones overseas. This is solely due to the efficient work of the navy.

RATE OF PAY

Since the outbreak of war Great Britain has added a million tons to the navy thereby increasing the need for more men. At the request of the

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TAKE ADVANTAGE

Of Dr. Lacey's offer of one dollar reduction on all glasses ordered on Dollar Day. See the splendid value he is giving on all articles. Satisfaction guaranteed. An estimate card given with every dollar purchase. 410 George street.

PETERBOROUGH BOY FATALLY INJURED IN MOTOR ACCIDENT

Mr. Frank O'Brien Well Known Former Resident of Peterborough Dies in Chicago Hospital as a Result of Injuries Received Last Week

PARENTS LIVE HERE

A well known former Peterborough boy met death in Chicago last week in the person of Mr. Frank O'Brien, son of Mr. and Mrs. John O'Brien, 501 Bolivar street. Mr. O'Brien was badly injured in an automobile accident on Thursday and died in the Mercy Hospital, Chicago, on Saturday. The deceased left Peterborough about six years ago to live in Chicago. He was widely known in the city, and the news of his sudden death will come as a shock to a wide circle of friends.

He is survived by his parents, 501 Bolivar street, his wife in Chicago, two brothers, Will O'Brien, 312 Boswell avenue, and Joseph O'Brien at home, and five sisters, Mrs. Grisdale, 419 Cross street, Miss Martha, graduate nurse of St. Mary's Hospital, Rochester, Mrs. Byrne, Edmonton and Miss Laura and Miss Veronica O'Brien at home.

Interment took place at Chicago.

A Beautiful Prize

A beautiful electric lamp that the Turnbull Store is giving away to one of the shoppers at the big store on Dollar Day, is being greatly admired by passers by, as it is now on display in the corner George street window. The lamp is a valuable one, and the party that is fortunate enough to secure it may well be proud of it. It is to be given to the customer who makes the nearest estimate of the number of sales slips used in the Turnbull Store on Dollar Day.

Brakeman Receives Fatal Injuries

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Jan. 24.—Walter Scott C. P. R. brakeman of Erin, Ont., died this morning in the Western Hospital from terrible injuries received as a result of falling from the running board of an engine at midnight.

Big Hosiery Sale

Thursday, Friday and Saturday, January 25, 26 and 27. Ladies and Children's All-Wool Worsted Hose—Regular value 65c and 75c. Now 49c. Regular value 45c and 50c. Now 39c. Regular value 25c and 40c. Now 29c. Come early and secure your share. Lavoie Knitting Factory, 92 Hunter Street, East of St. John's Church. 46-26

Dry Goods Stores Close Early

The dry goods stores have decided to close sharp at six o'clock on Dollar Day. The big day is a heavy enough strain on the employees without stretching it out till ten o'clock, hence the decision to close at six.

Skating Party Was a Success

The skating event held yesterday afternoon and evening on the East City rink under the auspices of the Women's Patriotic League of Ashburnham, was a great success. It is estimated that skaters to the number of about three hundred and fifty took part. The thanks of the League are extended to the Boys' Association of Mark street church, J. J. Turner and Sons for decorations, Lieut.-Col. Ackerman for the service of the band of the 247th Battalion, Mr. Simmons, caretaker of the rink, Mrs. John Mein for the use of her home both afternoon and evening, also any others who assisted in any way. The proceeds amounted to $62.25.

A Five Hundred Mile Dog Race

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WINNIPEG, Jan. 24.—Fifteen dog teams left here to-day on a five hundred mile Derby race for St. Paul, Minn., for a one thousand dollar prize. It is expected the trip will be made in eighty-six hours. Ice sleighing is excellent.

DOLLAR DAY
ORANGE BARGAINS
"Sunkist" Navel Oranges, Six dozen for One Dollar. Balance of week Two dozen for 35c.
G. A. PRINGLE
Under the Market Clock

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DOLLAR DAY
$1.00
Buys enough Ceiling, Walls and Border to Paper your Kitchen, Bedroom, Dining Room Bathroom, Etc.

SEE WINDOW THAT'S ALL!
HUGHSON JOHNSTONE
416 Water Street DECORATOR Opp. Post Office
An Estimating Blank With Every Dollar Paid on Old Accounts

DOLLAR DAY
The Selection Includes—
Floral, Two Tones, Ingrains, Varnished Tiles, Stripes, Conventional
18 Designs
DOLLAR DAY
$1.00

Your Dollar Does The Work Of TWO at Feinberg's On Dollar Day

The prices below are founded upon the old low leather and labour costs, therefore they are the best you will find anywhere:—

AT $4.00—This is only a Dollar Day special. Boots of gun-metal calf leather. One style with cloth button tops, the other with dull leather lace top. Smart English recede toe shapes, low square heels and Goodyear welted soles. Handsome, nightly shoes that are suitable for best wear.

AT 5.00—Recede style boots, in gun-metal calf and patent leather. The one laced, the other button style. Both have cloth and kid tops. Goodyear welt boots and quite English.

AT $3.00—A good boot value for women. Patent leather boots with tops of fine leather, some cloth tops. Smart dress boots that will prove comfortable and wear well. Priced according to the old scale $3.00

SPECIAL

ON ALL OTHER BOOTS IN THE STORE WE WILL ALLOW A DISCOUNT OF 10 PER CENT. OFF THE REGULAR PRICES.

Good boots cannot be again purchased to sell at these prices.

Feinberg's

283 George Street Peterborough

THE STORE WITH THE RED FRONT

Would Call Out First Class For Training

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Jan. 24.—After a long conference of three hundred officers of this military district, together with Generals Gwatkin and Hodgins from Ottawa, the announcement was made that in the opinion of the gathering, the Militia Act, calling out all in the first class for training, between the ages of 18 and 30 should be immediately put into effect.

Results of the Toronto Campaign

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Jan. 24.—In its remarkable four days, two and a half millions for the Patriotic and Red Cross campaign, Toronto's total to noon to-day was $1,638,951, which is an increase of six hundred thousand over the same time in last year's campaign.

$120,000 GRANT FOR PATRIOTIC FUND

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Jan. 24.—The united counties of Northumberland and Durham to-day voted $120,000 to the Patriotic Fund.

$4000 FOR THE BRITISH SAILORS' RELIEF FUND

This afternoon the County Council voted the sum of $4,000 to the British Sailors' Relief Fund, on motion of Reeve Matheson and Deputy-Reeve Eason. The motion was adopted by a standing vote. It will now devolve upon the City Council to pass the remaining $6,000 necessary to bring the amount up to $10,000, which is the original objective.

Death of Former Peterborough Man

Special to The Examiner:

A despatch from Rochester records the death last evening of Anthony Lont, aged eighty-nine, for fourteen years a resident of Peterborough. Death followed a brief illness. The only daughter is Mrs. John Cook, 147 Mount Hope avenue, Rochester. The body will be conveyed late Thursday to Brighton, Ont.

From the despatch received it was difficult to tell whether the name was Lont or Long.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

Examiner Special:

TORONTO, Jan. 24—Receipts were light, trade active. Heavy steers, $10.50 to $10.75; choice butcher, $9.75 to $10.25; hogs, fed and watered, $14 to $14.25; off cars, $14.25 to $14.50. Others unchanged.

Associated Kin of Canadian Forces To Organize Here

Outline of Their Activity as Presented by Mr. Aemilius Jarvis Yesterday

Following the suggestion of Mr. Aemilius Jarvis at a conference with local citizens and members of the city and County Councils at the City Hall yesterday afternoon preliminary steps were taken to organize what is known as the Associated kin of the Canadian Expeditionary Forces. Mayor Duffus presided and the gentlemen who volunteered to aid in securing recruits for the navy and to promote the Associated Kin were Messrs. Walter Stocker, G. H. Logie, W. H. Dunsford, Robert Fair, F. D. Kerr, Alex. Gibbon and C. C. Abott. The members of the County Council likewise volunteered their assistance. The resolution that an associated kin society be organized in Peterborough was moved by Mr. Dunsford and seconded by Mr. Logie. Mr. Jarvis in a short address had pointed out the advantages to recruiting and other patriotic work of the Associated Kin and also of their interest in the welfare of returned soldiers.

SCOPE OF ITS WORK.

The scope of its work was outlined in the following summary presented by Mr. Jarvis:

We, having gin now serving in the Canadian Expeditionary Forces, here by associate and pledge ourselves to unitedly and individually promote the object of this Association as hereinafter set out.

The term "forces" shall include men serving in either the Navy or Army, or a military nurse, in active service.

We recognize it to be our bounden duty to our kinsmen now serving with the forces fighting for the Empire IC PLEDGE OURSELVES to become members of the ASSOCIATED KIN OF THE CANADIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES, each member individually declaring that he or she is of kin to some member of the forces who is or has been on active service in the war and that each of our kin is correctly designated in the form attached to the application of membership to this Association.

(1) TO personal active and continuous effort in every way practicable to secure recruits as long as they are required.

(2) TO keep ourselves informed as to the conditions under which our men are enlisted, trained and equipped.

(3) TO encourage and expedite everything tending towards efficiency in or tributary to the service.

(4) TO assist within civilian scope the naval and military authorities in correcting any abuses existing within or against the service.

(5) TO aid in securing for the forces the best possible conditions for service under all circumstances.

(6) TO protect the home interests of every allied member of the forces during his service by assisting in securing for their dependents proper recognition and employment.

(7) TO secure for every returned member of the allied forces such employment as they may be best adapted and will best assimilate them into civilian life.

(8) TO assist all rightful claimants and the authorities in bringing about the prompt payment of all legitimate pension claims, insurance and patriotic allowances.

(9) TO assist in the detection of all fraudulent claims for pensions, insurance and patriotic allowances.

(10) IT is earnestly desired that all members shall reverently turn their minds at noon of each day to their kin at the front and pray for their welfare, for the success of the Allied arms and the speedy termination of hostilities.

LOOK HERE

It takes only One Guess to Win the Clock. We can't put more seconds in the minute—But we have but more (Cents) in a Dollar than you ever dreamed of. You will show more sense with your dollars by coming to OAK HALL, and your Dollar will have More Cents and a chance to Win $17.00 Clock, Free.

OAK HALL

Cashmere Sox

All Wool Cashmere, Sox Penman Make, old values. Sizes 9½ to 11. Are worth 50c

3 prs. $1.00

Oak Hall for Dollar Day Bargains

Boys' Blouses

Best American Blouses for boys, ages 6 to 14 years. White, Tan, Stripes, tapeless blouse. Are worth 75c

2 for $1.00

One Guess Will Win The Clock

Tan Cape Gloves

Men's Tan Cape Gloves. Dent's Make, old stock, all sizes. Worth to-day 1.50 and 1.75 for

$1.00

See Oak Hall Ad. on Front Page

Boys' Stockings

Sizes 7½ to 9½, fine ribbed cotton stockings, extra values, not a large quantity, worth 20c

7 pair $1.00

Chance to Win $17.00 Clock and Examiner Prize

White Shirts

Broken sizes in plain white, fancy stripes, pleats, stiff cuffs, worth up to $1.50, for

$1.00

We've Put More Cents in Your Dollars

Dressing Gowns

Balance of our Gowns go on Dollar Day. Gowns worth up to $6.50, for

$4.00

Schneider Bros. Sells This Clock at $17.00

Work Shirts

Black and white stripe Work Shirt, sizes 14½ to 16½. Worth 65c to 75c, for

2 for $1.00

You may 'xchange Clock If You Win It

Night Shirts

Men's Flannelette in in white and coloured, old values, sizes 14½ to 17. Worth $1.25 and $1.50, for

$1.00

DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS

It's What you get for your DOLLAR that counts. Consider carefully the Merchandise we carry and our Specials Offered for the Dollar Day.

$1.00 Will buy two pairs of our Black Cashmere or Wool Hose. Reg. price 75c pair

$1.00 Will buy any three of our 50c Neckties

$1.00 Will buy three pairs of our Black Cashmere or Wool Hose. Reg. price 50c pair

$1.00 Will buy any two of our 75c Neckties

$1.00 Will buy five pairs of our Heavy Black Cotton Hose. Reg. price 25c pair

$1.00 Will buy two pairs of Wool Gloves. Regular price 75c per pair.

CLEAN-UP SALE IN OVERCOATS

We will clean up all Overcoats at Two Prices

$14.50 and $17.50

HERE'S YOUR OPPORTUNITY AT LAST!

OUR STOCK IS NOT OLD—WE HAVE BEEN HERE BUT FOUR MONTHS

FRANK L. JENNE'S

SEMI- READY SHOP

"ALADDIN AND HIS WONDERFUL LAMP"

An attraction unique in the annals of the Canadian stage, will be F. Stuart Whyte's production of the famous pantomime, "Aladdin—and His Wonderful Lamp," which comes to The Grand for one night only, Monday, January 29th.

Mr. Whyte is the first English theatrical manager to realize the wonderful possibilities of such an offering in Canada, and it was not until he had spent five years in catering to the amusement tasted of Canadian theatre-goers, that he considered the time ripe for the outlay of such an enormous expense as the staging of a pantomime would entail.

The success of his revival of "Florodora" last year evidenced beyond a doubt the fact that Canadians appreciate the better class of English shows, and supplied the necessary incentive to go ahead with his plans for "Aladdin."

As most everyone knows, an English pantomime is closely allied with the American musical revue, or extravaganza; in fact such productions as are staged at the New York Winter Garden and similar places of amusement, are based entirely upon the old-time pantomimes.

Mr. Whyte has built a production and assembled a cast for his "Aladdin" that would be hard to excell, even in the "Old Country."

All of the leading artists have had previous experience in this line of entertainment, and the scenic investiture was designed and painted by Mr. Edgar MacKie, formerly master artist of the Drury Lane Theatre, London, which as every one knows, is the home of the pantomime. The costumes are by Madame Celestine, the book and lyrics of F. Stuart Whyte and the songs and musical score is the collaboration of Pierre Bayard, Clive Hamilton and Sydney Blythe, the three composers responsible for more English musical successes than any other trio of song writers in the world

Patriotic Club Rooms Open To Dollar Day Shoppers

The members of St. Peter's Patriotic Club are requested to do their shopping on Thursday morning, so that they may be able to come to the Club Rooms to work in the afternoon. All those who are knitting for the Club are asked to bring in as many pairs of socks as possible as all the socks on hand Thursday will be sent to the Secours National. The tea-room will be in charge of Mrs. W. A. Haslam and Miss B. Tangnay, and an invitation is extended to all the "Dollar Day" shoppers to come to the T. A. S. Rooms to-morrow afternoon and have tea with St. Peter's Patriotic Club. There will also be a guessing contest. Come and have a guess and at the same time help us procure more yarn, as we don't want the boys at the front to get cold feet.

Dawson Bros.

GROCERY, Cor. George and London

Dollar Day Specials

Ceylon Orange Pekoe Tea, 3 lbs.	$1.00
Uniconed Japan Tea, 3 lbs.	$1.00
Granulated Sugar, 20 lbs.	$1.00
Sirium Grape Fruit	$1.00
Rolled Oats, 20 lbs.	$1.00
Choice Pink Salmon, 7 tins	$1.00
Evaporated Peaches, 7 lbs.	$1.00
Wonderful Soap, 24 bars	$1.00
Swift's Shortening, 5 lbs. tubs	$1.00
Table Fruit, per tin	15 and 25c
Lacecarpet in bulk, lb.	25c
Shredded in pulk, lb.	15c
Canned Peas, fancy 2 tins	25c
Lima Beans, 2 lbs.	25c
Rice Beans, 2 lbs.	25c
Jasper Cocoa, 2 lbs.	25c
Lyon Brand Sardines, very choice, tin	15c
Canadel Sardines, large and meaty, 2 tins	25c
Strawberry Jelly in Glass Jars	15c
Clark's Pork and Beans 2 for	25c
Asparagus Tips, choice, tin	25c
Mixed Sour Pickles, quart	25c
Mixed Sweet Pickles, quart	25c

When you are at "Brock Street Rink," and feel dry we all the refreshment booth, we will be glad to see you.

Terms Cash—Phone 185—Terms Cash

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

On Thursday evening a basketball match will be held between the Senior School girls and the Advanced Class. All girls are invited to be present.

LOST

LOST—ON TUESDAY AFTERNOON, TWO black robes, on George Street, opposite C.P.R. station. E. A. Stinson's name in one. Finder call up 430, Stinson's Livery. 24-30-1111

WANTED

WANTED TO BUY—MODERN BRICK with large garden lot, South End; state full particulars and price to Box 1120 Examiner. 24-30-1120

WANTED—FIRST CLASS BRICKLAYER at once. Apply H. T. Hicker, 137 Reid street. 24-30-1123

FOR RENT

TO RENT—ONE FURNISHED BEDROOM, with use of stove for light housekeeping, centrally located. Apply Examiner for address. 24-30-1115

NICHOL'S $1 DAY SPECIALS

5 lbs. Raisins and 3 lbs. Currants For $1.00 — Reg. $1.25

4 lbs. Regular 35c GREEN TEA For $1.00

SUGAR

13 lbs. Best Granulated Sugar for $1.00

Can Peas, reg 15c
Can Corn, " 15c
Tomatoes, " 20c
Salmon, " 15c
Reg. $1.15 — For $1

3 Jelly Powder, reg. 30c
2 Essences, " 20c
J Cream B. Powder 25c
Flour, reg. - 40c
Reg. $1.15, for $1

Special $1 Day Specials in All Lines for Thursday. Come to the Store and see for yourself. If not convenient to call, Phone 60, and your order will be Carefully Filled.

NICHOL'S GROCERY

209 STEWART ST. PHONE 60

Dollar Day Specials

ELASTIC DOLLARS

Your Dollar will cover much more than usual, in this store on Dollar Day.

Your Dollars on Dollar Day in the Coat Section, will save you from $5.00 to $15.00. It would be economy to buy a Coat now.

CHARMING NEW BLOUSES IN MANY ATTRACTIVE STYLES AT JUST ONE DOLLAR

New styles—every one of them. Showing the new ripple wide collar, embroidered collar with hemstitching. Some of the white blouses are trimmed with filet lace, some with Venice lace. Some relieved with dainty colourings, some partly trimmed with embroidery and pearl buttons. Your choice of any of them for, just

ONE DOLLAR

KNITTING YARNS

We have in our Yarn Store-room about 5,000 lbs. of just the Yarns you are looking for. Every quality. Big choice of shades.

We have quite a stock yet of Men's All Wool Shirts and Drawers; they are just a Dollar and a Quarter at present. Next season we expect them to be $2.00

"The moral is get them now"

Another line of men's Underwear, with a slight mixture of cotton. Their present price is 85c. The mills are asking a dollar apiece for them now, and what will they want for them next Fall? We cannot say how high they will go. Get them now for 85c

Men's Heavy All-Wool Warm Socks. We have still a number of cases in stock. Just count up what the wool costs, and you will conclude that it would be wise to lay in a sufficient stock at, per pair 50c

ANOTHER IMPORTANT QUESTION TO BE ANSWERED WILL YOU BUY RELIABLE QUALITY HOSIERY AT LESS THAN USUAL PRICES?

Think this matter over seriously. Can you afford to pay higher costs when Hosiery such as can be had here can be bought at present costs? Among our big lists of Hose Bargains you will find these and many more—

Ladies' Fine Cashmere Hose. Worth regular 50c, for 35c

Or Three Pair for a DOLLAR

Men's Fine Cashmere Socks. Regular 50c quality, for 35c

Or Three Pair for a DOLLAR

A VERY SPECIAL HOSIERY OFFERING ALL SIZES SMALL AND LARGE. REGULAR 40c DOLLAR DAY FOR 28c

Would you sell a dollar bill for $1.25? Of course you would, and, in the same way, you can make a dollar buy more than a dollar and a quarter's worth of goods now.

We've arranged them for easy seeing. Here is a great chance for mothers to provide, both for themselves and the little folks. It will be absolutely impossible for us to duplicate this stock at the price. The mother who has several children to look after, can buy for all and save a goodly sum by taking advantage of this offering. All sizes are just 28c

We were told the other day that we had gotten the last of the good quality House Dresses at the old prices. It would be wise to secure two or three while they last. Just now they are just 1.25

Elliots Store

A VERY SUPERIOR KID GLOVE FOR $1.75

Have you read about our new way of selling Kid Gloves. Our regular $1.75 Kid Glove, when you take them without the guarantee the price is only 1.35

We have all colours and sizes.

WE CAN STILL OFFER YOU THE GOOD OLD QUALITY OF TOWELS AND TOWELLING AT THE FORMER PRICES. WE EXCEL IN TOWELS TEST US

We have every quality in Towels that you can think about. Turkish Towelling, Real Linen Towels, Glass Towels, dozens of different kinds. We can please you as to stock and we can more than delight you as to quality and price. TEST US.

In our Fancy Goods Section we have every kind of Threads. All the newest hints for needlework

NEW BLOUSES FROM $5.00 TO $10.00

In Blouses at this price one may gain a clear idea of the style tendencies for Spring. And may learn, too, what effective designs are to be found in the favoured Georgette Crepe and Silks of a lustre finish, tailored effects, others with fancy ruffles, some with bolero effects, while some of the Georgette Crepes in Flesh, White and Vivid have square necks and very effectively trimmed with pearl buttons or lace.

EDNA WALTON—As "Judy" and the orphan children in the John Grier Home, as shown in the play "Daddy Long-Legs," the seat sale of which opens to-morrow at 10 o'clock.

The seats for "Daddy Long-Legs" will be put on sale at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning at the Grand Opera House Box Office. All mail orders received by Manager Turner since the first announcement of the sale will be filled in the order of their receipt at the theatre. Popular interest in the famous success which Henry Miller is sending to this city to be interpreted by one of the most brilliant casts, of headed by Edna Walton and including Albert Roscoe, Julia Varney, Marie Taylor, Viola Cain, Sue Van Duser, Perdita Hudspeth, Alfred Helton and Frank J. Kirk, has been almost unprecedented. Apparently every theatre-goer in Peterborough knows all about "Daddy Long-Legs" and the wonderful hit it has made, and mail orders have come from people who visit the theatre only on rare occasions. It is safe to predict that "Daddy Long-Legs" will play to a packed house.

A Graphic Account Etc.

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THE OFFICIAL STORY.

London, Jan. 23.—The text of the official announcement regarding the naval fight says:

"Last night while our light forces were patrolling the North Sea not far from the Dutch coast, they met a division of enemy torpedo-boat destroyers. A short engagement took place, during which one of the enemy torpedo-boat destroyers was sunk and the rest scattered, having suffered considerable punishment. Darkness prevented the full results of the action from being observed.

"During last night there was also a short, sharp engagement between enemy torpedo-boat destroyers and our own destroyers in the vicinity of Schouwen Bank. During this engagement one of our torpedo-boat destroyers was struck by a torpedo, the explosion killing three officers and forty-four of the crew. She was sunk subsequently by our own ships. Relatives of the victims have been informed. Our ships suffered no other casualties."

SEVEN FOR VESSELS LOST.

Others reports by Reuters say that the V-69 was the flagship of the German squadron.

The crew of V-69 numbered about sixty. It would appear from the statements of the men that seven other German vessels were sunk. The V-69 belonged to the Home Fleet.

You Want to Know

If your watch or some other piece of jewelry is worth repairing, and what it will cost.

Bring or send it in and we will advise you intelligently

CLOCKS

A varied collection of Mantel, Office and Bedroom Clocks—closely priced.

SCHNEIDER
The Jeweller, George St.

Canada's Fighting Forces Series Number 2

Seven Reels of Official Canadian Government War Pictures Coming to the Grand

Those who saw the excellent pictures of Canada's Fighting Forces that were presented by Sergt. Wells last year being series No. 1 of the Official Canadian Government films will be pleased to hear that Series No. 2 is to be shown here shortly.

When "Canada's Fighting Forces" Series Two, the war film which Lieut. D. J. Dwyer is presenting at the Grand Theatre for six performances, beginning Thursday February 1st, was shown in Windsor Castle at a command performance before their Majesties, the King and Queen, on September 21, King George instructed Mr. Dwyer to tell the people that he and the Queen had seen the films and were well pleased with them. At one or two private views given in Ottawa and Montreal since the photographer's return to Canada a few weeks ago, expressions of unbounded delight have been heard at the magnificent display of military life under war conditions.

Several excellent war films have been shown in Canada in the past year or two, but with the exception of the first series taken by the same operator, these are the only ones dealing exclusively with the activities of Canadian soldiers. Canadians in the air service, Canadians in the navy, Canadians in the medical service, Canadians in action and wounded Canadians in hospitals, all are shown and in many cases at such close range that it is quite possible for the audience to pick out friends and acquaintances on the screen. Indeed, many of the aviation groups in connection with the college where the men learn their work are actually intimate portrait studies.

Barries' Ltd.

Furriers - - Peterboro

Gold Dollars For 75 cents

This sounds unusual and is unusual, but for

DOLLAR DAY

on Thursday, January 25th we will offer to all customers every article in stock on the basis of Gold Dollars for 75 cents. This will include

Fur Coats,
Fur Lined Coats,
Fur Muffs, Scarfs,
Sets, Caps, etc., and

All Ready-to-Wear Garments

Suits, Coats, Dresses Blouses and Skirts.

This will mean $100.00 worth for $75.00 or $5.00 worth for $3.75 and all other prices in the same proportion.

Remember this is only for Dollar Day

RECRUITS WANTED FOR BRITISH NAVY

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British authorities a recruiting campaign has been inaugurated in Canada and at the present time about one hundred and fifty men are being passed out of about three hundred applications that are recorded each month. Men from eighteen years of age to thirty are signed on as seamen, and from thirty to thirty-eight as stokers at the same rate of pay as the Canadian land forces with the exception of stokers who get an additional ten cents a day.

Petty Officer Hill with upwards of thirty years service in the British navy and Petty Officer Linton with over nineteen years service to his credit followed Mr. Jarvis. Petty Officer Linton served for six months on the Canadian cruiser Niobe. He described a trip in which the Niobe chased the Prince Eitel Frederick into Newport news, Tht Niobe was four hours behind her prey and the fact that she halted to assist a number of ships in distress off the coast of Labrador possibly deprived the Niobe of a big prize.

A vote of thanks was moved by Rev. J. R. Webb and seconded by Mr. F. D. Kerr. Solos were contributed by Mrs. J. H. Renwick and Mr. Douglas Carlyle. His Worship Mayor Duffus presided.

Laurier's Proposal May Be Accepted

OTTAWA, Jan. 24.—While no official announcement has been made, it is believed that the Conservative supporters, after a long caucus this morning, agreed that it would be advisable to accept Sir Wilfrid Laurier's proposition to vote interim supply and allow Sir Robert Borden to go to the Imperial Conference. This would leave the contentious matter of the extension of the life of the Parliament until later.

The Liberals also held a caucus this morning, but no hint of the result of the deliberations has been given.

CHERNIAVSKY TRIO 12th FEBRUARY

Mr. John Allan has great pleasure in announcing that the above world-famous Russian Trio, will give one of their splendid recitals in the Conservatory Hall on Monday evening, 12th February.

Each member of this wonderful Trio plays with all the brilliance, power and technique of the virtuoso, combined with the passion, abandon and warmth typical of the music of the Slav race. Russia, of all the nations engaged in the present awful warfare, will at its conclusion, surprise the world in regard to its music and literature.

It is to forge ahead, and "come into its own" along these lines, and musically will lead the world.

All the real lovers of music who heard this wonderful musical combination on their former visit to our city, will need no reminder to keep the 12th of February free, but to those who did not, and especially would we advise all students of music, whether vocal or instrumental, to avail themselves of hearing this Trio and profiting thereby, for the educational effect of such a recital is great, apart altogether from the pure enjoyment it affords the hearers.

The Majority Favours Coalition Government

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Jan. 24.—The Toronto Star recently broadcasted indiscriminately to Mayors and Reeves, Presidents of Boards of Trades and Canadian Clubs throughout Canada, letters asking opinions as to the advisability of following the example of other countries engaged in war, and establishing a national coalition government. To date, two hundred and twenty-eight answers have come to hand. Of these one hundred and fifty-two express themselves emphatically in favour of the proposal, sixty six opposed, while ten are indecisive.

Piano Recital Was Enjoyed

The primary members of Miss Ida Turner's music class gave a piano recital at her home on Gilmour street on Saturday afternoon last.

Master Charlie Cowling won the prize for obtaining the most marks in the last terms of music, and Master Gerald Routly came second on the list.

The pleasant afternoon was concluded by a musical spelling match.

Dollar Day Specials

Space will not permit us to itemize our bargain list, but we are offering extraordinary bargains, in all lines of our stock—Furs, Men's Hats and Caps and Children's Headwear of all descriptions.

If you want the best Values in the City, visit our store on Dollar Day.

W. E. LECH Manufacturing Furrier and Hatter

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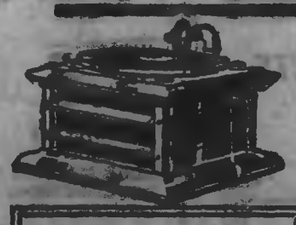
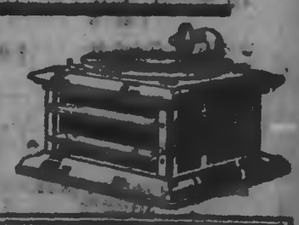
DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS



One dollar down on Dollar Day will put one of these splendid Columbia Graphonolas in your home.

Choice of Two Fine Outfits on Easy Terms



THE CONQUEROR Outfit is so good, that we are willing to put one in your home on Dollar Day with only a payment of One Dollar Down, and balance $1.00 weekly. We will take the machine back at its full value, $15.00, within six months, if you wish to exchange it on a Cabinet Graphonola.

THE METEOR is the biggest $20.00 value in a talking machine on the market. It will play 10 or 12-inch records, and is an astonishing entertainer. One Dollar Down brings it to your home on Dollar Day, balance of the $20.00 payable at $1.00 a week.

RECORDS TO GO WITH THE OUTFITS—Columbia double face disc records, only 85c, give the finest selections by the world's foremost artists. You may select eight selections to go with the Conqueror outfit at 85c each, or ten selections to go with the Meteor outfit, the value to be added to the price of the machine chosen, but the terms on the full outfit to remain the same — $1.00 down, and $1.00 a week till paid, if bought on Dollar Day, at

$1 Down

Puts a "CONQUEROR" GRAPHONOLA in your home. Balance of the $15.00 at $1.00 a week. You can add 8 Records to the outfit on same terms.

$1 Down

Puts a "METEOR" GRAPHONOLA in your home on Dollar Day. Pay the balance of the $20.00 at $1.00 a week. You can add 10 Records to the outfit on same terms.

CUSTOMERS Make your payments on DOLLAR DAY and get an estimating Blank for each $ paid.

The J. M. GREENE MUSIC CO., Limited

GREENE MUSIC BUILDING - - - - - CHARLOTTE STREET

$ DOLLAR DAY $

Special Opportunities To-morrow for Thrifty Folks to Secure the Greatest Bargains Yet

This is a store for thrifty people, as you know, and we have arranged this great Dollar Day event in order to demonstrate how very far a dollar bill can travel at this even in these "high-cost-of-living" times when the purchasing power of a dollar seems to shrink daily.

We have been preparing extensively for this day for some time and have the greatest assortment of genuine good bargains we've ever offered.

This is a saving opportunity that should appeal irresistibly to every person who has the least regard for economy—in fact nobody can afford to miss it! Come—bring your dollars and watch their purchasing power expand as never before!

And don't forget. There is One Hundred and Seventy-five ($175.00) in cash to be given away free so be sure get your tickets on every Dollar purchase you make.

Store Opens at 8.15

Closes at 6 O'clock

Read About Them, Every One a Big Dollar Day Bargain

$1.50 WHITE BED SPREADS
Size 67 by 84 inches. Dollar Day, each 1.00

$3.00 and $3.50 WHITE HONEY-COMB BED SPREADS
Size 70 by 90 inches. Dollar Day, each 2.50

29c and 22c HEAVY QUALITY FLANNELETTE
In striped and white, 36 inches wide. Dollar Day, 4 yards for 1.00

29c CUSHION TOPS
Dollar Day, 3 for 50c

FINE NEW GINGHAMS
In pretty stripes and checks. Dollar Day, 7 yards for 1.00

FULL SIZE COMFORTER BATS
Beautiful quality. Dollar Day, each 1.00

15c FLANNELETTE
In striped and plain white. Dollar Day, 8 yards for 1.00

12c FACTORY COTTON
36 inches wide. Dollar Day, 12 yards for 1.00

25c KIMONA CREPES
In a splendid assortment of good patterns and colourings. Dollar Day, 8½ yards for 1.00

40c CIRCULAR PILLOW COTTON
Day, 3 yards for ..... Widths 40, 42, 44. Dollar 1.00

18c FINE WHITE COTTON
Dollar Day, 8 yards for 1.00

40c HEMSTITCHED PILLOW CASES
Widths 40, 42 and 44. Dollar Day, 3 for 1.00

50c FINE WHITE SHEETING
7/4 width. Dollar Day, 2½ yards for 1.00

EXTRA QUALITY HEMMED SHEETS
Size 81 by 90 inches. Dollar Day, 2 for 3.00

18c ROLLER TOWELLING
All linen. Dollar Day. 5 yards for 75c

45c LINEN HUCK TOWELLING
All linen. Dollar Day. 3 yards for 1.00

Flannelette Blankets Dollar Day $1.00 per pair

$6.00 TRIMMED HATS
Dollar Day, each $2.00

$4.50 UNTRIMMED SHAPES
Dollar Day, each $1.00

$2.00 BABY BONNETS
Dollar Day, each $1.00

$2.00 BULGARIAN COLLAR AND CUFF SETS
White lace collar sets and black satin collars with white lace edge. Made in Fishu style. Suitable for one-piece dresses and suits. Dollar Day Bargain 1.25

$1

$5.00 WOMEN'S SWEATER COATS
Dollar Day Bargain $3.00

$1.50 COTTON NIGHT GOWNS
Dollar Day Bargain, each $1.00

$25.00 EVENING DRESSES
Dollar Day Bargain $10.00

INGRAIN RUGS

You'll save from 98c to $1.50 each from our Special Bargain Price on these INGRAIN RUGS on Dollar Day. Note the sizes and prices:

Reg. $3.98. Size 2 .. by 3 .. yds. $3.00
Reg. $4.98. Size 2½ by 3 yds. $4.00
Reg. $6.50. Size 3 by 3 yds. $5.00
Reg. $7.50. Size 3 by 3½ yds. $6.00
Reg. $8.50. Size 3 .. by 4 .. yds. $7.00

$18.00 DRESSES DOLLAR DAY $4.00
Six only, Silk and Serge Dresses. Not this season's styles, but all excellent qualities. Regular $9.00 to $18.00. Dollar Day, each 4.00

50c MEN'S TIES
Balance of our Xmas stock. All new. Dollar Day, 3 for 1.00

$2.00 BLACK AND WHITE SILK WAISTS
Dollar Day Bargain $1.00

$6.00 CREPE - DE - CHENE WAISTS
Dollar Day Bargain $3.00

$1.00 AVIATION CAPS
Dollar Day Bargain 50c

3 ODD AXMINSTER RUGS
$47.50 RUGS (Seamless) Size 9 ft. 10 x 13-1. Dollar Day $35.00
$27.50 RUG (Seamless) Size 11-6 x 8-3. Dollar Day $19.50
$37.50 RUG (Seamless) Size 11-6 x 8-3. Dollar Day $29.50

$1

$50.00 SUITS $6.00
12 only, women's and misses' suits. Regular from $18.00 to $50.00. Not this Season's Styles. Dollar Day, each 6.00

$18.50 COATS $5.00
16 only, women's and misses' winter coats. Regular from $12.00 to $18.50. Not this Season's Styles. Dollar Day, each 5.00

50c NECK SCARFS
Suitable for women and children. Dollar Day, 2 for 52c

Just See What Big Dollar Day Bargains They Are Every One

$3.00 SILK TAPESTRIES
In colours of green and rose. Dollar Day, yard .. 2.00

$4.98 WOOL FILLED COMFORTERS
Dollar Day, each 4.00

$6.50 EIDERDOWN COMFORTERS
Dollar Day, each 5.00

15c STAIR LINEN
18 inches wide. Dollar Day, 10 yards for 1.00

25c STAIR LINEN
22½ inches wide. Dollar Day, 4 yards for 1.00

$1.00 DOILIE SET, CHINTZ
Dollar Day, yard 50c

DAINTY CHINTZ
For draperies or covering boxes. Dollar Day, 8 yards for 1.00

$5.00 AXMINSTER RUGS
Dollar Day, each 3.00

60c BLUE VOILE
For drapery purposes. Dollar Day, yard 25c

18c CURTAIN MUSLIN
Fine white curtain muslin with dainty frill of self. Dollar Day, 8 yds for .. 1.00

29c CURTAIN MUSLIN
White and ecru curtain muslin with pretty edges. Dollar Day, 6 yds. for .. 1.00

RED DAMASK BLUE REP BLUE MADRAS, and BLUE and GREEN DRAPERY SILK
Regular 85c, $1.00, $1.25 yard. Dollar Day, 2 yds. for .. 1.00

25c and 35c VOILES and SCRIMS and MARQUISETTES
In white, ivory and ecru. Dollar Day, 5 yds. for .. 1.00

$50.00 and $60.00 Wilton and Axminster Rugs

Size 9 ft. x 12 ft. and 9 ft. x 10 ft. 6 ins.

Dollar Day $42.00

60c NATURAL SHANTUNG SILK
34 inches wide, extra heavy quality. Regular 60c yard. Dollar Day, 3 yards for 1.00

60c CASHMERE HOSE
Dollar Day, 2 pair for $1.00

$1.00 WOMEN UNDERWEAR
Dollar Day, 4 garment for ... $3.00

CHILDREN'S HEAVY COTTON HOSE
Dollar Day, 4 pair for $1.00

UNTRIMMED FELT SHAPES
Dollar Day, each 50c

$4.00 COLOURED MOIRETTE PETTICOATS
Dollar Day Bargain $3.00

$1.75 WHITE VOILE WAISTS
Dollar Day Bargain, each $1.00

$1

75c SOILED TOWELS 4 FOR $1.00
Linen Huck Towels, hemmed and hemstitched. Regular from 40c to 75c each. Odd lines and all slightly soiled. All old stock. Worth double to-day. Dollar Day, 4 for 1.00

$7.00 LACE AND MARQUISETTE CURTAINS
Regular $4.00, $4.50, $5.00, $5.50 and $7.00 pair. Dollar Day, pair 3.00

$75.00 ANTIQUE WALNUT SOFA
Covered in in Rose Silk Velvet. Dollar Day 50.00

$2.00 BLACK SILKS
DOLLAR DAY, YARD $1.00
Sounds almost too good to be true, but here they are, 36-inch Black Taffeta Silk, worth $2.00 yard. and 36-inch Black Paillette Silk, worth $1.75 yard. We couldn't sell these qualities every day and remain in business, but to-morrow is Dollar Day. Your choice, yard 1.00

$2.50 CREPE KIMONAS
Dollar Day Bargain $1.50

$1.50 EMBROIDERY UNDERSKIRTS
Dollar Day Bargain $1.00

$1.00 INFANTS' JACKETS
Dollar Day Bargain 50c

$3.00 CORSETS $1.00
Odd lines of corsets in several of our best makes. Regular up to $3.00 pair. Dollar Day, pair 1.00

$1

$2.69 LACE BED SETS
Set consists of spread and shams. Dollar Day, set 1.50

$1.50 BOYS' WASH SUITS
Ages 4, 5, 6 years. Dollar Day Bargain, each $1.00

$1.50 INFANTS' LONG AND SHORT DRESSES
Dollar Day Bargain, each $1.00

$5.00 JERSEY SILK PETTICOATS
Dollar Day Bargain $3.50

You Can't Afford to Miss One of These Remarkable Dollar Day Bargains

69c MERCERIZED POPLIN
In marine blue, navy blue, royal blue and brown. Dollar Day Bargain, 2 yards for 1.00

40c BLACK AND WHITE CHECK DRESS GOODS
Dollar Day Bargain, 3½ yards for 1.00

BUST FORMS
Sizes from 32 to 42 inches. Dollar Day Bargain, each ... 1.00

$7.50 HALL BORCHERT FORMS
2 only—adjustable from 32 to 42 inches. Dollar Day Bargains, each 5.00

$1.00 CREAM PANAMA CLOTH
40 inches wide—pure wool. Dollar Day Bargains, 2 yds 1.00

60c STRIPE TWEEDS
In green, gray and navy. Dollar Day Bargain, 2½ yards for 1.00

$1.25 STRIPE HABUTAI SILK
In large range of colourings. Dollar Day Bargain, yard 1.00

$1.50 BLACK DRESS GOODS
Serges, armures, voiles, poplins, cord effects and cashmeres. Dollar Day Bargain, yard ... 1.00

25c MEN'S LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS
Dollar Day Bargain, 5 for 1.00

20c EMBROIDERIES AND INSERTIONS
Dollar Day Bargain, 8 yards for 1.00

$4.00 IVORY MILITARY BRUSHES
Dollar Day Bargain, pair 3.00

$2.50 SATIN PETTICOATS
In sky, pink, black, flame and gold. Dollar Day Bargain, each 1.00

$2.00 ICE WOOL SCARFS
Dollar Day Bargain, each .. Pure wool, white only. 50c

$1.50 ROYAL SATIN WAISTS
In black only. Dollar Day Bargain, each 1.00

$1.25 MADAME BUTTERFLY SILK
In white only. Dollar Day Bargain, yard 1.00

$2.00 FANCY REED BASKETS
Dollar Day, each $1.00

RICHARD HALL & SON LIMITED

$4.00 VOILE WAISTS $3.00
Women's waists made of fine white voile with large collars and jabot fronts. Daintily trimmed with fine lace. Regular $3.50 and $4.00. Dollar Day Bargain 3.00

$17.50 COATS $1.00
18 only, Women's Spring Coats, old styles. Regular price from $8.00 to $17.50. Dollar Day, each 1.00

RICHARD HALL & SON LIMITED

Phonograph Opportunities on Dollar Day

Phonograph and Oak Record Cabinet to match. Complete with 12 record selections. Reg. $80 value. Dollar Day for
46 ONE DOLLAR BILLS

Phonograph with eight record selections for
22 ONE DOLLAR BILLS

Dollar Day

A SEETHING SEA OF BARGAINS!

THE BEST THE CRESSMAN STORE HAS EVER ANNOUNCED

$6 & $7 Trimmed Millinery for 2 $ Bills

All from this season's stock. Good fashionable and seasonable Hats that are worth up to $7.00. Dollar Day, for
2 ONE DOLLAR BILLS

Plain Shapes 2 for $1.00

Velour, Velvet and Felt Shapes, all massed on one table, and will be greatly underpriced. Dollar Day, ... **2 for $1.00**

BARGAINS! BARGAINS! BARGAINS! at the Cressman Store. Shop in the Annex on Dollar Day, you'll find this great Bargain Department filled to overflowing with extraordinary values, even for the Annex. Not only in the Annex are the Dollar Day items to be found, but throughout the entire store they will greet you.

THE beauty of it all is the fact that every bargain is one that is worthy of the name. They mean dollars saved for you and we do not hesitate in saying that they are the most remarkable collection yet offered. Remember that just a small proportion of the Dollar Day Bargains are advertised here. Come to the store and get a line on the rest and best.

The Days Ahead will Witness an Acute Scarcity of Merchandise Purchase for Months to Come

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Ready-to-Wear Items That Are Unequalled Anywhere in the City

$18 Winter Coat for 8 $ Bills

Made of Heavy Serge Cheviot, with large convertible collar, made with yoke and pleated side, button in military style down front, half lined. Made to sell at $18. Sale price, **EIGHT ONE DOLLAR BILLS**

Blouse Special $1.00

Made of fine quality Voile. Front arranged with alternate tucks and Swiss embroidery insertion. Deep nine-inch collar, trimmed with 2½-inch Maltese lace insertion, pretty sleeve with smart cuff finish. A very special garment. .. **ONE DOLLAR**

Satin Petticoats 2 for $1.00

Of good quality Satin, with five-inch pleated ruffle. Assorted colours and different lengths.
2 FOR ONE DOLLAR

Raincoats for $3.00

Rubberized Palmetta Cloth. Full swirl back, high button collar. Pretty fawn shade. All sizes.
THREE ONE DOLLAR BILLS

$12.95 Coats for $3.00

Fifty in number. Good assortment of sizes. Made of Bouclés, Curl Cloths, Tweeds, Zibbelines and Plain Kerseys. Variety of styles. Worth up to $13.95. Price, ... **THREE ONE DOLLAR BILLS**

$1.75 & $1.98 Kimonas $1.00

In Japanese designs. Colours Blue, Pink, Mauve and Grey. Heavy quality Crepe. Loose style, with full flowing sleeves and sash. Price, **ONE DOLLAR**

Flannelette Gowns 98c

Flannelette Gowns, in extra heavy quality. Yoke formed with four rows of insertion, alternated with tucks. Embroidery finish at neck and sleeves. All sizes. Price, ... **NINETY-EIGHT CENTS**

$15 & $18 Suits for $3.00

Ten in number. Colours are Brown, Blue, Black, Green and Tweeds. The materials include Serges, Brocades and Cheviots. The styles are a little out of date, the skirts being somewhat narrower than at present. Hang nicely and are well cut. Sold at from $15.00 to $18.00. Price,
THREE ONE DOLLAR BILLS

$3.95 Princess Slips for $2

Of extra fine quality Nainsook. 12-inch flounce and solid band embroidery with button-holed underruffle. Finished at neck and sleeves with dainty embroidery beading. Made to sell at $3.95. Price,
TWO ONE DOLLAR BILLS

Absolute Bargains

Dollar Day

Cash Savings

$1.69 House Dresses $1.00

House Dresses in light and dark striped patterns. Percales and Ginghams. Long or short sleeves. In sizes from 34 to 44. Price, ... **ONE DOLLAR**

Children's Coats for $3.00

Material of Cardinal Bearcloth, also Tan, with leggings and cap to match. Both coats are warmly lined with flannel. Sizes 1, 2, 3 and 4 years. Price,
THREE ONE DOLLAR BILLS

Children's Hats, reg. $3 for $1

All Trimmed Dressy Hats, in a variety of shapes and felts. Both Velvet and Colours. Values up to $3.00. Price ..... **ONE DOLLAR**

Those at $1.25 for Half Dollar

Divided into two lots. The plainer styles in soft Velvet, cap like shapes. Colours Brown, Navy, Cardinal, Cadet and Black. Values up to $1.25 for ..... **ONE-HALF DOLLAR**

Baby Bonnets and Caps ½ Dollar

An assortment, including Bearcloth, Velour and Silk Poplin. Only a few, but extra good value. Price,
ONE-HALF DOLLAR

Children's Dresses $1.50

In Navy Serge, sailor style, trimmed with cluster rows of white braid, lined throughout. An attractive garment for the little tots from 3 to 5 years. Price, Special, ... **ONE DOLLAR AND FIFTY CENTS**

$1.39 All-Over Aprons Half Dollar

Made in simplex style, with reversible fronts. Half sleeves and belt completely cover the dress. Made of extra good quality Print, both light and dark colours. Sizes to fit any figure. Regular $1.39, for ..... **ONE-HALF DOLLAR**

Drawers Half Dollar

Drawers of good quality Longcloth and Nainsook. Either embroidery or lace trimming. Made in two styles. Special price, ... **ONE-HALF DOLLAR**

Crepe Dressing Jackets ½ Dollar

Dressing Jackets of Japanese Crepe, also White Lawns, with lace or embroidery trimmings. All sizes. Price, ... **ONE-HALF DOLLAR**

Gloves, Collars, Handkerchiefs Embroidery and Bags

LADIES' BRAND NEW FANCY COLLARS — Worth up to 50c. About twenty dozen in the lot. Bought specially for a Dollar Day Leader.
ONE-QUARTER DOLLAR

WOMEN'S HEMSTITCHED PURE LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS—Also Fancy Corner Embroidery Handkerchiefs. Both lines remarkable values. Dollar Day,
12 for ONE-HALF DOLLAR

SIX YARDS OF EMBROIDERY EDGING—3 inches wide. Prettily finished. Dollar Day price will be ..... **6 Yards for ½ DOLLAR**

SPECIAL DOLLAR TAN CAPE GLOVES — For Boys, Girls and Ladies. All sizes, 00 to 7. Per pair.
THREE-QUARTERS DOLLAR

25c CORSET COVER EMBROIDERIES — Splendid quality fine Cambric. Swiss embroidered. Price,
3 Yards for ONE-HALF DOLLAR

LADIES' 75c HAND BAGS — Moire lined. Fitted with mirror and coin purse, and best quality pure linen handkerchiefs. Dollar Day, **4 Handkerchiefs and Hand Bag for** ..... **ONE DOLLAR**

Hosiery, Corsets and Underwear

WOMEN'S "ALL-WOOL" SPRING WEIGHT BLACK CASHMERE HOSE—Dollar Day,
3 Pair for ONE DOLLAR

WOMEN'S SPECIAL 35c BLACK LISLE HOSE — "Arelco Brand." Sizes 8½ to 10. Dollar Day,
2 Pair for ONE-HALF DOLLAR

HEAVY 2-1 RIBBED WOOL HOSE—For Women, Boys and Misses. Worth to-day 50c. Sizes 8½ to 10. Dollar Day, ... **3 Pair for ONE DOLLAR**

One Pair CRESSMAN'S SPECIAL CORSET—Better than most $1.25 lines to-day, and One Pair Regular 25c **BLACK LISLE HOSE.** Dollar Day,
One Pair Each for ONE DOLLAR

BOYS' 75c SWEATER and One Pair 30c RIBBED WOOL HOSE — The Sweater in Cardinal, Navy and Copenhagen; the Hose all sizes, 7 to 10. Dollar Day, **One Sweater, One Pair of Hose for** ..... **ONE DOLLAR**

One Pair NEW DIRECTOIRE 75c CORSETS and one LACE TRIMMED SUMMER UNDERVEST, with short sleeves. Dollar Day, **One Pair Corsets and One Vest for**
THREE-QUARTERS OF A DOLLAR

One Pair "CORDON" 35c SILK HOSE and One FINE LISLE 25c UNDERVEST. Hose in splendid range of colours. Dollar Day **One Pair Hose and One Undervest for**
ONE DOLLAR

Fancy Goods and Art Needle Work Section

STAMPED WHITE TERRY BATH TOWELS — Butterfly design. Complete with silks and embroidery floss for working.
ONE-HALF DOLLAR

Large Size STAMPED WHITE TERRY TOWELS—Regular selling price 50c. New Blue Bird design. A Dollar Day Leader,
3 for ONE DOLLAR

50c STAMPED CREAM HOLLAND OBLONG CUSHIONS — Top and back, also 50-inch **RUNNER** with **Four Skeins of JEWEL EMBROIDERY FLOSS. Cushion and Floss for**
ONE-HALF DOLLAR

$1.65 and $1.50 STAMPED FINE NAINSOOK NIGHT GOWNS — Dainty design, with large Skein of **E.P.C. EMBROIDERY FLOSS. Gown and Floss for**
ONE & A QUARTER DOLLARS

Clearing Lot Odd Shades **POLAR EIDERDOWN WOOL** — Giant Zephers and Silk Twists. Shetlands sell regularly 15c skein. To clear, **5 Skeins for**
ONE-QUARTER DOLLAR

"BEATSALL" SHETLAND FLOSS—All colours. Less than to-day's mill cost. Dollar Day, ... **5 Skeins for ½ DOLLAR**

Ribbons, Stationery and Soaps

Dollar Day

TAFFETA SILK AND DUCHESS SATIN RIBBONS—4½ to 5 inches wide. Complete range of colours. A decided reduction for Dollar day at
2 Yards for ONE-QUARTER DOLLAR

"TRIUMPH" TAFFETA SILK RIBBONS—6½ to 7 inches wide. Our special 35c stock value. Splendid range of colours. Dollar Day, per yard,
ONE-QUARTER DOLLAR

"CRESSMAN'S IMPERIAL LINEN" WRITING TABLETS—Largest size. Best quality linen paper. 25c value. Half-Price on Dollar Day,
2 for ONE-QUARTER DOLLAR

"CRESSMAN'S LINEN ENVELOPES"—Long pointed flaps. 25 envelopes in a package. Dollar Day,
6 Packages for
ONE-QUARTER DOLLAR

"SILVER LEAF" TOILET PAPER—Large size rolls. Splendid grade of tissue. Sells regularly for 7c roll. Dollar Day, **7 Rolls for**
ONE-QUARTER DOLLAR

"RED WRAPPER" LAUNDRY SOAP—Bars that are full 5c size and quality. Dollar Day, **8 Bars for**
ONE-QUARTER DOLLAR

"LITTLE GEM" JERSEY CREAM, ETC., TOILET SOAPS — Several lines that sell regularly for 5c a cake. Dollar Day, **12 Cakes for**
ONE-QUARTER DOLLAR

SHOE DEPT. OFFERINGS

SEVENTY PAIRS OF LADIES' LOW SHOES—Former prices $2.50 to $4.00. Fine range of sizes and splendid selection of styles. Dollar Day, per pair ..... **ONE DOLLAR**

LADIES' HIGH BOOTS—that formerly sold from $2.50 to $3.50 pair. Mostly Black Dongola Kid Streets Boots. Blucher style. Great value for Dollar Day, pair ..... **TWO DOLLARS**

Odd Lines **LADIES' 75c RUBBERS**—Maltese Cross and Shefford brands. Good range of sizes and lasts for early buyers. Dollar Day, pair,
ONE-HALF DOLLAR

$4.50 HIGH CUT BOOTS FOR LADIES—Either Cloth or Kid tops. Lace or button styles. Cloth tops have patent lowers. Both lines have high heels. Dollar Day Special, pair, **THREE AND ONE-HALF DOLLARS**

Cottons, Linens, Towels, Etc.

SPECIAL PURE BLEACHED WHITE STEAMLOOM—Soft Lonsdale finish. 36 inches wide. Our regular stock 15c value. **8 Yards for**
ONE DOLLAR

50c HALF BLEACHED TABLE LINEN—Excellent quality, 64 inches wide. 4 patterns. Dollar Day Leader, **2½ Yards for** ..... **ONE DOLLAR**

15c CHECK TEA TOWELLING—27 inches wide. Red check only. Dollar Day, **8 Yards for ONE DOLLAR**

WHITE VENETIAN BED SPREADS—Size 64 x 84. Splendid quality. Sell regularly for $1.35. Dollar Day,
ONE DOLLAR

8-4 BLEACHED & UNBLEACHED SHEETING — Regular stock prices, Unbleached 30c yard, Bleached 35c. Both lines,
ONE-QUARTER DOLLAR

One Hundred Dozen **BLEACHED DAMASK TABLE NAPKINS**—Size 17 x 17. Regular $1.39. Dollar Day, per dozen, ... **ONE DOLLAR**

A selection of our Stock Lines of **FULL BLEACHED 65c TABLE DAMASK.** Choice patterns. 64 inches wide. Price, yard,
ONE-HALF DOLLAR

WHITE TERRY BATH TOWELS — English make. Large size, 20 x 42 inches. Sell regularly 65c pair. Dollar Day, **2 Pair for**
ONE DOLLAR

Two FACTORY COTTON VALUES — Both lines bought twelve months ago and both are full yard wide. Reg. 10c yard. Dollar Day, **12 Yards for**
ONE DOLLAR

Regular 15c yard. Dollar Day,
8 Yards for ONE DOLLAR

Bargain Annex Open Dollar Day
Great Values, Dollar Day Leaders

48c BROWN TERRY BATH TOWELS, 2 for $1.00
Brown Terry Bath Towels. Red and white centres and borders, fringed ends. Size 18 x 42 inches. Regular value 48c. Dollar Day Annex Leader,
3 Pair for ONE DOLLAR

15c SEMI-BLEACHED FLANNELETTE, 10 Yards for $1.00
Semi-Bleached Flannelette. Splendid quality soft combed finish. 26 to 29 inches wide. Worth to-day 15c yard. Dollar Day Annex Leader,
10 Yards for ONE DOLLAR

10c FULL BLEACHED COTTON, 12 Yards for $1.00
Full Bleached White Cotton. Longcloth finish. Bought nine months ago, less than to-day's mill cost. Dollar Day Annex Leader, **12 Yards for ONE DOLLAR**

12½c FORTY-INCH FACTORY COTTON, 12 Yards for $1.00
Forty-inch Factory Cotton. Four hundred yards only. A good clean pure cotton that is good value at the regular price of 12½c yard. Dollar Day Annex Leader, ... **12 Yards for ONE DOLLAR**

Homefurnishings Away Down for Dollar Day

Dollar Day

COLOURED BORDERED SCRIM—40 inches wide.
Five Yards for ONE DOLLAR

Thirty-Six Inch CHINTZ — Large assortment of colours and patterns. **Five Yards for ONE DOLLAR**

MADRAS—27 inches wide. With ball fringe. White or Ecru. ..... **Five Yards for ONE DOLLAR**

ROMAN STRIPE COUCH COVERING—45 inches wide. ..... **Two Yards for ONE DOLLAR**

Odd Pairs of **LACE and SCRIM CURTAINS.** Pair, ... **ONE DOLLAR**

American "SUNFAST MATTING"—36 inches wide. **Five Yards for**
ONE DOLLAR

ENOUGH WALLPAPER to do a room 12 x 12—ordinary height. Six different patterns to choose from. Some have ready cut out borderings to match. Dollar Day, per room,
ONE DOLLAR

TWO HAND-MADE OIL OPAQUE WINDOW SHADES—with 2-inch insertion, mounted on good rollers. Green on one side, white on the other. Regular price 90c each. Sale,
2 for ONE DOLLAR

HYGENO CARPET SWEEPERS — A well constructed machine, capable of doing excellent work. Price ..... **1¾ DOLLARS**

Rare Dress Goods Values

$1.35 and $1.50 YARD WIDE MESSALINE DUCHESS PAILETTE — An unrestricted selection of our entire stock of regular $1.35 and $1.50 Dress Silks: Messalines, Duchess Pailette and Habutais. Complete range of colours, including Black. All are one yard wide. Dollar Day, yard ..... **ONE DOLLAR**

HABUTAI WASH SILKS—50c value. Colours Black, Cream and White. 27 inches wide. ..... **2½ Yards for ONE DOLLAR**

NAVY AND BLACK SERGES—50 inches wide. English make. Old dyes. Sell regularly $1.50. Dollar Day, yard ..... **ONE DOLLAR**

BLACK AND CREAM SILK CREPE DE CHENE — Yard wide. $1.25 value. Colours are Black, Ivory and Cream. Dollar Day Leader, yard, **ONE DOLLAR**

DRESS GOODS "MILL ENDS"—in great variety. Skirtings, Coatings, and Waistings. Lengths run up to five yards. Sell regularly up to $4.00 end. Dollar Day, end ..... **TWO DOLLARS**

The CRESSMAN Company Limited

WATCH THE HOUR SALES

TURNBULLS DOLLAR DAY NEWS

DOLLAR DAY STORE SPECIALS

Here they are! A Special Feature in Every Department. A Handsome Electric Lamp to be Given Away.
Hundreds of Real Live Bargains for all Day Selling. No Telephone Orders Filled

ELECTRIC LAMP TO BE GIVEN AWAY

This is a Special Prize confined to Turnbulls Store only. In addition to the General Estimating Tickets given with Each Dollar Purchase you will receive a Turnbull Card, which may be the means of securing the Handsome Electric Lamp. Each card to be filled out with name and address, and your Estimate of the Number of Sale Checks which will be used by our staff on Dollar Day. The customer coming to the closest number being awarded the Lamp.

HOUR SALE 8 to 9 a.m.
A REAL LIVE DOLLAR DAY BARGAIN
FLANNELETTE BLANKETS
One Hour only. Limit 2 Pair to a customer. $ Day, pair **$1.00**

HOUR SALE 10 to 11 a.m.
IN HOUSE FURNISHING DEPARTMENT
Cretonne Remnants
From 1 to 3 yards long. One Hour only. Dollar Day, Remnant, Quarter of Dollar

HOUR SALE 2 to 4 p.m.
CENTERPIECES, EMBROIDERY and LACE EDGES, Variety of Patterns.
One Hour Only, Dollar Day.
2 for Quarter of a Dollar

MAIN FLOOR DOLLAR SPECIALS

UNBLEACHED 54-INCH TABLE DAMASK—In a range of 4 patterns.....3½ yards for **1.00**

FULL BLEACH TABLE DAMASK—70 inches wide. In close mercerized finish.....2 yards for **1.00**

PURE LINEN ROLLER TOWELLING—16 inches wide. Woven with red or white border. ..... 1½ yards for **1.00**

GUEST TOWELS—Medium size. Woven of fine all-linen huck. In full bleach. Hemstitched on ends, and beautifully embroidered.....3 pairs for **1.00**

ROLLER TOWELLING—Pure linen, in grey and white stripe, and white with red border..8 yards for **1.00**

PLAIN HUCK TOWELS—Finished with hemmed ends..... 4 pairs for **1.00**

DRESS GINGHAMS—In good qualities and best washing colours. Worth to-day 15c yard. Dollar Day..... 10 yards for **1.00**

COTTON CREPES—Several patterns to select from. Old dyes and fast colours. Dollar Day, ... 7 yards for **1.00**

KIMONA CLOTHS—Regular 25c quality. Dollar Day ..... 5 yards for **1.00**

GUEST TOWELS—Half bleached, in pure linen. Regular size. Dollar Day.....4 pair **1.00**

PAIR PILLOW SHAMS AND CENTRE PIECE—All embroidered and hemstitched. Dollar Day, set...**1.00**

MESSALINE SILKS—36 inches wide. In black only. Superior quality. Dollar Day.....yard **1.00**

SUITINGS—ODD LINES OF SUIT LENGTHS
$ 8.00 for $4.00
$10.00 for $5.00
$12.00 for $6.00

UMBRELLAS AND PARASOLS—Many are odd lines. Some only one of a kind. Dollar Day ..... One for **1.00**

WOMEN'S UNLAUNDERED INITIAL LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS—Hemstitched, fine quality. Dollar Day .....6 for **½ 1$**

HAND BAGS—Newest effect in framed leathers. All well lined, fitted with purses, some with mirrors. Worth up to $2.00. Dollar Day.....each **1.00**

WOMEN'S CASHMERE HOSE—In sizes 9, 9½ and 10. Regular 65c pair. Dollar Day.....2 pairs **1.00**

WOMEN'S CASHMERE HOSE—In size 8½. Worth today from 50c to 75c. Dollar Day .....3 pair for **1.00**

LITTLE DAISY HOSE—In black, white or cardinal. Sizes 7½, 8, 8½. Regular 39c. Dollar Day .....3 pair for **1.00**

MEN'S PURE-WOOL CASHMERE HOSE—Woven with extra spliced heel and toe. Dollar Day.....3 pairs for **1.00**

CORSETS—One of the best values we have ever offered, and is remarkable when compared with new prices. Made of best quality coutil, hose supporters. All sizes. Dollar Day ..... each **1.00**

BLUE PERCALES—36 inches wide. In old dyes, various patterns. Regular 25c yard. Dollar Day .....5 yards for **1.00**

TURKISH TOWELS—In coloured and white. Regular 65c pair. Dollar Day.....2 pairs for **1.00**

STRIPED FLANNELETTE—36 inches wide. In light or dark shades. Dollar Day,..... 5 yards for **1.00**

FACTORY COTTON—36 inches wide. Free from specks. Dollar Day.....10 yards for **1.00**

STRIPED FLANNELETTE—Wide width. In light and dark shades. Dollar Day.....7 yards for **1.00**

PLAIN FLANNELETTE—Good width. Fine even thread. Pure white. Dollar Day.....8 yards for **100**

PILLOW CASES—Size 40 x 42 inches. Dollar Day .....5 cases **1.00**

BED SHEETS—WHITE cotton, fully bleached, plain hem, fit full size bed. Dollar Day.....each **1.00**

DOLLS—Dressed to represent the characters in Nursery Stories. Dollar Day each..... **½ 1$**

HUDNUT'S TOILET WATER—One of the best makes. Regular $1.50. Dollar Day .....bottle **1.00**

LADIES' UNDERWEAR—An Exceptional Bargain. Women's vests and drawers, high neck and long sleeves. Drawers either style. Worth up to 60c. Dollar Day .....4 pieces **1.00**

The following big combination offers of Toilet articles are particular Bargains. Only one lot to a customer:

COMBINATION NO. 1
1 Can Colgate's Talcum Powder, 1 Tube Colgate's Tooth Paste, 1 Tooth Brush, 1 Chamois, 1 Hair Brush, 1 Comb, 1 Cake Toilet Soap and 1 Face Cloth. Dollar Day **1.00**

COMBINATION NO. 2
1 Box Richard Hudnut Face Powder, 1 Tube Richard Hudnut Cold Cream, 1 Chamois, 1 Face Cloth. Dollar Day Combination **1.00**

CASTILE SOAP
Large bar La France Castile Soap. Regular 25c. Dollar Day.....3 Bars for 1 **½ 1$**

LADIES' BLACK KID GLOVES
A limited number to close out. Odd lots. Regular $1.25 pair. Dollar Day .....One Pair for Half a Dollar

CHAMOIS GLOVES, PAIR $1.00
Sizes 5¾ to 7. Worth up to $1.50. Dollar Day ..... pair.. **1.00**

BASEMENT DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS

TEA POTS—200 fancy tea pots. Worth up to $2.50 each. Dollar Day .....Choice for **1.00**

CASSEROLES COMPLETE—Each in nickle frame. In neat pierced design and fitted with ebony handles. Inside dish of fireproof brown cooking ware, white enamel. Dollar Day .....each **1.00**

OIL STOVES—"Hot Blast" Oil Stove, two burners, complete with wicks, etc. Large enough to heat bathroom or bedroom. Dollar Day .....each **1.00**

JARDINIERES—300 fancy large jardinieres, all patterns and designs. Worth up to $2.50. Dollar Day ..... Choice for **1.00**

GARBAGE CANS—Galvanized iron can, bail handles with cover. Suitable also for ash can. Dollar Day .....each **1.00**

BREAD MIXERS—Size 4 and 8 loaves. Regular $2.39. Dollar Day .....each **1.00**

CUT GLASS TUMBLERS—Star cutting. Dollar Day, dozen **1.00**

BERRY SETS—Consisting of bowl and 6 nappies. Number of patterns to choose from. Dollar Day .....Choice of sets **1.00**

FANCY CHINA—Bread and butter plates. All are the better grades of hand-decorated china, selling 25 to 39c each. Dollar Day .....6 for **1.00**

LAUNDRY SOAP—Turnbull's Special Laundry Soap. Dollar Day .....30 cakes **1.00**

BELGIAN CUT GLASS PITCHERS—Beautiful light cutting of Belgian sparkling cut glass quart pitchers. Dollar Day ..... each **1.00**

GRANITE COOKING SET—Consisting of 3 quart double boiler, 14 quart dish pan, 1 pudding pan and 1 long handle spoon. Dollar Day ..... Set for **1.00**

KITCHEN CLEANING SET—Consisting of large galvanized pail, self wringing mop and scrub brush. Dollar Day .....Set **1.00**

BACON DISH—Large size English Bacon Dish, in white finish, decorated with gold lines. Bottom part de plaster enamelled and made with well as end to allow for draining of gravy. Dollar Day.....each **1.00**

SPECIAL TABLE has been arranged of HAND-PAINTED CHINA, consisting of Cake Plates, Bowls, Cream Jugs, Pitchers and various other useful china dishes. Worth up to $2.00. Dollar Day .....Choice for **1.00**

TOILET PAPER—Regular 3 for 25c. Dollar Day .....8 Rolls **½ 1$**

FINE ENGLISH CHINA
The following lines in dainty light Blue Willow Pattern. With gold lines on body, of finest English bone china, are offered as follows:—

4 Cups and Saucers for	$7.00
6 Tea plates for	$1.00
4 Oatmeals for	$1.00
Tea Sugar and Cream for	$1.00
Butter Dish and Stand	$2.00
6 Fruit Saucers for	$1.00
Salad Bowl	$1.00
6 Egg Cups for	$1.00
Sugar Bowl	$1.00
Tankard and Cream	$1.00

EXTRA VALUE GIVING DOLLAR DAY IN THE READY-TO-WEAR SECTION

THREE SPECIALS IN WOMEN'S SUITS
These are all this Season Styles, and made of best materials. Divided into three lots:—
Lot I. All Suits up to $17.50.....$10.00
Lot II. All Suits up to $20.00.....$12.00
Lot III. All Suits up to $25.00.....$15.00

HOUSE DRESSES, $1.00
Made of best washing prints with convertible collars. Sizes 36 to 44. Regular $1.50. Dollar Day....Choice **1.00**

GIRLS' MIDDIES, $1.00
collars. All sizes. Were up to $1.48. Dollar Day.... **1.00**
Made of best jeans. Some have name tags

PRINT APRONS, 2 FOR $1.00
Overall aprons, 50 and 54 inches long, in dark or light colours. All guaranteed. Dollar Day,...2 for **1.00**

CASHMERETTE AND CREPE KIMONAS, $1.00
Made of good quality plain crepe or floral cashmerette, in all desirable colourings. Were up to $1.50. Dollar Day ..... Choice **1.00**

GIRLS' PRINT DRESSES, $1.00
Girls' dresses made of good quality washing prints and percales. Fit girls up to 10 years. Regular $2.00. Dollar Day ..... each **1.00**

RITE MAID UNDERSKIRTS, $1.00
This well known brand of under skirts made of good sateen in black or colours. Dollar Day.....each **1.00**

$4.50 CREPE DE CHENE WAISTS, $3.00
High class waists, made of best quality Crepe de Chenes, in white or black. Sizes 36 to 44 in the lot. Were $4.50. Dollar Day .....Choice **3.00**

TRIMMED HATS, $1.00
Choice of two tables of trimmed hats. Were up to $5.00. Dollar Day .....Choice **1.00**

FLANNELETTE GOWNS, $1.00
Made of splendid quality flannelette, self or embroidery trimmed. Dollar Day .....each **1.00**

BOYS' GINGHAM ROMPERS, 2 FOR $1.00
Made of best blue and white check ginghams. 3 to 6 years' sizes. Dollar Day .....2 for **1.00**

$15.00 WOMEN'S PLAIN BLACK AND TWEED COATS, $8.00
Plain black cloth and fancy tweed coats. A clean-up of all odd lines that were up to $17.50. Dollar Day, ...Choice **8.00**

WOMAN'S WAISTS, $1.00
Raw silk and white voile waists in dozens of dainty styles. Were up to $2.00. Dollar Day.....Choice **1.00**

$5.00 WHITE FURS, $3.00
White Russian Hare Stoles. Regular $5.00 lines. Dollar Day **3.00**

$10.00 WHITE THIBET—Dollar Day.....**$7.00**

DRESSING SACQUES—HALF A DOLLAR
Pink, black and blue cashmerette dressing sacques. In large floral designs. Sizes 36 to 42. Best 75c lines. Dollar Day .....Choice for **½ $1**

HOME FURNISHINGS DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS

TAPESTRY CUSHIONS—Complete. Consisting of cushion form and tapestry cover. Various designs. Dollar Day **1.00**

BRASS POLE—Size one inch, 5 foot long. Ends, rings and bracket complete. Dollar Day, all for **1.00**

CHINTZ—Suitable for drapes, furnishing, covers, etc. Dollar Day .....5 yards for **1.00**

JAPANESE MATTING — 36 inches wide, heavy bamboo grass make. Will give good service. Dollar Day .....5 yards for **1.00**

PLUSH DOOR MATS—With worsted fringed ends. Dollar Day .....each **1.00**

BUNGALOW FISH NETS — Double width in cream or white, scalloped edge, with brass rod complete. Dollar Day.....5 yards and rod for **1.00**

CARPET ENDS—In Brussels and Tapestry in variety of colours. Size 1½ yards long. Dollar Day .....Remnant **1.00**

NOTTINGHAM LACE CURTAINS—2¾ and 3 yards long, various designs. Dollar Day .....pair **1.00**

COCOA DOOR MATS—Large size. Made of best cocoa fibre. Dollar Day.....each.. **1.00**

WINDOW SHADES—Trimmed with insertion, in white, cream or green. Mounted on roller and complete with bracket, nails, etc. Dollar Day .....2 shades for **1.00**

ART SATEEN—30 inches wide. For comforter coverings. Dollar Day.....5 yards for **1.00**

CRETONNES—Suitable for over drapes, utility boxes, etc. Dollar Day.....5 yards for **1.00**

YARD WIDE UNION CARPET—In reversible patterns. An exceptional wear. Dollar Day .....5 yards for **1.00**

CHINTZ OVER CURTAINS — Valance complete. All ready to hang. Regular $1.00 pair. Dollar Day .....pair **2.00**

$ Dollar Day $ **TURNBULLS** **See Window Display WEDNESDAY EVENING**

The GRESSMAN Company Limited

SALE OF THE REID CO'S STOCK OF GARMENTS

THURSDAY MORNING — IN THEIR OLD PREMISES — THURSDAY MORNING

Including Coats, Suits, Dresses, Blouses, Flannelettewear, Whitewear, Parasols, Raincoats, Kimonas, Underskirts, etc., etc.

THIS STOCK HAS BEEN PURCHASED AT A VERY LOW RATE ON THE DOLLAR AND REMARKED AT SHARP CLEARING PRICES.

Sale will start at 8:30 Thursday Morning. Every Garment will be put on Tables and Racks.

Positively no approbations---no charges---no Exchanges on Garment sold during this Sale. All Alterations Charged For.

The GRESSMAN Company Limited

DOLLAR DAY STARTLERS FOR MEN

WE have placed on paper the reductions on certain lines for Dollar Day, to you they may represent only a subtraction of figures, but to see the garments will bring a positive feeling that much money can be saved by a purchase during the Dollar Day event.

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EVERY OVERCOAT IN THE STORE REDUCED

$15.00 Overcoats for.....10 One Dollar Bills
$18.00 Overcoats for.....12 One Dollar Bills
$20.00 Overcoats for.....14 One Dollar Bills
$25.00 Overcoats for.....17 One Dollar Bills
$30.00 Overcoats for.....22 One Dollar Bills

SMART, SNAPPY SUITS AT DOLLAR DAY PRICES

$15.00 Suits for.....11 One Dollar Bills
$18.00 Suits for.....13 One Dollar Bills
$20.00 Suits for.....15 One Dollar Bills
$25.00 Suits for.....18 One Dollar Bills

$20.00 INDIGO SERGE SUITS, 17 ONE DOLLAR BILLS

Navy Serge Suits that are worth $20.00 will be placed on the bargain market Dollar Day for....17 One Dollar Bills

Fancy Odd Vests, $2.50 to $5.00 value for.....$1.00
Men's best quality Rubbers.....¾ of a Dollar
Men's Negligee Shirts, stiff cuffs. Sizes 14 to 17. Price 2 for.....$1.00
Twenty Hats mostly Derby styles, but a few soft felts. $2.50 quality. Dollar Day.....$1.00
50c Ties from broken ranges of our Christmas Stock, 4 for.....$1.00

DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS FOR YOUR SOLDIER FRIEND

Khaki Wool Scarfs (5 only).....Each $1.00
Money Belts (3 only).....Each ½ Dollar
Khaki Trench Caps (4 only).....Each $1.00

THE WORLD OF SPORT

BATTLE WITH 228th WILL BE REAL TEST FOR LOCAL SOLDIERS

The 247th Battalion Intermediates will get their first real test of the season on Friday night, when they will meet the 228th Senior O. H. A. team in an exhibition game at Brock Street Rink. The Lindsay and Cobourg teams were not strong enough to extend the Peterborough soldiers in any way, but Friday night's game will be a different proposition, as the fast Seniors from Toronto will keep Capt. Halpin and his men busy all evening. The 228th Battalion was recruited in Northern Ontario, the home of good hockey players, and they have the cream of the amateurs from Haileybury, North Bay, New Liskeard, and other points on their Senior O.H.A. seven. If the 247th can take a fall out of their comrades-in-arms on Friday night the other intermediate teams around the circuit will have to look to their laurels. At all events it will be a battle royal.

Peterborough Curlers Won The District Cup From Lindsay

The District Cup went up to Lindsay on the morning train and returned in the evening to decorate the Peterborough Curling Club's quarters for another winter. And nobody knows a tale, and a satisfactory tale at that. The two Peterborough rinks skipped by W. D. Campbell and Alex. Kay nosed out Lindsay by 36 to 34 points, won the local district honours and qualified for the next round in the District Cup series, which will be played in Toronto. The particularly satisfactory feature of yesterday's victory arises out of the fact that only a week ago Peterborough defeated Lindsay here in the Tankard group. Piling Pelion on Ossa is it not? At any rate it brought the local curlers a full measure of gratification that they were able to grab the Tankard and District Cup honours from Lindsay in one season. For it is admitted around the rink that a win from the Flavelle curlers calls for extra feed for the rooters [illegible] went the [illegible] ends. The figures indicate that the final score was close, but beginning the sixteenth end Peterborough had a lead of fourteen points. Campbell had rolled up a score of 16 to 13 on Billy Carley and increased it to 18 on the second last end. But Carley came back with a six end and took the game by a single point.

A similar finale was being staged in the other game. Kay's rink had the safe and snug lead of 18 to 7, with two ends to go, and in those last frames George Beale counted 8, closing up the score to 18-15, leaving Peterborough with two points to the good. But such is curling. Twice Campbell had a nine point lead, but twelve shots in the last five ends gave Carley the necessary total to win.

The following scores indicate the play:

Lindsay	Peterborough.
Ford Moynes	J. H. Metheral
G. A. Robson	P. D. Fitzgerald
A. E. Gregory	E. G. Patterson
Geo. J. Beale	A. Kay
Skip 15	Skip 19
Beale ..... 0001000200210100 53—15	
Kay ..... 1110201031002013 00—18	
Campbell ..... 4003120301100002 0—18	
Carley ..... 0210002020000213 03—18	

BOWLING NEWS

A surprise in Bowling came last night at the Water Street Alleys to all who happened to watch the game between the Printers and the Canadian General Electric. The Printers were badly handicapped for men as two of their strong men, Mr. Cairns and Mr. Smith were on the sick list, and could not play. They were obliged to play two new men. Mr. Baker and Mr. Moore, who made a great score in all three games, going over the 200 mark. Mr. Henderson for the Printers ran wild on the alleys last night and rolled the second hightest game yet in the league with a grand total of 624 with a single game of 236 pins which goes to show that when the weight had to be carried he was there to do it. Mr. Baker also pulled off two very hard spares. Mr. Nicolls was high man for the C. G. E. The C. G. E. played in hard luck the pins refusing to do as they wanted them too, though they tried hard till the last pin was down in the last game. This puts the Printers three games over the Business Men. These two teams should make a great fight in the finish. The Grocers and De Laval will play their game to-night instead of Thursday.

C. G. E.	1	2	3	Tot.
Nicolls	177	152	160	489
Early	179	141	168	488
Jardine	126	127	125	378
Langley	166	147	164	378
Bishop	130	144	151	464
Totals	758	711	722	2191

PRINTERS	1	2	3	Tot.
Moore	174	151	210	535
Wilson	166	138	133	437
Myland	114	128	165	407
Baker	135	135	156	416
Henderson	236	201	197	634
Totals	825	753	861	2419

HOCKEY GOSSIP

There will be a game at Brock Street Rink to-night from 6 to 7 p.m. between Trinity and Peterborough Business College hockey team. Both teams are evenly matched and this promises an interesting game.

SHAM FIGHT.

The Boy Scouts and the Girl Guards will drill at the Salvation Army Temple on Thursday night, and conflicting armies of the Boy Scouts will put on a sham fight. A house, built for the purpose, will be charged and fired. Trenches will be built and the enemy will be thrust out. The Red Cross nurses will be on hand to look after the wounded and bind up their wounds; then the stretcher Bearers will be on hand to carry the wounded to the base. It will be a real thing and worth any one seeing. Everybody will be welcome.

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Come along—take a hand in the Bean Contest and enjoy the show with the children

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BLACK AND TAN SHANTUNG SILK—34 inches wide. An excellent quality of silk. Regular value 75c and $1.00, for, ... 2 Yards for 1.00

SHANTUNG SILKS—In colours for blouses, dresses, etc. Sold up to $1.00 yard, for ..... 2 Yards for 1.00

ONE ONLY WHITE LACE ROBE — A great opportunity for some one. Reg. $12, for ..... Five Bills of 1.00

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BLACK PAILETTE SILK—Full yard wide. Best value on sale to-day at $1.35, for, per yard 1.00

BLACK DUCHESS SILK—36 inches wide. Our standard reliable quality that retails at $2.00. ..... One Yard for 1¼ Bills of 1.00

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DOLLAR DAY VALUES IN BLACK SEALETTE COATING — 50 inches wide. All standard qualities at
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ENGLISH AND CANADIAN OILCLOTHS —3 yards wide.
Reg. 60c yd. for .... 2 Sq. Yards for $1.00
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TAPESTRY STAIR CARPET — Splendid designs and colourings. 28½ ins. wide. Reg. 70c for ..... 2 Yards for 1.00

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JAPANESE SQUARES—In many designs and colourings. 2 x 3 yds. Reg. $1.75 for ..... One for 1.00
All other sizes reduced accordingly.

TAPESTRY RUGS—In great variety, to suit every room and every pocket. 2½ x 3 yds. Reg. $18.00 for ..... 14 Bills of 1.00

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AXMINSTER HEARTH RUGS — 27 x 54 ins., with or without fringe. Reg. $4.00 for ..... 3 Bills of 1.00

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LACE CURTAINS—2½ and 3 yards long. Regular retail price 75c, for ..... 2 Pair for 1.00

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HEMSTITCHED CURTAIN MUSLIN — 36 ins. wide. Cream and Ecru. Reg. 20c for ..... 6 Yards for 1.00

FURNITURE COVERING AND HEAVY CURTAIN MATERIAL—A large range of patterns. Reg. price $1.00, for ..... 2 Yards for 1.00

45-INCH CURTAIN NETS—White, cream and ecru. Plain and scalloped edges. Regular 40c for ..... 4 Yards for 1.00

WINDOW SHADES—36 x 72. Oil finish; opaque quality; with insertion. Reg. 65c for ..... 2 Shades for .00

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1 TABLE MISSES' & GIRLS' MIDDY BLOUSES—A great snap. Sold at $1, $1.25, $1.50, for 2 Blouses for 1.00

A LOT OF PANOY MIDDIES—That sold up to $1.00. While they last they go at ..... 4 for 1.00

WHITE CORDED VELVET MIDDIES—They will be more than an ordinary bargain. Reg $5 for 2½ Bills of 1.00

ODD LOTS OF HIGH-CLASS CREPE AND COLOURED SILK AND PANOY BLOUSES—That sold up to $6.00. Your choice for ..... 2 Bills of 1.00

LADIES' SERGE SKIRTS — In navy and black.
Reg. $4.00 and $5.00 for ..... 2 Bills of 1.00
Reg. $7.50 and $8.00 for ..... 3 Bills of 1.00

ONE ONLY BLACK SERGE DRESS — The greatest ready-to-wear bargain. Be on hand early to get it. Reg. price $10.00, for just 1.00

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WONDERFUL GROUP OF LADIES' EVENING, HOUSE AND STREET DRESSES

CREPE DE CHENE DRESSES—In pink and Copen shades, that sold at $20. Your choice for ..... 3 Bills of 1.00

TAFFETA AND SERGE COMBINED AND MESSALINE SILK DRESSES — Navy only, that sold at $15 & $20. Your choice for ..... 6 Bills of 1.00

STUNNING NAVY SERGE AND HIGH-CLASS NAVY MESSALINE SILK—That sold at $25.00 each. You can have one for ..... 10 Bills of 1.00

BLACK VELVET AND BLACK MESSALINE SILK DRESSES — That sold at $20.00. Sale price, each. ..... 7 Bills of 1.00

MISS'S NAVY SERGE DRESS AND LADY'S NAVY MESSALINE SILK DRESS—That sold at $10 and $15. Your choice for ..... 5 Bills of 1.00

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Reg. 35c and 40c for .... 5 Pairs for $1.00
Reg. $1.00 for ..... 2 Pairs for $1.00
Reg. $3.00 for .. 2 Pair for 3 Bills of $1.00

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$1.00 Skirts for ..... 2 for $1.00
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COMBINATION SUITS — Of fine cotton, longcloth and nainsooks.
Reg. $1.50 Suit for ..... 1 for ¾ of $1.00
Reg. $4.00 Suit for .. 1 for 2 Bills of $1.00
Reg. $2.00 Suit for ..... 1 for $1.00

PRINCESS SLIPS—Another big bargain. Reg. $1.50 for .... 2 for 1¼ Bills of $1.00
Reg. $4 & $5 for .... 1 for 2 Bills of $1.00

CHILDREN'S WHITE FLANNELETTE GOWNS—That sold at $1.00 and $1.25. ..... One for ¾ of 1.00

1 TABLE TRIMMED MILLINERY—That sold at $6.00 and $7.00. Your choice for ..... 2 Bills of 1.00

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UNTRIMMED VELVET HATS—That sold up to $5.00. Your choice for 1.00

FELT HAT SHAPES — That sold up to $6.00. You can have ..... 2 for 1.00

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PURE WHITE COTTON BATTING — Large 25c pound rolls for ..... 5 Rolls for 1.00

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HALF-BLEACHED TABLE LINEN — Don't miss this bargain. Good heavy make. Regular 35c, for ..... 2¼ Yards for 1.00

CHECK TEA TOWELLING—20 ins. wide. What we sell at 25c, for ..... 6 Yards for 1.00

EXTRA GOOD ROLLER AND DISH TOWELLING—That sells at 18c, for ..... 7 Yards for 1.00

HEMMED PILLOW CASES—Extra good quality, that sells at 20c, for ..... 7 for 1.00

EXTRA GOOD VALUE IN LINEN TOWELS—Worth 50c pair, for ..... 3 Pair for 1.00

22-INCH FANCY HUCK TOWELLING — All pure linen. Worth 25c, for ..... 2 Yards for 1.00

HEMMED NAPKINS—16 x 16 ins. square, that sell at 15c each, for ..... 10 for 1.00

HEAVY DAMASK ALL-LINEN TABLE CLOTHS—Some of the old stock. Size— 2 x 3 yds., that sold at $6.50, for ..... 5 Bills of 1.00

2 x 2¼ yds. Reg. $8.50, for ..... 6 Bills of 1.00

TWO SPECIALS, WHITE COTTON AND FACTORY COTTON — 36 inches wide, that sells at 12½c, for ..... 10 Yards for 1.00

For every Dollar's worth of Goods purchased from us To-morrow we will give you an Estimate Blank, which you can use in the Great Guessing Contest. $175.00 in Cash Given Away to the Lucky Guessers.

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MEN'S HEAVY KNIT WOOLLEN SOCKS — In grey, what are worth 35c, for ..... 4 Pair for 1.00

THE GREATEST OF ALL BARGAINS — are the Grey Sweaters. High roll collars. Heavy make. Reg. $1.50, for ..... 1 for ¾ of 1.00

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BALDWIN'S & MONARCH 4-PLY FINGERING YARN — In khaki, grey, white, black. Worth 18c, for ..... 7 Skeins for 1.00

SCOTCH FINGERING YARN — 4-Ply, in red, white, light and dark grey. Reg. 12½c skein, for 12 Skeins for 1.00

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36-INCH NAVY PRINTS—at 18c, for ..... 7 Yards for 1.00

REVERSIBLE KIMONA CLOTH—Many designs. Great value at 40c, for ..... 3 Yards for 1.00

DOLLAR DAY FOR WRAPPERETTES—Choice designs, that sold at 25c, 22c, 25c, all go at .... 7 Yards for 1.00

CHILDREN'S KNITTED WOOL SUITS—Cardinal only. 3 Pieces. Reg. price $4.00, for ..... 3 Bills of 1.00

BOYS' ALL-WOOL SWEATERS — In white, Copen, cardinal, navy, etc., for ages 3 to 8 years. Reg. $1.25 to $1.50. Your choice for, each 1.00

City and General

PROBABILITIES.

To-day—East and north winds, mostly fair, with light local snow falls. Thursday—Northerly winds and colder.

DOLLAR DAY TUNING SPECIAL.

For Dollar Day only, all cash orders for piano tuning left at Peterborough Music Co. Store will receive our regular satisfactory service for $1.00, in advance. 'Phones 445 or 945.

ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING OF MURRAY BAPTIST CHURCH TO-NIGHT.

The annual business meeting of Murray Street Baptist Church will be held this evening. A large attendance of members is requested.

FUNERAL TO-DAY.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Margaret Scott, who died in Ottawa on Monday, was held this afternoon from the family residence, 186 Lansdowne Street, to the Little Lake Cemetery.

HIGH-CLASS PICTURES.

If you desire to see high-class photo pictures of any description, whether drama, comedy, Western, or Tragedy, see the programme at the Royal. We get pictures that are shown at Shea's and Coen's in Toronto.

I. O. D. E. MEETING.

The regular monthly meeting of the 97th Chapter I. O. D. E., will be held to-morrow Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock, in the Green Room of the Y. W. C. A. As the nomination of officers will take place at this meeting every member is expected to be present.

TENDER WANTED

For a balance of lumber stock, consisting of hardwood flooring, trimming, scantlings, and a lot of 2 x 8 and 2 x 6, and combine machine, planing, band-sawing, shaper and resawing. Thos. Drolet, 162 Smith street. 3d-20

ANNUAL MEETING LOCAL COUNCIL OF WOMEN.

The annual meeting of the Local Council of Women which will be held on Friday afternoon in the green room of the Y.W.C.A., is open to everybody, and a large attendance is expected.

Every affiliated society doing patriotic work is asked to report such work, and the standing committees which have been doing active work will report. Officers will be elected and the work outlined for the coming year.

Watch to-morrow's paper for programme.

Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Jenkins, of Winnipeg, who have been in Ontario since Jan. 1, visiting various points—Montreal, Ottawa, Napanee—ended their journey in Peterborough, the guests of their cousin, Mrs. Ed. Huff, 460 Gilmour street. They returned to Winnipeg yesterday.

Mrs. Chas. Wensley, of Campbellford, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ed. Huff, 460 Gilmour street, for a few days, returned home to-day.

The many friends of Mrs. W. Theobald, 709 Water street, who underwent an operation in Nicholls Hospital yesterday, will be pleased to learn that she is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Minicolo and Leonard Casciano, of 519 Elm street, have returned after spending the past two weeks in the United States.

Mr. W. R. Greatrix, of Toronto, who formerly had a drug store on Hunter Street, is in the city on business.

Mrs. Joseph Hanmer, Fraserville, is in the city, the guest of her daughter, Miss Marguerite Hanmer, Margaret Ave.

Mr. Amelius Jarvis, who during his stay in the city was a guest at the Empress, left this morning for Napanee.

Mr. Charles Brown, who has spent the past few months in the city, returns to-morrow to his home, Penticton, B.C.

Messrs. William Murray, Joseph Murray, James McGinnis and Lewis Donoghue returned to Toronto to-day after attending the funeral of the late Loretta Milloy.

LAKEFIELD PERSONALS.

LAKEFIELD, Jan. 24. — Miss Ferne Blewett, of Buckhorn, is visiting in the village, the guest of Mrs. M. Dever.

Miss Verne Pearson, of Dummer, spent Sunday at her home here.

Miss Violet McCaul spent Sunday in Dummer visiting friends.

Mr. Henry Battare, of Dummer, spent Sunday in the village.

Mrs. Marling was in Peterborough on Monday.

Miss Irene Madill, of Peterborough, spent Sunday in the village.

Miss D. Hilliard spent Monday in Peterborough.

Miss Myrtle Northey, of Peterborough, spent Sunday at her home here.

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

New York Stocks—

Airbrake, 148; Atchison, 105 3-8, 105 7-8; B. and O., 81 1-2; C.P.R., 169; N. Y.C., 101, 101 1-4; Erie, 32 1-4, 33; Erie 1st Pfd., 47, 48; Nor. Pac., 108 3-4; Penna., 56 7-8, 57; Reading, 100 1-2, 100 3-8; St. Paul, 89 7-8, 90 5-8; Beth. Steel, 435, 435; U. P., 143 7-8, 143 5-8; Rep. Steel, 78 5-8, 79 3-8; Rep. Steel, 120 1-2, Inter. Nickel, 42 1-2, 41 7-8.

Toronto Stock—

Steel of Canada, 65; 64 7-8; Cement, 63, 62 3-4; Gen. Elec., 114; Steamers, 34; Dom. Steel, 65 1-2, 65; N. S. Car 77 1-8; Smelters, 23 1-8, 23; Can. Car 32 1-4 bid.

COUNTY COUNCIL CONTRIBUTE $36,000 TO PATRIOTIC FUND

Grant Almost Double That of Last Year—Will be Paid at the Rate of $3,000 a Month

The County Council decided this afternoon to contribute $3,000 a month to the Canadian Patriotic Fund, thereby providing a total grant of $36,000 for the present year. With $60,000 from the city, this makes a total of $96,060 from the entire county, including the city. Peterborough was requested by Sir Herbert Ames, president of the Canadian Patriotic Fund, to try to provide $100,000, representing the county's share in the maintenance of the fund this year. Thus the city and county have united in responding to that call with the splendid aggregate of $96,000.

This afternoon in Finance Committee, with Reeve Squire, of Norwood, presiding, Reeve Matheson moved, seconded by Deputy-Reeve Eason, that a monthly grant of $3,000 be paid the Patriotic Fund during 1917. At the December session the old Council decided to give $3,000 for January, with the new Council to decide the contribution for the entire year of 1917.

Doubled Grant.

Last year the County Council provided practically $30,000 to the Fund, and by their action this afternoon they all but doubled their grant by raising it to $36,000 for 1917.

City Deputation.

After the Finance Committee, comprising the entire Council, had reached their decision they were visited by a city deputation, representing the local Patriotic Fund Committee, including the following gentlemen: Mayor Duffus, Judge Huycke, Aldermen Weir, Taylor, McIntyre, Worth, Dobbin, Messrs. Vincent Eastwood, B. F. Ackerman, W. H. Dunsford, R. R. Hall, R. Harstone, F. D. Kerr, C. H. Pennefather, ex-Mayor Buller, Adjutant McElhiney and others. This delegation also represented the Peterborough branch of the British Sailors' Relief Fund.

Mayor Duffus, R. R. Hall, Adjutant McElhiney, Mr. Buller and Ald. Dobbin spoke for the Patriotic Fund, asking that the county grant $40,000 this year to the fund.

Speaking for the Sailors' Relief Fund, Mr. Kerr asked the county to grant $4,000. The city would be asked to give $6,000, making a total of 10,000 from the combined city and county.

OBITUARY

MRS. JAS. McMILLAN.

The death occurred at 3 o'clock this afternoon of Mrs. James McMillan, at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. John Stamper, 311 Stewart street. Deceased has been ailing for about two months. She was 69 years of age, and has resided in Peterboro for a number of years. Three daughters and one son are left to mourn her loss. They are namely Mrs. J. Stamper and Mrs. H. J. Dunsford, both of this city, Mrs. R. H. Dunn of Victoria, B.C., also one son, Andrew, in Washington, U.S.A. Funeral announcement to-morrow.

W. B. STEWART.

William B. Stewart, who died at his late residence, 136 Bedford Road, Toronto, on Monday, Jan. 22nd, was a native of Peterborough, being the eldest son of Frank T. Stewart, and Joan Brown, and grandson of the late Hon. Thomas A. Stewart, of Auburn, County of Peterborough. Wm. B. Stewart received his education in the schools here, afterwards taking up his business career in Toronto, in the early seventies, for some years in the employ of Thompson and Burns' Hardware Co., after which he was in business for himself in Uxbridge, Ont., Trenton, N.J., and Toronto.

More than a year ago his health began to give way and he was obliged to place his business in the hands of his sons, whom he had trained. Mr. Stewart had many relatives and friends in Peterborough. His family consists of his wife, who is a daughter of the late Burton Hutchinson, of Montreal, four sons and three daughters. His second son, Capt. Alan Stewart, is at present on active service in France.

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3 Sacks Pastry Flour	$1.00
2 Brooms, regular 65c, for	$1.00
5 Lbs. Domestic Shortening	$1.00
3 Large Cans Apples	$1.00
12 Lbs. Redpath Granulated Sugar	$1.00
2 Large Bottles Pickles	25c
1 Pkge. McLaren's Jelly Powder	25c
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IMPERIAL CONFERENCE WILL HASTEN VICTORY FOR THE EMPIRE

Maximum Strength Will Be Developed By War Council

HOUSED IN HUTS ON DOWNING STREET

Lloyd George's Growing Staff Overflows Into the Back Yard of Official Residence—Major Astor a Secretary—Room For Him in the House, However—Impressive Silence About Navy—Britain's Count of Her Enemies.

(By Charles Grasty.)

LONDON, Jan. 26.—In the appointment of his parliamentary secretaries, Mr. Lloyd George once again illustrates the happy faculty possessed by the Prime Minister of laying hold upon the entire citizenship for public service. His hunt for available material is not limited by faction, party, or social caste. Of lively interest to America is the drafting of Major Waldorf Astor as one of the Secretaries.

Major Astor is the Conservative M.P. for Plymouth, and the eldest son and heir of Lord (William Waldorf) Astor. He is a conservative in politics, and by wealth and position is associated with the upper class, but the Prime Minister's wide search for Government servants, who can serve penetrated to the Astors in a different sphere. To-day Major Astor was already at work superintending the erection of huts in the garden, or what we would call the backyard of No. 10 Downing Street, which are to house the Prime Minister's staff. For Major Astor himself, Mrs. Lloyd George has given up two rooms that belonged to the residential part of the Premier's headquarters, so great is the press for accommodations for the enlarged official staff made necessary by the strenuous war programme.

When I saw Major Astor I could appreciate the reasons for Lloyd George's choice. He has the ease and kindness which makes friends instantly. If I had not known who he was I should have been in doubt from his manner and speech as to whether he was American or English.

As is well-known, Major and Mrs. Astor, formerly Miss Langhorne of Virginia, are warmly American in sympathy and take a lively interest in all that goes on across the Atlantic. At Cliveden, their place on the Thames, they have made room for the famous Canadian Hospital, with its 1,000 beds, where everything from toothbrush to cot is made in Canada. Mrs. Astor devotes herself to this hospital, and it is not too much to say that no other woman has given herself more completely to the work of caring for the wounded and helping the permanently incapacitated.

THROWS POLITICS ASIDE.

Major Astor has treated the war as an opportunity for intensive effort. His political affiliations as a Tory have interfered in no wise with his willingness to accept service, however offered, and it happened that circumstances some time ago brought him with the orbit of the present Prime Minister. It speaks well for the breadth of both that the found the association congenial from the first, and now the Prime Minister has called the young politician to his side in delicate and important work.

At the risk of violating the modesty of Major Astor I am going to gratify the interest of America by saying a word about his personality. There are few young men in either the political or social life of the country more popular or more trusted. If fate had cast his lot in the United States it would have been no different. His talents and engaging qualities lie deep than conventionality. If he were in New York he would make a live man to run for Mayor and a good official after he was elected, and perhaps he would be more popular on the east side than on Fifth Avenue.

RENDERING REAL SERVICE.

Major Astor, among other activities, has belonged to the coterie that backed and edited The Round Table, a publication a good deal like our own New Republic. The chief editor of The Round Table, Philip Ker, is to be another Secretary to Mr. Lloyd George. The Round Table circle is composed of live-wire Conservatives, men of high social position who set no store by that, but who would like to put themselves above caste by rendering real service.

Mr. Ker, unlike Major Astor, is not a member of Parliament, and never held a political position. His appointment is hailed with delight by men of young heart, who want to see a bonfire of red tape in this old town.

These new positions in the Government—a third one of which, by the way, is to be filled by David Dadies, one of several of the same name in the Government employ, as if to preserve a good Welsh flavour—are made necessary by the new scheme of the Cabinet. The new Secretaris will be go-betweens, so as to keep the departments on the one side and the Prime Minister and the War Committee on the other, closely joined up. It is obvious that these Secretaries must have ability and tact of a high order.

For the past few days interest in the actual fighting has died down. Especially has the English Navy dropped out of sight. It is surprising that with Sir Edward Carson at the Admiralty, and Sid David Beatty in command of the fleet, the navy should be making so little splash. Of course, it should never be forgotten that the navy is always doing the silent work of prevention and protection. As some one said before of the navy: "It is a little like God; we never see Him, but we know He is there, because if He were not there we should not be here."

BEST BY TEST

Wheat Prices Were Unchanged

Lack of Export Buying is a Feature of the Market—The Cattle Markets

Cash prices were unchanged. Options markets closed steady at Chicago and Winnipeg. Lack of buying for export is still a feature of the market.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern $2.08, track, bay ports; No. 2, $2.03; No. 3 $1.98; No. 4 $1.88; old crop 4c above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C. W. 71c; No. 3, 67 1-2; extra No. 1 feed 67 1-2c; No. 1 feed, 67c, all rail delivered.

American corn—No. 3, $1.13, subject to embargo.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white 64c to 66c; No. 3 white 63c to 65c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1.80 to $1.82; No. 3, $1.78 to $1.80.

Peas—No. 2 nominal, car lots $2.35.

Barley—Good malting, $1.20 to $1.22; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal $1.28 to $1.30

Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal; No. 2 new $1.40 to $1.42.

Manitoba flour—First patents in jute bags, $9.90; second patents, in jute $9.40; strong bakers, in jute, $9 Toronto.

Ontario flour—New winter $7.40 to $7.50 in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment; $7.25 bulk, seaboard, export grade.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered Montreal; shorts, $38; bran $34; feed flour per bag $2.80.

Hay—Baled No. 1 track, Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots $13; No. 2 $12 to $12.50; mixed $10 to $11.50; straw $9.

Union Stock Yards—Receipts yesterday 60 cars with 420 cattle, 69 calves, 2,718 hogs, and 243 sheep and lambs.

Latest quotations:

Heavy steers	10 25	to 10 75
Choice butcher	9 75	10 25
do good	8 75	9 25
do medium	8 00	8 50
do common	6 50	7 50
Heifers, good to choice	8 00	9 40
do medium	7 00	7 50
Butcher cows, choice	7 50	8 25
do medium	5 75	6 25
Butcher bulls, choice	7 50	8 50
do good	7 00	7 25
do medium	6 00	6 50
Feeders 900 to 1,000 lbs.	7 50	8 00
do bulls	6 25	6 50
Stockers 700 to 800 lbs.	7 50	7 75
do med. 650 to 750 lbs.	6 25	6 75
do light 600 to 650 lbs		6 50
Canners	5 00	5 25
Cutters	5 50	5 75
Sheep, light	8 50	10 00
do heavy	7 50	8 50
Spring lambs	10 75	15 00
Calves	8 00	13 00
Hogs, fed and watered	14 00	14 25
do weighed off cars	14 25	14 50

CANADIAN CAR CO. TO REBUILD ITS PLANT

NEW YORK, January 26 — The Canadian Car and Foundry Company, whose munitions plant at Kingsland, N.J., was destroyed on January 11th, will rebuild its factory at an early date, its agents have announced here.

Henry Clay of Union township, in which the property of the company lies, declared in a statement after he after he had been informed of the company's plans, that his constituents not only would use every legal means, but if necessary would offer armed resistance to prevent a return of the munitions business in their community.

Shoulder-cape fichus will be seen in the spring.

The newest pockets for the sports suits are gathered.

AMERICAN SOLDIERS FIGHTING WITH THE ALLIES WILL NOT HEAR OF PEACE

Teutons Wanted to Have a Peace Talk on New Year's Day —The Reply Was an Artillery Bombardment Which Clinched the Question—British Tommy Learns to Eat Pork and Beans and Chew Gum—British Learn Things From the United States Soldiers in Their Ranks.

HOW A HERO DIED

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HEADQUARTERS OF THE CANADIAN ARMY IN FRANCE, January 26.—Embedded in the heart of the great Canadian army in France is a body of American citizens in khaki, who have already succeeded in effecting another of several revolutions produced in warfare by the United States.

The first and most important was the aeroplane, invented by the Wrights; the second is the machine gun, originally designed by Hudson Maxim, with the newer Lewis light machine gun, easily carried, or for use on aeroplanes. The third revolution is one I would hardly believe had I not ocular demonstration. It is the conversion of the British Tommy to faith in pork and beans instead of the beef on which he has fought since the time of the Norman conquest of England.

These Americans in the British army, with whom I have just spent a day, are a part of the topsy-turvydom in which we are living, and when I saw them marching back from the trenches to such tunes as "My Country 'Tis of Thee," and "The Star Spangled Banner," with less classical and more modern ragtime music, I wondered what the small American boys would have thought of this factor in the war that is not sufficiently known in the United States. I propose telling what the American soldiers in the British and French armies are doing, where they come from; how they live, and why the Germans are particularly bitter towards them, and say these splendid Americans were hired by the allies.

NOT A PRINCELY WAGE.

From the German point of view the pay of Americans who are fighting against Prussianism is doubtless princely. It amounts to exactly a dollar and a quarter a day. I leave people in the United States to judge whether that would be the sort of remuneration calculated to draw American university graduates, clerks, lumbermen, engineers, across the Atlantic. The falsehood is one of the bits of German boomerang propaganda with which neutrals are becoming acquainted.

The Americans in the British and French armies enlisted in divers ways. In the first few months of the war many came to England direct and entered the British army. Those who were resident in Europe at the outbreak of the war formed a union with British residents in France and joined the French. Others came over later and entered the flying service, where they have done splendid work.

Early in the war, during the battle of the Marne, I was billeted with a number of our despatch riders and was much surprised to find the particular company with which I was spending the night were almost entirely from the United States.

It is almost impossible to estimate the number of Americans in these two armies, but, including those engaged in the noble work of the American Ambulance Corps in Paris and its numerous automobiles and convoys, it has been estimated at quite a sufficient number to have made the American language, American music, and Boston-baked beans familiar.

ARE FINE RAIDERS.

A great feature of the war on the western front at the moment are the day and night raids. This dash and desperate form of individual fighting is encouraged by the British leader, Sir Douglas Haig, and it is in this that the Canadians and British, who have considerable forces of Americans with them are adepts.

Each one of these raids is a miniature battle, and it was in studying this form of warfare that I had the pleasure of seeing Americans who are serving with a Canadian regiment reviewed by a general on their return from the firing line for rest and a festal dinner.

By a curious coincidence the setting of the scene was that of a thousand such in American and Canadian lumber camps—even down to the log houses. We were just out of shell range of the German guns, though the British artillery were talking all time. As the men came down the hillside through tall pine trees, it did not take long for one who had visited most of the States of the Union to detect, despite the mud and fatigue, from which of the world's continents they came. They were in high spirits. Released from the cramped tension af always-shelled and water-logged trenches, they came tumbling over each other like schoolboys. All are in pleasant and happy relation with their Canadian and British officers—which makes for good fighting and does not detract from strict discipline.

MEN ARE LIMBERED UP.

They were paraded for a moment or two for inspection, and as company after company formed into line I could not but admire the quickness —encumbered as they were with all sorts of equipment and an extra suit

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Kaiser Plans To Make Another Peace Move

Will Continue to Exchange Views With the United States Government

WILSON'S SPEECH

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 26.— That Kaiser Wilhelm plans to make his fifty-eighth birthday to-morrow, the occasion for another peace move— with more acceptable terms to the Entente —was reported to-day from several different sources.

The nearest thing to an official hint of this plan was read in his speech yesterday to the Hungarian parliament by Count Stephen Tisza, the Hungarian Premier, who said:

'We are inclined to continue a further exchange of views regarding peace with the United States government!

The second rumor came via Switzerland and Paris. It is purported to be based on private information from Germany and stated that the German Emperor would propose that all parties meet forthwith to discuss the first and principal article of the war's termination—the reorganization of future peace.

Reports from Holland indicate that some sort of a reply to President Wilson's Senate speech is being considered by the officials in Berlin.

JAPANESE DIET DISSOLVED TO-DAY

TOKIO, Jan. 25.—The Japanese diet dissolved to-day, bringing the internal political situation in Japan to a crisis.

Sports suits are very plain and very vivid in colour.

The satin hat is the fashionable between season's hat.

Battleship Was Launched Yesterday

Special to The Examiner:

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—The battleship Mississippi was launched yesterday. A large submarine at Newport gave the people a scare, but it was a United States submarine.

Heavy Fighting Near Verdun

Special to The Examiner.

BERLIN, Jan. 26.—The War Office reports heavy fighting on Dead Man's Hill near Verdun. The battle is still raging.

Heavy Fighting In The Riga District

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 26.—Hot fighting in the Riga district. Enemy gains at some points. Heavy snow storms in the Caucasus has practically halted operations.

Another State Will Go Dry

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 26.— Indiana will go dry January first next.

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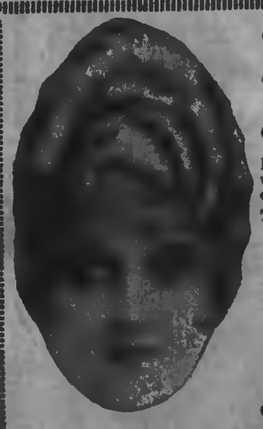

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Early Adjournment For the Commons

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, Jan. 26. —In the Commons yesterday Sir Robert Borden intimated an early adjournment of the Commons. A supply bill will be passed and the government given power to borrow seventy-five millions for carrying on Canada's part in the war.

British Made A Big Raid

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 26.—British made big noon day raid at Hulluch, taking some prisoners.

Quiet On The Italian Front

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

ROME, Jan. 26.—Last night's official statement says nothing of importance along the entire front but the usual artillery duels.

Might Concede Standing Army

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—President Wilson said yesterday afternoon that he might possibly concur that a large standing army was necessary for United States preparedness.

Premier Borden Will Attend The Conference

Lloyd George Says That the Coming Imperial Conference Will Cement and Hasten Certain Victory For the British Empire

MAXIMUM STRENGTH

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 26.— Lloyd-George says that the coming Imperial conference will cement and hasten certain victory for the British Empire. The Imperial War Council will develop the maximum strength of the British Empire.

OTTAWA, Jan. 26.—Premier Borden will hasten to London. There will be no general election in Canada before July.

ECZEMA AND SORE EYES.

"My boy, Frank, seemed weak chested and took a very severe cold," writes Mrs. D. Stevens, Ninga, Man. "The many medicines used did not seem to benefit him, until we tried Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine, and found it to be exactly what was wanted to cure him. His treatment is so thorough and effective as a cure for croup and bronchitis.

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Railway Time Tables

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
Corrected Jan. 16th, 1917.

7.00 a.m.—For Lakefield.
8.35 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg, and points east, connecting at Port Hope for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 12.25 p.m.
8.25 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Stirling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston Brockville, Montreal.
8.30 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto Hamilton, Niagara.
12.20 p.m.—For Lakefield.
12.40 a.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto Detroit and Chicago.
1.20 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Stirling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
5.35 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
5.40 p.m.—For Lakefield.
8.55 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
9.05 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville Montreal and Boston.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
Corrected January 15, 1917.

GOING EAST:
*8.40 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*12.12 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St John, N. B., Boston and New York.
*1.23 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed Perth, Smith's Falls, and Ottawa.
**11.37 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa Montreal and Intermediate points, and all points east of Montreal.

GOING WEST:
*4.50 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo New York, Galt, Woodstock, St Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*8.54 a.m.—Bypdig and North Toronto.
**1.35 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York. Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
**9.15 a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port Mc Nichol and Intermediate points
**3.43 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Buffalo, New York (Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, London, Detroit and Chicago.
**6.45 p.m.—North Toronto and West Toronto and Intermediate points.
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By CHARLES REVELLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday.)

"For God's sake, Smitherton, what are you pulling all this tragedy stuff about? Ain't you her manager? Did you want the whole act queered? Was not the old woman nutty and the old man a bum, and weren't they dead-weight for her to carry? Didn't they have to die sometime—and could they ever have picked a luckier time to do it? I ask you now, could they?"

"Great God," exclaimed the reporter. But the manager went on.

"I call it a miracle of luck. God's good to some folks! Here that girl gets all of her troubles settled at a single stroke—and to-morrow she's the biggest head liner on Broadway..... and you, the feller that ought to be out hustling her business interests, stand there gaping like as you was sore because she didn't fliver. I don't get you."

Mr. Lewis's voice was freighted with disgust, then seeing that the climax had been reached on the stage he turned away and signalled to ring down. "Take all the curtains you can get out of it," he instructed the stage manager—as he once more rubbed his hands.

Smitherton stood silent, seeing the curtain fall, then rise and fall time after time to a thunder of applause. He saw Mary Burton, with all her distaste masked behind the regal tranquility of her splendid eyes and her cruelly wasted courage, bowing not like an actress, but like an empress. Then she passed them, and closed the door of her dressing room.

Smitherton heard Lewis's voice once more, accompanied by something like a sigh. "Now comes the tough part," said the manager. "I've got to go and break it to her. Of course just at first she ain't likely to see the lucky side of it."

The reporter stopped him.

"To the devil with you!" he cried out fiercely. "I'll tell her myself—and if you interrupt me or say a word to her—I'm going to hurt you!"

He went slowly to the door, but the manager had interrupted him with some excitement and with no realisation that his voice was loud, as he prompted.

"Put it to her tactful. Remind her that she is made on Broadway, and now that the old man and the old woman are both dead, she is free."

The dressing room door suddenly opened and they saw the girl standing there unsteadily, but as they approached she took a backward step, and leaned against the wall.

Her eyes had slowly widened, as they had widened before under the sickening and staggering blows of tragedy. Her lips moved to speak but for a while could shape no words. From her shaken bosom came a long and pitiful moan, which was not loud and then her voice returned, and she said, "I heard you. They are—gone!"

Smitherton knew that words could hardly help. He closed the door again and turned aside. Even Lewis moved away and stood silent.

But a few minutes later the dressing room door once more swung outward and they saw her at the threshold. She had thrown a cloak around her. The deadly pallor of her cheeks was grotesquely heightened by the remnants of rouge which her shaking fingers had failed to completely remove. Her eyes were wide and staring, gazing into the future or the past.... into eternity it might have been.

Mr. Abey Lewis laid a hand on her arm.

"Miss Burton," he suggested, "you ain't quite got the paint off yet. It needs a little more cold cream, still." But Mary did not hear him. She heard nothing; saw nothing of these surroundings which stood for the pitifully wasted crucifixion of all her instincts of delicacy.

"This evening at eight," the manager reminded her. "Don't forget—and maybe you will feel better then."

For a moment she halted. She had reached the stage door, other performers were leaving the theatre. She gazed back into the face of Mr. Abey Lewis, and said blankly, "This evening—what is this evening?"

They sought to stop her, but there was something in those wide eyes that petrified them all. For the time Mr Lewis remained as one who was hypnotised. The door man was gazing at her with an expression of awe and wonderment.

Mary stood there with the cloak falling open so that the convulsive throbbing of her throat was laid bare. The two marvellous and mismated eyes looked at them all and did not see them. The sister of Hamilton Burton, the woman whom two continents had toasted, was seeing other things. "Let me pass," she commanded, and they stood aside and saw her go out into the gathering night, and the blizzard.

Smitherton rushed after her.

"Let me at least put you in a taxi," he pleaded, but she only shook her head.

"You can only do one thing now," she said; "for God's sake, leave me alone."

Though he knew she was in no condition to be left to herself, the spell of those eyes was upon him, too. It was impossible to disobey. He stood there and saw her turn the corner, buffeted by the wind, and disappear.

Then he became conscious of a newsboy's shrieking: "Last 'dition——All 'bout the Burton trad-edgy!"

PART III.

THE MOUNTAIN TOP.

THE STORY THAT WAS.

CHAPTER XXXV.

It was a June day with the sparkle and lilt of summer's brightest and tunefulest mood in the sky and a softness and warmth in the air. The most distant peaks of the mountains slept in a quiet and purple glory and their nearer slopes still held a forest-freshness undulled by heat and sunburn.

Deep in the woods of the White Mountains the wild flowers were springing joyously and the birds were pouring out the fulness of life and joy and love from trilling throats.

The waters of Lake Forsaken were like a mirror holding in their still bosom all the vivid colors which summer paints into its first and sweetest days while an after note of spring's youth still lingers. The blue of the sky was broken only by white cloud-sails that rode high and buoyant in the upper air currents, like galleons of dreams, and all these things were given back in reflection from depths where the bass leaped and the sun shimmered. On the lake's farther margin a red-brown shape came down with careful feet gingerly lifted and set down, to raise its antlered head. But the gentle eyes were not charged with fear for this was a season of security and truce with mankind.

If the world held trouble anywhere, no shadow of its passing rifled or marred the landscape here. And yet in this smile and song of nature, there must be a certain disregard for human affairs, because the movement which held the deer's gaze, as he stood there at the water's edge, looking across the width of Lake Forsaken, was the movement of human beings trailing along the road in a funeral cortege.

The road along which it traveled was no longer a deeply scarred trail, rutted through its clay surface by the hauling of lumber. It was metalled and smooth. There were many changes in the character of things hereabouts—all changes which attested that the curse of decay and hopeless sterility had been lifted. Up through a rift in the hills loomed the white concrete abutment of an aqueduct—and through the valley wound a railroad. A man might have walked many miles and come upon few deserted habitations, preyed upon by the twin vandals Time and Decay, and staring blankly out through unglazed windows. What had once been a land of abandoned farms, a battle-ground where poverty had fought and defeated humanity, was now a land redeemed. Honest thrift and substantial comfort had crowned it with restoration.

The church to which the hearse was making its way had also changed in aspect. The tumbledown building had become a mere worthy house of worship, unelaborate, but renewed. Its belfry stood upright and on the Sabbath spoke out in the music, not its crimes. Graves where once the headstones had scattered in neglect lay now in rows of ordered care, and those who slept in them no longer slept among the briars of overgrown thickets.

About the building, waiting for the coming of a new tenant in the acre of the dead, were gathered a score or more of neighbours, because the body which was to be laid to rest to-day had been, in life, the member of a family which they delighted to honour and respect.

(To be continued.)

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The above is not a description of some hamlet in rural Ontario where busses still tie the inhabitants to civilisation once or twice daily. It is Todmorden, the quaint district over the Don, east from the new Government House, and the brick yards. "Mill Road", was the old name for Broadview avenue.

Probably only one in every thousand citizens has ever been there, although one has only to keep on up Broadview avenue from Danforth, or arrive at the same intersection by following the road which ascends the eastern hill from Winchester street bridge. Todmorden is entirely isolated from the city otherwise, except by a roundabout access from Yonge street at Deer Park, crossing Moore Park bridge and turning down Bayview avenue to where it meets the C.P.R. tracks; a winding hillside road can be descended thence which brings the wayfarer to the bridge at Todmorden's mill.

The village is a little bit of Old England set down in York County; it was founded principally by folk from Yorkshire and Devon. Todmorden's inaccessibility is probably responsible for the fact that—unlike every other adjacent suburb—none of the farms have yet tempted the real estate man to exploit their linky lots.

Increased Business With Russia

Canada's neighbors as well as other neutral countries are watching very carefully the trend of their exports, and they are giving particular attention to making a permanent line of articles now being handled for war purposes. For instance, Russia is taking from the United States a large quantity of steel rails for military purposes, but which it is anticipated will still be in request for expansion which is looked for in that country following the peace settlement. Canada is participating in the increased export business to Russia, but not to so great an extent as the United States. The latter's exports for the fiscal year ended June 30 last are estimated as being ten times greater than for the year ending June 30, 1914, whereas Canada's are less than four times greater within the same period.

Maples Around Graves.

Canadian maples are to be planted around the graves of Canadian soldiers in France. Seed of the red and silver maple, ripened at Ottawa, has been sent to London by Dominion Horticulturist W. T. Macoun, and planted in Kew Gardens. After the war the little trees from these seeds are to be transplanted in France. Seeds of the large-leaved maple of British Columbia are to be sent to London for the same purpose, as occasion...

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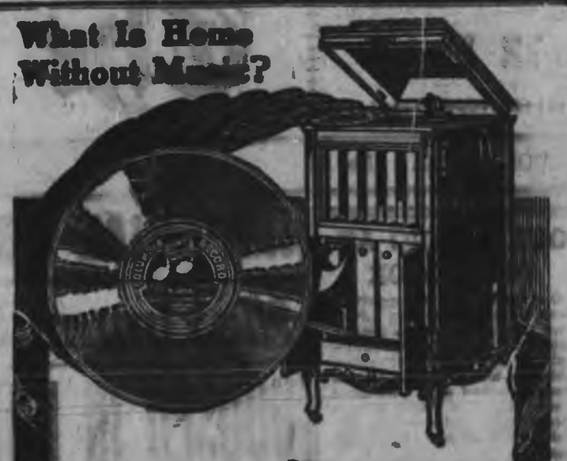

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OUR DAILY SHORT STORY

The Elevator Boy

By M. QUAD

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As the first boy in the world who ran the first elevator ever made and to make a record of holding a position for twenty-eight years without the loss of a day, I feel that I have a right to talk plainly to the boys who have just entered upon the noble work of elevating elevators.

If you have been selected to conduct a wire cage up and down, no matter whether in a skyscraper or an apartment house, the first thing to be done is to ask yourself these questions:

"Am I a modest, unassuming boy?"

"Is my position going to make me a conceited young jackass?"

"Will I keep my mouth shut and let others do the talking?"

"Have I the proper respect for old age?"

Having answered these questions satisfactorily to yourself, you can begin your duties. If you have any doubts of yourself take up some other profession, for you will be a failure in this. I have watched the career of scores of elevator boys and lamented the failure of a good share of them. There was Johnny Beers. He was a red headed boy with a turned up nose and ears that started out to be palm leaf fans, but stopped halfway. His mother wanted him to be a lawyer and his father wanted him to be a doctor, but he thought that elevating an elevator was the only thing for him.

Within three months he fell in love six or seven times, and it was his proposal of matrimony to a widow forty years old that finally sent him out of the building with the agent's boot behind him.

And when Mike Salters was offered a place to conduct a gilded cage in a twelve story palace of an apartment house he came to me to get pointers. It was a grand opening. The house was occupied by aristocrats. Success would be his if he only struck the right road. I warned him of the pitfalls, and with tears in his eyes he solemnly promised to avoid them. Maybe it was his mother's fault that he failed to do so, for she was a romantic lady, and the first thing she did was to have him change his name to Claude La Salle. He was told to address every man as monsieur and every woman as madame and to lift his cap and smile a smile as he addressed them. He was told that in case he carried a lone lady up or down he should ask after her health, refer to the weather and be as entertaining as he could.

The tenants were amused for awhile and then began to make complaints, and one day after he had advised a broker to quit that trade and open a sawmill somewhere he vanished from the building and never came back.

My heart saddens as I think of the case of Jim Clark. He came to me as others had done, and, though he had once licked me when I had a sore finger and could not use my right hand, I sat down and had a fatherly talk with him. He agreed to do as I told him, and if he had kept to his promise he might now have been the owner of the zoological gardens in the Bronx, to say nothing of being the husband of a widow worth $10,000,000.

Jimmy restrained himself for a couple of weeks and then broke out. He felt that his passengers expected to be surprised, and he went at it to surprise them. He jounced and bounced that elevator until women screamed and men swore, and one day when he got stuck between the nineteenth and twentieth floors and every passenger was half scared to death Jimmy held up his hands and shouted:

"All of you shut up! What's all this row about, anyhow? Let me explain to you that this cage got tired and is only restin'. There is no danger whatever. It will start up agin when it feels like it. I am here to save you."

When the elevator at last reached the first floor Jimmy was the first one out. He went out as if kicked from behind, and he kept on down the corridor and out of the front door and out on the sidewalk. Jimmy is now the driver of a motor truck, and, though he runs over three or four people a day on the street, he has no future before him. To be a success as an elevator boy is as easy as to be a failure. One need not be slavish, but he must be modest and respectful. He may be cheerful, but not enthusiastic. He may be dignified but not surly. If a traveling drummer takes his cage for the twelfth floor and slaps him on the back and calls him "old man" he may smile in reply to show that he appreciates humor, but he should not go further than that.

The car starter in a skyscraper is always a young man of great dignity when on duty. The elevator boy must respect that dignity. He is expected to divide his tips with the starter, and if caught holding out on him there is sure to be a row.

The engineer of a skyscraper expects the elevator boy to keep him in cigarettes. This sometimes comes hard upon the boy's purse, but it is only a milepost on the road to success. If the cigarettes come promptly and without a kick the boy can take his revenge in later years. He can save up his tips and salary until he can buy that skyscraper, and then he can send downstairs for that engineer and say to him:

"John, I don't need your services any longer. Get your duds together and get out of here." And the boy's revenge will be complete.

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CAN'T COMPETE WITH ENGLISH SHELL MAKERS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—Secretary Daniels has announced that he has awarded contracts to the ordnance manufacturing firm of Hadfield's, Limited, of Sheffield, England for the delivery of 7,500 large armor piercing projectiles for the United States navy. The total value of the contract is $3,141,000, and the shells are to be completed in 16 and 19 months.

The lowest American bid for the construction of these shells, that of the Washington Steel and Ordnance company was $4,500,000. The figures at which the contracts were awarded represent a saving of $1,359,000. The bid of the Crucible Steel Company was $4,751,000, and of the Midvale Company $5,175,000. The Bethlehem Company bid only on the 16-inch projectiles, and at its figure of $775 each it would have cost $2,325,000 for 3,000 16-inch shells. The Hadfield's bid for the 3,000 16-inch projectiles calls for a total payment of 1,539,000.

The contracts awarded to Hadfield's are for 4,500 14-inch armor-piercing shells at $356 f.o.b. on board at the works at Sheffield, delivery to be complete in 19 months, and for 3,000 16-inch armor-piercing shells at $513 each, free on board, Sheffield, with delivery to be complete in 16 months.

Before the contracts were awarded assurances were given that the British government had consented to the British company accepting this contract.

Secretary Daniels explained that the navy department had made every effort to persuade the American bidders to reduce their price so as to enable the government to award the contracts to American firms, but that he had been informed the American bidders would not be able to compete with the British firm. The question of delivery was an important factor. The Hadfield company agreed to deliver both classes of shells in approximately half the time the American firms required.

There is a suggestion that the skirts will be a bit narrower.

Marine blue serge will make the little girl an ideal school dress.

The tailored coat and skirt is a certain revival for early spring.

ENGLAND CAN BEAT PRICES IN CHICAGO

Shipments Have Come, As Bills of Lading Show—Germany, Take Notice!

CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—High prices paid for potatoes on the Chicago market have attracted shipments from England to compete with the American grown product, according to a statement by Sol Westerfeld, former president of the National Retail Grocers' Association.

"It seems almost impossible that England at this time can send potatoes to Chicago to compete with the product grown in Illinois, Wisconsin and other western states, but I have seen the bills of lading," he said. Potatoes on the Chicago market today are selling at $2.25 a bushel.

RESIGNS AS EDITOR

MONTREAL, Jan. 25.—Mr. B. A. MacNab has withdrawn from the editorship of the Daily Mail and Evening News.

In a signed statement he recalls the January 4th suspension through the refusal of himself and Messrs. Nichols and Dorsey to sell the property to undisclosed purchasers, at the request of another shareholder who had withdrawn financial support. Last Monday he was told by Messrs. Nichols and Dorsey that the papers would suspend publication on Monday night, without the publication of what he considered an adequate statement, such as was given on January 3.

Mr. MacNab then tendered the money to get out the Mail on Tuesday morning, along with an editorial protesting against any policy of partial silence on the second proposed suspension of the paper.

The money was not accepted. The editorial was refused insertion by the directors, whereupon Mr. MacNab withdrew from the editorship.

Mr. M. E. Nichols, president of the company, which publishes the Daily Mail and the Evening News, declined to-night to make any comment on Mr. MacNab's statement to the press, and said he had nothing to give out with reference to the Mail or News.

Mr. MacNab is vice-president of the company, and he and Mr. Nichols have been associated as editors and managers of the two papers.

WHEN YOU WAKE UP DRINK GLASS OF HOT WATER

Wash the poisons and toxins from system before putting more food into stomach.

Says inside-bathing makes anyone look and feel clean, sweet and refreshed.

Wash yourself on the inside before breakfast like you do on the outside. This is vastly more important because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, causing illness, while the bowel pores do.

For every ounce of food and drink taken into the stomach, nearly an ounce of waste material must be carried out of the body. If this waste material is not eliminated day by day it quickly ferments and generates poisons, gases and toxins which are absorbed or sucked into the blood stream, through the lymph ducts which should suck only nourishment to sustain the body.

A splendid health measure is to drink, before breakfast each day, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, which is a harmless way to wash these poisons, gases and toxins from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels; thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

A quarter pound of limestone phosphate costs but very little at the drug store but is sufficient to make anyone an enthusiast on inside-bathing. Men and women who are accustomed to wake up with a dull, aching head or have furred tongue, bad taste, nasty breath, sallow complexion, others who have bilious attacks, acid stomach or constipation are assured of pronounced improvement in both health and appearance shortly.

RAGGED ARMY HUNTED FOE IN SOUTH AFRICA

Clothing of Boer-British Force Torn to Shreds in Jungle Fighting—Very Fit Soldiers

A correspondent wrote from Cape Town during the East African campaign, as follows: Because of the diversity of its units—Britons from the homeland, South African British, Boers, East Indians, and South African natives—General Smuts' expedition in German East Africa is known popularly as the ragtime army. The ragged army would be an even more appropriate designation, for mostly it was made up of men whose clothing is in tatters. This is not due to the wear and tear incidental to a rapid trek of upward of a thousand miles, fighting a good part of the way, which many of the regiments have to their credit, so much as to the fact that to get at the enemy the men frequently have to break by main force through jungles of thick thornbush, which tear their clothing to shreds and scratch their bodies from head to foot, so that on emerging they generally present the appearance of being horribly wounded when not a bullet has touched them.

Little things like that, with marches lasting from 2 o'clock in the morning, at which time the columns when practicable set out, until 6 o'clock in the evening, without a drink of water on the way, and often to go into action against machine gun fire before resting, in no wise affect the spirit of the troops. There is splendid rivalry among the white and colored regiments, in endurance as well as in fighting. A man feels keenly disgraced if his strength fails him and he is compelled to fall out, so if he is stricken with fever he keeps right on with his comrades and tries to joke and sweat it out of his system. The result is that the ragged army is made up of men who literally are as hard as nails—lean, agile, powerful fellows, clear of eye and all skin and muscle.

Armored Cars Effective

The joy of the army is the armored cars. The value of these machines manned by naval crews cannot be estimated. They have saved hundreds of men from being killed and thousands from being wounded. They can locate the enemy's machine guns without loss when ordinary methods would be as futile as they would be costly in a country which offers such extraordinary facilities for concealment. An illustration in point is furnished in accounts of the operations of one of General Van Deventer's columns engaged in driving the Germans out of the territory north of the Central Railway into the region of the Mahenge swamps, where they were kraaled.

The pursuit took the column into a mountain pass most admirably adapted for the purposes of a trap. As was surmised, the Germans had not failed to take advantage of the opportunity to make a stand. The road led through a gap up into a narrow neck in a horseshoe of high wooded hills from which every inch of the inclosed space was commanded. The armored cars, one at a time, went on toward the nek while the infantry deployed to right and left of the hills and began the ascent. Nothing happened for awhile. Not a sign of the enemy was in evidence and the cars came to a halt in open ground. Immediately they were showered with machine gun bullets from all directions.

Machine Guns in Jungle

They had accomplished their purpose of drawing the enemy's fire, but while the lead pattered on the cars it was impossible to discover whence it came. Finally the leading car went on and turned into an abandoned native camp, still followed by the deadly stream of lead. The sharp-eyed observer at last noticed a peculiar movement of leaves on a ridge. The guns were turned on the spot, and in a jiffy an enemy machine gun company was put out of business. The combined guns of the car then peppered the ridges systematically, and by nightfall the infantry was in possession of the northern slopes. During the night the enemy retreated southward, and, when this was discovered, the cars and mounted scouts went after them. The scouts happened unexpectedly upon a party of mounted Germans in a clearing, rode into them at full speed and pulled them off their horses. It would have been easy for them to shoot the Germans from cover, but they disdained to do it.

In addition to the armored cars, most of the columns are outfitted with airplanes and a cyclist corps, which also have rendered invaluable service. The Indian mountain batteries, which are worked with incredible speed and accuracy by their crews, are the admiration of the army.

HUGE WAR CONTRACT

Miles of Ribbon For Medals—Russia's Big Totals

Russia is never niggardly in the way of Government orders. During her war with Japan, she gave one Chicago firm a contract for six million pounds of beef. On another occasion, when there was a coal strike in England, and Russia could not get her accustomed supplies of steam coal for her navy, she cabled to a firm in the United States an order for three million tons. This was the largest export order ever received.

Compared with such mammoth demands as these, the Australian order of 1,213 for three hundred and seven miles of cloth for military uniforms seems a small matter. Yet, considering the comparative populations of the two countries, it was not so bad.

After the South African War the British Government contracted for forty miles of ribbon for South African war medals. These were issued to about 300,000 men, each getting a nine-inch strip. One wonders how many hundred miles will be required for the Empire troops at the end of the present appalling struggle.

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Wife Finds Husband Lying Dead in Snow

Andrew Borman, Formerly of Sebringville, Stricken at Strathroy.

STRATHROY, Jan. 25.—Andrew Borman, aged 50, proprietor of the Strathroy Cartage and Coal Company, fell over dead from an attack of heart-failure while sweeping away the snow in front of his residence on East Front Street. He went out after supper, and when he did not return, his wife became anxious, and went to look for him, and found him lying dead in the snow. Mr. Borman had complained to one of the employees about not feeling well, but would not go to see a doctor for fear that he would alarm his wife. He came here last May from Sebringville, and took over the business of R. M. Pincombe. Besides his wife he is survived by three little children, Margaret, John and Carman.

ECZEMA ON FACE
WAS SO BAD HAD TO STAY IN HOUSE

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ROBBERS TRICK FAILED

LONDON, Jan. 25.—An attempt at robbery which reads like a chapter from "Bill Bias" is reported from Petrograd.

The millionaire, M. Zhivatovski, a prominent business man, has a large and luxurious flat in Kirochnaya street, in the chief residential quarter of Petrograd. At eight o'clock in the morning two motor cars drew up at the door of the house, and from them stepped out nine men, dressed in the uniform of a Government department. They presented themselves as the millionaire's flat, with the announcement that the tenant was suspected of having been in treasonable commerce through his dealings with Sweden, and that they had orders to search the premises.

The spokesman of the party called himself Count Palen. At his orders M. Zhivatovski, his family, and fourteen servants, were locked up in one of the rooms while the search went on. As it failed to reveal its main object, the safe, threats, enforced by the application of handcuffs, were tried upon the millionaire. It then appeared that there had been one very obvious miscalculation in the robbers' plans. Their intended victim had no safe at his residence, and had been sufficiently prudent to leave all his valuable papers in a strong room at his office.

Having made this discovery, the robbers, who had disdained minor booty, made off. It was only then that M. Zhivatovski's suspicions were aroused, and that by use of the telephone, which meanwhile had been under guard, he discovered the true character of his visitors.

LADY DRUMMOND'S WORK.

Her Efforts for the Soldiers Have Aroused Wide Admiration.

In a recent letter to The Toronto Globe from London the following tribute was paid to Lady Drummond's work, which brings to all who come in contact with her the marvellous never-failing inspiration that life means service and the spending of self.

Lady Drummond's method of fulfilling tasks undertaken attracts not cold admiration, but warm, devoted love. Canada should know that from her has come one who, amongst the women gathered here from diverse countries for the work of the war, is recognized as a leader of large-minded sympathies. No, soldier in the field, no sister at the outposts, has given himself or herself more wholly at the call of country than has Lady Drummond.

When many organizations in London are approached, a secretary or under-secretary must satisfy the applicant, and only matters of importance will secure a personal interview with the head. Not so with Lady Drummond. Whoever waits has her sympathy, interest, and help. The door is open wide, and he is received with a smile of genuine welcome. From early morning till gathering dusk Lady Drummond is ready to give her whole mind to him who asks for it, and he leaves her presence strong in the knowledge that here is an interest which will not fail, and that her belief in his powers must be justified.

To leave London—to rest a while in the reawakening English country—for this Lady Drummond finds no spare time. Nevertheless, I found a lad of nineteen from a humble home in Toronto, who had been lying in a corner bed of a ward in a military hospital, paralyzed since last May, happy and proud because of a personal visit from her. The boy's mother, his only living relative, was in Toronto, and Lady Drummond desired to bring mother and son together. He had given the strength of his youth in exchange for a bed in a hospital, three thousand miles from home, and so Lady Drummond took time in her leisureless life to go to the lad and show him her gracious appreciation.

"Her ways are ways of pleasantness." Who knows how far down the years her work will extend?

Denmark's Sovereigns.

Denmark has had a most curious array of sovereigns, the Blue Tooth, Forked Beard, Simple, Hungry, Hare-foot, Lamb, Pious and Cruel being among them.

This latter, who was Christian II., belied his real name by gaining the additional title of the Nero of the North. There was probably little happiness in Denmark when he sat upon the throne.—London Mail.

A Money Saver.

"You are foolish to buy your furniture on the installment plan. You have to pay nearly twice as much as you otherwise would."

"Yes, but look at all the money I save on moving expenses."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

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AMERICAN SOLDIERS FIGHTING WITH THE ALLIES

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of caked mud—with which they came to attention and "eyes right." If I had any doubt as to the home of these stalwart fighters for dreedom, it would have been settled by the steady movement of their jaws, betokening a habit which is rapidly spreading among the English and French, and which is said by the doctors to be quite a useful relaxation when under the fire of trench mortars and minenwerfers.

I had brought with me newspaper clippings from a German source, in which it was said that the Americans complained of their treatment. I had only to read it to the first group to have it absolutely denied.

"We are having a perfectly corking time, despite the mud," voiced a Californian, with a total figure and a voice as resonant as Roosevelt's "You'll not find a grouch in the whole outfit, except that we had not expected to have to learn mud-swimming and that we don't see enough home newspapers."

"As for that," replied another, "I don't want to see mine. The folks sent it along at first, but I stopped it, for it gave only Fritzy's side of the case."

BOYS WANT NEWSPAPERS.

I find lack of home newspapers to be a general complaint, and any American who sympathizes with these fine boys fighting out here might do worse than mail a newspaper every week—preferably one not giving the German side. Such newspapers should be addressed: American soldiers, care commanding officer, Royal Canadian Regiment, British Expeditionary Force, in France."

I should say that chewing gum, magazines, woollen comforts, tobacco, cigarettes, and any portable and preservable little luxuries would be welcomed, though there is no lack of anything except, as I have said, of home papers.

These American boys are proud, and rightly proud, of the deeds of their own American men and officers. In the midst of this vast army—the British army in France has now been publicly stated to exceed 2,000,000 men—they occupy an anomalous, if a proud, position.

HOW A HERO DIED.

Among the heroic dead there is no greater story than that of a gallant officer, for twelve years in the American cavalry, who joined in the great Canadian attack on the Regina trench—named after the Canadian town of Regina. Though not engaged in that particular operation, he could not resist the temptation to dash over the parapet with the cry of "Come on, boys." Terribly wounded, he endeavoured to struggle forward against the Germans, but was carried back and then killed by shell fire. He was one of many Americans whose dare-deviltry has endeared them to their Canadian and British associates.

While most newspaper despatches from Washington, which reach the French and English newspapers, are full of the word "peace," these husky young American citizens will not hear of it.

"To h—— with peace talk," said a bright-eyed boy from Kansas City, "while these slant heads across the line there are enslaving French and Belgian women and children. There would be none of this peace business at home if the people there knew the facts."

SUITABLE REPLY WAS MADE.

On New Year's Day Boche soldiers put out boards saying: "Why not have a peace talk?" The reply of the whole allied line was an artillery bombardment, which clinched the question.

A blue-eyed American from Wisconsin, with, I should think, Swedish blood in his veins, said "our people at home do not seem to realize that talking peace terms with the Germans still in France means a German victory. The home folks do not know what we know. In the matter of a fight the Prussians, brave as they are, are down and out."

"The German Government is crying for peace," added a hatchet eyed Yankee, who had gone out West as a boy and made good, later throwing up all for the war, "because the German army and German people know we have got them where we want them."

EXAMINER PATTERN SERVICE

MISS' AND SMALL WOMAN'S DRESS.

By Anabel Worthington.

Recent developments in the fashion world are well expressed in this model—one especially designed for misses and small women.

Rarely, if ever before, has there been such a variety of collars for the adornment of the one piece frock, and in this instance it is apparent that the collar is bound to be the leading feature. The plain waist can well afford to be on simple lines with such an attractive neck finish, and the cuffs in matching material are worthy of attention.

The skirt is a three-gore model, gathered where the waist joins, and right here it is noticeable that the season is partial to girdles of self or separate material, that go twice around, drape at front, tie in a knot and then take a downward path. The pleasing pocket novelty is a tasseled affair that adds to the charm of the frock.

Broadcloth, velveteen, satin or serviceable serge or like fabric, with bengaline, satin or broadcloth to trim, will give an admirable dress. You could not buy such a combination of style features in a dress—making it is easy and economical.

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OLD SHIP CARVERS

Their Occupation Gone, Theirs is Now a Lost Art.

FIGUREHEADS OUT OF DATE.

These Famous Old Fanciful Figures, Elaborately Fashioned in Wood, Find No Place in the Decorative Scheme of a Modern Windjammer.

While there is a revival of wooden shipbuilding in Maine, giving employment to the carpenter, rigger and sailmaker, there is not on the whole length of the coast any job for the carver—the sculptor in wood who used to make the figureheads. That is an occupation now entirely gone, for the figurehead is out of date and its carving a lost art.

One of the most famous of the ship carvers was the late William L. Seavey of Bangor, who fashioned figureheads for the best square riggers that ever left Maine. He learned his trade in a Bangor shipyard when the banks of the Penobscot bristled with new vessel frames, plied his cleaver, chisel and gouge through all the years of America's greatest maritime glory, witnessed the decline of our ocean commerce and lived to see his occupation entirely gone.

For forty years or more did Seavey carve angels and cherubs, kings and queens, mermaids and dolphins, statesmen and warriors, not to mention an occasional lion and numerous eagles, for the adornment of "down east" vessels, for every craft of any considerable size carried a figurehead, some sort of ornament under the bowsprit being regarded as necessary to complete her outfit. But now all that is gone. Owners can see no sense in spending money on such gewgaws as a blue eyed and white robed queen wearing a yellow crown. When they build a vessel now—square riggers are no longer thought of—they whittle her off forward to a billet head and let her go at that. Maybe a gilt scrollwork tops her stem, but nothing more.

Thus it is that Bangor knows the wood sculptor no more, the sole reminder of Seavey's art being a broken and faded specimen of his work, once carried by a big ship, but for many years mounted as a sign over his shop door in Exchange street. In the days of her youth this statuesque lady, whittled and chiseled from a pine log, had golden trimmings on her Grecian robes and in one dainty hand held aloft a golden goblet. Now she is weather worn and grimy, and the goblet hand is gone, but she is the most striking memorial of Seavey, all his other painted beauties being scattered to the seven seas under foreign flags or gone to the port of dead ships.

One of the finest figureheads in its day was that of the clipper ship Western Belle. It was the full sized figure of a woman, with her left arm outstretched, carrying a few spears of wheat. Her right hand gathered the folds of her skirt, the drapery of which, considering that the material was wood, was admirably executed.

From the general outline no less than from the careless curl lying along the breast it is suspected that the carver had worked in marble or was a natural genius. His name was Sampson. He neglected to cut his first name on his masterpieces. He lived and toiled in Bath, the home of American shipbuilding, where the Western Belle was built in 1876.

His handiwork was carried by Bath built ships to the most remote parts of the world, and it is related that a south sea island chief was so impressed with the Yankee carver's skill that he sent him a commission by a friendly skipper to make a set of idols to meet the theological needs of the chief's heathen subjects.

The Western Belle is spending the evening of her days as a coal barge, but the lady who graced her prow was retired from the sea and now occupies a place in a garden. One of her peculiarities was a detachable arm, the one in which she held the wheat. During voyages it was unscrewed so that the seas might not break it, being replaced when the ship was about to make a port. This was not known in the more elaborate of the old wooden figureheads, especially of men-of-war, where danger of shattering was greatest.

Some figureheads were illustrative of the vessel's name, others were whims of the owners or the captains and still others symbolic of events occurring at the time the vessels were built. The schooner War Eagle, for instance, was built in wartime, and she had for her figurehead a fierce looking eagle, perched on a heap of cannon balls and with arrows clasped in its talons. The War Eagle was destroyed some years ago at Boston by an explosion of naphtha in her cargo. The schooner American Eagle was decorated with a gorgeous bird of freedom, and the brig American Union was liberally ornamented, stern and bow, with symbols of this nation.

The old steamer Expounder had a figure of John Marshall holding the constitution outspread, and the steamer Daniel Webster carried on either paddle box a medallion head of the great orator, while in her saloon was hung a life sized portrait of him, presented by the citizens of Boston.

Great men begin enterprises because they think them great and fools because they think them easy.—Vauvenargues.

White satin is a little newer in neckwear than broadcloth.

The tea gown is no longer called a tea gown but a house coat.

SOME BASEBALL RECORDS.

Big Shutout Scores in the Modern History of the Game.

In the early days of baseball whitewashing a team was one of the most sensational episodes of the game. The ball was so lively, with plenty of rubber between the covers, the pitcher's delivery so restricted and the fielding, owing to the inevitable tremendous batting, so loose that to prevent a team from scoring was considered almost a miracle. Big scores were the rule, sometimes going into 100 runs. When the Mutuals in 1870 shut out the Chicagos, the score being 9 to 0, it created an excitement all over the country, the memory of which lasted for more than a score of years. Occasionally even now we bear of a team being "Chicagoed."

Because of the radical changes in the rules of the game it would be rather misleading to measure present standards with the models set up in "ancient" days. "Modern" baseball history begins in 1890.

In the major leagues (National league and American association) big shutout scores had been registered in the ancient days—29-0 in 1883, 24-0 in 1885 and 1887 and 23-0 in 1883. But the record in modern history is 19-0 in the National league and 21-0 in the American.

Three times in the National league a score of 19-0 was turned in. The first was made on July 15, 1893, in a game in Pittsburgh, the Pirates shutting out the Washingtons by these figures. Three years later, nearly to the day (July 8, 1896), the feat was repeated, the Pirates again shutting out the Washingtons, 19-0.

The third 19-0 game was played at New York on June 7, 1906, Chicago defeating the Giants.

In the American league Detroit shut out Cleveland, 21-0, on Sept. 15, 1901, and on Aug. 31, 1907, New York shut out Washington, 20-0.

CAPTURED THE AUDIENCE.

Ned Harrigan's Plea at the Critical Point in a Play.

Edward Harrigan once said that the most trying moment in his theatrical career occurred in New Orleans soon after the war between the states. He had gone south with his company and, yielding somewhat to popular request, put on "The Blue and the Gray."

The play had been a success up north, but down south, with the air still full of the bitterness of the war, it was a dangerous experiment. Tony Hart was to represent the Confederate gray, so he hunted up a uniform of the Louisiana Tigers, and when he came marching on, young, stalwart, handsome, the typical soldier boy in the beloved uniform, the house, men and women, cheered and shouted and cried for all their heroes embodied in this boy.

Harrigan, standing in the wings in his northern blue, waiting to go on, had just one thought—"They'll kill me!" Then he stepped out, the embodiment of the enemy, and a cold, dead silence fell upon the house. Not a hand moved for him. The audience was tense with emotion, and there was only an instant to act if the play was to be saved.

Harrigan, big, kindly, good looking, came swiftly down to the front and stepped over the footlight gutter, leaning down to them. "For the love of heaven, won't you give the Yankee a hand?" he exclaimed.

At once the house was caught and all the pentup feeling turned the right way. There was a yell of applause and the audience was won.

Opening the Stubborn Knife.

Does your penknife blade refuse to open? Here is a certain and easy method of bringing it to terms.

Place one corner of your handkerchief over the back of the stubborn blade and wind the rest of it tightly around the knife. Hold the opposite corner between the first and second fingers of your right hand (if you are right handed) and throw the knife from you with some speed. Go over and pick it up and you will find the blade opened. I have yet to find a knife so rusty that it will not yield to this treatment, and—it does save the thumb nails. —Outing.

Chip of the Old Block.

"There goes a millionaire who brags about his son to everybody who will listen."

"Evidently the young fellow is not like the average heir to great wealth."

"No, indeed. The old gentleman was trimmed in the stock market last week, and when he discovered that his own son had turned the trick he was the proudest man in the United States."

Think of This.

"Found an honest man yet?" we asked Diogenes.

"Ran across a phenomenon today that interested me almost as much. A lady giving up housekeeping was running around trying to find a situation for a good cook."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

How They Love Each Other.

Agnes (yawning)—Oh, dear, I feel today as if I were thirty years old! Marie—Why, what have you been doing to rejuvenate yourself?—Boston Transcript.

A Fine Distinction.

"Is her husband a medical man?"

"No, I think he's just a specialist, or somethin'."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Be just and fear not. Let all the ends thou aimest at be thy country's, thy God's and truth's.—Shakespeare.

It is hinted that Greek lines will come in with the spring.

The new sports dresses have oddly set-in sleeves and yokes.

LOOK!

If you were told of a new discovery for the treatment of coughs, colds and bronchitis, as certain in its action on all chest troubles as anti-toxin is on diphtheria, or vaccination on small-pox, wouldn't you feel like giving it a trial?

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BORDEN ALLIES HAND RECRUITING ANOTHER CRACK

OTTAWA, Jan. 25.—It has developed here that strange use is being made in Dorchester County of the highly patriotic speeches delivered in the House by the Hon. Frank Oliver on Tuesday. Mr. Oliver, who has lost a son at the front, criticized the National Service campaign because it provided for conscription of industry for industrial purposes but made no provision for military service. He declared that the first and pressing need was for men for the fighting lines, and declared that no scheme under present conditions could be classed as "national service" which did not put the latter consideration first. It might have been expected that Mr. Oliver's speech would have been utilized by speakers in Dorchester to inspire French-Canadians to greater efforts, but unfortunately it is being used for a far different purpose.

BLONDIN'S PAPER TWISTS SPEECH.

Yesterday morning the Nationalist paper Le Evenment, owned and controlled by Hon. P. E. Blondin, Post-Master-General in the Borden Administration, and co-worker with Hon. Albert Sevigny in the Dorchester bye-election, came out with screaming headlines announcing that if Laurier was ever returned to power his first act would be to put conscription into force. If presented that Hon. Frank Oliver was one of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's first lieutenants and that he spoke with Sir Wilfrid's authority "advocating conscription."

Thousands of copies of the paper have been circulated by Mr. Sevigny's constituency of Dorchester with the purpose of course, of prejudicing the candidature of Lucien Cannon.

SEVIGNY SAYS "STAY AT HOME"

Meanwhile Mr. Sevigny has been representing to his constituents, as Mr. Oliver himself pointed out, that the National Service proposals do not contemplate removing them from their farms. Their work, he says, is the work of peace, and no man has been, or ever will be, forced either to fight or make munitions. He, however, advises them to fill in their cards, though for what purpose under these circumstances it is hard to ascertain.

BLOW AT RECRUITING.

And still the question is raised in the Commons as to why recruiting has not been what it should have been in Quebec. While the militia authorities in Ontario are considering the question of putting the Militia Act into force and of calling out the younger classes, Mr. Sevigny is telling the people of Dorchester that their work is the work of peace, and Mr. Blondin's paper is denouncing Laurier as a man who would put conscription into force five minutes after he was elected.

Meanwhile the early appearance in khaki of Mr. Sevigny, who took a short course at Kingston, and who is only 34 years of age, is awaited with interest.

HIS ARM A MONEY GETTER.

For the Third Time, Papermaker Collects Damages for Injuries to the Same Limb.

KENT, N.Y., Jan. 25.—Jerome Armstrong settled for $1,250 an action begun in the Supreme Court for injuries to his right arm, which, for collecting damages, is a winner. Three times he has received damages for injuries to the same arm.

Eleven years ago, when he was a papermaker, the arms was burned on a hot plate, and an accident insurance company allowed him $560 in settlement. In 1911 a ladder was knocked from under him in a paper plant at Stockport and he suffered a fractured arm and a jury awarded him $3,700. The action just settled, with the court's approval, was begun two years ago. An automobile owned by Reginald F. Ewing of Poland, had struck Armstrong and broke the same arm again.

COUNTY REGARDS THEIR INSURANCE AGREEMENT AS NO SCRAP OF PAPER

The adjustment of the insurance on the Court House is still hanging fire. Yesterday the Property Committee, of which Reeve Anderson of Otonabee, is the chairman, recommended that the County Council stand by the agreement entered into on December 20th, by the chairman of 1916. Mr. McKee, and Mr. Charles D. Cory, representing the insurance companies. A brief review of the negotiations up to the present were sketched yesterday and the County Council decided that as far as they are concerned, the agreement shall be no scrap of paper. Mr. Cory demanded a binding, written agreement that both parties accept the estimates of Messrs. Finnie and Graham, builders, and on the following day Mr. Cory announced that he desired to appoint Mr. Wm. Langford, Sr., whom he claimed had been "dumped." The County representatives, it was stated, had no intention of appointing Mr. Langford, whose estimate of the loss to Mr. Cory was $6,000 below that of Messrs. Finnie and Graham. The Council simply took the position yesterday that Mr. Cory had demanded a written agreement to accept the finding of Messrs. Finnie and Graham, which they regarded as binding when it was signed by Reeve McKee and Mr. Cory, and which they now regard just as binding as it was at that time.

A WEAK CHESTED BOY.

"My daughter suffered from inflamed eyelids and eczema on her head," writes Mr. H. W. Lear, Port Planford, Nfld. "The child was in a bad state and suffered greatly. The doctor failed to help her and on recommendation of a friend I used Dr. Chase's Ointment, which made a complete cure. With a grateful heart write you this letter."

WOMAN CONVICTED OF "SELLING CHILD"

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Mrs. Helen Brooks, sixty-two years old, was found guilty by Recorder Miles in North Bergen, N.J., of "selling a child," but sentence was suspended because the Recorder said he believed she did not intend to violate the law.

Miss Julia Reinecker, a reporter, and Detective Joseph Clark, of Hoboken, testified that they went to the Brooks home on Saturday "to purhase a baby" and that Mrs. Brooks said the parents of a boy named Herman, two years old, owed her $96 board, and if they paid the bill they could have Herman.

Mrs. Brooks admitted accepting $90 and permitting Clark and Miss Reinecker to take the child.

When Mrs. Brooks was arrested, on Saturday afternoon the police seized five babies being cared for by her and sent them to two institutions, and one died yesterday.

SAYS STRANGULATION CAUSED BOY'S DEATH

Second Autopsy Following Fight at City Home for Feeble Minded Results in Arrest.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.— Following an autopsy on the body of John Kranskowski, sixteen years old, who died on January 15 at the Home for the Feeble Minded, on Randall's Island, Dr. Otto H. Schultze, medical assistant to the District Attorney, reported that death was due to strangulation and not to natural causes, as was reported by Dr. John McAllister, acting for Dr. Albert T. Weston, Coroner's physician.

The autopsy followed the disinterment of the boy's body from Calvary Cemetery, for which John R. Fitzpatrick, Deputy Assistant District Attorney, had obtained an order in Supreme Court. George H. Harvey, twenty-eight years old, another inmate of the home, is in the Tombs charged with homicide.

According to Mr. Fitzpatrick, Kranskowski was found dead in a corner of a bathroom. The superintendent of the Home notified the police, Coroner and District Attorney's office. Harvey Mr. Fitzpatrick said, admitted that he had a quarrel with the Kranskowski boy over the possession of a mop, and declared that the latter after an interchange of blows, fell to the floor, striking his head against a radiator.

Upon receipt of the report of Dr. McAllister stating the cause of death as congestion of the lungs acute nephritis and heart disease, the District Attorney directed Dr. Schultze to perform a second autopsy. The latter reported that he found the lungs congested but no trace of chronic nephritis or heart disease.

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ENEMY VESSEL SHELLS SUFFOLK COAST

HARD FIGHTING AROUND HILL 304

Russian Forces Compelled To Withdraw For a Mile On Aa River

Petrograd Statement Admits Reverse in Riga Sector---East Coast of England Shelled By a German War Vessel But Most of the Shells Failed To Reach the Shore---No Casualties Sustained ---Germans Attack Around Hill 304.

A SUMMARY OF TO-DAY'S WAR CABLES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, January 26.—Russian forces were compelled to withdraw for a mile on the eastern bank of the River Aa in the Riga sector, toward Kalnceo following an obstinate battle with the German forces to-day's official statement said.

No events of importance were reported from Roumania.

BERLIN, via Wireless, January 26.—The suggestion that a stoppage of munitions shipments to the Allies would be a logical development of President Wilson's plans of peace was made in an interview published in the Berliner-Tageblatt to-day, with the Bulgarian Minister in Berlin, Dr. Risov.

LONDON, Eng., January 26.—A small German vessel bombarded the east coast of England, the Admiralty announced to-day.

Only a portion of shells fired by the enemy warship reached shore and there were no casualties, the Admiralty statement said.

Small damage was done.

The Suffolk coast was shelled.

PARIS, January 26.—Lieut. Guynemer has bagged his twenty-eighth German aeroplane, his third in 72 hours, the official War Office statement announced to-day.

BERLIN, via Sayville, January 26.—French trenches on Height 304 were stormed by the German forces on a width of 1,416 yards (1,600 metres) and we captured 500 prisoners, to-day's official statement declared.

PARIS (French Official Communique), January 26.—German attacks on four points along the front from Avocourt Wood and Dead Man's Hill were reported by the War Office to-day. All were repulsed with heavy losses, it was stated.

Near Hill 304 it was stated, however, small enemy detachments penetrated the advanced French trenches.

Along the Somme two enemy attacks were stopped by artillery fire.

LONDON, January 26.—Frederick Harrison, founder of the Positivist Society, declares in an interview to-day that the language of President Wilson's last peace speech before the United States Senate closely resembles that of an address sent by Emperor Pedro of Brazil to President Abe Lincoln during the Civil War. Lincoln on receipt of this communication dubbed Pedro a hypocritical swaggerer.

Strap Had Cut Deeply Into Dog's Neck

Some person's cruel neglect was revealed this morning when P. C. Blade shot a dog on Chamberlen street that must have been suffering for a long time. Apparently in its puppy days some one tied a strap around its neck, and as it grew to be a big dog the strap cut into its neck, even to the cords. The Police Department had been aware of its wanderings in the south end, but were unable to locate it until this morning, when Chief Thompson was notified that the dog was on Chamberlen street. P. C. Blade killed it with the first discharge of a shot gun. He found that the strap had worn a raw groove, cutting deeply into the flesh, showing the cords.

Was Killed By Train

Special to The Examiner:

MONTREAL, Jan. 26.—Anson McKim, head of the well known advertising firm, was struck and killed by a train at Coteau Junction when he got off another train to change for Ottawa. Coroner's jury here returned a verdict of accidental death.

FUNERAL OF LATE JAS. GRADY SAT. MORNING

The late James Grady, who died in Toronto on Wednesday, 24th inst., was well and favourably known here, having been born and raised in this city. He was 42 years of age. For the past fifteen years he had resided in Toronto, where he was engaged as a marine engineer. He leaves a widow and six children. Deceased was the only brother of Mr. Will Grady of Clonady.

The funeral takes place on Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Grady, Lock street, to the Sacred Heart Church and thence to St. Peter's Cemetery.

WINNIPEG HAS FIRE CRISIS

Brigade Formed a Union and City May Prohibit it.

WINNIPEG, Man., Jan. 26.—Winnipeg fire-fighting force may be crippled at any moment as a result of an order issued by civic officials which may result in a strike among the firemen. Chief Buchanan was notified not to recognise the new union among the men, which is affiliated with the Trades Congress. The men state they will strike if the Chief takes action. Insurance companies threaten to raise the rates if the union is recognized.

RECITAL ON THE NEW EDISON

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4. "Melodie" (Tschaikowsky)—Violin Solo Kathleen Parlow.
5. "Killarney" (Balfe)—Tenor John Finnegan.
6. "Sweet Genevive" (Henry Tucker)—Contralto and Chorus Ida Gardener.
7. "The Ragtime Dream" (Goodwin and Brown)—Negro Duet Collins & Harlan.
8. "Those Days of Long Ago"—Tenor Van Brunt.
9. "Back Home in Tennessee" (Donaldson)—Orchestra.
10. "Why Do the Nations" (Handel)—Bass Solo Arthur Middleton.
11. "Infants March" (Gregory)—Banjo Solo Van Eps.
12. "I Love the Name of Mary" (Olcott and Ball)—Tenor Walker Van Brunt.
13. "Apple Blossoms" (Roberts)—Orchestra.
14. "Lullaby" (Charlbet)—Soprano Solo Elizabeth Spencer.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

WARDEN MAX BROWN.

Reeve of Asphodel and well known throughout the County, in the affairs of which he has taken a deep interest. The 1917 Warden of Peterborough County stands high in the estimation of his colleagues as a careful administrator. He also enjoys a wide popularity, and as the incumbent of the Wardenship should reflect credit upon that honourable position.

10,667 WAS THE CORRECT TOTAL IN DOLLAR DAY ESTIMATE

L. W. Jeffries, 172 Wescott Street, Was the Winner of the Capital Prize in Big Contest, the Estimate Being Exactly Correct

LIST OF THE WINNERS

The complete list of prize winners in the estimating contest in connection with the Examiner's Merchants' Dollar Day yesterday is as follows. The total number of estimates dropped into the box was 10,667, and the first prize winner named the correct total:

1st, L. J. Jeffries, 172 Westcott street (10,667)—$25.00.

2nd, Jas. McKee, 163 Murray street, (10,666)—$17.50.

3rd, Mrs. Murduff, 508 Patterson street, (10,666)—$17.50.

4th, Mr. E. G. Dormer, 518 Bonnicord street, (10,665)—$10.00.

5th, A. O'Brien, 127 George street, (10,670)—$7.50.

6th, F. Read, 475 Bolivar street, (10,670)—$7.50.

7th, Mrs. H. E. Brown, 480 Aylmer street, (10,671)—$5.00.

8th, Mrs. P. Fife, Lang, (10,672)—$.500.

9th, Mary Watt, 170 London street, (10,672)—$5.00.

10th, Geo. Shouldice, Apsley, (10,660)—$5.00.

11th, F. Stimson, 431 Chamber street, (10,673)—$5.00.

12th, R. Wigram, 615 Union street, (10,674)—$3.00.

13th, Mrs. Sam Jordan, 798 George street, (10,677)—$3.00.

14th, Howard Bullock, Lakefield, (10,677)—$3.00.

15th, Ernest Christopher, 310 Margaret avenue, (10,678)—$3.00.

16th, A. K. Hopwood, 538 George street, (10,678)—$3.00.

17th, I. H. Hunter, 548 George street, (10,679)—$2.00.

18th, Donald Carmichael, 441 Water street, (10,683)—$2.00.

19th, Mrs. Harvey, 583 Aylmer street, (10,684)—$2.00.

20th, Mrs. S. Perry, 471 Mark street, (10,857)—$2.00.

21st, N. K. Rouses, Boston Cafe (10,655)—$2.00.

22nd, Mrs. G. Shearer, R. R. No. 1, Indian River, (10,685)—$2.00.

23rd, Norman Routley, 392 Brock street, (10,652)—$2.00.

24th, Mrs. G. Stone, 618 Bethune street, (10,653)—$2.00.

25th, Mrs. Geo. McCarne, R. R. No. 2, Omemee, (10,687)—$2.00.

26th, Mrs. F. Shearer, 177 Rubidge street, (10,651)—$2.00.

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EAST CITY RINK

Good skating to-night and band in attendance. Admission 10c. Refreshments served by the Ladies' Aid.

1917 DOLLAR DAY A GRATIFYING SUCCESS

Dollar Day yesterday was a most gratifying success from all points of view. A number of merchants report that their sales exceeded all other Dollar Days, while the total of estimates deposited in the box was well in advance of the last event of this kind. Shoppers were present from all parts of the district, and all lines of business seemed to share in the success of the day. The prize winners of the different estimating contests are given elsewhere. It is a coincidence that the winner in both big estimating contests, and The Examiner's own contest, should have named the exact total in each case.

Pte. Elmer Brown Ex-93rd Battalion Member Is Wounded

Well Known Local Boy Who Went Overseas as a Sergeant Was Hit on Jan. 18th---Pte. Geo. James is Ill--256th Railway Construction Battalion Has Secured Nine Recruits Here---Three For 247th Yesterday---To-day's General Military News.

Another well known former member of the 93rd Battalion has been hit, in the person of Pte. Elmer G. Brown, whose father, Mr. A. P. Brown, hardware merchant, Simcoe street, received official word this morning that Pte. Brown had been admitted to No. 22 General Hospital on January 18th with gunshot wounds in the hand and back. Pte. Brown was one of the first to join the Peterborough battalion, becoming a member of the unit in August, 1915, when the big campaign in the Speakers' Patriotic League was organized. Pte. Brown, who was born in Canada, proved an efficient soldier and before the battalion left Peterborough he was carrying sergeants stripes, while he had also qualified in the special course of bayonet fighting and physical training. On reaching England he was one of the first non-coms. of the battalion to throw up his stripes, becoming a member of the 93rd machine gun section. Two other brothers are in the general expeditionary force, one of them also going with the 93rd.

OTTAWA, Jan. 26.—The Pension Commissioners for Canada issued the following statement to-night:

"The Dominion Government have appointed a Board of Pension Commissioners for Canada with offices in Ottawa. As this Board wish to cause as little delay as possible in dealing with communications with regard to pensions, they wish the public to correspond directly with the Board of Pension Commissioners, Ottawa."

"In addition, in order to facilitate the granting of pensions, the Board is opening branch pension offices in Vancouver, Calgary, Edmonton, Regina, Winnipeg, London, Hamilton, Toronto, Barrie, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John and Halifax. All information with regard to pensions may be obtained from these offices."

Mrs. Chas. James, Sherbrooke street, received official word from Ottawa that Pte. Geo. James, a Peterborough boy, who went overseas with the 93rd Battalion, and was transferred to another Canadian battalion at the front, has been admitted to No. 26 General Hospital, Etaples, France, on Dec. 22nd, suffering from laryngitis and pneumonia.

Lieut. Iles, who has been recruiting for the 256th Railway Construction Battalion in Peterborough, has gone to Toronto for a short time, and Sergt. Stanley is in charge of the recruiting for the battalion. So far nine Peterborough men have joined the battalion, the number including Pte. Chas. Sturgeon, who was a member of the 8th C.M.R., and returned from England last spring, and Pte. Jas. Foster, formerly of the 93rd Battalion. The men are receiving their uniforms here and will probably remain in Peterborough until the battalion is mobilized in March. The lowering of the physical standard for this unit is expected to bring a rush of recruits to the battalion, and as the local detachment will remain here for a number of weeks, Peterborough should be well represented. Sergt. Stanley may be found at the Armouries or at the recruiting office.

Three recruits joined the 247th Battalion yesterday, as follows:

Wm. C. Brown.

Chas. S. Quackenbush, Havelock.

Wm. Gordon Harrison, Omemee.

TO-DAY'S ORDERS.

Daily orders by Lieutenant-Colonel C. H. Ackerman, commanding 247th Battalion, C. E. F.:

Orders for Friday, Jan. 26, 1917.

Duties:

Orderly officer for Friday, Jan. 26, 1917—Lieut. T. W. Quinn.

Next for duty, Saturday, January 27, 1917, Lieut. J. F. Strickland.

A. E. Brittain,
Lieut., Adjutant,
247th Overseas Battalion, C. E. F.

TWO SUITS FOR A SOLDIER.

On joining the Canadian Expeditionary Force a soldier is given just one suit of uniform, and this he wears on all parades, including church parades. If he belongs to the artillery, he is compelled to clean horses and do stable fatigues, and in the same clothes attend church parades, go out in the evenings and make frequent calls, frequent his home and the homes of his friends. This has been a great barrier to men of the better class getting into uniform. In order to remove this objection it has been recommended to Ottawa that every man enlisting in the C.E.F. be given two suits of clothing, and it is expected that headquarters will approve of this very necessary equipment.

London, Ont. Jan. 26—Major E. N. Lewis of Goderich, and member of Parliament for West Huron, has been appointed a brigadier, with the rank of Lt.-Colonel, to supervise the recruiting and organization of four batteries of artillery, two of which are the 63rd and 64th of this district. He will have his headquarters in London. Lt.-Col. Lewis went overseas with the 55th Batt., and returned recently to Canada.

Capt. J. H. Burnham speaks in the Armouries at Sudbury on Sunday evening next in aid of recruiting.

In future, all men who apply for enlistment and fail to pass the medical examinations, are to be turned over to Lt.-Col. Wilson, D.A.A., Q.M.G. It has been decided that the services of such men can be used in some other way, if they are not fit for overseas.

GRANTS NOT REQUIRED.

Municipalities in future will not be required to make grants to infantry battalions. Hon. A. E. Kemp, Minister of Militia, has decided that each battalion will be allowed $5,000 by the government for recruiting purposes.

Port Hope, Jan. 26.—Major Dunlop, the popular senior major of the 235th battalion, had a narrow escape from death at Cobourg on Monday morning. While coming down the steps at the armouries he slipped and fell, his head coming in forcible con-

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SALE OF THE REID STOCK

By the Cressman Co., Limited, Still Continues

To-morrow will witness further reductions on the Reid Stock. This Sale is enjoying great popularity, and doubtlessly it will continue to do so during its duration. The people of the city are finding desirable garments at surprisingly low prices. To-morrow there will be many price features.

War Council Of Empire Is Outlined

PTE. GEO. JAMES.

Formerly of the 93rd Battalion, who is reported seriously ill.

Marks the Beginning of a New Epoch in the History of the Empire Says Lloyd George—Conference Will Meet as Soon As Possible.

IMPORTANT PROBLEMS

LONDON, Jan. 25.—Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George gave an important interview to-day on the subject of the forthcoming Imperial War Council to the London correspondent of the Australian United Cable Service. The Prime Minister said:

"I do not wish to interfere in any way with the affairs of a great self-governing dominion, but we took the step of urgently inviting the dominions Premiers to London, despite the fact that it might cause much inconvenience locally, because we desired their advice and assistance in coming to decisions about the conduct of the war and the negotiation of peace.

"Australia knows that I am no jingo. My record contains no journeyings into flamboyant imperialism, yet I regard this council as marking the beginning of a new epoch in the history of the Empire. The war has changed us. Heaven knows, it has taught us more than we yet understand; it has opened a new age for us, and we want to go into that age together with our fellows overseas just as we have come through the darkness together and shed our blood and treasure together."

FIRST DUTY OF COUNCIL

It was obvious, to the correspondent that in Mr. Lloyd George's mind the first duty of the council would be to consider the immediate task of winning the war.

"The Empire War Council," continued the Premier, "will deal with all general questions affecting the war. The Prime Ministers or their representatives will be temporary members of the War Cabinet, and we propose to arrange that all matters of first-rate importance should be considered at a series of special meetings. Nothing affecting the dominions, the conduct of the war or negotiations for peace will be excluded from its purview. There will, of course, be domestic questions which each part of the empire must settle for itself—questions such as recruiting in the United Kingdom, or home legislation. Such domestic matters will be our only reservation, but we propose that everything else should be, so to speak, on the table."

"Will the discussions include such matters as the fate of the German colonies?" was asked.

Mr. Lloyd George replied: "That is one obvious question; but there are many questions of equal moment. All the difficult problems connected with making peace, as was stated in the Government's invitation, will be threshed out; the war policy of the Empire will be clearly defined, and of great importance for peace. That will involve not only demobilisation, but such after-the-war questions as the migration of our people to other parts of the Empire, the settlement of soldiers on the land, commerce and industry."

DEPARTING FROM PRECEDENT

"You have not hesitated to depart from precedent?"

"We certainly have not," answered the Premier; "but in these days we cannot hesitate, because we are breaking precedents. The Empire has thrown itself heart and soul into the

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GOOD ROADS MEETING AT THE COURT HOUSE TO-NIGHT 8 O'CLOCK

Mr. Geo. Hogarth, Chief Engineer of the Ontario Dept. of Public Highways Will Discuss Good Roads Scheme

THE PUBLIC INVITED

Every citizen interested in good roads for the county and city is urged to attend a public meeting in the County Council Chamber at the Court House to-night at 8 o'clock. Mr. George Hogarth, Chief Engineer of the Provincial Department of Public Highways, will give an address on the Highways Act, and will outline in detail its provisions, and the steps necessary for the preliminary organization of a good roads policy for Peterborough.

Mr. Hogarth has naturally a complete knowledge of the good roads scheme which he will present in detail. It is generally hoped that the County Council will take the initiative in preparing to inaugurate a good roads policy immediately upon the termination of the war, and that everything will be ready to proceed with the work. It is also desired that the municipalities and other bodies will unite their efforts and influence to the end that the Government take over the Gravel Road as an artery in the provincial highways system.

The importance of this question of good roads is obscured by the increasing demand of the war. However, it is not proposed that any money should be expended on the system during the progress of the war. But the sentiment of the entire county supports the movement of preparedness for the adoption of the good roads scheme immediately upon the conclusion of the war. It is to be one of the big problems for peace times and the present agitation is for preparatory measures that the good roads schemes may be action is for preparatory measures that of time after the return of peace.

Hence the present conference deserves the attention of every person who is interested in the future welfare of the city and county. It is expected, therefore, that there will be a large attendance to-night at the Court House. Entrance is by the south door.

Big Hosiery Sale

Thursday, Friday and Saturday, January 25, 26 and 27. Ladies and Children's All-Wool Worsted Hose—Regular value 65c and 75c. Now 49c. Regular value 40c and 50c. Now 29c. Regular value 35c and 40c. Now 29c. Come early and secure your share. Lavoie Knitting Factory, 82 Hunter Street, East of St. John's Church. 4d-20

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If you think your eyes need attention why keep putting it off? They only grow worse with delay. Call and let Dr. Lacey examine them for you. He can tell you what the trouble is. 410 George Street.

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GOOD COUNTY COUNCILLORS.

The members of the County Council are to be congratulated upon their public spirit in permitting their constituents to contribute liberally to the Patriotic Fund, and another imperially patriotic fund. At this session they voted $3,000 per month to the Patriotic Fund, and $4,000 to the British Sailors' Relief Fund. The chief credit to the councillors is due for their proper and prompt interpretation of the liberal and patriotic spirit of their constituents, which is no doubt represented in the splendid gift of $40,000, which with the $60,000 donated by the city of Peterborough, makes the total contribution of the county and city a round $100,000. "It is meet and right and our bounden duty"—for us who cannot otherwise fight—to stand by the brave Canadian lads who are fighting our battles, and to see that their dependents should not suffer—beyond the loss of husband or son—for the loss the removal of the bread winner will be, without our generous help.

EDUCATIONAL FAILURE.

There appears to be "something rotten in the state" of education in Peterborough County; not in the equipment and machinery of education, in the form of school buildings, teachers, etc., but in the popular failure to appreciate by use the privileges offered. The two county inspectors, Mr. Lees and Mr. Broderick, presented their annual reports to the County Council. That of Mr. Lees gives information regarding the falling off of in attendance of pupils in his bailiwick—East Peterborough. The enrollment has in ten years decreased 600; and of this falling off, 300 had been in the past five years. That is, the enrollment of school pupils had decreased at the rate of 30 per year in ten years, and the last five years at the rate of 60 per year.

There must be some reason, at least cause, for this deplorable falling off. Is it in due to a failure of the farmers to exercise the response they make to appeal for crop production, to population production, then the blame, falls upon them; but if it is due to the indifference of parents, or the neglect of school authorities to apply the law provided, then the trouble is not without remedy. That this falling off is not so much due to decrease or apparent lack of increase of children of school age, as to indifferent application of the law, seems to be borne out by the report of Mr. Broderick for West Peterborough. He reports a very regrettable irregularity of attendance; and it is possible that what is irregularity of attendance in the West, becomes absolute inattendance in the East. In any event, the remedy of the evil, if it arises from the indifference of parents, is in the hands of th school authorities. With the law providing compulsory attendance it should not be difficult to overcome the evil reported by the inspectors of both parts of the county. The substitution for the truant officer required to be appointed by township councils, of a general truant officer, with the same territorial jurisdiction as inspectors, would overcome the reluctance of a local officer to enforce the law in respect of neighbours. It will be a sorry reflection upon the intelligence and public spirit of the people of the county if conditions are permitted that tend to the production of wide-spread illiteracy in Peterborough County.

House For Sale By Tender

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NOT SATISFACTORY PROOF.

The tendency of people to take certain paths does not form a precedent for some persons. The member for West Peterborough is noted more for "butting in" on the speeches of members in Parliament, than he is for "butting in" to get things for West Peterborough. When McDonald of Pictou, was dealing yesterday with the question of the alleged inefficiency of the Canadian medical service in hospitals in England, where Canadian soldiers were treated, Burnham, of Peterborough, interrupted to set the matter right with a word—

I can assure him, from meeting with hundreds and hundreds of officers and men, that there never was a complaint—nothing but the greatest possible gratitude.

This may be proof to Captain Burnham that absence of complaint means efficiency of service, but it is no proof to those who know of the stringency of military ethics. They know that it is contrary to the spirit and text of the King's regulations for soldiers to discuss the internal economy of military matters, with outsiders, or with unofficial authorities; and no true soldier would think of telling tales out of school to comrades, whether officers or otherwise, whom they might casually meet. No Canadian soldier, no matter what his experience or treatment in hospital or elsewhere would, if he knew his place and his duty, keep his mouth shut or open it only to the proper authority. If there were anything wrong, it would, or should, be regularly reported to the proper authority. The fact that soldiers did not gossip about their hospital treatment, good or bad, is no proof as to whether it was good or bad. It may be proof to Mr. Burnham, who does not seem to recognise what "bad form" it would be for one soldier or one officer to write, or cause to be written, letters to the papers, to discredit a brother soldier or officer.

A LIVE BOARD OF TRADE.

A copy of the Lethbridge Herald to hand is interesting in that four full pages of the issue is devoted to the annual report of the Lethbridge Board of Trade. The report itself is not of great local interest, except from the fact it emphasizes that a western town half the size of Peterborough, has a Board of Trade which requires four full pages of a newspaper the size of the Examiner, to record its activities for a single year. By way of contrast, the doings of the Peterborough Board of Trade—or its remains—could be printed on a postage stamp—especially its doing for 1916, during which it is stated there has not been a meeting of the Board. Is this condition due to the fact or feeling that a live Board of Trade in a live city is not necessary? The report of the Lethbridge Board shows that such a body is a necessary adjunct to the equipment of a progressive city. It shows that its activities deal with every aspect of welfare of the city and district; and, providing for co-operation and coordination of effort, must have an important influence upon the promotion of the interests it represents and takes care of.

It is a matter of regret that the business men of Peterborough do not see the importance of maintaining an active and efficient Board of Trade. In neglecting this matter they are obviously ignoring conditions that conduce to their own interests. The city can't advance a step or retrograde a step in the matter of any interest, without a beneficial or adverse influence being exercised upon every commercial enterprise. A Board of Trade is the recognized medium through which negotiations for the establishment of new industries are made to a city. A Board of Trade is not doing its work when that work is left solely to its president, through his inability to secure a quorum for a legal meeting. Much of the correspondence that comes to the Board of trade, needs the consideration of the Board as a body, and much of it is of a character that does not admit of one official answering it as best he may, and necessarily many times in, even to himself, an undecisive and unsatisfactory way. It may be felt that there are so many things demanding the attention of our business and public men at present that there is no time to keep a Board of Trade in active operation. In many of the things, however, requiring attention on account of war conditions, the Board of Trade could be of organised and effective service, to the relief of individual business men and the public generally. The very fact of the conditions in which we at present find our selves, seems to furnish a strong reason for the services of a Board of Trade. Our work of course is the winning of this war, but we must not lose sight of the necessity for providing for conditions that will follow the war. While our soldiers are fighting for peace, it is obvious that we who are fighting at home to preserve what they are fighting to keep for us, must keep our ranks closed, our equipment in good order.

THE ANCIENT CEDARS OF LEBANON

The great Cedars of Lebanon are among the most interesting living records of the past. The grove which is standing to-day is the remnant of the same forest from which the cedars were cut and hewn for the building of the Temple at Jerusalem by Solomon. There are many references to the Cedars of Lebanon in the Old Testament, the most notable in First Kings, where it is stated that through the cooperation of Hiram, the King of Tyne, Solomon brought great rafts of cedar from Lebanon to Joppa and carried them up the steep mountainsides to Jerusalem for the Great Temple. In the building of the second Temple, under Ezra and Nehemiah, the timbers were produced from the same cedar forests on the slopes of Mount Lebanon. At an earlier period the Psalmist refers to the Cedars as the ornament of Lebanon and one of the great glories of God's creative power and wisdom. Pliny, the Greek naturalist, named the species Cedrus magna, meaning "great."

The impressive thing about this ancient grove of cedars is the knowledge that the oldest and largest of them were undoubtedly living at the time when the timbers of their immediate predecessors supported the Temple. They are upwards of 2,000 years old, not so old as the great Sequoias of our Pacific Coast, but still very ancient. At present there are only about 400 trees left, all very large and old. The best preserved are about 100 feet high and one has a circumference of 47 feet. The grove is now protected by a well-built, high stone wall; but all the balance of the great cedar forest of Lebanon has succumbed to the greed of man, and the grove stands like an oasis in the desert.

In considering the otherwise absolute destruction of the forest over the entire mountain-side one cannot help but wonder why this group has been preserved. A probable explanation is found in the name of the stream at the foot of the mountain—the Kadisha—which rises in the moraine left by the great glacier which swept down from the summit of Lebanon and on which the Cedars of Lebanon thrive during early Biblical times. This word is the Hebrew for "holy" and the grove has undoubtedly been preserved because of its sacred character. The natives to-day will tell you that the grove is sacred because it "was planted by Jesus Christ"—a belief which finds the semblance of justification from a poetical passage in the 104th Psalm referring to "the Cedars of Lebanon which the Lord has planted."

As the traveller stands on the summit of Lebanon, nearly 10,000 feet high, and looks down upon this ancient grove, the remnant of a mighty forest, and upon the still more ancient glacial moraine upon which it grows, and sees upon the flank of Hebron the ruins of ancient temples and the vast expanse of the Mediterranean beyond, and to the east the distant ruins of Syrian Baalbek, he may recall the force of the words of Holy Writ, "all flesh is grass and as the flower of the field it perisheth." Over this expanse witnessed by these trees and their immediate predecessors, have come and gone all the great nations of antiquity. Here are the relics of the Assyrian, the Babylonian, the Egyptian, the Phoenician the Greek, the Roman, the Moslem, but yesterday, as it seems, the Crusader, and now the warring Turk and Slav. And each has done, and perhaps today is doing, his part to destroy the mountains' noble covering of forest and to add to the desolation wrought by his predecessor. Could the process but be reversed, and the greed of man restrained and protection be given to the reforesting of the region, the Cedars of Lebanon might again become, as in the days of the Psalmist, the glory of the mountains. —American Forestry.

A PRAYER FOR TO-DAY.

God knows, we need men now! We need men whose trust is not in words, in rhetoric,—in fine phrases, or in noble expressions of sentiment, but men, genuine, sincere, devoted; men who do not so much talk about their love of country or their passion for liberty or humanity as men that do love their country and do love their liberty so much that they are willing to give liberty to others as well as claim it for themselves; men who think not merely of what they can get out of their country, but what they can give to their country; men who, upon the basis of plain, practical, and sensible hard work in the ordinary affairs of life, carry ever noble idealism and a sincere capacity for self-devotion.

These are words for the time. When Elihu Root uttered them on Monday night it was a need of the time that extorted them from him. Three years ago such an utterance would have passed for a generalization, or would not have been made at all because it would have been thought unnecessary, in the general American complacency. Today it is a prayer for the need of the times.

The war has disturbed the American complacency in many ways. One has been in the impairment of our egotism, the creation of a spirit of questioning concerning our perfection—the spirit that exists already in most other nations, but was late in dawning with us. We have been taught by the war that there had gone unnoticed under our flowerage of fine words and self-contentment many evil growths. The patter of liberty and patriotism had satisfied us so that we had not inquired about the reality under it. We have been made to face the fact that there are among us those who "think merely about what they can get out of their country, not what they can give to their country." We have had to learn that much of our talk about liberty meant only pleasure in our own liberty, not a concern for the liberty of others.

These are not faults confined to us but they are faults from which, as a nation, we had believed ourselves free. It is something of a shock to find that they not only exist but are powerful, so powerful that they can make themselves an influence in public sentiment and even in the National Legislature, so powerful as to exert an influence upon our legislative acts, so noticeable as to create among those not fond of us the belief that they are rooted factors in the national character. That they are not, and must not become. If these words grow unchecked, what will become of the garden? "We need men now!"—New York Times

SIR GILBERT PARKER SEES WAR NEAR END

Confident Germany's Collapse Will Come Next Autumn, and Perhaps Before.

BRITAIN TO STAY ARMED

Has Done with Taking Chances, the Novelist Says—Believes in Universal Military Training.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Sir Gilbert Parker, who recently arrived from England talked to interviewers about the cause of the Allies, particularly the part that England is playing. Sir Gilbert, who is at the Hotel Vanderbilt, said that it was his belief that the war would end next Autumn, perhaps a short time before that, and that the end would follow the complete collapse of Germany from within and the smashing of the German lines by the Anglo-French armies in the west. Sir Gilbert said that he favored a league to enforce peace, but added that the problem of organizing such a league was a tremendous one, the solution of which would require much time.

Concerning the war Sir Gilbert said:

"The British people are slow to rouse and very slow to drive into a fight, but when once they are in it and their convictions are aroused they are even slower to let go. Make no mistake about this. They are in this war because of two things, first, the faith of friends, and secondly, the honour of treaties. By the faith of friends I mean the entente with France. By the honour of treaties I mean that compact which secured Belgium in the midst of an overwhelming Europe. What would the world have thought of England, the friend of France, had she permitted Germany to crush France once more as she did in 1870? It is not hard to imagine.

"Remember that the people of England are like the people of the United States, a peace-loving people, who, with all their naval prowess, have never abused the right of the strong arm. In the days when countries like Germany were yet unformed as empires we loathed war, and it must be remembered that in this war England had nothing to gain either in indemnity or in territory, or in increased security, as an island she was free from those land invasions which make the position of countries on the continent of Europe so perilous.

"Does any one say that mercantile envy would drive England, into war? What the war is costing England, that is nearly $30,000,000 each day, would seem to give the answer to a question like that."

"Do you think that England will be ready to reduce her navy in line with any general disarmament programme that may follow the war?" Sir Gilbert was asked.

"England," he answered, "has done with taking chances. If she had not taken chances there would have been no war. If she had trained her young men as Lord Roberts, over years begged her to do, Germany and Austria would have realised that she meant business. And Germany and Austria would not have entered upon this war if they had believed that England would have fought, and in fighting would have been able to do what she has done."

"Do you believe in universal military training?" was another question put to Sir Gilbert.

"On that subject," he replied, "I do not wish to speak for any country but my own. I can only say that had England only applied the most elementary forms of military training this present war would not have happened."

"How long can England stand the financial drain of the war?"

"Just longer than any other nation fighting in it. In spite of the smallness of our population we have a reservoir of imperial strength which is greater than that of the new created German Empire. And do not forget that in Canada, Australia, New Zealand, and South Africa we have four confederations with unlimited resources ready to mortgage the last men and the last dollar of their possibilities. And you must not forget that what before the war was believed to be the weakness of England, namely loosely organized empire, has proved to be monumental strength."

"How about the end of the war when do you expect that to be?"

"I think that the war will end this coming Autumn or perhaps a little before. I believe the end will come with the smashing of the German front in the West, combined with the economic pressure to which Germany is being subjected. But there will be no end of this war without victory. And I want to say that if anybody thinks that England wants to destroy Germany as a nation or as a people they are wrong. That is all utter nonsense."

"How about the League to enforce peace, advocated by Mr. Taft and now by the President?"

Sir Gilbert answered that he believed such a league to be possible.

REEVE FRED J. BULLIED.

The "member" from Chandos has always enjoyed the full confidence of the County Council. Last year he was chairman of the House of Refuge Committee of Management, and this year is presiding over the sessions of the Committee on Roads and Bridges. Reeve Bullied never overlooks an opportunity to present the claims of his own Township and the north country generally, and at the same time takes a broad view of the county's welfare.

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Uncensored Report of the Belgian Deportations Written By One Who Narrowly Escaped Hun Enslavers

From the Philadelphia Public Ledger.

The folloing document, which is believed to be the first uncensored eye witness account of the Belgian deportations which has ever reached the United States was released exclusively to the Philadelphia Public Ledger by John M. McFadden, the cotton merchant and art connoisseur. The original in Mr. McFadden's possession was lent to him by a New York friend, who received it from a prominent Belgian official now exiled in London. To accompany the "eyewitness" account the latter sent the following note of explanation dated London, December 15:

"I am sure that you will read with sympathy and interest the inclosed description of the way in which the deportations are conducted in Belgium. This description was written by a very intimate friend of mine who was in it, and who notwithstanding the fact that he was fifty years old and of high social standing, very narrowly escaped deportation. He succeeded by a rare chance, and also at a very heavy cost of money, in getting this narrative smuggled through to me via Holland, in the hope that I might use it in some way, perhaps, to help save some of his companions in misery.

"The situation is growing every day worse and worse. More than 125,000 men have been deported. Some have already returned to Ghent wounded by French shrapnel, having been forced to work in the trenches in front of Soissons.

"We have the most serious reasons for believing that these deportations have not, as a main object, to provide Germany with slave labour, but to make display of frightfulness in connection with the present move for peace in order to show Belgium and the Allies what the Germans have still in store if they do not accept their terms. They are greatly mistaken, for never has the spirit of independence and liberty been more intense in Belgium that at the present moment and nobody there thinks of crying for mercy, but only for demanding justice, and they turn their eyes to the great and noble American nation feeling sure that there they will find help and protection."

ABOUT 10,000 MEN.

The district of Z (Brabant) consists of twenty-two communes—there are 2,800 communes in Belgium. The order which summoned at Z the entire male population between the ages of seventeen and fifty-six of twenty-two villages of the district of that name—about 10,000 men—was posted in November 14 and read:

NOTICE

All men between the ages of seventeen and fifty-six, inclusive, of the commune of——are requested to present themselves on November 15, 1916 at 8 o'clock a.m. (German time) at Z market-place. The burgomaster should be present. The men concerned should be carrying their identity cards, and in case of need their meldekarts (card of control). Small hand baggage will not be allowed. Those who fail to appear will be immediately transported without delay and by force to the places where they are to work. Besides, they are liable to very heavy fines and long imprisonment. Priests, doctors, lawyers, schoolmasters and professors need not present themselves.

Ottignies, November 3, 1916.
The Imperial Kreischef of Niveller
GRAF VON SCHWERIN.

So it is for to-morrow. And the notice was not posted until 7 o'clock in the morning, an hour when all men who are not out of work are already in the factories or in the yards. They were expecting, they were fearing this order. But, without doubt, they had had a forlorn hope that it would be delayed. Undoubtedly they had not believed it. They did not believe it until, when the notice was posted, suddenly among the women and children came the panic-stricken desolation of complete surprise. The workers, who did not know of it, had to be warned; they had to be warned so that they might have time to prepare, so that this day they might spend with their dear ones—the last, perhaps—and together to take precautions, poor, unavailable, such as were possible. The weeping women went to fetch their men, to take them back to their homes; and there were heart-breaking scenes, poignant but admirable in the feelings of the simple, stoical devotion, which they reveal. The greater part of these homes are poor; two years of war, of dear living, of rations, have brought about destitution; there is nothing in the house but the portion of food strictly measured for each one; and to-morrow, if the father, im the eldest son is sent away, there will be no more resources. That matters nothing; there is no thought except for the beloved being who is threatened in the bundle they are preparing they put the last warm garment, the last blanket, all the bread they have left, everything—to-morrow, indeed, when he is gone, who will want to eat!

A MELANCHOLY PROCESSION

They must be at Z——at 8 o'clock says the order. And for the greater part of the men summoned the way to the chief town of the canton is long; one hour, two hours. There are no more farm waggons in the country; there are no more trains. They must walk, carrying their bags. So they must leave early. Before 6 o'clock the procession, the melancholy and interminable procession, begins on the roads, in the biting cold, the dark November morning, the freezing wind, for the weather is cruel, nature menacing and dark, accentuating the anguish in their hearts. But they must be strong. The impression of despair must not be given. Most of the men have forbidden their families to accompany them; the anguish of the separation might make them show weakness. This must not be, so nearly all of them are going alone. One sees, marching to the Calvary, only groups of men, marching in silence and heavily, heavily, as if their poor, meagre bundles were very heavy. Only a few women who have not been able to control themselves, follow, weeping. Here is Z——.

The little village lies grim and gray on this sad morning. It is besmmed in by troops, who, at all openings, bar the way. Men are engulfed in the narrow streets leading to the market place, the huge square with its low houses, with shaky facades, sorrowful remains of the savage invasion. It has been completely evacuated and all the roads which lead to it are empty. Only one can see, at the end of these roads, behind the warring troops, the crowd from which come cries, names, words of encouragement, or even words of farewell, to the poor people rounded up, village by village, who are waiting, dejectedly, pitiful in their impotence and their humiliation. A few among them remember, with a little sorrowful smile, that yesterday in the same place there had been a big market.

CHOOSING THE SLAVES.

The work of choosing begins. By groups of a thousand, the men are conducted to a school building, where the agent of the German authorities keeps office. To get to this school building the road runs by the banks of the Dyle. It is the picturesque spot of Z——. In normal times there is an atmosphere of peaceful gayety, of cheerfulness. This morning, at the windows of the houses, the anguished faces of women, of children, of old people in tears. There are people on the roofs. They all gaze ghastly at the passing lines. They want to see once more, perhaps for the last time, a husband, a son, a brother, perhaps a fiance.

After a wait of four hours the crowd is finally conducted to the school. I watched the men. I knew a number of them. I saw a lot of their faces grow suddenly very pale. They walked in very firmly. But they are ghastly pale. One feels the anxiety which freezes them, arrests the blood in their veins. These are the married men, the men who have just left wife and children, and who ask themselves, Are they going to see them again very soon? If not, not for a long period, one never knows, perhaps never. The others, the young men, go with a proud step. There is defiance in their eyes. As they approach the schoolhouse all the heads are raised, listening. A rumour, a sound which grows—it is—yes, it is singing. Almost one would say it was the "Brabaconne"; yes, and that was the "Marseillaise" coming from the courtyard of the school. And, in fact, at the end of that courtyard are the men who have already been taken. It is they who are singing the Belgian and French anthems. When they see us they all cry out: "Don't sign! don't sign!" They are splendid.

There is no anguish here. There are no complaints. When one among the men see a friend released he asks him to tell his family that he has been sent away; and then he starts to sing again, passionately; singing his song of defiance.

THE IRON HAND.

We go in by a first room. A doctor is there, who examines those men who are armed with a medical certificate. He seems indulgent, quite generous; he liberates some of them. A second room. Here the fate of each man will be decided, brusquely; mechanically, in a few seconds, and without appeal. One peremptory word—and it is slavery—or freedom. Here are many uniforms—Kreischef, civil commissary officers, and all have that military rigidity which permits of no discussion. The three delegates of the commune—generally the burgomaster, an alderman and the communal secretary — authorized to assist in the examination of their own villagers, can quite evidently do nothing. Two officers, who divide the duty between them, make the decisions. One on each side of the room, they examine the men rapidly, beginning with the young men of seventeen to twenty-five years of age. They look at the identity card, which gives the trade and social position of the soldier. They throw a glance over the man, as if to weigh his strength, his value as an animal.

One question at the tip of his tongue, for the sake of formality, "Are you unemployed?" and immediately, whether the reply is negative or affirmative, the decree, inexorable. If the card gives a trade which would be useful labour," the officer cries. "Left turn." Left turn! This is the road to Germany. To go out of the room they must go through a door divided by a barrier into two narrow corridors and guarded by two soldiers. The left-hand corridor gives access to another room, where are gathered those who are to go.

If the officer cries, "Right turn!" it is liberty. The man passes before an under-officer, who puts a stamp on his identity card. The right-hand corridor leads to an open window, before which is a table. They must climb that table on to another table placed outside the window and jump into the street. It looks like an escape. It is, indeed, an impression of flight. There is no impression of relief or comfort, for the heart is still torn thinking of the others, the poor others. And then the nightmare is not yet at an end. One must still contemplate the abominable, torturing sorrow. One must still gather unforgettable remembrances of pity and paralysed indignation.

WEEPING WOMEN.

At the end of the little side street here is the crowd. It has grown. From all the villages the women had come—the mothers, the wives, the fiancees, weeping. They catch hold of those who have returned, demanding news, sobbing. Is he taken, he for whom they are wailing, their beloved, the chief, the prop of the house, the man whose departure ends everything? They don't know; they cannot reply; they come out into the midst of the imploring women, into the midst of the poor, sobbing people, for they are all sobbing, even those who can again clasp to their hearts their man who has been given to them.

During this time what goes on to the left, to the left in that room where are those who must go? There each man as he arrives is asked if he will sign an agreement; that is, consent to work for the Germans, earning meanwhile a large salary. If he consents, he gives his name and address and he is authorized to return to his home, so that he may make his preparations and depart at the end of a few days. If he refuses—and that is the case with an immense majority—he is menaced, threatened with all calamities, and goes to join the tumultuous group of those who did as he did, dignified and unbending, and he is greeted with cheers, as for a victory—the victory of a man who submits, but whose spirit has no submission. We are still waiting. They are waiting for the number to be sufficiently large. When it is, it is surrounded by soldiers with fixed bayonets and encircled by cavalry. Then it is "en route for the station!"

OFFICERS WITH HORSEWHIPS.

Two officers march a little in advance, their horsewhips — yes, their horsewhips—in their hands. The side streets are followed. From time to time a weeping woman, an old man, having come thus far by the most tremendous effort, manages to slip between the ranks, for one last farewell, for the supreme embrace, but the soldiers push them back at once, often before that longed-for embrace. On the main street, which is reached, at the windows of the houses the poor people still watch with their dry fevered eyes, reddened with tears, and almost mechanically wave their handkerchiefs. But those whom they thus salute do not wish to break down. Nearly all of them march with head high. They wave their hats and they sing, they sing unceasingly, as they sang in the courtyard of the school. But there were voices that are husky and full of tears.

They march. At each corner of a street there is a short struggle. Always one or another of the prisoners tries to escape, but always a horseman pursues him and brings him back to the ranks, unless, by a stinging blow from his whip, one of the officers has not already sent him back. And, then, the man, pale, his fists clinched, is quiet for a few minutes. What passes in his thoughts? What passes in the hearts of those others who, marching by their homes, throw themselves into the arms of their wives, kiss their children and are torn from them by a soldier? They are quiet, too. But pretty soon, once again, they are singing, with a louder voice. They are not going to break down.

Finally, the procession comes to a level crossing. They are collected on the rails, between two embankments. The station is quite close, and a train of cattle trucks is in waiting. One can see nothing more. One hears only shouts, songs, the "Brabanconne" and the "Marseillaise" again. This lasts a long time, a very long time—hours. Night has fallen.

About 6 o'clock suddenly the singing voices are drowned by trumpet calls. Music. Yes, they have sent into a station a regimental band, and it is this band that celebrates, with the accented music of a military march, the departure of that train, unlighted, lugubrious; that train, whose passing over the level crossing causes such despairing sorrow and emotion that old men and the women fall fainting, to the ironic sound of that military march, quick, exasperating.

They have gone. But where? No one knows. What to do? No one knows. Will they ever come back? No one knows.

What we do know is that from now on we shall live with that heart-rending memory, anguish. And even if they come back, never again can they live in security, that security of the old days when it was thought that such things were no longer possible.

Dear Mary:—

I'm so glad you've determined to fix up your living room. Don't let me hurt your feelings, but it needed it.

Since I've fixed up mine with furniture, curtains and a reading lamp, Frank asks his friends to come to visit him and I know he enjoys our home more. Your husband will be just as proud of a newly furnished living room as Frank is. And, then, Mary, you know we owe it to our children to bring them up in the midst of beautiful surroundings. Lovingly HELEN

P. S. Again, Mary, let me repeat, anyone can afford new furniture on the easy payment plan of—

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LINOLEUM, 4 YARDS WIDE

Scotch Linoleum, 4 yards wide, in several good patterns and colourings. Perfectly printed and thoroughly seasoned to stand hard usage. Regular $1.00 square yard. January Clearance Sale, Saturday, sq. yard **79c**

$1.25 FLANNELETTE GOWNS, 98c

Made of extra heavy quality of Flannelette, with yoke and frill of self. In colours of white and pink. Regular $1.25. January Clearance Sale **98c**

$9.00 MISSES' SERGE DRESSES, $6

Misses and Small Women's Dresses, made of heavy quality of All-Wool Serge. In the latest models, with silk trimming. In colours of navy, black and brown. Regular $9.00. January Clearance Sale **6.00**

$3 MARQUISETTE CURTAINS, $1.98

10 Pair only extra fine quality Marquisette Curtains, in white only. Made with heading and rod space and wide hem at bottom. All ready for use. Regular $3.00 pair. January Clearance Sale, pair **1.98**

$27.50 WOMEN'S WINTER COATS, $20.00

Women's Winter Coats, made of heavy quality Tweed. Pleated back and belt. Velvet collar. Regular $27.50. January Clearance Sale **20.00**

FLOOR OILCLOTH

2 Yards Wide, Sq. Yard 45c

Extra good quality of Floor Oilcloth, 2 yards wide, in several good floral and block patterns. All perfectly printed and thoroughly seasoned. January Sale, square yard **45c**

$18.50 WOMEN'S SUITS, $11.98

Women's Suits. Made of extra heavy quality of Serge. In the latest tailored styles, with belted back and full skirt. In navy and black. Reg. $18.50. January Clearance Sale **11.98**

Four Good Dress Goods Values for Saturday

STRIPE TWEEDS

40-Inch Stripe Tweeds. Suitable for skirts and dresses. In colours of dark grey, blue grey, light grey and sand. January Clearance Sale, yard **75c**

POPLIN

40-Inch Poplin. Suitable for dresses or skirts. In colours of black, navy blue, Alice blue, cardinal, taupe, brown, and cream. January Clearance Sale **75c**

$1.25 HABUTAI SILK, 98c

36-Inch Coloured Habutai Silk. Suitable for waists and Dresses. In colours of black, ivory, pink, maize, niggar brown and navy blue. Regular $1.25. January Clearance Sale **98c**

RADIUM CORD SUITING

44-Inch Radium Cord Suiting. Suitable for suits, dresses and skirts. In colours of navy blue, Russian green and niggar brown. January Clearance Sale **1.00**

$3.50 JASPI VELVET

TO-MORROW $2.00 Yard

Extra heavy quality Jaspi Velvet. 50 inches wide. Suitable for covering furniture or making arch curtains, in soft shades of green and gold. Reg. $3.50 yard. January Clearance Sale, Saturday, yard.. **2.00**

Splendid Staple Values for Saturday

CIRCULAR PILLOW COTTON

An extra heavy quality of Circular Pillow Cotton. 42 inches wide. January Clearance Sale **25c**

WHITE COTTON

An extra heavy quality of White Cotton, with a firm even weave. 36 inches wide. January Clearance Sale, yard **11c**

ROLLER TOWELLING

An extra good quality of Pure Linen Roller Towelling, with fine red border. 18 inches wide. January Clearance Sale yard ... **20c**

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An extra good quality of Pure Linen Huck Towels. Neatly hemmed. Size 21 x 36 ins. January Clearance Sale, each **50c**

$1.25 CORSETS, $1.00

Splendid fitting model Coutil Corset, with medium bust, four strong hose supporters. Sizes from 19 to 28. Regular $1.25. January Clearance Sale **1.00**

CHILDREN'S WOOL GLOVES

Children's Wool Gloves, made from fine soft yarns. In colours of red, navy or white. January Clearance Sale, pair **50c**

WOMEN'S HOSE

Heavy quality of Fleece-lined or Wool and Cotton Mixed Hose. Sizes from 8½ to 10. January Clearance Sale, pair **25c**

WOMEN'S HEAVY COTTON UNDERWEAR

Women's Heavy Winter Weight Cotton Underwear. In white or natural. With vests and drawers to match. January Clearance Sale, garment **50c**

VELOUR, $1.50

Dark Red Velour, 50 inches wide. Reversible, for arches or door curtains. January Clearance Sale, Saturday, yard ... **1.50**

MOTTLED RUGS $1.50 Each

6 Only Mottled Axminster Rugs. Size 27 x 54 inches. Quick clean up Saturday, each, only.. **1.50**

50 ENDS OF LINOLEUM AND OILCLOTH GO ON SALE SATURDAY MORNING AT 8.30

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If you want pieces to lay beside a stove or table or under a stove Saturday is your opportunity.

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RESULTS OF THE EXAMINER'S CONTEST---DOLLAR DAY

A Bigger Success than Ever—The Winner Estimates the Exact Number of Beans

We announce as follows the prize winners in the contest conducted by ourselves yesterday, (Dollar Day). The contest consisted of estimating the number of beans in a glass container, which was on exhibition in the Peterborough Book Store window for the past week.

The estimates were so close to the actual number of beans in the jar that it is evident many of the participants either counted over similar quantities of beans or figured the answer out mathematically.

The winner of the first prize, Mr. Chas. Gould, 125 James street, ordered the Examiner for three months, paid a dollar, and gets six dollars in prize money. He made only one estimate. The second and third prizes are divided, Mr. Thos. Dawson of Bailieboro and St. Andrew's Patriotic Society, each with an estimate of 2,905, or just one from the correct answer.

The following is a list of the winners, and if they call at The Examiner Office they can obtain their prize money:

2906—Chas. Gould, 125 James Street, $6.00.
2906—Thomas Dawson, Bailieboro, $4.50.
2906—St. Andrew's Patriotic Society, $4.50.
2903—Eleanor Garden, 650 George street, $3.00.
2910—J. A. Middleton, R. R. No. 2, $1.50.
2910—A. Brown, 319 Park street, $1.50.
2911—T. Young, 569 Park street, $1.00.
2900—Mrs. Fred McIntyre, R. R. No 8, $1.00.
2900—Mrs. M. E. Robson, 170 Dublin street, $1.00.
2900—Greta Trude, 270 Park street, $1.00.
2900—D. G. Moloney, 368 Roger street, $1.00.

SODALITY OFFICERS ELECTED

The Sodality of the Church of the Immaculate Conception held the first meeting of this year on Sunday, January 7th, and the officers and councillors were elected. The work of the past year has been very satisfactory for the society, and it is expected the present year will bring greater results.

Following are the officers and councillors for the present year:

President—Minnie Coughlin.
Vice-Pres.—Irene Kylie.
Secretary—Leona Hummel.
Asst. Sec.—Kate Tobin.
Treasurer—Madge Kelly.
Asst.-Treas.—Genevieve O'Heron.
Councillors—Lottie Hogan, Kathleen Hennessey, Lillian Coughlin, Nellie Brady, Mary O'Heron, Genevieve Sullivan.

RAVISHED BY GERMANS SHE MAY KILL CHILD

PARIS, January 26.—It is not a crime for a mother to kill a child born as a result of the mother's being violated by Germans.

A Paris jury so decided yesterday.

The case in which this decision was reached was that of Josephine Barthelmy, twenty years old. She is a domestic at Gennevilliers. She is the eldest of five children. Her father is a widower, and one of her brothers has been killed while serving in the trenches in defence of France.

Josephine's child was born on the 15th of August last, and she killed it immediately.

The case came to trial yesterday in the Paris courts. Only after the greatest difficulty was the woman persuaded to speak. Then she said:

"I killed my child because the father was a German."

She said she was a servant at the military hospital at Chambley—which is in the invaded regions. All the orderlies there were German soldiers. In December, 1915, eight of these orderlies attacked her in the chapel of the hospital. Last January she was repatriated, and got a place as a servant at Gennevilliers, where her sister lived.

"I killed my child because I did not want to be the mother of a child whose father was a German."

In closing his plea, Josephine's lawyer in an impassioned speech, appealed to the jurors as Frenchmen to say if they would condemn her for not letting live the child of men who were killing their sons.

The problem of disposing of the children born of German outrages has been one of the most pitiful with which France has had to deal since the war. The Government long since took the most humane measures that seem possible—it provided for the rearing of such children, and offered means by which the mothers could turn them over to the State without revealing their own names.

Killed In Dispute Over His Wife

LINDSAY, Jan. 26.—Particulars of the shooting of Frank Davis, a former Orillian, which occurred a couple of weeks ago in Montana has been received. Mr. and Mrs. Davis resided in the Canadian West. Owing to some domestic trouble Mrs. Davis left home and went to Montana. There she met a man with whom she went to live. Next she wrote to her husband and requested him to forward her clothes, and advised him to get a divorce. On learning of her whereabouts, Mr. Davis decided to go and see her and bring her back. He met her, had a conversation and made an appointment to meet again in the evening, at the house of the man with whom Mrs. Davis was living. Frank kept the appointment, but the other man was present. A quarrel ensued, and the other man drew a revolver and shot Frank, who died in a few minutes. The man and Mrs. Davis are now under arrest on a charge of murder.

"TIZ" GLADDENS SORE, TIRED FEET

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Get a 25-cent box of "Tiz" now from any druggist or department store. End foot torture forever — wear smaller shoes keep your feet fresh, sweet and happy. Just think! a whole year's foot comfort for only 25 cents.

MANY COUNTY BRIDGES TO BE INSPECTED OR BUILT THIS YEAR

Warden Brown Puts in a Plea for Asphodel and Monaghan's Requirements Were Emphasized By Reeve Rye.

Reeve F. J. Bullied, Chairman of the Committee on Roads and Bridges, presented the following report to the County Council last night:

That the Reeves of the municipalities be respectively commissioners for the expenditures of any county moneys appropriated for Roads or Bridges in their respective municipalities and that where money is voted towards a bridge or road on the boundary between any municipalities, the Reeves thereof shall act in conjunction with each other.

That such Commissioners be empowered to make such repairs from time to time as they shall deem necessary upon bridges or approaches of the County in their respective municipalities, and that the Treasurer pay therefor upon the certificate of such Commissioners, but where such repairs are likely to exceed $100.00 the Commissioner shall first obtain the approval of the Reeve of an adjoining municipality.

That the usual grants of $100.00 each be given to Burleigh and Anstruther, Chandos, Galway and Cavendish, Harvey and Belmont and Methuen.

That the County contribute 40 per cent. of the total cost of a bridge at the end of the street railway adjoining Otonabee, providing the balance is provided from other sources, and that the County assume the maintenance of such bridge, and that Messrs. Warden, Eason, Anderson, Fitzgerald, Rye and Bell act as a committee to have the matter carried into effect.

That Peter's bridge be rebuilt this year, and that the Chairman, Warden Squire be authorized to carry the same into effect.

That Messrs. McKee and Young be appointed to look after necessary repairs to Pigeon Creek Bridge and Chemong Bridge.

That Mr. Ingram procure chains necessary to float an anchor boom one-half way across at Gannon's Bridge if he deems it advisable.

That the matter of acting upon assumption of bridges be dealt with in the future as has been done in the past.

That Messrs. Griffith, Rye, Young, Walsh, Darling, Anderson, Brown, and McKee be a special Committee to ascertain what steps should be taken re taking advantage of the Highways Act; Mr. Anderson to be chairman of such committee.

That the Treasurer be authorized to pay to the Township of Otonabee one-half of the cost of re-building Taylor's bridge upon a statement being furnished by the Township of such expenditure.

That the matter re Monaghan bridges be left in the hands of the Chairman Warden and Mr. Rye.

That Mr. Clark be commissioner for Silver Lake Boundary Bridge.

That Harrington's bridge and Pigeon Creek Bridge be visited by Messrs. Chairman, Fitzgerald, McKee, Young, Nichol, and that they report at the June session.

That Messrs. Chairman, Warden, Darling, Griffith, Matheson and Anderson be a committee to inspect Welbeck's and Boland Bridges, Asphodel, and report at the June session.

That Messrs. McKee, Eason, Fitzgerald and Walsh inspect Haines' bridge and report at the June session.

TIRED WORKINGMEN

A Local Druggist Suggests a Remedy For Overworked, Run-down Men

The following letter from Mr. Walker of Toronto, Ont., recounts the experience and condition of many overworked men. Read this letter and our offer which follows:

Toronto, Ont. "I am a dispenser at a soda fountain, and got into a run-down, debilitated condition, so I was continually taking cold, and could not eat or sleep, and had no ambition to work. I tried Cod Liver Oil and doctors' prescriptions without benefit. Finally the druggist I was continually going to asked me to try Vinol, and after I had used one bottle I began to feel better, and it soon built me up." O. Walker, College St., Toronto, Ont.

The reason Vinol is so successful in such cases is because it contains the oldest and most famous tonics, viz.: beef and cod liver peptones, iron, manganese peptonates, and glycerophosphates.

We ask every run-down, overworked man in Peterborough to try a bottle of Vinol with the understanding that their money will be returned if it fails to help them as it did Mr. Walker.

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One package proves it. Sold and guaranteed by above Vinol druggist.

LOAN COULD BE ARRANGED

Capt. Burnham Pointed Out That there Should be no Financial Hesitation Over Canal Completion.

In introducing the Peterborough deputation at Ottawa, yesterday, Cap. Burnham, M.P., said that the Midland District had felt that in the past sufficient attention had not been paid to it by Governments, and it was only after the most strenuous efforts on the part of Peterborough that Hydro was introduced into Eastern Ontario. With regard to the immediate completion of the Canal it was necessary to remember that an after-the-war reconstruction policy must be developed now, and it was in accordance with this policy that Peterborough and the Trent Valley District generally asked for the immediate completion of the canal. Once the threads of industry were destroyed or permitted to fall, it would be almost impossible to pick them up again after the war. There was a limit, therefore, to the economy which the Government should practice in preparing for war. If the Government wished to plead that it was difficult to finance any contracts at the present time owing to the fact that Canada was spending $1,000,000 a day in military matters, Capt. Burnham said that he was prepared to say that he could arrange a loan to the Government to enable them to put the contract through and that no hesitation of a financial character should, therefore, be felt by the Government in regard to these necessary contracts.

KING ALFONSO IS EXTREMELY MODEST

GRAND CROSS DECORATION OFFERED, GOES TO REGIMENT.

PARIS, January 26.—King Alfonso of Spain, received a delegation representing all the municipalities of Spain which came to ask him to accept the Grand Cross of Charity in recognition of his efforts on behalf of prisoners of war, says a Havas despatch from Madrid. The King in refusing the Cross for himself, said he would place it on the standard of the regiment which bore his name.

Had To Hew Hun Corpses From Deck of Destroyer

LONDON, Jan. 25.—Special despatches from Holland give stories of the battles between German and British destroyers in the North Sea, but the details, which on some points are conflicting, are mostly and avowedly derived from hearsay and not substantiated. It seems, however, certain that the main engagement began about 2 o'clock in the morning and lasted until about seven. It was fought in intense darkness, while the severity of the cold can be judged from the fact that eight corpses on the V-69, the German flagship, were so frozen to the deck when the boat arrived at Ymuiden that they had to be hewn free with axes.

Practically all the details of actual damage to the ships refer to the V-69 which, it is stated, was rammed by a British ship after being seriously battered. The correspondents report gossip that seven to ten German vessels were sunk, but there is nothing comfirmatory in regard to this. According to one version the Germans stated from Helgoland with the intention of raiding the British coast but driven back toward Flanders, where some took refuge in Zeebrugge.

It is confirmed that Commander Boehm, on the V-69, is alive, and according to one report uninjured. It is stated that he superintended the removal of the crew of the destroyer as an examination of the ship proved the impossibility of repairing her within twenty-four hours. This, of course, implies an intention to intern, but nothing official is obtainable in regard thereto. A number of survivors of the sunken British vessel have arrived on the east coast.

MEAT FOR THE JAIL JUMPS FROM 9 TO 12 CENTS A POUND

Mr. Harry Wheeler, a butcher in Ashburnham, has been supplying the meat to the jail at 9 cents a pound. He has informed the County Council that he could not continue the contract at less than 12 cents a pound.

Reeve Squire moved, seconded by Deputy Eason, that Mr. Wheeler receive a new contract at 12 cents a pound.

Mr. Henderson Nesbitt told the Council that Mr. Wheeler had always given the best satisfaction.

WOOD FOR THE JAIL.

Previous to the fire at the jail, Mr. Nesbitt had more than enough wood for the limited requirements of the building, but since box stoves have been used to heat parts of the building the demand for hardwood has considerably increased. About fifteen cords have already been bought, and yesterday in the Property Committee, Reeve Darling moved, seconded by Reeve Bullied, that five more cords be purchased.

PURCHASE OF SMALL ARTICLES

Mr. Nesbitt lost a number of small utensils and necessary articles in the fire, and the Council, on motion of Reeve Bullied, seconded by Reeve Squire, authorized the purchase of such articles to be made through the chairman, Reeve Anderson, and Mr. Nesbitt.

W. H. Casement and James Calder were re-appointed auditors.

British Company Cannot Supply the United States

LONDON, Jan. 26. — The British Government has refused permission to the Hadfields Limited to proceed with work on the contract for shells for the American navy "so long as the exigencies of war continue."

Hadfields were awarded contracts amounting to over $8,000,000 by the United States Secretary of the Navy for 14 and 16-inch projectiles. The Bethlehem Steel Company, which lost the contract, published advertisements explaining its high bid as follows: Two years ago it contracted to make the United States 4,300 14-inch shells at $1,915,000, with heavy penalties for delayed delivery. It has spent $533,891 without having a single shell accepted and without receiving a single dollar on account. Penalties for delayed delivery would, if enforced, amount to $976,016. The Bethlehem people declare that "department tests are now so severe that neither we, nor, so far as we know, any other manufacturers, have been able to produce, in quantity, 14-inch shells which will meet them."

To be capacious the dairy cow must be long from shoulder to hip bones, have well-sprung and deep ribs, giving sufficient space for the storage of much food. In addition the body should be covered with hide that is soft and pliable, which in turn is covered with hair that is soft and silky. This mixture indicates power of digestion, and coupled with size of barrel, insures great capacity.

OBSERVATION TESTS FOR Y.M.C.A. BOYS

The Canadian Standard Efficiency tests programme, which was held at the Y.M.C.A., proved very interesting.

The first observation test interested the boys very much. The test consisted of 25 articles placed on a table covered with a cloth; the boys stood around the table, the cloth was removed for one minute while the boys observed the articles; the articles were then covered and the boys required to write from memory what they had observed on the table. A number of the boys were successful in naming 24 out of the 25 articles in this test.

The second test required the boys to go into a room for half a minute, and when they came out to make a list of the furniture and the articles which they had noticed.

Next Wednesday the boys will have the pleasure of hearing Major O'Flynn of the 247th Batt., give a practical talk on the methods of trench warfare and the fighting in general on the western front.

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WATCH FOR THE GREEN PRICE CARDS

Saturday Snaps

HOUSEFURNISHING LIST OF SNAPS

COLOURED MUSLINS—One yard wide. Regular price 18c yard. Saturday Snap, yard 11c

ART SATEEN AND CRETONNE—30 inches wide. Regular price 25c to 35c yard. Snap price, yard 19c

SLIPOVER DOOR MATS—Size 13 x 27 inches—fringed all-round. Regular price 40c. Snap, each 25c

TAPESTRY HEARTH MATS—Size 22 x 46 inches. Regular price $1.00. Snap price, each 69c

SQUARE TOP PARLOUR TABLE—Empire Oak finish. Regular price $3.00. Snap price 2.49

SNAPS FROM THE ART NEEDLE WORK SECTION

18-INCH STAMPED CENTRE PIECES ..... 3 for 25c
25c STAMPED BROWN CENTRES 15c
"BEATSALL" SHETLAND FLOSS—All shades 10c
39c 24-INCH "BLUE BIRD" CENTRES 29c
50c CHINTZ CUSHIONS AND RUNNERS 29c
LADIES' MADE-UP STAMPED NAINSOOK NIGHT GOWNS 67c

STATIONERY AND SOAP AT QUICK SELLING SATURDAY PRICES

25c IMPERIAL LINEN WRITING TABLETS—one-half price ..... 2 for 25c
IMPERIAL LINEN ENVELOPES—Regular 9c pkge. ..... 2 for 15c
TAYLOR'S INFANT'S DELIGHT GUEST SOAP— ..... 6 for 10c
GLYCERINE TOILET SOAP—Regular 5c ..... 4 for 15c

Children's $10 to $12 Coats $7.50

Materials are, sibilines, blankets, tweeds; colours are cardinal, grey and tweed mixtures. Original prices from $10.00 to $12.00. Snap price 7.50

Dress Special $8.90

Odd lines of dresses in crepe de chene, paillette and combination effects; colours are blue, Copenhagen, brown and tan. Sizes are well assorted. Snap price 8.90

A Gown Special 79c

Good quality cotton, nicely cut, good width, kimona style—trimmed with imitation torchon lace. Snap price will be an exceptional one 79c

Sateen Petticoat $1.49

Extra quality sateen petticoat—nine-inch frill—flounce of combination tucks and pleats—nicely shaped. Special Snap price 1.49

$2.50 Silk Blouse $1.98

Of good quality Japanese mummy, made with large flat collar bound down the front—collar and cuffs of pink silk—smart button finish down the front. Regular $2.50. Snap price 1.98

Women's $3.50 Black Cloth Top Boots $2.69

Can be had with patent leather lowers—both buttoned and lace styles—D and E widths. Regular value is $3.50. Saturday Snap price will be 2.69

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WAR COUNCIL OF EMPIRE IS OUTLINED

(Continued from page 5.)

war, and we would be failing in our duties if we did not take every possible step to see that its leaders get together from time to time. You do not suppose that we think that the overseas nations can raise and place in the field armies containing an enormous proportion of their best manhood and not want to have a say, and a real say, in determining the use to which they are to be put. That seems to us as impossible and undemocratic proposition. That is why one of the first acts of the new Government was to ask the overseas Premiers to come over, not to a formal Imperial conference, but to sit in executive Cabinet of the Empire. That is why we have arranged for a representative of India, which has rendered invaluable service to our common cause, to be present also."

"This implies," suggested the correspondent, "that the conference should meet as soon as possible."

"Certainly," replied Mr. Lloyd George. "The war is not won yet and we want to concert our efforts so that we may exert our maximum strength at the critical moment. Further, we are most anxious that during the last and most trying phase of the war, the British Empire may present to the world an absolutely united front. Up to the present the British Government has shouldered responsibility for the policy of the war practically alone. It now wishes to know that in its measures for prosecuting the war to a finish and in its negotiations for peace it will be carrying out a policy agreed upon by representatives of the whole Empire, sitting in plenary council together."

AFTER THE WAR.

"What about after the war" was asked.

"If you mean by that constitutional reconstruction," replied Mr. Lloyd George, "I can only say it is too soon to talk about 'after the war' but I can say this: "Things can never be the same after the war as before it. Five democracies, all parts of one empire, cannot shed their blood and treasure, with a heroism and disregard of cost which has been beyond all praise, without leaving memories of comradeship and great accomplishment which will never die. Of this I am certain. The peoples of the Empire will have found a unity in war such as never existed before—a unity not only in history, but of purpose. What practical change in Imperial organization that will mean I do not venture to predict. That it will involve some change is certain. I believe that all the statesmen of the Old Country and the dominions who have spoken about it are unanimous on that point. The forthcoming war council, however, cannot deal with these fundamental post-war problems, but it may afford some insight into the form they may take."

"Then you are sanguine about the future of the Empire?"

"If we see the war through I certainly am," the Premier answered. "You do not suppose that the great combination of peoples who make up the Empire can have stood steadfastly together with their allies, in order to discredit and overthrow the most brutal and inhuman machine for the destruction of human liberties that the world has ever seen, and not have discovered a new ground of friendship."

PEACE TERMS A BEGINNING

"We stand at this moment on the verge of the greatest liberation that the world has ever seen since the French revolution. Do you tell me that peoples who have stood together and staked literally everything in order to bring that liberation about are not going to find some way of perpetuating that unity afterwards on an equal basis? I am certain that they will. There will be much for them to do. Peace terms will be only a beginning. After they are satisfactorily arranged we shall have to set to work to build up that ordered freedom and fraternity which is the only security for human peace and progress and which militarism has destroyed; and is it not certain that the nations which have borne the heat and burden of the day in the overthrowing of that militarism will take a leading share in building that new earth which they have made possible by their sacrifices? No; if we endure to the end I have small fears for the future, and not the least important of the foundations for the work we shall have to do together in that future will be this war council of the British peoples."

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The Best Film Yet Made That Will Interest Canadians

Official Canadian Government Film Series No. 2 at the Grand Theatre Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Feb. 1st, 2nd and 3rd

Taking photographs from an aeroplane, engaging in such little gymnastics as nose dives and vertical banks is an experiment which few people would care to indulge in and which fewer still could accomplish successfully. The young Canadian officer who photographed the notal war film "Canada's Fighting Forces, Series Two," which is being shown at the Grand Theatre, Feb. 1st, 2nd, and 3rd, did these very things, however, as the angle of the ground and other aeroplanes indicates in his wonderful screen representation of the life of the Canadian aviators overseas.

A Canadian operator in a Curtis bi-plane built at Toronto was piloted through the air by a Canadian aviator to take some of the most thrilling aviation pictures for this film ever screened. The exhibition of "stunt" flying by Canadian aviators is thrilling to a degree which would bring a world's fair crowd to its feet with mad excitement, but looping the loop and tail gliding are feats which Canadian aviators expect to do in war every day of their lives. One section of the film shows a well-known Canadian boy repeating the loop five times in succession.

The photographic treatment of the Zeppelin raids over England and of the fate of the "L-21" brought down by Lieut. Robinson, V.C., is another remarkable achievement of this film which everybody should witness. A moving diagram showing the progress of the famous Battle of Jutland is also projected on the screen and gives the clearest idea of the details of that battle ever shown in this continent.

Canadians with the Royal Naval Air Service, as shown in Canada's Fighting Forces, Series 2.

The film was shown before H. M. King George and Queen Mary, who instructed the photographer to tell the people of Canada that their Majesties were greatly pleased with the pictures.

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Peterborough County Team Won Third Place

Live Stock Judging Contest at Ottawa Was Participated in By Teams From Twelve Counties—Local Boys Did Well

The team of three young men, Messrs. Wm. Barrie, Theodore Douglas and Percy Moore, who represented Peterborough County in the stock judging competition at Ottawa Winter Fair last week, succeeded in winning third place. Teams were entered from twelve counties and the contest was a keen one. Dundas county team of young men took first honours and the silver cup by 2,046 points out of a possible 3,000. Lanark county boys came second with 1,996 points, and Peterborough county third with a total of 1,950 points. The classes were dairy and beef cattle, horses, sheep and swine, with regard to the breeding and market quantities of each. Fifty points were given for placing and fifty more points for reasons. The local team exceeded the other eleven teams in placing the most correctly but fell behind in giving their reasons, which was perhaps due to nervousness. Our boys, however, demonstrated the fact that they know a good thing when they see it, and are to be congratulated on securing third position.

Individual prizes were also given in various classes. Peterborough county, true to its pre-eminence in dairying furnished the first prize winner in dairy cattle, Wm. Barrie carrying off the honours and incidentally a $10 bill, against a field of 35 competitors. Besides this the local boys also won prizes in the other classes but the full results have not been as yet received.

How Railway Saves On Waste Material

MONTREAL, Jan. 26.—The Grand Trunk Railway System is paying careful attention to the work of salvaging the many tons of discarded material produced on a railway operating many thousands of miles of line. Central scrap yards have been established, where the sorting of this material is carried out. Forty thousand tons of scrap are examined each year and this work is done under expert supervision, so that full value is obtained for the metal and other commodities sold, while a large amount of material is reclaimed and returned for use.

The Grand Trunk buys each year approximately one million dollars' worth of brass. This great mass of metal shrinks in value by usage, but every pound that can be possibly salvaged is returned to the foundry and has a high cash value. Rails with battered ends are re-sawed, used bolts are re-threaded and the couplings of air-brake, signal and steam-heat hose are repaired. The Grand Trunk has in actual use each day about 85,000 pieces of air and steam hose, representing, with the necessary fittings, an investment of $350,000. The perishable part of the hose must be replaced at frequent intervals, but under the system of reclamation the various couplings are used over and over again. It has been demonstrated that the value of the scrap amounts to about two dollars per ton, while proper sorting and classifying increases the net selling value of the scrap by another two dollars per ton, the saving thus made amounting to a large sum of money when tens of thousands of tons of material are handled.

THREE RUNAWAYS KICKED UP LITTLE MORE THAN LOOSE SNOW

One Was a Team of Horses Racing Cityward on McDonnel Street —Another Was the Telephone Linemen's Steed—Aggregate of Minor Damages.

Three runaways yesterday afternoon in different parts of the city produced little excitement and less damage. Out on McDonnel street about 2:30 o'clock a team of colts hitched to a farmer's sleigh were galloping cityward in full flight. Motorman James Collins of the Jackson Park car, which was going east at the time, jumped from the car and brandishing a broom brought the team to a standstill. He was assisted in the demonstration by Conductor Fred Pearson and Constable Deannard, truly a formidable trio.

Down at the corner of Park and Townsend street three telephone linemen were experiencing a diversion that began when the livery horse they left standing near a pole at which they were working lay down in the shafts. It appeared to desire a roll and stretch, and finally became so involved in the harness that it freed itself of all, but the check line which had got into the animal's mouth. Apparently the telephone men didn't know exactly what to do, and just then the Street Railway sweeper blew along to relieve them of their difficulty. The horse pranced at the swirl of snow and bolted away, turning up Rubidge street with a fine show of heels.

About the same time, Dr. Harvey was driving on Rubidge street. His horse backed onto the shaft of the cutter snapping it, but that was the extent of the damage.

County Councillors To Get Their Names On Autograph Quilt

LINDSAY, Jan. 26.—The day of the autograph quilt has not yet disappeared and yesterday members of the County Council were appealed to by representatives of the Saturday Sewers to take stock, so to speak, in one of those relics of ancient days. They subscribed to the tune of a dollar each, and consequently will have their name inscribed (or crocheted) on the said quilt.

10,667 Was The Correct Total In Dollar Day Estimate

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27th, Mrs. W. Gray 698 Hagney street, (10,650)—$1.00.
28th, R. Cottrell, 350 McDonnell street, (10,650)—$1.00.
29th, Mrs. J. V. Horne, City, (10,650)—$1.00.
30th, Mildred Hamilton, 409 McDonnell street, (10,648)—$1.00.
31st, H. Bland, Mt. Pleasant, (10,647)—$1.00.
32nd, Ethel Stevens, 554 Rogers street, (10,645)—$1.00.
33rd, E. J. Elliott, 23 Aylmer street, (10,645—$1.00.
34th, Mrs. Westlake, 570 Bethune street, (10,644)—$1.00.
35th, Miss Summonds, 53 Smith street, (10,690)—$1.00.
36th, M. E. Nisbett, Indian River, (10,690)—$1.00.
37th H. B Burgess, 530 Rogers street, (10,691)—$1.00.
38th, Mrs. S. Starr 16 Maria street, (10,641)—$1.00.
39th, Mrs. Arthur Hayran 542 Waterford street, (10,641)—$1.00.
40th, Mrs. Henry Rose, 352 Margaret avenue, (10,640)—$1.00.
41st, Mrs. Donaldson, 535 Stewart street, (10,694)—$1.00.
42nd, Ruth Abramson, 378 George street, (10,695)—$1.00.
43rd, Mrs. J. W. Wallis Indian River, (10,705)—$1.00.
44th, Mrs. W. Youburg, 691 Stewart street, (10,704)—$1.00.
45th, Mrs. Thos. Richardson, 313 Frederick avenue, (10,703)—$1.00.
46th, C. S. Powell, 588 George street, (10,697)—$1.00.
47th, Mrs. A. Barnard, 138 Simcoe street, (10,627)—$1.00.
48th, Mrs. N. McWilliams, 638 George street, (10,623)—$1.00.
49th, Helen Henry, 851 Homewood avenue, (10,623)—$1.00.
50th, Mt. St. Joseph, Peterborough, (10,611)—$1.00.
51st, Elmer Hickey, 127 George street, (10,621)—$1.00.
52nd, Ivia McIntosh, 589 Gilmour street, (10,713)—$1.00.
53rd, F. Reed, 475 Bolivar street, (10,715)—$1.00.
54th, Mrs. R. Routly 336 Downie street, (10,716)—$1.00.
55th, Emily Dowell, R. R. No. 6, (10,717)—$1.00.
56th, I. Edwards, 581 Aylmer street, (10,721)—$1.00.

PORTER S. WHITE'S DOLLAR DAY CONTEST

The result of Porter S. White's Dollar Day contest was as follows: Exact number of nuts 2257
Mrs. R. C. Read, 513 Gilmour Street 2258
Mrs. J. Baller, 251 Aylmer 2240
E. B. Towsley, 689 George 2307
We have checked the above and found it correct.—Jas. Stewart, P. E. Rutherford.

WILSON IS IGNORANT.

Knows Nothing of Europe, Says Pro-German Swiss Paper.

BERNE, Jan. 25.—Great reserve was maintained in official circles in regard to President Wilson's speech, which came as a complete surprise following his first note, to which the Federal Council gave its support. The Germanophile newspaper, the Zurich Post, welcomes Wilson's views on the freedom of the seas, but rejects his conception of the question of nationalities and territorial settlement. The Zurich Nachrichten, also Germanophile, scores the President for what it terms meddling in affairs in which he has no concern, "the more so as he is totally ignorant of the principles and basis of European states, their history and their development."

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New is the time of your life to get a nifty Smart Coat, all old cloths.. Coats worth up to $20.00. **$15.00**

Men's Ulsters
We have some odd sizes in strong heavy Tweed Ulsters. Worth to-day $15.00 to $16.50. Come get one, for **$10.00**

Men's Suits
I know one man bought two suits for next Summer, old cloths, Values you could not get now from any maker, worth up to $20, for **$15.00**

Men's Pants, special..... $2.95
Men's Pants, special..... $1.95

Boy's O'coats, ages 3 to 9.... $3.00
Boy's Suits, ages 8 to 13.... $3.95

Men's Hats
Stiff Hats, broken sizes. To clear at **$1.00**
All our newest Soft Hats. To clear at **$1.95**
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Boys' Blouses, worth 75c. Ages 6 to 14 ..... **50c**

Men's Shirts
Men's Shirts, soft and stiff cuffs, worth $1.00 ..... **75c**
Men's Shirts, worth $1.00 and $1.25, for **95c**
Table odd sizes in shirts only, no drawers to match. Worth $1.00 to $1.50, for **79c**

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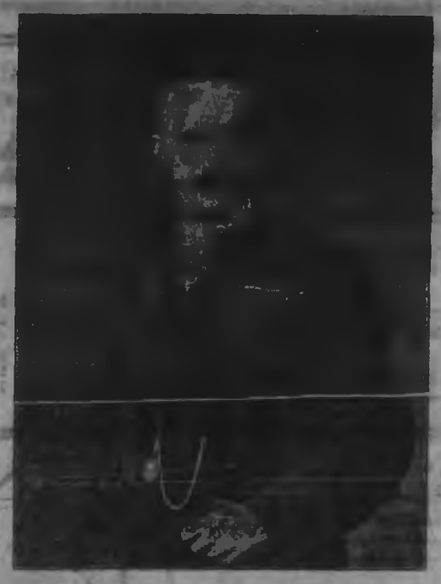

DR. M. A. MORRISON—Whose resignation as Sunday School Superintendent of Trinity Methodist Church, after twenty-five years' service, was reluctantly accepted at the annual meeting which was held last evening. Pressure of business was given as Dr. Morrison's reason for resigning.

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"BETTER GOODS FOR LESS"

Veteran Sunday School Heads Have Resigned

After twenty-five years of faithful and untiring service, Dr. M. A. Morrison and Mr. R. J. Kidd resigned from their posts as superintendent and assistant superintendent of Trinity Methodist Sunday school at the annual meeting held last night at Trinity Methodist church. Whilst regretting exceedingly to lose two whose valuable services cannot be overestimated in the work they have done in building up the Sunday school to its present state, the teachers and assistants were pleased to welcome Mr. Hone of the Collegiate Institute staff and Mr. W. J. Greene.

It was decided to reorganize the Sunday school and grade it throughout, thus making it into an up-to-date school.

The attendance of the Sunday school has grown beyond the capacity of the present accommodation and new quarters will be sought.

Rev. Mr. Wilson addressed the meeting last night, making some valuable suggestions and expressing his regret on losing Dr. Morrison and Mr. Kidd, also complimenting the teachers and assistants on their splendid work.

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

CHICAGO, Jan. 26.—Grain closing May wheat 161 3-8; July wheat, 159 1-8; May corn, 101 7-8.

New York stock.—Airbrake 150, 155; Atcheson 106 1-8, 106 1-4; B. and O. 81 5-8, 81 1-4; C.P.R., 161 3-4, 162; N. Y. C. 101 3-8, 101 1-2; Erie, 32 1-8, 32 1-4; Erie Pfd. 47; N. P. 109 1-2; Penna., 57 1-8, 58 3-4; Reading 97 5-8; St. Paul 90 1-2, 90 5-8; U. P. 144 3-8, 143 3-4; Rep. Steel 80 3-8, 80 1-4; U. S. Steel 114 3-8, 114 7-8; Anaconda, 84, 83 7-8; Inter. Nickel 42 1-2, 42 3-4; Loco., 78, 77 7-8.

Toronto Stocks—Can. Car, Pfd., 63; Dom. Steel, 66 1-2; Cement, 63 1-2; N. S. Car 16 1-2, 16; Steel Canada, 65 3-8; N. S. Steel, 16 3-4 bid; Can. Loco. 57 bid; Gen. Elec., 112 1-2 bid.

TOWN TOPICS.

The dullness in the market is likely to give way to a great deal of bullish activity at any moment. Professional bearishness means that there is a big buying power among the professionals themselves which will develop just as soon as they find out that stocks are headed the other way. The Bethlem melon is amply justified by earnings which were up to expectations and made a truly remarkable showing. Melon opportunities there are a-plenty in the market. Alcohol and Airbrake are two of them. Sears Roebuck of course, will issue new stock. Steel trade prospects are so exceedingly bright and pending earnings statements will show such good results that it is in this quarter we expect the best general moves will be. Steel common should begin to pick up to-day and toward the end of the week should some lively advances. Republic is certainly cheap. The Pressed Car meeting scheduled for to-day should provide bullish ammunition. Insiders insist this stock is worth well over par. Other equipment stocks are splendid things for the long pull in view of the necessity of railroads to work up their equipment capacity. We would buy Pittsburg Coal, Mexican Petroleum, California Petroleum, Corn Products, Enameling, Beet Sugar, Cuban Cane, on weak places, also the Marines. Buy any sharp dips in Cotton. Wheat is likely to work lower.

ALLEGED ELOPERS.

Brought Back form Simcoe to St. Thomas for Trial.

ST. THOMAS, Jan. 25. — John Schram and Mrs. Oliver Peasy were arrested at Simcoe and brought back here for trial. Mrs. Peasy is the wife of a local soldier now in France, and she and Schram are alleged to have eloped the other day and had settled down in Simcoe. Schram however is wanted here also for stealing a pair of shoes from a room mate, Eddie Dimbelby. Mrs. Peasy is only 19 years of age.

ACCEPTS SUGGESTION OF LIBERAL LEADER

A LOAN OF $75,000,000

Minister of Finance Introduces a General Borrowing Bill—Marcil Resumes Debate.

OTTAWA, Jan. 25.—At the opening of the House of Commons this afternoon Sir Robert Borden announced that he had decided to adopt the suggestion for adjournment by Sir Wilfrid Laurier to enable the Premier to attend the Imperial conference in Great Britain. This suggestion he considered to be the best which could be made under the circumstances. He would ask that a supply bill covering the period up to Jan. 30 should be passed together with the whole war appropriation so as to insure the carrying on of the war.

The Minister of Finance would also have a general borrowing bill for $75,000,000 to introduce.

The only other suggestion was that the House give second reading to the railway consolidation bill so that it could be referred to a joint committee of both Houses who could, if they desired, devote some attention to it during the adjournment. As to the date of the adjournment he would be able to state that more definitely after he had had further correspondence with the overseas Ministers.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier acquiesced in the arrangement. The extent of the supply bill 25 per cent., was a little more than usual, but as it was war-time there would be no objection.

Hon. Charles Marcel in resuming his speech referred to the arrangement just concluded as a further indication of Sir Wilfrid's stand taken since the war commenced. From the very beginning he had done all in his power to facilitate the passing of war legislation and war monies.

Referring again to Mr. Cockshutt's speech Mr. Marcel declared that the man who contended that it was only those of British stock who could claim rich loyalty to the British flag, showed a deplorable ignorance of the fact. When in 1774 rebellion broke out in Canada it was not the French-speaking citizens, but the English-speaking, who were responsible for it (cries of hear, hear) and it was the French-Canadians who saved the country.

MONTREAL'S RANGERS MAY TRAIN IN ERIN

Possibly at Curragh Camp—At any Rate, They'll Get Great Reception in Ireland.

DUBLIN, Jan. 25.—All Ireland, North and South, Unionist or Nationalist, is preparing to give Canada's Irish Rangers one of the heartiest welcomes on record when they arrive here Friday. Sir Edward Carson, John Redmond and leaders of all sects, are making elaborate preparations to greet the Irish soldiers from overseas, who are to visit the land of their fathers. Colonel V. J. O'Donoghue, formerly major of another Montreal battalion, will be in command and will also, contrary to previous reports that the Rangers would be used as drafts, take them to France as a unit when the time comes.

On Friday the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland will review the Canadians in Phoenix Park, after which there will be a march through the streets with the bands of the garrison playing them along. On Saturday Dublin's Lord Mayor will, it is expected, entertain the officers and men at the Mansion House and they will also attend a special gala performance at Wellington barracks, where the men will stay while in Dublin.

Following the visit here the Rangers will be entertained at Cork, Wexford, Limerick, Armagh, Belfast and probably Londonderry. Major Stuart Campbell, who has made arrangements for the reception here, tells your correspondent that the battalion has been overwhelmed with invitations many of which time will prevent acceptance.

An interesting report to-day is that the Rangers may be asked to train at Curragh Camp with the reserves of the Irish division, but it is impossible to get any confirmation on this.

If hay is kept in front of idle horses all the time they will keep on eating it, to their own detriment, and at the waste of a lot of good feed.—Canadian Countryman.

PUBLIC RECEPTION TO BE GIVEN COL. McMILLAN

A great public reception will be given to Colonel McMillan on Saturday night, both at the train and at the S. A. Temple, Simcoe street on Saturday evening. Colonel McMillan worked for twenty years in Australia, and has recently been transferred as second in command of Canada east, extending from Fort William on the west to Cape Breton in the east. This is his first visit to Peterborough, and Aldermai Duncan, chairman of the Reception committee of the City Council, will preside and welcome Colonel McMillan on behalf of the citizens of Peterborough in general.

All the Reception committee of the City Council have been invited and will no doubt attend this special occasion. The reception of visiting officers will also be a feature of the evening, of which the following are some: Brigadier Betteridge, in charge of the young people's work in Canada east; Brigadier Morris, field secretary for Canada east; Mrs. Adjutant Richie of Belleville; Mrs. Adjutant Smith, of Kingston; Captain Parsons, Captain Johnstone, Captain Hargrave, Captain Leader, Captain Keith, Captain Laurie, Lieut. Kingston, Captain Beer, Captain Spooner, Scout Leader for Canada east, and Captain Mopp, Guard Leader for Canada east, together with Ensign Richards of Montreal and Major Jennings of Toronto, who will conduct the senior meetings at the Temple for Sunday.

The other officers will assist Commissioner Richards at the Forester's Hall in the Young People's Day meetings.

Delegates from Belleville, Port Hope, Campbellford, Tweed, Trenton, Cobourg and Kingston will also be welcomed, so this will be one of the biggest nights Peterborough Salvations have ever had from the standpoint of visitors at any rate, and all are cordially invited to attend.

Voice of The People

Correspondence under this heading, containing or involving attacks on individuals or violent or extreme statements, must to secure insertion, be signed with writer's real name, the owner of which thus assumes the responsibility.

Peterborough, Jan. 25, 1917.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Sir,—By the size of the crowds in town yesterday, Dollar Day has been as successful as usual, both to the merchants and the general public. May I now remind the ladies of my request in last Saturday's paper, to put out all the milk bottles they have on Saturday morning.

Quart bottles retail now at 85c. per dozen, and pint bottles at 65c., so a few dozen milk bottles returned would be most acceptable to the owners.

And ladies, before you are quite sure you have none, just take a look along the schlves of preserves for fear some might have got mixed up with the gems during the preserving season.

Thanking your, Mr. Editor, for your valuable space.

Milkman.

RECEPTIONS TO BE CURTAILED

Special to The Examiner:

TORONTO, Jan. 26.—It is announced that following the lead of the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire, at Rideau Hall, Lieut. Governor Sir John and Lady Hendrie have decided on rigid curtailment of receptions and other public affairs at the Government House, Toronto.

Big Steamer Runs Aground

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

VICTORIA, B.C., Jan. 26. — The Prince Gohen, one of the Grand Trunk Pacific steamers, operating from Prince Rupert to the Queen Charlotte Island is ashore and taking water in fast somewhere in the Wrangell Narrows, according to word received here to-day.

MRS. F. J. SANDY WON THE LAMP

The contest conducted by the J. C. Turnbull Company, in connection with Dollar Day, was won by Mrs. F. Sandy of Lindsay, whose estimate of the number of sales made in the store during the day was the closest. The prize was a very handsome lamp.

Thin Folks Who Would Be Fat

Increase in Weight Ten Pounds or More.

"I'd certainly give most anything to be able to fat up a few pounds and stay that way," declares every excessively thin man or woman. Such a result is not impossible, despite past failures. Most thin people are victims of mal-nutrition, a condition which prevents the fatty elements of food from being taken up by the blood as they are, when the powers of assimilation are normal. Instead of getting into the blood, much of the fat and flesh producing elements stay in the intestines until they pass from the body as waste.

To correct this condition and to produce a healthy normal amount of fat, the nutritive processes must be artificially supplied with the power which nature has denied them. This can probably best be accomplished by eating a Sargol tablet with every meal. Sargol is a careful combination of six splendid assimilative agents. Taken with meals they mix with the food to turn the fat-forming elements (giving potential of what you have eaten) into rich, ripe nourishment for the blood and flesh and its rapid effects have been in many cases reported remarkable. Reported gains of from ten to twenty-five pounds in a single month are by no means infrequent. Its action is perfectly natural and absolutely harmless. Sargol is sold by all leading druggists everywhere and every package contains a guarantee of weight increase or money back.

If you find a druggist who is unable to supply you with Sargol send $1.00 money order or registered letter to the Sargol Laboratories, 20 St. Antoine St., Montreal, and a complete ten days' treatment will be sent you postpaid in plain wrapper.

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Sorry you need Medicine but if you must have it we can serve you for your health's sake and your purses sake.

Impure Drugs are worse than no drugs at all; and if your Doctor thinks you need a good tonic, we are careful to give you just what the Doctor orders. Give him a fair chance and let us put up his Prescriptions with fresh, pure preparations.

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Y. M. C. A. Physical Department is Active

In spite of the great weather for skating and outdoor activities and hockey, the gymnasium classes for boys are exceptionally well attended and great interest is being shown in the work and in the league. Last night in the first league game, the Tigers won from the Senators. The Tiger players had no trouble at all in finding the basket and had a fair share of the luck. In the last game, McLeod's Indians won from the Athletics and succeeded in pulling up to within six points of the latter in the league standing. In the Junior Collegiate race, the Braves continue to lead, a big factor in their success being the fact that their players turn out faithfully and as attendance counts, this adds points every day.

In the high jump this week, Harry Tudhope won in the Employed Boys' class with a jump of 4 ft. 8 ins., F. Green second, 4 ft. 7 ins., F. Rutherford and J. Thirnbeck led the Junior Collegiate class/ both jumping 4 ft. 6 ins.

To-morrow morning the Dodgers meet the Cubs in baseball and the Giants and Braves play basketball.

Monday night's games, Tigers-Athletics; Senators-Indians.

COUNTY INCREASES CHILDREN'S AID GRANT

The County Council's grant to the Children's Aid Society was increased from $300 to $400. It was felt that the increased cost of maintenance, and the now organization, demanded additional assistance.

This Ointment Possesses Power To Heal The Skin

Two Cases Which Prove the Extraordinary Healing Power of Dr. Chase's Ointment

The use of Dr. Chase's Ointment is wonderfully satisfactory because you can actually see the results accomplished. It is surprising what change can be brought about in a single night by this great healing ointment.

Mr. George Beavis, 119 James street, Peterborough, Ont., writes: "As a healing ointment, I consider Dr. Chase's the best obtainable. I had a large running sore on my leg, and although I had tried all the prescriptions of two doctors I was unable to get any relief from the pain or to get the sore healed. One day my druggist handed me a sample box of Dr. Chase's Ointment, and I used it with such good results that I decided to give the ointment a fair trial. Altogether I used four boxes, and am glad to be able to say that the sore on my leg is entirely healed up. Since this experience with Dr. Chase's Ointment I have recommended it to many people."

Mrs. W. W. Oliver, Port George, Annapolis Co., N. S., writes: "I am going to tell you my experience with Dr. Chase's Ointment. There was a spot came on my face something like a mole, but it kept getting worse, and several doctors whom I consulted said it was skin cancer, and that it would have to be cut or burned out. I intended having this done, but changed my mind when my brother recommended Dr. Chase's Ointment. Before I had finished one box, of the ointment this skin trouble had gone, and has not bothered me since. I cannot praise Dr. Chase's Ointment too much, and you are at liberty to publish this letter."

If you have never used Dr. Chase's Ointment send a two-cent stamp for a sample box, and mention this paper. Price sixty cents a box, all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

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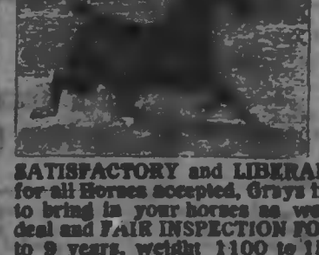
For the French Government will be held at



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GREEN & CRUIKSHANK, Peterborough

THE WORLD OF SPORT

TWO OVERTIME GAMES IN CHURCH LEAGUE

George St. and St. Andrew's Two Winners of Last Week Repeated Their Victories Last Night Although Both Had to Play an Extra Ten Minutes to Turn the Trick

LAST NIGHT'S GAMES.

George Street 7, Mark Street 6.
Trinity-St. Andrew's 7, Knox 5.

THE LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost
George Street	2	0
Trinity-St. Andrew's	2	0
Mark Street	0	2
Knox	0	2

The Church League weekly bill-of-fare at Brock Street Rink, last night, provided two over-time games, and resulted in two winners of last week, George Street and the Trinity-St. Andrew's team repeating their victories after the hardest kind of a battle in each case.

The opening game brought together the two Methodist teams, Mark Street and George Street, and it took ten minutes' overtime for the latter to turn the trick by 7 goals to 6. It was a fine battle all the way and with all justice to the George Street team, the Blue Shirts from across the river should have won. In their two games they have showed by far the best team work displayed in the League, but they lost both by one goal, through poor work around the nets. In last night's game they were inside often enough to earn the victory, but lacked the punch at close quarters and were finally beaten out by the George Street team, who played steady, consistent hockey throughout. The East City youngsters led at the end of the first period by 3 to 2, but slumped in the second session when George Street ran in three goals, the boys from the big Church finishing the period in front by 5 goals to 3. Mark Street came back strong in the last period, and scoring three goals to one, tied up the game at 6 to 6. With any luck they should have won the decision in this period. George Street got the winning goal in the over-time period.

For George Street, Rutherford in goal, did some excellent work, handling the East City attack in good style. H. Graham was good all the way. Hagerman and Williams were the Mark Street Stars. The teams lined up as follows:

George Street—Goal, W. Rutherford; defence, Peever, J. Graham; rover, H. Graham; centre, F. Rutherford; right wing, Helson; left wing Read.

Mark Street — Goal, Nellist; defence, Hagerman; Record; rover, Cook; centre, Williams; right wing, Durrin; left wing, Gillespie.

Referee, George Evans.

TRINITY-ST. ANDREW'S WON.

The second game was ragged and listless for the first two periods, with Trinity-St. Andrew's well in front, and looking winners all over. They led by 3 to 1 at the end of the first period, and 5 to 2 at the close of the second, and had all the best of the going. The excitement came in the third period, when the Knox team threw everybody up on the attack, and went out to cut down the lead. They battled unsuccessfully for half the period until finally a long shot from Clarke beat Pigeon. From then on it was a merry battle, with Knox buzzing around the Trinity-St. Andrew's nets like bees. After missing several golden opportunities they made it 5 to 4 with a minute to go. Two well-deserved penalties did not help Trinity any at this stage and caused the game to go overtime, as Knox scored the tieing goal with only fifteen seconds to play. The first five minutes of over-time saw no score, but in the second period Trinity found the nets twice.

The line-up:

Trinity-St. Andrew's—Goal, Pigeon; defence, English, Green; rover, Henry, centre Soden; right wing, Tudhope; left wing, Batten.

Knox—Goal, Mahood; defence, Moore; Rehill; rover, Doughty; centre, Wright; right wing, Jackson; left wing, Clarke.

Referee—Geo. Evans.

TO-NIGHT'S BIG GAME WILL GET UNDER WAY AT 8.45 O'CLOCK

To-night's game between the Senior T. R. and A. A. team of Toronto and the 247th Battalion Intermediates will be called at Brock Street Rink at 8.45 o'clock. The band of the 247th Battalion will be in attendance and will commence a popular programme at 8.30 o'clock, so that there will be plenty doing. The T. R. and A. A. team will be reinforced by several other players including, it is expected, Gunner Bill Adams, the St. Pats' star and incidentally a brother of Pte. Jack Adams, the popular right wing of the 247th. It will be the first real test the local fans have had of seeing the team perform on hard ice. The game should attract the biggest crowd of the season. The 247th team will line up as follows:

Goal—Legros.
R. Defence—Thornton.
L. Defence—Halpin.
Rover—Evans.
Centre—Armstrong.
Right wing—Adams.
Left wing—Flanagan.

SMOKER AT ARMOURIES WAS FINE SUCCESS

The smoker conducted by Sergt. Wm. Lane of the 247th Battalion in the armouries last night proved a very enjoyable event. There was a large attendance and the varied programme was followed with a great deal of interest. Boxing bouts between Ptes. Peer and Deline and Corp. Jones and Pte. Carroll were well contested and interesting, while a go between a pair of youngsters introduced by Major O'Flynn as "Swedish flyweights," was an amusing feature. Pte. Bristow and Dunnette met in a hard fought wrestling bout in which neither of them could get a fall. Major O'Flynn refereed the boxing bouts and Sergt. Lane the wrestling match. Songs by Ptes. Lewis and Wells added variety. The band of the 247th provided an enjoyable programme, playing in their usual effective style, the overture to "The Bohemian Girl," a "National Fantasia" and "Les Chanteurs Hongrois," a dainty polka.

Sergt. Lane, who to vaudeville patrons is known as Ajax, provided the feature event of the evening in his exhibition of posing and weight lifting. The ease with which he handled 100 and 200 pounds weights, and his feat of lifting five heavy men on a bar bell and other similar stunts won the admiration of the crowd and he was heartily applauded. Altogether the programme was most interesting.

WITH THE CURLERS

TO-NIGHT'S CARD.

To-night's games at the Curling Rink are set down as follows:

Best vs. Waddell.
Giroux vs. J. H. Ferguson.
Brightman vs. Matthews.
Lang vs. Dela Fosse.

LAST NIGHT'S SCORES.

J. K. Costain	W. H. Meredith
G. A. Benor	J. C. Read
C. J. Seymour	R. Harstone
R. G. Sturgeon, Skip.....14	W. G. Ferguson, Skip.....6
F. H. Garrell	E. H. D. Hall
I. F. Linton	R. Dobie
M. C. Tooley	P. D. Fitzgerald
A. Archibald, Skip.....12	A. C. Kay, Skip.....29
T. Brightman	H. F. Foote
W. J. Henry	L. A. Turner,
J. H. Fetheral	Sam Ray
R. Hicks, Skip.....	W. G. Morrow, Skip.....

Evening hats can be small and be fashionable.

Many of the straight, loose frocks are made of satin.

BROCK ST. RINK

TO-NIGHT
Hockey
Match

SOUTH END CLUB SLEIGH DRIVE

The South End Club held a very successful sleigh drive on Wednesday evening. After enjoying a very pleasant drive of about three hours, they proceeded to the home of the Misses Sullivan's, where a very sumptuous repast was partaken off and thoroughly enjoyed by all. Games and music were indulged in until the wee sma' hours of the morning, when they all disbanded, after having spent a most pleasant evening.

Hockey Only At Certain Hours On Public Rinks

Some complaints have been received by Alderman Dobbin that boys playing hockey on the public skating rinks have seriously interfered with the pleasure of the other children, and some adults. Hence, it has been decided, and signs to that effect will be posted at the rinks, that hockey will be allowed from 7 until 8 o'clock every Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings, and all Saturday morning. Boys must abide by these regulations if they wish to be admitted to the rinks. At the same time boys without skates will be discouraged from appearing on the ice.

Mr. Harry Evans, road commissioner, is supervising the rinks management in addition to attending to his other duties, and has provided good ice for the children. But it is desired that good order should prevail at the rinks, for that reason the first "verbatim" is announced.

Alien Clubs Were Raided in Winnipeg

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WINNIPEG, Man., Jan. 26.—Five German and Austrian clubs in the north part of Winnipeg were raided by the military authorities last night. Among the booty taken by the officers were quantities of Austrian and German flags, coats of arms and hundreds of small badges used for pinning on the coat lapel. These badges bore the German and Austrian colours.

Sir Sam Hughes May Delay The Adjournment

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, Jan. 26.—While February ninth is stated in some quarters as the probable date of the Commons adjournment, there has been no definite announcement.

Indications are that the debate on the address may close any time, but the appearance on the floor of Sir Sam Hughes next Tuesday will, according to some members, upset the calculations of both party leaders. The General is expected to put some finger into things, in defence of his position taken when he resigned as Minister of Militia.

It may take some days, say certain members, to clear up issues raised by Sir Sam Hughes.

Best Tie at Oak Hall For Person Who First Tells Clock Stopped

The best ties in the Oak Hall store will be given to the person who first informs Mr. M. J. Maher that the Oak Hall clock has stopped. As a feature of Dollar Day it proved a big drawing card tacked on to the special bargains for the day.

TO-DAY'S MILITARY NEWS

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tact with the edge of one of the steps.

When picked up he was unconscious and it was realized that he had suffered from a serious concussion.

The accident occurred about eight o'clock in the morning, and it was not until three o'clock in the afternoon that he regained consciousness. He is still in a critical condition but it is believed that he has a good chance to recover.

Mrs. Dunlop, who is herself in a frail condition of health, was sent for from her home at St. Catharines, and she arrived in the afternoon.

Major Dunlop is a native of Belleville, and spent his early years in that city. He is one of the best qualified soldiers in the division and is most enthusiastic in the discharge of his duties.

If he is incapacitated for further work it will be a serious blow not only to his own unit but to the entire local service.

DUBLIN, Jan. 25.—The Duchess of Connaught's Own Irish-Canadian Rangers, 700 men and 28 officers, arrived in Dublin this afternoon and marched through the principal streets to Wellington Barracks. Crowds of workers watched them march along the quays. When the battalion turned into Westmoreland street the music of the bands brought large numbers of people from shops and warehouses. The fine appearance of the men created a favourable impression. Also at College Green and Great George street crowds collected. From here until Wellington Barracks were reached the men were heartily cheered. In the morning the battalion will march through the principal streets to Phoenix Park.

PTE. LASHBROOK WOUNDED

Word has been received that Pte. Chas. Lashbrook, who enlisted in Peterborough in the summer of 1915, with the 59th Battalion, has been wounded in both legs. Pte. Lashbrook was employed by the Fuel and Cartage Co., before he enlisted and lived at 129 Stewart Street. He went overseas with the 59 Battalion, was transferred to the 39th in England, and went to France with a draft to the 2nd Battalion. A brother is with the 93rd Battalion.

Portugal Explains Her Entry Into War

PARIS, Jan. 25.—An official White Book has been issued by the Portuguese Government, according to a Havas despatch from Lisbon, detailing the causes leading to Portugal's entry into the war. It says:

"While on the one hand Portugal was the ally of England for six centuries and offered England her aid on the outbreak of the war, on the other hand Germany made war on Portugal in Africa without previously making a declaration of war, and German submarines sank Portuguese steamships in the Atlantic without notice. Portugal, then being in serious difficulties about food supplies, decided, after full consultation with Parliament and all competent legal authorities, to requisition seventy-two German vessels which had taken refuge in Portuguese ports."

The White Book adds this was permitted by Portugal's treaty of commerce with Germany, even in time of peace. Germany thereupon declared war on Portugal. The White Book concludes:

"The Portuguese Government never proclaimed its neutrality because in its character of the ally of England and the friend of France it considered itself bound to those States, which were defending civilization by obligations of a moral and historic nature."

REQUESTED TO REMAIN O.C.

LINDSAY, Jan. 25.—Lieut.-Col. J. J. Glass states that he only expended $270 on recruiting since assuming command of the 252nd, instead of receiving that amount and that the churches and clergymen throughout the counties of Victoria and Haliburton must get credit for giving the O. C. and his officers every assistance they could during the fall and winter. He is not finding fault with the citizens of Lindsay and county, many of whom gave hearty support. It is the lack of enthusiasm on the part of eligibles to sign up and other difficulties which causes the incongruity.

When Col. Glass assumed office the 252nd Battalion, as well as other battalions received a grant of $1,000 for running expenses, and recruiting, and of this amount the local battalion has expended $270. The O. C. and officers appreciate very much the splendid assistance of the citizens, especially the clergymen.

At a conference with Brigadier-General Hemming to-day, Lieut.-Col. Glass was prevailed upon to retain the command of the 252nd Battalion until such time as the military authorities are in a position to make a change. This he has consented to do and the citizens will be furnished with a full statement concerning battalion matters at an early date.

Major R. E. Porter Will Succeed Lieut.-Col. Glass

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

KINGSTON, Jan. 26.—Lieut.-Col. J. J. Glass has resigned as commanding officer of the 252nd Battalion, Lindsay and Haliburton, and will be succeeded by Major R. E. Porter, engaged in staff work here. Major Porter comes from Lindsay.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE
Saturday, Jan. 27, Matinee & Night

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Gallery—25c
Matinee—50c, 75c & 1.00
Seats now on sale.

COLD WAVE IN FRANCE.

Wolves and Bears Ravage Loire Valley.

PARIS, Jan. 25.—France is in the grip of the severest cold weather for many years. The thermometer in Paris registered 17 degrees fahrenheit to-day and even in southern cities like Marseilles and Bordeaux there were several degrees of frost. The number of deaths from cold and the sufferings of the Parisians have been aggravated by the coal shortage.

Edouard Herriot, Minister of National Subsistence, has taken energetic charge of the situation, cooperating with the city authorities. M. Herriot has decided to sell a large part of the reserve stock of fuel to the public, and has lent military auto-waggons to cary coal to the small dealers who have no conveyances. The cold has brought packs of wolves into the department and bears are ravaging the fields in the Loire Valley.

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Nestor Comedy Twixt Love and the Iceman
Lasemale Feature Baseball Bill in Flirting With Marriage

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Several lines of Roller, Hand and Dish Towelling. Most of them all linen, that are special at 18c. Saturday, ... 4 Yards for 50c

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Plain and fancy centres, with wide fancy borders. 22 inches wide. Guaranteed all linen. Worth to-day 75c. Sale price, per yard.. 50c

White Terry Bath Towelling

50 Yards only. 20 inches wide. Splendid quality that sells at 20c. Saturday, per yard 15c

Pure White Flannelette

A beautiful quality, soft fleecy finish. Just like swansdown. 27 inches wide. Worth 17c. Sale price, ... 7 Yards for 1.00

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Made in Ireland. Superior bleach and finish. The ideal fabric for underwear. 36 inches wide At, per yard 30c

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A very wide width. Red or blue check. A splendid make. Reg. price 25c. Sale price Saturday, ... 5 Yards for 1.00

12-4 Flannelette Blankets

The largest and best napped make. Very heavy quality. Full 12-4 size. A blanket we will have to sell at $2.50 after the present stock is sold out. Saturday's price, per pair.... 2.00

Best Quality Circular Pillow Cotton

Buy Pillow Cotton To-morrow. It will pay you. Widths: 42, 44, 46 inches. Extra good quality. Sale price, per yard 30c

Longcloth Cotton Special

An excellent quality. Soft for the needle. Best for family use. 36 inches wide. Sells at 20c. Sale price Saturday 8 Yds. for 1.00

Specially Finished Cambric

It will pay to buy this Cambric Cotton Saturday at the special price. A perfect fabric for Underwear. 36 inches wide. Reg. price 18c. Sale price, per yard 15c

Factory Cotton and White Cotton

Two specials at the one price for To-morrow. 36 inches wide. Both lines worth 12½c. Saturday Sale price, ... 10 Yards for 1.00

English Longcloth Cotton

This Cotton is worth more and is a better grade than the price indicates. Reg. selling price 18c. Saturday, ... 8 Yards for 1.00

Nainsook and Madppolam Cottons

Very fine make. Not a particle of dressing. A quality that could not be purchased to-day to sell at 35c. Sale price Saturday..... 4 Yards for 1.00

12½c Fingering Yarn 10c Skein

4-Ply in White, Red, Light and Dark Greys. Don't miss this good chance to buy your Yarn that sells at 12½c for, per skein .. 10c

Buy Your Prints Saturday

36-Inch, in light and medium grounds in stripe designs. Reg. 15c for, per yard 12½c

36-Inch Navy Blue Prints at, per yard 15c

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Floral and Paisley designs, in splendid combination of colourings. Note the width. Sale price Saturday, yard.... Worth 25c yd. 18c

City and General

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MOCK PARLIAMENT.

The Mock Parliament will be assembled at Victoria Hall to-night at 8 o'clock. The Premier will bring in the Military Service Bill. All members are requested to be present.

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'Phone 1416 for Cleaning, Pressing and Repairing. Goods called for and delivered promptly. Mrs. Read, 158 Rubidge Street. dtf

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CARD OF THANKS.

Miss Fannie Morrow and sisters desires to thank the Nicholls Hospital staff, the Dental Association of Peterborough, the fraternal organizations and others, for their practical kindness and sympathy during the illness of her brother, the late Dr. R. F. Morrow.

FUNERAL SATURDAY.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Patrick Sullivan will take place on Saturday morning at 9.30 from the family residence, lot 5, concession 6, to St. Martin's church, thence to St. Martin's cemetery.

BARGAINS AT LAKEFIELD.

R. Graham & Son, Lakefield, have arranged for a lot of wonderful Dollar Day bargains on Thursday, January 25th, and will continue the sale on Friday and Saturday, Jan. 26th and 27th. 6d-16

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COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.

Last week, Alice Townsend, whose home is in Norwood, was committed to the Cobourg jail for trial, on the charge of abandoning her newly-born baby at Hastings, where it was found and adopted. She is to come up for trial this week before Judge Ward.

HOW'S YOUR CAR RUNNING?

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From two until five o'clock and seven to nine at night, commencing Monday, January 29th, I will sell by private sale at No. 377 Downie street, all my household furniture and effects.—Dr. W. T. Holloway. 3d-21

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and if you have thin hair—if you are bald—do not miss seeing Dorenwend's Exhibit of Human Hair-Goods for ladies and gentlemen, at the Oriental Hotel, on Friday, Jan. 26th, and Saturday, Jan. 27th, until 1 p.m. The display will include Ladies' Switches Coronet and Fancy Braids, Transformations, Pompadours, Waves, Chignons, Bangs, and for bald men toupee and wig structures that will benefit the health and appearance. There is no charge for a demonstration. 3d16-20-25-27-29

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Thirteen bands, eight minutes to a band with four minutes interval. Be on hand to-morrow night.

Social and Personal

Mrs. Doyley, of Preston has returned home after visiting her sister, Mrs. Hummel.

L. Erster, proprietor of the Peterborough Shoe Store, left to-day for New York. While away he will be on the lookout for the newest ideas in boots and shoes for his Spring trade.

Mr. A. J. Grant returned yesterday from a business trip to Ottawa.

Mrs. Alex. J. Grant returned last night from Parry Sound, where she has spent the past two weeks.

Miss E. Morrow, Weller street, returned yesterday from Toronto.

Mrs. Armstrong, Toronto, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. David Mulholland, Homewood avenue.

Gunner Cecil Thackeray, of the Cobourg Heavy Battery, is in the city for the week end.

Miss Harriet May, Toronto, is the guest of Miss Pearl Burnham, Weller street.

COUNTY MAGISTRATE ASKED FOR INCREASE

County Magistrate Langley asked the County Council this afternoon to consider an increase in his salary, now $600 a year. Victoria County pays $1,100 to its County Magistrate, and Mr. Langley felt that the Peterborough position should provide at least $100 a month. His law practice, he added, had been interfered with by his magisterial duties and the times have seriously advanced the cost of living. Magistrate Langley discussed with the Council the work of the County Constables and stated that he would be materially assisted if he had the help of a bright young man of initative, who could also intelligently read the statutes, fairly interpret them and act with some initiative of his own.

WEDDING BELLS

McFARLANE—ADAMSON

A very pretty wedding was solemnized on Wednesday evening, January 10th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Adamson, when their eldest daughter, Barbara, was united in marriage to Mr. James M. McFarlane only son of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. McFarlane.

The bride was attended by Miss Mary Mather, and the groom by Mr. Hugh Renwick.

The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome gold watch and fob; to the bridesmaid a pearl set pin, and to the groomsman a pair of cuff links.

The bride was the recipient of numerous and costly presents, showing the high esteem in which she was held. Mr. and Mrs. McFarlane will reside at their home in Otonabee.

OBITUARY

KENNETH JAMES ROWLAND.

Kenneth James, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. James Rowland, Otonabee street, passed away this morning, Jan. 26th, aged three weeks.

CREATED A SENSATION

"Quite a sensation was caused at Scott, Sask., recently. The editor of the local paper threatened to publish the name of a certain married man, who was seen hugging and kissing a girl, unless his subscription was paid within a week. Fifty-nine married men called the next day and paid up, while several of them paid a couple of years in advance."

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The County Council with representatives of the ciey were received by the Hon. Mr. Cochrane at 10:30 yesterday and wer assured by the Minister that the work would be proceeded with as rapidly as the Minister could get the Government to agree to the expenditure under existing conditions caused by the war.

Later a number of the members listened to addresses on the speech from the Throne by Mr. Marcil, Mr. W. F. McLean and Hon. Mr. Lemieux, and part of the delegation went on a Bonne Entente mission to P. Q. and did much to promote good fellowship for a few hours in a portion of the Lower Province near Ottawa.

Prominent in this good missionary work were the Warden, Chairman Roads and Bridges, Finance, the Reeves of Havelock, Ennismore and Belmont, the latter representing the educational and transportation interests of the county.

KITCHENER LEAGUE.

A special meeting of the Canadian Kitchener League is called for Tuesday afternoon, January 30th, in the Oriental Tea Room, at 3 o'clock. It is important that every member be present.

The Packing Committee of the Canadian Kitchener League will meet at the Oriental on Tuesday afternoon, January 30th, for the purpose of preparing another shipment for the Peterborough boys in the trenches. Will those who are knitting kindly send in all finished articles before this date, as the League is anxious to have a real large shipment. If we could but realize what a warm, comfortable pair of socks must mean to our boys in the trenches these cold, stormy days, there would be a shipment every day instead of every two weeks.

MONEY! MONEY! MONEY!

We have seen lots of it this week, and we have had some of it, still we want more. But please don't crowd so when you bring it round to us. It gets us rattled and then we let you go away without showing you all the bargains we have got.

Did you get in on the Window Specials this week? If not, you want to be smarter next week. No, we are not going to tell you the surprises we have for you. Come and see the windows, the walk will be good for your health, and the bargains will be good for your pocket. Don't forget the address, the store where—

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57th Chap. I.O.D.E. Sends Socks

The regular meeting of the 57th Chapter I. O. D. E. was held in the Y. W. C. A. Thursday evening, Jan. 25th, Mrs. Walker, the Regent, presiding.

Miss Hay, convenor of the Knitting Committee, reported as follows:

Jan. 25th. 1917.

To the Regent, Officers and Members of the 57th Regimental Chapter I. O. D. E., your Knitting Committee reports.

Since the last meeting on November 23rd, fifty pairs of socks have been sent to Secours Nationale, in Toronto, in aid of the French soldiers, making in all one hundred and fifty pairs sent them this year, and three hundred and eighty-two to our men in the trenches, divided as follows:

4 pairs to the Taylor boys from Chemong Indian Village.

1 pair each to Pte. Bruce Chambers, Corporal Sadler J. Ridyard, and Gunner John Howe.

18 pairs to Gunner O. V. Cavanah for men of the 16th Battery.

17 pairs to each of the following for distribution:

Capt. G. Garnet Greer, A.M.C., 18th Canadian Field Ambulance.

Gunner F. R. Rush, 5th Battery.

Sergt. E. Cumberland and Driver Douglas Coons, 26th Battery.

Gunner R. M. Neill, 49th Battery.

Pte. H. J. Rush, 1st Canadian Divisional Supply Column.

Pte. J. J. Barraclough, 3rd Field Ambulance, Mechanical Transport.

Pte. F. Leether, 5th C.M.R.

Ptes. Eric. Stuart and F. H. Orde, Machine Gun Section, 5th C.M.R.

Pte. Robt. Haddow, Grenade Section, 5th C.M.R.

Lieut. Frank W. Burnham, 7th Canadian Brigade, Machine Gune Section.

Lieut. G. N. Milburn, 1st Canadian Battalion.

Pte. A. E. White, 2nd Battalion, Canadians.

Pte. Walter Miller, 4th Battalion, Canadians.

Lieuts. V. Eastwood and P. G. Might, 18th Battalion, Canadians.

Lieut. A. B. Stevenson, 19th Battalion, Canadians

Sergt. W. Lemay and Pte. Horace Hill, 20th Battalion, Canadians.

Three pairs of wristlets were also sent to the trenches.

Letters acknowledging receipt of socks have been received from the Secretary of the Secours Nationale, Toronto.

Sergt. A. F. Field, Prisoner of War, Germany.

Signaller Wm. Cumming, 3rd Battery.

Lieut. G. S. Matthews, Trench Mortar Battery.

Gunner M. G. Hardill, 2nd Divisional Ammunition Column.

Driver H. J. Devey, 3rd Divisional Ammunition Column.

Gunner A. I. Butcher, Reserve Battery.

Corpl. L. L. Hagerman, 33rd Battery.

Signaller Chas. Sharpe, 48th (How) Battery.

Ptes Eric Stuart, W. H. Adams, and Robt. Haddow, 5th C.M.R.

Lieuts. M Dunsford and P. G. Might, 18th Battalion

Sergt. S. F. Cole, 19th Battalion.

Corpl. L. A. McIntosh, 19th Battalion.

Corpl. W. Tyburn and Co. Qtr. Mst. Sergt. Samuel Thomas, 21st Battalion.

Corpl. H. V. Pickel, 52nd Battalion.

Three hundred and four pairs of socks have been received and ten spindles of wool have been purchased.

Your committee wishes to thank the Women Teacher's Guild for a generous donation of twenty-nine pairs of socks, the Morning Musicale Club for thirteen pairs of socks and one scarf, Mrs. Jas. Kendry for eight pairs of socks, Mrs. D. Walker for six pairs, Miss McBride for four pairs and Miss Rannie for one pair.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

F. Isabel Hay,
(Convenor of Knitting Committee.)

Several interesting letters were read acknowledging the receipt of socks; one of the boys naively expressing the hope that the health of the knitters would continue.

Mrs. Sharp reported thirty-seven visits made during the month.

Mrs. Hay reported having visited the hospitals, making eighteen calls on soldiers, providing flowers and magazines.

Flowers had been sent to a number of homes by Miss Maud Rush, convenor of that committee.

The Chapter voted the sum of twenty-five dollars to the Sailors' Relief Fund.

It was decided to send one hundred and twenty-six pairs of socks to the War Contingent Association for distribution.

An autograph quilt is to be made and sent to Major the Rev. Canon Davidson for hospital use.

A systematic collection of scrap paper is to be arranged for.

The monthly meetings will in future be held on the fourth Thursday at 3.15 p.m., instead of in the evenings as formerly.

The annual meeting of the Chapter will be held in the Y.M.C.A. on Monday, February 26th.

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SARNIA ENGINEER CAUGHT IN FLYWHEEL

Feared that Back may be Broken, as He is Partially Paralyzed.

SARNIA, Jan. 25.—Richard Bell, chief engineer at the Sarnia waterworks, is in a critical condition at the general hospital as a result of being caught in the flywheel and whirled around several times before the machinery could be brought to a standstill and his body extricated. Shortly after his arrival at the plant and before he had removed his overcoat, he went among the machinery, and while leaning over investigating the overheating of the eccentrics, his coat became entangled on a fast-moving wheel, and he completed three or four revolutions before the machinery could be stopped.

Robt. Lawrence and Hedley Major, other employees of the waterworks, assisted in extricating him, and they stated that he had retained his consciousness until the last moment and that he fully realized what had happened. He was removed to the general hospital and reports received from there at the time of this writing state that he was very badly injured with a slight chance for recovery.

Dr. J. A. Bell and Inspector Grosbie assisted in his removal to the hospital, and the examination there was conducted by Dr. Hayes, Dr. Logie and Dr. Bell. It is thought that his back may have been broken as well as other minor injuries, and it is probable that an X-ray will be used to determine the exact extent of his injuries.

He resides at 354 George street, with his family. He is about 35 years of age and has been employed at the waterworks for a great number of years.

STORY WITH A MORAL.

The man who went out to milk and sat down on a boulder and waited for the cow to back up to him is the brother of the man who kept a store and did not advertise, because he reasoned that the public would back up to his place when it wanted to buy anything.

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EARTHQUAKE SHOCK WAS FELT IN OTTAWA AND MONTREAL

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Sir Wilfrid Laurier's Suggestion Is Acceptable To The Government

House May Adjourn on February the Ninth to Let Premier Borden Away in Time For the Imperial Conference—Some Temporary Estimates Will Be Hurried Through

CABLES URGE SPEEDY JOURNEY

Parliament is expected to adjourn on Friday, February 9, a fortnight from to-day, to enable the Prime Minister to attend the Imperial War conference in London. Sir Robert Borden received last night a cable urgently requesting his arrival in London "at the earliest possible date."

CAN'T LEAVE JUST NOW.

It is impossible for him to leave Ottawa until the war appropriation has been voted and arrangements made for the ordinary expenditure of the Government during his absence. But as these matters cannot be taken up until the debate on the address in reply to the speech from the throne has been concluded, it is anticipated that the Opposition will join with the Government in bringing it to a close as early as possible next week. Sir Sam Hughes, however, will speak on Tuesday, so that it will probably be Thursday before the conclusion of the debate. The continuance of the debate means so much time taken from the period assigned for the deliberations of the War Conference.

WHAT IS PROPOSED.

In the House of Commons Sir Robert announced that the suggestion made by Sir Wilfrid Laurier to adjourn Parliament to permit of his attendance at the Imperial War Conference was acceptable to the Government. He proposed that the civil estimates be voted for three months, or until the end of June, and that the war vote be passed in its entirety. A borrowing bill will also be introduced which will give authority to the Finance Minister to secure money for the general purchases of the Dominion. Sir Robert also suggested that the Railway Act, the revision of which was undertaken by a joint committee of the two Houses in 1914, should be introduced, given its second reading and referred to similar committee. To all of these Sir Wilfrid agreed.

THE OLD ARGUMENTS.

Apart from this there was very little interest in the proceedings. There was no speaker on the Government side. Hon. Charles Marcil and Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux trundled out their old anti-Nationalist arguments, and Mr. W. F. Maclean made an appeal for unity. So possessed was he of the necessity of national combined endeavor that he forgot to mention nickel. So everybody is taking it for granted that the independent member for South York has at last realized that the Imperial and Canadian Governments have made adequate arrangements to prevent Canadian nickel falling into the hands of the enemy.

COMES TO NATIONALISTS.

The debate on the address was continued by Hon. Charles Marcil, who was speaking when the House rose on Wednesday. He said the example of non-partisanship given by the Liberal party at the outbreak of war had been maintained as far as possible ever since.

Mr. Marcil then resumed his history of the Nationalist party. J. A. Descarries, who seconded the reply to the address had at Lachine in 1910 presided at the birth of the Natinalist party. Hon. E. L. Patenaude was present at the same meeting. Quebec was tired and sick of Tory rule both at Ottawa and Quebec. The Nationalist platform contained a clause condemning the Borden platform.

Sir Robert Borden had given to the Hon. F. D. Monk, the naming of the Cabinet Ministers from Quebec. Mr. Monk had asked Mr. Lavergne, the man who has since refused to go to the front, to enter the Cabinet. Mr. Lavergne, had refused, but he was just as good as the three who were now in the Cabinet. Mr. Lavergne would have run in Dorchester against Mr. Sevigny if the Liberals would have supported him. The reason that Lucien Cannon was opposing Hon. Albert Sevigny was because the Liberals in Dorchester insisted upon having a straight Liberal as their candidate.

Mr. Marcil was amazed that men like John Ross Robertson and Sir John Willison published so much rubbish about Quebec as they did. "Our people in Quebec are law-abiding citizens," said Mr. Marcil. "They never see the Toronto Telegram or Toronto News. If you want to find true political liberty you must turn to the history of the Province of Quebec."

Mr. Marcil devoted some time to a consideration of recruiting and National Service as these problems related to the Province of Quebec. He complained thot the National Service cards were so indefinite and vague that it was quite impossible for many people to give satisfactory answers.

Mr. Middlebro asked Mr. Marcil if the Government would get 200 recruits if they were asked for in any particular district.

"I am glad to say," replied Mr. Marcil "that 800 men have enlisted from my county."

THE THIRD PARTY.

Mr. W. F. Maclean, South York, said the two Leaders had arranged for joint action in the conduct of the business of the House. If they could join together for the conduct of the business of the House they could join togteher for the successful conduct of the war. The speeches in the House and the Dorchester election showed that there was diversity of opinion in Canada.

"There is not on this side," interpolated Mr. Bennett.

"You people do not represent the whole country," retorted Hon. William Pugsley.

Mr. Maclean declared that the war was more serious than ever. If Canada was to do her part they had to find a way of uniting the country. People wanted to see National Unity. He did not care whether they called it coalition, National Government or a new party. They might have to enforce the Militia Act, they might have to come to conscription. If the liberties of the world were in danger he favoured conscription, but to get conscription they must have a united Government and a united people. They should have a war Cabinet with a union of both parties. He suggested that Sir Robert Borden approach the Opposition Leader for a union of the two parties. The sentiment of the people of Ontario and the people of the west were for a union of the both parties.

Mr. Maclean said that there was a new political force in the west. There was a great democratic forces led by men of progressive ideas on economic questions. This new element should have a representation in the national party. There also should be a representative of Labour in the Cabinet.

NEED A REVOLUTION.

Hon. Rodolph Lemieux said that while he could not agree with all that Mr. Maclean had said, he was to be commended for his remarks. To give effect to such views, however, would be difficult. Nothing short of a revolution would induce the Government to adopt Mr. Maclean's suggestions. Any move for a National Government should have been made at the beginning of the war.

Mr. Lemieux predicted that the present administration would not change its attitude, and that it would be defeated at the general election, which will come in the course of a few months. Then the present Leader of the Opposition would form, not a Nationalist, but a National Government.

Mr. Lemieux charged Sir Thomas White with preaching but not practicing economy. Last session he authorized an expenditure of six million dollars to purchase the Quebec and Saguenay Railway at a time when two of the big railway systems of the country were on the verge of bankruptcy and when a Commission had been appointed to report on the Canadian railway situation generally.

Mr. J. H. Sinclair, of Guysboro, N.S., who followed, said the debate would be more interesting if the members on the Government side of the House would participate in it. A few of the lesser lights on the back benches had spoken, but none of the big guns had been heard from. The Ministers, he said, should reply to some of the criticisms made by Opposition Members, because they were of importance. "One does not like to be caught pounding a dead dog," he added.

Mr. Sinclair said he was inclined to agree with Mr. D. D. Mackenzie, who had stated that the Government was doing its best, but that its best was not good enough for the country.

Fire Wiped Out Business Block In Pittsburg

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 27.— Fire which at 8.30 this morning was still burning, but under control to-day, practically wiped out an entire block in the heart of the Pittsburg business district bounded by Fifth avenue, Smithfield street, Diamond and Wood streets.

The loss variously estimated at from two millions to three millions at that time.

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Protest Against Scanty Pensions

Special to The Examiner.

TORONTO, Jan. 27.—Disabled soldiers here will make a vigorous protest to Ottawa regarding scanty pensions.

General Hoskins Will Succeed Gen. Smuts In East Africa

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

CAPETOWN, Jan. 27.—Lieut. General Hoskins succeeds Gen. Smuts in command of the British troops in German East Africa.

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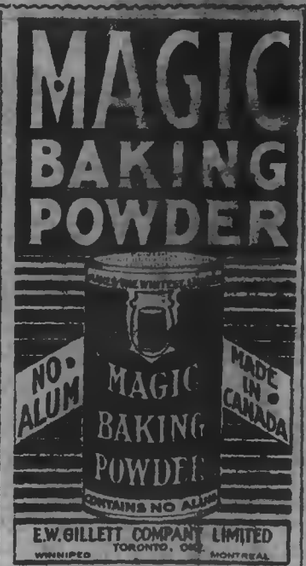

Cold Weather On The Western Front

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 27.—Weather is very cold on the western front. The soldiers suffer severely.

Swedish Steamer Was Torpedoed

Special to The Examiner:

LONDON Jan. 27. — The Swedish steamer "Broein" was torpedoed. Crew landed.

French Retook Verdun Positions

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, Jan. 27.—The French retook positions north of Verdun. The Berlin War Office admits strong French attacks near Verdun.

Contributions in Excess of Objective

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Jan. 27.—Contributions to the Toronto and York Patriotic and Red Cross two and a half million dollar fund amounted to $3,269,080.

British Troops Take Important Turk Positions

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 27.— British troops take important Turk trenches on the Tigris river, with scores of prisoners.

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Mrs. M. O. McCready, Wapella, Sask., writes: "I am not much of a believer in medicines, but I feel that it is only right for me to let you know what your wonderful remedy has done for me, and in a very short time, too. I had suffered terribly with my heart for nearly ten years, could scarcely do any work, and would nearly smother at times. I had many remedies, some only relieving me for a time. I got a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills and felt so much better that I kept on using them, and can truthfully say I feel like a new woman.

"I would advise anyone with heart trouble to use them."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50c, or three boxes for $1.25, at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

KINMOUNT THE COLDEST PLACE IN THE DISTRICT

While Peterborough is situated in a section that lies in the path of many of the cold waves that come from the north and northwest, it is somewhat south of a line that receives the full effects of the vigors of Jack Frost. This city is 725 feet above sea level. Lindsay is over 150 feet higher, while Kinmount is at an altitude of 920 feet. Just now by way of digression it may be stated that Kinmount has the unenviable honour of being one of the coldest places in this immediate section of the Province. Thirty-five to 40 below zero are registered almost every winter in this little village at the extreme northwest corner of Peterborough County. Haliburton village over 1,000 feet up, and considerably north of Kinmount, has a good record for cold dips, but takes second place to Kinmount. Apsley, Bancroft, and Coe Hill, are all along this height of land that separates the waters flowing south from those finding their way down towards the Ottawa, and north to the Muskoka Lakes, and are noted for the ozone-laden qualities of their atmosphere, crisp, sharp and tingling in the weather season at least.

Lindsay and Peterborough are practically alike as to temperature, but the former place usually has more rain in summer and snow in winter than this city. As is well known, Port Hope, Cobourg and Belleville rarely have the low temperature we have in winter, owing to their proximity to Lake Ontario. The air, however, is more damp and perhaps, the cold is felt as badly if not worse, than here at Peterborough, owing to the higher and much drier atmosphere we have.

All west of a line down north and south through about Claremont on the C.P.R. and Uxbridge on the Midland Division of the G.T.R. has a considerably milder average temperature, but the snowfall is frequently heavier. To the east, the winter conditions are less unbroken, and lengthened both at the beginning and ending, than here.—W.P.

Demands An Investigation

Special to The Examiner:

OTTAWA, Jan. 27.—In the Commons, J. G. Turriff, M.P., demanded investigation of the charges that the Government is in league with the Nationalists to prevent recruiting.

Violent Battle Still Raging

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, Jan. 27.—A violent battle is still raging on the Riga front.

DROP IN CASH WHEAT PRICES

Manitoba cash wheat dropped 5c lower last night on a general weakening of the cash situation, due to lack of export buying for the past couple of days. There is plenty of wheat offering, British Government agents said to be re-selling their wheat. Ontario cash wheat is quoted 2c lower. Corn and oats easier.

Manitoba wheat — No. 1 northern, $2.01, track, bay ports; No. 2, $1.98; No. 3, $1.93 ;No. 4, $1.81; old crop, 4c above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C. W. 70c.; No. 3, 66 1-2c; extra No. 1 feed, 66 1-2 cents; No. 1 feed, 66c; all rail delivered.

American corn—No. 3, $1.12, subject to embargo.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 64c to 66c.; No. 3 white, 63c to 65c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1.19; No. 3, $1.78 to $1.80.

Peas—No. 2, nominal, car lots, $2.35.

Barley—Good malting, $1.20 to $1.25; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat — Nominal, $1.28 to $1.30.

Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal; No. 2, new, $1.40 to $1.42.

Manitoba flour — First patents, in jute bags, $9.90; second patents, in jute, $9.40; strong bakers, in jute, $9, Toronto.

Ontario flour — New winter, $7.30 to $7.40, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment; $7.25, bulk, seaboard, export grade.

Millfeed — Car lots, delivered Montreal; shorts, $38; bran, $34; feed flour, per bag, $2.60.

Hay—Baled, No. 1, track, Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots, $13; No. 2, $12 to $12.50; mixed, $10 to $11.50; straw, $9.

CATTLE MARKETS.

The feature of this week's market has been the short supplies of cattle The snow-blocked condition of many of the country roads has been given as the chief reason for the meagre supplies. While the present state of the roads may in part account for the holding back of cattle and other stock, there are those among this trade who say that we are beginning to feel the pinch of an actual shortage of stock in the country. In any case, the cattle have not been coming forward in the past week, and with an active demand for butcher's cattle, particularly those with any 'finish' to them, prices have held strong with an upward tendency all through the week. Butcher cattle of fair to good quality were at the end of the week a good 25c average above last week, while choice heavy cattle averaged a little better than that. Other grades, stockers, feeders, fat cows, bulls, and canners have all been high in proportion.

Sheep and lambs have ruled strong to 25c higher for the choicest lambs.

Hog prices continued their steady advance to new high records, but showing signs of a little easier feeling on the closing market. Receipts for the week and closing quotations follow:

CATTLE RECEIPTS.

Union Stock Yards: Total receipts this week 361 cars, with 3,641 cattle, 502 calves, 10,230 hogs, 1,142 sheep and lambs and 780 horses.

City Cattle Market: 50 cars, with 601 cattle, 382 sheep and lambs, 643 hogs, 88 calves, and 80 horses.

Latest quotations:

Heavy steers	$10.25 to 10.75
Choice butcher	9.75 10.25
do good	8.75 9.25
do medium	8.00 8.50
do common	6.50 7.50
Heifers, good to choice	8.00 9.40
do medium	7.00 7.50
Butcher cows, choice	7.50 8.25
do medium	5.75 6.25
Butcher bulls, choice	7.50 8.50
do good	7.00 7.25
do medium	6.00 6.50
Feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs.	7.50 8.00
do bulls	6.25 6.50
Stockers, 700 to 800 lbs.	7.50 7.75
do med., 650 to 750 lbs.	6.25 6.75
do light, 600 to 650 lbs.	6.50
Canners	5.00 6.25
Cutters	5.50 5.75
Sheep, light	8.50 10.00
do heavy	7.50 8.50
Spring lambs	10.75 15.00
Calves	8.00 13.00
Hogs, fed and watered	14.00 14.25

BOMBARDMENT OF THE EAST COAST

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LOWESTOFF, Jan. 27.— Bombardment of the east coast only lasted three minutes. Damage totalling five hundred dollars. No casualties.

REXALL CHERRY BARK COUGH SYRUP

Will relieve your cold or money back. We know it contains the most valuable ingredients known to the medical profession for treatment of coughs, therefore we recommend it and guarantee that it will give you satisfaction.

Terms—If after using one bottle of Cherry Bark Cough Syrup without relief, bring back the empty bottle and we will refund the money.

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Corns Drop Out

INSTANT RELIEF

Paint on Putnam's Corn Extractor tonight, and corns feel better in the morning. Magical the way "Putnam's" eases the pain, destroys the roots, kills a corn for all time. No pain. Cure guaranteed. Get a 25c bottle of "Putnam's" Extractor to-day.

Earthquake Shock Felt in Ottawa

Shook the Plaster Off the Walls of the National Museum Where the House of Commons Sits

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, Jan. 27.— Quite a heavy earthquake shock was felt here at three o'clock yesterday, shaking the plaster off the walls of the National Museum where the Commons meets, Montreal also felt the shock.

SUPERINTENDENT OF MISSIONS IS DEAD

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

WINNIPEG, Jan. 27. — Rev. Dr. James Woodsworth, Superintendent of Methodist Missions, is dead, aged seventy-four.

Advertise in the Examiner.

Doctor Tells How To Strengthen Eyesight 50 Per Cent. In One Week's Time In Many Instances

A FREE PRESCRIPTION YOU CAN HAVE FILLED AND USED AT HOME.

Philadelphia, Pa. Do you wear glasses? Are you a victim of eyestrain or other eye weaknesses? If so you will be glad to know that according to Dr. Lewis there is real hope for you. Many whose eyes were failing say they have had their eyes restored through to principle of this wonderful free prescription. One man says, after trying it: "I was almost blind and could not see to read at all. Now I can read everything without any glasses and my eyes do not water any more. At night they would pain dreadfully; now they feel fine all the time. It was like a miracle to me." A lady who used it says: "The atmosphere seemed hazy with or without glasses, but after using this prescription for fifteen days everything seemed clear. I can even read fine print without glasses." It is believed that thousands who wear glasses can now discard them in a reasonable time and multitudes more will be able to strengthen their eyes so as to be spared the trouble and the expense of ever getting glasses. Eye troubles of many descriptions may be wonderfully benefited by following the simple rules. Here is the prescription: Go to any active drug store and get a bottle of Bon-Opto tablets. Drop one Bon-Opto tablet in a fourth of a glass of water and allow to dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eyes from two to four times daily. You should notice your eyes clear up perceptibly right from the start and the inflammation will quickly disappear. If your eyes are bothering you, even a little, take steps to save them before it is too late. Many hopelessly blind might have been saved if they had cared for their eyes in time. Note: Another prominent physician to whom the above article was submitted, said: "Bon-Opto is a very remarkable remedy. Its constituent ingredients are well known to eminent eye specialists, and widely prescribed by them. The manufacturers guarantee it to strengthen the eyesight 50 per cent. in one week's time in many instances or refund the money. It can be obtained from any good druggist and is one of the very few preparations I feel should be kept on hand for regular use in almost every family." It is sold in Peterboro by Warne Drug Co.

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Although somewhat increased in price owing to the continued high cost of Potash, Glue and other raw material, are of the usual high standard of quality which has made them famous for over two-thirds of a century.

Always Ask For EDDY'S MATCHES

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Railway Time Tables

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
Corrected Jan. 16th, 1917.

7.00 a.m.—For Lakefield.
9.05 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg, and points east, connecting at Port Hope for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 12.25 p.m.
9.25 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville and Montreal.
9.30 a.m.—For Orillia, Orillia, Coldwood, Midland, Pesetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
12.00 p.m.—For Lakefield.
12.40 a.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
3.20 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
5.55 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
6.40 p.m.—For Lakefield.
8.05 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
9.05 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Boston.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
Corrected January 15, 1917.

GOING EAST:
*2.40 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*12.12 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N. B., Boston and New York.
*1.22 a.m.—Norwood, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls and Ottawa.
**11.27 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and Intermediate points, and all points east of Montreal.

GOING WEST.
*4.56 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Galt, Woodstock, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*8.54 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
**7.35 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York, Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
**9.15 a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port McNichol and Intermediate points.
**3.43 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Buffalo, New York, Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, London, Detroit and Chicago.
**6.45 p.m.—North Toronto and West Toronto and Intermediate points.
*Daily. **Daily except Sunday.

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OUR SERIAL STORY

"DESTINY"

By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday.)

Along the stone wall which skirted the road, and under the wild apple trees, were hitched the wagons and buggies that had brought them for many miles around, across the hills. Some of them came from houses far back where the roads narrowed, and grew precipitous.

Yet even among those who stood waiting in the churchyard near the reminder of an open grave, the lyric tunefulness of this June morning refused to surrender unconditionally to sadness. Off between the fence and the rising slope of the nearest hill a ripple ran across a yellow field of buckwheat and from a fence post a golden breasted lark sang merrily.

Those who had arrived earliest gossiped of such commonplace matters as make the round of life where small things take the place of large excitement and their faces were not gloomy faces. Young men and girls among them were strolling apart and the smiles in their eyes told that to them death was an incident but June and love a nearer fact—a thing closer to their youth.

Then around the turn came the procession which they awaited—a hearse followed by several buckboards and buggies.

At the open gate it halted, and the pall bearers lifted down the casket from the hearse and bore it to the spot which had been prepared for its reception. There were no formal designs from the shop of any florist but from every neighborhood garden had come contributions out of that wealth which this golden month was squandering in blossom. Roses and peonies and a brave display of the varied flowers that go in rows about old fashioned gardens had been gathered and brought by sympathetic hands.

But it was chiefly upon the woman who came here to bury the last of her dead that the bared heads turned eyes of reverent interest. At her side there walked a young farmer whose tanned face and curling hair and straight-gaming gray eyes, proclaimed a robust and simple manhood.

The girl herself was well worth looking at, even had she not claimed interest by reason of her bereavement. She walked straight and lithe, and upright with the free grace of some wild thing, as though she shared with the deer which had looked across the lake the untrammeled strength of the hills. She was slender, but the fine lines of her figure were rounded to the fulness of perfect health, and the color of her cheeks, though now paler than their wont, was like that of delicate rose leaves and her lips were the curved petals of a deeper blossom. Her hair, under a black mourning hat, tangled in the meshes of its heavy coils the glint of sunlight on amber and brightened now and then into a hint of burnished copper, but the features which must have challenged the gaze of any observer not dead to a sense of color and beauty, were the marvellous and mismated eyes. One was a rich brown like illuminated agate with a fleck or two of jet across the iris, while its twin was of a colorful violet and deeply vivid. Now, of course, the heavy lashes were wet with tears, but the gorgeous beauty of the eyes was not dimmed.

She stood there by the open grave, and the masses of simple flowers, with summer and June and green hills and blue skies at her back; and, on all their loveliness, she might have been a living impersonation.

The preacher whose duty it was to give a rendering of the burial rites had grown old in his pastorate, and to him all these people were his children. He had been with many of them at baptism, he had married them and buried their dead; they were his flock, and they listened to his words as to one ripe in wisdom and sainted in his life.

He looked about the little burial ground and his eyes took on an earnest light and his voice a deep thrill as he spoke.

"If," said he, "there is anywhere a spot which is hallowed ground it is this spot where we are now laying to her eternal rest what yesterday was mortal of Elizabeth Burton. She is, save her daughter, the last of the name to be taken; and in that greater life to which she goes, she will be reunited with those who loved her and went before.

"She will share with them" the preacher paused for a moment then went on—"the glory of reward which, I think, God loves best to bestow upon those who, with steadfast unselfishness, have lived simple lives, and left their fellows better for having lived.

"I do not know how God measures the deeds of men or with what degree of reward he fixes their place in Paradise; but I feel that I stand on holy ground as my eyes wander here and fall upon these graves where the Burtons sleep. I know that once this was a land of want and misery; a country of abandoned farms. To-day I look about me, and, under skies that seem to sing, I see a land redeemed. It was not redeemed by great wealth from without but by resolution, and dauntless effort from within. I have spoken of the headstones that mark these graves, but the Burtons have a nobler monument. The roads and schools and the aqueduct — all the things that transformed the land are memorials to the man who lies just there beyond his grave where to-day we place his mortal. On that slab we find only the dates of birth and death and the name of Hamilton Burton; but when I look at it, I seem to read a nobler epitaph in letters of bronze which no weather can dim or tarnish. I seem to read—'Here lies one who put aside a blazing dream to cast his lot into a life of humbler duty.' If he who makes two blades of grass grow where one has grown before has done a noble thing, then surely he who has turned a land of want into a land of independence and made crops grow where none grew before he has won his place near the throne."

Again the aged pastor paused and his eyes grew misty. With bared heads bent and a stillness broken only by the rustle of the breeze through the trees, and the song of a bird, his listeners stood attentive, and he resumed.

"I need not tell you, for you know, what the energy and loyal steadfastness of Hamilton Burton have done for these hills. What they were when he came to manhood and what they are now is the answer to that—an answer which needs no further eulogium. But there is a thing which you may not know, for I think once his hard decision was made—he never spoke of that again. Yet now I wish to speak of it. It is a thing which should put the name of Hamilton Burton among those of the great—the humble great. In his boyhood heart blazed a mighty vision. In his brain burned a hunger for conquest. The man who dwelt so simply here amongst us, working a regeneration, and who died among us still young, was gifted with a power which he might have put to more selfish uses. Standing in the loneliness of a mountain snow storm his eyes could see visions of mighty things and his soul could dream unmeasured dreams. His heart beat responsively to an inward voice which assured him that he might equal and surpass the greatness of Destiny's greatest sons. He fretted for a larger world, knowing that in it he could conquer. In Hamilton Burton dwelt the soul of a Napoleon or a Cæsar.... He might have built an empire."

The voice had grown fervent as it rose with its words, then the speaker let it fall again to quieter tones.

"And these roads and schools and this aqueduct and these redeemed acres are the monument to the sacrifice which turned its back on such a dream as that. Hamilton Burton wrestled with his soul's hunger and conquered it. He elected to remain here, fighting at the head of his own community for his own land, and finding contentment in the realization that he had done his duty. At one time to his forefulness was great—he had persuaded his family to countenance his great adventure — and then he dreamed. It seemed to him that he had looked ahead and the whole great panorama of the life which lay before him, should he take that turning in the road, passed in review. He remained here. His work was the work of the sons of Martha.

"As in the thronged and the light ened ways, so in the dark and the desert they stand,
Weary and watchful all their days, that their brethren's days may be long in the land.'

"If Hamilton Burton put aside such ambitions as most of us never knew in our dreams, and chose the humbler combat of a simple life, close to God's immortal granite, you have all been sharers in the benefit of his decision.

"And there was Paul. You all knew lesser way it was with those others who sleep here close beside him.

"'Perhaps in this neglected spot is laid
Some heart once pregnant with celestial fire;
Hands that the rod of empire might have swayed,
Or waked to ecstasy the living lyre.
Some village Hampden, that with dauntless breast,
The little tyrant of his fields withstood,
Some mute inglorious Milton here may rest,
Some Cromwell guiltless of his country's blood.'"

In the pause that followed a low breath of reverent surprise ran all through the crowd that stood about the speaker. They had lived day by day with Hamilton Burton until his death, and some of them had in the shoulder-touch of life ever suspected those deeper things of which now for the first time they heard. They were hearing it all from lips which were to them as the lips of a prophet. But the preacher was not through.

"And ther was Paul. You all knew him and loved him. A nature was given him at birth almost too delicate for a world of hard affairs, but fragrant with a tenderness of love for his fellow men. He was attuned to harmony and his heart was that of a troubadour.

"Here in this little place of our worship, his fingers on the keys have often led us nearer to God's presence than could the poor and broken messages I tried to preach to you. For the other world was always close to Paul Burton and there was a magic in his minstrelsy, which was a gift from God. I sometimes wonder if in a less simple world he could have been so unmarred, away from the songs of birds and the lilt of mountain breezes. But among us he, too, lived and died—because Hamilton Burton turned his back on the lure of the mirage his dreaming eyes had seen. Even now when Paul has gone, those chimes which you put there above our church in memory of him seem to sing of the things for which he stood. When their notes peal out on the Sabbath and go softly across the valley, I like to imagine that, through the nobler music which immortal ears may hear, he still catches their echo.

"There, close together, stand two more headstones, and beneath them sleep the father and the aunt of these men. Thomas Burton, too, lived out a life of stalwart worth. To all men, his fearless character and unshakable integrity were precepts. He went his way and looked into every eye that met his own. In the activities that have wrought these changes, he was always the first and the last to work with tireless zeal. When the railroad came it was through his untiring effort. He held the determination with fighting Burton courage that adversity should not drive him from the land his forefathers had conquered.

"In wondering what things would have befallen all these people had a lad's ambition led them into a different life, I find myself treading paths of doubt. Perhaps noble achievements might have resulted—but I know that in remaining here they have made our land to blossom, and to me it seems enough. I can, for some reason, no more think of Thomas Burton transplanted without hurt than I can think of some great patriarch of the forest, which has buffeted storms and hail for decades, being uprooted and planted anew in a trim garden and a different clime. Then he died, too—

(To be continued.)

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By DR. DAVID H. REEDER

Facts Concerning Epilepsy.

After years of research into the causes of epilepsy, research conducted in the laboratory, in addition to the actual treating of patients, certain facts became very clear. These facts prove that the causes usually credited with producing epilepsy are not the real, the correct causes. Any treatment based upon false premises is not only open to criticism but also doomed to failure. And such has been indeed the sad result of all forms of antiepileptic treatment in the past. First, it was found that when those abnormal conditions, which are the reputed cause of epilepsy in mankind, were experimentally engrafted upon animals, these animals, in every case, failed to react with epileptic convulsions. And again we met many persons who were afflicted with one or more of the conditions said to cause epilepsy, nevertheless these persons were free from the disease. Certain foods, when partaken of by epileptics, have been found to increase either the severity or frequency of their attacks.

This observation caused many doctors to formulate a restricted diet including the regulation of the amount of salt to be consumed by epileptics. The gist of such dietary is the recognition that something in the epileptics economy possesses the power to extract from certain substances in the system, various poisons which in turn are carried by the blood to every cell of the body. The brain of the patient thus being bathed in poisonous fluids, registers this condition by the release of epileptic intoxication, dizziness, stupor, unconsciousness and convulsions. The same kind of food and the same abuse of diet will not cause epileptic symptoms in other persons, that is in such not afflicted with an epileptic metabolism. Instead of eliminating waste products and ridding the system of impurities, as is the case in the normal, nonepileptic individual, the epileptic's blood has a unique affinity for such poisons, absorbs and stores the same and finally produces epileptic symptoms. In the light of such and similar findings we feel justified to disregard the generally accredited causes of epilepsy as causative factors and direct our attention to other and newer fields.

There are two well-defined sources whence epilepsy producing poisons are obtained by the system. The external and internal source. Poisons derived from foods, waste products and from sources of infections present or suddenly thrown upon the system, are the external sources. Such would be represented by meat, which furnishes putric material, foods which are improperly prepared or otherwise indigestible or contra-indicated for a given patient or by the presence of pus or devitalized tissue in any part of the body, as in the nose, ears, gums or diseased tonsils.

The internal source is the more important and interesting feature. Here we are concerned with the glands and their products. Throughout the system these glands are located and in and by them is manufactured a substance which is highly specific and essential for the proper maintenance of health and life. The harmonious function of the various organs of the body is in a great measure influenced and controlled by these glands. Without normal glandular activity functions are perverted, growth thwarted, proportions lost, insanity and other grave disease caused. Glands produce secretions, which term for purposes of this article may suffice, although we distinguish between secretion and excretion, internal and external, some glands having both functions. The subject of secretions is so important in connection with epilepsy that it is necessary to dwell a little longer on this phase, which will render subsequent parts easier of understanding.

To illustrate, the breasts contain glands, the product of which is excreted as milk. Every gland has a function characteristic of itself and not shared in exactly the same degree by any other gland in the body. The thyroid gland in the neck, secretes a peculiar substance of its own. As long as this secretion progresses normally all is well, but when it is interfered with to the extent of over or under production in respect to quality of quantity, serious consequences ensue. Goitre, stunted growth and idiocy are some of the results. This change is due to the disturbed function of the thyroid gland which has ceased to pour into the system that peculiar material in just the required proportions, which formerly maintained the normal equilibrium.

Club Notes.

I will gladly answer all inquiries for information on health subjects from readers of this publication if same are addressed to Home Health Club, 5039 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago, Ill. Send full name and address with 4 cents postage.

CHOICE RECIPES

Rich Mince Meat.

Five pounds seeded raisins; five pounds suet, five pounds apples, four pounds citron, one and one-half pounds blanched almonds. The above ingredients to be finely chopped; add to them five pounds currants, two pounds light brown sugar; one-half teaspoon mace, one-half teaspoon cinnamon and two and one-half cups cider or acid fruit juice.

Squash Pie.

One and one-quarter cups steamed and strained squash, one-quarter cup sugar, one-half teaspoon salt, one-quarter teaspoon cinnamon, ginger or nutmeg, one egg and three-fourths cup milk. Mix sugar, salt, and spice, add squash, egg slightly beaten and milk gradually. Bake in one crust, in a moderate oven.

Boiled Fruit Cake.

Two cups of flour, 1 cup of raisins, 1 cup of currants, 1 cup of water, 1 cup of sugar, 1-2 cup lard, 1 teaspoonful cinnamon, 1 teaspoon cloves, 1 teaspoon soda (level), 1-4 teaspoon salt. Flavor with lemon extract. Boil everything together for five minutes except the flour, soda and extract. When cool sift in the flour, soda and extract; mix well, and bake one hour in moderate oven.

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If you are over-stout the cause of your over-stoutness is lack of oxygen-carrying power in the blood and faulty assimilation of food. Too little is being made into the harder tissue of muscle and too much into little globules of fat. Therefore you should correct the mal-assimilation, and increase the oxygen-carrying power of the blood. To do this, go to any good druggist and get oil of orlene, only sold in original packages and in capsule form, and take one capsule after each meal and one at bedtime till your weight is reduced to what it should be on all parts of the body. The effect of oil of orlene in capsule form is remarkable as a weight reducer and it is perfectly safe.—B.J.T.

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Latest Fashion Novelties Gleaned Here and There

Items of Interest in New Collars and Skirts

FADS OF LINGERIE

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—Each day unfolds something new in the world of fashion, for many interesting novelties catch the eye of those who observe the women of fashion, from whose apparel may be gleaned every little detail and item of interest which create the atmosphere of good style.

Some of the new collars are large affairs rolled high at the back and low in front. These have been given the demure name of monk collar, and one is illustrated in the sketch. Sometimes they are fastened with little buttons and loops at the front, or the closing is made invisible. They are usually made of satin or the new figured silks to contrast with the dress material.

The loose side panels on skirts, with large pockets on each side are also recognized as one of the newest style

With New Monk Collar and Loose Panels

notes in skirts. The panels being loose flap about in the wind, often disclosing a bright lining of contrasting material on the reverse side. From the front, these side panels seem at first to be nothing but the familiar tunic which appears quite often in the new dresses showing the narrower underskirts.

Another treatment of side panels appears is some skirts where the panel extends to the lower edge of the skirt, is attached there, and falls softly over the edge in puffed or draped effect. Puffed all around is imitation of the Turkish trouser effect, are some of the skirts of evening dresses. In the supple taffetas and silver tissue cloths, dresses in this style are extremely graceful the skirts devoid of any trimming whatever and the bodices fitting rather snugly in contrast. The bodices are in reality hardly more than deep bands suspended by straps of ribbon over the shoulders. Sleeves there are none unless the bands across the upper part of the arms are so called. In other styles of evening dresses, however, sleeves begin to be more favoured than they have been for some time. The flowing sleeves which form a kind of drapery reaching almost to the edge of the skirt is a style with great charm.

The Latest Fads in Underwear.

Speaking of Georgette—this sheer fabric is put to all sorts of uses, and does not stop at dresses but appears to be quite a favourite for underwear. The most appealing shades of pale blue, lavender and flesh colour, fashion undergarments of every description. Though they are hardly practical, there are many who find it impossible to resist these dainty undergarments. Underwear seems to be getting more and more elaborate, and the very latest fad is the combination of silver lace with Georgette. Beadwork, too, has invaded underwear, and it has been seen on the new pajamas and nightgowns of Georgette crepe. These are, however, some exceedingly dainty pieces of lingeries which are quite practical after all. Among these are the silk and wash satin undergarments which are very practical as long as they are carefully laundered. The delicate shades must be washed with care to preserve their colours, and there is no denying that it is well worth the trouble for the satisfaction that one feels from possessing dainty lingerie.

Mock Mince Pie.

Mix together, in order given, four soda crackers, rolled; one and one-half cups sugar, one cup molasses, one-third cup lemon juice or vinegar, one cup raisins, seeded and chopped; one-half cup butter and two eggs well beaten; add spices to taste.

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And the choicest of dainties contribute thy fare.

Yet I listen in vain for the old pleasant song
That gladdened my heart all the bright summer long,
Does your small cozy home, but a dull prison seem
Or perchance of the green fields and freedom you dream,
If for loved companions, long vanished you pine,
Then your heart beats in sadness responsive to mine.

For dear ones, with summer, and sunshine are flown,
And chill winter's captives, we languish alone,
Yet droop not go sadly, but jubilant sing,
For soon snow wreaths will fade in the warm smile of spring,
Glad summer return, decked with verdure and flowers,
And thy warbling mater, wake the echoing bowers.

Then sing little bird, your blithe carrol again,
And joyously warble this happy refrain,
Dark clouds will roll by, and the sunshine will glow,
Soft zephyrs will follow, the frost winds and snow,
Why thus should the present, with gloom be overcast
By idle regret for the joys that are past.

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BAGS 27TH HUN PLANE.

French Aviator Adds to Record By Bringing Down Two in One Day.

PARIS, Jan. 25.—The War Office reports: "Lieut. Guynemer yesterday brought down his second German airplane for this day near the railroad station at Chaulnes. This brings up to 27 the number of enemy airplanes destroyed by this pilot. Lieut. Herteaux, on the same day, brought down his seventeenth enemy airplane, which crashed to the ground near Parvilliers."

HUNS TO BOOST FARMING

BERLIN, Jan. 25.—The Lokal Anzeiger announces that Baron von Maltzenbach has been appointed director of a new department of the war feeding board, whose object will be to promote agricultural production. This action is believed to forecast important developments in the direction of stimulating agriculture.

How To Cure Stomach Trouble

The Common Cause is Lack of Blood—Therefore You Must Build Up the Blood

There is the most intimate relation between the condition of the blood and the activity of the stomach. The blood depends upon the stomach for a large part of its nourishment; while every act of digestion, from the time the food enters the stomach and is assimilated by the blood needs plenty of pure well-oxidized blood. The muscles, glands and nerves of the stomach work only according to the quality of the blood.

The most common cause of indigestion is lack of rich, red blood. Not only does impure blood weaken the muscles of the stomach but it lessens the product of the glands of the intestines and stomach, which furnish the digestive fluids. Nothing will more promptly cure indigestion than plenty of pure blood. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are the safest and most certain blood-builder. A thorough trial of these pills gives a hearty appetite, perfect digestion, strength and health. Here is proof of the value of these pills in cases of indigestion. Mr. Daniel Dexter, Liverpool, N.S., says: "For several years I was a great sufferer from indigestion. I was greatly troubled with gas on the stomach which caused disagreeable sensations. I was also frequently troubled with nausea and vomiting, which were distressing. As a result of my trouble my appetite almost completely failed, and what I did eat caused me constant pain. I was continually doctoring but did not get any benefit, and had about made up my mind that I would suffer for life. One day a friend asked me why I did not try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and while I had not much hope of a cure I decided to do so. I had only taken a few boxes, however, when I found they were helping me. Very gladly then I continued the use of the pills, and in less than three months I was as well as ever I had been, able to eat a hearty meal, and to feel that life was again worth living. I had also been troubled from time to time with attacks of rheumatism, and the use of the pills cured this as well as the indigestion. It is now over a year since I took the pills, and in that time I have had no return of the trouble."

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The waist is very simple, cut with a rather high, round neck and with fastening at the back; over it the separate bolero is worn. A ribbon girdle is draped negligently at front, after covering the joining of the waist to a one piece gathered skirt. The sleeves are set in with a slight fulness and reach to the wrist, where deep, round cuffs of material finish them. Velvet, satin or other fabric, in a shade that will blend with the general note of the dress, may be used if one wants to add to the effectiveness of the model.

For the edges of the bolero, neck and sleeve cuffs braid in the chosen trimming—it looks well and is very stylish. It will depend upon the service the frock is to give whether it will be developed in serge, wool poplin, wool plaid or gabardine—or velveteen, duvetyn or similar fabric. If you are one not posted as to the saving and satisfaction that a pattern makes possible, begin with this simple design and be convinced.

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When the soldiers first went out to fight the despoilers of Belgium, we who could not go undertook to help feed the starving women and children who were victims of German savagery. Are WE carrying on as the soldiers are doing? Or has our enthusiasm cooled—our sympathy died out—our help lessened or ceased?

Certainly the Belgians' need of help has not lessened, but rather increased! Three million women, children and old men are depending for food—for life itself—on the Belgian Relief Commission. The Commission in turn depends on us Canadians for a substantial share of the necessary food, or the money with which to buy it. If we fall short in our contributions, thousands of Belgian kiddies must go painfully, if not fatally, short in their food supply. Already an alarming number of them, weakened by scanty rations, are falling victims to tuberculosis.

There would be little merit in restoring Belgium to a nation whose motherhood and youth we had allowed to be decimated and weakened by hunger and resulting disease. Let us at home carry on the relief work as unselfishly, as steadfastly and as successfully as our soldier boys are carrying on the fighting! If YOU have not been helping, now is the time to give a hand and do your bit.

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Escaped Convicts Found In Bowmanville

BOWMANVILLE, Jan. 24.—Two important captures were made here yesterday by Richard Jarvis, chief of police. He identified a man for whom the authorities of Iowa State Penitentiary have been in quest since last October and followed him to his boarding house at the Goodyear Club. The man is employed on the night shift in the Goodyear works here. The chief waited till this afternoon and then entering the room of the suspect, found him in bed and in another bed, another escaped convict from the same penitentiary. They are Earl W. Lindsay and Arnold Zimmer. The men were handcuffed together and taken to the lock-up. Lindsay is 39 years old, an aviator and chauffeur, and Zimmer is a railroad fireman and chauffeur, 32 years old. They have worked in the rubber factory here for several weeks and seldom appeared in the street. A reward of $100 ach is offered for their arrest and delivery to an authorised agent of the Iowa State Penitentiary. Since their escape they have traveled over parts of Europe together, having been in France and England.

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Sunday Sermon For Those Who Do Not Go To Church

(By JAMES SUTHERLAND)

"THE SECOND COMING OF CHRIST."

This subject has been the theme of all ages since the earliest period of mankind. Prophets, patriarchs, poet, and philosophers and bards have foretold the second advent, and away back in the first age, Enoch, the second from Adam, prophesied: "Behold the Lord cometh with ten thousand of his saints to execute judgment upon all and to convince all that are ungodly among them of all their ungodly deeds which sinners have spoken against them." Epistle of St. Jude, 1st Chap., 14th and 15th verses. Then in the 16th chap. of St. Mark, 19th verse: "So then after the Lord had spoken unto them he was received up into Heaven, and sat on the right hand of God. St. Luke, 24th chap., 50th and 51st verses. And he led them out as far as Bethany, and he lifted up his hands and blessed them; and it came to pass while he blessed them he was parted from them, and carried up into heaven. Acts 1 Chap., 9, 10, 11 verses. And when he had spoken these things while they beheld, he was taken up, and a cloud received him out of their sight; and while they looked steadfastly toward heaven as he went up, behold two men stood by them in white apparel, which also said, Ye men of Galilee, why stand ye gazing up into heaven, this same Jesus which is taken up from you into heaven shall so come in like manner as we have seen him go into heaven.

In erecting a building, we see first that it has a solid foundation, so I have chosen the above passages of Scripture for my foundation to build my subject upon—"The Second Coming of Christ."

There are many other references all through the word of God telling of his second coming for his bride, the Church, the saved ones. There are many religious denominations holding various opinions on this, the most important subject, the return of our Lord. I will try in my own simple way to point out a few facts as recorded in the word of God, because I see a great necessity to bring this subject earnestly, faithfully and often before the people, just as we talk about our dear and loved ones that we have been parted from for years, but the time draws near when we are earnestly, lovingly and anxiously expecting to see them again with joy, and clasp them to our throbbing hearts. Such should be our soul's most earnest desire to meet our Saviour again. For we have his own personal promise in the upper room in Jerusalem, I will come again and receive you to myself, that where I am there ye may be also. In all Christ's addresses and in his teachings he presented his doctrine in tender and loving entreaty, drawing many of his illustrations from nature—the fig tree, the grass of the field, the lilies compared to King Solomon in all of his glory, the fowls of the air, the birds and even the sparrow, and the present subject he presented as a bridegroom coming for his bride. I have never heard this subject presented in this way, so it has been impressed on my heart to try and unfold the doctrine of Christ's second coming, relying only on Divine help.

The first reference refers to St. Jude (there is only one chapter in the book) 14th and 15th verses contain a statement of the coming of the Lord with ten thousand of his saints. There is no mention of this prophecy of Enoch in any other part or place of Scripture, yet one plain text of Scripture is proof enough of any point that we are required to believe. In the time of Enoch the coming of Christ to judge was then a received and an acknowledged fact.

An old saint says, What a glorious time that will be when the Lord cometh with his holy myriads of angels and spirits of just men made perfect. Lawrence, the eminent scholar, has translated from the "Ethiopic," the Book of Enoch, which was brought from Abyssinia by Bruce, and considers it to have been written by some Jew a short time before the Christian era. It does not appear to have been received into the sacred canon, and the quotation of a single passage will not prove the approbation of the whole book. The passage quoted by St. Jude forms what is called the 2nd chapter of the Book of Enoch, and is translated as follows:

"Behold he comes with ten thousand of his saints to execute judgment upon them, to destroy the wicked, and to reprove all the carnal for everything which the sinful and ungodly have done and committed against him."

St. Jude's comment on Enoch's prophesy is found nowhere else in the Bible, and it stirred me up for a long time to find out where St. Jude got this prophecy. In reading an old book, about 90 years old, I came upon this note which I have now given to you.

I now come to Thessalonians 4th chap., 14th, 15th and 16th verses. The Apostle Paul is comforting those who have fallen asleep in Christ, and says, Death is their undisturbed rest; they rest from all their labours, and they sleep in Jesus. Being still in union with him they are under his protection and care. Their souls are in his presence; they shall be raised up from the dead for God will bring them with him.

The doctrine of the Resurrection and the second coming of Christ is a great antidote against the fear of death—Christ being risen from the dead is become the first fruits of them that slept, therefore they who are fallen asleep in him are not perished or lost. 1st Cor. 15th, 18th and 20th. His resurrection is a full confirmation of all that is said in the Gospel, or by the word of the Lord, which has brought life and immortality to light. Their state and condition shall be glorious and happy at the second coming of Christ. Of this the apostle informs the Thessalonians by Divine revelation from the Lord Jesus. By this word of the Lord we know that the Lord Jesus will come down from heaven in all the pomp and power of the upper world. Verse 16. The Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout. He will descend from heaven into this our air, verse 17. The appearance will be pomp and power, with the shout of a king and the pomp and authority of a mighty king and conqueror with the voice of the archangel. An innumerable company of angels will attend him, and the glorious appearance of this great Redeemer and Judge shall be proclaimed and ushered in by the trump of God. For the trumpet shall sound and that will wake them that sleep in the dust of the earth. The dead in Christ shall rise first, verse 16.

The first care of the Redeemer will be about his dead saints; he will rise raise them before the great change passes on those that shall be found alive; so that those who did not sleep in death will have no greater privilege or joy at that day than those who fell asleep in Jesus. Those found alive will then be changed. They shall be caught up in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. Verse 17. Believers then alive will undergo a change so mysterious that we cannot comprehend it. 1 Cor. 15th chap., 51st vs. But this mortal must put on immortality, and these bodies shall be made fit to inherit the kingdom of God, of which flesh and blood in its present state is not capable. This change will be in a moment in the twinkling of an eye.

Yours sincerely,
James Sutherland,
352 1-2 Water Street, Peterborough.
January 20th, 1917.

SNOW AIDS CONVICT PURSUED BY DOGS

Fred Miller, Fleeing from Great Meadow Prison, Hides in Mountains Near Glens Falls.

GLENS FALLS, N. Y., Jan. 25.—A heavy snow fall aided Fred Miller, an escaped prisoner from Great Meadow Prison, who is believed to be hiding in the mountains near this city, and the bloodhounds that have been on Several guards searched in the Luzing were left at the prison to-day. his trail since early last Friday morneerne Mountain as they are confident that the fugitive is hiding in one of the lumber camps there.

Miller escaped just before four o'clock. He was missed about an hour later and the whistle at the prison was blown to summon all guards to make a search. The prison bloodhounds trailed the fugitive to this city during the day and then to French Mountain. One of the dogs became exhausted Saturday after covering thirty miles.

Among those who have been conducting the search for Miller is a young man serving a life sentence for murder, but it is expected that he will be released in about two and a half years. He is said to be a model prisoner and is pointed out as an example of what the Homer system accomplishes.

Miller was convited of grand larceny in Kings county and was sentenced March 2, 1915, to a term of six years and six months.

Don't buy a field implement without a spring seat. Why? Because if you come in leg-weary from the field the chances are the horses will not get the attention they should have in the way of grooming after a dusty day in the hot sun.—W. C. Shearer, Oxford county.

PELL IN A FAINT.

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The Shell Shock Victim Never Has Exterior Wound

LONDON, Jan. 25. — It has been found that cases of shell-shock are far more common in the British armies than among the French or Germans, while in the Balkan and Turkish armies it is comparatively rare. This is probably due to the fact that British armies contain a larger proportion of men whose manner of living or whose occupations have made larger inroads on their store of nervous energy. Soldiers from cities or factory districts, for example are far more likely to become victims of shell-shock than men from the farms or the country.

Men suffering from shell shock are always unwounded. "No case of shell-shock is ever found to occur in a soldier who has a wound no matter how trivial," says a British medical report. "It appears that the rending of the flesh by a bullet or fragment of shrapnel acts as a sort of safety valve against nell-shock, localizing in the injury the destructive force that otherwise is spent on the nervous system.

"Here is a description of the typical case: A shell exploded in the vicinity of a soldier. He is unwounded, but violently shaken perhaps knocked over or buried. He loses his senses for a varying period, and his nervous system, having suffered a violent shaking, is no longer what it was. He starts at the least sound, he cannot sleep, he has pains in the head, and his hands are slightly tremulous.

"Some men, on recovering from unconsciousness are found to have lost the use of the special senses, sight, hearing or speech. This is a purely functional loss, and recoveries may occur at any time, weeks or months later, in a way suggesting that the age of miracles is not yet past. But the fact remains that a great many never recover, while others only improve under the most painstaking treatment.

"Hypnotism is occasionally successful, and rather good results are being obtained in other cases by simply placing the patient under chloroform. A man who had been deaf and dumb for three months was placed under light anaesthetic. During the struggling stage various incoherent sounds proceeded from his lips, and finally crystallized into words and the patient continued able to use his voice when he came out of his anaesthetic sleep.

"Quite a number of cases have been similarly treated with chloroform, the theory being that some great nervous shock is needed to cure a condition that has been originally caused by a shock, and that has been kept in being by the man's feeling of helplessness."

In addition there are many men who have never been subjected to sudden, violent contact with the explosion of a shell or mine, but who have broken down under the steady day-by-day strain of the trenches and the booming of the guns.

"In a mainly urbanized population like the British," says the report, "many are on the verge of neurasthenia—that is possess a nervous system whose energy is soon exhausted, and war acts as the immediate, pumping, exciting cause to tumble them over."

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OUR DAILY SHORT STORY

Mother's Emerald

A Love Story.

By AGNES G. BROGAN

When father first spoke of bringing the student to board I was glad. Any new companionship seemed promising. But when I considered that the student, being musical, might also be the possessor of an uncertain temperament my troubles appeared to be increasing. One like father was bad enough in any family, flying off on the slightest provocation into a fit of temper or, in his better moods, listening apparently with an appreciative smile as one related some personal incident, only to find at its conclusion that his mind had been engaged with some beloved "score." Nora, the cook, was my only comfort, and Nora had not what one might call an "understanding" mind.

Father told me his plan one evening with his customary tardiness. The student was to arrive at 8 o'clock and the south room to be prepared for his disposal. He was coming "free" upon condition of exchanging secretary work for lessons. This alone was a recommendation to the student's musical ability. Father would receive no pupil without promise of skill. Explicitly he named the young man as "his discovery." Eric Knowlson's future, he said, was assured. So I went to mother's picture about it. I have a way of going to mother's picture in all my joys and perplexities to receive advice from its soft eyes. You see mother left this world as I entered slipping out very silently before ever my baby arms could reach her.

"Mother," I sighed, "if we must have another man in this house, oh, let us hope that he may be a sane one!" My experience with men ended with father, and I fancied them all like him. Nora encouraged me in this belief. "They're all the very old devil," she said. And with her remark in my ears I ran into the music room and incidentally also into the student. The sudden encounter surprised him as much as it did me. He had been removing his violin from its case, whistling softly. His whistle stopped abruptly. Then after we had stared at each other awhile he bowed.

"Eric Knowlson," he explained.

"Mercy!" I exclaimed rudely. "I should never have guessed it. Not the violinist?"

"The same," he replied, "long hair and soulful eyes missing perhaps." He smiled. "Bound to be a failure, then. None of the essentials."

"I am Professor Ludlow's daughter," I stiffly reproved him, "and will show you to your room."

"It is my turn to say 'Mercy!' I never should have guessed it," the young man remarked pleasantly. "Your father has always spoken of you as 'my daughter, the housekeeper.' Naturally I imagined a staid, sensible appearing sort of person. Again, none of the essentials."

Suddenly my smile answered his. "You shall see," I challenged. So, with free and merry chatter, we found ourselves in the short space before dinner upon astonishingly friendly terms. It was father's forbidding presence which cast formality over the meal. Afterward, upon the top step of the stairs, I listened to their music, father at the piano, the student with his violin. And the sweet strains of the instrument at his charmed touch caused even me, surfeited with music, to linger. Into the "Spring Song" came a dominant, personal note, that was suddenly a clear, compelling call. Slowly I moved in answer down the stairs, then paused perplexedly in the doorway. The student smiled.

"I called you," he said daringly, "and I knew that you would come."

So our love began, abruptly, inexplicably.

One day Eric told me the story of his life. Uneventful it had been, yet one of sacrifice. His father, a violinist, had deserted Eric and his mother just as the lad was beginning to realize his inherited musical gift. After that he had quietly laid his ambition aside with his violin and turned to care for his mother. And now she was dead, now only had he dared to indulge his dreams, and father in a measure had made this possible. For himself money had not mattered, he said. There had been but one thing he coveted—a white marble stone for his mother's grave. This he must have. "And now there's you, Nance!" he cried. "I must have you!" Then he caught up my hand to look at my rings—mother's emerald and its tiny guard.

"Dear," he said, "at first I feared this costly ring might be significant."

"Oh, no!" I told him. "It has been the betrothal ring of our family, handed down for generations. Father's mother placed it upon my own dear mother's finger, and now that she is gone father trusts it to my keeping."

"It is of great value," Eric said, his eyes suddenly aglow as he bent over the wondrous stone; then with his first sign of impatience my lover turned from me.

"What is it?" I asked him, troubled.

"The jarring thought, perhaps, of our different stations," he replied—"your mother's costly emerald, my mother's unmarked grave."

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SLANG OF THE BORDER

We hear and read quite a bit about the odd slang that originates in the trenches, and floats over to England, and from thence across seas to Canada but perhaps not more unique is it than the army slang brought to the "home folks" by guardsmen returning from duty on the Mexican-American border.

In a recent issue of the Providence Journal, a writer tells interestingly of the picturesque vocabulary in vogue on the border:

"Bring on the chow, only don't give me any slum," a guardsman told his mother on the night of his return from the Mexican border. His mother naturally demanded a translation.

"Why chow is the army term for anything good to eat," the guardsman explained. "Slum means soup. I might say: 'Bring on the eats, only don't give me any soup.' That would be perfectly plain."

Many of the guardsmen have come home from the border with an enriched and picturesque vocabulary. Part of it is regular army slang; part of it is mongrel Spanish; it has sometimes shocked and sometimes amused the home folks. Most of the army slang relates to chow. That is almost the most important subject of conversation in the army, anyway. But the faltering Spanish phrases are an embellishment.

"Please pass me the blood," a returned guardsman is apt to say, pointing to the catsup. 'Gracias,' he will say, when his wish has been fulfilled. Hardly anyone on the border says "Thank you." It is 'gracias' and 'gracias' it will be with the guardsman for a long time to come.

CORNED WILLIE.

Nearly everyone, even those not connected with the army knows that "corned Willie" is canned corned beef. The returned guardsman hope they may never see it again. Some people are going to be surprised, however, when they hear guardsmen referring to "Ole Bill." This is not a departed comrade, merely "corned Willie" under another alias.

Returned guardsmen say they have sworn off drinking "blackjeg." "Black leg" is strong drink, not alcoholic, however, simply the powerful black coffee served in the army to wash down the "Willie."

Beans are apt to be called "bullets" or "berries" in the army, according to their condition. Hot cereals may be called "bran" or "oats." Potatoes, are course, are "spuds" or "Murphies." All other vegetables are "greens."

There is a little song which the men sing to the notes of the mess call, a complaint more often made in fun than in earnest. It goes:

Soupy, soupy, soupy,
Without e'er a bean;
Porky, porky, porky,
Without any lean;
Coffee, coffee, coffee,
The worst you ever seen.

The ungrammatical conclusion of the verse is conscientious. Grammar isn't popular in the ranks of the army and some of the Rhode Island men will have to practice to regain their old-time correctness of speech.

Already men have borrowed from the circus in calling their mess halls the "big top." Mess kits are called "china," and that is a real touch of humor. The mess sergeant is sometimes called "the mess," and that, perhaps, is an unfair and deceptive abbreviation.

Finally, of all the slang pertaining to chow, there is the "galloping goulash," otherwise known as the "cooks mounted," or the "kitchen chariot." The worst thing about the "galloping goulash" is that its chief production is "slops," thin soup not considered worthy to be called "skush."

ON THE PICKET LINE.

Some of the strangest language in the army is heard on the picket line. Horses are frequently called "goats" or "sheep." Occasionally there is a "camel," "giraffe" or a "juggernaut." The term "outlaw" for a wild horse is not unusual although the name "corralbe," common in Butter A. is.

Automobile and horse terms have become crossed in some mysterious manner. The auto driver speaks of putting a 'shoe' on his machine. In the army the horseshoer puts "tires" on the mules. Long before the Rhode Island militiaman went to the border, a captain was the 'old man' or the "skipper." They have picked up other names for the officers on the border.

A lieutenant just out of West Point is a "shave-tail," because he has just changed his long cadet coat for the service uniform. A general is a "big chief." A colonel is an "eagle," because of his insignia. Other officers get any names that come handy.

Even the non-coms. have special names. The first sergeant is always the "top." Any sergeant is a "sarge" and any corporal "corp." Signal men are known as "boys with flags."

THE DOUGH BOYS.

Infantrymen are always "dough boys," and this term has never been sufficiently explained. One theory is that the infantrymen wrap their feet in fresh bread dough when they get swelled from long marching.

A man who has served on the border will probably not say cavalry soon again. In the ranks of the army, cavalry is always "calvary." It is bad form to call it anything else in enlisted men's circles.

One term which the Rhode Island guardsmen picked up on the border is the Spanish "aberrotes" for groceries. On the trip home whenever a stop was made, a general store was always hailed with a shout "aberrotes."

"Ciudad," the Spanish for city, is another word adopted by many of the men. Likewise there is "toros" for bull and sometimes for beef. "Adois" is the word used by most of the guardsmen in saying good-bye to anyone.

As long as the border service is remembered, mud of any kind will be "dobe" to the militiamen. Adobe mud is really peculiar to the border country and Mexico, but nevertheless all mud is "dobe."

Probably the strangest habit of speech formed by the Rhode Island guardsman on the border was calling camp "home." That, however, is a habit already forgotten.—From the Providence Journal.

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Manitoba Member Replies to Dixon and Rigg.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 25.—A rebuke to F. C. Dixon and R. A. Rigg, members of the Legislature, who recently made anti-war and anti-registration speeches, was administered in the Legislature, yesterday, by T. D. Ferley, member for Gimli, who is of Ruthernian birth and the representative of the Legislature of a Ruthenian population.

Ferley declared that while some of the things said by the two members might be well enough in times of peace, they should not be uttered now. He declared the winning of the war was the paramount issue. The Ruthenian population in Canada came largely from Austria, a power with which Canada was now at war, but the Ruthenians were loyal to their adopted country. They had left Austria because they had been denied liberty, and coming here they had found the liberty they desired. Many of the young men were fighting beside the Canadians for the preservation of that liberty. Ruthenian lawyers were aiding the patriotic movements and rumours that they were hostile and prepared for an uprising were absolutely false and malicious.

Jacques Parent, French member for Morris, could not understand the attitude of Messrs. Dixon and Rigg, in view of the fact that each have relatives in the army. He believed that if they gave the matter careful consideration, within fifteen days they would be in khaki.

HERO'S WIDOW RECEIVES REWARD.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 25.—The widow of James A. Fraser, Paris, Ont., was awarded a silver medal, $50 a month until further notice, and $5 a month additional for each of three children until they reach the age of sixteen by the Carnegie Hero Fund Commission in recognition of her husband's courageous attempt to save the life of Gloria M. Stein-Adamson, Canada G. Dunkater and Marion Thomson from drowning in 1916, in the Grand River, when he himself perished.

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ON THURSDAY of this week a deputation, comprising members of the City and County Councils, and also the Parliamentary representatives for Peterborough and constituencies bordering on the Trent Valley Canal, waited upon the Hon. Frank Cochrane, Minister of Railways and Canals, at Ottawa, with a view of advocating the speedy completion of the Trent Waterway. It was not an epoch-making event, as in years past deputations have visited Ottawa on a similar mission, and with probably as satisfactory results. The deputation that visited the capital this week received a very attentive hearing, and was informed that the work of completing the Canal would be proceeded with if present financial conditions would warrant the necessary expenditure; if not, the work would be taken up as soon after the war as possible. That the Government is impressed with the necessity of completing the work goes without saying, as time and again, representatives of the Government have expressed their approval of the Waterway and urged its completion.

Canal Possesses Superior Advantages to Erie Canal

The Trent Canal possesses far superior advantages as compared with the Erie Canal through New York State, and which has been of such great service in the development of the country through which it passes, also as a regulator of freight rates. The Erie Canal is a barge canal, and the locks measure only 110 feet by 18 feet, while the locks on the Trent Waterway are 134 feet by 33 feet. The depth of water on the sills of some of the locks of the Trent Canal is 8 feet 4 inches, but in some of the older locks the depth is 6 feet. With a draught of 6 feet, barges on the Trent Waterway will be capable of carrying 18,000 bushels, while the capacity of the barges on the Erie Canal are 8,000 bushels. Further, the distance from Sault Ste Marie to New York by the Erie Canal is 1,094 miles, while the distance from the same point to Montreal by the Trent Waterway is 687 miles, or a saving of over four hundred miles by the Trent route. With this advantage of a shorter distance and the further advantage of greater speed, a double trip could easily be made on the Trent Waterway in less time than a single trip by the Erie route.

Waterway Will Open Up Country Rich in Resources

Properly speaking, the Trent Waterway is not a canal, for it is made up of a series of navigable rivers and lakes connected by locks and short canals, so that a steam barge towing four consorts could travel at full speed almost the entire distance from the Georgian Bay to Lake Ontario. While the entire length of the Canal is approximately two hundred miles, there is a shore line of about one thousand miles, due to the number of connecting navigable rivers and lakes through which the canal passes. In this district the waterway will serve a population larger than some of the provinces of the Dominion. Within ten miles of the shore lines there are six million acres of forest, mineral and agricultural land. The completion of the Trent Waterway will make available these vast quantities of minerals, which are now unproductive. The district is particularly rich in iron ore, but owing to the cost of transportation, valuable deposits are lying idle. The same applies to the timber wealth of the district, and the lowering of transportation rates on agricultural products would increase the value of every acre of farm land.

Royal Commissions Have Approved of the Work

Two Royal Commissions have recommended the completion of the waterway. The administration of Sir John A. Macdonald appointed a commission for the special purpose of enquiring into the practicability and usefulness of the Trent route. This commission was composed of His Honour the late Judge Weller of Peterborough, Mr. John Kennedy, civil engineer of Montreal, and Mr. Walter Shanley. The Royal Commission on Transportation, appointed by the Government, also considered this route, and recommended that the work be completed as soon as possible. While the completion of the waterway would be of advantage in the conveyance of freight from the West to the East, it would also be of great advantage to manufacturers and other shippers in the transportation of heavy freight from the East to the West. The boat that conveyed the wheat and other products from Georgian Bay to Montreal would call for return freight and provide a cheap means of transportation to Western points. The completion of the waterway is asked for in the interests of the country and the populous district through which it passes. Its completion will benefit every individual in the community, and will provide cheaper transportation for manufacturers.

A Through Water Route

The waterway is practically completed from Lake Simcoe to Lake Ontario. The only important thing remaining to be done is the raising of the Grand Trunk Railway bridge at Campbellford. This is a matter that rests with the Railway Company, and the work will be completed at an early date. At the north end of the waterway, about fourteen miles remain to be completed. Two sections of this length is under contract, and the third remains to be let. When complete, the waterway will provide a through water route from the Georgian Bay to the Atlantic, via the River St. Lawrence. Peterborough is one of the chief centres on the route.

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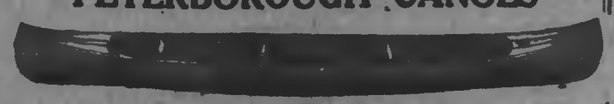
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In Bordeaux, an Important French Seaport - A Torpedoed Submarine Transport

Women acting as longshoremen in Bordeaux. They are seen unloading a steamer from New York. (To the left.)

Another view of women in Bordeaux. The City Council has authorised the company to take on women to man their cars. (Picture to the right.)

The picture beneath shows an armoured trench, also bomb proof. It was constructed on the Italian front.

The docks at Bordeaux are an extremely busy place. On account of its position a great many vessels now make this city their French port, as the vicinity is free from the submarine terror. (Picture above, to left.)

The submarine transport "Kangaroo," which was torpedoed on a trip to South Africa. These vessels render great service to disabled submarines, and repairs may be carried out with comparative ease. (Picture above, to right.)

Another view of the submarine transport "Kangaroo," showing the interior and method of transporting submarines. (To the left.)

A photograph just come to light showing a British soldier saying farewell to his wife and little one. (To the right.)

Shells in the Making -- The Interior of a British Submarine

Inspecting and weighing a shell after it has been painted and dried. Each shell must weigh no more than one-fifth of an ounce over or above its specified weight.

Steel body forgings which form the body of the shell. These forgings for six-inch high explosive shells have as yet received no treatment by lathes or other finishing machinery. The nose pieces are shown to the right.

The nose pieces for six-inch shells, as they are received at the ammunition plant. These points or nose pieces can be unscrewed from the body for loading at the front.

German war material stacked in rear of the French lines. Picture shows field guns, machine guns and flame projectors. (Upper photo.)

Part of a shipment of 500 miles of submarine mine cable for the United States harbor defence, which is on its way to the Pacific coast. Each reel weighs over ten tons. (Lower photo.)

The result of successful shooting by the British artillery. A section of German railway on the Ancre torn up by high explosives. The picture gives an idea of the extremely muddy condition that the battlefields are in, and which makes transportation such a serious problem. Speaking in Parliament, Captain Shaw, M.P., said that "the outstanding feature in the Somme is simply mud."

A scene of activity on the Delaware River, near Baltimore. It is said that this river's merchant shipping is approaching to that of Glasgow, which is now the foremost shipbuilding centre of the world.

The interior of a British submarine, showing the commander with his eye at the periscope. He is the eye, the brain and the hand of the craft, and directs and controls all operation connected with an attack.

Britain's director of National Service, Mr. Neville Chamberlain. He will proceed to organise a great new system of enrolment for industrial purposes. Mr. Chamberlain is the second son of the late Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, and is forty-seven years of age.

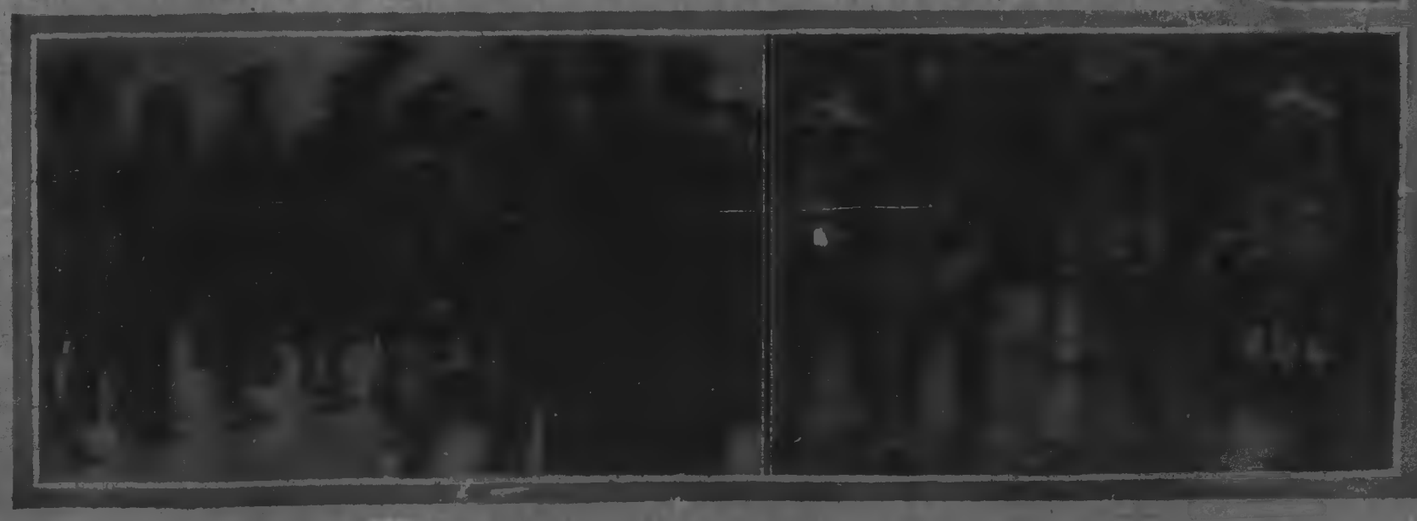
American Submarines Visit Cuban Capital — Red Indians in Glasgow

Officials of the city of Havana leaving submarine L2 after a ceremonious visit to Group L of the United States submarine division on its recent visit to the Cuban capital, said to have been the first time American submarines have visited that city.

The horse-supply of our yeomanry. Arabs and "Walers," as the big-boned, fifteen to sixteen hands weight-carrying Australian horses are generally called (from their principal place of origin, New South Wales) are employed for mounting our cavalry regiments almost everywhere outside Europe. In hot countries, such as India and Egypt, Arabs and "Walers" stand the climate well.

British troops crossing a stream among the hills behind Salonika. The long column of men is seen winding its way through the scrub-covered hills and across a shallow stream. The British position has recently been out on the right flank of the Allied position.

The arrival of the mails—Parcels from home. The Christmas mail for the front has been larger than ever this year, and the Post Office has been despatching parcels to the soldiers at the rate of a quarter of a million a day. The picture shows a few of them arriving at their destination at the front. (To the right.)



A number of Canadian Indians have enrolled in certain Canadian battalions. Some have been, and are, at the front, where they have done useful work; others are on the way there. The famous "Six Nations," of which the historic Mohawks are the leading tribe, sent 150 recruits last year from the Indian Reserves in Ontario. They have trained in Scotland, and are shortly to start for the front. A few days ago they were invited to visit Glasgow and meet the Lord Provost at the City Chambers. The upper illustration show the contingent marching through the streets, all in khaki except four chiefs who—for the occasion—headed the party in Indian full dress. The lower illustration shows Sir Thomas Dunlop speaking to the Chief "Clear Sky."

A French lorry comes to grief on the road to Monastir. Such a scene evokes no commotion. The crew just leave it—if they can—and make their way headquarterswards. Perhaps some one may come back some day and resurrect it.

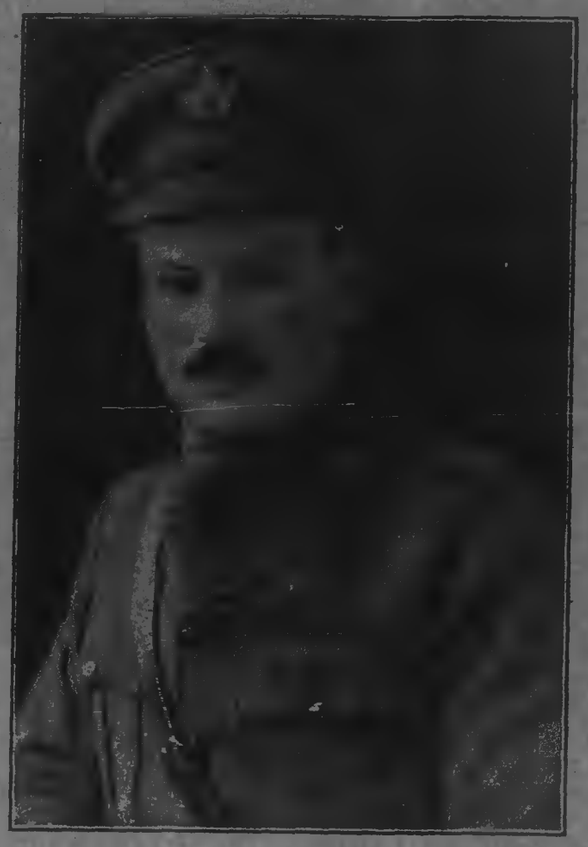
PTE. LEO. FONTAINE
Who enlisted with the 1st Canadian Division, and at present is a Division runner. Pte. Fontaine has had some thrilling experiences while in the firing line.

PTE. HARRY DORSET

Who went overseas with the 83rd Battalion. He made his home with Mr. McIvor, Smith township.

CORP. GEO. ADAMS.
The picture was sent to his uncle, Mr. G. E. Elliott, from France. He says he is still on the map.

THOS. CAMPBELL,
Of the 93rd Battalion, who died of wounds on Dec. 22nd.

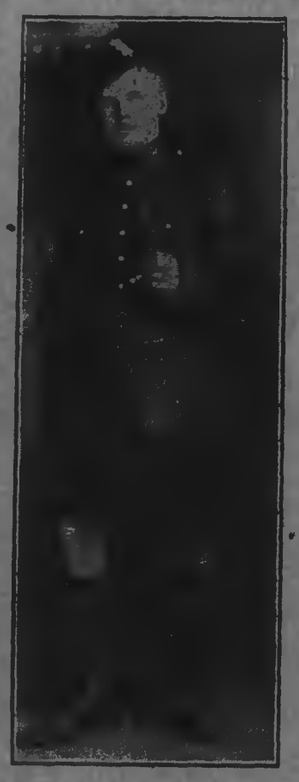


CAPT. G. H. S. CAMPBELL,

49 Colborne St., Kingston, overseas with the 146th Battalion, now in 95th Battalion at Seaford, Eng.

A GROUP OF CANADIAN PRISONERS IN GERMANY.

Pte. Hunter Godfrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Godfrey, 217 Mark St., East City, is the soldier second from the right in the front row. He enlisted with the Canadian Mounted Rifles and was taken prisoner in the battle of Zillebeke in June last.

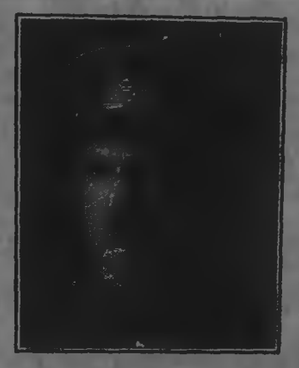


PTE. DALTON YEOMANS,

Of the 42nd Royal Highlanders Black Watch Regiment of Canada, now in Hospital at Ramsgate, England, suffering from shell-shock. Son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Yeomans, of Harrowsmith, Ont.

PTE. E. HOPWOOD

Queens Field Ambulance, Headquarters Clergy St., Kingston.



CORP. ROY COONES,

Who went overseas with the 93rd Battalion. He is the son of Mrs. Jessie Coones, c/o Apsley.

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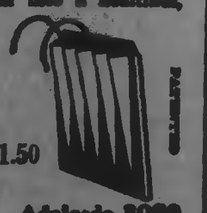

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HOT FIGHTING RAGES GROUND HILL 304

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, January 27.—A beating back of German attacks was reported in to-day's War Office statement from the Riga front. After a heavy bombardment East of Kalneim road toward Chlok, the Germans attacked and were beaten back with great losses. The statement said:—"Around Mitau our gas attack created a panic among the Germans."

LONDON, January 27.—The repulse of German attacks in the Cashin Valley was announced in a Roumanian official statement here to-day from Jassy.

"After eleven hours' desperate fighting in the snow and cold we repulsed the enemy to the south," said the statement.

Spirited Artillery Fight at Hill 304

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, January 27.—Spirited artillery combats marked the continued struggle for supremacy around Hill 304 to-day between German and French forces. The French fire was directed with destructive effect against German works. The same sort of fighting was in progress around Verdun.

Five German aeroplanes were brought down on the western front.

Elsewhere along the front the night was quiet.

German Subs Are Operating in Atlantic

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

RIO DE JANEIRO, January 27.—German submarines are operating in the Atlantic Ocean in conjunction with the raider or raiders heretofore reported, the newspaper Ncite declared here to-day.

1000 Killed When Arsenal Blows Up

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, January 27.—Advices from Germany say Dresden Arsenal has been blown up, and one thousand women and girls working there killed—every window within twelve miles' radius was smashed.

Swiss Frontier is Closed By Germans

Special to The Examiner:

BERNE, Switzerland, January 27.—Germany has closed the Swiss frontier till January 30th.

PRESIDENT'S SPEECH DENOUNCED BY GARDNER

Special to The Examiner.

WASHINGTON, January 27. — An international court and league to enforce peace, as proposed by President Wilson in his recent address before the United States Senate, might draw the United States into a European or an Asiatic war, Representative Augustus P. Gardner, Massachusetts, declared before the National Security League here to-day. Gardner denounced the President's speech, derided the idea of a "peace without victory," and denied the practicability of a "concert of nations" to enforce "a lasting peace."

"President Wilson," Gardner said, "is gambling for a place in history with our national security as his stake."

President Sends Greetings on Kaiser's Birthday

Special to The Examiner.

WASHINGTON, January 27.—President Wilson to-day sent birthday greetings to Kaiser Wilhelm.

WASHINGTON, January 27.—A United States torpedo boat has been found afire and beached on Orient Point, Long Island, by a United States coast guard, according to the coast guard here to-day. The name of the torpedo boat which is characterized as "small," was not given.

PARIS, January 27.—Eighteen killed and fifty injured in railway wreck at Chatsneuff.

KITCHENER, Ont., January 27.—For the first time in forty years of existence of this place, the birthday of Kaiser Wilhelm has passed unheralded and unhonoured here to-day.

Bird Woman Off To Paris

Miss Ruth Law Wants to Fight For the Allies

LONDON, Eng., Jan. 27. — Ruth Law, "super woman of the air," sailed for Paris to-day. At the French capital she will try to enlist for three months in the French aero corps to 'bomb' the Germans, as she explained it. The little American woman who recently broke the transcontinental records in her flight from Chicago to New York, said she expected to go to the front and to return to the United States for a transcontinental flight, flying a machine which she hopes to purchase from the French Government.

Miss Law was in splendid health and spirits.

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NARROW ESCAPES IN KINGSTON FIRE

Examiner Special:

KINGSTON, Ont., Jan. 27.— John Guirney awakened to find his home in flames this morning and his wife, children and himself escaped through an upstairs window into a temperature 10 below zero. Three homes in all were destroyed, but nobody was hurt.

THE WEATHER

The thermometer took a decided drop last night, and went down to 21 degrees below zero. This morning it had risen some, but was still 13 below. At noon it had reached zero. Last night's figure was the lowest for this winter up to the present time. The previous lowest was 17 degrees on the 12th inst. Last year on this date it was mild, with rain, up to 41 degrees, and wheels in general use.—W.P.

One of the new spring fabrics called Charmosa has a velvet-like texture, but is as thin as cloth.

MAYOR THANKED THE COUNTY FOR JOINING CANAL DEPUTATION

Opinion Prevails That Hon. Frank Cochrane was Impressed by the Case Presented for Early Completion of the Canal

BUSY SESSION FOR COUNCIL

At last night's special meeting of the County Council, Mayor Duffus conveyed the city's thanks to the Warden and members for their ready and generous response to the request that the county strengthen the local deputation which urged the early completion of the Trent Canal in an intreview with the Hon. Frank Cochrane.

When the city's invitation was received on Wednesday morning the County Council as a whole was not fully conversant with Peterborough's immediate necessity of unqualified assurance that the canal will be built as soon as possible. The deputation asked the Minister that it be completed within four years. The county fathers at first proposed to send six or eight of its members, but as the discussion proceeded it was felt that the city deputation, composed of members of the Council and prominent business men, should be strongly reinforced by a county representation.

It is generally known that the completion of the canal is regarded as of paramount importance to the Quaker Oats Company, and will be a decided advantage when, as it is expected, the factory will be rebuilt here. Arguing from that point, Reeve Griffith, of Belmont, illustrated the importance of the canal's completion to Havelock. He was followed by Reeve Matheson, of Havelock; Reeve Squire, of Norwood; Reeve Fitzgerald, of Lakefield, and Reeve Anderson, of Otonabee, who agreed that the whole matter was of vital interest to the city, and in scarcely a less degree to the county. It was therefore decided that as many of the members as possible should accompany the deputation. Special night sessions were held in order to complete the business, and the Council returned Friday morning and resumed activity.

Hence, the session that closed to-day proved an unusually strenuous one, and, moreover, the county and city were brought closer together on two important present questions of local concern, the completion of the canal at an early date and the adoption of the county good roads scheme.

The opinion of city and county delegates to Ottawa was that the city had presented a strong case, and impressed the Minister. Capt. Burnham actively interested himself in the preparatory work, lined up the representatives of constituencies along the canal and introduced the deputation.

Flooded Lands On Trent Canal

Examiner Special:

OTTAWA, Jan. 27.—This morning Mr. J. H. Burnham, M.P., and Mr. Plaiston for the Government of Canada, appeared before Judge Audette of the Exchequer Court on the return of a summons to fix the date of trial of Hopwood versus the King. An order was granted to set down the trial for February 26th at 11 o'clock. This is a test Trent Canal case of flooding lands above Buckhorn Dam which it is claimed was raised when the dam was rebuilt. These claims have been pending for years and will all come in under this case.

MOCK PARLIAMENT

Premier Introduces Long Awaited Military Service Bill

The Mock Parliament at Victoria Hall held its first session last night, when the Premier introduced his long awaited Military Service Bill. The Opposition is greatly handicapped by the unavoidable absence of its leader. After a short criticism of the bill by the acting leader of the Opposition, the Premier gave a very convincing speech, outlining the objects of the bill, which brought down a further criticism by the Opposition, but it was effectively met by other members of the Government.

After the first and second readings, the House went into committee of the whole, and passed the first two clauses.

At 10 o'clock the Premier moved the adjournment until Feb. 9th.

Two Peterboro' Boys Die For The Empire

PTE. FRANK BIRDGENAW, 281 Perry Street, formerly of the 93rd Battalion, killed in action on Jan. 17th.

PTE. FRED WICKER, 317 Mark street, formerly of the 93rd Battalion, killed in action on Jan. 17th.

Two More Peterboro' Soldiers Have Made The Supreme Sacrifice

Ptes. Frank Birdgenaw and Fred Wicker Formerly of the 93rd Battalion Were Killed in Action on Jan. 17th --Church Parade For the 247th Battalion To-morrow ---To-day's Orders and General Military News.

Two more members of the 93rd Battalion have made the supreme sacrifice at the front.

This morning Mr. John Birdgenaw, 281 Perry Street, received official word from Ottawa that his son, Pte. Frank Birdgenaw, Canadian Infantry, formerly of the 93rd Battalion, was killed in action on Jan. 17th. Pte Birdgenaw was one of the first Peterborough boys to join the 93rd Battalion, enlisting in the first week of August, 1915. His brother, Pte. Dan Birdgenaw, also enlisted in the same unit and the two went overseas as members of A Company of the 93rd, afterwards being transferred to other Canadian battalions at the front. Pte. Birdgenaw was born in Canada, the family coming to Peterborough a number of years ago from Lindsay. Pte. Birdgenaw was a quiet, likeable boy, who was popular with his comrades.

PTE. WICKER KILLED.

Mr. Ed. Wicker, 317 Mark Street, received an official message from Ottawa this morning, informing him of the sad news that his son, Pte. Fred. Wicker, Canadian Infantry, formerly of the 93rd Battalion, is officially reported killed in action on Jan. 17th. Pte. Wicker, who was born in Canada, was employed by J. T. Braund before enlisting. Before the war he was a member of the 57th Regiment. Pte. Wicker joined the 93rd Battalion soon after it had been authorized, and was a member of A Company, among the members of which he was held in high esteem. Pte. Wicker was a member of the Orange Order. Another brother, Pte. Edward Wicker, is with the 204th Battalion (Beavers) Toronto.

Mrs. A. Stanley of the Soldiers' Wives and Mother's Club has received the following letter from Pte. P. D. Ryan, formerly of the 93rd Battalion:

Dec. 24th, 1916.

Dear Mrs. Stanley,— Received your card about a week ago and yesterday, Saturday, 23rd, your most welcome parcel of socks came. You cannot imagine how pleased the boys were to get them. In fact they were a veritable God-send as the weather is playing us some dirty tricks these days. I cannot for the life of me imagine why this country managed to get the name of Sunny France, for it has rained ever since we came here. We are not having too bad a time over here considering, but still you know we have to grumble, for if we didn't do that we would not be men. Well, I have not much news at present and have to write home, for if I don't, well, (you know what mothers are,) I shall get some calling down. Well, I guess I will have to give my pen a rest, so good-bye. Please thank all the members of the Club for the socks I remain,

Yours truly,
PAT D. RYAN

Two Havelock boys, Frank Stanley and J. H. Bernard have become members of the 247th Battalion.

TO-DAY'S ORDERS.

Daily orders by Lieutenant-Colonel C. H. Ackerman, commanding 247th Bn., C.E.F.:

Orders for Saturday, January 27th, 1917:

1. Church parade. All officers and other ranks, available at headquarters, or on duty in the city, will parade at the Armouries for Church parade, on Sunday, January 28, 1917:

Roman Catholics, St. Peter's Cathedral, 10 a.m.

Protestants, St. Andrew's, Presbyterian, 10.30 a.m.

The Sergeant-Major will detail an N. C. O. for the Roman Catholic party.

2. Prisoners of war.

It is notified for general information that the address of the Committee of the Red Cross Society, which sees to the sending of clothing etc. to the prisoners of war, is as follows:

Mrs. Rivers Bulkeley, care Red Cross Society; 14-16 Cockspur Street, S. W. London, England.

3. Duties.

Orderly Officer for Saturday, January 27th, 1917, Lieut. J. F. Strickland.

Next for duty, Sunday, January 28th, 1917, Lieut. T. W. Quinn.

A. E. BRITTAIN,
Lieut., Adjutant,
247th Overseas Bn., C. E. F.

Mrs. J. Knox of the Canadian Kitchener League, has received the following letters:

Officers Hospital,
Auntie Grange,
Surrey, Eng.

Dear Mrs. Knox,—Many thanks for your kind letter and invitation to the Kitchener dance. Although not able to be present, I appreciate the invitation just the same.

I also wish to thank you, Mrs. Knox, for sending me the box of soldiers' comforts. Although I am not in France, now having been invalided to England for a while, I left orders that any parcels coming for me should be given to the boys of my platoon. They need them worse than I do and will be very glad of them. With regards to the needs of men I may say that what they need most is socks, especially in the winter when the trenches are in such bad condition. Of course they can always get the Army issue socks, but these do not compare with the warm, home-knit ones.

When I return to France I will let you know and I would then be very glad of socks for my boys.

Wishing you, Mrs. Knox, and the Kitchener Club every success in the very noble work you are doing. I am,

Yours sincerely
L. J. Stuart,
1st Canadians.

France, Jan. 4, 1917.

Mrs. Jas. Knox,

Dear Friend,—Received your letter of Nov. 20th some time ago regarding a box of soldiers' comforts, and it got to us on New Year's Day, a very appropriate day to arrive and we were out for a six days' rest as well. I did the best I could to distribute everything as well as I could amongst the old 93rd fellows, and we sure did appreciate each and all of the many articles contained therein. Unfortunately there were some who could not be at the feast, but they will be somewhere else perhaps, feasting. The weather is very nice over here, only damp, but does not seem to get cold. Most of the boys who came to this battalion are well. Of course we have had some casualties, but very few as yet compared with some of the others. We sometimes dwell on old Peterborough until quite late and wish we could wake up and find ourselves there or near about, but

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MAKES SERIOUS CHARGES AGAINST THE PREMIER

SECOND IMPRESSION OF WILSON'S ADDRESS CHANGES THE VIEW

English Commentators Discover, that Terms of President's Speech Were Identical with the Purpose of Allies

RESENTMENT AT FIRST

BY T. P. O'Connor

LONDON, Jan. 27.—The first and the second impression of President Wilson's address to the Senate, differ considerably. The first impression produced the same presentment as the President's note to the belligerents, or the same presentment as son apparently saw no moral distinction between the cause of the Allies and German militarism.

To confound the Allies, fighting for national rights of small nations and freedom and peace, with the perjured, butchers of Belgium, the murderers of the Lusitania victims and the confederates of the Armenian atrocities, was too great a demand on the patience of the Allies. A further reading between the lines of the note suggested that President Wilson had no such confusion in his mind and implied his condemnation of German policy by his conventionally polite acceptance of her now peaceful purposes. Similarly when President Wilson's speech again seemed to suggest an analogy between the Allied and the German purpose there was the same instinctive and almost shuddering revolt, especially during the week bringing further details of the horrors of the deportations of the Belgians and the execution of a poor letter-carrier's young daughter of sixteen for alleged espionage.

But when the terms President Wilson sets forth as a proper ending for the war, were further examined, English commentators discovered to their delight, that these terms were absolutely identical with the avowed purpose of the Allies. This lead to the comforting feeling that President Wilson wanted the same things as the Allies and that his co-operation in enforcing these terms might be counted on when peace is discussed. This lead to a quiet admiration of the adroitness of the speech, which while suggesting an impassive frigid attitude of equal judgment on both belligerents, really as a matter of fact throws President Wilson to the side of the Allies. Scepticism, however, prevails of President Wilson's ability to get the United States to enter on policy so entirely different from all its traditions as to actively co-operate with a peace league backed by the force of many nations.

LLOYD GEORGE'S FRENCH.

I dined with Premier David Lloyd George this week for the first time since he became head of the British Ministry. He looks well and cheerful and has already begun to overcome his bashfulness in speaking French and now follows easily all French speeches, especially those of Premier Briand.

At the very moment when a number of old fogey educationalists are screaming for the retention of Latin and Greek as the universal form of educational training in this country, there never was more abundant evidence of the handicap that the prejudice and ignorance of Continental tongues has imposed on British statesmanship. With Allies all over Europe, not only to consult but largely to guide and to persuade, there are scarcely any men in the front ranks either of the form or the field who can speak any language but their own. Extraordinary, and of course, undesirable results follow. Sometimes the results may be described as even disastrous. I have heard for instance that on one occasion Mr. Asquith and Mr. Lloyd George went over to a Continental conference with a certain very definite policy in their minds on which they were in thorough agreement; but they failed to carry their point largely because the discussion was almost entirely in French, and the French speakers accordingly were able to get to the mind of the Conference much more promptly and effectively than the English speakers

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Big Hosiery Sale

Thursday, Friday and Saturday, January 25, 26 and 27. Ladies and Children's All-Wool Worsted Hose—Regular value 60c and 75c. Now 49c. Regular value 45c and 50c. Now 39c. Regular value 35c and 40c. Now 29c. Come early and secure your share. Lavoie Knitting Factory, 83 Hunter Street. East of St. John's Church. [redacted] 4d-27

Mr. J. G. Turriff, Member for Assiniboia Asks For Parliamentary Committee of Investigation and Promises to Prove His Charges "to the Hilt."

STARTLED THE HOUSE

OTTAWA, Jan. 26.—Two specific and serious charges were preferred directly against Sir Robert Borden, the Premier, by Mr. J. G. Turriff, member for Assiniboia, at to-night's sitting of Parliament. Mr. Turriff asked for a Parliamentary committee of investigation, and undertook, if such were granted, to prove the charges "to the hilt."

Mr. Turriff charged, in the first place, that the Government — "and particularly the Prime Minister" — had maintained the Nationalist alliance, the appointment of Nationalist members in the Cabinet, for "the one and only purpose of preventing recruiting in Quebec," and thereby providing material for a racial appeal to the electors of the English-speaking Provinces at the next general election.

Mr. Turriff charged, secondly, that when the representatives of the Ontario Recruiting Committee had waited upon the Premier last spring in private conference Sir Robert Borden had "intimated that if he had his way there would be no more recruiting in Canada, and the attention of the Canadian people would be turned to the development of their industries."

Charges Startle the House.

Both charges caused a sensation in the House, and sharp interchanges, in which the Ministers participated. Mr. Turriff declined to make public his authorities at the present time, but applied for a committee of investigation in order that he might establish his charges against the Premier. Mr. Turriff spoke with the grim earnestness of a man who had recently lost his only son killed in action.

Additional Charges Made.

In addition to his charges as to the deliberate policy of slacking up on recruiting, and as to the nefarious ends of the Nationalist-Conservative alliance, Mr. Turriff charged that at least one hundred million dollars has been wasted through recruiting units — 60,000 of them rejected just before their battalions sailed for England, and 30,000 now in England who could never get to the front.

Finally he charged that hundreds and thousands of Canadian lives had been sacrificed because the Government kept the Canadians armed with an unserviceable rifle for nearly a full year after the Government knew, or at least should have known, the rifle had become unserviceable. He declared this charge, too, would be proved to the hilt before the session ended.

DON'T PUT IT OFF.

If you think your eyes need attention why keep putting it off? They only grow worse with delay. Call and let Dr. Lacey examine them for you. He can tell you what the trouble is. 410 George Street.

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CONGRATULATIONS TO TORONTO.

We have many reasons to be proud of Toronto as the capital city of the Province; and now we have the greatest reason of all. We must, and do, congratulate Toronto, heartily upon the splendid issue of her three days' Patriotic Fund campaign. The Queen City has raised three and a quarter million dollars, a really splendid achievement—a million and more dollars a day. Well done, Toronto! The city has done well in other ways, it has the largest record for recruiting in the Dominion. A championship in soap and money, too, is something Toronto can be proud of. And the rest of the Dominion, city, town and village, and given heartiest congratulations.

AN EXCELLENT REPORT.

The report of the annual general meeting of the Toronto Railway and Power Company will be agreeable reading. It not only shows a prosperous and successful year for a young and growing strong company, but records the pleasant fact of prosperity among the clients of the company and the general public.

The net earnings of the Company, after payment of expenses, of management and other claims, amounted to $1,843,444.35, which, including the balance brought forward from 1915, and $100,000 transferred to it out of $300,747.65, available for distribution or apportionment. Of this $400,000 was devoted to the payment of four quarterly dividends, at the satisfactory rate of 10 per cent. for the year. The sum of $400,000 was transferred to the Reserve Fund, increasing its total to the strong position of $1,200,000, equal to the total paid-up capital. These distributions constituted the addition of $636,747.08 to the profit and Loss account, making its total $296,147.08. On the whole, the results of the year's operations are not only satisfactory in themselves but also as indicating efficient management, and a large place in the confidence of the public.

Mr. H. G. Dee was elected president; Messrs. W. D. Matthews and Rudolph Hall, vice-presidents, and Messrs. D. W. Dumble, E. T. Malone, K.C., and R. E. Wood, directors.

SHORT-SIGHTED.

The Elgin County School Trustees' Association has put itself out of touch with the spirit of the times the present time calls for. It has placed itself on record as opposed to military training in schools, on the ground that "it would result in the development of the military spirit, while it would individually spoil the child." It is difficult to see by what process of reasoning, or exercise of prejudice—for there is no reasoning nor reason that goes to the adoption of such a decision—the trustees took such a stand. As to the development of the military spirit it is as logical to claim that teaching children in school the duty of loyalty and patriotism develops the military spirit, for at the present time it is only in the response to the military spirit that patriotism and loyalty find, or should find, expression. If we had had more military training in our schools we should doubtless have had a larger response to the call for recruits. The Elgin system evidently confound legitimate military spirit with the malicious spirit of militarism—two things as different and antagonistic as religion and bigotry. The military spirit leads to preparedness to be at hand when the country needs defence—and Canada is attacked by a ruthless enemy, though the fighting frontier is three thousand miles away, Canada is virtually just as much attacked as if the enemy were at our gates, for if we do not win this war Canada will have to listen to the warning of Samson of old: "The Philistines be upon thee". And if we are shorn of our strength by failure to do our duty in obedience to the call of the true military spirit, we shall soon the fate of the foolish Asburite. "The true

A NATIONAL GOVERNMENT.

Mr. W. F. McLean, a prominent and able member of the Conservative contingent in Parliament, made an earnest appeal yesterday for the formation of a National Government that would secure the best elements of Canadianism, and secure united and effective work in administering Canada's share in waging war.

He with thousands of other loyal Conservatives, who desire that Canada should do her duty more effectively and fully, is convinced that there is need for a new crew for the ship of state. There is nothing disloyal nor radical in such a proposal. In Great Britain they now have their third—a national government—and if the spirit of the nation, the demands for speeding up war work, was met by the formation of a new government, that certainly presents a justifiable precedent to similar action in Canada.

The present government has been in power during the whole course of the war, and for three or four years previously. It was not a war cabinet, such as they now have had two of in Great Britain. It was an opportunist cabinet and was founded on conditions quite hostile to the spirit that should animate a war cabinet. It was a cabinet held together by the support of a faction that held that Canada had no duty to discharge in this war; and that faction is the dominating influence yet. Why have we how convicting results in Quebec? Simply because Quebec is represented in the Borden Cabinet by ministers who are hostile to the duty of Canada participating in the Empire's wars. How would Ontario have answered the call to arms, if the ministers from this province, with the same reasonable sentiments as the Nationalist ministers in the Borden government had been given the fattest portfolios—simply because they represented a political faction that had for years, with the party blessing, been preaching treason and disloyalty. How the present composition of the government affects recruiting in Quebec is distinctly plain. Even the government as a whole, has, by official leading and enthusiasm, by the use of government personal influence and government machinery, done little for recruiting. The splendid response has been almost entirely due to the voluntary spirit and the activities of private citizens, organized for the purpose. Nor has the general administration of war waging interest been more satisfactory—nor has it failed to justify the demand of one of Sir Robert Borden's supporters for a war cabinet that would be secured by the union of men of both parties, in the formation of a strong, effective and efficient war government, freed from party entanglements."

The proposal for a National Government comes from a supporter of the present government, and is free from party bias. In the event of such a government being formed, one cannot forecast who will compose it, but one can very certainly assert what it will not contain, if the views of the loyal citizens of Canada are met—it will contain, if the views of the loyal National, not a Nationalist, Government.

THE ONLY WAY.

Bonar Law, Chancellor of the Exchequer, very neatly counters on President Wilson's absurd plea for "peace without victory," by pointing out that if the allied nations now consent to peace it must be a peace based on victory; otherwise—

"It would mean a peace which would leave the German military machine unbroken, with the halo of victory surrounding it. It would leave the control of that machine in the hands of the same men who for a generation prepared for war, who mean to make the same preparation again and would choose their own time to again plunge the world in the horrors we are now enduring."

Here is the explanation in a nutshell why the war must go on till we have peace, with victory of the powers that stand for peace and the triumph of the principles upon which only enduring peace can be possible. President Wilson professes, and no doubt sincerely desires, to see peace come; but his desire and ours in this direction cannot be realised, except on one condition. From our point of view there is only one way of realizing the peace for which we are warring, and that is to fight on, to fight our own battles. To take President Wilson's advice now would be to fight Germany's battles. What she is fighting for is the subjugation of all principles of right and international relationships to her own greed of domination. If she is unbeaten she will be victorious, and the history of the past three years shows us what use she will make of her power to do wrong, if that power is left to her.

AN INDEPENDENT JOURNAL'S VIEW OF "INVINCIBLE PARTIZANSHIP"

It may be, as the Hamilton Spectator asserts, that the cooperation of the political leaders in the organization of a truly national government is impossible to-day. But we should suppose that the Spectator's readers would desire a better reason than that newspaper offers for its opinion that such a government is an impossibility. Its reason is that in the present circumstances a coalition government would make necessary the admission of Sir Wilfrid Laurier to the cabinet, and that Sir Wilfrid Laurier is not fit to be associated with loyal and trustworthy men in the government of Canada because he is disloyal and untrustworthy. Many years ago Sir Wilfrid avowed his belief that independence was the destiny of Canada. Sir Wilfrid showed hesitancy in consenting to the use of Canadian troops in the South African war. Sir Wilfrid expressed sympathy with the half-breed rebel, in the Riel rebellion of 1885. Sir Wilfrid doubted the reality of the German menace. Sir Wilfrid opposed the Borden naval policy, preferring his own. Sir Wilfrid in parliament made an appeal to Ontario generously in the matter of bilingual instruction in the schools. Therefore, asserts the Spectator, he is not a fit and proper person to be associated with loyal Conservatives in the government of Canada.

Most of these crimes and misdemeanors with which the Liberal leader is charged were committed, prior to 1908, when the Canadian people for the fourth time voted confidence in him. And now, whatever one may think of his policies or his utterances, the fact remains that he is the chosen and trusted political leader of about one-half of the Canadian people. Cannot the Spectator see that in condemning him as being disqualified for admission to a national government, it impugns the loyalty of all Canadians who gladly accept him as their political guide? And does it not seem to be partizanship run mad to hold that the man who was for fifteen years the king's chief constitutional adviser in Canada is not fit to be associated in a coalition government with men who have been ministers of the crown for only a third of that period?

We agree that if the spirit manifested by the Spectator is shared by the Conservative leaders at Ottawa, the organization of a national government is at present an impossibility. But we decline to believe that the Borden cabinet is composed of such small-caliber politicians as that. As for the premier himself, we are quite sure that he would quit office rather than insult his venerable predecessor in the premiership as the Spectator insulted him yesterday.—Hamilton Herald (Independent Conservative).

Kaiser Celebrates His Fifty-eighth Birthday To-day

This is the fifty-eighth birthday of William II., Emperor of Germany, but, following the precedent established last year, the occasion will not be marked by anything of a festive nature. The Kaiser has ordered that the observance be confined to religious services and the display of flags. In peaceful times the twenty-seventh of January was the greatest of German holidays, when labour was suspended, and the masses of the people, with the exception of the social democrats, gathered in the beer gardens and other places of public resort to toast the Emperor in many brimming mugs of the national beverage.

Just what part the Kaiser will play in history is yet to be recorded. One thing is certain—the world has attained that stage in civilization when war, although not impossible, is no longer glorious. If it should be shown that William II. was responsible for this terrific orgy of blood, not even the most conclusive victory could make him respected.

Passion and prejudice still obscure the vision, and doubtless shall continue to do so until long after the war has passed into history, but neutral and unprejudiced opinion seems to be overwhelmingly inclined toward fixing the guilt on Germany. Even among those most certain of Germany's responsibility, however, there are many who insist that the Emperor, himself, did not initiate the struggle. It is the view of these apologists for the Kaiser that he, while claiming greater power than any other sovereign of a civilized state, and asserting himself responsible to God alone, was yet the victim of the conspiracy of war-mad civil and military officials. All this is but surmise, and time with its clearer vision alone can decide how much or how little the Kaiser wanted war.

It must be admitted that a perusal of the multitudinous newspaper and magazine articles about the Kaiser, written and published before the war, do not afford any firm basis for the belief that the German ruler had any consuming passion for peace. The great majority of such articles published in the American press prior to the war agree in painting the Kaiser as a monarch whose chief interest was in his military machine. Almost from the beginning of his reign he was known as the "War Lord," and he was never quite at ease unless clad in one of his several hundred military uniforms. While not neglecting the arts of peace, his great passion was always his military machine, if one accepts as true the myriad statements about him, written before the war.

Notice To Creditors

IN THE SURROGATE COURT OF THE COUNTY OF PETERBOROUGH, IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ISABELLA WHYTE OF THE CITY OF PETERBOROUGH, IN THE COUNTY OF PETERBOROUGH, WIDOW, DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to R. S. O. 1914, Chapter 121, Section 56 that all Creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said ISABELLA WHYTE, deceased, who died on or about the twenty-eighth day of December, 1916 are required to deliver or send by post prepaid on or before the twenty-eighth day of February, 1917 to the undersigned, Solicitors for William George Hooper and Albert Edward Thompson, the executors of the estate, their names and addresses and full descriptions and particulars in writing of their claims and statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them duly verified by statutory declaration.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the said Twenty-eighth day of February, 1917 the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice and the said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any persons or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

BENNET & GOODWILL,
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Solicitors for Executors.
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Voice of The People

Correspondence under this heading, containing or involving attacks on individuals or violent or extreme statements, must be accompanied by signed with writer's real name, the owner of which thus assumes the responsibility.

If the caretaker of the Market Hall had been a German he could not have been more inhuman. It was pitiable to see the women shaking and shivering with the cold, noble women who are doing so much for our boys in the trenches. There were three stoves, with the dampers closed in two of them. There were a few coals and burnt ends in the back of the stoves, with a wet stick of mixed wood thrown in on top and in front of the fire in each stove, shutting off the draft from the coals and burnt ends. I found a couple of pokers but both had the crooked end broken off, which rendered it impossible to pull the fire forward, and I gave it up in despair. Others tried, but without success. These fires should be started the night before and well under way when the dampers should be shut, and then the first thing in the morning they should be opened, the fire pulled forward and fresh wood put on top.

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Further particulars can be obtained from the undersigned to whom all tenders should be addressed.

W. G. HOOPER and A. E. THOMPSON
Executors of the Estate of
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Peterborough, Ont.

DATED this 25th day of January A.D. 1917. 4d-27-30-1-3-7

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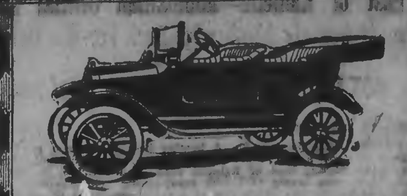

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God's Out-of-doors

William Newton Clarke, D.D., in his book, entitled, "What Shall We Think of Christianity, gives clear expression to fundamental truths concerning Christianity which must be helpful at the present time when many people have been saying, "Christianity is a failure."

In the chapter, 'The Christian Doctrine,' Dr. Clarke shows that Christian doctrine was formed from two sources, first the great contribution of the one Lord himself, the truth that his people had from him. Then the added contribution of Christian men who saw light in his light, and had visions of the truth of God through his illumination."

"The Christian doctrine sprang up in the experience of the Christian living. It was the Christian truth so learned by the Christian people; and both elements, the truth and the experience, were essential to the producing of it. Any thought that did not take root in this vital soil, and take root to stay and live, did not come to form a part of Christian doctrine." Jesus appeared among men and poured out a spiritual truth in great abundance. Words, deeds and personality all uttered living and powerful truth.

This rich expression of truth entered into the very being of these early Christian people with transforming power and a new life sprang up in them. After a time this truth from Jesus "filtered through their minds and hearts and lives,' and came forth in expression on the other side. It is this lived-over substance of the truth that Jesus brought, that constitutes Christian doctrine."

This experienced, realized and re-uttered truth with which Christianity began its course, may be summed up under the five great truths, all uttered by the Master, and again by the disciples, as truths now known to them in actual experience.

1st. The relation between man and God has come to be experienced, and enters into the doctrine. Jesus said, "When ye pray say Our Father." Paul said out of the common experience, "We have not received the spirit of bondage again unto fear, but we have received the spirit of adoption, whereby we cry Abba Father." This experienced relationship is the fundamental element in the Christian life. At the centre it is a doctrine of the Fatherhood of God.

2nd. The significance of the coming and work of Jesus himself has been learned by experience and enters into the doctrine. The Master said, "Come unto me — I will give you rest." The disciple said, speaking out of the common experience, "Being justified by faith we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ through whom we have had our access by faith into this grace wherein we stand." To the early church Christ is the Saviour of men, able to save to the uttermost. His place is that of the restorer, the bringer of men home to God, and this is not a theoretical but an actual experience. It is the doctrine of the Saviourhood of Jesus Christ.

3rd. Christ said, "I will send you another helper that he may abide with you forever, even the spirit of truth." Paul said out of the common experience, "The Spirit himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God. "As many as are led by the spirit of God they are God's sons." The Christian experience has created the doctrine of the reality and friendhood of the spirit.

4th. Jesus presented the relation between man and man, as the right one, to be a relation of love. Jesus said, "Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself." Paul answered, "Now abideth faith, hope, love, these three, but the greatest of these is love," and John said, "Let us love one another, for God is love." Fellowship is the sweet bond of a living unity among those who have learned of Jesus, and helpfulness, the Christian badge. Experience has made a doctine of the Supremacy of Love.

5th. The high ethical demand of Jesus is beginning to be fulfilled in the life of the Christian people, because here is a power that can fulfil it, and the attainableness of moral victory has entered into doctrine. Jesus said, "Ye shall all be perfect, even as your Father in heaven is perfect." Paul, the disciple, replies, "The law of the spirit of life in Christ Jesus has delivered me from the law of sin and death." The fruit of the light is in all goodness and righteousness and truth."

Christ required goodness after the pattern and inspiration of the eternal good, and he brings it to pass by the strong, holy operation of the indwelling spirit. Experience has taught the church to hold with joy the doctrine of the Transforming Power."

Dr. Clarke shows through what influences the early doctrines have come down to us, Greek philosophy, organization and individualism. But after all the explaining and difference and variation, all the elaborating by philosophy and formalizing by churchly organization and scattering by modern thought, these same divine realities hold their place as the centre and substance of the Christian doctrine. 'And the presence in the world to-day of the original body of Christian doctrine, existing not in theory alone, but in experience as an inspiring and renewing force I hail with joy as a proof of the presence of God in the history of mankind.'

Only the genuine experience of the divine grace and life—such experience as the early Christians had, and all the best of their successors—only this can powerfully strengthen the cause of religion in the world.

Already there is a fresh insistence upon genuineness and reality in religion. "The experience of God, of Christ, of the Spirit, of Love, and of Victory is coming in. It will take new forms, but it will be the old reality, and the Christian doctrine will stand forth clear and strong, clear in the light of simplicity, and strong in the light of God."

"FIDELIS."

Among the prominent French statesmen of to-day there are three great figures, all of whom speak English perfectly. The first is M. Clemenceau. It may be forgotten in America that during the closing days of the Empire, M. Clemenceau spent four years of exile in the United States—employed in teaching, I think, most of the time. M. Franklin Bouillon was born in the Island of Jersey where his father had gone into exile after Napoleon the Third's coup d'etat, and his mother was an Englishwoman. He speaks English perfectly, and has therefore been invaluable in the Franco-British Parliamentary Committee, translating French into English and English into French with a lightning-like rapidity that has got him often rounds of applause. M. Cailloux also speaks English also quite fluently. This is a discreditable contrast between our methods of education and those of the continent; after the war a revolution in those methods of education is one of the inevitable things

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25c raisins, 5lb lots, for	44c
10lb. rolled oats for	49c
10lb. corn meal for	49c
25c honey color syrup for	23c
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Burns and Egan are charged by Seymour & Seymour, lawyers, with publishing the contents of private letters to war contracts. They are said to have done the alleged wire-tapping in their efforts to discover the reason for a "leak" from the Morgan firm.

Their counsel in the brief filed when the trial of Burns and Egan began to-day, asserts that in the fall of 1915 a Morgan employee "intent on personal profit entered in a compact with a lawyer practising at the seat of government." By which information regarding the bankers' business on behalf of the Entente Allies was to be imparted to the lawyer, "who, curiously enough, happened to be not only counsel for the German Government in a litigation then, and still pending, but a personal friend and fellow member of the German ambassador." It is alleged that activities of German sympathizers manifested in explosions on outbound steamships and other deeds of violence terminated abruptly after the "leak" stopped.

MYSTERIOUS "HUN" OUTWITS REPORTERS

NAVAL ATTACHE ON SECRET MISSION RETURNS TO THE UNITED STATES IN WOMAN'S GARB WITH A VEIL.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—The diplomatic corps in Washington is having a laugh over what is regarded as a master stroke by a well known naval attache in outwitting New York ship news reporters and others who might readily recognize him, and who might be curious concerning his absence from this country. The attache was known to have left Washington two months ago, but where he went remained a profound secret both there and in New York city, where he is perhaps as well known. Passenger lists of incoming steamships were carefully scanned and passengers duly scrutinized, for the attache's movements were of considerable interest. When he suddenly appeared in the usual official circles two days ago, just as if he had been out of town for a day or two, many of his friends and acquaintances were more than impressed.

His mysterious mission and whence it carried him are not known to any one save the Ambassador to whose staff he is attached. That he was outside of continental United States was well known, however, but how he returned, by way of the port of New York, might well find a place in a chapter of Alexandre Dumas.

Down the gangplank of an ocean going steamship a few days ago a veiled nun, reverently bowing her head beneath her coiffure and clasping her breviary as if in prayer, stepped to the pier. eHr presence on board the vessel had not been noted by the other passengers. She was met by two friends, and all three went in a taxicab to one of New York's leading hotels. The nun was never seen to emerge from the hotel, but the naval attache soon afterward appeared in the dining room.

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Every married man in the ranks of Canada's soldiers means that his wife gave her consent.

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Not alone—as long as Canadian manhood and womanhood knows the meaning of the word "trust." Not alone, as long as Generosity is the handmaiden of Duty and Privilege.

Only an appreciation of the need is required by those of us who here at home keep the hearth fires burning Not for some of us the supreme sacrifice, but for one and all of us at least that whole-hearted answer to the cry of patriotism that never yet has failed to go ringing around the world when the call has come.

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$6,000,000 must be raised in Ontario for the vital necessities of the great work of caring for the needy families of Ontario's men at the front.

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"She hath done what she could"

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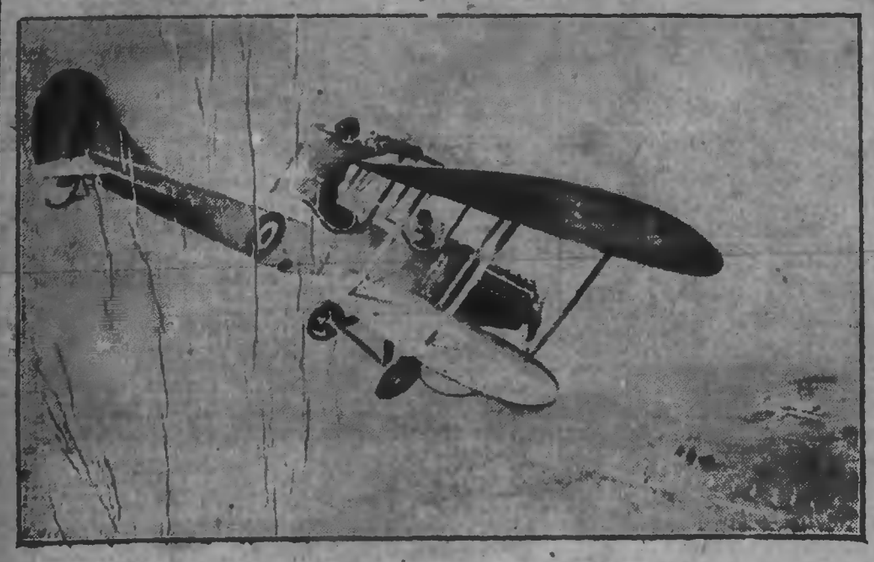

WHAT AN ARMY goes through in making an attack under heavy shell fire can never be appreciated by one who has not had the experience, but some shadow of an idea can be gleaned from seeing Moving Pictures of the Event. In "CANADA'S FIGHTING FORCES, SERIES TWO" which are to be shown for THREE AFTERNOONS AND EVENINGS AT THE GRAND THEATRE, beginning on THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1st, there is a remarkable picture of a CANADIAN BRIGADE making an assault on an enemy position. The wild passion of the men on the attack and the perfect discipline maintained at all times are too incongruous to be believed without having been seen. The use of the new-fangled modification of a very ancient weapon, the catapult, is interestingly demonstrated in this section of the picture.

CANADIANS IN THE FLYING CORPS is another fascinating portion of the series. Scores of young men from this Province have enlisted in the air service and distinguished themselves for their brilliant work. In the film some dozen of these boys are easily recognizable to their friends in the audience by friends in the different towns, hence an extra interest will be lent to the portrayal of flying "stunts" for their own sake. Twenty-five hundred feet of film were taken from the air by Lieut. D. J. Dwyer, the photographer, but owing to the difficulty of focussing in the treacherous air pockets 2,000 feet had to be discarded. The 500 feet shown in "Canada's Fighting Forces" is the finest thing of the kind ever shown in this city, nevertheless.

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WAR TAX EXTRA

SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE ARCHITECT

A committee to appoint an architect and report back at a special session, to meet at the call of the Warden, was appointed by the County Council this morning, composed of Messrs. Anderson, Matheson, McKee, Darling and Warden Brown.

Reeve Rye made a plea for the adoption of a method of issuing dog tags similar to that adopted by the city, giving authority for the destruction of those that are useless wanderers.

The report of the Printing Committee, presented by Reeve McKee, was passed as follows:

That the clerk be authorized to give the printing of all tax sales to the Review and Examiner alternatively.

That the printing of all minutes be given to the newspapers published in the villages in the county alternately, and that, in printing the same, as much matter be inserted in each page as can be reasonably done, and that $1.50 per page be paid for the same.

That all printing be given to the villages consistent with statute.

That in the printing of the minutes there be supplied 100 copies after January session, 100 after June session and 150 after November session.

That the assessment rolls, non-res. rolls and collectors' rolls be distributed between the Review, Examiner and Times newspapers, providing the quality of paper is suitable.

Reeve Griffith presented the Schools Committee report, which was adopted. It provided for the usual payments of inspectors' expenses, school grants and other minor matters.

EATING MEAT REGULAR CLOGS THE KIDNEYS, THEN YOUR BACK HURTS

Flush Your Kidneys Occasionally With a Tablespoonful of Salts to Avoid Danger

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatism twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders.

You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean, and the moment you feel an ache or pain in the kidney region, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good drug store here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is harmless to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity. It also neutralizes the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is harmless; inexpensive; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everybody should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean, thus avoiding serious complications.

A well-known local druggist says he sells lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble.

THE TAX ON PROFITS

How a Company Can Give $1,000 to the Patriotic Fund at a Cost of $750

It may not be known generally that contributions to the Canadian Patriotic Fund and the Red Cross can be treated as expenses in any business subject to the federal tax on profits. This implies of course that the profits on which the tax is based are lessened by the amount of the contributions.

Take a sample case. A business makes a profit of $10000 in excess of seven per cent. The tax on this of 25 per cent. is $2,500. But if the business has contributed $1,000 to the Patriotic Fund its profits will be estimated at $9,000, and its taxation will be reduced from $2,500 to $2,250, a saving of $250.

This means, therefore, that a thousand dollar contribution costs the giver but $750.

MRS. BYRNE IS FORCIBLY FED

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

NEW YORK, January 27.—Mrs. Ethel Byrne, sentenced to Blackwell's Island on conviction of having distributed birth control literature and who immediately began a hunger strike which has lasted five days, was forcibly fed last night.

A white enameled bathtub must be frequently scoured with a slightly cleaning powder if it is to be kept clean.

Be careful when buying a sirloin steakw to select a cut that has little tallow with it. The fat weighs heavy and cannot be eaten.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF WOMEN

Large Attendance Heard Encouraging Reports of Year's Work—Equal Suffrage Petition Will Be Circulated For Presentation to the Legislature.

The annual meeting of the Local Council of Women took place yesterday in the green room of the Y.W.C.A. There was a large attendance, all the societies affiliated with the Council being present. Mrs. (Dr.) Neal, the President, was in the chair.

A resume of the meetings of 1916 was read by the corresponding secretary, (Mrs. (Dr.) Mann. This included lectures by Drs. Caroline Brown and Helen McMurty and Miss Ferguson, all of which had provided exceedingly interesting and helpful.

The report of the treasurer, Miss Davidson showed a balance in the bank of $10.65.

The President, Mrs. Neal, pointed out the idea and aim of the Council was the care, protection and uplift of women and children. She spoke of the idea of forming into an organized corps to go as a body into munitions. This step Mrs. Neal considered unnecessary at present. She also suggested the slogan of the women during the present crisis should be, "Tarift and Economy." This had been carried out in Toronto to such a degree that hundreds of bank accounts had started since the idea was first formed.

Communications were read from Mrs. Plumptre, asking for a representative, or to have some one appointed, to represent the local Council at Toronto of the Social Service Council to be held there. From Mrs. Cummings, replying to the invitation extended to the executive of the National Council to hold their winter meeting in Peterborough. This, she later regretted, could not be done, as by holding the Council in Ottawa they could get directly in touch with the Duchess. However, it was hoped the autumn meeting could be held here.

Mrs. Harstone was chosen to represent the Peterborough branch of the Council at Ottawa.

A communication from Mrs. Torrington, asking for financial assistance, as the finances were low, and the salary of general corresponding secretary must be made up or abandon the office.

Moved by Mrs. Matthews, seconded by Mrs. Mowatt, that $25 should be sent immediately.—Carried. This to be made up by what means the chosen committee of two, Mrs. Stevenson and Miss Davidson, should see fit. A tea was suggested as an idea to raise the necessary amount.

The different affiliated societies were called upon for reports. These showed as a whole to be working on Red Cross work, most of the societies being supplied by the Red Cross Society.

Mrs. Mowatt was elected 4th vice-president.

Mrs. Douglas' paper on the work done for immigrant girls was concise and comprehensive, showing the great undertaking of guarding the girls against the pitfalls so many have slipped into. She pointed out that the society watches for the single women, over 10,853 of whom arrived last year in Quebec, how they are mothered, their description, age, etc. telegraphed to their destination and some one appointed to care for them there. In this way many hav been saved. It is hoped to establish a chain across the continent for this work. She pointed out the danger of the lax laws in permitting undesirable and mentally deficient women coming into Canada, which is a menace to the public.

Dr. Birnie's speech on 'Equal Franchise' introduced some new arguments for the cause. She spoke of the difference in ideas of the place women could and do hold in the world in the past and present. Women as school teachers were ridiculed, but step by step they entered into the broader walks of life, law, medicine, etc., and now the evolution must be complete when, having proved herself man's equal, she will vote with him. Homes will be happier with the common question to discuss. "To me it seems," said Dr. Birnie, "that more divorces are caused by incompatability of intellect than in compatability of temperament." Dr. Birnie had been in communication with many prominent men of Peter borough, 90 p.c. of whom had proclaimed themselves favourable to equal franchise. A number of people will be appointed to circulate the petition for suffrage which will be presented at the Legislature.

Moved by Mrs. Morrison, seconded by Mrs. Harstone that the balance of the business should be brought up at a meeting to be held next month.—Carried.

The officers of the Local Council of Women are as follows:

President—Mrs. F. P. Neal
1st Vice Pres.—Mrs. Robt. Harstone.
2nd Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Jas. Wood.
3rd Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Jas. Kendry.
4th Vice-Pres.—Mrs. A. Mowatt.
Recording Sec.—Mrs. W. R. Morris.
Treasurer—Miss Nina Davidson.
Corresponding Sec.—Mrs. A. Stevenson.

Convenors of Standing Committees—
Public Health—Mrs. J. B. Mann.
Laws for Women and Children—Mrs. T. Cruikshank.
Household Economics—Miss Edna Ferguson.
Press—Miss F. Hatton.
Immigration—Mrs. Douglas.
Education—Mrs. F. E. M. Roberts.
Playgrounds—Mrs. Mowatt.
Equal Moral Standing—Mrs. Stevenson.
Nursing—Miss A. Patterson.
Citizenship—Dr. Birnie.
Care of Mentally Deficient—Miss Lundy.
Conservation of Natural Resources—Mrs. R. H. Parsons.
Subjection of Objectionable Printed Matter—Mrs. Canniff.
Professions and Employment For Women—Miss H. Denison.

SECOND IMPRESSION OF WILSON'S ADDRESS CHANGES THE VIEW

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in either their native tongue of their not very ready French. One day I took up a French paper and found an interview there between a journalist and M. Thomas, the French Minister of Munitions. M. Thomas, as your readers know, was a Socialist and I think a working man before the upset of the war brought him to the great position which he now so worthily occupies. Naturally he did not know any English; and in this interview he pointed to the difficulty that arose whenever he had his consultations with Mr. Lloyd George with regard to munitions that neither understood the language of the other, and accordingly all their conversations had to be carried on through an interpreter.

MR. ASQUITH'S DIFFICULTY

Mr. Asquith could speak French, but he could do so only slowly and of course, without that perfect mastery of the language which he has—none more so—of his own. On one occasion when he went to Italy he was informed that he was going to receive a deputation at Turin or some other of the Italian cities through which he had to pass on his return journey to England. Of course, he knows some thing of Italian and in addition was once a great Latin scholar; so he was able to master the speech in Italian which was perhaps made up for him by his secretaries. When he arrived, however, at the Italian city he found that the deputation was from the English colony of the city and the Italian speech became useless.

Some years ago the late Marquis of Salisbury was very much criticised because he appointed the present Marquis of Lansdowne as his Foreign Secretary. At that time the repute of Lord Lansdowne had sunk very low, for he had been Minister for War during all the first disastrous months of the Boer war. Lord Salisbury replied in private to his critics that Lord Lansdowne was the only member of his Cabinet who spoke French well. Lord Salisbury was himself I think all right in this respect; indeed for many years he spent several months in the Chalet Cecil, as it was called, near Bieppe.

To-day I do not think there is any of the British Ministers who speaks French perfectly. Mr. Lloyd George shows in languages the same curious and weird insight that he has displayed in dealing with military problems. You remember how he first learned French in order to qualify himself for his examination as a young solicitor. His uncle who brought him up was a shoemaker, and he was just as ignorant as the nephew of French. So they got a French dictionary, a French grammar and a French book to learn the language together, setting down each word with chalk on a piece of sole leather taken from the uncle's shop. But Mr. Lloyd George has a memory as tenacious as a rat-trap; he never seems to forget anything. And this early knowledge of French has remained with him all his life. I have seen him read French novels by the score; indeed whenever I get hold of a French book that appeals to me, I send it on to him. He can narrate every scene and every conversation in the book, and you might think that he was a quite perfect French scholar.

But when it comes to speaking, that shyness almost universal among Britishers, stands in the way, and he refuses to speak unless he is driven to it. And yet whenever he gets over the shyness he has no difficulty in expressing himself; he has even less in understanding what is said to him. He always comes back from the front with long and interesting accounts of the conversations he has had with French Generals; somehow or other he manages to convey to them what he wants to know, and they are able to convey to him the answer he wants to get. A few words are sufficient to go a long way with this extraordinary quick and nimble mind. He told me that he managed to travel once quite comfortably through Germany with a knowledge of about twenty German words. It is a pity that a man so quick to learn never had the chance to learn properly. People now call him the Prime Minister, not of England only but of Europe. A knowledge of two or three languages would have made that position still more unquestionable.

GERMANS BETTER EQUIPPED

The Germans, of course, are much better equipped in this respect. Bethmann Hollweg has been suggesting lately that he never used the phrase attributed to him by Sir Edward Goschen in their last interview before the war which called the Treaty of Belgian neutrality a scrap of paper; and this semi-official advocate suggests that the conversation was in German and therefore might be misunderstood or mistranslated by the English Ambassador. The reply has come properly," of course, namely, that the conversation was carried on in English which, it is added Bethmann Hollweg speaks perfectly. Bismarck, of course, spoke English a little slowly but very well, with a certain tendency to air his knowledge by using a good many slang English phrases. I feel pretty sure that there is scarcely any high official of the German Empire to-day who does not speak both English and French. In Buda Pesth there is a club where the rule is that everybody shall speak English.

MAY HAVE BURIED THE WRONG MAN

Harry Kelly, Supposed Dead man, Writes from Idaho

LINDSAY, Jan. 27.—To be drowned in British Columbia, to be buried in Victoria County, to be still alive in Idaho, is the strange tale which is being told about the streets of Lindsay concerning Mr. Harry Kelly, son of Mrs. A. D. Mallon, formerly of Lindsay, but now of Toronto.

Lindsay citizens will remember that some three months ago a young man, who was at the time identified by his mother, brother and sisters, as Harry Kelly, was drowned in British Columbia, where he was employed with a lumbering concern in Vancouver. The remains were embalmed and put in a beautiful coffin and brought to Lindsay, the wake and funeral being held at the home of Mr. Geo. Neal, Lindsay. Interment afterwards took place in the Emily Catholic cemetery.

The story, which has been circulating in Emily for several days past, and which has been told to relatives in Lindsay, is to the effect that Mrs. Kelly has received a letter from the same son in Idaho, U. S. A. The story continues that the man who was buried in Emily burying ground was one by the name of Horselick, and that the lumber firm in British Columbia failed to make the proper enquiries concerning the drowning. Hence the mistake.

However, relatives in Lindsay frown upon the story as being but a silly rumour and they have as yet failed to receive any word from Mrs. Kelly or other relatives concerning the matter. Following the death of Harry Kelly relatives at Fort Francis left for Vancouver to look into the affairs of the deceased, who owned land there, but no word has been received, it is understood, from this source.

At the time of the funeral, however, those who knew the dead man best, failed to distinctly recognize him. He was always known to have worn a moustache, and his photographs (of which there are quite a few) all showed the moustache. The dead man, on the other hand, had no moustache and friends thought at the time that the features were not quite the same.

Needless to say friends and relatives in Lindsay are anxiously awaiting the sifting and clearing up of the story now being circulated.

Large Market in Spite of the Cold

There was a large market this morninf, in spite of the bitter weather. Many farmers received bad frost bites in coming in.

Eggs sold at 48c and 50c a dozen.
Butter, 43c and 45c a lb.
Chickens, 20c a lb.; 75c to $1.40 pr.
Ducks, $1.00 and $1.10 each.
Turkeys, 25c a lb.; $3.00 each.

A Story From The Capital

There is a story going the rounds in Ottawa to the effect that the Peterborough County Council, which invaded the Capital on Thursday, was under police surveillance for some time for having Rye with them.

AUTOINTOXICATION OR SELF-POISONING

The Dangerous Condition Which Produces Many Well Known Diseases.

HOW TO GUARD AGAINST THIS TROUBLE

"FRUIT-A-TIVES" — The Wonderful Fruit Medicine — will Protect You

Autointoxication means self-poisoning, caused by continuous or partial constipation, or insufficient action of the bowels.

Instead of the refuse matter passing daily from the body, it is absorbed by the blood. As a result, *the Kidneys and Skin are overworked*, in their efforts to rid the blood of this poisoning.

Poisoning of the blood in this way often causes Indigestion, Loss of Appetite and Disturbed Stomach. It may produce Headaches and Sleeplessness. *It may irritate the Kidneys* and bring on Pain in the Back, Rheumatism, Gout, and Rheumatic Pains. It is the chief cause of Eczema—and *keeps the whole system unhealthy* by the constant absorption into the blood of this refuse matter.

"Fruit-a-tives" will always cure Autointoxication or self-poisoning—as "Fruit-a-tives" acts gently on bowels, kidneys and skin, strengthens the bowels and tones up the nervous system.

50c. a box, 6 for $2.50, trial size, 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

Rev. Mr. Mitchell At St. Paul's

Rev. T. H. Mitchell of St. Andrew's Church will occupy the pulpit in St. Paul's Church at the evening service to-morrow.

To have dumplings light they should not be uncovered from the time they are put into the pot until they are dished up to serve.

Boiled rice served with chocolate or hard sauce makes a simple and wholesome dessert. Raisins can be cooked in the rice is desired.

Do not protect shrubbery for the winter until the ground is frozen hard. If it is covered too soon it will be damaged.

MOTHERS

If you want something nice for

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FISH — Salmon Trout, White Fish, Halibut, Finnan Haddie, Fillett, Oysters

50c. a box, or 6 boxes for $2.50 at all Druggists, or a free sample will be sent on request to NATIONAL DRUG & CHEMICAL CO. OF CANADA, LIMITED Toronto, Ont. U. S. Address—NA-DRU-CO, Inc. 202 Main St., Buffalo, N.Y.

"I Owe My Life To Gin Pills"

Every one who has suffered from Kidney and Bladder trouble should read this letter from a gentleman in Port Kidney:

"I was once a terrible sufferer with Kidney and Bladder troubles and at times got so bad that I would lose the use of my legs. I could not go away from home without remedies with me. My son advised me to take Gin Pills and after taking the first two or three doses I got relief. I continued to take them until I got completely well. I owe my life to Gin Pills.

Yours very truly,
P. M. Empton.

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YOU WILL FIND THESE VALUES

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BARGAINS! BARGAINS! BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

This Sale still continues—many excellent values are still to be had—scan the list below and visit the store this evening or on Monday. We promise that you will not be disappointed.

$3.50 Blouses $1.00

White embroidery blouses—materials are voiles and linens—convertible collars—some touched with lace. Extremely handsome designs. All sizes. Sale price..... $1.00

$2.48 Satin Underskirts $1.69

Good quality underskirts—pretty brocaded patterns in a medley of colours. Some of heavy black farmers satin. Sale price ....., $1.69

$18.00 and $20.00 Coats $6.95

Chinchillas, curl cloths, tweeds and Whitney are the materials; colors are navy, grey, black and green. Good styles with plenty of swirl to them. Regular $18.00 and $20.00 values. Sale price..... $6.95

$22.00 Suits $9.90

Black and navy serges and black and white checks. Regular $22.00 value. Sale price..... $9.90

$25.00 to $45.00 Evening and Afternoon Wraps $9.90

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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The Pastorate of the Rev. J. A. MacKenzie Closed a Very Successful Year—Increase in Membership—Over One Hundred Members Have Responded to the Call of the Empire—Pastor Commended For His Excellent Work—The Reports.

The Annual Congregational meeting of Knox Church was held on Tuesday evening. There was a good attendance of the members present who took a lively interest in the reports submitted from the various departments. The Rev. J. MacKenzie presided over the meeting which was opened by the singing of a hymn and prayer by Mr. J. F. Morrison. The message from the session as submitted by Mr. T. R. Kennedy, referred in part to their work during the year and their thankfulness for the blessing of God which has manifestly rested upon their efforts.

520 MEMBERS

The members on the roll at the present time are 520, an increase of 60 during the year. There are now over 100 members who have responded to the call of the Empire and are wearing the King's uniform. The report of the Board of Managers as submitted by Robert Mulligan, chairman and J. W. Byers, secretary reviewed the work, and received with satisfaction the results accomplished. That the congregation has prospered is quite evident, as the auditors and treasurers' reports show the finances in a very satisfactory condition with an improvement of 75 per cent. on the current expense account. The thanks of the Board was tendered to Rev. J. A. MacKenzie, The Ladies' Aid Society, the Young People's Guild, the Men's Bible Class, the Berean and Bible Class and other organizations for their valuable assistance and co-operation.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Mr. T. Carpenter, treasurer submitted his report showing a revenue of $5528.06, and expenditure of $5350.68, balance of $227.43. Mr. W. Watt, missionary treasurer submitted his report showing revenue of $706.87, as against $603.83 in 1915, an increase of $106.04. The report from the Sunday School Department was read by Mr. Roy Laing. The enrolment for the year was 550 and the average attendance was very good. The report in part congratulated Mr. M. Clark, General Superintendent and his staff of assistants and teachers on the excellent manner they have controlled their classes which have all competent teachers.

The financial statement of the Sunday School was read by Miss Jessie Miller and showed the receipts $500.86,; expenditure $428.07; balance $68.79. The report of the Primary Department of the Sunday School was read by Miss M. Cunningham. The membership has increased under the superintendance of Miss M. A. MacDonald and staff of five teachers. The receipts were $53.12. The report of the Women's Missionary Society was read by Mrs. J. F. Allin, showing a successful year under the leadership of Mrs. McPherson and Mrs. MacDonald. Clothing and supplies had been shipped to the North West and financial aid given.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

The financial statement was presented by the treasurer, Mrs. Robert Mulligan, the receipts being $184.17 and $11.00 receipts in the Expense Fund. The report of the Ladies Aid Society was read by Mrs. D. Beavis. This has proved to be the most successful year in the history of the Society, and Mr. W. Watt, President and the membership were congratulated on what they had accomplished, which had been of great benefit to the management. The revenue of the Society totaled $941.-26. The financial statement of the choir was read by Miss M. Crocker, showing receipts $40.23; expenditure $27.25; balance $12.98. The report of the Go Forth Mission Band was read by Miss M. Bulmer. The Band retains its record of sowing seeds and kindness by the distribution of clothing and supplies. The financial statement showed receipts of $26.76. The report of the Volunteer Bible Class, was read by Miss Beatrice McGill. The class under the leadership of Mr and Mrs. A. MacKenzie has taken up practical work, the sick have been ministered to by personal visits and flowers, and Red Cross work has become one of the regular activities. The financial statement showed receipts of $43.92. The report of the A. S.K. Bible Class was read by Mr. D. J. McLeod. The A.S.K. class is composed of young men, under the able leadership of Mr. A. MacKenzie. There is a membership of 66 at present, 33 of whom have donned the khaki. During the year the class sustained the loss of two of its charter members in the death of Everett Williamson and Robert Thompson, the latter being killed on the battle fields of France.

WAS CONGRATULATED

The financial statement showed receipts of $73.09; expenditure $66.69; balance $6.40. Mr. W. W. Yale, treasurer of the Men's Bible Class read the financial statement which showed receipts of $160.59 and the retiring President, Mr. R. Hillier was congratulated on the success the Class had achieved. The report of the Berean Bible Class was read by Mrs. Humpage. The Class continues to do a good work under their teacher, Mrs. Rogers, and Red Cross work has engaged the member's time to the full extent and large quantities of hospital supplies has been forwarded. The financial statement showed receipts of $183.55. The Cradle Roll as submitted by Mrs. J. F. Morrison, showed a membership of 62 names. Mr. H. J. McCannan, chairman of the Property Committee submitted a report concerning the fitting up of the basement for Sunday School rooms at an estimate cost of about $1,000. On motion the matter was referred to a Committee to investigate and report to the Board of Managers, Dr. J. Malcolm McCullough, stated that $1,000 had been paid on mortgage and the interest on balance fully paid up.

RETIRING MANAGERS.

The retiring managers were Messrs. H. J. McCannan, F. J. Hall, W. Routley and Robert Mulligan, all being re-elected. On motion the number of the members of the Board was increased from 12 to 15. The new members are Messrs. K. Denoon, R. Hillier and J. Buckham. The membership were unanimous in pronouncing the past year a very successful one in all departments of Knox Church. During the evening Mr. W. J. Byers of Byersville presented the treasurer with two cheques from residents of his district and this brought forth general applause.

E. F. MASON'S DOLLAR DAY REFUNDS

E. F. Mason, Grocer, offered to refund every twelfth cash purchase on Dollar Day. The numbering to start from centre of day's business, and count each way. The Register numbers every transaction, cash and credit, but cash sales only were counted. The holders of following numbers will kindly present same at store office and secure full amount in cash:

3111	3252
3132	3270
3146	3286
3162	3323
3178	3339
3191	3352
3207	3368
3223	3389
3238	3393
	3407

DOLLAR DAY ECHOES.

One advertiser says: "We were rushed, but we will advertise more than ever. We would no more think of curtailing our advertising than we would think of lowering the quality of our goods."

Newspaper Advertising is paying much better, because Newspaper Readers are better educated to look towards it as their guide to buying. For example, Dollar Day.

MORE CHANGES CONTEMPLATED ON GEORGE ST.

It is Said the Bank of Toronto Will Enlarge and Remodel

From what can be learned the corner of George and Hunter streets is to be further improved. The Bank of Toronto it is understood will take over the Hunter street store of H. Le Brun and Co., as an addition to the bank premises and greatly improve the whole corner. The addition is necessary owing to the increased demand for space, caused by increased business. Peterborough has now some fine buildings occupied by commercial businesses and financial institutions and at this stage of getting into permanent and convenient quarters it might be expected that the Bank of Toronto would have a very modern and up-to-date Bank Building when all the contemplated changes have been made. The George street store of H. LeBrun and Co., will be modernized and made very up-to-date so that the clothing stock from the Hunter Street store will be merged with the George Street store for the convenience of the public.

Several law offices are also talked of as finding it necessary to secure new quarters.

MARKET SITUATION FOR THE WEEK

The following comment on the marvances in the prices of bar iron and appeared in Canadian Grocer this week:

A decline of 10c per hundred was recorded in the price of Canadian sugars during the week. Larger supplies of new crop raw sugars are reaching the market. There are some indications that sugar might be lower within the next month or six weeks. Flour held steady during the week, but at the time of writing there is an inclination toward weakness, owing to the easier prices for wheat. Charcoal has advanced in Toronto and will in all probability be increased to the country districts as well.

There is a scarcity of molasses, with a good demand. Difficulty in getting shipments forward is causing a temporary shortage in this product. Prices have been named on new season California figs which are ten per cent. higher than last year. Teas were firmer in the primary market by one cent per pound. Locally the prices in teas held steady. Shippers of shelled walnuts in France have withdrawn quotations for later shipment than February. Japan and Patna rice have been advanced 10c per hundred by one of the large import milling concerns. There have been no advances as yet on rice by wholesalers, but firmness in the primary market has made local prices firm.

POTATOES ARE FIRM.

Potatoes are in firm market. Fish is also slightly higher in some lines, owing to the bigger demand for the product. Live hogs made a considerable advance during the week and pork products were firmer as a result, advances being registered in some lines. Chewing gums have advanced from 5 to 10 per cent. Brown wrapping paper has shown a further advance. Costs of containers and parcel wrapping materials have advanced in cost so rapidly that they are seriously affecting grocers' profits.

The canned goods market is quiet, and prices are being shaded by some wholesalers, although the market generally is firm. The consumption of canned goods has been curtailed by the high prices prevailing. A wide range of prices is being quoted on spices.

Features of the week in hardware markets have been considerable advances in the prices o bar iron and steel, horse shoes, wrought iron washers, axes, cow chains, shelf hardware and many miscellaneous lines. Cut nails have advanced 25c per keg, with further advances in sight. Ingot metals are firm in price, with slight advances recorded in some instances. The lead market continues firm, but with an improvement in the freight situation, prices are expected to ease up a little. Wholesalers and retailers have experienced great difficulty in securing shipments of goods, owing to embargoes placed on certain districts by the railways. Shipments from the United States have been very slow in arriving, and there is a scarcity of many lines of goods. Travellers are making the best of a trying situation created by the curtailment of the passenger train service. Travellers affected most are those working the smaller towns and cities. Business is seasonably good and the outlook for spring is very promising.

Two Big Submarines On Hunt For Raider

NEW YORK, Jan. 26—Word reached New York from Bermuda by the crew of the steamship Bermudian that two big British submarines had arrived there from Halifax and were going south to join the other British and French warships in the search for the German raider or raiders. They were built in Canada, and are 200 ft. long, carry two three-inch guns on the forward deck in addition to a supply of torpedoes, and have a cruising radius of 6,00 miles.

In addition to the submarine, five light cruisers of the Arethusa type, which carry four six-inch guns and a number of smaller quick firers, have called at Bermuda during the past week, and proceeded to sea after spending a few hours at the naval station. Their next base for fuel is St. Lucia. These cruisers have a speed of 30 to 35 knots and have very little armor. Two Italian cruisers with a speed of 25 knots, and four French war vessels with high speed also stopped at Bermuda for a few hours last Friday, and then continued their voyage south. Some of the warships steered toward the West African coast to look out for the raider in case she should try to creep up along the shore.

The British armored cruiser Leviathan, which has been on patrol duty in the waters around Bermuda for some months, took on coal and provisions at Hamilton on Friday, it was said, and left the harbor on Saturday morning on secret orders. She is heavily armored and carries two nine-inch guns in addition to two eighteen inch submerged torpedo tubes, and has a speed of 23 knots.

WOMAN GETS MILITARY MEDAL

For First Time For Bravery in Field

LONDON, Jan. 27.—For the first time in history a woman has won the Military Medal, and it has been awarded to her "for bravery in the field."

She is Staff Nurse Catherine Margaret Carruthers, of the Territorial Force Nursing Service, and the honor now awarded to her is announced officially in the London Gazette.

Sir Douglas Haig mentioned her in his despatch of November 25 last. Nurse Carruthers was bravely carrying on her work of mercy, calmly caring for the wounded in very dangerous circumstances in a "hot" region in France. She was eventually slightly wounded by a shell which burst near the spot where she was on duty. The courageous nurse has now recovered, and has resumed her work among the wounded fighters.

Miss Carruthers, whose home is in Ireland, was trained at the Royal Infirmary, Glasgow.

She afterwards joined the Territorial Force and was posted for duty at the 4th Territorial hospital, Glasgow, a few days after the war began. Some months later she went to France, where she has been doing valuable work in the face of danger.

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LIEUT. HUBBS WRITES FROM SWITZERLAND OF HIS EXPERIENCES

Has Had Some Curling and Wishes he was home in the Hastings Rink

Mr. P. M. Howard of Hastings, has received the following letter from Lt. Fred Hubbs, recently an exchanged prisoner, now in Switzerland.

Much water has rolled over the dam since you heard from me and I from you, but that can all be remedied now. Since July, or rather June, I have been very much in the dark as regards things even in Ontario and at home in Hastings as well. I saw the eye witness account of the my mix-up, that is the general mix-up at Zillebeke. Take it from me that he was no "eye-witness" who wrote it, as absolutely nothing is right, even to the troops engaged, except that they were Canadians. I saw Powers the night before as I was on my tour, but never after. Blackburn brought me my breakfast at 4 a.m., and I have not seen him since, though I have the pleasant news that he is alive and well, or as near well as a man can be in Germany. Rummels got out and of course he had rare good luck, as the other chap, Raynor, who was sent out with him, was killed. Poor Wharrie! I was hoping that being a brigade runner, he would stand a better chance, but in some shows all chances are even. I was hit about three hours before the attack and was out of business when they came over, but my guns were going, and from accounts from chaps I have met who saw my crew working I have every reason to be proud of them. They are all gone but four, from the latest I can find out.

I was exchanged as a useless crock on December 19th at Constance. I passed a commission at Beschofseverda, in Saxony, on November 2nd, and came to Constance, which is on Lake Constance, just on the Swiss border, on November 15th, remaining there until I came over. Of course I had a whale of a trip, and could not bend my leg at all until I found the train had got into Switzerland. Then at the same station an old artillery officer came in, and to the five in my compartment he presented a bottle of Scotch. I believe that it made my leg bend more than all the doctors in Germany! Then at Berne, we sat down to a square meal (there were 20 officers and 400 men.) I carved a real ham for the first time in many moons. The lid was off and we rolled at it. Gradually we got back into our train, and at 5 a.m. started on for here where we are at a hotel about the same class as the King Edward (only it is not dry). All my board is paid but the extras are quite large. Just opposite us is the Jungfrau, the Eger and the Monk, the finest peaks in the Alps; really the scenery is wonderful. I have been curling for three days and expect to be able to skate soon.

I had a four day trip to Chateau D'oeux to bring one of our boys who died there, and had a beautiful trip, and met a lot of my old pals, but I certainly would give an arm to be able to put my legs under my own table, and after tea drop down for an evening's curling at home. I think I have been more homesick since I came here than ever before, though I don't want any more barb wire and Germans with fixed bayonets guarding me.

I was all over Germany, up the Rhine to Stuttgart, then to Bischopeverda, through Lepsig, Nurenburg and Dresden to the Boohemian border, then back across Saxony, Bavaria and Wittenburg to Munich, when I had the pleasure of sleeping on a plank in the town clink; then a boat trip from Lindau up Lake Constance, past Fredrickshaven, where the Zeppelin shed is, with most of its tail feathers pulled out, where one of our aviators dropped a brick on it.

So you see I have been some tourist, and all I await now is the word for home, which I expect is a year away. Give me all the news you can about doings at home, and remember me to all friends.

Yours as ever,
Lieut. F. S. HUBBS,
Interned Prisoner of War,
Murren, Switzerland.

Serbia Remembers Protecting Saint

Conquered and shattered are the Serbians. Belgrade, their proud capital, is a city of ruins, and all the other cities are in the hands of Serbia's enemies. Hated Bulgars and accursed Austrians now lord it over the villages and homesteads of agricultural Serbia. Many of their quaint little communities, where the stareshinas formerly held benevolently despotic sway, are now deserted. Others contain only women, young boys and very old men. Unmarked graves now hold uncounted numbers of Serbian men, while the survivors are fighting bravely on the southern borderland, striving with might and main to reconquer their lost land and rejoin their wives and children. Yet the Serbians are profoundly confident that the invaders will soon be driven out, and the flag of their kingdom go back over the capital of an enlarged and united Serbia.

The Serbians have faith in their allies, faith in themselves, but most of all faith in St. Sava, their patron and protector, whose festival they celebrate to-day. St. Sava's Day is the real national feast of the Serbians, and it is widely celebrated by Serbians and their descendants on this side of the Atlantic, as well as in the stricken mother country. Sava was a royal prince of the thirteenth century, who devoted his life to the education, enlightenment and general betterment of the people of the Balkans. He travelled about the country from village to village, founding schools and churches, and it is in these rural communities that he is held in greatest adoration, and his festival most enthusiastically celebrated.

Rural Serbia is still much as it was in St. Sava's time, in the habits and mode of life of its people. Most of the villages and homesteads comprise a group of families, united by ties of blood, and usually acknowledging the leadership of the stareshina or patriarch of the community, who regulates the labours and distributes the rewards of toil among the various families. The buildings of these villages are usually surrounded by an immense palisade. The chief structure is in the centre, and contains the common kitchen, dining room and assembly hall of the community. In the latter all the members of the community gather in the evening to work and play, and to listen to recitations of the poetical rhapsodies in which Serbian literature is rich, and many of which sing the praises of St. Sava. This simple and patriarchal communal life has been sadly disturbed by the war, and it is not with songs and rejoicing, but with prayers for speedy deliverance, that Serbians will celebrate their festival to-day.

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Toronto Savings and Loan Company Annual General Meeting

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Toronto Savings & Loan Company was held at the head office of the Company, 437 George Street, Peterborough, on Friday, the 26th day of January, 1917, at 3 o'clock p.m.

DIRECTORS' REPORT.

The Directors submit herewith their Thirty-second Annual Report showing the result of the business for the past year, accompanied by the balance sheet to the 31st December, 1916.

After payment of interest on Deposits and Debentures, and all expenses of management, there remain net earnings amounting to $148,485.28, which, together with the balance brought forward in Profit and Loss Account from the year 1915 of $87,661.78, makes a total of $236,147.06, which amount has been disposed of in the following manner:

(1) By payment of Four Quarterly Dividends at the rate of 10% for the year, amounting to	$100,000.00
(2) By Transfer to Reserve Fund	100,000.00
(3) By amount carried forward to Profit and Loss Account	36,147.06
	$236,147.06

The above addition to the Reserve Fund increases that account to $1,000,000.00 making it equal to the present Paid-up Capital.

All payments maturing during the year on the Company's investments have been satisfactorily met, and the rentals from the property owned by the Company have also been promptly paid. The books, accounts and securities of the Company have been carefully examined by the Auditors, and their Report is attached to the Financial Statement.

31st December, 1916.

ASSETS.

Net Value of Investments	$3,783,311.57
Cash on Hand	6,805.65
Cash in Banks	114,677.18
Sundry Accounts due to Company	2,206.00
	$3,907,080.43

LIABILITIES.

Currency Debentures and Deposits with Accrued Interest	$1,900,577.29	
Sterling Debentures with Accrued Interest	841,854.63	
		$1,841,631.92
Sundry Accounts Due to Company		4,301.45
Capital Stock	$1,000,000.00	
Reserve Fund 31st Dec., 1915	$900,000.00	
Transferred from Profit and Loss	100,000.00	
	1,000,000.00	
Profit and Loss Account	36,147.06	
		2,036,147.06
Dividend Payable 2nd January, 1917		25,000.00
		$3,907,080.43

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE.

We hereby certify that we have carefully audited the Books and Accounts of the Toronto Savings and Loan Company for the year ending 31st December, 1916. All disbursements have been properly vouched for, and the postings and balance of the Company's Ledgers have been checked and found correct. The above Statement of Assets and Liabilities shows the position of the Company on the 31st December, 1916, and the Profit and Loss Account is a correct showing of the operations of the Company for the year ending on that date. We have also examined the Securities and find everything in order.

Peterborough, January 10th, 1917.

JAMES A. HALL
F. J. A. HALL
Auditors.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1916.

Balance at the credit of Profit and Loss Account 31st December, 1915	$ 87,661.78
Net Profit for the year, after deducting charges of Management, Interest on Debentures and Deposits, etc.	148,485.28
	$236,147.06

APPROPRIATED AS FOLLOWS:

Quarterly Dividends, No. 88, 89, 90 and 91, being at the rate of 10% per annum	$100,000.00
Transferred to Reserve Fund	100,000.00
Balance carried forward	36,147.06
	$236,147.06

The usual resolutions were passed, after which the following Gentlemen were elected Directors for the ensuing year:

President—Herbert C. Cox, Esq.
Vice-Presidents—W. G. Morrow, Esq., and Richard Hall, Esq.
Directors—D. W. Dumble, Esq.; E. T. Malone, K.C., and E. R. Wood, Esq.

Y. M. C. A. NEWS

Mr. R. F. Downey, Principal of the Central school, will address the Y.M.C.A. meeting Sunday at 4.15 p.m. Mr. Downey, on several other occasions, has addressed young men, giving most inspiring messages. We trust that there will be a good attendance of men and older boys to hear Mr. Downey on Sunday.

Secretary Meserve was in Toronto on Wednesday of this week and spent the afternoon and evening at the Y.M.C.A. quarters, Exhibition Camp. Mr. J. J. Thompson, former physical director of the Peterborough Y.M.C.A., is in charge of the work of the camp, which has a typical Y.M.C.A. outfit designed especially to appeal to the soldier boys. Meals and lunches are served under the direction of Toronto ladies, there being four hundred identified in this effort, working in shifts. The leading attractions are moving pictures, lectures and musicales and other forms of entertainments. On Wednesday Mr. Thompson first conducted a song service which was followed by readings by one of Toronto's leading elocutionists. Later an illustrated lecture on London was given by a leading lecturer. In other parts of the building three tournaments were in progress, checker, chess and trokinole, and many young men were in the correspondence room writing letters. This, we understand, is a typical scene at the Y.M.C.A. quarters, showing that the soldiers enjoy and appreciate all that the Association is doing for them.

Mr. Thompson wished to be remembered to all his friends in Peterborough.

Some time ago an inquiry came to the local Y.M.C.A. from an organization of ladies asking if the Y.M.C.A. was prepared to distribute socks to soldiers at the front. Word has been received from the Y.M.C.A. National Council in Toronto that they will receive and transport to the front and carefully distribute any socks directed to the Y.M.C.A. National Council, 15 Toronto St., Toronto.

Mr. G. A. Gall, circulation manager of the Farm and Dairy, gave a very helpful talk to the Senior Collegiate Club on Friday evening on Advertising. This is one of a series of vocational talks being given to the Collegiate members and it is expected that a talk on Banking and Insurance will be presented at the next meeting of the Club. No Collegiate man should miss these addresses as they are designed with the idea of preparing young men to make a choice for their life calling.

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Peterboro' One of Only Thirteen Counties That Haven't Adopted The County Good Roads System

But City and County Appear Unanimous That There Should Be No Further Delay in Preparing to Inaugurate the System Here.

MR. GEO. HOGARTH'S ADDRESS

That Peterborough County is rapidly approaching a decision to make application for its inclusion in the Protect there was an unanimity of exlicity was indicated quite clearly at last night's special session of the County Council. There was not a dissenting note from the members of the Council nor from the numerous deputation, including a representation from the city and a few rural ratepayers. In fact there was an unanimity of expression that there should be no further delay in adopting this enterprise which, it was admitted, would not only benefit the rural communities, but also advance the interests of the city.

The feature of the conference was an address by Mr. George Hogarth, Chief Engineer of the Provincial Highways Department, who discussed in detail the provisions of the Good Roads Act. One of his most significant remarks was that already twenty-four counties have adopted the County Good Roads system and that thirteen have yet to join the ranks.

Of the former group not one county has indicated a desire to withdraw, nor reported any dissatisfaction with the system.

Among those present at the meeting were the members of the County Council, Mayor Duffus and Aldermen Smith, Weir, Langford, Taylor, Saunders and Duncan, and Messrs. S. R. Armstrong, Ryerson Ritchie, H. C. Winch, D. W. Dumble, Felix Brownscombe, Col. Miller, G. A. Gillespie, M.P.P., E. A. Peck, Vincent Eastwood, Arthur Stevenson, Dickson Hall, W. Comstock, B. D. Hall, R. L. Dobbin, C. H. Amys, M.D., W. G. Freeburn, H. O. Fiske and others.

Warden Brown welcomed the deputation.

Reeve Anderson, of Otonabee, stated that nothing had been done by the County Council's special Good Roads committee last year. But at Mr. Anderson's suggestion the city was asked to what extent it would maintain roads within a specified radius of the city.

Mayor Duffus stated that public works to be undertaken at the end of the war would be indirectly intended for the employment of returned soldiers. He hoped peace would come at least within a year. There were eighteen municipalities adopting the Good Roads system this year. It was therefore regarded elsewhere, as in Peterborough, a very important question. Mayor Duffus gave the assurance that the city would be ready to give its heartiest support when a scheme was decided upon and outlined. He repeated his belief that good roads would be of greater importance than radial railways, especially in this part of the province.

Mr. G. A. Gillespie, M.P.P., declared his interest in good roads, stating that he had always taken the view that it was almost as important for the city to build good roads leading to the city as it was to assist a new industry. Mr. Gillespie promised his assistance in any work the county intended to undertake.

Mr. Peck pointed out the feature of the Act which placed the cost of improved roads upon all the people and not on the farmer alone. As the Act was more widely applied it was likely various amendments and additions would be made to improve it.

Col. Miller remarked that the fault of the old system was that no one was made directly responsible for the maintenance and proper building of roads. Townships carried on the work, but under a wasteful method. In many sections there were stretches of good roads, but they were interlinked with very bad parts. Under the new plan the government and the municipalities were working together and good results were bound to come of this co-operation.

Mr. Hogarth's Address.

Mr. Hogarth introduced his address by referring to the importance of a system that provided permanency. This was the smallest feature of the County Roads System. The Government pays 40 p.c. of the cost of construction and 20 p.c. of the cost of maintenance of the roads designated for improvement. The types of road depend to a large extent upon the material available locally. If a gravel pit is convenient and the road properly built the result is a satisfactory highway even for heavy traffic.

The macadam road of crushed stone will cost about twice as much as that of gravel, but it is required where the traffic demands a hard surface to support a large number of vehicles. The gravel road could be built at a cost of from $1,500 to $2,000 a mile, the macadam would vary from $5,000 to $6,000.

Tar Bound Roads.

Near the city a tar or asphalt macadam is most desirable. It would cost about 5c. a sq. yard more than the plain macadam.

To apply the County Roads scheme, the County Council must first pass a by-law to that effect and prepare a schedule of the roads to be adopted for improvement. When this has been approved by the Lieut. Governor the work may be commenced. If the County Council as a whole declines to adopt the scheme, four townships may secure through the Council its application to them. These townships then received the assistance of the Government.

Question of Finances.

The County Roads scheme is financed by a direct levy on the equalized assessment of the county amounting to a mill and a half, or upon the townships in the system. Permanent work such as bridges may be paid by the issuing of fifteen year debentures in order that the present ratepayers may not be called upon to meet the entire cost of the work.

The Roads Assumed.

Only main market roads are assumed by the county. It is the purpose of the act to improve the market facilities throughout the whole year. The townships are thus enabled to provide better side roads.

Suburban Roads.

When the scheme applies to suburban roads, a commission of three is appointed, one man representing city, another the county, and these two select a third. They determine the area for suburban roads to be improved. The radius might be six or eight miles.

The cost of construction of such roads is apportioned as follows. By the county 30 p.c., by the city 30 p.c., and by the province 40 p.c.; and for maintenance 40 p.c. each by the county and city and 20 p.c. by the province.

Ald. Smith inquired about the city's voice in the determination of the suburban roads. Mr. Hogarth replied that the Commission must be agreed upon such roads. That done, the city must provide a share of the cost equal to that paid by the county.

Mr. Eastwood endorsed the city's assumption of a share of the cost of suburban roads. These were of more advantage to the city than to the county. We must have, he said, better roads as soon as the work can be undertaken.

Preparatory Work.

Mr. Hogarth stated that it takes about a year to outline the work, appoint a superintendent and otherwise prepare for the inauguration of a system. The counties are being advised at the present time to endeavour to maintain their roads assumed by by-law, to properly grade and drown them in order to keep the water off them. Mr. Hogarth particularly stressed the importance of drainage, stating that in the past the surface was allowed to become soaked and sodden. Every passing vehicle dug deeper holes and ruts as a result of that softened condition.

In the construction of a gravel road the gravelled section should be from seven to ten feet in width, with a shoulder of six to eight feet. Nearer the city the width of gravel might be 18 feet with a shoulder on each side of four or five feet. In some places it might be preferable to gravel the entire width of road about twenty-six to twenty-eight feet.

The system does not dispense with statute labour, which still remains under the authority of the township, which may have it worked where the county decides.

In regard to the appointment of a road superintendent, Mr. Hogarth stated that the county should have a trained engineer. He recommended that the official should be a practical man. A Government inspector visits the county roads to see that they are constructed according to the proper principles of road building. At the last session of the Government a provision was made to assist in paying the salary of a township superintendent, the Government paying one-quarter of his salary up to $300 for the first three years.

Regarding the city's contribution toward suburban roads it may be called upon to pay up to one half a mill of the city's assessment for the cost of construction.

Mr. Dumble and ex-Warden Darling spoke in favour of the good roads scheme as did Reeves Anderson and Rye. The latter related briefly outlined what Monaghan had been endeavouring to do to provide better roads.

At the conclusion of the meeting a vote of thanks was moved to Mr. Hogarth by Reeve Squire of Norwood, seconded by Col. Stevenson.

PUBLIC LIBRARY NOTES

The Public Library Committee have recently purchased a complete set of Doubleday, Page & Co.'s Nature Books. These will be kept in the Reference Department and should be very useful in conjunction with the Museum, for pupils, teachers, and other nature lovers, in helping them to identify specimens, to place them in their correct family, and to learn about their habits and natural haunts.

Nature study rightly forms part of our Provincial education. There are few things about which healthy children (even cooped up in the heart of a city) show more curiosity and interest than about natural objects, especially living things, beasts, birds, insects, fish, flowers, and trees. We all know what a fillip novelty gives to our interest, but most of us forget that to children everything, even the commonest beast or flower of the field, and the homeliest fowl of the air, is new and exciting. Even when they are nearly grown up and go further afield by wood or lake, especially camping, they are still like novices at original research and making discoveries day after day in the animal or in the vegetable kingdom. One of the first things the young discoverer clamors for is the name, and many a tender bud of interest has been nipped by the grown-up's careless or contemptuous admission of ignorance: "Oh, it's only a 'worm' or a 'bug,' or a 'weed,' or a 'ground-bird,'" as the case may be.

NEW NATURAL HISTORY.

The Library possesses an excellent standard work in Richard Lydekker's New Natural History. This is thoroughly comprehensive, accurate and up-to-date; it is well illustrated, too, and no greater master in the study of Zoology could be found than Lydekker, the author of one of the best histories of our domestic horse yet published in English. But the New Natural History is too scientific for any except adults, and the most thoughtful of students; moreover, its illustrations are taken from all over the world, chiefly Europe and the Tropics.

What we needed for this group of readers was a popular work on the flora and fauna of North America. For those whose interest, once awakened, has endured, and who are steadily pursuing some chosen line of nature study, Lydekker's volumes form an admirable supplement to the Doubleday, Page & Co.'s Nature Library. These Nature books deal entirely with the life of North America; they are fully even richly, illustrated in natural tints by the three-colour photography process; the letter-press is instructive and accurate, but not too technical to be understood. There are seventeen of these volumes, and nearly all are excellent, quite the best thing of their kind in the great book world.

A few years ago the present writer got the two volumes of this series by Holland, on Butterflies and Moths for the use of a field club and wrote to the late Professor Fletcher of Ottawa for his opinion of the choice. James Fletcher was one of the highest authorities in our Dominion, and his letter, in reply, brimmed over with good things; had such books come his way when he was a school boy he would have been in the seventh heaven with delight; books with good coloured pictures of beasts, birds, insects and flowers, before colour-photography, cost from $20 to $100 a volume; nowadays, parents, dominies, bachelor uncles and big brothers could make youngsters rich for life at an outlay of $3 or $4, the price of the Butterfly book or "Bird Neighbours" and ought to be ashamed of themselves if they lost the chance of suiting some such present to the taste of the little folk.

COLOUR PLATES.

The beauty and the truth of the colour plates may be judged from the fact that practically all the butterflies of North America can be identified, even to the species, all the larger moths, most of the medium sized and less conspicuous, besides the general at least of the smaller drabs and neutral-tinted sorts, from Holland's coloured plates in the volumes on Butterflies and Moths. In Miss Blanchan's book on Flowers most of the showy wild flowers of Ontario will be found with most interesting descriptions; a special feature of this gifted authoress' writing on plants lies in her interpretation of flower structures as adapted to insect visitors; these guests are lured to the flower by its chalice of nectar, but have to pay for their sip of sweetness by becoming carriers of their host's pollen to other flowers of the same kind. Her books on birds have earned high praise and a preface from the editor of Recreation (G. O. Shields) as well as from the father of aesthetic ornithology, (John Burroughs). "Bird Neighbors" describes 150 of the common birds of garden, orchard, field and forest, while its companion volume contains as many as 170 kinds of hawk, owl and game bird. Dugmore's name is now almost a household word for skill with the camera, and his "Bird Homes" reaches a very high order of excellence.

Nina Marshall's books on Mushrooms and Mosses are also very serviceable and the Reptile Book of Raymond Ditmars, both picture and writing, is full of fearful fascination. The author is a snake fancier and has collected for many U. S. scientific institutions. If you are tired of the dull monotony of mere living and want something blood-curdling, read some of his pages of hair-breadth escape from poison fangs; but whatever you do don't take up the page on Rattlesnake Jack just before bed-time. Poe's "Murder in the Rue Morgue," or Kipling's "Bertram and Bimi," might spare you the horrors of nightmare, but not the Rattler.

Altogether, these additions to the library, linked with specimens taken or seen by the inquirer, or supplemented by the excellent museum of the library, should prove an invaluable boon to hundreds of our citizens, pupils, teachers, and all genuine amateurs (i.e., lovers) of God's out-of doors.

F.J.A.M.

ASSEMBLY HALL

A very cordial invitation is extended to all to a special meeting in the above hall to-morrow night, at 7 o'clock. Mr. Dan. McGeachy, a servant of Christ, labouring in the Gospel, is expected on this afternoon's train from Ottawa, and will preach the Gospel of Christ to-morrow evening at 7 o'clock, and will continue to minister the "word of the Lord" each night next week, except Saturday, at 8 o'clock. Assembly Hall, first floor old Opera House Building, George Street.

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW

ANGLICAN

St. John's Church

REV. J. C. DAVIDSON, RECTOR.

4TH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Matins and Sermon.
Processional 530—Lead us, Heavenly Father.
Venite 16.
Te Deum—Dr. Hopkins.
Jubilate 59.
Office Hymn 172—Alleluia Song of Sweetness.
Before Sermon 469—Fierce raged the tempest.
Anthem—Conquering Kings—Maunder.
God Save the King.
Recessional 524—The Church's one Foundation.
3 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes.
7 p.m.—Choral Evensong and Sermon.
Processional 497—How Beauteous are the Feet.
Responses to Tallis.
Psalm Chants: 95, 104, 96.
Magnificat—Winchester.
Nunc Dimittis—Winchester.
Office Hymn 462—Be thou my Guardian.
Before Sermon 579—O Jesus, I have promised.
Anthem—Praise Ye the Father—Gounod.
God Save the King.
Recessional 34—The day is past and over.
The Rev. Canon Cornish will officiate.
Richard J. Dever, Organist and Choirmaster.

All Saints' Church

REV. R. B. GROBE, M.A., RECTOR.

4TH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

11 a.m.—Morning Prayer.
Hymn 530—"Lead us Heavenly Father Lead on."
Venite 7; Psalms 119; Te Deum 30-31; Jubilate 49.
Anthem—"One sweetly Solemn thought."
Hymn 405—"Art Thou Weary, Art Thou Languid."
Alms Presentation 389.
Hymn 494—"How Sweet the name of Jesus Sounds."
Amen 139.
3 p.m., Sunday School.
Mrs. Stevenson's Bible Class for Ladies.
The Rector's Bible Class for men.
4 p.m.—Holy Baptism.
7 p.m.—Evening Prayer.
Preacher—Rev. Prof. Cotton, M.A.
Hymn 476—"Hail to the Lord's Anointed."
Psalms to chants 7a 135, 98.
Magnificat 75. Nunc Dimittis 193.
Anthem—"Incline Thine ear."
Boss Solo—"Mr. T. H. Boody."
Hymn 419—Breathe on me breath of God
Alms Presentation 389.
Hymn 503—Rock of Ages Cleft for me.
Amen 139; Vesper 48.
Choirmaster, Mr. George E. Chandler.
Organist, Miss Flowers.

St. Luke's Church

ASHBURNHAM—EAST CITY.

REV. W. H. WHITE, M.A. RECTOR.

4TH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Morning Service.
3 p.m., Sunday School and Bible Classes
7 p.m., Evensong and sermon.
Wednesday 7.45—Bible Study and Conference.
Superintendent of Sunday School, J. J. Turner, Jr.
Organist and Choir Leader, Mrs. W. A. Brendadon.

St. George's Church

South Peterboro. Lock and Braidwood

REV. J. PRICE, RECTOR.

11 a.m.—Matins and Sermon.
3 p.m., Sunday school.
7 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon.
Tuesday 8 p.m.—Social Gathering of members and friends of St. George's Church. All are most cordially invited to attend.
Wednesday 7 p.m.—Sunday School.
Wednesday 8 p.m.—Choir Practice.
Organist and Choirmaster Mr. Turner.

St. Alban's Mission

Church of England.
Business Street, Brownton.
Mr. C. A. C. Symons in charge.
11 a.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—Evening Service and Sermon.
Tuesday 7 p.m.—Boys' Brigade.
Thursday 7 p.m.—Mission Band.
Preacher—Mr. C. A. C. Symons.

METHODIST

George Street Methodist

REV. R. G. PEEVER, B.D., PASTOR.

10 a.m.—Society Class meeting and Junior Epworth League.
11 a.m.—"The duty, privilege, and helpfulness of church membership."
Morning Music:
Organ Prelude—Andante Gracioso—Smart.
Anthem: Conquering Kings their Titles Take—Maunder.
Solo part—Miss Etta Kemp.
Solo—Spirit of God—Neidlinger.
Mrs. J. H. Renwick.
Postlude—Slow March—Gluck.
3 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class.
7 p.m.—"A young woman's preference or the only needful thing in life."
Evening Music:
Organ Prelude—Berceuse—Delbruck.
Anthem—A Dream of Paradise—Gray.
Solo part—Mrs. J. H. Renwick.
Male Quartette—Hold Thou my hand—Main.
Mr. Edward Jones, Mr. Edwin Walton, Mr. G. C. Parsons, Mr. Wesley Dartnell.
Postlude—March Romaine—Gounod.
Mr. J. H. Renwick, Organist and Choirmaster.

Trinity Methodist Church

ASHBURNHAM—EAST CITY.

REV. J. P. WILSON, B.A., PASTOR.

The Pastor will preach at both services.
11 a.m.—Public Worship.
Morning Music:
Anthem—"Seek ye the Lord"—Roberts
Solo—"Softly and tenderly"
Miss Taylor.
2.30 p.m.—Sunday School, Bible Classes and Brotherhood.
7 p.m.—Public Worship.
Subject—Equal Franchise.
Evening Music:
Anthem—"Sun of my Soul"—Turner
Duet—"My Faith Looks up to Thee"—Vincent.
Misses Taylor and Pollard.
Monday 8 p.m.—C. L. A. Society.
Monday 8 p.m.—Prayer Meeting.
Thursday 8 p.m.—Choir practice.

Mark Street Methodist

PREACHER, REV. R. A. WHATTAM

11 a.m., Morning Service.
Anthem—"The Father's Love"—M. Clifton.
Quartette—"We shall shine as the stars"—J. Deventer.
Maidenese Wand and Sacco.
Messrs. Lock and Sacco.
3 p.m., S. S. and Bible classes.
7 p.m., Evening Service.
Anthem—"No Light There"—L. Hall
Anthem—"Book of Acts"—G. Bowles.
Organist and Choir Leader, Mrs. J. Lock
All Welcome.

St. James' Methodist

REV. R. URRATRIX, PASTOR.

10 a.m.—Fellowship Meeting.
11 a.m.—Morning Service
Rev. Dr. W. F. Oates, representing the Dominion Alliance will convey the pulpit at the evening service.
Subject—A Hand Leaning to Lean.
Anthem—O love that will not let me go—(Shumba.)
Solo part by Mr. Bailey.
2.30 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class.
7 p.m.—Evening Service.
Subject—Temperance.
Evening Music:
Anthem—Jesus lover of my soul—(Williscott.
Offertory—There's a Friend in the Homeland—(Stevens.)
Misses E. Young and A. Lee.
Messrs. R. Turner and A. Farr.
Organist and Choirmaster Mr. R. Hill.

PRESBYTERIAN

Knox Church

REV. J. A. MACKENZIE, B.A., PASTOR

11 a.m.—Morning Service.
7. W. Duncan, Esq., will preach.
Prelude—Harold Malling.
Anthem—Gentle Holy Saviour—Gounod.
3 p.m., Sunday School and Bible classes.
7 p.m.—Evening Service and Sermon.
Rev. D. Brown will preach.
Prelude—Allegretto in F flat minor—Harris.
Anthem—Abide with me—Churchill.
Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 p.m.
Seats free, and strangers welcome.
Mr. George Kenyon, Organist and Choirmaster.

St. Paul's Church

REV. ROBERT POGUE, PASTOR.

11 a.m.—Morning Service
Organ Prelude—Communion in F—Grison.
Recit & Aria—"Arm Arm Ye Brave" (Judas Maccabaeus)—Handel.
Mr. Arthur Hilton.
Offertory Anthem—"Rest of the Weary"—Tambyln.
Solo part by Mr. G. M. Steer.
Organ Postlude—"Festival March"—Smart.
3 p.m., Sabbath School, Young Ladies' Class, Teacher, Rev. R. Pogue; Young Men's Class, Teacher, Mr. M. H. Gowan.
7 p.m.—Evening Worship.
Organ Prelude—Andante in D—Silas.
Solo (contralto)—Eternal Day—Tate.
Miss Gertrude Stevens.
Offertory Anthem—Father Keep me in Thy care"—Hodges.
Solo part by Mr. Douglas Carlisle.
Organ Postlude—"Folk Song"—Nicode.
Organist and choirmaster, Mr. Joan Allan.

St. Andrew's Church.

CAPT. JAMES ROLLINS, MINISTER.

Rev. T. H. Mitchell, Minister in charge.
11 a.m.—Divine Service.
3 p.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—Divine Service.
Prelude—Adagio, from Moonlight Sonata—Bethoven.
Anthem—Grant to us Lord we Beseech Thee—Barnby.
Offertory—Gondoliers Song.
Solo—Not a sparrow falleth—Gilbert.
Miss Helen McLaren.
Postlude—Gloria in Excelsis from twelfth mass—Mozart.
Herbert C. Tranter, Organist and Choir Master.
Strangers Welcome. Seats Free.

BAPTIST

Murray Street Baptist Church

REV. J. R. WEBB, PASTOR
Residence 194 London

11 a.m.—Morning Service.
Prelude—Pastorale—Faulkes.
Baritone Solo and Chorus—On Calvary's Brow—Kerr.
Mr. Asa Haycock and choir.
Offertory—Tenor Solo—Flee as a Bird—Scott.
Mr. Walter Evans.
Postlude—It is Day—Mendelssohn.
3 p.m.—Sunday School.
Mr. Walker's Adult Class.
7 p.m.—Evening Service.
Prelude—Andante—Wheeler.
Soprano Solo and Chorus—I can Trust Him—Lorens.
Miss Florence Hunt and Choir—(Unaccompanied.)
Offertory Soprano Solo—Face to face—Johnson.
Miss Myrtle Succee.
Postlude—Gloria.
All seats free and strangers are cordially welcome.

Park Street Baptist Church

PASTOR REV. DOUGALD BROWN.
235 Reid Street.

11 a.m., Morning Service.
Subject—"Growing in Grace."
3 p.m., Sunday School. Supt. Mr. F. A. D. Fry. Men's Bible Class, Teacher Rev. Dougald Brown. Ladies' Bible Class, Teacher, Mrs. A. Nicholls.
7 p.m., Evening Service.
Evening—Mr. Frank W. Usman of the Dominion Alliance will speak.
Monday 8 p.m.—B.Y.P.U.
Wednesday 8 p.m.—Prayer and Praise Service.
Thursday, 8 p.m., Choir Practice.
Mr. A. Nicholls, Organist and Choir master.
Seats free. Everybody welcome.

ROMAN CATHOLIC

St. Peter's Cathedral

There will be two masses celebrated.
At 8 a.m.—Low Mass. At 10:30 a.m.—High Mass. At 7 p.m.—Vespers and Sermon.

MISCELLANEOUS

Bethany Tabernacle

PASTOR, A. G. DOWER.

Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
3 p.m.—Sunday School. Supt. Eld A. J. Johnson; Adult Bible Study Class, Romans, Pastor; Young Women's Class Miss Nellie Jones, graduate of Bryan Institute.
7 p.m.—Special lecture by Pastor on Illustrated Dispensations; Chart.
Spiritual, congregational singing led by Miss N. Jones, soloist and decompose.
All requests for special prayer or visitation will be promptly and faithfully attended to.
All inquirers gladly met at close of any service.
A cordial welcome to all.

Salvation Army Temple

9 a.m.—Prayer Meeting.
10 a.m.—Y. P. Directory Class.
Open Air at the corner of McDonnel and Aylmer streets 10:15 a.m.
11 a.m.—Holiness Meeting.
2 p.m.—Sunday School.
2.15 p.m.—Open Air George and Hunter streets.
3 p.m.—Free and Easy.
6.15 p.m.—Gaelic Open Air, Hunter St.
6.15 p.m.—Junior Open Air Gwynden House.

Assembly Hall

George Street. First Floor Old Opera House Building.)
Meetings on Lord's Day.
11 a.m.—Breaking of Bread.
3 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class.
7 p.m.—Gospel Meeting.
A hearty welcome to all.
"Christ died for the ungodly."

Gospel Hall

Corner Queen and Brock Sts.
GOSPEL SONG SERVICE
10 a.m.—Sunday School.
11 a.m.—The Lords Supper.
7 p.m.—Gospel Meeting.
Sunday evening at 7 p.m. all are invited to attend a special meeting in the above Hall, when Mr. R. [illegible] of Toronto will preach the Gospel. No collection.
8 p.m. Wednesday—Prayer Meeting.

Free Methodist

Aylmer Street, Between Chestnut and Hunter Streets
REV. H. SNYDER, PASTOR.

Tonight 8 o'clock—Preaching by Rev. W. H. Reynolds D.D., of Waterloo.
Sunday Services—
9.30 a.m.—Love Feast.
11 a.m.—Preaching, followed by the administration of the Lord's supper.
7 p.m.—Preaching.
3 p.m.—Sunday School.
Come and hear the truth, preached by Elder Reynolds.
Everybody Welcome.

COTTAGE PRAYER MEETINGS

Evenings at 7.40 o'clock. Come and bring some one else, as follows:
Monday Evening, January 29—At Mr. Hazlehurst, 8 Hunter Street East.
Tuesday Evening, January 30—At Mr. Neil's, 99 Bethune street.
Thursday Evening, February 1st—At Mr. Oates, 238 Dublin street.
Friday Evening, February 2nd—At Mr. Truscott's, 377 Edinburgh street.

IN THE WORLD OF SPORT

SOLDIERS WIN SNAPPY EXHIBITION GAME FROM T.R. AND A.A. SENIORS

247th Speed Boys Victorious by 9 to 6 After Clever Battle With Toronto Team—Homesters Were Ahead Most of the Distance.

CROWD LIKED THE BATTLE

The 247th intermediates maintained their winning smit last night, when they took Bud McLean's T. R. and A. A. seniors into camp by a score 9 to 6, in a snappy exhibition game at Brock Street rink. The Soldiers were in front nearly all through the procession, leading by 4 to 2 at the end of the first period, and 7 to 5 at the close of the second. The visitors were only leading the procession once, and that was in the early stages of the first period. They were soon overhauled and the 247th took the lead and were never headed afterwards.

The game was played six men aside owing to the fact that Hicks of the T. R. and A. A. was ill, and unable to go on. The six-man style did not suit the homesters, who found it interfered with their team work to some extent. However, they tore off some fine passing at times, and a number of the goals were the result of snappy combination that carried them inside for shots. The visitors passed nicely as well, but on the whole the game was of the N. H. A. variety, with little back-checking and the teams alternating in speedy dashes that kept the fans on their toes all the way. The pace was fast and both teams gave a fine exhibition of speedy skating and stick-handling. The absence of consistent back-checking combined with the six-men-a-side style opened up the play and it was a pretty game for the spectators. The crowd was not nearly as large as the excellence of the contest merited.

In beating the T. R. and A. A. the Peterborough soldiers put away a pretty fast senior aggregation, as the visitors had five of their regulars in action and were reinforced by Smylie, the good right wing of the Dentals' senior team. Crooks, the former Hamilton-Port Colborne net guardian, was between the posts for the Toronto gang, and he saved them from a much worse beating. Crooks gave as clever an exhibition as has been seen in the nets here for some time. The Petes were slinging them at him hard and fast from all angles, and at all ranges, and he remained cool and unworried through it all. The ever green Bud McLean, although he loafed a lot, was the star of the visitors. He broke in fast and used his head all the way with the result that he was responsible for four of the visitors' goals. Brickenden, the Cobalt Lake boy, who is a member of the 208th Battalion, was very effective on the defence, and rushed nicely as well. Hill started at centre, but McLean soon moved up there himself, and sent Hill back to the defence, where he did good work. Smylie of the Dents., on right wing, and Artindale on the other side of the rink, are two very likely boys.

All the home brigade showed up well. The team uncovered more combination than in their earlier games, and should improve steadily in this respect. The forward line, Adams, Armstrong and Evans were all going strong and the three puffed off some pretty combination, as well as a wealth of good individual stuff. All three stick-handled beautifully and the fans enjoyed their performance. Halpin was very effective on the defence, and Flanagan and Thornton both did good work, the former playing the first period and the latter in the last two. Legros gave a fine exhibition in the nets. The style of hookey played gave him a lot of work to do, and he handled himself nicely. With the exception of two shots from McLean's stick, one of which he never saw, the counters scored against him were at close range.

Referee J. P. Bond handled the game satisfactorily.

The line-up:

T. R. and A. A.	247th.
Goal.	
Crooks	Legros
Defence	
Brickenden	Halpin
McLean	Flanagan
	Thornton
Centre	
Hill	Armstrong
Right Wing	
Smylie	Adams
Left Wing	
Artindale	Evans

It was fast going from the start, and both goal-keepers had an early chance to show their ability. Crooks handled a couple of nice shots. Then Evans broke away and passed to Armstrong, who flammed goal No. 1 past the visiting net-man.

The Toronto gang opened out fast after this set-back and soon tied the score. Brickenden was responsible, as he broke up a Peterborough rush, and breaking down the centre, slipped the rubber out to Hill who scored nicely.

McLean stopped one of Armstrong's swift shots with his leg, and the game was held up until he recovered. When they got going again T. R. and A. A. flashed out in front, when Hill came down with McLean and Smylie, bluffed a pass, and then sailed in alone when the defence opened up. Legros had no chance to save, and the score was 2 to 1 for the visitors. They did not hold the lead long, however, for Armstrong, and Adams broke away for a passing run, and although Crooks got the first shot, Evans swooped in and batted through the rebound, putting the teams even again.

The prettiest combination of the night gave the Soldiers the lead, when Adams got away and passed to Evans, who slipped the rubber to Armstrong, and the tall centre scored from close in. That left it 3 to 2, and Adams increased the majority by a pretty individual rush for a score. There was nothing more doing in the period.

The 247th were the first to score in the second stanza, Evans rushing and passing to Armstrong, who flipped the rubber into the top corner of the nets.

Armstrong added another shortly after, when he tore off a beautiful rush. The rubber went behind the nets, but Adams followed in and passed out to Armstrong, who registered.

Then the T. R. and A. A. commenced a dangerous spurt and nearly crawled up on even terms. McLean started the fireworks when he tore up the centre and fooled Legros with a swift shot. The veteran of the visitors followed with another counter on a good drive from the side. Then McLean, Hill and Artindale broke away together and although Legros stopped the first shot, Hill slammed the rebound through before he could clear.

With the visitors only a goal behind it was getting too close for comfort. A long shot from Thornton got away from Crooks, however, and the Soldiers were again two to the good, the figures remaining unchanged to the end of the period.

McLean opened the last session by taking a pass from Smylie and scoring at close range, making the figures 7 to 5. The Petes got going and for the next five minutes Brooks was the busiest man on the ice. He beat the Soldiers half a dozen times when they were inside, making some spectacular saves. Finally Evans contributed one of the feature plays of the night, when he got away at centre and circled through the visitors. He fell while eluding Brickenden, but rolled over unto his feet, regained the rubber and slammed a swift one past Crooks.

Evans also nailed the last goal of the night when he took a timely pass from Thornton and drove a beauty into the nets. There was no further scoring.

The summary:

First period—

1—247th, Adams, 1 min.
2—T. R. and A. A., Hill, 4 mins.
3—T. R. and A. A., Hill 3 mins.
4—247th, Evans, 5 mins.
5—247th, Armstrong, 2 mins.
6—247th, Adams, 2 mins.

Second period.

7—247th, Armstrong, 2 mins.
8—247th, Armstrong, 5 mins.
9—T. R. and A. A., McLean, 4 mins.
10—T. R. and A. A., McLean, 2 mins.
11—T. R. and A. A., Hill 2 mins.
12—247th, Thornton, 2.30 mins.

Third period—

13—T. R. and A. A., McLean, 2 mins.
14th—247th, Evans, 5 mins.
15th—247th, Evans, 6 mins.

BROCK ST. RINK

SKATING TO-NIGHT

Best Ice of the Season

BAND

in Attendance

Skating Until 10.30

Hot Drinks, Sandwiches and Candy at the Refreshment Booth.

WITH THE CURLERS

Things are dull these days at the curling rink. The nights are lively with business, professional and other estimable citizens sweeping muscles up and down their arms and across their shoulders and actively warring on adipose tissue and middle age rotundity, the meanwhile enjoying the grand old game of raising, drawing, running, nicking and the other fine strokes of the winter pastime of the Scots. The nights are bright with fellowship, unkindled with Scotch and an abundance of nitrogen lamps that have recently suffered the imposition of a metre. Other worries being forgotten for the moment every evening is the perfect end of a day that is soon forgotten on the ice.

But the old leisure class that used to gather in the morning to reassemble after luncheon is noticeably absent. The war lords who held regular cabinet sessions in the mornings delving into questions of strategy and tactics on the various fronts, these are conspicuously absent. You will find them variously scattered about munition shops, 'tis said. Some are inspectors, other are machine men. The insistent call of the shell factories got them one by one. To-day they are doing ten hours more deeply involved than they expected, probably, in the work they freely discussed twelve months ago.

Gone, too, is the "Kickers' Club." This organization was wont to convene in the afternoons concentrating its attentions upon the affairs of the Rink company, the club and the skips. There hasn't been a single meeting this year. When the first signs of ice appeared the suggestion was thrown out that perhaps the sessions might be appointed for evenings, but the idea bloomed for a day or two only to meet the frost of the demands of the night games. The Kickers' Club was a lusty organization. It struck out in every direction, that is at the meetings, and at times beats its own breast when a member had to be called on the carpet. It was a production of leisure, and as such neither knew nor respected any of the conventions in the conduct of affairs. It is scarcely necessary to add that the Club's doings were ephemeral, sufficient only to the particular afternoon's whims and fancies, and never reaching the main body of the curlers.

But even its pseudo-seriousness has gone with its levity, and its leisure. Hence the days are dull and colourless. And few members of the old guard drop around occasionally, but the days are under a cloud; the old spirits are in the shell factories.

Last Night's Scores.

The schedule games last night resulted as follows:

Dr. Weldon	J. H. Parsons
C. G. Graham	G. Benor
P. D. Fitzgerald	C. H. Pennefather
R. P. Best	R. M. Waddell
Skip 8	Skip 9
W. R. Turner	Geo. Gladman
W. J. Oke	W. G. Read
G. H. Giroux	J. H. Ferguson
Skip 14	Skip 8
E. H. D. Halt	W. B. Warne
A. M. Laidlaw	G. R. Munroe
W. P. Adamson	W. R. Widdis
Wm. Lang	F. M. Dela Foase
Skip 14	Skip 10

The Tankard Date.

The Tankard games will be played in Toronto on Tuesday, Feb. 6th, and the District Cup games on the following Tuesday, Feb. 13th. R. M. Waddell's and Alex. Taylor's rinks have qualified for the Tankard and Alex. Kay and W. D. Campbell for the District Cup.

Millbrook Won.

Three Millbrook rinks went home delighted last night after trimming three good Peterborough rinks by a total of 34 to 20. Dr. Greer defeated Skip Needler, but Dick Davidson and Bob Sturgeon were considerably down. The visitors enjoyed the game and are coming back for the bonspiel. The scores were as follows:

Millbrook		Peterborough.
Sayles		Sturgeon
Skip 14		Skip 7
Edmonds		Davidson
Skip	15	Skip 4
Needler		Dr. Greer
Skip	5	Skip 29
	34	20

PETERBOROUGH JUNIORS BACK IN THE RUNNING

Oshawa Series is Cancelled Owing to Ineligibility of Oshawa Player and Games Are Ordered to Be Re-played, the First Game Here on Tuesday Night and the Return in Oshawa on Friday.]

The Peterborough Juniors are once more back in the running. The Oshawa-Peterborough series has been thrown out by the O.H.A., owing to the fact that Lorne Osborne, defence player of the Oshawa Club, has been found to be ineligible under the residence rule. Osborne's certificate has been cancelled and the teams have been ordered to re-play the series, Oshawa playing here on Tuesday night and the return in Oshawa Friday night, total goals on the two games to decide the group winners.

The fans will be glad to learn that the local youngsters are to get another chance. The sensational game here between the two teams which Oshawa won by one goal, after ten minutes of overtime, was regarded by the Peterborough followers as a hard luck loss for the Petes. The game here, Tuesday night, should be the hardest-fought of the season. The local team are anxious to make up for their loss by a clean-cut defeat of the Oshawa gang, and it is a safe bet that none of the fans who saw the last Oshawa-Peterborough clash will be absent when the puck is faced next Tuesday. The last game was one of the most interesting staged in years at Brock Street rink, and there is every reason to expect a game of similar calibre Wednesday, with the biggest crowd of the season out.

The facts in the Osborne case are interesting. Osborne is a Bowmanville boy, who was a member of an overseas battalion and who was discharged last summer. He came back to Bowmanville and until the middle of September was employed by J. B. Martyn, merchant in Bowmanville. Later he went to Oshawa and was used by the Oshawa club in both games against the Petes, in violation of the residence rule, which required him to be a resident of Oshawa from August 1st. The Peterborough Club, although they did not enter a formal protest, acquainted the O.H.A. with the facts, and Sheriff Paxton of Whitby, acting president of the O. H. A., investigated the case and found the situation as the Petes had stated. The Oshawa club claimed that they had been misled in regard to Osborne and produced a letter from an industrial concern to the effect that the concern had informed the Oshawa Club that Osborne had been employed there since July. The O. H. A. considered this an extenuating circumstance and therefore did not suspend the Oshawa club, as might have been done, satisfying themselves with cancelling Osborne's certificate and ordering the games re-played.

BOWLING

Last night's games in the Peterborough Bowling League, between the Left Overs and the Business Men, proved to be the most exciting yet rolled on the Water Street Alleys. From the time the first game started it was seen by all spectators that the Business Men had a hard team to beat in the Left Overs last night. The pins behaved very good for all bowlers. In the first game there were three scores all over the two hundred mark, the Left Overs getting two, Business Men one. By the way the Left Overs were hitting the pins last night it is hard to understand why they have not won more games than they have in the past two games. Both teams rolled over the 800 mark and in its three games the Left Overs rolled 2,433 and the Business Men 2,522, which goes to show that the pins got some hard knocks. The last game was the most exciting yet rolled in the League; Dawson's sensational finish beat the Let Overs only by one pin though the Business Men won all three games. They admit that the Left Overs gave them the hardest run, always, of any team in the League. Dawson also pulled off two hard spares.

THE SCORES.

Business men—				
Lush	169	189	150	508
Fielder	155	194	189	538
Phillips	158	155	129	435
Weber	208	207	133	548
Dawson	153	165	177	495
Total				2522
Left Overs.				
Thomas	125	177	143	445
Moutley	208	167	132	507
Hughes	148	181	158	487
A. Rose	139	132	159	433
Solomon	207	179	185	571
Totals				2433

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Mr. J. H. Renwick, organist and choirmaster, George Street Methodist Church, has resumed teaching. Pupils prepared for examinations. Many present and former pupils holding good positions. Studio, 567 Aylmer street. 'Phone 1098. 28d-2

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Dr. McKenty, Dentist, 370 George Street, on the ground floor first door north of Peterborough Hardware Co. Nitrous oxide and oxygen administered for painless operations.

BARBERS' NOTICE.

On Monday night, Jan. 29, 1917, there will be in the Trades and Labour Hall, an open meeting for all barbers and Boss barbers of the city. Mr. Leon Worthall will attend.

BARGAINS AT LAKEFIELD.

R. Graham & Son, Lakefield, have arranged for a lot of wonderful Dollar Day bargains on Thursday, January 25th, and will continue the sale on Friday and Saturday, Jan. 26th and 27th. 6d-16

ALL SAINTS' A.Y.P.A.

A sleigh ride in connection with All Saints' A.Y.P.A. will be held on Monday, Jan. 29th, leaving the Parish Hall at 8 o'clock, returning for refreshments. All members are invited.

FOR SALE.

Silent Salesman Showcases, sizes 4, 5, 6, and 8 feet lengths, at old prices, for fifteen days, from $7 to $11 per ft. Apply McIntyre Show case Co., Peterborough. 2d-21

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PRIVATE SALE.

From two until five o'clock and seven to nine at night, commencing Monday, January 29th, I will sell by private sale at No. 377 Downie street, all my household furniture and effects.—Dr. W. T. Holloway. 3d-21

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CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Milloy and family wish to thank their frends for the many expressions of sympathy and assistance offered them during their recent bereavement.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. and Miss Walton, 490 Sherbrooke street, wish to express their sincere thanks to their friends for the kindness and sympathy extended in their recent bereavement and for the floral tributes sent.

THINGS TO REMEMBER.

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KITCHENER LEAGUE.

A special meeting of the Canadian Kitchener League is called for Tuesday afternoon, January 30th, in the Oriental Tea Room, at 3 o'clock. It is important that every member be present.

The Packing Committee of the Canadian Kitchener League will meet at the Oriental on Tuesday afternoon, January 30th, for the purpose of preparing another shipment for the Peterborough boys in the trenches. Will those who are knitting kindly send in all finished articles before this date, as the League is anxious to have a real large shipment. If we could realize what a warm, comfortable pair of socks must mean to our boys in the trenches these cold, stormy days, there would be a shipment every day instead of every two weeks. 2d-23

WEDDING BELLS

McINTOSH—SEYMOUR.

On Thursday, Jan. 25th, 1917, at the residence of the bride's parents, "Idylwilde Farm," Cavan, by Rev. W. H. Clarke, assisted by Rev. David Balfour, uncle of the bride, Floberta Eva, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Seymour, to Mr. Stanley Gordon McIntosh of North Monaghan.

OBITUARY

WILLIAM BALL.

The death occurred in Nicholls Hospital early this morning after a week's illness from pneumonia of William Ball. Deceased was forty-three years of age and a son of Mr. Joseph Ball, Rogers street, East City. He leaves a wife and three children. The late Mr. Ball has resided here for a number of years and was well known and highly respected by all who knew him.

The funeral will take place on Monday at two o'clock from the family residence, 80 Ware street to the Little Lake cemetery. Rev. R. B. Grobb, rector of All Saints' church, will preside.

JULIA MURPHY.

Julia Murphy, aged 80, died at the residence of Mr. M. McKeever, Lot 2, Con. 11, Douro, last night.

The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock to St. Joseph's Church, thence to St. Joseph's Cemetery, Douro.

MURDERER OF SHERIFF HAS BEEN ARRESTED

Safe Blower Hid in Barn for Three Days, Then Came Into Windsor

Special to The Examiner:

WINDSOR, Ont., Jan. 27.—James Steward, safe blower, who shot and killed Immigration Inspector Jackson while being taken to the border for deportation to Battle Creek, Mich., was captured this morning at the Essex House here. He had been hiding in a barn near by for two days, but, driven by hunger, he boldly went to the hotel this morning and registered as James Emmerson. He was recognized, however, and three policemen were sent to his room. Before he could get his revolver he was overpowered and handcuffed. He said he didn't intend to kill Jackson, and that the revolver went off unexpectedly.

DINOSAUR BONES LOST.

Went to Bottom of Sea With the Mount Temple.

Lawrence, Kas., Jan. 27. — Two skeletons of the duckbilled Dinosaur were lost to science with the sinking recently by a German raider of the ship Mount Temple, according to Charles H. Sternberg, of this city, who found the bones in the Red Deer country in Alberta, Canada. The prehistoric specimens were 32 feet long, and were being sent to the British Museum in London. They filled 28 boxes and weighed 20,000 pounds.

It is rather hable how children out-grow their smocks and frocks, their playthings, their childish ways, and most of all—their photographs. Only photographs will keep them as they are.

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MAYOR DUFFUS SEEKS TO CLEAR UP THE SITUATION

His Worship is Trying to Relieve the Coal Problem

Mayor Duffus is making a determined effort to clear up the coal problem and relieve the situation. A short time ago he wrote Sir Henry Drayton, chairman of the Board of Railway Commissioners, calling attention to the fact that there was a serious coal shortage owing to the cars being held up. Not receiving a reply, he sent a wire to the chairman and received word from Sir Henry Drayton that the commission were doing all they could to relieve the situation. Now His Worship the Mayor is securing information from the local dealers in regard to the number of cars consigned to them that are being held up somewhere between this city and Buffalo. All the local dealers have had orders for coal in for a long time, and the greater part of it is being held up somewhere on the line. It is hoped that the Mayor's efforts will be successful.

Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Wilson, Emerson, Man., are visiting Mrs. Cooney, Drummond's station.

Mr. Frank Russell has left 376 1-2 Water street and has taken up residence at No. 2 Apartments, 182 1-2 Hunter Street, City.

Miss Fraser, Chatham, N. B., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Logie, Brock street.

Mr. H. S. MacDuffee is in Keene on business.

Mrs. Gordon Logie spent a few days this week in Toronto.

The 57th Chapter I.O.D.E. tea, which was held Thursday afternoon in the spacious dining-room of the Masonic Hall, George street, was a great success, both in attendance and financially. The tea table, attractively decorated with a most beautiful basket of ferns, was presided over by Mrs. H. Rush. The hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. (Col.) Stewenson and Mrs. (Major) Hounsell, assisted by Mrs. C. E. Jamieson, Miss Gladman, Miss Collins, Miss M. Rush and Miss Worth. Miss F. Burnham acted as treasurer, and Miss A. Braund contributed many fine selections on the piano during the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy H. Popham, 151 Lock Street, left the city yesterday for Florida, where they will spend the rest of the winter.

Miss Rose Mulhearn, Campbellford, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Lehane.

Miss Lelia Burgess, Lakefield, was in the city to-day.

Miss Helen McCauley, Watertown, N.Y., is the guest of Mrs. Lehane, Water street.

The weekly tea given by St. Peter's Patriotic Society on Thursday was perhaps one of the greatest successes of any given by the society this season. A "dollar day" feature was introduced in a guessing contest as to how many beans were contained in a jar. Mrs. J. J. Doris made the closest estimate. Over $3.00 was realized by this and added to the sock fund. The hostesses, Mrs. Haslam and Miss Eva Tangney were assisted by Mrs. John Dwyer, the Misses Mae C. Kelley, Margaret Shevlin, Nellie Simonds, L. Pope, Olive Tangney and Mary Doris. A substantial sum was added to the sock fund by this tea also.

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

Airbrake 153; Atchison 105 1-2, 106 1-4; B. & O., 81 7-8, 81 3-4; C.P.R., 161 7-8, 162 3-4; N.Y.C., 102 3-8, 102 1-4; Erie 32 1-8, 33 7-8; Erie 1st., 46 7-8, 46 5-8; Penna. 55 7-8 57; Reading 101 3-4, 102 1-8; St. Paul 90 1-2, 90 1-4; U. P., 143 1-4, 143 1-4; Beth Steel 485, 495; Rep. Steel 79 3-4, 80 3-4; U. S. Steel 124 1-8, 125 1-8; Anaconda 68 3-4, 69 3-8, Inter. Nickel 43 1-4, 43 1-2.

TORONTO STOCKS—

Steamships 53 1-8, 54; Dominion 64, 65 3-4; Canada Car 30; Smelters 35, 36 1-2; War Loan 1925, W 3-4; War Loan 1925, 98 3-8; General Elec., 112 1-2, bid; Can. Loco., 57 bid.

The Home Secretary has granted the first license to a baker for leave to employ women in making bread by night.

ANNUAL MEETING OF ST. ANDREW'S SUNDAY SCHOOL

The annual meeting of St. Andrew's Sunday School was held on Thursday evening, Superintendent G. W. Gilman presiding.

The secretary's report showed the different departments to be in a flourishing condition, the school having had a most successful year. At an earlier meeting Mr. Gilman had tendered his resignation, which had been very reluctantly accepted. Mr. Gilman will continue to assist in the work of the Sunday School. A committee had been appointed to secure new officers for the coming year, which were approved by the meeting. The report showed a total enrollment of 290. Highest attendance 207. Average attendance 161. The finances were in good condition. A committee was appointed to purchase 50 new books for the library, and with the following officers St. Andrew's Sunday School are looking forward to another successful year.

Officers for 1917.

Supt.—Mr. J. A. McKone.
Asst. Supt.—Mr. A. McNab.
Secretary—Mr. E. Walton.
Asst. Sec.—Mr. G. McClelland.
Treasurer—Mr. W. Latimer.
Supt. Cradle Roll—Miss R. Langford.
Supt. Beginners' Dept.—Miss B. Read.
Supt. Primary Dept.—Mrs. G. Laing.
Supt. Junior Dept.—Mr. John Hill.
Supt. Senior Dept.—Mr. J. John.
Librarian—Mr T. H. Sills.
Asst. Librarian—Mr. W. Bletcher.
Electrician—Mr. G. Henry.
Asst. Electrician—Mr. G. Hill.
Pianist—Mr. H. C. Treneer.
Assistants—Miss H McLaren and Miss M. Rae.
Chorister—Mr. H. C. Treneer.
Corresponding Secretary—Miss D. Langford.
Asst. Cor. Secy.—Miss Esplen.

At the conclusion of the business a social hour was spent, in which the choir joined. Mr. Gilman supplied the refreshments.

MILITARY NEWS

(Continued from Page 10.)

we are often lucky to wake up at all to find ourselves anywhere. The trenches are very muddy just now and the warfare has been somewhat quieter in comparison with other times when weather was better, but it is not very quiet even at that, but we look forward to all who can of us staying with it as long as we can until the Hun is whipped properly. Then we can return to our home and friends again, which will be a great day for each of us. I cannot say, Mrs. Knox, that any of us are in need of anything particular, yet we will always appreciate a box or parcel from the Kitchener League. I wish to thank you very kindly on behalf of the boys for the one we have already received and any other favours will surely be appreciated.

Wishing you and the League all the compliments of the season and success in your undretakings, I remain,

One of the Boys,
W. J. Anderson.

January 6, 1917.

Dear Friend,—Writing you these lines to thank you very much for letter and big parcel received quite safe. I distributed the small parcels among my soldier friends. They were very pleased to get them, also the socks you sent us. There was one of the parcels in there for my friend who is sent back to England because he was too old; this is the letter that was in the box, so I have sent it to you, so as to thank them for the box and papers. I distributed it to my friends. We have had quite a lot of rain out here and the mud is very bad; we have wet feet all the time; so I am asking you if you could send some more we should be pleased to get them. I am asking you to thank the ladies of the Canadian Kitchener League for the work they have done for the soldiers of Peterborough; so when we come back to Peterborough we must thank them ourselves. Sorry to say we did not have a very happy Christmas this time, but hope we all will have a better one next time. I am always thinking about Peterborough ladies and what they did for the 63rd Battalion last winter—it was very good of them to do so. Well, this is all the news.

Wishing you and the ladies of the Kitchener League a Happy New Year.

Yours sincerely,
195384, B. E. F., France.

Somewhere in France,
Dec. 8th, 1916.

Dear Madam—I wish to thank you for the kind gift of socks which our Section received from Lieut. Dunstord to-day. As one who is spending his second winter in the trenches, I fully appreciate the value of a good pair of hand-knitted socks during this chilly weather, and though army socks are plentiful, they are shoddy, and we hardly ever take them if it is possible to get home-made ones. Wishing you every success in your good work, I remain,

Yours sincerely,
CHARLES COOK,
Cpl. L. G. Sec.

Word has been received that Lieut. W. R. Elliott, son of Mr. W. T. Elliott, 309 Reid street, and nephew of Mr. T. C. Elliott of the Bee Hive, has been decorated for bravery on the Somme front. Lieut. Elliott went overseas with the 109th Lindsay Battalion, and was transfered to the 50th Battalion at the front. His friends will be glad to learn of the honour that has been done him. A brother, Capt. D. C. Elliott, is at Witley Camp, Eng.

WRITING EXPERTS SAY MR. OSBORNE WROTE LOVE NOTES

Jeweller Swears to Purchases by the Lawyer, but His Evidence Is Stricken from Record.

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—Handwriting experts took up the greater part of a day in the trial in the United States Court of Franklin D. Safford on a charge of perjury. They were produced by the defence and testified that the script of James W. Osborne was peculiarly similar to that of the man who signed himself "Oliver Osborne" in his letters to Rae Tanzer, the girl whose action for $50,000 against Mr. Osborne precipitated the present perjury case.

Albert J. Hamilton, who described himself as an investigator of crime, declared that he had examined the handwriting of Mr. Osborne, of Charles H. Wax, who says he is Oliver Osborne, and the writing contained in the love notes to the girl. Mr. Osborne and Wax wrote in an entirely different manner, said Mr. Hamilton, Wax with a free and easy style and Mr. Osborne in a halting fashion.

"Can you state," asked Benjamin Slade, lawyer for Miss Tanzer and for Safford, "whether or not the Rae Tanzer letters signed by Oliver Osborne and the registration slip at the Kensington Hotel were written by James W. Osborne?"

"I give it as my opinion that they were written by James W. Osborne," replied the witness.

Mr. Hamilton was describing how Wax on the stand had changed his writing when Judge Hand asked him:

"Do you mean that as long as subject matter he knew was dictated to him he wrote like Oliver had written, and that when material he was not familiar with was dictated he reverted to a more natural method?"

"That's exactly it, Your Honour," the witness replied, with emphasis.

Mr. Slade then sought to show that the bill of the Bar Associaton made out to Mr. Osborne for a room he had occupied contained erasures and two different kinds of ink. He also tried to bring out that there were two different kinds of ink on one line, but Judge Hand held that this was too remote as evidence.

William Rand, for the government, asked, in cross-examination, if the witness had testified as an expert in the Stielow case and was cross-examined by Mr. Osborne. He admitted that he had. He said he was getting only witness fees and mileage for his services at this trial, although he ordinarily asked $100 a day.

John V. Haring, another handwriting man, backed up the testimony of Mr. Hamilton. He gave the opinion that three letters sent to Rae Tanzer, signed "Oliver Osborne," the hotel register and the "steamfitter" were in the same handwriting—that of Mr. Osborne.

Charles A. Keene, a jeweller, testified to finding two entries of sales of rings to James W. Osborne, but this was ordered stricken from the record.

Joseph Marshall, who refused to answer questions last week, and for whom Judge Hand directed an order of commitment be made for contempt of court, was not called.

WILSON IS ASSAILED BY AMERICAN PRESS FOR OVERREACHING

Sworn President of United States, Not of Humanity

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—Excerpts from the leading newspapers of the United States of President Wilson's speech follow:

The New York Sun: "What Mr. Wilson has sworn to do is prescribed by the constitution. He is sworn to execute faithfully the office of president of the United States, and to the best of his ability to preserve, protect and defend the constitution of the United States. He is not sworn to execute faithfully the office of president of humanity. There is nothing in his official duties which requires him to demand the establishment of a free and united Poland; or to lay down to Europe the principle that all interior European nations, like Switzerland, for example, or the republic of Andorra, 'shall be accorded free outlets to the seas.'"

SUITS AMERICAN PEOPLE.

The New York Times: "By one bold stroke President Wilson removes the obstacle toward world peace guaranteed by the world over which peace league folks have been wrangling.'

"The president makes it very clear that the only sort of peace the people of America could join in guaranteeing would be one that embodies the principles of the American Government, that is, based on elements consistent with our political faith and practical convictions. My its very terms this declaration might exclude us from a world league for peace, but the president will have the overwhelming support of the American people in declining to commit our Government to any guarantee of European dynastic or national arrangement with which we could have no sympathy."

The New York Staats Zeitung: "Upon the principles enunciated by the president yesterday must be based the only saving peace that can come to the world, and the only peace to the permanence of which the American people can willingly loan their support."

NOW UP TO TEUTONS.

The Boston Globe.—"The road to peace needs a half-way house. President Wilson's speech to the Senate is an attempt to build one. Exorbitant as they are, the Allies have stated terms. The president has, in a sense, stated our terms. This leaves the Teutonic powers as the only ones who have not come out in the open. The world can draw its inferences."

The Boston Post: "Of the fine ethics of the president's proposal there can be no question, nor of his high-minded desire to be of a large service to all the world. But as to the practicability of his plan—as to its desirability, even from our own standpoint—the matter is open to wide varieties of opinion and careful and patriotic discussion."

MOUNTAINS BRING FORTH MOUSE

The Providence Journal: "The mountain has brought forth a very small mouse. What single thought is there in all this cornucopia of words that was not fully stated, in an infinitely more direct and honest form by Mr. Balfour several days ago?

"Mr. Wilson beckons the bleeding and suffering nations of the world towards him, with his school-master's cane, and delivers a prize oration on the millenium, while civilization and the liberty of the world are battling for life in the shambles of a hundred bloody fields."

His Allowance

BUT RUSSIAN SOLDIER CAME BACK WHEN HE HEARD SAVING 'WIFE' WAS WED TO ANOTHER.

NEW YORK, January 26.—Five cents for his midday meal, ten cents for the church and one cent for charity, was the allowance which Leon Seradynski, who left this country to fight for Russia when the war began, said his "wife" gave him during the years they were saving to buy a home. He sued her in the supreme court yesterday before Justice Donnelly and a jury, which found in her favour. He wanted an accounting of the money he said he had left with her.

Mrs. Elizabeth Gimbelinski, the defendant, denied she had ever been married to Seadynski or ever had received any money from him except for board.

The soldier said that nine years after his marriage he was returning from the front aboard a troop train with an honorable discharge from the Grand Duke Nicholas in his pocket. On the train were Austrian prisoners. One of them, who said he knew Seradynski's "wife" told the plaintiff, he testified, that she was married to a man in Austria. After that, he said he lost no time in coming to this city to try and regain his savings.

"She kept everything in my pay envelope," he said, "except ten cents for car fare, five cents for lunch, five cents for whiskey and seven cents for beer on week days and ten cents for church and one cent for charity on Sundays. The one cent always went to a beggar."

A good many stripes are seen this season, but they are distinctly more artistic than those crude ones of last year.

Mrs. Fawcett's war admonition to Britain's suffragists is, "Let us show ourselves worthy of citizenship whether our claim to it be recognized or not."

Bright green jade beads, worn around the throat, seem to have made a place for themselves among the very few ornaments seen in war time, among which are the string of pearls or jet, the cross of Russian silver and crystal rimmed onyx, or the crystal opaque slung upon cord.

The way in which women are gravitating to the medical profession is furnished by the pass list of the first examination for medical degrees just issued by the London University, when of 76 successful candidates, no fewer than 35 are women.

A box of small utility objects, made of aluminum, for the kitchen, is a very welcome gift to a busy housekeeper.

FOWLER'S PEBLO GLASSES

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Some people dread the idea of wearing glasses for the first time, fearing that it will alter their appearance. Dr. Fowler's extremely clear "Peblo" lenses, mounted in his light, neat gold mounts, and properly fitted to the face, are so inconspicuous that they seem to belong there at once and are really more of an ornament than a disfigurement. Call and have him demonstrate this to your satisfaction.

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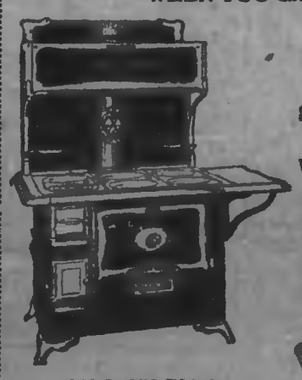

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Thinks He Can Find Disabled Aeroplane

Lieutenant Robertson, Army Aviator, Who Was Lost Nine Days in Desert, Is Writing His Report.

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 27.—Lieutenant W. A. Robertson, who with Lieutenant Colonel Harry F. Bishop was lost nine days in the Sonora Desert, following an attempted aeroplane flight from North Island to Calexico, told Colonel William Glassford that he was not only willing but anxious to recover the aeroplane which he was forced to abandon on the shores of the Gulf of California. He is positive he can locate it.

The army aviator who has been confined to his quarters at a fashionable hotel ever since he was rescued by a searching party, still shows the effects of his nine days' struggle in the desert. In accordance with orders of Colonel Glassford, Lieutenant Robertson started writing his official report of the flight of January 10. On his report will be determined what action will be brought against the junior military aviator and Col. Bishop.

Clerk Identifies Alleged Swindler

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 27.—Herman Muller, a jeweler's clerk, of New York, testified in an extradition hearing that A. P. MacAuley of Toronto is the man who December 23 passed two worthless $2,000 cheques under the name of G. H. Meighen, and who is under indictment there.

MacAuley is fighting extradition on the ground that he arrived in St. Louis December 23, and that he is not a fugitive from justice. The hearing was continued until to-morrow.

MacAuley is at liberty under $10,000 bond to answer charges of having passed worthless cheques in St. Louis also.

NEED HUNGARIAN CHEMIST.

North Bay Town Council to Support Mining Company's Request.

NORTH BAY, Ont., Jan. 29.—The Dominion Government will be asked to allow a Hungarian chemist, a resident of the United States, to enter Canada, as an employee of the Mattawan Mining Company of Ruthergien. The company claims that he is the only chemist on the continent who has knowledge of the proper treatment of the Ruthergien ore. They are willing to deposit a bond of $50,000 for his proper conduct, and the town council will make the application.

BRITAIN BEGINNING TO LOOK FOR BIG WAR DEVELOPMENTS

Each Side Masking Preparations for Spring Operations—Hope That Sub Menace Will be Conquered as Was the Zeppelin Danger—Internal Affairs in Encouraging Shape

NATIONAL SERVICE AND LABOUR

(Special Cable by F. A. McKenzie.)

LONDON, Jan. 29.—England's culminating war mobilization proceeds apace amid universal expectation that this spring's campaign will give Germany her quietus. The war loan is doing magnificently. Bankers inform me that subscriptions among the rank and file are unequalled in number and amount. Doubling fares has reduced railway travelling to a minimum. One section of the travelling public is still protesting, but the authorities admit they intend to make no concessions whatever. The increasing cost of drink, owing to the reduction of output, is making temperance compulsory. Beer is now sevenpence a quart. The trade say whiskey will soon be eight shillings a bottle.

NATIONAL SERVICE AND LABOUR.

Chamberlain's forthcoming National Service Corps for voluntary enrolment of men between eighteen and sixty, who place themselves entirely at the disposal of the authorities for employment, in any work wherever desired, is generally welcomed, particularly as compulsion may follow. The principal objection is that women and the Irish are excluded.

This week's labour conference was an undoubted triumph for the Government. Pacifists counted upon a hostile verdict over labour's co-operation with the Ministry, but the pacifists were snowed under.

The Government's important decision to enlist miners who slack work or who joined the trade after war began required great courage. Every voluntary attempt to compel slackers among the miners to keep full time failed, and unions generally stoutly oppose compulsion.

TIME FOR SOMETHING DOING.

There is now possibility of developments of great moment. Everywhere here one notes confidence and cheerfulness. The wave of pessimism which swept over England last November has wholly disappeared. The new Government has its snags, particularly the liquor question and agriculture, but the nation is confident. The submarine question is emerging from the unnecessary secrecy formerly enveloping it. Friday's raid on the Suffolk coast was probably from submarines. The Admiralty is concentrating efforts to meet the menace. Everyone now admits its reality, its seriousness, its danger.

The public regards the collapse of the Zeppelin menace as grounds for hope that our improving methods will equally overcome this.

PREPARATIONS ON WEST FRONT.

Unusually severe weather is limiting operations on the western front. Probably both sides maintain an active policy of raids, masking their larger movements. Germany is expected to attempt during February a heavy offensive in order to strike before we do. Signs indicate that the Germans are contemplating another great attack on the northern coast, an attempt to turn our entire position. Swiss concentrations are considered a mere blind.

Dr. Grenfell Tells Fine Incident In War Hospital

Dr. Wilfrid T. Grenfell of Labrador, tells this fine incident of his work as a surgeon at the front.

"A particularly bright young soldier came into our hospital in France one day," he writes in the Boston Congregationalist. "He was shot through the spine and for many days suffered much agony. The worst danger was over, and I was sitting on his bed talking to him.

"Where is your home?" I asked.

"In Argentina," he replied.

"Argentina? In South America? What brought you over here?"

"Well, Doctor, I was good and strong, and I wanted to do my bit."

"Was work scarce when you left?" I continued.

"Not much. That's the country to live in," he answered, smiling at the very thought of it.

"Bad business, getting hit so soon. It will be a long time before you'll be able to get about again, I am afraid."

"Don't worry any about that," was his immediate reply; "I'm glad I had the chance."

"As I looked through his smiling eyes into his soul I realized that only lately I had seen men seeking this man's new inalienable possession among dollars and cents, and never finding it because they sought amiss.

"Where were you and what were you doing when you got hit?" I asked a 'common' soldier one day in our ward. Were you charging the enemy?"

"No such luck, doctor. I was working on a road detail when a 'Jack Johnson' came along, and a bit of the nose found me."

"It was a terrible wound. I had wondered if he would ever see England and home again. Among the convoy that brought him, he had been a lying-down case. A scarlet-edged tag, pinned on his breast as he lay on the stretcher, had signified that he was among the dangerously wounded. He had only been one of the host of soil-soaked Tommies whose work, in mud up to his knees, repairing the 'pave' of the road to the trenches in the dreary flats of Flanders, must have appeared inglorious enough. And now he was knocked out for good.

"It seemed odd that a man like that could be so cheerful and contented. This, however, and his anxiety for 'the other chaps' had made him quite a favorite, and his bed a popular corner in the ward.

"Making roads through the mud wasn't the kind of job you were thinking of when you joined the colors, was it?" I asked him one day.

"Not exactly. But it was good to see the ammunition and the grub go by over them to the other chaps. You bet we kept the road good almost to the front trench. I'll never forget seeing a battery of our artillery galloping past there when there was some straiting going on. If it hadn't been for our road maybe them Germans would have got through. The pleasure of that humble service is going to survive all the horrors of cold and wet and misery, yes, and life itself."

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ALLIED VICTORIES REPORTED ON FIVE DIFFERENT FRONTS

Russians Penetrated Two Miles of German Front Along the Roumanian and Carpathian Line—Two Successful Assaults by the British Forces on the West Front and One By the French

BRITISH AND SERBIANS ADVANCE

LONDON, January 29.—Allied victories on five different fronts to-day were cited as another evidence of the new policy of utmost co-operation and co-ordination of effort among the nations of the Entente. British, French, Serbian and Russian troops each won distinct victories in every field of fighting save the South African and Egyptian, and there was no report from these two theatres of action.

The most spectacular of the victories reported was Russia's smashing of the two miles of German front along the Roumanian and Carpathian line. The Czar's forces assumed the offensive despite the bitter cold weather and snow, exactly the sort of weather that has forced a practical stoppage of the German campaign in Roumania recently. Not only did the Russians achieve an important victory in this section, but they likewise decisively broke down an attempted German offensive on the Riga front. On the Western front there were three successful assaults, two by British forces, near Neuville, St. Vaast and Letranaloy, and one by the French around Verdun. From the Macedonian camp word was received to-day that General Serrail's combination of French, British and Serbian forces had struck out once more advancing toward Prilep.

Enemy Submarine Founders off Norway

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 29.—German submarine founders off the Norwegian Coast. Crew landed.

IMPISH BUTTON PARTS THIS TWAIN

JOHN MEYERS, 28 YEARS HAPPILY MARRIED LEAVES HOME WHEN WIFE DELAYS SEWING IT ON.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—After twenty-eight years of successful and contented married life a button popped off the waistcoat of John Meyers of No. 288 Eighth avenue, one morning six weeks ago. He asked his wife to sew it on, and she said she was busy. He asked her to do so each succeeding day for a week, and she always said she was busy but would get to it later.

When the week had passed and the button was still separated from the waistcoat Meyers left home, saying he didn't purpose to be treated like that. She wrote to him several times, saying she would sew the button on instantly he arrived with the waistcoat.

He remained silent, and yesterday his wife caused him to be arraigned in the Domestic Relations Court, where he said he would not return to his home, that having a button off for a whole week was enough for him. Magistrate Harris ordered him to pay his wife $5 a week.

OBITUARY

MRS. GEORGE TAYLOR.

The death occurred suddenly yesterday morning of Millissa Jory, wife of Mr. George Taylor, 540 Charlotte street. Deceased who was sixty-five years of age, was in her usual good health the previous day, and her death was unexpected. Besides a sorrowing husband, two sons and one daughter are left to mourn her loss, namely, George Herbert, of Otonabee, and W. D. Taylor, of Ottawa. The daughter is Mrs. F. W. Stewart, of Otonabee.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor came from Otonabee about ten years ago. The late Mrs. Taylor was well known and highly esteemed by all who knew her.

The funeral will be held to-morrow at the family residence at two-thirty o'clock. The Rev. R. B. Grobb, pastor of All Saints' Church, will officiate. Interment will take place at Zion cemetery, Otonabee.

Canada's War Vote For Coming Year

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, Jan. 29.—Canada's war vote for the coming fiscal year is to be half a billion dollars, in addition to one hundred millions for general purposes.

British Auxiliary Cruiser Sunk

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 29.—The British auxiliary cruiser Laurentic 14,892 tons was sunk by a mine or torpedo off the Irish Coast. One hundred and thirty-one members of the crew were saved, including the Commander.

Feed Woman By Force

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—The prison authorities resorted to forcible feeding in the case of Mrs. Ethel Bryne after the birth-control propagandist collapsed Friday while maintaining her "hunger strike" in her cell in Blackwell's Island, where she is serving a thirty-day term.

The woman did not resist. According to physicians, she was too weak.

A tube was inserted in her mouth and nourishing liquid food was administered. The patient was then put to bed. It was announced that the involuntary method would be continued unless she consented to abandon her intention to starve herself as a "martyr" to the cause of publicly circulating birth control ideas with the support of her sister, Mrs. Margaret Sanger, who is facing trial.

TO RUN-DOWN WOMEN

Cornwall, Ont., Woman Tells How To Regain Strength

Cornwall Ont. "I was in such a weak run-down condition I could hardly do my housework. My stomach was weak and I had no appetite and had a bad cough. I tried doctos' medicines and other remedies without benefit. I saw Vinol advertised and decided to try it, and within a couple of weeks noticed an improvement. I have continued to gain and never felt better in my life than I do now. There is nothing to compare with Vinol.' Mrs. Antoine Fobert, Cornwall, Ontario.

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Sevigny Was Elected By A Majority Of 238

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

On Saturday, Sevigny was elected in Dorchester by a majority of two hundred and thirty-eight. Seventeen parishes out of twenty gave Sevigny a majority. Cannon, the Liberal candidate, got a big majority in St. Germain.

United Kingdom On Ration System

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 29.—The Labour candidate for Leicester says the United Kingdom will be put under ration system shortly.

Offensive Continues In Mesopotamia

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 29.—The British continue the offensive in Mesopotamia, taking enemy trenches and prisoners.

Pomeroy To Quit His Lonely Cell After 41 Years

SLAYER WHO ENTERED PENITENTIARY AT AGE OF 15 EDUCATED HIMSELF DURING LONG CONFINEMENT.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 27.—After nearly half a century of solitary confinement Jesse H. Pomeroy is to have the meagre privileges accorded to other "lifers" in the Massachusetts State Prison at Charlestown. For the first time in forty-one years the man, now fifty-seven years old, whose experience is declared to be the most unusual in the history of American criminology, will be enabled to enjoy the companionship of his fellow convicts and the scant comfort to be derived from living in a cell into which sunshine may penetrate.

Described as one of the most vicious criminals the country ever has known, Pomeroy killed a boy and a girl, was convicted and sentenced to death at fifteen years of age. Two years later, the sentence having been commuted to "solitary confinement for life," he was locked up in a cell lighted only from a window in the ceiling so that he might not gaze upon his fellow men. Until her death two years ago his aged mother, who went to see him every month, was his only visitor. Even when he was taken, under armed guard, to a prison yard for exercise, he was kept apart from other prisoners.

HAS EDUCATED HIMSELF

Pomeroy entered prison forty-one years ago, uneducated and unread. To-day he can read in seven languages and slowly in mastering Arabic. He has read every one of the 8,000 books in the prison library and is a writer of poems which, published in the Mentor, the prison publication, have attracted widespread attention.

Despite the rapid strides made in recent years in lessening the severity of punishments in American prisons, little or no compassion has been shown Pomeroy. Hundreds of persons have pleaded for him, but the most they ever succeeded in accomplishing was an order permitting him to attend religious services in the prison chapel and prison entertainments on holidays.

Although classed as a model prisoner, Pomeroy is declared to be the most ingenious and tireless worker for freedom that any prison ever held. His attempts at escape were almost innumerable, but always unsuccessful. The mechanical skill and perseverance he displayed in his attempts to work his way to liberty are almost unbelievable. Nine notable attempts made by him to escape were frustrated, but it is known he made and abandoned many other attempts. His last known attempt to escape was found years ago. Since then he has been studying law bearing on his case, hoping to obtain in that way the freedom long denied him.

REFUSED TO WORK.

For many years Pomeroy refused to work, although he was sentenced to be confined at hard labor. In late years he has been physically unable to perform much labor. It was in these later years that he taught himself to read Spanish, French, German, Latin, Italian, Greek and English. He also has mastered algebra, bookkeeping and several other studies and his knowledge of natural science is wide.

Commutation of the "solitary confinement" sentence was decided upon by the Executive Council and approved by Governor McCall. Pomeroy will be allowed to exercise with the other prisoners sit with them at church services and entertainments and work with them in the prison shops.

Gains For The Allied Forces

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 29. — British, French and Russians made important advances, taking many prisoners and much booty.

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Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W. 70c; No. 3 66 1-2c; extra No. 1 feed 66 1-2c; No. 1 feed, 66c, all rail delivered.

American corn—No. 3 $1.12; subject to embargo.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white 64c to 66c; No. 3 white 63c to 65c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter per car lot, $1.12; No. 3 $1.78 to $1.80.

Peas—No. 2 nominal, car lots $2.35.

Barley—Good malting $1.20 to $1.22; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat — Nominal $1.28 to $1.30.

Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal; No. 2, new, $1.40 to $1.42.

Manitoba flour—First patents in jute bags $9.30; second patents in jute $9.40; strong bakers in jute $9, Toronto.

Ontario flour—New winter $7.30 to $7.40, in bags, track, Toronto prompt shipment; $7.25, belk, seaboard export grade.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered Montreal; shorts $38; bran $34; feed flour per bag, $2.80.

Hay—Baled No. 1 track, Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots $13; No. 2, $12 to $12.50; mixed $10 to $11.50; straw $9.

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FIX MUNITION WAGES.

French Minister of Manufactures to Prevent Further Trouble.

PARIS, Jan. 29.—In order to prevent future disputes between employers and workers, Albert Thomas, Minister of Manufactures, has announced that he is taking steps to fix wage rates in all munition factories. As a result of his appeal to their patriotism the striking employees at the Schneider steel works, out since Tuesday, have returned to work.

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Railway Time Tables

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
Corrected Jan. 15th, 1917.

7.00 a.m.—For Lakefield.
8.55 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg, and points east, connecting at Port Hope for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 12.30 p.m.
9.35 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Stirling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
9.39 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
12.20 p.m.—For Lakefield.
12.40 a.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Chicago.
1.30 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
5.45 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
5.40 p.m.—For Lakefield.
5.45 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
9.05 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Boston.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
Corrected January 15, 1917.

GOING EAST:
*7.40 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*12.13 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N. B., Boston and New York.
*1.30 a.m.—Norwood, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, and Ottawa.
**11.27 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and Intermediate points, and all points east of Montreal.

GOING WEST.
*4.00 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Galt, Woodstock, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*5.54 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
**7.35 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York. Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
**9.15 a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port Mo-Nichol and Intermediate points.
**1.43 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Buffalo, New York, Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, London, Detroit and Chicago.
*5.45 p.m.—North Toronto and West Toronto and Intermediate points.
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By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday.)

"And as he trod that day to God, so walked he from his birth,
In simpleness and gentleness and honour and clean mirth.'"

The speaker talked deliberately. At times his voice mounted into a sort of oratorical fire. At times it fell until his listeners bent forward that they might miss none of his words.

Now and again he would stop altogether and his eyes would turn to the blue skies and when they did a devout and intense light glowed in their pupils. His hearers were simple and easily touched and an occasional sob came from the women.

"I said that Hamilton Burton died young," he resumed. "He died almost a boy with a boy's youthful heart beating in his bosom. If he could so bring out of desolation a land like this, while yet he was hardly a man in years, who can say that his dream of power was all a dream? If he who never left these hills and never saw the world beyond save as he saw it in the exaltation of his flaming imagination, could do such things, what man can say that with maturity and opportunity he might not have become a Cæsar? But the fact of these people never trod beyond the nearer ways of a simple life. Hamilton Burton burned to go out and try the eagle's wings of life. He had won the experience of his family. He did not go. None of them went. They lived here and died here and they fought, Elizabeth and to our mind they were conquerors of the earth."

Once more there was a pause, and after it came other words.

"I suppose that they all dreamed. After the stress of that hurricane of powerful personality, with which the boy had won them to his heart's desire, these people could never have again lived their simple lives without dreams coming—and doubts. To say, 'God knows best,' meant to repress the disturbing thoughts that must have often arisen.

"In these hills boys become men, and one boy became something more. This was a family of beautiful and devoted love. The brothers were what God meant brothers to be, as friends whose hearts were linked. For every member of this little group of one blood, all the others felt a mighty hoard of affection. And here they stayed." The four words might have been the text, and through the talk it ran with the insistence of a refrain until it sank into the brain of every man and of every woman who listened.

"Here they stayed, and if each one of them thought often of what may have been given up by that decision no one of them said so.

"Perhaps Paul with the golden patterns of his dreams, may often have mused upon what the outer world could have given him. Perhaps he thought of himself as swaying audiences with his fingers on the keys and dreamed of lips that parted and eyes that grew misty, because they listened to the voice he could send pealing to their hearts. But he stayed here and the audiences that sat spellbound were those little neighborhood audiences who stood a long way off from a full understanding of his soul's etheral web and woof.

"Perhaps, Thomas Burton, whose hands were calloused with toil, sometimes permitted himself to think, at the end of his day's labors, of the ease and comfort which might have come to him, had his son's great ambition actually drawn him into mighty battles and victories instead of only beckoning him.

"Perhaps the woman, who must have felt that her children were not ordinary children, may have such a fear at times because she was denied the triumph of beholding their triumph. But they stayed—and if their peaceful lives were troubled with misgivings, at least they knew that this was certain and that doubtful—and that, while they might miss much of achievement, they also missed much of peril, for none can say what a journey means along an untried road. Who knows what an epic their lives might have spelled—or what tragedy? But they stayed.

"And now we are gathered to do homage by the grave of the woman whose quiet life ran its course with theirs—the woman who bore these children and taught them, at her knee, those lessons which made them benefactors—and although we stand in the presence of death, it seems to me that we stand, too, in the presence and the glory of that life which is above death—and we stand on hallowed ground."

He ended, and about him with the solemnity of simple hearts stirred and responsive, and over him was the serenity of June, and the warmth of the earth pregnant with fruitfulness.

When it was over the crowd scattered to their vehicles over the metalled roads, but in the burial place, when all the rest were gone, two figures tarried.

For a minute the minister also stayed after the crowd had left. He went over to the girl and spoke softly, with a hand laid tenderly on her shoulder.

"My daughter," he said simply, "you, too, have conquered. Every woman has something of restless yearning in her eyes at some time. To a woman with great charm and beauty the world sings a siren song. I saw this thing in your eyes—and soul. I saw it come and go—and I knew that you had won your fight, and won through to life's sweetest benison. You have love. These lives are ended but yours is beginning."

Then he too turned away, and only the girl and young man were left.

Mary's beautiful eyes were bright with tears, and as she stood there slim and straight, her companion came close and his arm slipped about her. For a moment she seemed unconscious of his presence, then she turned and her eyes looked steadfastly into his, and as they looked they smiled through their mistiness.

"Mary"—the man's voice was earnest and very tender—"Mary, I know that now you are thinking about other things, and they're very sacred things. Besides my heart is overflowing and words don't give it enough power of expression. Since I fell in love with you life has been poetry to me—but not a poetry of words. You are thinking of them. He paused and his sober eyes took in the headstones, lingering for a moment on this newest grave upon which the flowers were banked. They were fine eyes, for in them dwelt an intrinsic honesty and courage, and though it was a moment of deep gravity, the little wrinkles that ran out from them were assurances that they were often laughing eyes. This man seemed to fit into the picture of the hills with the appropriateness of the native born. In his free-flung shoulders and broad chest was the health of the open, but on one finger he wore a heavily carved ring from which glowed the cool light of a large emerald, and in his scarf was a black pearl, which hardly seemed characteristic of native wear. Then he went on:

"But, after all, Mary, they lived good lives and—" he hesitated, then said slowly—"and, after all, it's June, and you and I are young. Can't it always be June for us, dear?"

A bird from a great oak lifted its voice. It was a happy bird and would tolerate no sadness. It carolled to its mate and to the sky and through her tears Mary Burton smiled and the gorgeous vividness of her face was illuminated.

"While we have got each other," she said, "I guess it can be June."

Suddenly, she put out her slender but strong, young hands and caught his two arms, and stood there looking at him.

"Once, dear," she said, "when I was a very little girl, I used to dream of going out and seeing all the wonderful things beyond those hills. I used to dream of having rich men, and titled men come to me and make love. I used to cry because I thought I was ugly—and then I met you by the roadside—and you were my fairy prince—but I didn't guess that you were going to be my own for always."

Jefferson Edwardes smiled and into his eyes came a fervent glow.

"I can see you now," he said, "as you stood that first day I ever saw you, when I told you that your beauty would be the beauty of gorgeousness—when I warned you that the only thing you need ever fear was the loss of your simplicity. The woods were flaming at your back, but your loveliness outblazed their color, and then you were a thin little girl—a trifle chippendale in plan."

In spite of her sadness a smile came to her lips.

"And you were fighting your fight for life—with only an even chance. Suppose—" she shuddered—"suppose you had lost it?"

"I had too much to live for," he assured her. "I couldn't lose it. You and your hills gave me life and a dream, and you and your hills laid a claim upon me. How could I lose?"

"I've lain awake at night," said Mary Burton, as her long lashes drooped with the confession of her heart. "I've lain awake at night wondering if—now that you don't have to stay—if your own world won't call you back—away from me. I have thought of all that it holds for you—and how little these mountains hold. I've wondered if your heart didn't ache for foreign lands and wonderful cities—and all those things. If it does dear—" she paused and said very seriously—"you mustn't let me keep you here. I belong to here, but you—" The words fell into a faint note and died away unfinished.

"How little these hills hold me," he exclaimed in a dismayed voice, "when they hold you!" Then he laughed and told her as his eyes dwelt steadfastly and with worship on her face: "I belong here no less than you. The has been the land of my salvation and of my love. For me it is enough. I have traded the unrest of cities for the tranquility of the hills and the clamor of unhappy streets for the echoes of the woods, and the wood sing of sun as the streets could never sing. I have traded at a splendid profit, dear."

"And you won't tire of it—and of me?"

"I wish life could be long enough to give me a fair test of that," he smiled and then he added in a serious voice, "It is in the cities that men and women grow tired. It is under artifice that the soul wearies. That life I knew, and left with the bitterness of exile—but that was long ago. When I go into it now, it shall be only for the joy of coming back here again—of coming home."

The girl looked up into his face and the breeze fluttered a tendril of sun against her temple.

"You were the first person who ever called me pretty." Through the sadness of her face came a glimmer of shy merriment. "You said I was as beautiful as starlight on water."

"Mary, Mary!" The lover caught her slender figure in his strong arms, and held her so close that he breath came fragrantly against his tanned cheek. "You are as beautiful as starlight on water, and to me you're more beautiful. You're the sun and moon and stars and music—you're everything that is fine and splendid!"

"For your sake," she said shyly, "I wish I were much more beautiful."

Even the near shadow of death cannot banish the god of love. Mary Burton felt the arms of the man she loved about her, and her eyes as she looked into his face unmasked their secrets until he could read her soul and its message. For the moment they had forgotten all else. Then quite abruptly, her expression changed and became rapt, almost frightened.

Slowly she straightened up and her pupils dilated as though they were seeing something invisible to other eyes. Her lips parted and she drew away from his grasp and stood gazing ahead. Then she brushed one arm across her forehead. With instant alarm Edwardes caught her shoulders. "What is it?" he demanded. "Is anything wrong?"

She shook her head and spoke wonderingly with a far away, detached sort of utterance. "I don't know what it was—I guess I was a little faint." But she still stood with an awed and bewildered laxity upon her face, and after a while, he asked slowly:

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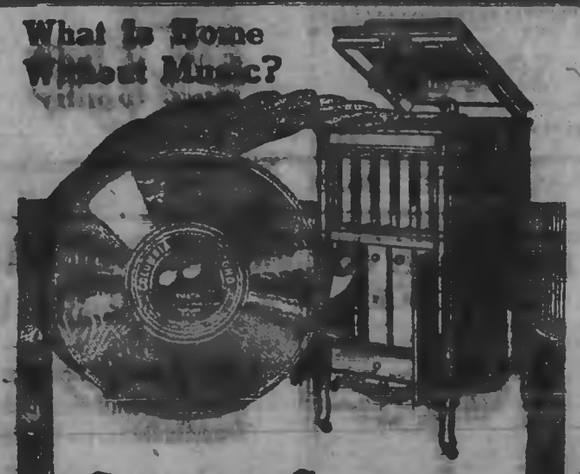

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Says the War Will End in The Autumn

MONTREAL, Jan. 28.—Sir Gilbert Parker, the famous Canadian novelist arrived in Montreal yesterday from New York, where he arrived on Sunday from England. Sir Gilbert who is staying at the Windsor hotel declared that in his opinion the war would end next autumn, perhaps a short time before that, and that the end would follow the economic collapse of Germany from within and the smashing of the German lines on the western front by the Anglo-French forces. Sir Gilbert declared that he believed in universal training and had England enforced only an elementary form of military training this war would never have happened.

Slow to Rouse.

Concerning the war Sir Gilbert said:

"The British people are slow to rouse and very slow to drive into the fight, but when once they are in it, and their convictions are aroused they are even slower to let go. Make no mistake about this. They are in this war because of two things, first, the faith of friends, and, secondly, the honour of treaties. By the faith of friends I mean the entente with France. By the honour of treaties I mean that compact, which secured Belgium in the midst of an overwhelming Europe. What would the world have thought of England, the friend of France, had she permitted Germany to crush France once more as she had in 1870? It is not hard to imagine.

"Remember that the people of England are like the people of the North American continent, a peace-loving people, who, with all their naval prowess, have never abused the right of the strong arm. In the days when countries like Germany were yet unformed as empires we loathed war, and it must be remembered that in this war England had nothing to gain either in indemnity or in territory, or in increased security. As an island she was free from those land invasions which make the position of countries on the Continent of Europe so perilous.

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The Golden Heart

By BARBARA PHIPPS

There has never been an invasion of an enemy's country that the invader has not made willing captives of a number of the daughters of the region invaded. During the war between the states many a Union soldier wooed and won a southern girl whose antagonism against the Union armies was very bitter. There seems to be something in the social relations that defies the horrors of war.

Lieutenant Joaquin Molina, a young Spanish officer just out of his teens, was during the last years of the last century sent with his command to Cuba. Those were the days when General Weyler was attempting to crush the Cuban revolution by execution and imprisonment, and both he and Spanish soldiers were hated by the downtrodden Cubans.

Lieutenant Molina was encamped with his regiment near a sugar plantation owned by one Leandro Reyes. The officers were received at the plantation with civility, if not cordiality, for Reyes did not care to antagonize them, though his sympathies were all for free Cuba. His daughter, Ines, a dark eyed beauty of seventeen, saw Molina, and notwithstanding she hated him as an enemy of her country she fell at once under the spell of love, a spell that was mutual, for Molina reciprocated.

True, the lady did not at once acknowledge that she had given her heart to the young Spaniard. Indeed, she was struggling against her enthrallment.

It was not long before the two passed from a mere acquaintance to an acknowledgment of what they felt for each other. Ines, though she admitted her passion for the young officer, refused to become his betrothed on the ground that he was engaged in the work of subjecting her countrymen to the yoke of the king of Spain. He pleaded for her to at least withhold her decision till the war had ended, but she replied that the end of the war, whatever it might be, would not alter her decision.

When Molina's regiment was ordered to Santiago there was a sad parting between the two, during which Ines gave way and told her lover that if Cuba achieved her independence he might come back and ask her again. Encouraged by this, he took one kiss, which she permitted, and tore himself away. He left her a parting gift—a little gold heart he wore on his watch chain.

Molina fought at Santiago, and when the end came he was shipped with his regiment to Spain. He asked for leave in order to visit Senorita Reyes, but, owing to the terms of the surrender, was unable to obtain one. He was obliged to defer seeing her again for a final reply to his proposition till he had gone to Spain. Then, if necessary, he would resign his commission in order to seek her.

When Lieutenant Molina reached Madrid he found it impossible to obtain a leave to return to America. He would have resigned his commission in order to go and claim Ines, but his mother dissuaded him.

"What!" she said. "Will you cross the Atlantic to claim a girl you are not sure of? If you resign from the army what career have you? And you will not find it pleasant to live on the income furnished by your wife's father."

Molina was thus persuaded to put off the matter so near his heart from day to day, till at last, having thought less and less of it, he drifted away from it altogether. He was thrown in with girls at home who desired the attentions of a young soldier who had been through the last struggle to preserve Cuba for Spain. In a few years he married one of them, and his Cuban romance was looked upon thereafter as a pleasant dream.

Fifteen years passed. Molina had in the meantime resigned from the army and had been elected a member of the cortes. Ten years after his marriage his wife died and left him a widower without children. Fourteen years after the close of the Spanish-American war he was appointed to a prominent place in the Spanish legation at Washington. While there he was one night attending a reception of the president and was introduced to a lady of middle age who, though a native of tropical America, where women bloom and fade early, was still beautiful. He did not catch her name, but saw at once that there was Spanish blood in her veins.

"We have met before, senor," she said.

"Indeed!" looking at her scrutinizingly. "When? Where?"

"In Cuba."

"I have not been to Cuba for fifteen years. While there I met a number of ladies."

"To one of them you gave a token."

"A token!"

"Yes."

Inserting her fingers under the neck of her dress, she caught a chain and drew forth attached to it a little gold heart.

For a few moments Reyes looked at it without remembrance concerning it. Then it rushed upon him that he was the donor.

"Ines!" he exclaimed. "Are you married?"

"No. I have been waiting to give a final answer to one who was to call for it."

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Toronto housewives are aghast at the recent rise in potatoes. Prices soared to $3.00 per bag this week. While shortage in crops is largely responsible, prices have been further augmented by American buyers coming into the Canadian market. Several carloads of potatoes from Saskatchewan were also held up owing to a breakdown; and many of these were frozen while being transferred to other cars. Only one quarter of each carload lot were found fit for consumption when picked over.

"Vegetable men are not getting rich in the potato market this year," said Mr. S. Lightfoot. "We are paying $2.00 per bag wholesale, and from present indications it would look as if prices will continue to advance until some relief can be brought from British Columbia.

"The great trouble is many large American buyers are flooding the market, and it is hard for us to bring the potatoes through the West at this season, as so many get frozen." "Dealers sell to the highest bidder. Americans are always ready for a gamble, and as a result seventy carloads were bought up from one New Brunswick dealer alone yesterday.

"I have been on this market for the past forty years," continued Mr. Lightfoot, "and never remember a time when old vegetables were so scarce. It is almost impossible to buy carrots, beets, or parsnips, and onions are now selling at 5 cents a pound.

"We cannot expect much relief until the foreign market opens up. Even the imported vegetables will be slightly higher, as few gardeners can afford to pay for coal at $9 a ton and many of the large places have been closed down."

"Potatoes are not to be had in the country," added Mr. James Bamford, another potato dealer, "and it looks as if we may not have any by spring until the new crop comes in. The extreme scarcity is the cause of advanced prices. This, as everybody knows, was due to the poor season we had. Potatoes may soar as high as $3.50 and $4. It seems ridiculous to quote such prices when I can recall buying them not more than fifteen years ago at 25 cents, but farmers don't seem to go in for growing potatoes to the same extent nowadays.

One large hotel buyer stated that he believed the farmers were largely at fault for th high prices of potatoes and other vegetables, also meat, during the past twenty years. They have all become so prosperous they are indifferent whether they grow garden stuff or not. The same may be applied to beef," said he, as he recalled buying choice cuts of beef and pork at 6 and 7 cents for hindquarters and 5 cents for the forequarters.

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Keene Items Of Interest

KEENE, Jan. 26.—The following is the report of the meeting of the Otonabee Agricultural Society, which was held at the Town Hall. The annual report, which was read by the treasurer, A. Drummond, was very gratifying, the finances being in excess of last year. The officers elected were as follows:

President—Peter Drummond.

First Vice-President—R. A. Nelson.

Second Vice-President—H. Humphries.

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Auditors—John Lang and James McNeil.

It was decided to hold a field crop competition for oats, and to have departmental judge at fall fair on horses, the date of fair to be held on 2nd and 3rd of October.

The President was appointed as a delegate to attend the convention of Fairs and Associations at Toronto.

Personals.

Mr. Harry Mathers is spending a few days this week at Toronto.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Nelson, near Lang, on Monday of last week.

Miss Annie Bolin is visiting friends at Toronto.

Miss Irene Thompson, of Mt. Julian, is visiting Keene friends this week.

Mr. Dennis Roche was called home from Toronto on Saturday on account of the illness of his father, Mr. P. Roche.

Mrs. William Foster and family, of New Liskeard; Mrs. A. Shearer, of Indian River, and Mrs. James Shearer of Lang were guests on Wednesday of last week of Mrs. L. Burley.

On Wednesday of last week a serving bee was held at the Town Hall by the Ladies' Patriotic Society about 5 p.m. Refreshments were served, and a delightful time was spent socially.

A large crowd of young people gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James McFarlane on Wednesday night, and tripped the light fantastic. A splendid time is reported by those who were fortunate enough to attend.

Mr. Wesley Howson, of Alberta, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Howson.

Corporal Roy McDougal, of the 164th Battalion, Hamilton, was a guest on Thursday and Friday of friends at the Victoria House. Corp. McDougal was formerly employed as cashier at the Keene branch of the Toronto Bank.

Ball Was Held.

A ball was given by the stockholders of the Lang Town Hall last Friday night for the purpose of making some needed improvements on the hall. A large crowd from Keene and vicinity attended, and all report a splendid time.

The Keene Ladies' Patriotic Society will hold a social and entertainment on the 14th of February.

Mr. Michael Kennealley attended the funeral of his cousin, the late Mrs. Thomas Crowley, at Peterborough on Monday.

Mr. Lees, Public School Inspector, paid Keene School a visit last Friday.

Mrs. Shinkie, of Lakefield, and Mrs. Morgan, of Peterborough, visited friends in Keene and vicinity a few days last week.

Mr. Harold Roche returned to Peterborough on Monday, after a week's visit with Keene friends.

Miss Maggie Sharpe returned to her home at Westwood on Monday, after a pleasant week-end visit at the home of Mr. James McNeil.

Miss Annie Bolin is spending a few weeks with friends at Toronto.

Killed in Action.

Mrs. William Bell received word last week that her brother, Pte. John Barnhardt, of the 87th Grenadier Guards, had been killed in action on the Somme front.

THE ENGLISH PHEASANT.

Originally From Asia, It Is Still Found in China and Tibet.

Generally speaking, the English pheasant is misnamed, since it came from Asia and is still to be found in India, Tibet and China. The birds were brought to Europe more than 500 years ago, turned loose on hunting preserves and thrived amazingly. They supply the finest bird shooting in Scotland and England, and so much care is taken in raising them that they may almost be regarded as a half domesticated bird.

Under the present system the eggs are hatched by hens or in incubators. The chicks are carefully fed on insects and prepared foods, and when they are able to shift for themselves they are turned into the woods. While the common pheasant will roost in trees, it is a ground bird. The female will remain under cover until it is almost stepped upon.

Because of this trait the pheasants are scurried by men who beat in the thickets until the pheasants take flight over shooting holes, where the hunters are concealed.

ECZEMA ON THE HEAD.

Mr. Patterson, South Bay, Ont., writes: "For years I suffered a mass of eczema on the head. I tried many different doctors, never such a fair trial, but in fact grew worse and spread to my arms. I got Dr. Chase's Ointment, and it has entirely cured me. I give you my name because I want other sufferers to know about this splendid Ointment."

HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS AND LOW WAISTS

New York. — "High school girls wear their waists low and their skirts too high. They go to school clad like nymphs in a Greek dance, and they paint and powder like Commanches on the warpath. Why? To attract the attention of the boys, I suppose. They are boy crazy."

While Mrs. B. E. Nichols, a delegate to the State Mothers' Congress, was delivering herself of these views in Denver, Col., Mrs. Charles W. Stockton, president of the State Federation of Women's Clubs of New York, turned her attention to the problem of the dress of women and girls, and the following list of Don'ts is the result of her cogitations:

Don't wear your skirt so short that a person can't tell whether you are 16 or 60. Don't spend money on dress which ought to go for good books. Don't wear a silly, narrow skirt so you can't get on a train, or a straw hat in a snowstorm, or a velvet hat in July."

Now I think that if the only way you can tell whether a woman is 16 or 60 is by looking at the length of her skirts, grandma is entitled to all the doubts she can create. We should not waste our worry on grandma whether she chooses to add to or to omit from her costume.

The school girl is another matter. Childhood is entitled to protection, even from its own folly, so whatever fault there is to find with the clothes of high school girls should be found with their mothers and not with them. The age of consent in law should apply to all forms of girlish imprudence, and no girl under 18 should be held any more responsible for errors of taste than for errors of conduct. She should be protected from both by her natural guardians, her parents.

Mothers say, of course, that they cannot control their daughters. To confess such failure does not alter it or minimize responsibility for it. Some mothers admit that they know it is wrong for schoolgirls to get themselves up like queens of burlesque but that so many girls do it and so many men admire it, that they cannot afford to make wall flowers of their little daughters by enforcing the laws of good taste in their dress.

"If a girl expects to land a husband in New York," one mother told me, "she has to begin looking for him when she is still in school, and what chances has a little girl in a middy suit with braided hair and a natural color against girls dressed in silks and made up like Indians?"

There is one thing to be said for mother and daughter and grandma. It has never been said more completely than by Jules Bois in his early novel, "The Eternal Doll." "Woman is the product of her epoch," declared this distinguished Frenchman. "Through all the ages she has been what men wanted her to be. And if she is a doll, a toy, a plaything, it is because men have wished her to be so."

This is sheer common sense. It is the application of the law, of supply and demand to the relations of men and women. Farmers won't grow egg plants when all the money is in wheat or potatoes, and women won't be simple and natural, wear their own hair, their own complexions, and their own figures, so long as the masculine market calls for something else.

For most women to-day must live by pleasing men in one way or another. It is folly to believe that a woman is independent, merely because she does not get married. If she is an artist she may sell a picture because of a becoming hat.

This is not as it should be. And already the most efficient women can go about their work as if they were got up for a hard day's plowing, if they are foolish enough to forego the delight of making themselves as beautiful as art and nature will permit them. This is only to the strong woman. The others, whether they are self-supporting or marry, must please men. And this being true there is not strong reason for believing that the flapper type is the most admired by American men and that even grandma must give a move or less successful imitation of her, if she wants to convince the people that she is still alive?

To the average American man there are no flowers among women, save crocuses, daffodils, hyacinths, snowdrops and the other blossoms of the early spring. Tell him that women are as variable in the hour of blooming as plants are and he will laugh. Tell him that the woman dahlia, the woman chrysanthemum flowers just before the frost, and that there are even rare women who are ever blooming roses as lovely in September as in June, and he will listen, but persist in his ingenuous preference for snowdrops and crocuses, etc.—all the flappers that bloom in the spring, tra la! He won't look at the dahlia or the chrysanthemum woman unless she makes frantic efforts to look as much like a snowdrop as she can.

The intelligent woman won't do this to be sure. She will have the courage to be her type, and even may be very glad that she is a dahlia and not a crocus. But how many women dare to be as intelligent as that?

Women wear the fashions, but men make them by the women they pursue and when a man gets on field glasses to look at the Greek maiden painted like a Commanche we are not very much impressed by his indignation, even though he feels it necessary to exclaim from time to time to a brother reformer, "Take a peek at that underdressed creature. Isn't she an abandoned wretch?"

Sympathy, Not Aid, For "Billy" Sunday

The Rev. Dr. John M. Ericsson, of Yonkers, Says His Church Will Not Take Part in Revival.

YONKERS, N.Y., Jan. 26.—The Rev. Dr. John Mank Ericsson, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church, announced that his church would have nothing to do with the "Billy" Sunday campaign, which is to include Yonkers. St. John's is one of the largest churches in Yonkers.

"We will take no part in the work," said Dr. Ericsson. "I am willing to believe that Mr. Sunday is sincere in his work. We are ready to sympathize with our Christian brothers in their work, but we cannot co-operate in the work. We will have nothing to do with it."

The announcement of Dr. Ericsson is a blow to the hopes of the Yonkers Ministers' Association, which has been endeavouring to obtain the active help of every Protestant clergyman in this city. The stand of Dr. Ericsson is expected to influence several clergymen who have not shown an active interest in the evangelistic meetings.

Had Chronic Indigestion Thought She Would Die

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BAG OF RICH LOOT IN POLICE HANDS

Prisoner Said to Have Told Police That Companion Had Twenty Times as Much.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Mrs. Harry B. Cleaver, of Bayside, and Detective James A. Knapp, of the Jamaica Bureau, were in Harlem looking through pawnshops for jewellery and silver stolen from Mrs. Cleaver's home by burglars when Knapp saw a young man carrying a bag at Eighth Avenue and 114th Street. The young man appeared to be nervous and the detective stopped him.

"Oh, I just live around the corner," said the man.

Knapp started to feel the stranger's pockets when the man hit him in the face and ran. Leaving the bag, which had been dropped, with Mrs. Cleaver, the detective pursued the man, catching him in a cellar near 121st Street and St. Nicholas Avenue.

Going back to where Mrs. Cleaver was waiting with the bag, the detective and his prisoner were followed by a crowd. Mrs. Cleaver accompanied them to Police Headquarters, where the bag was opened. Nothing taken from the Bayside house was there, but the bag contained about $1,500 worth of heavy silver dishes. There was a cup won by the Gloria in the Larchmont Yacht Club races in 1901, a man's gold watch, bearing the initials "M. G. C."; a powder box marked "D. McL" and several pieces of silver and jewellery marked "M. L. M." The bag containing the goods bore the name of "J. B. Ogden, Poland, N.Y."

The prisoner, who described himself as Robert H. Phillips, of Cleveland, Ohio, said he recently came to New York.

"You got me, all right," he was quoted as saying, "but the big fish got away. He was standing across the street when I was collared and he had a bag containing stuff worth twenty times as much as mine. I don't know where the stuff was stolen. It was just given to me to sell, and I'm not going to say where I got it."

The Retort Judicious.—A certain Magistrate in the provinces has a remarkable head of hair of which he is rather proud. Not long ago a local ne'er-do-well was brought before him on a charge of poaching, and in the course of the case an amusing incident occurred. The prisoner was exceedingly impudent, interrupting the witnesses and insulting all who had anything to say for or against him. Considering the case proved, the Stipendiary turned to the prisoner and asked:—"Have you any remarks to make" "Yes, I have," he replied, flippantly, "your hair wants cutting!" There was an audible titter in court, which developed into a roar of laughter as the witty Magistrate coolly replied: "So does yours, my friend. I'll give you three months to do it."

Great British Scientist Says He Has Communicated With His Son Who Was Killed in Action

Sir Oliver Lodge, in a New Book, Claims to Have Proven That Memory and Identity Continue After Body Dies

(By Van Buren Thorne, M.D., in the New York Times).

Several years have passed since a notable group of scientists conveyed to the rest of the world their belief that it was possible to communicate and exchange views with the spirits of the departed. The leader of this group was Sir Oliver Lodge, the very personification of scientific achievement.

The dawn of 1917 finds Sir Oliver more firmly intrenched than ever in his radical beliefs. In his latest book, 'Raymond, or Life and Death,' (George H. Doran Company), which deals largely with alleged communications with the spirit of his youngest son, Lieutenant Raymond Lodge, slain on the field of battle, he declared his faith anew in these words:

I have made no secret of my conviction, not merely that personality persists, but that its continued existence is more entwined with the life of every day than has been generally imagined; that there is no real breach of continuity between the dead and the living; and that methods of intercommunion across what has seemed to be a gulf can be set going in response to the urgent demand of affection — that in fact, as Diotima told Socrates (Symposium, 202 and 203), Love bridges the chasm.

Nor is it affection only that controls and empowers supernormal intercourse; scientific interest and missionary zeal constitute supplementary motives which are found efficacious, and it has been mainly through efforts so actuated that I and some others have been gradually convinced, by direct experience, of a fact which before long must become patent to mankind.

CLEVER SCIENTISTS.

No matter how absurd, unreasonable, ridiculous, and opposed to what is ordinarily called "common sense" these so-called communications, and the methods of obtaining them may seem to be, it must be acknowledged that the scientists who have interested themselves in these matters are persons trained to the highest degree in accurate methods of investigation and research.

The distinguished career of Sir Oliver Lodge in itself is sufficient to attract respectful attention to anything he may say relative to matters with which he is familiar by reason of long study and investigation. He has been president of the British Association, President of the Physical Society of London, President of the Society for Psychical Research, and is Principal of the University of Birmingham. He has been honoured by a dozen or more universities, and holds the honorary degree of Doctor of Science from six of them, including Oxford and Cambridge.

So much for Sir Oliver's scientific attainments. The interesting questions in connection with his name now are: Why does he believe that he has communicated with the spirits of his son Raymond and others, and what did these spirits reveal to him concerning their present surroundings, and the general conditions of life hereafter.

ACCURATE INFORMATION.

Broadly speaking, Sir Oliver says that information was conveyed to him and other members of his family at different times and through different mediums which neither himself, his family, nor the mediums knew anything about, and which it was impossible for them to know anything about—and yet it was demonstrated later that this information was true and accurate to the last detail. Moreover Sir Oliver says that this information came through the mediums at a time when the latter were unaware of his identity or that of the other members of the family who visited them. There is nothing in the book, however, to indicate that Sir Oliver may not have been deceived on this point.

As to the conditions of post mortem existence, quotations from the book itself will appear later in this article so that the reader may know exactly the sort of messages that Sir Oliver and others of his family recorded as they fell from the lips of the different mediums.

The scientist convinced that his son Raymond is now engaged in pioneer work in the sphere of his present existence in the endeavor to make the interchange of communication with those on earth much easier than at present. In this work he believes Raymond is assisted by the spirits of persons who were actively engaged in psychical research during their lifetime.

AN OLD FRIEND.

One of these is Frederick Myers. Raymond tells his father that he has met many of his (Sir Oliver's) old friends. When asked if he can name any of them, he readily answered "Myers." Later, Myers speaks for himself. Investigators in this country, such as Dr. J. H. Hyslop, have frequently had communications from "Myers."

Raymond tells his father that he has pro tem. father where he is now, although the child spirit who conveys this information through the medium says she does not know what pro tem. means, and wants to know if that is a correct expression. Sir Oliver recognises Myers as the pro tem. father.

According to a spirit called "Moonstone," who communicated through a medium named Peters, a group of spirits of whom, apparently, Myers was one, sent this message to Sir Oliver, the admonition accompanying it to write down clearly every word:

"Not only is the partition so thin that you can hear the operators on the other side, but a big hole has been made."

DEATH A DREAM.

Sir Oliver expresses his belief that Raymond has proved personal survival and identity as follows:

I consider that he has done so. And the family skepticism, which up to this time has been sufficiently strong, is now, I may fairly say, overborne by the facts. How far these facts can be conveyed to the sympathetic understanding of strangers I am doubtful. But I must plead for a patient hearing, and if I make mistakes, either in what I include or in what for brevity, I omit, or if my notes and comments fail in clearness, I bespeak a friendly interpretation; for it is truly from a sense of duty that in so personal a matter I lay myself open to harsh and perhaps cynical criticism.

That Raymond is engaged in work calculated to demonstrate clearly in the future the practicability of communication between the living and the dead, Sir Oliver firmly believes. This is his assertion:

He has entered another region of service now, and this we realise. For though in the first shock of bereavement the outlook of life felt irretrievably darkened, a perception of his continued usefulness has mercifully dawned upon us, and we know that his activity is not over. His bright ingenuity will lead to developments beyond what we could have anticipated, and we have clear hopes for the future.

In a chapter on "The Group Photograph," Sir Oliver gives what he considers to be absolute proof of the survival of personal identity and memory. Here is a brief summary of his arguments. Lady Lodge had a sitting with Peters, the medium. "Moonstone," a spirit, says through Peters, that there is a photograph of Raymond with other men, and that prominent in the picture is Raymond's walking stick, and Raymond "is particular that I should tell you of this."

Later, Sir Oliver had a sitting with Mrs. Leonard, another medium whose control is a child spirit called Feda. Sir Oliver, as soon as he was supposed to be in communication with Raymond through Feda, remarked that Raymond had said something about a photograph (meaning that Raymond had said it to Lady Lodge through the medium Peters.)

After Sir Oliver had asked several questions he obtained from Feda, speaking for Raymond, a detailed description of a group photograph, which neither he nor any of the family had ever seen. Raymond says that some one wanted to lean on him when the picture was taken. He describes vertical lines at the top of the picture and gives the letter B as the initial of the man most prominent in the photograph.

Some time later copies of the photograph were sent to the Lodges. They show a group of officers with a low shed for a background and with vertical lines on the roof. Raymond is seated on the ground, his walking stick across his feet. An officer in the second row is leaning on Raymond's shoulder. The strongest light falls on Captain Boost, behind Raymond, and unseen by him, and Captain Boost is the most prominent figure in the photograph.

HADN'T SEEN PICTURE.

Raymond never saw this picture, because it was not developed until after his death. It was developed in England, although it was taken on the continent, but it had not been developed when Lady Lodge first heard of it through the medium Peters. Moreover, none of the Lodges had seen it nor could the mediums mentioned have seen it up to the time it was described in detail to Sir Oliver.

The communications from Raymond Lodge were obtained through the voices of mediums, automatic writing and table rappings. Some of these communications follow. The first one quoted is the result of an anonymous sitting Lionel Lodge, Raymond's brother, had with Mrs. Leonard. Feda, the spirit who is Mrs. Leonard's control, sometimes speaks in the first person and sometimes in the third.

"Do you remember," Lionel asks, "a sitting at home when you told me you had a lot to tell me?"

The answer:

Yes. What he principally wanted to say was about the place he is in. He could not spell it out—too laborious (meaning with the table rappings.) He felt rather upset at first. You do not feel so real as people do where he is, and walls appear transparent to him now. The great thing that made him reconciled to his new surroundings was—that things appear so solid and substantial. The first idea on waking up was, I suppose, of what they call "passing over." It was only for a second or two, as you count time, (that is it seemed), a shadowy vague place, everything vapory and vague. He had that feeling about it.

The first person to meet him was Grandfather.

(This was said very carefully, and if trying to get it right with difficulty.)

And others then, some of whom he had only heard about. They all appeared to be so solid that he could scarcely believe that he had passed over.

He lives in a house—a house built of bricks—and there are trees and flowers, and the ground is solid. And if you kneel down in the mud apparently you get your clothes soiled. The thing I don't understand yet is that the day doesn't follow the night here as it did on the earth plane. It seems to get dark some times, when you would like it to be dark, but the time in between light and dark is not always the same. I don't know if you think all this is a bore.

(I was here thinking whether my pencils would last out out; I had two and was starting on the second one.)

What I am worrying now about is how it's made, of what it is composed. I have not found out yet, but I have got a theory. It is not an original idea of my own; I was helped to it by words let drop here and there.

People who think everything is created by thought are wrong. I thought that for a little time that one's thoughts formed the buildings and the flowers and the trees and solid ground, but there is more than that.

He says something of this sort: (This means that Feda is going to report in the third person again or else to speak for herself.—O. J.L.)

There is something always rising from the earth plane—something chemical in form. As it rises to ours, it goes through various changes and solidifies on our plane. Of course I am only speaking of where I am now.

He feels sure that it is something given off from the earth that makes the solid trees and flowers, etc.

He does not know any more. He is making a study of this, but it takes a good long time.

L. L.—I should like to know whether he can get into touch with anybody on earth.

Not always.

Only those wishing to see him, and who it would be right for him to see. Then he sees them before he has thought.

I don't seem to wish for anything.

He does not wish to see anybody unless they are going to be brought to him.

I am told that I can meet anyone at any time that I want to; there is no difficulty in the way of it. That is what makes it such a jolly fine place to live in.

L. L.—Can he help people here?

That is part of his work, but there are others doing that the greatest amount of his work is still at the war.

I've been home—but my actual work is at the war.

He has something to do with his father, though his work still lies at the war, helping on poor chaps literally shot into the spirit world.

LOSS OF LIMBS.

Lately Sir Oliver had a sitting with Mrs. Leonard, and after the spirit of Raymond, through Feda, had manifested its presence, Sir Oliver inquired:

"What about a limb lost in battle?"

The answer:

"Oh, if they have only just lost it, it makes no difference. It doesn't matter; they are quite all right when they get here. But I am told—he doesn't know this himself, but he has been told—that when anybody's blown to pieces, it takes some time for the spirit body to complete itself, to gather itself all in, and to be complete. It dissipated a certain amount of substance which is undoubtedly therio-theric, and it has to be concentrated again. The spirit isn't blown apart of course—he does not mean that—but it has an effect upon it. He hasn't seen all this but he has been inquiring, because he is interested.

O.J.L.—What about bodies that are burned?

Oh, if they get burnt by accident, if they know about it on this side they detach the first spirit. What we call a spirit doctor comes around and helps. But bodies should not be burned on purpose. We have terrible trouble sometimes with people who are cremated too soon; they shouldn't be. It's a terrible thing; it has worried me. People are so careless. The idea seems to be—"hurry up and get them out of the way now that they are dead." Not until seven days, he says. They should not be cremated for seven days.

ATOMS FROM EARTH.

O.J.L.—Raymond, you said your house was made of bricks. How can that be? What are the bricks made of?

That's what he hasn't found out yet. He is told by some, who he doesn't think would lead him astray that they are made from sort of emanations from the earth. He says there's something rising, like atoms rising, and consolidating after they come, but we can collect and concentrate them—I mean those that are with me. They appear to be bricks, and when I touch them they feel like bricks; and I have seen granite, too.

There's something perpetually rising from your plane; practically invisible—in atoms when it comes to the others, it gains other qualities around each atom, and by the time it reaches us certain people take it in hand and manufacture solid things from it. Just as you can manufacture solid things.

All the decay that goes on to the earth plane is not lost. It doesn't just form manure or dust. Certain vegetable and decayed tissue does form manure for a time, but it gives off an essence or a gas, which ascends and which becomes what you call a "smell." Everything dead has a smell, if you notice, and I know now that the smell is of actual use, because it is from that smell that we are able to produce duplicates of whatever form it had before it became a smell. Even old wood has a smell different from new wood. You may have to have a keen nose to detect the difference but it is there.

Old rags, he says (sotto voce, — Yes, all right, Feda will go back) cloth decaying and going rotten. Different kinds of cloth give off different smells—rotting linen smells different to rotting wood. You can understand how this all interests me. Apparently, as far as I can gather, the rotting wool appears to be used for making things like tweeds on our side. But I know that I am jumping. I'm guessing at it. My suit, I expect, was made from decayed worsted on your side.

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NAME	IN COMPANY'S SERVICE As	At	NATURE OF CASUALTY
Abbey, Samuel	Timekeeper	Kamloops	Wounded
Hadingfield, Syd. C.	Waiter	Vancouver	Killed in action
Beats, Thomas A.	Porter	Fort McNicoll	Killed in action
Booth, Arthur	Agent	Two Creeks	Wounded
Brown, Isaac G..unt	Machine Helper	Winnipeg	Wounded
Chapman, Andrew G.	Stower	Winnipeg	Wounded
Charrel, Alex. R.	Clerk	Montreal	Killed in action
Cosgrove, James	Conductor	Calgary	Wounded
Daly, Joseph	Clerk	Montreal	Died of wounds
Donald, Ernest	Storeman	Angus	Wounded
Fisher, Harry	Night Porter	Winnipeg	Wounded
Forsyth, William	Wiper	Brandon	Wounded
Fuller, Percy D.	Clerk	Montreal	Wounded
Laxton, Wesley	Mach. Apprentice	North Bay	Wounded
Macdonald, Ken. M.	Watchman	Gimli	Suffering from shock
Mathison, Albert	Crane man	Brit. Colum. Dist.	Wounded
Morgan, Cyril Wm.	Brakeman	Moose Jaw	Wounded
Nash, Harry Bourke	Clerk	Victoria	Wounded
Parsons, William	Constable	Cranbrook	Wounded
Paterson, Wilfred	Timekeeper	Red Deer	Wounded
Smith, Cecil Herbert	Tool Grinder	Ogden	Wounded
Smith, George	Constable	Calgary	Killed in action
Squires, Wm. Geo.	Boilermkrs. Hlpr.	Toronto	Killed in action
Stewart, Jas. Herbert	Loco. Fireman	Moose Jaw	Wounded
Stone, Edw Wilfrid	Mach. Apprentice	Ogden	Wounded
Swanson, John	Loco. Fireman	Cranbrook	Suffering from shock
Thrower, Leonard	Yardman	Fort William	Wounded
Twist, John	Laborer	Fitzmark	Died of wounds
Wellspring, William	Loco. Fireman	Nelson	Wounded
Willins, Henry Jas.	Yardman	Calgary	Died of wounds
Wilson, Frank R.	Car Repairer	Toronto	Killed in action

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IN DREAD OF CROUP.

Every mother dreads croup unless she knows about Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine. Given in treatment small does at the first indication of trouble, this treatment loosens the cough and affords relief and comfort. Its use should be kept up until the child is entirely recovered.

First Stamps of Nippon.

It was in March, 1871, that postage stamps were for the first time issued in Japan, following the system of western countries. The stamps were of four denominations of mon. These stamps, however, disappeared shortly after their issue, to be replaced in 1872 by another series in the denomination of sen. These denominations are still in use today, but at the present time there is a far wider variety, the values being from one-quarter of a cent to $5. The first stamps were extremely crude in appearance, were without gum and were printed by the ancient method of wood engraving. Today electric machines turn out the stamps, as we know them in this country, in enormous quantities.—Japan Society Bulletin.

Animals Under Water.

The ability of a beaver to remain under water for a long time is not really so tough a problem as it looks. When the lake or pond is frozen over a beaver will come to the under surface of the ice and expel his breath so that it will form a wide, flat bubble. The air, coming in contact with the ice and water, is purified, and the beaver breathes it again. This operation he can repeat several times. The otter and muskrat do the same thing.

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THE RUSSIANS CAPTURE 10,000 PRISONERS

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OVER TEN THOUSAND GERMAN SOLDIERS CAPTURED BY THE RUSSIANS SATURDAY

Petrograd Official Statement Announces Many Prisoners Taken in Victory Northeast of Jakobenion---German Report Admits Great Activity on the Part of the British Forces--French Repulse Attack at Hartsmannsweilerkopf

A SUMMARY OF TO-DAY'S WAR CABLES

PETROGRAD, January 29.—The capture of thirty officers and more than 10,000 German soldiers was announced in to-day's official statement as among the fruits of the Russian victory northeast of Jakobenion on Saturday.

WASHINGTON, January 29.—The further armament of British ships, including guns forward, will not necessarily subject them to legal submarine attack without warning, it was announced at the State Department to-day.

Will Take Charge Of Russian Railways

OTTAWA, Ont., January 29.—It is reported here that E. C. Bury, first vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, has been appointed to go to Russia and take charge of the entire railway system supplying the Czar's troops with food and munitions.

Claim British Raids Were All Repulsed

BERLIN, January 29.—Great activity of British raiding parties, and details of an assault in three waves of British troops north of Armentieres were reported in to-day's official statement claiming the repulse of all attempts against the German lines.

French Troops Easily Repulsed An Attack

PARIS (French Official Communique), January 29.—French troops last night easily repulsed an attempted attack by the Germans on a trench at Hartmannsveilerkopf, Alsace. During the night numerous patrol engagements took place in the Champagne and at various points along the Alsaic front.

A Big Shake Up In United States Cabinet

WASHINGTON, January 29.—A big Cabinet shift will take place early in President Wilson's second term, it was learned to-day. This will be in addition to the diplomatic shake-up which will take place about March 4, or very soon thereafter. These expected Cabinet changes, however, will not begin, it it believed, until several months after the President's second inauguration. In all cases, it is stated, the Cabinet resignations to come will be "voluntary." The contemplated changes will effect the treasury, agriculture, commerce and probably State portfolios.

TORONTO, January 29.—The Star's war expert points out to-day that the British are now able to produce more four and six-inch guns than the army requires. Their output of shells for field guns and field howitzers is fifty times what it was in the first year of the war. The exact figures cannot be revealed, but it is clear that the shell output is considerably more than a million a day, or four times the entire German output in May of last year. This spells victory.

NEW LONDON, Conn., January 29.—New London was simply buzzing with various submarine rumours to-day. There was one report that a British cruiser had captured or sunk the merchant submarine Deutschland. The "Mother ship" Willehad took on large supplies of food and crude oil last week, apparently for the Deutschland, which, it is expected may arrive any day.

A Statement To The Public From Robert Hicks & Co.

We regret our inability to supply the excessive demands made on us for some time past for hard coal.

The general shortage of hard coal in the city prompted us to buy coal from the jobbers at higher prices in order to add to our usual supply, and to partially meet this excessive demand. This coal is now coming forward daily, anad we are making every provision to increase our already increased output of 50 per cent. over last season. We cannot hope to do better than this, in the face of Public School contracts, and contracts with different factories and public buildings, in the city for soft coal.

It is incumbent upon those who have gas installed to ask for as little nut and pea coal as possible, as many houses can only use these sizes, of which there is a shortage.

Do not order beyond your requirements for February:—

1st—Because it is not the fair thing to do under conditions.

2nd—The price will likely be reduced when our regular source of supply can fill our wants.

FRENCH SOLDIER WILL LECTURE IN PETERBORO

Private E. L. R. Grosvalet of the French army is in the city in connection with picture series number two of "Canada's Fighting Forces," which will be shown in the Grand Opera House on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. The pictures will be shown each afternoon and evening. Like series number one, they depict the Canadian forces in action showing every known method of warfare as it is carried out on the western front. Pte. Grosvalet will lecture on the pictures.

RETURNED SOLDIERS' CLUB IMPORTANT

A general meeting of the Returned Soldiers' Club will be held to-night at 8 o'clock in the Armouries. All members are earnestly requested to be present, especially the new members. There is a lot of important matter to attend to.

TWO MORE MEMBERS OF 93RD BATTALION ON WOUNDED LIST

Pte. H. J. Miller Brother of Mrs. H. Beattie of Peterboro and Pte. Tom Drain of Crowe's Landing Among To-day's Casualties

BOTH ARE WELL KNOWN

Two more members of the 93rd Battalion are reported wounded to-day and although neither was a resident of Peterborough both are well known in this city.

Pte. H. J. Miller, brother of Mrs. Harry Beattie, Rubidge street, is officially reported wounded. His mother, who resides in Perth, Ont., received the news from Ottawa on Friday. Pte. Miller came to Peterborough from Perth to enlist just before Christmas, 1915, and was with the 93rd Battalion until the Peterborough unit reached England, when he was drafted to the 20th Battalion at the front as a bomber. He has many friends in Peterborough who will wish him a speedy convalescence.

Pte. T. Drain, who enlisted last winter in the Apsley platoon of the 93rd Battalion, and went overseas as a member of C Company under Capt. Bygott, is also officially reported wounded. Pte. Drain is a son of John Drain, Dummer township and lived near Crowe's Landing, Stoney Lake. He is well known to summer visitors to the east end of Stoney Lake, as for a number of summers he was employed as a guide. Like Pte. Miller, he was born in Canada.

COAL RELEASED FOR PETERBORO

Forty-One Cars Are on the Way—Announcement by the Robert Hicks Company

Through the instrumentality of Mayor Duffus, nineteen cars of coal have been released for one dealer in the city and twenty-two cars for another dealer. These cars have been held up on the road for some time. They are now on the way and will do much towards relieving the present coal shortage.

Attention is drawn to announcement on another page by the Robert Hicks Company. The public is asked to co-operate with the dealers and not attempt to order more coal than is absolutely necessary. There is every reason to believe that the difficulty will be overcome in a short time. Every effort is being made by the local dealers to meet the demands of their customers.

The House Of The Golden Windows

Wallace Reid and Cleo Ridgley at the Empire Theatre

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An Honest Sheep Herder... Wallace Reid
His Wife ..... Cleo Ridgely
A Rich Owner of Oil Lands..
James Neill
His Wife ..... Mabel Van Buren
The Overseer of the Peabody Lands.
Bob Fleming
An Old Crone ..... Jane Wolff
Fairy ..... Majorie Daw

"The House of the Golden Windows" contains a story quite different from what they have done before as there is a delicate touch of fantasy intertwined with a plot of tense human emotion, love, excitement and happiness. It is what has become to be known as a picture of happiness in contrast to the sordid subjects of which there have been on the screen all too many. The photoplay also will mark the first appearance, with these two stars, of Master Billy Jacobs who created such a favourable impression with Marie Doro in "The Heart of Nora Flynn" and Victor Moore in "The Clown."

MORE POSITIONS NEEDED FOR RETURNED SOLDIERS

Any other places open for returned men? Those advised of have been exhausted, in a general way. It would be helpful if a few more places were available. Mention to the Patriotic Fund Office what you have. Some one can be found to fit in.

A couple of men are wanted to take places. These are advised to the office as for real soldiers. That is the employer desires to help the man who has seen service. A mighty good thought, and we excuse to him the reservation he makes. A young man, bright and adaptable, and who can take charge of the work of several girls. Nothing hard about the work and the fact that the girls are nice people to work with is an additional inducement. A fair wage in it, too. Now don't all speak at once. But apply.

500 CLUB WILL BE ORGANIZED HERE DURING PRESENT WEEK

Systematic Campaign to Fill up the 247th Battalion Will Be Launched on Sunday Night Next in the Grand Opera House---Some Information in Regard to the 247th Battalion---To-Day's General Military News

No fraternal society, social club, or organization of any kind merits the support of the citizens of this city at the present time more than a club whose duty it is to assist in the recruiting of men for the 247th Battalion—a unit of the army doing honour for Canada on the battlefields of France. Many hundreds of the citizens who have already done so much are still anxious to do more and for that reason a club, to be known as the Five Hundred Club, is being formed for the purpose of co-operating with the 247th Battalion. This club will be organized during the week and a most energetic campaign will be launched on Sunday night, Feb. 4th, in the Opera House.

To-day's orders of the 247th Battalion contains the announcement of the appointment of a band committee with Major E. D. O'Flynn as President, and Capt. M. G. Hamilton and S. J. Dunsford as members.

Another announcement in to-day's orders is to the effect that Co. Sergt. Major Harry M. Latimer has been appointed a lieutenant in the 247th Battalion, and is transferred from A Company to the headquarters staff. His many friends in Peterborough will be glad to learn of Lieut. Latimer's promotion.

KINGSTON, Ont., Jan. 28.—Lieut.-Col. J. J. Glass, who has resigned as commanding officer of the 252nd Battalion, Lindsay and Haliburton, will be succeeded by Major R. E. Porter, engaged in staff work here. Major Porter comes from Lindsay.

The Lindsay Post says:

Major "Rod" Porter's many friends will congratulate him on his appointment. He entered the ranks of the 45th Battalion at an early age, and by dint of close application to matters military his advance was rapid. His ability as an officer was recognised after war was declared, when he was appointed on important recruiting work in this section as well as in other parts of the province. Latterly he was attached to the Divisional Headquarters, Kingston, where he was assigned important work, and where he was looked upon as an efficient officer, whose work has produced splendid results. He is immensely popular in his home town and as successor to Lieut.-Col. Glass O. C. 252nd Battalion (who has asked to be relieved) can be depended upon to work with zeal and enthusiasm in order to recruit the battalion up to strength.

The Lindsay Post says:

It has been rumoured about town during the past few days that the Militia authorities intend calling out all available officers and men of the 45th Regiment to do guard work on the canals and other points in order that the men at present doing guard work could be sent overseas.

This order, it is said, applies also to the 57th Battalion, Peterborough, 15th Battalion, Belleville, and other organizations.

Lieut. J. A. Detlor of the 247th Battalion, who has been stationed at Bancroft, has given up his commission and enlisted as a gunner with the Cobourg Heavy Battery. Last week Lieut. E. J. Leishman, of the 255th Battalion, did likewise in order to get overseas quickly and with a good lot of men. The seventh overseas draft is rapidly filling up with the usual fine personnel. The sixth draft, which includes several Peterborough men, is still at Cobourg awaiting instructions to proceed overseas. Anyone interested in heavy and siege artillery can get full particulars by applying to Major J. McKinnon, Officer Commanding, Cobourg, Ont.

The 256th Railway Construction Battalion (Toronto Unit, with Lieut.-Col. W. A. McConnell in command), is recruiting in Peterborough, and any man, skilled or unskilled, who can do a day's work, and pass the physical standard for recruits, (which standard has been considerably lowered for this unit), will be accepted. The age limit for the unit is forty-eight years.

If a man is passed as fit, his pay commences immediately, and recruits will be given sufficient time in which to attend to their personal affairs before reporting for mobilization. The headquarters of the unit is at 24 Front Street West, Toronto.

By joining this unit you will help in a very important way to bring victory to our cause. It is upon such battalions as the 256th that the men in the fighting trenches depend for their supplies, food and ammunition; and without which they are helpless in front of the enemy; and also are unable to send back promptly their wounded for medical attention unless backed up by units like these.

Following are the rates of pay and allowances in this unit:

The pay and allowance on enlistment amount to $1.10 per day, average per month..... $33.00
Clothing, rations and quarters, estimated per month 30.00
Separation allowance, if married, or only support of a household, per month..... 20.00
Total $83.00

If promoted to rank of Sergeant:
Pay and allowance, $1.50 per day; average per month..... $45.00
Clothing, rations and quarters, estimated per month 30.00
Separation allowance, if married or only support of a household, per month $25.00
Total $100.00

The above amounts do not include the allowances made from Patriotic Funds, which are granted in accordance with the requirements of individual cases.

So, join now and help. The Battalion will go as a unit. Bring your friends and relatives with you.

Sergt. Stanley is recruiting for the 256th in Peterborough.

The Office of the Chief Press Censor for Canada has issued the following in regard to cables for members of Canadian Expeditionary Force in France.

The Department of Militia and Defence reports that considerable delay and confusion frequently results through improperly addressing in care of the War Office, London, cable messages intended for officers and men serving with the Canadian Expeditionary Force in France. No arrangements exist for the forwarding of such messages from London by telegraph, and it is therefore necessary in all such cases to send them on by post.

All cable messages intended for members of the Canadian Expeditionary Force in France may (like telegrams for others) be sent from Canada addressed directly to France the addresses of such messages, in addition to stating regimental number, name, unit, etc., to bear the words "Canadians, France." These messages, however, even if paid for at

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GERMANS TRAPPED IN MIDST OF BLIZZARD

A Successful Attack Made by the British in the Neighborhood of Le Transloy on the Somme Front

350 PRISONERS TAKEN

LONDON, Jan. 28—In a successful operation on the Somme front in the neighborhood of Le Transloy to-day, says the official communication issued from British Headquarters last night, a commanding portion of a German position was captured by British troops. More than 350 prisoners were taken in the operation.

The statement follows: "A successful operation was carried out by our troops on the Somme battlefront early this morning in the neighborhood of Le Transloy. All the objectives attacked were gained, and a commanding portion of the enemy's position was captured. We have taken over 350 prisoners, including six officers.

"Vigorous counter-attacks were made by the enemy during the day to regain the lost ground. These were all driven back by our fire with heavy losses. Our total casualties were very slight."

GERMANS ADMIT REVERSE

To-day's German official statement says:

"Army group of Crown Prince Rupprecht: After a strong artillery fire British detachments succeeded in occupying a small section of our most advanced line southwest of Les Transloy and north of the River Somme."

ATTACK IN BLIZZARD.

With the British Armies in France, Jan. 28 (via London, Jan. 28.)—(From a Staff Correspondent of the Associated Press.)—In spite of the hard weather conditions, a gallant attack was made to-day by British troops against a strong German point on the Somme resulting in its capture with three officers and more than 300 men. The Germans apparently did not anticipate an attack, and were somewhat off guard, owing perhaps to the heavy frost and strong blizzard sweeping over the snow-covered field. The Germans remained snugly in their dugouts, probably believing that the British would do the same.

Outwardly there was no movement within the British lines, but in the trenches the troops were waiting for a sudden attack, which had been well prepared for and organized beforehand. Suddenly the ordinary desultory fire of the British batteries was

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SEVIGNY ELECTED IN DORCHESTER BY 244 MAJORITY

One of the Most Strenuous Battles in the Political Annals of the Province of Quebec Ends in Re-Election of Minister

RETURNS BY PARISHES

ST. HENEDINE, Que., Jan. 28. — Hon. Albert Sevigny, Minister of Inland Revenue in the Borden Cabinet, was returned to Parliament yesterday, when the electors of Dorchester county, after one of the most strenuous battles in political annals in the Province, gave the new Minister a majority of 244 over his Liberal opponent, Mr. Lucien Cannon, former M.P.P.

A later despatch by the Canadian Press gives Sevigny's majority as 276.

The Conservative parishes clung to Mr. Sevigny and were more Conservative than in the last Provincial elections, when Mr. Cannon was elected by over 500 majority, while the Liberal strongholds of Ste. Germaine and St. Leon de Standon fell off in their majorities for the Liberal candidate.

Returns by Parishes.

The majorities by parishes are as follows:

Sevigny's majorities—Ste. Rose, 38; St. Prosper, 34; St. Isidore, 12; Ste. Claire, 42; Frampton, 121; St. Odilon, 125; Ste. Marguerite, 58; St. Anselme, 89; Ste. Henedine, 36; St. Nazaire, 48; Ste. Justine, 74; St. Bernard, 21; total, 688.

Cannon's majorities—Ste. Germaine, 215; St. Benjamin, 53; St. Malachie, 33; St. Louis, 16; St. Zacharie, 20; Ste. Aurelie, 8; St. Leon, 109; total 454.

Net majority for Sevigny, 244.

Mr. Sevigny is Gratified.

Mr. Sevigny was given a public demonstration in the different parishes of the county on his way to Quebec after the election. On his arrival at Levis on Saturday night two thousand people assembled at the depot to greet him.

No Foundation In The Story

Mr. G. N. Gordon Says Review's Statement Was Made Out of Whole Cloth

In regard to the statement in last Saturday's Review, Mr. G. N. Gordon stated this morning that there was absolutely no foundation for the Review's story that a project was on foot to retire Mr. Gillespie. Such a story is made up of whole-cloth, and that he had always supported Mr. Gillespie, and would continue to support him in future as long as he championed the purposes of reform and honest government, as he had done in the past. In addition to that Mr. Gordon said the Hon. George P. Graham had nothing to do with any plan for proposing candidates for either the House of Commons or the Legislature.

In addition to that Mr. Gordon said it was well known that Mr. Gillespie had always had his support, would have it in future, and relations between the two were most cordial and friendly.

GEORGE ST. CHURCH NOTICES

Epworth League to-night at 8 o'clock.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday at 8 o'clock.

A meeting of the ladies of the church for Red Cross work will be held on Thursday at 2:30 o'clock.

Reception of members and Sacrament of the Lord's Supper on Sunday, Feb. 4th.

Annual church anniversary on Sunday, Feb 11th. Rev. Dr. Scott, of Belleville, will be the special preacher

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ONLY PEACE WITH VICTORY.

In a reprint of a German letter in another place on this page the world will learn what to look for if Germany gets what President Wilson is trying to get for her—peace without victory —of the allied powers the friends of right. With her power unbroken, it can be seen what Germany contemplates, preparation for the renewal of the horrors she has forced upon the world. Unless the war is fought to a finish, and that finish is the destruction of the spirit and power of German militarism, German barbarity will be renewed, and the world made an impossible stage for the play of the highest ideals of civilization. Worse than anarchy will come—organized power of "domination of the globe by a Prussianized Germany." President Wilson is wasting his wind. The world does not want, the allied nations will not have, a bastard peace which he has proposed, in the interests of German barbarity.

DORCHESTER.

Hon. A. Sevigny, Postmaster-General and Nationalist Conservative, was on Saturday elected in Dorchester. His majority was slightly reduced from the general election. That is, however, a small matter. What counts is that a Nationalist, a member of a Conservative cabinet, with his anti-British sentiments, has been elected in a Canadian constituency. This demonstrates again the malign influence of Nationalism and explains why recruiting his been slow in Quebec. Nationalism is opposed to recruiting, opposed to Canada taking part in the war. This doctrine has been industriously pumped into the minds of the simple habitants of Quebec for a dozen years. For the past half dozen years, since the Borden government came into power, and holds power by grace of Nationalist votes, it has protected, encouraged and patronized Nationalism, giving it the fattest portfolios in the cabinet, and giving an anti-British cult its blessing. Under these circumstances it is natural that the people of Quebec would reason that they were meeting the views of the government in refusing to recruit in obedience to the Nationalist spirit which, under government protection, has been infused into them. And when an appeal was made by the Conservative government for recruits, it was natural that they should meet this appeal as coming from the Nationalist wing of the government and treat it accordingly. In a word there is no doubt that slow recruiting in Quebec is due to Nationalist influence, and there is equally no doubt that Nationalist inquence is due to the protection and encouragement, official and moral, extended to Nationalism by the Borden government, official and moral, extended to Imperial conference will have as its first duty, consideration of the winning of the war. Sir Robert Borden will go to the conference, flushed with the victory in Dorchester, a victory that represents death to recruiting in Quebec—discouragement of the greatest factor in winning this war—more men. In this regard will Sir Robert Borden represent the loyal sentiment of Canada?

Things have been made easy for Sir Robert Borden to attend the conference. We don't know he will report in the name of Canada as to the parts Canada has contributed to the winning of the war. He can tell his fellow-conferees that the determination of the great mass of the people of Canada is to stand by the Mother Country and her Allies with all their resources.

But what will he tell them of the part the Government is prepared to play; what the Government is prepared to do to give effect to the popular spirit of imperial cooperation in war work? Can he tell the conference much of what the Government has done to help recruiting and what it proposes to do more? Will he tell the conference what the Government proposes to do with its National Service enterprise? If he does, he will do more than he has done for the people of Canada, who don't know yet what the National Service campaign means—what it is intended to accomplish, and what are the prosperts of its objects being reached.

One must not attach too much importance to the serious charges made in Parliament on Friday in regard to the Premier's attitude towards recruiting. It would be unfair to deduce conclusions from charges that have yet to be proved or disproved; but one question irresistibly suggests itself: What is the reason of Sir Robert Borden's friendly relations to Nationalism—a thing that is anti-Canadian, anti-British and anti-imperial in principles and propagandism? Why has Sir Robert Borden kept Quebec, directly, and Canada, indirectly, represented in his Cabinet by a blatantly disloyal and unpatriotic element opposed to recruiting?

What is the secret by which he has been able to make the Orange lamb and the Nationalist lion lie down, cheek by jowl, in his Cabinet? It is to the credit of his astuteness or to the pliability of his antagonistic following, where office is concerned, to have held the allegiance of a fiercely pro-British and ultra-loyal element in Ontario, which professes the deepest interest in winning this war, and at the same time commands the support of a fiercely anti-British and ultra-disloyal element in Quebec, whose object is to prevent Canada doing her share or doing anything in helping win the war; and who have succeeded better in killing recruiting in Quebec than their antagonistic equivalents in Ontario have succeeded in promoting recruiting?

The representatives of Quebec, in the Borden Cabinet, ever since its formation, have been anti-British Nationalists, opposed to recruiting, or to Canada taking part in the war. At St. Rose, Dorchester county, Quebec, where Sir Robert Borden's latest Nationalist pet, Mr. Sevigny—made Postmaster-General—is seeking re-election, Mr. Sevigny made a characteristic recruiting speech. He told the people whom he wanted to vote for him that he was opposed to conscription, and if any of his constituents were afraid of conscription, the United States border was not far away, and they could cross over—"skedaddle." Sir Robert Borden can cite to the Imperial conference as an example of solidarity of the empire, the fact that the latest Nationalist minister — King's adviser — he appointed, advised his constituents to "skedaddle" rather than fight.

The puzzle of it all is how can these things be in a British dominion?

HUNS MAKE FRENCH WORK.

700,000 Inhabitants of Invaded Regions Exploited By Germans.

PARIS, Jan. 29.—Seven hundred thousand inhabitants of the invaded regions in the north of France are engaged in forced labour for the Germans, according to M. Dibudeville, mayor of the town of Corchy, who has just arrived from the occupied region at Evian.

The major's estimate he says, is based upon careful, serious calculation, taking as a basis the numbers of inhabitants personally known by him as having been taken from the communes in his region. Three hundred out of the 900 inhabitants of the village of Esmery-Hallon, he declares, have been obliged to serve the German occupying force, the recalcitrants being either imprisoned or exiled to Germany. No distinctions are made as to age or sex in the choice of the forcibly enrolled labourers, M. Dibudeville says.

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THE PUZZLE OF IT.

In an interview with the London correspondent of the Australian United Cable Service, Lloyd George gave his reasons for convening a conference of the leaders of the Empire. It is plain that post bellum imperial reconstruction and adjustment of inter-imperial relations and allocation of inter-imperial responsibilities, will not be the first, nor the chief, object discussed. Lloyd George made it clear that the first duty of the council or conference would be to consider the immediate task of winning the war.

The question that concerns Canada is what Sir Robert Borden's contribution will be to the discussion on this point. Will he be able to show that the Government of Canada and the people of Canada have done as much to add to the winning chances of the allies as the splendid representation of manhood Canada has sent to the trenches; the gallant soldiers who by their bravery and resources have given Canada a place in the esteem of Britain the Allies and the world that goes far to cover the shortcomings of the Government and the people at home.

A Revelation Of Germany's Preparation For A German Peace

The most highly significant evidence of the German mind, and, by the same token, never intended for publicity outside Germany, is to be found in a recent article in the 'Berliner Lokal Anzeiger' over the signature of Walter Rathenau, the individual who, for a number of years, before the war, had complete charge of official organisation among war mwed industrial establishments in the German Empire, and who has been deputized to continue this particular work in the supreme effort the Teutonic nation is about to put forth.

This article, which is before my eyes as I write, says in full, copied verbatim:

"We began the war a year too soon. When we have secured a German peace we must begin at once a reorganisation upon a broader and firmer basis than ever before. Establishments that produce raw materials essential to the army must not only continue their work, but enter into it upon lines of increased energy, forming thus the kernel of economic Germany in preparing in the economic sense for the next war. We must carefully calculate in advance, in view of the lessons learned in this war, what our country lacks in raw material or essentials of raw material, and secure immense reserves to remain unused until a day in the future. We must organize as genuine an industrial mobilization as we had a military mobilization. Every technician or semi-technician, enrolled or not in the list of mobilized, must be empowered through official credentials to take charge and direction of a given establishment upon the second day following a new declaration of war. Every establishment manufacturing for commercial purposes must be mobilized also and understand officially that upon the third day after declaration of war their entire abilities are to be devoted to serving the army upon demand.

"It must also be determined in advance just what quantities and sort of essentials such establishments can furnish the army in a given time. Each establishment also should be required to furnish a detailed list of workmen who can be dispensed with, these alone to be mobilized in the military sense.

"We must finally establish some definite commercial understanding with nations outside Europe that will offer them advantages to be duly specified in detail whereby these nations, as neutrals, will find it to their direct disadvantage commercially to trade or sell munitions during the war to either ourselves or our enemies. We can afford to offer such conditions ourselves. And, finally, when the next war comes, it must not be a year too soon."

Here in a nutshell, or "kernel," to quote frank Mr. Rathenau, is what Allied Europe has long understood, and what has not been truly understood in the United States save by a relative few.

It is the reason why the war would be continued for ten years if necessary by France, England and their allies. It is the reason why nothing short of the "knockout" will serve. It is the reason why any talk or effort for peace would be ill-received, even if backed by the best of motives and official sanction from the greatest of neutrals, or the smallest, or all the neutrals collectively.

The war cloud that hung over Europe for thirty years prior to August, 1914, must be dispersed finally and forever. The intolerable conditions prevailing must be finally made impossible of repetition. The horrors and unutterable sufferings and privation, the whole gamut of evil that no single individual can understand through reading the writing of another, that must be seen, felt, experienced through the sense to be grasped even in outer circles, must never again be a worldly portion.

This will only be possible through making war against war until a humane peace is the reward. It would be as impossible under a German peace as would a railway journey to Mars.

Germany realizes all I have here written in a sincerity beyond mere words for the telling. She feels her setting sun. She is reaching out at the two extremes of the compass in vain effort to remedy that "beginning the war a year too soon."

One is her present huge peace propaganda in the United States. The other is her last supreme effort in the levee en masse, the deportation of the Belgian populace, the "kingdom" of Poland, and all the rest of it.

Neither scheme, neither plan, will avail. She feels it, and senses but dimly the supreme postponement of the inevitable. The mills of the gods are grinding.

The article from the "Berliner Lokal Anzeiger" is but reiterative proof of open stupendous fact patent to individual or nation who will judicially examine the evidence at this 860th day of hostilities.

The fact is, the issue is no longer between the Allied and Central Powers. They but represent two ideas. One champions justice, humanity, civilization, the right of peoples, respect for moral law, and understanding as to definition of the word honour. The other has deliberately as aim the ultimate domination of the globe by a Prussianized German.—Henri Bazin, in New York.

Paris, France, Nov. 27, 1916.

Voice of The People

Correspondence under this heading containing or involving attacks on individuals or violent or extreme statements, must to secure insertion, be signed with writer's real name, the owner of which thus assumes the responsibility.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir, — In view of the high price of coal and the belief that some day business may suffer from interrupted supply, many Canadian and American firms in the manufacturing and wholesale districts are turning to gas as a fuel. This is true also for domestic service, where gas is displacing coal. Lots of people can find a new use for gas that would reduce the percentage of coal required.

It is stated that although the cost of materials and labour which enter into the manufacture and distribution of gas has increased like everything else, the price of gas has not been advanced. Then, too, gas is not subject to railway blockades in winter as is the case of coal.

Why does not the Peterborough Gas Company take advantage of the present coal situation to bring the merits of their gas more aggressively before the public. The present would seem to be a most opportune time to explain the advantages of gas as compared with coal. There are hundreds of our citizens who no doubt will fortify themselves for the future, and it occurs to me that gas could be utilized to relieve the present situation very materially.

Yours truly,
A WOMAN.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir,—In your issue of Friday evening last, I noticed an article headed "Two Suits for a Soldier."

Now, if anybody is entitled to the best that is going, it is our soldiers, and I only hope that the recommendation to Ottawa will have the desired effect. However, I would like to resent a part of the statement made, where it refers to "men of the better class," and for information would ask, who are these "men of the better class." This to my mind is a direct insult to the boys who have already enlisted and have gone across with only one suit, and are doing their bit, quite a large number of them paying the supreme sacrifice. These men and all others who are wearing the King's uniform are to my mind "The better class." Not those who have had to be coaxed and pleaded with for the past two years, and are still waiting for an extra suit.

BE FAIR

To the Editor of The Examiner.

Dear Sir,—It would appear from an editorial article in your issue of Friday last that my statement, presented to the County Council on Wednesday, created, in some reports at least, a false impression. While it pointed out that the enrolled attendance at the rural schools of the Inspectorate of Peterborough East had fallen off by about 300 or nearly 20 per cent. in the last ten years, I by no means wished to imply that there are that number of children, of school age, in the Inspectorate who are not now attending school at all. It was pointed out that the average attendance of those enrolled has considerably increased, and there is little doubt but that the number of children of school age not entered on the school registers at all is now smaller than ever before. The fact is that in East Peterborough, as in every other rural community in Eastern Canada, the population, and especially the school population, is decreasing. There are not as many children now as ten years ago, and, judging from present indications, there will be still fewer at the end of the next decade.

Thanking you for so much of your valuable space and for the interest you are taking in matters educational, I am

Respectfully yours,
RICHARD LEES.

It is gratifying to gather from the above explanatory note by Mr. Richard Lees, Public School Inspector, East Peterborough, that his interpretation of his report, as presented to the County Council, shows that school interests in the County are not in the somewhat discouraging condition that the quotation of mere figures would indicate. After all, however, his explanation seems to leave large room for improvement. The object of the Examiner in referring to the matter was to stimulate public interest, to incite to the provision of means to remedy the conditions, and above all, to arouse parental indifference, which is, perhaps, the chief cause why the fullest measure of benefit is not received from the expenditure of money upon the provision of educational advantages. By the way, a very discouraging feature of Mr. Lees' explanation is the statement that the school population in Eastern Ontario is decreasing. This is accounted for by the fact of the drift of population citywards, and the absorption of so many Easterners by the Canadian West. In view of this condition—with the school population growing less, it is very important that the best use should be made of the material that remains; that every child should be made, as far as possible, the recipient of one of the prime equipments of useful citizenship, an adequate public school education. There is in some quarters, a demand that every child of French-Canadian parentage should have the advantages of securing an English education, and while this is desirable, it seems worth while to use greater energy and enterprise in seeing that every other Ontario child should receive a similar education.

To the Editor of The Examiner.

Sir,—The case of Hopwood vs. the King (or in other words, of Hopwood against the Government of Canada, to recover damages for the flooding of his island in Chemong Lake by the raising (as alleged) of the new Buckhorn dam and the narrowing of its outflow in 1912 as compared with the old dam, is at last set down for a certain date, viz.: February 26th, at the Court House, Peterborough, at 11 o'clock a.m. Government commissioners or valuators try to block claims for damages which are frequently fake claims, no doubt at any rate in part. But often great injustice is done and as I believe the report of the valuators is wrong with regard to these claims, I looked horns with the Minister of Railways and Canals who, however, was generous enough to give me the necessary "fiat" or permission to prosecute. Naturally no claimants wanted to pay any of the expenses, hence I have had to pay court and my own legal agency fees and I was not a bit pleased that my first "test" case turned out to be erroneous information as to ownership. I had to get a new one. Now, then, the point of this letter is that I hope all claimants for damages by the Buckhorn flooding in 1912 will be present at the trial. It may be necessary to call them as evidence, but it will be at no risk of further expense to themselves. While the case will turn on the alleged fact of a change in the dam it is necessary to show that damages did result or else the case will fall to the ground. We have had along pull and a strong pull, and now let us finish by all pulling together to the extent of being present at the trial and on time.

J. H. BURNHAM.

Zeebrugge Action Fought in Darkness

LONDON, Jan. 27.—Latest reports received in naval circles from the naval action in the North Sea serve only to confirm the official announcement of the Admiralty. It is not considered that many details will be added to the official report, as the battle was fought in a night of pitchy blackness. Naval officials are surprised that an engagement was possible in those circumstances, and state that, as the combatants carried no lights, accurate gunnery must have been exceedingly difficult.

The theory that the German destroyers were driven from Zeebrugge by ice is not given much credence by naval officers, who declare it is not even certain that the German flotilla came from that Belgian port.

The bow of the British destroyer lost in the engagement was completely carried away by a German torpedo and, since it was considered impossible to tow her to port, she was sunk, as if she were left afloat she might become a menace to other units of the British flotilla.

According to the statements of German officers, says a Reuter's despatch from Ymuiden, twenty-three of the crew of the German torpedo boat destroyer V-69, which was badly damaged in the North Sea fight with a British flotilla, are missing. Among these are several officers.

A survivor of the German destroyer V-69 interviewed at Ymuiden by the correspondent of the Evening News says the main action occurred at a point thirty miles off Zeebrugge. His vessel with another torpedo boat destroyer formed the rear guard of a flotilla of eleven vessels.

Suddenly the German flotilla was confronted by two British squadrons composed of four and six big ships each. The British marksmanship was accurate and the V-69 was badly hit. The compass and steering gear being destroyed the officers of the German destroyer followed the stars and used the propellers in steering toward a German port. While making for home they were confronted by four British destroyers and the V-69 ran for the Dutch coast.

"We don't know what happened to the other vessels," the survivor concluded, "but they must have got it badly."

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THE WORLD OF SPORT

BIG JUNIOR GAMES STIRS UP FANS

Second Series Between Oshawa and Peterboro Promises to Provide Spectacular Hockey—First Game Will be Played Here To-morrow Night With the Return in Oshawa on Friday

The announcement that the Oshawa-Peterborough junior series has to be replayed has tickled the local fans and from the interest shown around the city in the situation, the biggest crowd of the season will be at Brock Street rink to-morrow night when the first game of the series will be played. The return game will be played in Oshawa on Friday night, total goals on the round to count, with the understanding that if the score on the round is tied at the end of the second game the match will be continued until a winner is decided.

The local team is delighted to have another chance and particularly pleased that the O.H.A. decided to have the games re-played instead of suspending the Oshawa Club. The Peterborough youngsters prefer to win the group if it is possible on the ice, and not through the committee room and the action of the O.H.A. gives them that chance. Everyone who saw the 8-7, ten minute overtime game, between the two clubs the week before last is still talking about the game and happy over the prospect of another such battle to-morrow night. The feeling among local fans is that the Petes were travelling in hard luck in their last match with Oshawa and that with any team work the local youngsters should have won.

That is just the point. It is up to the Petes, if they get together to-morrow night, pass the puck and play their positions they should win handily. If they play the same individual style with every man trying to star, it will be a toss up. Anyway you look at it, it will be a good game of hockey and with good ice assured Brock Street Rink should be crowded for the occasion. No one who saw the last game will want to miss to-morrow night's session.

The locals say they have learned their lesson and they want a chance to redeem themselves in the eyes of the fans by showing the public they know how to play systematic hockey as well as shine individually.

The game is called at 8.15 o'clock and like the last junior game will start sharp on time as the referee will be here on an early train while the Oshawa club will reach the city at 5.35 o'clock.

Bernhardt To Referee To-Morrow's Big Game

O. H. A. Details One of its Best Officials to Handle the Battle Between Oshawa and Peterboro Juniors at Brock St. Rink

The O.H.A. official bulletin says: Oshawa and Peterborough O.H.A. juniors have been ordered to replay their group games for the championship on Tuesday and Friday of this week, to-morrow at Peterborough and Friday at Oshawa, total goals to count, and a decision to be reached in the two games. Oshawa won both the original games by one goal, in overtime at Peterborough, but these have been cancelled because of the ineligibility of Lloyd Osborne, a discharged soldier, under the residence rule. Oscar Bernhardt of Bradford will referee to-morrow night's game.

Brantford, winners of O.H.A. junior Group No. 6, will play off with Ingersoll, winners of Section B Group No. 7, in the second round, at Brantford, Friday, February 2, at Ingersoll, Monday, February 5. Total goals will count. The winners of section A, Group No. 7 will play off with the Sarnia winners.

The referees for to-night's O.H.A. games are as follows:

Intermediate—Weston vs Brampton at Arena, Robert Hewitson; Whitby at Oshawa, Star Burgoyne; Waterloo at Preston; Collingwood at Midland, Lawson Whitehead; Queen's at Frontenacs, Jack Powell.

Junior—U. C. C. at De La Salle, F. C. Wagborne; Newmarket at Barrie, T. H. Sproule.

Kitchener and Stratford juniors are tied for their district. They meet in Stratford to-morrow (Tuesday) night, Robert Hewitson will referee.

Harvey Spoule will referee the intermediate Welland game at Dunnville Tuesday night.

Following are the winners and contenders in the twenty-four O. H. A. groups:—

SENIOR.

Group No. 1—Riversides or Aura Lee.

Group No. 2—Section A, T. R. and A. A., Dents., or 227th, Section B, Preston or Sarnia.

INTERMEDIATE.

Group No. 1—Kingston Depot Batteries.

Group No. 2—247th Battalion, Peterborough.

Group No. 3—Whitby or Oshawa.

Group No. 4—Weston or Brampton

Group No. 5—Hamilton H. C.

Group No. 6—176th, Niagara Falls, or Dunnville.

Group No. 7—Kitchener or Preston

Group No. 8—Milverton.

Group No. 9—118th Battalion, London or Sarnia.

Group No. 10—Glencoe.

Group No. 11—Collingwood or Midland.

Group No. 12—Owen Sound.

JUNIOR.

Group No. 1—Kingston H. C.

Group No. 2—Oshawa or Peterborough.

Group No. 3—De la Salle or University Schools

Group No. 4—Section A—Aura Lee

Group No. 4—Section B—Newmarket.

Group No. 5—Kitchener or Stratford.

Group No. 6—Brantford.

Group No. 7—Section A—London, A.A.A. Group No. 7, Section B—Ingersoll.

Group No. 8—Sarnia, St. Georges or Sarnia.

Group No. 9—Goderich dropped out

Group No. 10—Barrie.

WITH THE CURLERS

The first game of the year for the possession of the "Andy Webb" cup took place on Saturday evening when Percy Fitzgerald won it from Andy by the score of 15-11. It was some game, and out of it has developed an idea that is bound to appeal to many of the curlers.

In the first place, however, let it be said that the cup was manufactured and donated by Alex. Archibald and naturally is decidedly ornamental. It is built on the general lines of an Egyptian case, with full, well-rounded outlines. Even a curler, however, would realize at a glance that none of Ptolemy's daughters ever carried that vessel to a well, and that no Egyptian fashioned it. It looks like the product of a plumber, and Mr. Archibald is the guilty party. Perhaps he should be acclaimed as the artist, for there is considerable sentiment attached to this particular trophy. But having won the cup so many times, Mr. Webb's name has been identified with it to such an extent that it is generally designated as the Webb Cup, and on Saturday Andy laid down a new rule by which every curler playing in any game for this cup must deposit with Angus McIntosh five cents. Thus every Webb cup game yields 40 cents for a tobacco fund for the soldiers, and Mr. Tooley has already entered a challenge to Mr. Fitzgerald the game to be played as soon as possible. That will provide another forty cents and, as the prospective series advances, there should be considerable money in the old tobacco box.

There is one feature of the situation that should be mentioned. It has been stated that Mr. G. H. Logie won the Webb cup from Andy Edwards the end of last winter, but if such is the case Mr. Webb doubtless takes the position that sufficient to the season is the curling thereof, and it was the Webb cup anyway, in spite of the reported fact that Archibald made it and Logie won it. At any rate he has established a few rules to govern the present season's play. Any vice-skip is eligible to challenge the holder of the cup. Each game shall yield forty cents. All monies shall be deposited with Mr. Angus McIntosh, who is responsible for the collection and retention of such cash. The total pot shall be expended in the purchase of tobacco for the soldiers.

Saturday night's line-up is as follows:

D. Moore	D. Mulholland
G. Benor	W. J. Henry
W. G. Morrow	T. F. Matthews
P. D. Fitzgerald	A. H. Webb
Skip 15	Skip 11

To-night's Games.

To-night's scheduled games are as follows:

W. G. Ferguson vs W. H. Denham.
Kay vs. Sturgeon.
Davidson vs. Archibald.
Wightman vs. Morrow.
Dr. Greer vs. H. F. Foote.

Orillia May Come.

There is a possibility of a number of Orillia rinks coming to Peterborough this week. There were no definite details handed out this morning.

Advertise in the Examiner.

SERBIA UP TO 1914

Instructive Papers Read at Meeting of the Women Teacher's Guild

The members of the Women Teachers' Guild were entertained at a Serbian Tea, at Central School, on Friday, January 26th, the Kindergarten Room being very appropriately decorated for the occasion. Tea was served by girls in Serbian costume and during the evening the following paper on "Serbia up to 1914" was read by Miss Lettie A. Shearer.

Serbia, a kingdom of south-eastern Europe is separated from Hungary by the Danube and Save Rivers. It is bounded on the north by Hungary, on the east by Roumania and Bulgaria, on the South by Greece and on the west by Albania, Montenegro and Bosnia. Serbia has an area of 33,891 square miles, and a population of 4,547,992. The area up to 1913 was 18,500 square miles but the Treaty of Bucharest in that year added portions of Salonica, Monastir and Kosovo bringing the area up to its present figures.

Serbia has a temperate climate though subject to extreme variation. The forests covering 3,700,000 acres contain valuable beech, oak, fir, walnut and other trees. Large supplies of copper, coal, iron, gold, silver, zinc and mercury are to be found, but transportation facilities are lacking, the roads being extremely poor, having been neglected during the Turkish occupation. The land is very fertile and agriculture is the chief occupation of about 80 per cent. of the population.

As regards Serbia's constitution, she is a constitutional and hereditary monarchy. Legislative power is vested in the King and the National Assembly. This last consists of about 170 deputies. Besides this body, there is a senate of 16 members, 8 chosen by the King and 8 by the National Assembly, which acts as a permanent state council. The army that is in time of place, consisted of about 35,000; reserves numbered 210,000. Military service is universal and compulsory. It is interesting here to glance at Serbia's history.

The original home of the Serbians seems to have been the country adjoining the Carpathians. They migrated in 638 A.D. when their history begins. Serbia has had a never ceasing stormy period of history, ever since her establishment as a nation. The Serbs at the beginning of their history as an individual nation were governed by a series of petty rulers until the time of Stephen (1159-96.) He became a monk and abandoned the government to his son. From 1196 to 1371 Serbia retained her independence until 1389 when the Serbian monarchy came to an end and she passed under the control of the Turks, becoming a Turkish province. The Serbs groaned under the Turkish yoke until the beginning of the 19th century, but in 1804 exasperated beyond endurance, they rose under the leadership of Kara George a rich swine owner, and man of influence, who by 1807 stormed and took possession of Belgrade, and the other fortresses. In 1813 the Turks assailed Serbia with such vigor that George fled to Austria and Turkey once more recovered the country.

Turkish oppression again provoked an uprising of the people in 1815. They chose as their leader-one, Milosh by name, who in a single campaign expelled the enemy except the garrisons in their fortresses. This man became the leading spirit in the struggle of the Serbians for their independence. In 1817 he caused his rival Kara George who had returned to be assassinated, and himself proclaimed chief.

In 1829 the Turkish Government formally agreed to the Treaty of Bucharest and the following year recognised Milosh as hereditary Prince of Serbia. From this until 1903 Serbia's throne passed through a stormy period, the only period of peace being in the reign of Prince Michael, who came to the throne in 1861. Under his rule a new period came for harassed Serbia and the country moved along the path of peace and prosperity. The Turks withdrew in 1867, but in 1868 Prince Michael was assassinated and another stormy period ensued in which was involved a war with Bulgaria.

On the morning of July 11th, 1903 a party of officers broke into the palace and assassinated King Alexander and his Queen. A few weeks after the present King Peter I., was proclaimed king. In 1908 the question of the union into one empire of Serbia, Bosnia, Montenegro and other countries, largely Serb, became acute when Austria Hungary annexed Bosnia and Herzegovinia. Serbia demanded compensations and the national feeling rose to fever heat, and war appeared imminent. Ultimately Serbia abandoned her demands against Austria Hungary while the dual monarchy declared that it harbored no unfriendly designs against Serbia.

In 1912 Serbia played an important part in the Balkan war against Turkey. In 1913 the Treaty of London ended the war, giving each of the Balkan states a part of the Turkish possession in Europe.

Dissatisfaction of the division of the spoils at once arose and in 1913 Serbia and Greece aided by Roumania formed an alliance against Bulgaria and defeated the latter. By the Treaty of Bucharest 1913, Serbia received a large part of Macedonia and territory east of Kosovo.

In 1914 the assassination of Crown Prince Ferdinand of Austria by a Serb brought the deep-rooted hatred between the two nations to a head and on July 6 diplomatic relations were severed, and the beginning of the present conflict began.

The Serbians are dark-complexioned, black-haired and dark-eyed, a true gypsy type. The men wear a long smock of homespun linen, beneath red of blue waistcoats with trousers of white frieze.

The women's dress consists of a similar smock and jacket of embroidered velvet and two brightly colored aprons, tied over a white skirt, one in front, and one behind. The headdress is a small red cap, tambourine-shaped and strings of coins are coiled in the hair and worn as neck-laces and bracelets.

When a Serbian peasant decides to build a house, his first preoccupation is to find a lucky spot. They have several methods by which they proceed to do this. Most of the Serbian peasants' houses have only one-floor. It consists of a large kitchen with a square hearth and one or two adjoining rooms. There is generally a cellar under the house.

The Serbian peasant has to marry at the desire and generally according to the choice of his father. He must marry very young and usually to a woman who is at least a few years older than himself. In some parts of Serbia the young unmarried women carry a special mark in their headgear, a red feather indicating they are open to proposals.

The state church of the country is the Greek Orthodox church, but there is a dullness of religious sentiment among the Serbians of our day. The churches are generally empty except on very great church festivals. The Serbians consider the church as a political institution. They do not allow anyone to attack her, nor compromise her, although when she is not attacked they themselves neglect her.

But that the Serbians as a race are not incapable of religious fervor is shown by the religious fanaticism of the Mohammedan Serbians of Bosnia and also by a Christian sect, known as the Serbian Nazarenes. These have no churches, no priests. They repudiate the worship of the saints and the madonna as idolatory and consider it the greatest crime to kill a man and therefore refuse to bear arms and serve in the army.

It is interesting here to note the Serbian peasant's views on God. He has his own views on God and the world. He knows that the "self created God" has created the world, angels and men. One of the angels rebelled against God and became Satan. God does good without ceasing and tries to induce men and women to do likewise. The Devil tries to frustrate God's good intentions and to induce men and women to do only what is displeasing to God.

To every man and woman God has given a good angel, who, although invisible sits on the right shoulder and whispers in their right ear good advice. The devil has placed on the left shoulder one of his little devils, who unceasingly whispers into the left ear bad advice.

The earth, according to their belief, is resting on the back of a giant bull, which is generally quiet, but sometimes shakes his ear, causing the earth to shake and an earthquake then occurs.

Once a year the sky opens and God shows himself. This happens on the night of the Epiphany at midnight Whatever wish a man expresses in the moment he sees the heavens open, God will immediately fulfill.

In regard to death the Serbians believe decidedly in predestination. "There is no death without the appointed day." The Serbians believe that beginning on Easter Sunday for seven days the gates of Paradise are open and whoever dies then can go straight to Heaven, even if he has lived the blackest of lives here on earth. The reason why the gates of Paradise are open during the week is amusingly explained by the Serbian peasant. The keeper of those gates are St. Peter and St. Elijah. They are generally more than careful and strict but on Easter Sunday both the gate-keepers being in a rejoicing mood take a little more than is good for them, indeed, they take so much that they are overcome by sleep and do not waken for seven days, leaving the gates of Paradise open all the time.

There are many stories about St. Peter all representing him as a sort of jolly-good fellow.

Elijah, according to the Serbian peasant's knowledge, is of a somewhat riotous disposition. He drives a sort of motor car across the uneven pavement of the sky and the rattling of his carriage produces the thunder.

The Serbians cannot boast a very rich literature but there exists a sort of unwritten literature, a ballad literature. The Serbians are a people very fond of dancing and singing. There are a large number of writers of dramas, though so far have never produced any great dramatist, nor have they any noted novelist.

Serbia's history as we have seen has been a tempestuous one and it would seem as if her lot were destined to be stormy.

In summing up, perhaps the following incident will tend to show the feeling, characteristic of the nation as a whole and can we reproach them—a nation whose whole history has been a tragic one, a constant struggle to maintain her existence?

A Scotchman travelling through Serbia and interested in her religious life was introduced to a Serbian clergyman, and after a long, interesting talk, the Scotchman complimented the Serbian on the intelligence of his people as a whole, but said that he felt saddened to see the churches empty. He said, "You should teach your people to pray more." "I beg your pardon" said the Serbian, "what we want nowadays is not prayer, but good education, good schools, good soldiers, good officers and good arms."

Band TO-NIGHT and THURSDAY night at Sacred Heart Rink. Good ice. Admission 10c.

TOURIST TRAFFIC TO ALASKA WILL BREAK RECORDS

The Canadian Pacific Railway is preparing for a record tourist traffic to Alaska this summer, it was announced to-day.

The "Charlotte," one of the largest of the Pacific boats now operating between Vancouver and Seattle will be requisitioned for two extra trips.

The first real effort to attract tourists to Alaska was made by the Company last year. So successful was the initial effort that with the additional facilities completed by the railway, the tourist business to Alaska is expected to increase each season.

On account of the war, which has curtailed tourist traffic to Europe, American tourists welcome the opportunity to "tour Alaska," the passenger officials assert. Many points of interest are in pleasing contrast to European tourist centres.

Inquiries for information regarding the route to Alaska centre on Alert Bay, B.C., where American tourists desire to see the activities of the Indians. Here are many of the most elaborately carved totems in America. The Indian village of Bella Bella also is prominently mentioned in inquiries from tourists.

Alaska, during the tourist season, which extends from June 15 to Aug. 15, is not, as is generally believed a bit of sea ice here, a snowy mountain there, a studded pine or a polar bear to relieve the monotony, but a combination of the fjords of Norway and the Alps of Skitzerland.

Skagway, Alaska, is 1,000 miles from Vancouver. In addition to its novel and interesting attraction, Atlin, one of the places of call on the trip, the climate is such that it is believed it will become one of the world's greatest summer health resorts.

HOCKEY GOSSIP

The Peterborough Junior O.H.A. team will practice to-night at 7 o'clock at Brock Street Rink. In view of Tuesday's game with Oshawa every player is expected out sharp on time.

Daring Murderer Still at Large

Provincial and Windsor Officers Search For Fugitive.

WINDSOR Jan. 26.—Detective Marshal Jackson, Canadian Government Deportation Officer, who was shot and killed by James F. Stewart, on board a C.P.R. train yesterday morning at 12.30 o'clock two and one-half miles from Windsor, lost his life through kindness to the man who killed him.

Stewart, alias George Gordon, was being brought from Winnipeg by Jackson to be handed over to Detroit officers at Windsor and by them to be turned over to Battle Creek authorities who wanted him for safe-blowing in that city on March 15th, 1916. Stewart pleaded with Jackson not to handcuff him and because of this bit of carelessness on the officer's part, was enabled to secure the other's revolver while they sat side by side on the car seat. As the train neared Lake Shore Junction Stewart was seen to rise in his seat suddenly walk to the water cooler and take a drink and then turning back, draw the revolver and fire a shot point blank into the officer's abdomen. The other men in the car, including two soldiers jumped to intercept the murderer, but before they could reach him he had opened the vestibule door and raising the grip, jumped into the snow and was gone. The travellers hurried to the stricken policeman's side, but he was past all earthly aid.

"This is what I get for being good to him," the dying officer muttered, "I did not put the bracelets on him because he said they hurt his wrists." Jackson died before the train reached Windsor.

Windsor detectives headed by Provincial Detectives Smith and Hanna and aided by a bloodhound, are combing the Windsor district and the case is fast developing into the hizgest criminal dragnet in the history of the county. So tightly has the net been drawn that Windsor people going to work in Detroit this morning via Walkerville ferry were forced to pass in single file to guard against Stewart making a break across the river.

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8th Episode "Romance of Elaine"
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Nestor All Over a Stocking With Eddie Lyons

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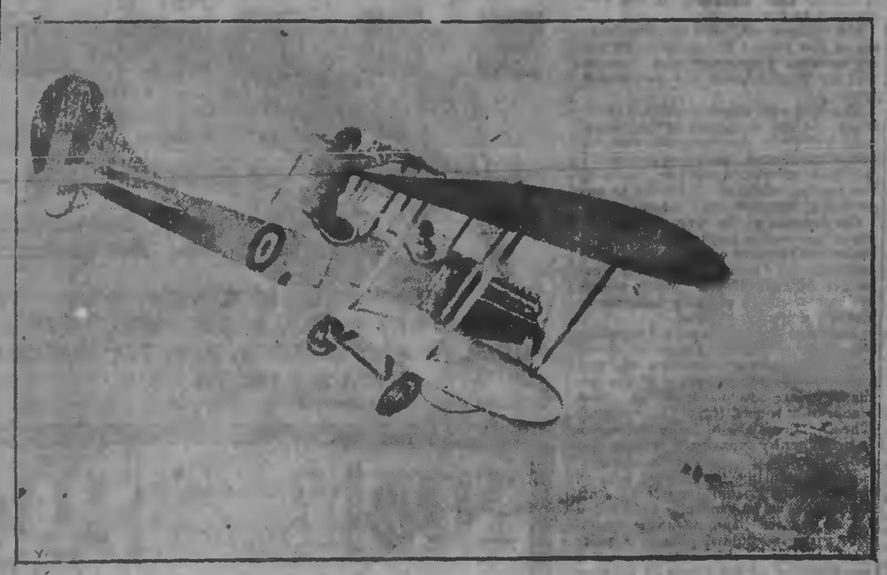
CANADA'S FIGHTING FORCES



WHAT AN ARMY goes through in making an attack under heavy shell fire can never be appreciated by one who has not had the experience, but some shadow of an idea can be gleaned from seeing Moving Pictures of the Event. In "CANADA'S FIGHTING FORCES, SERIES TWO" which are to be shown for THREE AFTERNOONS AND EVENINGS AT THE GRAND THEATRE, beginning on THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1st, there is a remarkable picture of a CANADIAN BRIGADE making an assault on an enemy position. The wild passion of the men on the attack and the perfect discipline maintained at all times are too incongruous to be believed without having been seen. The use of the new-fangled modification of a very ancient weapon, the catapult, is interestingly demonstrated in this section of the picture.

CANADIANS IN THE FLYING CORPS is another fascinating portion of the series. Scores of young men from this Province have enlisted in the air service and distinguished themselves for their brilliant work. In the film some dozen of these boys are easily recognizable to their friends in the audience by friends in the different towns, hence an extra interest will be lent to the portrayal of flying "stunts" for their own sake. Twenty-five hundred feet of film were taken from the air by Lieut. D. J. Dwyer, the photographer, but owing to the difficulty of focussing in the treacherous air pockets 2,000 feet had to be discarded. The 500 feet shown in "Canada's Fighting Forces" is the finest thing of the kind ever shown in this city, nevertheless.

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WAR TAX EXTRA

JUNIOR MISSION BAND OF KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Band Has a Membership of Forty—Officers For the Year

The Mission Band report was read at the annual congregational meeting by their secretary, Miss Margaret MacIntyre. The Band has a membership of 40 and the average attendance is good. The children have made a study of child life in some of the Foreign Mission fields. The revenue has been raised principally by a sale of work, and a thank offering meeting at which the Rev. J. A. MacKenzie addressed the children, also by teas on various occasions. A parcel was forwarded to an Indian school and supplies for a Mission hospital. The financial statement showed receipts of $33.19

The officers are as follows:

Leader—Miss Lillian Cadwell.

President—Miss Grace MacKenzie.

Secretary —Miss Margaret MacIntyre.

Treasurer—Miss Gladys Chambers.

This important report was overlooked when the account of the annual meeting was handed in for the Saturday papers.

J. W. BUYERS,
Sec. Board of Managers.

Comfort Club Does Its Bit

That Lakefield is doing its bit is evident by the monthly report of the Comfort Club. This Club, which sends its supplies directly to the trenches, has a membership of eighty, and an average attendance at the weekly meetings of 30, and has sent this month 95 pairs of socks, 14 scarfs, 41 trench caps and 24 shirts. One member, Mrs. MacDonald, who is over ninety-six years old, has sent in sixty-three pairs of socks since October, 1915.

Dr. Robertson Is Appointed

TORONTO, Jan. 29.— It is officially announced this morning that Rev. Dr. Andrew Robertson, who recently resigned the ministry of St. James' Square Presbyterian church, has been appointed executive secretary of the Presbyterian Association. This signified another stage of the old line Presbyterians to prevent the organic union of Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational churches of Canada. Legal counsel has been retained. Another field secretary will be appointed tomorrow at a meeting in Montreal.

Paid A Tribute To Prominent Ministers

At Trinity church on Sunday morning Rev. J. P. Wilson, pastor, paid a tribute to the lives of two great men of the Methodist church who recently passed to their reward, in the persons of Rev. Dr. John McDougall, late Superintendent of Indian Missions in the west, and the Rev. Dr. James Woodsworth, Superintendent of Northwest Missions. Rev. Mr. Wilson stated that he had intimately known both these men and their work. He had succeeded the late Dr. Woodsworth in his pastorate at Brandon and had been associated with him for three years, and had also been closely identified with the late Dr. McDougall.

DELIVERED COAL ON SUNDAY

Owing to the excessive demand for coal, three teams of the Robert Hicks Company were out on Sunday delivering coal to about eighteen people who were out of black diamonds. In many cases people who received coal yesterday had sickness in the house.

Mr. T. H. Graham Will Sell Farm Stock And Implements Mar. 7th

A sale of live stock and farm implements will be held on March 7th on the farm of Mr. T. H. Graham, Smith township. Mr. Graham has decided to retire from farming, but will continue to live on the Graham homestead, on which there are several dwellings. His stock is a valuable one, including pure bred and imported Shorthorn cattle. The equipment of farm machinery is a very complete one. Further announcement of the sale will be made later.

PATHETIC TRAGEDY OF THE FROZEN NORTH

British Court Find That Arctic Ship Karluk Has Been Lost.

LONDON, Jan. 26.—In the Summer of 1913, Edmund Lawrence Golighty joined the ship Karluk in the Canadian Arctic Expedition. He wrote to his mother in England, "I always wanted to go North but never got a chance till now. I am only going as bos'un but it is something to go." W. L. McKinlay, second lieutenant of the Argyll Highlanders, one of the surviving members of the scientific staff of the expedition, submitted an affidavit that Archie King was one of the relief search party which left the Karluk before the ship was ice nipped, and that all members of this party were doubtless lost. Photographs of Golighty and King were produced. The court ruled that he was the same man, and that the trustees of his grandfather's will were entitled to pay the income to the brother of the plaintiff. Thus ends a pathetic tragedy of the frozen North.

247TH BATTALION AT ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

Impressive Sermon Delivered to Peterboro Soldiers at Yesterday Morning's Service by Rev. T. H. Mitchell

ATTENDANCE WAS LARGE

The 247th Battalion attended the morning service at St. Andrew's Church yesterday. The congregation, aside from the soldiers, was large, and the Rev. T. H. Mitchell delivered an inspiring sermon with his usual eloquence.

The music was well rendered and enjoyable. Besides the regular anthem by the choir, which was well handled, Miss Helen McLaren sang beautifully "Land of Hope and Glory," and Mr. Herbert Treneer, organist and choirmaster contributed an organ offertory solo with much skill and expression.

The Rev. Mr. Mitchell took as the text for his sermon the 10th verse of the 3rd chapter of the Gospel of St. Luke, which reads: "And the people asked Him saying What shall we do then?" It was Matthew Arnold who said that conduct is three-fourths of character, and that character is nine-tenths of life. Like all general statements this was open to criticism. But the speaker used it because it emphasizes conduct. The word for Ethics comes from the Greek word for "manner of life," and a man's manner of life depends on a man's theory of life. The speaker, by way of illustration, referred to a man of his acquaintance who became thoroughly intoxicated once every year. When asked for an explanation he said that when he was under the influence of liquor he felt as rich as Croesus, that once a year he liked to experience that sensation. This was one of his theories of life, and it showed itself in its conduct.

"What shall we do then?" There were four great ways in which men answer that question. The first is the answer of self-assertion. This is the answer of the vain. We have all known the little boy in the home who "owns the house." He is insensible to the needs of others. So, in answering, the self-assertive people domineer their way through life. One of their great needs is that of self-preservation. Their pity is but the imagination wrought up to thinking lest the same sorrow should befall them. Their friendship is their need for kindness. Their duty is self-interest: "I grant you," said Mr. Mitchell, "that self preservation is a law of life. But here is the criticism of that theory— the man who seeks all loses the best." He lives on a parable with the dog, who with a piece of meat in his mouth was crossing a stream by means of a log that had been placed across it. As he made his way across he saw his reflection in the water, anad thought it to be another dog, also with a piece of meat in his mouth. In his desire to get the meat which the other dog has he drops his own——losing the best because greedily he wanted all.

The second great answer to the question was that of self-suppression. What then shall we do? Suppress ourselves. That was the answer of the dilettante; that the answer of the slave of fashion, the one to whom custom is everything, effort is vulgar, and duty—that great thing called duty—is a dream. When in Rome do as the Romans do is their motto. Of course, generally speaking, we all are the creatures of circumstance to a very large extent. But here is the criticism of this great answer; it ignores the potent power of personality.

We should not ignore personality. Here we have two boys, living in the same home, getting the same start, having the same chance and having the same difficulties to overcome. One lives his life unnoticed, while the other becomes the pride of the nation. One has the vision—the other has not. "I would give to the boys and girls here this morning," said the speaker, "Paul's great word "cultivate." Cultivate the things that are in you."

Thirdly we have the Utilitarian answer of self-adjustment. In this doctrine Virtue means but wise calculation; Vice, a mistake in calculation, and progress the ability to answer wisely. Prudence was the characteristic virtue of this class. As a matter of fact the man who toils and saves and puts away is a higher type of man than he who goes to a foreign land to spend his substance in riotous living. Prudence is a virtue—but not the highest virtue. In their theory of life they make no allowance for the unmixed good—a good that is all "quality." Their theory ignores the moral hero whose compassion rises above his love of life and who gives up his life to succour or rescue a wounded enemy. There is more grandeur in five minutes of this unselfishness than a whole life of Utilitarian practice.

"Now I come to the last answer, and the best. It is the answer of self-sacrifice." That is the answer of the acorn. Down into the dampness and darkness and dirt the little acorn goes. But presently we have the great oak sheltering the birds and giving shade to the herds in the field. Last of all the woodman comes along, and the trunk becomes part of our houses and buildings, while the branches burn brightly in our homes as fuel and give out their heat. So it is—Life comes through death always. The answer of self-sacrifice is the answer of many of our soldiers at the front. One boy writes home: "I would rather give up my life there for this glorious cause than be King George the Fifth on the throne of England." This answer, too, was the answer of Jesus Christ. He could have taken the sword and lead His people. But He chose the lonely road. But some day Jesus Christ will look out into the great world and will have the future—all the future—for His own.

Germans Trapped In Midst of Blizzard

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concentrated in a terrific drum fire, flinging shells of enormous destructive force upon the German trenches and defensive works.

The barbed wire before the German positions was cut as though by sharp shears. Following the curtain of fire, the British troops went briskly out into No Man's Land. The breath of the men looked like a smoke cloud as they went across the field of hummocky snow and shell craters filled with solid ice.

TRAPPED IN DUGOUTS.

The British troops had been cold but, fresh with the heat of battle, they moved forward like a machine and carried out the operations with precision and self-control.

The Germans were trapped in their dugouts. The British boys went over and around the position before the Germans could get up to bomb them or fire upon them with machine guns. The whole garrison of the strong point surrendered almost without a fight, seemingly thinking that resistance was useless. The British suffered few losses and sent back the prisoners in triumph.

Meanwhile, the German gunners had seen signals of distress, and presently they became aware of the fact that the strong point had been captured. They came out of their dugouts and began firing at the captured position, but the visibility was bad, owing to the whitish fog, and the German drum fire was not so intense as in former days on the Somme front.

The British troops had taken possession of the deep underground rooms within the German position. In this way, the officers laughingly said, they celebrated the German Emperor's birthday.

Have Raised $450 For Patriotic Purposes

The Peterborough Operatic and Dramatic Society has commenced the study of a very heavy work "A Greek Slave." The success of the two former productions "San Toy" and "The Geisha" by an organization hardly two seasons old, speaks volumes for all concerned, and the Musical Director, Mr. R. J. Devey is sanguine as to the result of the new opera, which will be produced at the close of the present season. The results have been splendid, both musically and financially. From "San Toy" $200 went to the 93rd Band Fund, and in less than a year "The Geisha" produced $250, which sum was handed over to assist the splendid work being carried on in our midst by the Progressive Club. The following letter has been received from Mrs. (Dr.) Cameron.

318 Stewart Street,
January 28, 1917

Dear Mr. Devey:—

I am instructed by the Executive and members of the Peterborough Progressive Club, to express to you and the members of your Operatic Society the most sincere thanks and hearty appreciation of your splendid gift of money to the club, and you may be sure that every cent of it will carry to our boys in the trenches, hospitals and prison camps, not only material comforts, but that assurance so necessary to them, that we at home are working in our way to help them win the war. Again allow me to tender you our heartfelt thanks.

Sincerely yours,
GRACE M. CAMERON,
Secretary Peterborough Progressive Club.

TRAVELLED AT CHEAP RATE.

And That Prevents Widow of Man Killed From Getting Damages.

LONDON, Jan. 20. — The Privy Council delivered judgment in the case of the Canadian Pacific versus Dame Leosophie, which raised questions of importance upon which there was considerable divergence in the courts below. Joseph Chalifour was engaged to bring cattle by rail from Winnipeg to Montreal, consigned under special contract, exempting the appellants from liability to a person travelling with the cattle if a pass were granted such person to travel at reduced fare. Chalifour was killed in a collision. The question was whether Chalifour by signing the pass to travel at reduced fare renounced what would otherwise have been his rights. Their Lordships are of the opinion that the judgment appealed from should be reversed, and the action dismissed, costs of the appeal to be borne by the appellants, and costs in the court below by each party.

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Enthusiastic Welcome Was Extended To Col. McMillan

Stirring Scenes at the Salvation Army Temple—Ninety-Four Conversions Recorded Over Sunday—Civic Welcome to Distinguished Visitor

On Saturday evening a public reception was held in the Salvation Army Temple to welcome to this city Colonel McMillan, who, after twenty years' service in Australia, has been transferred as second in command of the Salvation Army in Eastern Canada. Col. McMillan's territory extends from Port William on the West to Cape Breton on the East. The Reception Committee of the City Council, headed by Ald. G. H. Duncan (chairman), officially welcomed the distinguished visitor on behalf of the city.

Ald. Duncan's Address.

Ald. Duncan, who was introduced by Brigadier Morehen, delivered the following address:

It affords me much satisfaction and pleasure to welcome so able and distinguished a member of the administrative force of the Army to Peterborough. His presence here is an evidence not only of the importance of the station, but of the esteem in which his branch is held.

We know, who have watched with interest the progress made in Peterborough that, locally, no organization has been a larger power for good than the Army. It has our entire respect and approval. It excels in good, practical work. Especially do we remark on the service given by the able officer in charge, Adjutant McElhiney and his excellent and devoted wife. Both are examples of the highest type, prominent in all public work and lending a helpful hand to succor those in adverse circumstances.

I have pleasure in bespeaking for the Army in Peterborough all assistance in the objects when presented. In the haste and call for war funds and objects the claims of the Army have been kept in the background, but the day is coming when local public recognition will be amply and freely made.

With renewed expressions of welcome and regard and best wishes for success, I again thank you for the privilege of saying these few words on behalf of the city.

The Reception.

The reception of visiting officers was a feature of the evening's programme. The visiting officers included Brigadier Belleridge, in charge of the young people's work for Canada East; Brigadier Morris, field secretary for Canada East; Adjt. Pelstree of Belleville; Mrs. Ensign Smith of Kingston; Capt. Parsons, Capt. Leader, Capt. Keith, Capt. Johnstone, Cpt. Laurie, Lieut. Kingston, Capt Hargreave, Capt. Beer, Capt. Spooner, Scout Leader; Capt. Mopp, Guard Leader; Ensign Richards, of Montreal, and Brigadier and Mrs. Morehen, D. C. for Eastern Ontario. Major and Mrs. Jennings came with the party and conducted the Senior meetings at the Temple on Sunday. These are old officers of the Corps, and they received a great welcome. Delegates from Belleville, Port Hope, Campbellford, Tweed, Trenton, Cobourg and Kingston some fifty in number, attended on Saturday night and Sunday.

94 Conversions.

Yesterday's meeting for young people only in the Foresters' Hall, Simcoe stret, was a big day. Ninety-four conversions took place and Commander Richards went home happy with the results. Major and Mrs. Jennings were at the Temple yesterday and did well all day. Brigadier Belleridge and Captain Spooner are staying over to look after the interests of the young people's work. The scouts met Captain Spooner and all the other young people met Brigadier Belleridge at the same hour.

Then the repeating of the sham fight, held last Thursday night, with some other numbers, will take place and all are cordially invited.

TALES FROM THE BIRDMEN

By Canadian Overseas

(His experience was related to me by a friend of mine in London.)

"My first flight was on a Sunday morning when a friend invited me to fly from London to Salisbury plain and then perhaps on to Brighton. London was blanketed in a low, wet mist, so I demurred, but my birdman insisted.

It was half an hour motor run to his "bus," and when we got there the mechanics had just finished giving her a preliminary race. The sun, striving through the mist, caught the tightly stretched fabric of the planes and made them shine like silver. The propeller looked like polished bronze. Garments were put on me in layers, a sort of leather straight jacket last of all. Then I was helped to my seat and the pilot took his. Men were standing by the wheels, under which little wedges had been placed. Another man was standing grasping the propeller. This he suddenly swung around, jumping out of the way, and with a roar from the exhaust we swayed a little, trembled, reluctantly moved forward and were off.

For some 100 yards we lumbered ungracefully and then it seemed as if the ground suddenly subsided. In a moment we were hastening through space with nothing below or above us on either side but the thick mist.

Always we went upwards, climbing towards a yellow disc high up, that was the sun. It was like nothing so much as a nightmare, in which one speeds through space without being able to stop or see anything that could give an idea of speed. Then suddenly I saw it in a different light, I knew that we were travelling at a terrific pace. My next idea was that we were not moving at all; it seemed that the engine was racing, a strong wind was rushing past us, and that now and again we were rocking as if we were in a small boat crossing the swell from the wake of a large steamer. This idea persisted for some time.

Suddenly we entered a new world. We were through the fog belt, which was now well below us. Above was the blue sky and a way over to our left was a large, shiny caterpillar, that was a kite balloon, hung motionless. Looking down at the fog carpet one could see holes in it as if some giant had been walking over a grass field slightly covered with snow and had left footmarks that showed the grass beneath. Then we went over the fringe of the mist and clear below us were the chessboard fields and dolls' houses that stood for Sussex villages.

With a wave of his arm the pilot pointed out a string of motor lorries winding along a white road below us. I looked and saw little dark coloured blobs with white blobs attached. These were the men sitting on the lorries. It is extraordinary how far away one can see a man's face. I leaned over to see the altitude meter and received a dot of warm lubricating oil in my eye. When I got it wiped away and looked down again the lorries were so many tiny dots in the distance.

An idea came to me as I saw a wood and some neaty tilled fields below, that I must have seen this before. Then I remembered where. Once, some years ago I had worked with an adjutant who was a master of the science of war. Our evenings were spent pouring over an elaborate landscape map of his own drawing, in which trees and houses appeared in their proper proportions. It was repeated in this scene below me.

I looked up again and there was my pilot sitting with his back to the bow and his legs stretched out in a comfortable position. He was making unmistakable signs to me and I handed him a cigarette. I jumpered him to turn around and attend to his levers. We veered a little once, and he reached out along arm and shifting a warping lever and we sailed on as before. Once again we wabbled, as I thought threateningly, and I said over to myself paragraph 1830 of King's Regulations. It reads, "A military funeral will be accorded to an officer or a soldier." But with a careless kick my pilot changed the position of some lever and we regained our equilibrium.

Far off in the distance appeared a silver thread. It was the sea showing through a rift in the clouds below us. We noticed a speck in the dim distance. It grew larger with astonishing rapidity until we could see that it was another plane, a sea plane. It passed us and the roar of its engines, mingling with the noise of ours, made a crescendo which rose and beat against the ear drums like the reports of gigantic mitrailleuse. So close were we that I could see every feature left uncovered by the goggles and the mask. We waved a friendly greeting at each other and when I looked back the other machine was fast becoming a speck in the distance.

Below us was a at open space dotted with white parallelgrams that were other aeroplanes. This was the aerodrome and we shut off the engine. We seemed to drop with no possibility of ever straightening out again and landing safely.

It was a 2,000 feet slide into space that we did and I heaved a sigh of relief as the ground once more stopped dashed up towards us. We circled once, twice and a third time, and the wheels took the ground, left it again and then settled to it for good.

At lunch I felt the floor of the room lift and glide swiftly away from the foundations. I suppose I showed what I felt, for I was cheerfully told, "I should feel like that for a bit, but it would wear off."

J. E. H.
Canadian Overseas.

Not a Tank.—Laden with a travelling rug and four or five bags, the stout old gentleman was endeavouring to make his way gracefully to the railway carriage. At the door he stumbled, and brought down a No. 9 boot on the pet corn of a brawny Scot. "Hoots, man!" groaned the injured one, "canna ye look whaur ye're gaun? Hoot, man hoot!" The overburdened traveller slammed the door behind him. Then he put his head through the window. "Hoot, yerself!" he retorted. "I'm a traveller, not a tank!"

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INSPECTORS SENT HERE BY THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT HAVE SEEN ACTIVE SERVICE

Four Fine Horses Were Passed on Saturday—Peterboro Has Contributed More Horses For War Purposes in the Last Four Months Than Any Other Place in Ontario—A Growing Industry—How the Animals Are Cared For at the Front.

Captain de Cheviguey, who for some time has been inspecting horses purchased by Mr. L. Green for the French government, has left for the front. The horses now purchased by Mr. Green in Peterborough and adjoining counties will be inspected by Captain de Cherge and Captain Monperts. Both of these men have seen service at the front and after being wounded were invalided home, and subsequently appointd Inspectors for the French Government. They spent a few months in United States and last week arrived in Peterborough. Since their arrival in the city they have inspected a large number of horses to the satisfaction of Mr. Green, the buyer, and the farmers from whom they were purchased. Several of the latter who were in the city on Saturday expressed themselves as being well pleased at the manner in which the new Inspectors are performing their duties.

A Growing Industry.

During the past three weeks over three hundred horses have been purchased by Mr. Green, making a total of about nine hundred in the past four months. Horses of all colours are taken, with a possible exception of light greys. The latter will be purchased, providing they weigh between thirteen and fifteen hundred pounds, also a horse of nine or ten years of age, if he is of good type. Buying for the French Government is carried on in Montreal, Peterborough and Toronto. This city is one of the three main purchasing depots, and it is interesting to note that Mr. Green's disbursements for one month is between forty and fifty thousand dollars. This money comes to Peterborough from New York, and is circulated in this city and the surrounding country. Mr. Green has eleven men in his employ and his work extends over the whole county, also adjoining territories.

A Heavy Contribution.

Peterborough has contributed more horses in the last four months for war purposes than any other place in Ontario. On Saturday last forty-five horses were inspected, whereas in Toronto on Monday last, only twenty two animals came up for inspection. Mr. Green has stable accommodation for over one hundred head of horses, and an average of from two to three ton of hay is required each day for the horses that are on hand. Horse buying in this district has assumed large proportions, and is an industry Mr. Green is in the market to buy any class of a horse that the farmer have to offer. Horses not suitable for the French government are sold for other purposes.

Mr. Green hopes to build up a business that will continue long after the war has passed into history. This he is endeavouring to do by careful attention to business, and fair dealing with all whom he has occasion to do business with.

Million Horses in Use.

It is estimated that there are over a million horses being employed in the vast battlefield at the present time. Before the war, mechanical haulage had superseded horse draught to such an extent that some of us supposed that in a comparatively short space of time the horse would be almost as extinct as the buffalo. The war to-day has proved that there are countless tasks for horses that motor traction could never perform, especially when it is necessary to cross country through ploughed fields, ditches, hedges, etc.

In all the wars known to history, horses have taken a leading part, and in the former campaigns the agonies and wastage of these poor animals were deplored, but little or nothing was done for their relief. During the Crimean War, and even as late as the South African War, this condition of affairs still existed, but during the last few decades, there has been a rapid change from passive recognition of such suffering to active measures for its alleviation.

WONDERFUL ORGANIZATION.

The practical outcome of this change is the Army Veterinary Corps, which is part and parcel of the British Army. This wonderful organization not only carries on its magnificent work to prevent unnecessary loss of animal life, but is an economic factor as by its methods thousands of horses are restored to health, and every one saved means another weapon in the fight.

The Army Veterinary Corps had a peace strength of 166 qualified veterinary officers and 240 non-commissioned officers and men. This has now been increased to 700 fully qualified veterinary officers and 8,000 men, and is continually growing in numbers. To every division and cavalry brigade is attached a mibile veterinary section consisting of one officer and twenty-two trained men of the army veterinary corps, all mounted and fully equipped with the necessary veterinary outfit. Their function is to relieve the field units of all sick, wounded, injured or inefficient animals.

First Aid Treatment.

After first aid treatment, the patients are despatched by train to the advanced veterinary hospital which is equipped to deal with 1,000 horses. Here they go through the Mallien test for glanders, that scourge of horses, before they are drafted into the wards set aside for their ailments. A deep manger runs the whole length of the stable and each horse is separated from his neighbour by a bail-bar. The tether rope is of sufficient length to enable him to lie down, and in cases of pneumonia two stalls are turned into a loose box so that the patient can rest undisturbed. With an ample supply of water, roomy stalls, dry standing and excellent fodder, these victims of the strife of nations are given a chance of recovery.

When the weather is fine, and their condition permits, they are tied by breastlines in the open or are turned out in the roomy paddocks where they have every opportunity for exercise and grazing. In the middle of the exercise track is a sand bath for the delectation of the mules. Animals which are slightly wounded are sent to the convalescent horse depot which has been established in one of the healthiest regions in France, and which covers an area of twenty miles. After a short stay here, the horses are again in condition to go to the front and carry or dray their burden, for King and country.

From All Corners.

The horses used in the British Army are collected from remote pastures. There are the natives of the British Isles representing the hunters, hacks, carriage horses, omnibus, farm and draught horses; the walers from Australia; the little animals from India and the far east, the hardy creatures of the Veldt, and our own Canadian productions from east to west. Let us hope that they are able to have some common method of communication, especially when they are convalescing. Imagine a conversation between a denizen of India and one of our western ponies! Perhaps the native of India would feel his "caste" too keenly to hobnob with a breezy westerner, or perhaps the westerner would find him too silent and thoughtful, and side up to a waler or a native of the veldt as to one more ligely to understand his longing for the spaces and silences of the prairies. Their recitals of their hopes and fears, longings and sorrows would perhaps be much like that of the humans who are similarly situated. The longing for home seems to be the strongest feeling in battle-scarred man or beast.

Swedish Expert Visited Peterboro

Young Efficiency Engineer on World Tour in War-Time

Sten Thiel, a young civil engineer of Stockholm, Sweden who is on a world trip to study shop efficiency visited Peterborough industries. He will see Henry Ford and his factories in Detroit and will go to Montreal. He will proceed to Panama, and, ultimately, will go to China, Japan, and India.

"I am neutral. In my country, of course, there are individual sympathies. For instance, one section of the press prints British news in capitals, while another features German despatches. The Kings of Denmark, Norway and Sweden met in the three capitals and decided that Scandinavia must unite on its war stand. The three Kingdoms have remained neutral, and, so far as one can tell, will take no part in the war. Scandinavia, of course, wants peace, as war has interfered with our normal conditions. We have butter, sugar, and other food cards, but are not suffering. The three countries. I should say, could put 800,000 men in the field out of a population of 9,500,000."

Sweden has lost ships, but fewer than Norway. Sweden has no coal, and so sends its 'raw iron' to England or Germany. When Mr. Thiel left Stockholm "raw iron" was not on the "contraband list," but, according to Thiel, "everything may be on the list soon."

Mr. Britling Is Wells Himself; Scene, His Home

(By Hayden Church.)

LONDON, Jan. 27.—Everybody one meets here who reads at all appears to be just reading, or to have just read, or to be just about to read H. G. Wells' fine war novel, "Mr. Britling Sees It Through."

And in America you all seem to be reading it, too, and talking about it, as is inevitable, for this magically written story of how the war came to the quiet English countryside is one that you must "talk over" once you have turned the last page.

How much of "Mr. Britling" is real? That is the question that is being generally asked, and it is pleasant to be able to answer it in great part. It is mostly real, as I discovered on the spot.

Everybody of course, will have recognized H. G. Wells himself in "Mr. Britling," and the village of "Matching's Easy" was not hard to recognize, even from London, as Dunmow, the village in Essex famous previously for its "Flitch' competitions for married couples, which now is the country home of this later Jules Verne.

Wells There Five Years.

His house there is really called "The Retcory," and Wells, who previously had a place by the sea, at Sangate has now resided there for some four or five years and entertained there, among many others, his sometime friend, sometimes antagonist, Bernard Shaw.

Many of the other characters—and some of the best—in "Mr. Britling" are drawn from life, including the delightful stationmaster at the wayside station at Easton Lodge, a few miles from Dunmow and his wonderful garden of roses and sweet peas alongside the rails. Another character formerly well known in Dunmore is "Herr Heinrich" an inoffensive young German tutor.

The Fiction Violin.

In reality it is a faithful portrait of a young German who was until the outbreak of war tutor to Mr. Wells' children, but the great reading public who have devoured this fine book would never have guessed that the story of this German told so sympathetically is not only true, but the sequel as imagined by Mr. Wells is likely to come true also.

"Herr Heinrich," so the story goes, went to Germany when England declared war, leaving behind him in his hurry most of his belongings including a violin.

He continued to correspond with his former employer through a neutral and then, after "Mr. Britling" has been stricken with the news of the death in action of his eldest and most beloved son, comes a letter saying that the boy's tutor and playmate had died a wounded prisoner in Russia.

Before he died he expressed the wish that the fiddle should be returned to his parents.

And The Real One.

That is the fiction. Now for the truth.

In Mr. Wells' home there is the fiddle of the young German tutor who spent many happy months under his roof. Postcards came from him after he had gone back to Germany. About a year ago they suddenly ceased, and now it is thought that he is dead or a prisoner and for some reason unable to send any message.

It will be interesting to see whether the violin goes back to Germany.

Everybody in Dunmow and district has recognized this description of the young German in the book.

At Dunmow the other day a news agent told me how "Herr Heinrich" when the crisis began would come eagerly to the shop to read the news, becoming more and more downcast as things got worse. Everybody liked him.

"He was a most pleasant boy, and I felt sorry for him when he went away," said one woman.

Heart of Britlingland.

The railway station at which Mr. Britling's American visitor, Mr. Derlick, would have arrived really is Easton Lodge, in Essex, about two miles from Dunmow—the heart of Britlingland and Mr. Wells' home.

There is Dunmow, Little Easton, and Great Easton, which is undoubtedly bigger than Little Easton. Within the radius of these three places the Britlingianders live and play their respective roles in the novel. Mr. Wells lives at Little Easton when he is not in London.

Dunmow and district are, as Mr. Wells has described, something quite different from anything in the other counties of England. In addition to the ordinary rural population there is a little literary colony, including one distinguished editor of a London newspaper, who is said to be easily recognizable in the novel.

They discuss Mr. Britling at the local inns, but here 6 shillings for a book being a prohibitive figure to some of the habitues, even in war time, and it being scarcely possible to put all the inhabitants of Dunhow and district on the complimentary list, comment is based a good deal on second hand information.

Somewhat Exaggerated.

Consequently exaggeration is apt to creep in. One man had discovered a murder mystery in the book and was prepared to argue out the whole solution with anybody that happened to come along.

"Go on with yer—it's about the war—there's no murder mystery about that—it's about wot we've been doing in the war in Dunmow. They say we're all in the book—all of us," interrupted an old man over a pint of ale.

Driving in the dark to the station in a dogcart, my driver, who had seen something of the book, told me that Mr. Wells must have been describing some of his own experiences with motor cars and learning to drive one of his own.

"It's very lifelike, that part," he said.

"Don't you think Mr. Wells is a wonderful writer?" I asked.

"Mr. Wells he ain't no ordinary writer," he replied. "He don't write these love stories. He's got brains; 'e's a thinker; 'e knows."

A "SLUG" OF GIN COST HIM $13.75 IN COURT

Harry Pergeau, of Brownlown, paid the usual $13.75 into the police court this morning for a breach of the Temperance Act, having been found drunk on Brock street yesterday. He stated that he had secured three bottles of Holland gin from Montreal on Saturday.

MILLBROOK BOY WOUNDED BUT STAYS ON DUTY

Lieut. A. C. F. Winslow, Slightly Injured, Went Overseas with 80th Bn.

Lieut. A. C. Farwell Winslow was wounded January 9, but is remaining on duty, according to a telegram received by his aunt, Mrs. S. F. Hinckson, of Toronto. In a recent letter he told of how a captured German dugout, forty feet under the ground, was fitted out in mahogany. Lieut. Winslow enlisted at Welland with the 80th Battalion, where he was employed in the Bank of Toronto. He went overseas as a captain, but reverted to the lower rank in order to get to the front. At Bramshott he was transferred to the 74th Battalion, and entered the fighting zone last July with the 11th Brigade, Canadian Light Trench Mortar Battery. On several occasions his bravery in action has been commended by his commanding officer. In the same battery as Lieut. Winslow there were a number of Toronto boys who had been attached to the Fourth Division Cyclists. He sent their names home to his aunts, and this resulted in the forming of a women's auxiliary here to look after the needs of the battery. Lieut. Winslow's father, Major Charles H. Winslow, of Millbrook, died just a month before his son went overseas. He fought in the same Durham County Regiment as General Sam Hughes during the North-West Rebellion. Lieut. Winslow is 22 years of age.

SEARCH AMERICAN PASSENGER ABOARD DUTCH STEAMSHIP

At First Taken for German Spy, He is Finally Released with Apologies.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—Hayward Reed of Sacramento, Cal., an American, who arrived here aboard the steamship Ryndam, expressed his opinion somewhat forcefully in regard to British official methods of search at Falmouth.

"We were held up three days at Falmouth," said Mr. Reed, "and the officials seemed to concentrate their whole attention upon me. They thought I was a spy, I guess; but the only reason they might have had for such a belief was that I had told them I went over last November that I was going in search of my sister's husband, Professor Ludwig Demeter, of the University of California, a naturalized American citizen, who had gone to Germany and not been heard from in more than eighteen months. When the Ryndam reached Falmouth the same official who had examined me in November again came aboard and asked me whether I had found my brother-in-law. I told him I had and that he would come to the United States in three months.

"'That's too thin a story,' said the official; 'you are not Reed but Rutherford.' I denied this and showed letters of introduction from Governor Johnson of California, and United States Senator Phelan, as well as my passport. Nothing availed. They took me to my cabin and searched me. Unfortunately I had put paper into my shoes to keep my feet warm. This was regarded as conclusive evidence of my guilt, and I was hustled ashore and taken to headquarters, the officials telling the people aboard the Ryndam that it would be a long time I ever saw America again.

"After I had been locked up three hours an official told me a mistake had been made, apologized to me for my detention and I was escorted back to the vessel."

Mr. Ethelbert Watts, United States Consul General at Brussels, Belgium, was also a passenger. He said that he is here on a leave of absence. "I am going to my house in Philadelphia," he said, "and cannot say exactly when I shall return to my post in Belgium."

J. M. Boisevain, brother-in-law of the late Mrs. Inez Milholland Boisevain, arrived in connection with business of his firm, Robert Boisevain and Co., bankers.

Robert Von Buelow, formerly United States Vice Consul in Denmark, and Mrs. Von Buelow were also passengers.

Captain W. Krol, commander of the Ryndam, reported that when his vessel was in latitude 50 deg. 36 min. north, longitude 27 deg. 33 min. west his attention was called to an upturned lifeboat.

There was nothing to disclose the identity of the vessel to which the boat had belonged. It was thought that the lifeboat had held part of the crew of the vessels sunk by the raider which stole out of the North sea recently.

Asks Insurance Against Medal; It Cost Too Much

LONDON, Jan. 12.—A perturbed young man in the uniform of an officer, wearing on his breast the bi-colored ribbon which indicated that he had won the Distinguished Service Order, one of the highest military decorations within the gift of the king, entered the offices of an insurance broker attached to Lloyds, the famous insurance mart.

At Lloyds they insure you against anything, from fire and Zeppelin attacks to influenza and the measels. Lloyds are most famous for that sort of thing and it is seldom they fail to figure out some way of insuring against loss on anything under the sun. This time, however, Lloyds was beaten.

This Dazed the Brokers.

"I want," said the young British officer, "to be insured against winning the Victoria Cross."

The brokers gasped in amazement. Here was a war born something that was utterly new and they demanded details.

"It's just this way," declared the officer. "Recently I won the D. S. O. and I hope that before things are over I will win the Victoria Cross; I certainly shall try to do so, and possibly I will.

"But after winning the D. S. O. which I was quite proud to have done, I found that it is really a costly thing to do. I am not rich, in fact I have but little money. But what with dinners and luncheons and drinks in celebration of my getting the D. S. O., it cost me much more than I could possibly afford—about fifty pounds in all, I should say.

Stumped Even Lloyds.

"Now, if I win the V. C., which, as I say, I will try to do when I get back to France, I will get leave and come to England again. Then there will have to be celebrations all over again, and I suppose it will cost me hundreds of pounds. Therefore I wish to pay a certain premium enough so that if I win the V. C. you will pay me, £500. That sum ought to pay all celebrating expenses and leave something over."

The insurance people carefully considered the matter, and finally decided it couldn't be done, for the reason they could reach no solid basis for estimating the risk of losing on the policy. The young British officer departed sorrowful.

DRY MANITOBA A SUCCESS.

Results of Prohibition a Surprise, Even to Its Friends.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 26.—A report on the operations of the Province of Manitoba Temperance Act, presented to the Legislature states that the support accorded the prohibition measure "surpassed the most sanguine expectations of its friends." The report says the change has had "little if any" effect on labour conditions. Drunkenness has been reduced 87 per cent. in the province as a whole. Taking the convictions in four cities as the basis, and according to the commitments to jail, all other crime has been reduced 80 per cent. under prohibition.

"The results have been obtained with the minimum friction" it is added. There were 260 prosecutions under the act and fines aggregating $41,285 were imposed.

Annual Meeting Of Lakevale Church Held

Presentation Made to the Organist Mrs. Frank Fowler

The annual meeting of Lakevale church was held in the church on Wednesday, January the 24th, with the pastor, Rev. G. J. Craw in the chair.

The secretary, R. J. Tully, read his report of the year's business and was very satisfactory indeed.

After the reading of the different reports and the election of officers, the organist, Mrs. Frank Fowler, was presented with a very handsome mesh bag and purse of gold.

Little Marguerite Deyell presented it, while Mrs. E. Archer read the following address:

Dear Mrs. Fowler,—We your friends and co-workers in Lakevale Presbyterian church take much pleasure at this opportunity of expressing to you our grateful thanks for your faithful services with our choir.

We feel you have never grudged time or effort in making the music of our church services helpful and enjoyable though pressed by home duties many times you have always been a very willing helper, and we are pleased to acknowledge to you how much we have appreciated your faithful endeavour to add to the beauty and helpfulness of the services of our church.

We ask you to accept this purse as a token of our appreciation, and hope you may be long enabled to fill your place as organist of the church.

Wishing you a bright and happy New Year.

Signed on behalf of the church—
Edward Archer,
George Deyell,
George Mouteif.

Mrs. Fowler, though very much surprised, replied briefly, thanking her many friends.

Refreshments were served and a social hour spent.

The pleasant and profitable afternoon was brought to a close by singing the National anthem and prayer.

Pomeroy Prefers Solitary Cell

Jesse Pomeroy Wants Freedom, But No Privileges.

BOSTON, Jan. 29.—Jesse Pomeroy's expressed preference to remain in solitary confinement instead of going to work with other prisoners is not taken very seriously at Charlestown State Prison. It was said at the warden's office Saturday that the plan did not contemplate the prisoner's entrance to the workshop before Monday, when it was expected Pomeroy would be found to be as amenable to the rules of the institution as he has been during his forty-one years of close confinement.

When Pomeroy was informed Friday that the executive council had relaxed his punishment to the extent of affording him the privileges alloyed other life prisoners, he expressed disappointment that a full pardon had not been granted. He declared that unless he could be free he preferred the isolation of the cell that he has occupied since as a boy of 14 he murdered another youth.

A similar disappointment has been shown by the convict following the failure of his every annual petition for a pardon.

COMMITTED TO AN INSANE ASYLUM

Herbert S. Love, of Harvey township, was committed to an asylum for the insane by Magistrate Langley on Saturday. He had been living alone in a shack on the "Oregon trail" above Buckhorn, and was arrested in the woods by County Constable Moore several weeks ago. At that time he was carrying a gun. Residents of that vicinity had complained of his actions.

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PROBABILITIES.

Southerly winds; mild with occasional rains. Tuesday, north west winds, becoming much colder.

NOTICE.

The members of the Mark Street Methodist Church Trustee Board are requested to meet in the Church tonight at 8 p.m.—T. Hendry, Sec.

PIANO TUNING.

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Mr. James Head desires to thank the Fire Department for turning out so promptly and putting out the fire at his premises on Saturday afternoon.

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IMPORTANT SALE.

One of the most important stock sales in the district will be held at the farm of Mr. G. A. Gillespie, M.P.P., on Monday, February 12th, when he will have an auction sale of all his farm stock and implements. Mr. J. F. Thornton will be the auctioneer.

PIANO, ORGAN, VOICE.

Mr. J. H. Renwick, organist and choirmaster, George Street Methodist Church, has resumed teaching. Pupils prepared for examinations. Many present and former pupils holding good positions. Studio, 567 Aylmer street. 'Phone 1098. 29d-2

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From two until five o'clock and seven to nine at night, commencing Monday, January 29th, I will sell by private sale at No. 377 Downie street, all my household furniture and effects.—Dr. W. T. Holloway. 3d-21

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KITCHENER LEAGUE.

A special meeting of the Canadian Kitchener League is called for Tuesday afternoon, January 30th, in the Oriental Tea Room, at 3 o'clock. It is important that every member be present.

The Packing Committee of the Canadian Kitchener League will meet at the Oriental on Tuesday afternoon, January 30th, for the purpose of preparing another shipment for the Peterborough Boys in the trenches. Will those who are knitting kindly send in all finished articles before this date, as the League is anxious to have a real large shipment, if we could realize what a warm, comfortable pair of socks must mean to our boys in the trenches these cold, stormy days, there would be a shipment every day instead of every two weeks. 2d-23

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SOCIAL CLASS.

The Social Class will meet as usual on Tuesday evening at the Conservatory Hall.

PETERBOROUGH CHORAL SOCIETY.

There will be a rehearsal to-morrow (Tuesday) evening in the Collegiate Hall at 8 p.m. Copies of "Elijah" are to hand, and a hearty invitation is extended to all singers to enroll themselves at once.

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ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH.
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A social gathering of the members and friends of St. Georges church will be held to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. All are most cordially invited to attend.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hatcher and family wish to express their sincere thanks to their friends for their kindness and sympathy in their recent bereavement; also to Mrs. (Major) A. P. Watt, and the Daughters of the Empire for the beautiful flowers.

FUNERAL TO-DAY.

The funeral of the late William Ball took place to-day, under the auspices of Court Peterborough Canadian Order of Foresters. The pallbearers were Messrs. W. Hooper, A. Carpenter, A. Mitchell, G. Dredge W. Carter, Walter Bothwell.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. James Chas. Blake wishes to thank the many friends and I.O.O.F., also All Saints' Bible Class and Soldiers' Wives' and Mothers' Club, for the kind sympathy shown to her in her sad bereavement in the loss of her husband; also for the beautiful floral tributes.

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TALENT TEA.

A Talent Tea will be held by the Soldiers Wives' and Mother's Club at the home of Mrs. McLean, 559 Aylmer street on Tuesday afternoon from 3 o'clock until 5 o'clock. Everybody welcome. Come and bring a friend. Collection will be taken, proceeds to buy socks for Peterborough boys in trenches. Socks have already been sent to all 98rd boys drafted in the different Battalions This week parcels of socks were sent to the 1st and 4th Battalions; the original 5th C.M.R., and the 2nd Entrenching Battalion.

ST. JOHN'S NOTICES.

Monday—5.15 p.m. (daily), Service of intercession for allied forces; 7.30, Girls' Auxiliary.

Tuesday—2.30, W. A. sewing meeting; 6 p. m., Girls' Association, Red Cross.

Wednesday—7.30, A.B.C. Club meeting.

Thursday—2.15, Mothers' Union; 8 p.m., Choir practice, boys at 7.30; 8 p.m., Women's Friendly Bible class business meeting.

Friday— Feast of the Purification; 9.00, Holy Communion; 11.00, Morning prayer; 2 p.m., C. W. A. sewing meeting, Red Cross; 4.15, Mission Band 8: p.m., Evening prayer.

Saturday—9.00, Boys' choir practice.

Sunday (Septuagesima) Holy communion 8 and 11 a.m.

REEVE FRED McKEE, of Smith, Who Was Chairman of the County Property Committee Last Year, and is Chairman of the Printing Committee This Year.

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Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Richardson, 541 Homewood Avenue Have Been Fifty Years Married

On Saturday, the fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Richardson, was observed at their home, 541 Homewood avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Richardson came to this country in 1873 and have resided in this district for the past forty-four years. The greater part of that time has been spent in Peterborough. The original wedding announdement, which was clipped from the Liverpool Mercury of January 26th, 1867, contains the following:

RICHARDSON—BIGGER.— Jan. 27, at St. Brides, by the Rev. W. H. Falloon, A.M., incumbent, Isaac, youngest son of the late John Richardson, of Croxton, Staffordshire, to Julia, second daughter of the late Mr. John Bigger, of Capel street, Dublin.

On Saturday evening a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richardson. A large number of relatives and friends were present.

Relatives were present from St. Catharines, Hamilton, Toronto, and other places to congratulate the couple.

Among the presents sent were a five o'clock tea set, in 22 karat gold; a purse of gold contributed by relatives; the lady stenographers in Mr. Hill's insurance office, sent some beautiful flowers; the male members of the staff made up a purse of money; and a number of other handsome gifts were received from different friends and well-wishers.

HOUSEHOLDERS ARE URGED TO ECONOMIZE IN USING POTATOES

Householders are strongly advised to exercise economy in the use of potatoes for the family board. The price has been steadily advancing until to-day it may be safely said that potatoes are considerably dearer than bread regarded from the standpoint of food values. Retail grocers stated to-day that they are selling their best grades of potatoes at $2.75 a bag or fifty cents a peck, yet the price quoted to W. J. Oke to-day by the New Brunswick Potato Exchange was $2.70. This was for seed Cobblers to be delivered in March for seeding purposes. McWilliams and Everett's circular for the present week quotes New Brunswicks at $3.00 a bag. In other words the present basis upon which the potato business is operating warrants 60 cents a peck or a price of $3.00 a bag.

Midwinter Stringency.

Opinions gathered from the trade emphasize the difficulty the midwinter cold spell has created for the potato trade. Both to the east and west the provinces report fairly encouraging stocks, but it takes twelve days for New Brunswicks to reach Peterborough, due to the labour difficulties on the railways. Besides, inexperienced workmen at the railway terminals have at times failed to refuel the oil heaters in the cars with the result that unnecessary freezing has occurred.

Canadian stocks are being further depleted by the demand from the southern states for present seeding. A recent Cuban order for 9,000 bags at a price of $2.50, f.o.b. Toronto, per 90-lb. bag was recently filled. In fact there is a considerable demand from the United States generally to relieve their own scarcity.

Buying Freely.

Mr. Oke takes the unselfish view that householders should economize while potatoes are at a high figure. Retail grocers state that buying at 50c a peck has been as free as when the price was 25c. When the cold weather passes late in March the danger of freezing having been removed, the price pressure should be considerably lightened and the whole situation ameliorated.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

Examiner Special:

Toronto Live Stock Receipts heavy, trade fair, heavy steers $10.50 to $11; good butcher $10 to $10.50; good choice heifers $9.50 to $10; calves $8 to $14; hogs fed and watered $13.75; off cars $14.10, others unchanged.

Chorus Lady Bumped The Sidewalk Hard

Falling in front of the Boston Cafe at noon to-day the "second from the end" of the "Aladdin" company remarked, "They otta have gutta percha pavements in this burg" and let it go at that. And it was no fadeway fall, boy.

I.O.D.E. TEA

The tea given by the Peter Robinson Chapter, I.O.D.E. on Saturday, was most successful. The hostesses, Miss Maisie Armstrong and Miss Kathleen Powel were assisted by Miss Gladys Cameron; Mrs. Parsons, Mrs. Widdifield, Miss Reid and Miss Marjory Hatton. The Chapter wishes to thank the Bisbor Co. for tea and coffee, Mrs. Matthews for tea, and the Kinnear Co. for sugar, all of which was kindly donated. The next tea will be held on Valentine's Day, Feb. 14.

Repeat Minstrels At Lyceum Feb. 7

The minstrel show recently presented in the Immaculate Conception Parish Hall will be repeated, by request, a week from to-night, at St. Alphonsus' Lyceum. The production was a pleasing success and it is expected to draw a large house on February 5th. Messrs. Ed. Hanrahan, Ed. Bartley and Vince McCabe from this side of the river, have leading parts in the programme.

OBITUARY

JOHN D. KENNEDY

John D. Kennedy died at the Nicholls Hospital on Saturday evening from heart failure.

Mr. Kennedy who was 58 years of age was born in Cavan, where he resided practically all his life before coming to Peterborough 14 years ago. He has been employed in the Lock Works for some years. He was a member of the Baptist church.

Mr. Kennedy is survived, by his wife, formerly Elizabeth Palmer and two daughters, Mrs. Thos. Kinsman, Otaco Hope Township, Vera Lillian at home and one son Stanley, residing in East City.

The funeral will take place on Tuesday afternoon from the family residence 100 1-2 Stewart street at 3:30 o'clock. A short service, conducted by Rev. Mr. Webb will be held at 3 o'clock at the house before proceeding to the Little Lake Cemetery.

JANE THOMPSON GILLESPIE

A widely known and highly esteemed resident of Otonabee passed away on Sunday afternoon in the person of Mrs. Jane Gillespie.

Mrs. Gillespie who was born near Port Hope 73 years ago came to reside in Otonabee at the age of sixteen. Since then, by her charitable disposition, she has won a place in the hearts of all those with whom she came in contact which cannot be filled. She was a life long member of St. Paul's church.

She is survived by three sons, John Gillespie at home, George residing in Peterborough, and Peter Gillespie in Ottawa, and three daughters, Julia at home, Jennie residing in Peterborough and Mrs. Huston of Otonabee.

The funeral will take place on Tuesday at two o'clock from the family residence, Lot 24, Concession 12 Otonabee to the Little Lake Cemetery.

ELIZABETH WHATTAM.

A member of one one the pioneer families of the Methodist Church died this morning, in the person of Elizabeth Barbara Whattam. Mrs. Whattam, who was 73 years of age, was born in Prince Edward County, and was a member of a prominent U. E. Loyalist family. She was a lifelong member of the Methodist Church in all branches of the work of which she took an active interest. Her grandfather assisted in the building of the first Methodist Church in Canada, Hayby Conger Chapel. She leaves to mourn her loss three sons, the Rev. E. A. Whattam, with whom she has made her home for the past ten years; James L. of Oshawa; Ote of Picton; and two daughters, Mrs. Louis Garratt, Moose Jaw, and Miss Kida, at home.

A service will be held to-morrow night at the Methodist Parsonage, 378 Mark Street, at 9 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Mr. Gwarix.

The body will be taken to Picton for burial by the G. T. R., leaving at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning.

WILLIAM GRAHAM.

William Graham died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Milfred Northey, Smith Township, on Monday, Jan. 29th.

Mr. Graham who was 75 years of age was a highly respected and well-known resident of Smith. He has always been prominently identified with the Conservative party in politics in which he took a great and active interest. He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Milfred Northey, of Smith; Mrs. Albert Manning, of Toronto, and Mrs. Joseph LeBatt, Chicago; and four sons, Edward, of Winnipeg; Rolland, of Toronto; Frederick, of Smith, anad George, of Peterborough; and one sister, Miss Mary Graham, of Peterborough. The funeral will take place on Wednesday at one-thirty, to Ray's cemetery, Lakefield.

IN MEMORIAM.

BRADLEY.—In loving remembrance of Mrs. Jas. Bradley, a dear wife and loving mother, who passed away Jan. 29, 1915.

Husband and Family.
607 Aylmer Street.

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

N. Y. STOCKS:—Airbrake 154, Atchison 106 1-8, 105 5-8; B. & O., 81 1-2, 81; C.P.R., 161 3-4, 161; N.Y.C., 101 1-2, 101; Erie 31 7-8, 31 5-8; N.P., 108 3-8; Reading 101, 101 1-2; Penna., 57; St. Paul 90 1-8, 90.

TORONTO STOCKS:—Steamships 32 1-2, 34; Maple Leaf Pfg., 95 3-4, 95 1-2; N. S. Car, 160; Cement 64, 63 3-4; Canada Car 30; Gen. Elec., 112 1-2 bid; War Loan 103 1-2, 97 3-4; War Loan 1925, 98 3-8; Smelters 33, 32 1-2; Can. Loco., 37 bid.

There is still peace piffle going about, and we have not heard the last of it for the present. The War Council of the British Dominion premiers would seem another effective answer to this kind of peace without victory talk and new war orders also constitute a fairly good answer. The melon cuttings are calculated to reawaken bullish sentiment on the part of the public as the market is still pretty full of such opportunities. Stocks like Ind. Alcohol, Airbrake, General Electric, Beet Sugar, Utah, Marine Pfd. only a comparative few such stocks that occur at the moment. Smelting should be included in such an array. The very strong market for steel, iron, copper, Lead and Zinc suggests continued strength in the stocks concerned. The Federal smelting issues should come in for some belated appreciation some time. Independence Lead is a very cheap sister proposition that should give big profits to current buyers. Am. Zinc looks very good at the moment, while U. S. and American Smelting are certainly cheap. Anaconda seems at last ripe for a real advance. Inspiration and other coppers should harden. Can. has great possibilities. But it is Steel and allied stocks that should do best. Republic and Crucible look very good. Rubber and tire stocks should do better now that the passing of the Lee tire dividend and the Goodrich annual report are out of the way. Railway Springs, Airbrake, Pressed Car and the Locomotives are worth while. The Leak quiz is now more or less scare proof. The market should do better to-day. So should cotton. Buy only good selbacks in wheat.

Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Kenny, Percy Tp., were given a presentation and address from neighbours before leaving to reside in Peterborough.

Mr. and Mrs. Houlihan and Messrs. Dennis and John Houlihan were in Lindsay Saturday attending the funeral of their uncle, Mr. Eugene Shine.

The friends of Mr. Harry Smith, street railway conductor, will regret to learn of his serious illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McMartin of Otonabee entertained about thirty-five of their friends and neighbours last Thursday evening. The time was spent in dancing and games and a most enjoyable time was spent.

Pte. R. G. L. Grosvalet, who will lecture at the Grand Opera House during the coming week, commencing on Thursday, on "Canada's Fighting Forces," was registered on Saturday at the Empress.

Word has been received of the marriage of Doris, eldest daughter of the late Dr. G. S. Beck, Port Arthur, formerly of Peterborough, and Captain, the Rev. Van, London, England. Miss Beck is a niece of Mrs. A. Stevenson, Aylmer street.

Mrs. Fred Smith, 40 Lafayette avenue, has very kindly offered her home for the afternoon and evening of Thursday, February 1st. Hours from two until six o'clock in the afternoon, and from seven until nine o'clock in the evening. A musical programme will be provided, also refreshments. The proceeds from the silver collection will be given to the Peterborough Progressive Club.

At the Progressive Club on Wednesday, Jan. 24th, the drawing for the Golliwog was held, Mrs. Bacon of McDonnel street, winning it with ticket No. 11.

Mrs. Freeman, Grand Rapids, Mich., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Meyers, Brock street.

Mr. Roland Strickland, Burleigh Ranch is in the city on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Gomer, 236 Brock street returned last night from Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Meyers who have been the guests of Mr. Meyer's parents, Brock street returned last week to Montreal.

Mrs. Wesley Northey, who spent last week in Peterborough returned on Saturday to Lakefield.

Mr. W. R. Grieve and bride, of Guelph, are the guests of the cousin of Mrs. Grieve—Mrs. H. L. Williamson, 180 Stewart street.

Mr. J. D. Hagerman, of Calgary, Alberta, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. Deyell, 61 Crescent street, city. Mr. Hagerman is an extensive farmer in Alberta and believes the young province has a very prosperous future before it.

BIRTH.

MANLEY.—At Nicholls Hospital, on January 26, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Manley, of 208 Rutherford avenue a daughter.

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(Northern Echo, Jan. 1st.)

The war that has produced so much of sorrow has also brought to light many tender touches of romance. Darlington has not been without its share in this respect, but probably its most beautiful incident, despite the attendant pathos, took place on Saturday, when Lance Corporal Fleming, 48th Highlanders of Canada, 1st C.E.F., (late of Reaboro, Ont.) and Miss Sarah Alderson, of Lower Consicliffe were married at Holy Trinity church.

Arriving home on a few days' leave from the front, Lce.-Corp Fleming discovered that his bride-to-be was lying in the Greenbank hospital with a broken leg. Sympathising with the couple in their disappointment, the matron, nurses and a few friends determined the marriage shoud take place, as arranged, so, attired in a light blue wrapper and a tasteful arrangement of white tulle as her head dress to give the bridal touch, the bride was conveyed to church in the ambulance requisitioned from the fire station. The sisters of the ward and three nurses carried the stretcher to and from the vehicle, the matron and a number of convalescent soldiers from the hospital bearing them company.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. George, of High Consicliffe, the bride's sister being bridesmaid and the brother of the groom best man. Naturally the return journey to the hospital was made in the ambulance, the bridegroom on this occasion accompanying the invalid. A hearty reception, and later in the day, prior to the Lance-Corporal's departure for the front, they were presented with a centre piece, the gift of the house surgeon, the matron and her staff, as a token of their good wishes for the bride and bridegroom, whose wedding had taken place under such unique circumstances.

MILITARY NEWS

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full rates, are not necessarily forwarded by telegraph in the final stages of their transmission in France, and may be subject to some delay.

The foregoing does not apply to messages which may be sent at the special non-minimum week-end letter rate to soldiers, sailors and nurses serving with the Canadian Expeditionary Force in France. Such messages should be fully addressed in all cases are forwarded by post from England by the Telegraph Company, and should not, therefore, be directed in care of the War Office, London.

Through the generosity of Lt.-Col. Ackerman of the 247th Battalion, the members of the Peterborough Returned Soldiers Club have secured a club room in the Victoria Hall, which will be furnished and used as a headquarters for the club. There will be a meeting there to-morrow night and all returned men are asked to be present.

Britain's New Sub. Chasers

As the size, speed and importance of the German sub-marines has rapidly developed, the allies have developed various ways of catching or destroying them. Otherwise the trade routes of the entire world would be infested with German subs., destroying allied merchant ships and neutral vessels. The great marvel is that the success of the allies has been so near absolute perfection. The naval defence of the allies has certainly worked a modern miracle in this regard.

Until the present time, one of the chief sub-marine destroying weapons of the allies has been a very fast high-power motor boat. England built a great fleet of these and has small squadrons scattered all about her coast, constantly cruising and constantly in touch with shore stations, and special observation posts. The instant a sub. is located, a number of these racers dash after it. But in many cases, the sub. is able to submerge before its pursuers arrive, and escape. Speed is therefore of prime importance in these sub.-chasers.

This imperative call for great speed has called forth a new creation—the seabird. It is really a motor boat with a wide wing extending from each side—giving a total wing spread of 135 feet. These wings cause the boat, which is 55 feet long, to skim on the water, giving the least possible resistance. And the faster the boat travels the higher it will be raised out of the water with a corresponding decrease in the resistance to be overcome by the engines in driving the seabird. The name—sea-bird—is certainly appropriate. These sea-birds are equipped with powerful engines, which drive them at the rate of 100 miles per hour. They can almost jump on their prey when sighted. Each carries a crew of from ten to twelve men and enough fuel and supplies for 1000 miles. Thus loaded they can travel 100 miles per hour. Certainly the crews of German subs. will have something to think about when they learn of these new chasers.

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THE BRITISH MAKE IMPORTANT GAINS ON THE TIGRIS

4,300 Yards of Trenches Are Captured From the Turks

Exposes Prussian Duplicity About Belgian Workmen

Belgian Minister Declares Deportations Are Not Due to British Blockade—Country Exploited; Her Labourers Seized—120,000 Sent Into Slavery in Germany—War Tax Ten Times That in Time of Peace.

SYSTEM LIBERATES GERMAN WORKMEN

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 30.—Germany misrepresented to the United States the real reason for deporting Belgian citizens into Germany, it is charged in a statement issued by Emmanuel Havenith, the Belgian Minister, Germany declared that the deportation was a social necessity, because of the great number of unemployed Belgians, in consequence of the British blockade. Mr. Havenith brands these assertions as false and exactly contrary to the real situation.

"It is the Germans who have created a state of affairs upon which they have afterward endeavoured to establish the justification of the illegal measures taken by them," the statement reads:

"On June 30, 1915, the legation of the King formally and officially protested against the seizure of raw materials amounting to the sum of $17,000,000. Other official protests have been made under dates of December 29, 1914; March 4, 1915, and October 29, 1915, against the seizure of machines and tools requisitioned by the Germans in Belgium and sent into Germany.

BELGIANS SACRIFICED.

"Belgian industries having been thus prevented from continuing work there followed an increase in the number of unemployed due entirely to the actions of Germany, who has not hesitated to sacrifice Belgian interests, as indeed General von Bissing openly acknowledged when he recently declared that he was not in Belgium to watch over the interests of that country, but to take care of the interests of Germany.

The German Government, in its communication, then takes up the matter of the finncial burden which this state of affairs imposes upon Belgium. The legation of the King considers that it is not the affair of Germany to go into this matter. The legation does not desire at the present moment to discuss the present financial relations btween the occupying Power and its victim. It is sufficient to recall briefly that Germany has wilfully disregarded all its obligations toward the occupied country. It was the strict duty of Germany to feed the population. However, had it not been for the initiative and good will of citizens of the United States the Belgian population would to-day be dead from starvation. Germany considers that she has fulfilled her international duties in permitting other nations to take that burden upon them.

Burden of War Tax.

The legation of the King recalls also that Belgium (which, even according to what Germany herself says, is for the moment without commerce and without industry) is subjected to a war tax amounting to $8,000,000 per month (more than ten times the amount of ordinary taxes in time of peace); that she has paid this tax since the beginning of the occupation of her territory and that in addition she has been subjected to requisitions of all kinds which Germany has imposed upon her and which have made a desert of certain parts of this unfortunate country. Public opinion will judge whether it appertains to Germany to speak of the financial burden which Belgium endures in order to feed her population when this burden should be borne exclusively by Germany.

German Workmen Rejoin Forces.

"When Germany had thus reduced to idleness a large number of workmen she decided to export them into Germany in order to liberate in this way an equal number of German workmen who would rejoin the German army in the field.

"To-day it is no longer a question only of the deportation of the unemployed. According to information received by the government of the king, employed and unemployed—all those whom the German government thinks it can utilize—are deported into Germany. The number of these unfortunates is to-day more than one hundred and twenty thousand Thus again Germany, after having created a situation, makes of it a pretext for the justification of her illegal actions, for these actions are illegal whatever may have been the cause which created the situation.

"These unfortunate workmen are being deported into Germany, where they are employed on work of a military or semi-military nature, such as in lime kilns and cement plants, when they are not sent near the firing line. However that may be, their presence in Germany liberates German workmen, who go to rejoin the army in the field. It is, therefore, a violation of international law in spirit and in letter.

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British Advance On The Tigris

Turks Suffer Heavy Losses—Positions Captured

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.

LONDON, Jan. 30.—Turkish positions taken on a front of 4,000 yards on the Tigris River.

BERLIN, Jan. 30.—Turkish report admits ground lost to British with large casualties.

The Post Office Will Not Accept Parcels For Germany

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.

OTTAWA, Jan. 30.—The post offices in Canada will not accept parcels for Germany after February 1st.

Cut Allowance of Canadian Women

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.

LONDON, Jan. 30. — Authorities are considering the cutting off the allowance of Canadian women remaining in England, not engaged in war work.

Keep Uric Acid Out of Joints

Tells Rheumatism Sufferers to Eat Less Meat and Take Salts

Rheumatism is easier to avoid than to cure, states a well known authority. We are advised to dress warmly; keep the feet dry; avoid exposure; eat less meat, but drink plenty of good water.

Rheumatism is a direct result of eating too much meat, and other rich foods that produce uric acid which is absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine; the pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly cold weather the skin pores are closed, thus forcing the kidneys to do double work, they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate the uric acid, which keeps accumulating and circulating through the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles causing stiffness, soreness and pain, called rheumatism.

At the first twinge of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is said to eliminate the uric acid by stimulating the kidneys to normal action, thus ridding the blood of these impurities.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and is used with excellent results by thousands of folks who are subject to rheumatism. Here you have a pleasant, effervescent lithia-water drink which helps overcome uric acid, and is beneficial to your kidneys as well.

Boiled rice served with chocolate or hard sauce makes a simple and wholesome dessert. Raisins can be cooked in the rice is desired.

Britain Has More Guns Than Needs

Ministry of Munitions Gives Out Semi-official Statement Showing That the Army Has More Artillery Than It Needs and Enough Ammunition to Keep Them Going Incessantly—Turning Workers Back to Productive Work in a Systematic Manner.

EXPORTS ARE GROWING

LONDON, Jan. 30.—The high water mark has now been reached and passed in making British guns, shells and all kinds of ammunition for the Allied armies. This fact now presents the large problem of diverting the production into new and useful channels, by which England will again supply the outside world with goods; thus diminishing the steady outflow of gold and checking the decline in the British exchange rate.

As the Ministry of Munitions and the Board of Trade inquiries brought out some interesting facts on the maximum point reached in guns and shell production, and the need now of turning to more useful lines of domestic production and exports.

At the Ministry of Munitions these facts were given out:

There are now 4,623 private factories and works, ordinarily employed in various kinds of metal production which have been taken over by the Government and are now "controlled" works. These are in addition to the regular government factories. There are 2,225,000 employees working in these "controlled" and government factories making exclusively guns and shells.

Artillery Armament Complete.

This enormous production has now reached a point where the equipment of the army is approximately complete in some of the main lines, such as light field pieces, so that the manufacture of eighteen pounder guns has had to be slackened in the last few weeks instead of further increased. The establishment of piece of the 4.5 calibre is also practically complete. In trench mortar ammunition and grenades also the production has been so developed that any further increase seems unnecessary.

The number of "controlled" factories making the one article of munitions is more than half of all the factories usually employed in metal industry, making all kinds of iron and steel goods from a nail up to steel beams, steel rails, and all kinds of machinery as well as the infinite variety of small metal goods usually exported by England.

The number of people employed in this one industry of gun and shell-making is a large percentage of the total British working population. The entire membership of all the trades unions last year was about 5,000,000 while those now working in gun and shell making is 2,250,000 or about half of the full trade union strength, which includes about half of all the wage earners. Before the war there were about 50,000 unionist workers in all the various metal trades, which is only one-fourth the number of those now employed in the single industry of making guns and shells.

Some Amazing Figures.

The extent to which this gun and shell output has grown is shown by the figures given by the Ministry of Munitions. The comparison is made between June, 1915, when the war had just got under way, and the production to-day.

For every heavy howitzer produced then there are 323 produced now. For every field howitzer produced then there are 46 produced now; for every medium gun then there are 66 now. The output of sixty-pounders and six-inch guns went up eighteen fold, and has now dropped back to twelve fold, as the supply is too great. As a whole the production of guns of all calibre has increased forty-one fold on those of medium weight and twelve fold on the heavier guns. There is the same remarkable expansion in the output of all the other various types of ammunition, machine guns, explosives, etc.

About the only exception is in small arms, as the increase of regulation rifles is particularly difficult and has not much more than doubled since the war began. The shell production, however, has taken such a leap that the production for heavy guns in a single day equals the entire year's production during the first year of the war, and on projectiles for field howitzers and seventy-five millimetre guns the weekly output now equals the whole year's output during the first year of the war. In a single week recently, from Nov. 19 to 26, the shell output was 30 per cent. greater than the entire reserve stock of ammunition held at the outbreak of the war.

Turning to Commerce.

It is because this high-water mark in the output of ammunition has been reached and passed that attention is being given to gradually diverting labour to other lines so that the trade and export war may be carried on. This is the reason for the creation of a new member of the ministry, Mr. Neville Chamberlain as Director of Service. Mr. Chamberlain's chief duties are to divide occupation into "essentials" and non-essentials," and to divert labour gradually from the non-essential industries turning out luxuries to the essential industries which turn out those articles on which England's great export trade is based in normal times.

Exports Are Growing.

The Board of Trade returns show that the scale is already turning favourably, and that exports are steadily increasing and the heavy trade balance against England steadily going down. Last year, as shown by the returns totalled £606,546,212, an increase of £121,000,000 over the previous year, or 31 per cent. Yet practically all this increase was on cotton linen and jute piece goods, which do not go to America in large quantities, so that the trade balance is offset chiefly in other countries than America. On practically all the articles usually sent to America the exports kept steadily dropping off last year.

This is what has given point to the present movement to concentrate all attention on essential industries and take advantage of the turning point which has now been reached in the supply of ammunition.

Mock Displays In German Shops

An interesting "Berlin Letter" appears in the Frankfurter Zeitung."

In speaking of Berlin shops the Frankfurter correspondent remarks on the "surprising" opulence of the shop windows of drapery establishments—silks fit for queens, delicate vettinge, astrakhan fur jackets, and fur dress trimmings in lavish abundance—but he notices that these are all articles which have either not been placed under an embargo because of their practical uselessness, or articles of use on which the embargo rests.

The correspondent says you must look at these piled-up shop windows with scepticism. They don't bear examination. From a distance they represent abundance, narrowly observed they are a fraud. Goods are there of no use to any one, and you are told on a card that you may buy them "without special permission." You look in the window of a great "delikatessen" shop, with its enticing array of appetizing things. They must be fearfully dear—towers of chocolate boxes, symmetrical buildings of preserves in tins, all sorts of geometrically arranged designs of glass jars and pots with labels that make your eyes bright and your mouth water. It is incredible, but we have the "Frankfurter" man's word for it, that all these mighty edifices of boxes, pots, cans, bottles, and jars are either empty or commandeered, and therefore not for sale.

For a long time the public could not accustom itself to these mock displays, and resented the lavishness, but the "better-class" shops now display cards in the window on which they ask the public to believe that the jars and boxes and things are empty, and other cards which tell what articles have been commandeered, and what are still for sale. Batocki's regime, we are told, has only partially put an end to the street "polonaises" of waiting women. As soon as any particular article becomes unusually scarce the queues of women form up as it were automatically.

We are further informed that in educated and exclusive circles in Berlin the most engrossing subject of conversation deals with "How and through whom this or that person has procured this or that food dainty?" One has received a ham and butter from a civilian official in Brussels, another a hare and some venison from an estate in East Prussia. Frau Von M. had a goose from Warsaw, and Frau Von N. had an extra quantity of butter from someone who gave it in exchange for sausage. Another lady bartera flour for sausage, flour which she had slowly accumulated on her bread card. Doctor X. delights in telling how he is able to spread on his bread the butter which his sick wife is unable to eat, and a lady doctor makes a point of collecting flour, sugar, milk, butter, eggs, oil, coffee, and bacon from patients whom she is dieting.

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Wheat Market Prices Lower

Cash Wheat Situation is Much Easier—Ontario Flour Twenty Cents Lower

Wheat markets further declined yesterday under persistent pressure from selling and lack of export buying. Railroads embargoes in the States also acted as strong bear influence on the market. Cash wheat situation is much easier, and Ontario flour is 20c. lower.

Manitoba wheat —No. 1 northern, $1.92, track, bay ports; No. 2, $1.89; No. 3, $1.84; No. 4, $1.72; old crop, 4c. above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W., 67 1-2c.; No. 3, 64 1-2c.; extra No. 1 feed, 67 1-2c.; No. 1 feed, 67 1-2c.; all rail delivered.

American corn—No. 3, $1.10, subject to embargo.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 62c. to 64c.; No. 3 white, 61c. to 63c.

Ontario wheat —No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1.73 to $1.75; No. 3, $1.71 to $1.73.

Peas — No. 2, nominal, car lots, $2.35.

Barley — Good malting, $1.18 to $1.20; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal, $1.28 to $1.30.

Rye— No. 1 commercial, nominal; No. 2, now, $1.40 to $1.42.

Manitoba flour—First patents, in jute bags, $9.90; second patents, in jute, $9.40; strong bakers, in jute, $9, Toronto.

Ontario flour — New winter, $7 to $7.20, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment, $7, bulk, seaboard, export grade.

Millfeed—Car lots, delivered Montreal; shorts, $38; bran, $34; feed flour, per bag, $2.80.

Hay—Baled, No. 1, track, Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots, $13; No. 2, $12 to $12.50; mixed, $10 to $11.50; straw, $9.

Cattle Markets.

Union Stock Yards: Receipts yesterday, 130 cars with 2,244 cattle, 106 calves, 2,615 hogs, and 280 sheep and lambs.

Cattle market was strong and 25c. to 40c. higher for choice butchers. One bunch of choice heavy steers topped the market at $11.25, and several full loads sold at $11. Fair to medium butcher was 10c. to 15c. higher. Feeders were strong and 25c. to 40c. higher.

Calves strong.

Sheep and lambs strong.

Hogs are easier and are quoted by the packers 30c. to 40c. lower.

Latest quotations:

Heavy steers	$10.50 to $11.00
Choice butcher	10.00 10.50
do good	8.75 9.25
do medium	8.00 8.50
do common	6.50 7.50
Heifers, good to choice	9.50 10.00
do medium	7.00 7.50
Butcher cows, choice	7.50 8.25
do medium	5.75 6.25
Butcher bulls, choice	7.50 8.50
do good	7.00 7.25
do medium	6.00 6.50
Feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs	7.50 8.00
do bulls	6.25 6.50
Stockers, 700 to 800 lbs.	7.50 7.75
do med., 650 to 750 lbs.	6.25 6.75
do light, 600 to 650 lbs.	.... 6.50
Canners	5.00 5.25
Cutters	5.50 5.75
Sheep, light	8.50 10.00
do heavy	7.50 8.50
Spring lambs	10.75 15.00
Calves	8.00 14.00
Hogs, fed and watered	13.75 .....
do weighed off cars	14.10 .....

Gin Pills FOR THE KIDNEYS

MARTYR TO PAINS IN THE BACK

Halifax, N.S., Jan. 15, 1916.

About eight months ago I read your advertisement in one of the Halifax papers offering a free sample of Gin Pills for the Kidneys. I had been a martyr for years to intense pains across the back and decided to try Gin Pills. Suffice it I had finished the third box I found myself for the first time in years perfectly free from pain.

Yours sincerely,
Mrs. (Jane) Furey.

All druggists sell Gin Pills at 50c. a box, or 6 boxes for $2.50. Sample free if you write to

NATIONAL DRUG & CHEMICAL CO. OF CANADA, LIMITED
Toronto, Ont. 68

GERMAN FOODSTUFFS ARE NOT SATISFYING

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—The New York Tribune this morning says:

It is impossible to obtain nutritious food of any kind in Berlin, according to correspondence from Germany appearing in a recent issue of The Vilag, a daily published at Budapest, Hungary. The correspondent is Prof. Agaston, a Hungarian sociologist with an established reputation. He says:

"I noticed with surprise that the present German meals will not satisfy one's hunger. Two hours after my meal I felt as hungry as a wolf, which compelled me to look for another restaurant where to eat again. But all the obtainable food is not sufficiently nutritious. Only once I succeeded in finding a restaurant a French sausage, the size of my little finger, for which I paid 1 mark 20 pfennings.

"The food dictator has provided an additional ration for the workers, but the latter claim that they don't get it. In front of the popular kitchens during the dinner hour there stand long lines of hungry and tired workingmen, who used to utilize in the past that hour for rest. And it is therefore not surprising that in the evening after the worktnk hours the street cars are packed with sleeping people.

"A similar weariness and silence is to be observed throughout the entire country. All are silent and avoid conversation. There is everywhere a feeling of mutual distrust. It is true one will not hear anywhere even a single word of dissatisfaction, but one will also fail to hear any expression of enthusiasm. 'Do they not want peace?' I will be asked at home. I find it difficult to answer this question. All the papers print the appeal of the Independent Union advocating a "German peace."

"What is a 'German Peace?' with this question I turned to a certain German politician. 'Is not annexation meant by this term?'

"'I don't know,' was the answer, 'and it seems to me that nobody knows, nobody, not even the Government leaders.'"

STRANGE MYSTERY SHIP REPORTED

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

NORFOLK, Jan. 30.—There is a strange mystery ship off the coast here. It may be the German raider.

Greece Saluted Allies' Colours

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

ATHENS, Jan. 30.—Allies' flags were saluted by Greece on Monday afternoon.

FORMER CONSUL GENERAL DEAD

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 30.—The Earl of Cromer, a former British agent and Consul-General in Egypt, is dead.

A WEAK HEART.

When the heart is weak or irregular in action, when the blood is thin and watery remember the blood forming qualities of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and by its use feed the system with rich, red vitalizing blood. This is nature's way of curing weakness and disease. It is the only way to ensure lasting benefit.

Third of the Allied Conferences In Progress To-day

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 30.— The third of the allied conferences seeking the co-operation of all forces of all the Entente nations, was in progress to-day at Petrograd. Particular interest attaches to it. At the conference Great Britain is represented by Lord Revelstoke and Milner (the latter is on Lloyd George's War Council); France by General Castelna and Minister of Colonies Domergue, and Italy by Gen. Landerchi and Senator Scialoja.

Repudiates Report Of Food Ration

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 30.—Lord Devonport says the result of food ration for Britain is incorrect.

Appointment For Duke of Connaught

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 30.—The Duke of Connaught has been made commander of all volunteer forces.

Premier Borden Denies Charges

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, Jan. 30.—Premier Borden says he never intimated opposition to recruiting.

WHERE IS THE MOTHER

with a child who is rundown, has pale cheeks or thin blood, who will hesitate to give that child the very thing it needs to start it growing and keep it going?

For over forty years the concentrated liquid-food in Scott's Emulsion has been changing thinness to plumpness—changing poor blood to rich blood.

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Railway Time Tables

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
Corrected Jan. 15th, 1917.

7.00 a.m.—For Lakefield.
8.55 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg, and points east, connecting at Port Hope, for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 12.25 p.m.
9.25 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Stirling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal.
9.30 a.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Collingwood, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara.
12.20 p.m.—For Lakefield.
11.40 a.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope and all points on the main line, east and west. Close connections at Port Hope with International Limited for Toronto, Detroit and Ohio go.
1.30 p.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
5.35 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
5.40 p.m.—For Lakefield
8.55 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
9.05 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Boston.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Corrected January 16, 1917.

GOING EAST:
**6.40 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Tweed.
*12.12 a.m.—Kingston, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N. B., Boston and New York.
*1.22 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, and Ottawa.
**11.37 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Tweed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and Intermediate points, and all points east of Montreal.

GOING WEST:
*4.50 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Galt, Woodstock, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
7.44 a.m.—Myrtle and North Toronto.
**7.55 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York. Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
**9.15 a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port Mc-Nichol and Intermediate points.
**3.43 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Buffalo, New York, Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, London, Detroit and Chicago.
**6.45 p.m.—North Toronto and West Toronto and Intermediate points.
*Daily. **Daily except Sunday.

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OUR SERIAL STORY

"DESTINY"

By CHARLES NEVILLE BUCK

(Continued from yesterday.)

He smiled and shook his head. "I have often heard of such things," he reassured. She had been nursing her mother through a long illness; perhaps, he thought, the strain had left her nervous.

"It was as real as if it had truly happened," she assured him as she put up both hands and pressed her fingers against her temples. "You were standing there—right where you are standing now, and you smiled—like you smiled at me that day on the road. There were little wrinkles around your eyes."

"That is all real enough," he laughed. "I was and am doing all those things."

"Yes, I know, but—" Once more she shook her head and her voice carried the detached tone of a trance-like vagueness—"but somehow it was all different. You were you—and I was I—and yet we were in another life... we didn't seem to belong here....and there seemed to be some terrible danger hanging over us."

"Did we seem to talk?" he asked her.

"Yes." The girl's words came very low, but with a tense emphasis. "You said, 'Maybe there's some land beyond the stars where every mistake we make here can be remedied... where we can take up our marred lives and live them afresh as we have dreamed them. Perhaps in that other life we can go back to the turning of the road where we lost our way and choose the other path.' You said that, and then after a moment you smiled again."

"It's strange," said the young man—he unconsciously took off his hat, baring the curly hair over the tanned face. F very wholesome and honest a song, and the girl's eyes lighted into a smile of pride and love.

"Yes," she said. "It was you and me—in some other life. I don't know what it means—but somehow it seems to—to guarantee everything."

They turned and walked together to the last buggy hitched against the stone wall under the wild apple trees.

After a while she demanded—"After you got well—why did you stay here?" and as promptly as an echo came his answer—

"Because you stayed."

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The moon was up early that night, and it flooded the mountains with a glory of silver mists. The shoulders of the peaks stood out in blue barriers, strong, abiding, beautiful. In the valleys it was all a nocturne of dove greys and dreamlike softness. The stars, too, shone down in a million splinters of happy light, but the radiance of the moon paled them.

The vines which covered the walls of the Burton house hung out their lacy tendrils and through the windows came the soft glow of lamplight.

There was nothing dreary or poverty stricken about the old farm house now. From its front, where every shutter, by day, shone in the healthy trim of fresh paint to the gate upon the road went rows of flowers, nodding their bright heads above the waving grass. The barns at the back stood substantial and in repair, and now out beyond the road, Lake Forsaken mirrowed the stars and broke in light when a fish leaped under the moon.

Mary Burton and her lover walked down to the gate, and he said simply:

"Now, dear, there is nothing more to hold you here. If you still long to see beyond the sky-line, I can take you wherever you want to go."

But she wheeled and laid a hand in protest on his arm.

"No!" she exclaimed tensely. "No, this is where I belong. After a moment she went on. "Life holds enough for me here. This is home

Children Had Eczema Doctors Failed To Cure

Two Letters Which Prove the Efficiency of Dr. Chase's Ointment as a Cure for Eczema

Fortunate are the mothers who know the virtues of Dr. Chase's Ointment, for there is no treatment so suitable for use after the bath to relieve irritation and chafing and to thereby prevent eczema and similar skin diseases.

Mrs. W. L. Barnes, Timmins, Ont. writes: "I want to tell you about the case of my little boy, who had baby eczema when he was three months old. It started on the top of his head, on his forehead and around his ears. The doctors failed to do him any good, so I tried D. Chase's Ointment on the recommendation of a friend, and in a month's time the child was entirely free of this disagreeable skin disease. He is now four years old, and has never had any further trouble from ailments of this kind. I also have great faith in Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and believe that it cannot be beaten as a restorative for pale, nervous women."

Mrs. George McNair, River Charlo, N.B., writes:— "We use Dr. Chase's Ointment in our home, and would not wish for anything better for cuts, burns and bruises. A few years ago a friend of mine, whose baby was terribly afflicted with eczema had her child treated by their own family physician, but the little one got no better. They tried several remedies, but they all proved useless in this case. Upon the advise of a neighbour they got Dr. Chase's Ointment, and before the first box was used the child was completely cured. I can also recommend Dr. Chase's Nerve Food to suffering friends who I now will be glad to learn of something to relieve their nervous trouble. You have my permission to use this letter for the benefit of others."

Dr. Chase's Ointment 60 cents a box, all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

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EXAMINER PATTERN SERVICE

LADY'S FOUR GORE SKIRT.

By Anabel Worthington.

8128

For style and sturdy service a better model than this in a separate skirt would be hard to find. It is cut in four gores and has the front and back gores and the yokes all in one.

The popular straight-line idea is carried out with the panel effect front and back; the side gores are gathered where they join the yokes to give a little fulness, and a pleat is introduced where each side gore meets the front. The closing is at the left front side and a few buttons and loops provide a little trimming if one favors it.

This is an excellent design for wear with a practical style blouse. It shows that skirts are a bit longer and a bit more conservative in width also—the lower edge in size 24 both being 3 yards. Black and white striped worsted is a great favorite for sports skirts, and mannish serge, diagonal cheviot and the novelty mixtures are largely used also.

With the front and back gores and yokes all in one the making of this garment is greatly simplified, and no one will deny the saving that a pattern means in this day of high prices.

The skirt pattern No. 8,128 cuts in sizes 24 to 32 waist. To make in size 24 requires 3½ yards of 44 inch material. To obtain the pattern send 10 cents to the office of this publication.

When ordering remember to give your name and address as well as the number and size of pattern required, and age of a child.

Price 10 cents, or 2 for 25 cents.

Address—The Examiner Pattern Service, The Examiner, Peterborough.

Your Child's Cough

Is nothing to be neglected until it leads to that terrible scourge consumption? Pepe stand between winter coughs and colds, and serious consequences. Pepe are tablets made up of Pine extracts and medicinal essences, which when put into the mouth turn into healing vapors. These are breathed down direct to the lungs, throat and bronchial tubes—not swallowed down to the stomach, which is not ailing.

Get a 25c. box of Pepe for your cold, your cough, bronchitis or asthma. All druggists and stores or Pepe Co., Toronto, will supply

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to me. I don't want anything else."

"I am glad. It is what I hoped to hear you say," he responded. "I do not think somehow I could be as happy anywhere else, but the world's a big place and you—you have the right to the best it holds—anywhere."

"Once dear, you know," she told him gravely, "we threshed that out, and we had almost made up our minds to leave leave here. We were almost whipped—and Ham had his dreams. He wanted to go out and try life in a bigger world—and you recognized his power. I wanted it all, too—but we stayed. I don't know what would have happened if we had not, but I do know—" she looked up into his face and smiled into her eyes came a regal serenity—"I do know that I haven't to go out and hunt for life—life has come to me, and I'm happy."

The man caught her to him and she clasped her hands behind his head. Before them was June and starlight and youth and life—and love. He bent his head and pressed his lips to hers and felt her heart beat against his own.

In the mirror of Lake Forsaken, back of her, gleamed the splintered light of a thousand stars, and in his heart gleamed a million.

"As beautiful as starlight on water," he whispered.

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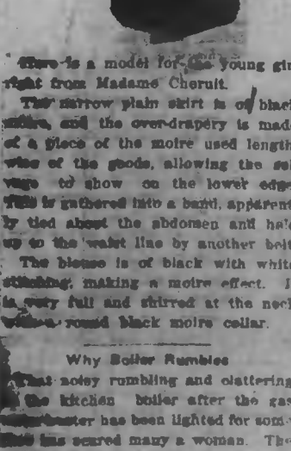

There is a model for the young girl right from Madame Cheruit.

The narrow plain skirt is of black satin, and the over-drapery is made of a piece of the moire used lengthwise of the goods, allowing the selvage to show on the lower edge. This is gathered into a band, apparently tied about the abdomen and held up to the waist line by another belt.

The blouse is of black with white stitching, making a moire effect. It is very full and shirred at the neck with a round black moire collar.

Why Boiler Rumbles

That noisy rumbling and clattering in the kitchen boiler after the gas water heater has been lighted for some time has scared many a woman. The Bulletin of Monthly Gas Chat says it need alarm no one, as it is caused by the expansion of the water as it is heated from the top of the boiler. The colder water below, rushing up to replace the expanded water above, will often cause a concussion.

SPORT AT THE FRONT

Much Manly Games Enjoyed by Officers, Men and Natives

It is by no means "all work and no play" at the front. Even within sight and sound of the firing line it is said there are occasional intervals of leisure. These, as may be imagined, are put to good use by all ranks, both officers and men. If our troops fight well, they also play well. This is what keeps them so admirably fit after long months of exhausting work.

Practically every form of outdoor sport is assiduously followed by our men in France and Flanders, writes an Englishman. There seems to be only one solitary exception—namely, golf. Still, golf cannot be missed much, since there are abundant facilities for cricket and football, not to mention boating and swimming, together with race meetings, gymkhanas, horse shows, and the like.

Perhaps the simplest sporting fixture to arrange is an athletic meeting, with a general programme which includes a large variety of events. So far as possible the management is left to the men themselves, but two or three officers are always on the committee. A prize fund is also put up by the commissioned ranks, and a liberal grant is probably forthcoming from the surplus profits of the field force canteen.

A tug-of-war is always a feature of garrison or regimental sports at the front. Sack races, obstacle races, sprinting, and jumping also figure in the programme, and in addition there are probably two or three events for the villagers who assemble in force to watch "Les Anglais." Party feeling among them runs high, and the respective champions of the different communes almost come to blows when the decision happens to be against them. However, a bottle of red wine and a cigarette in the nearest cafe soon restore harmony. Jean and Pierre then shake hands—they also probably kiss one another—and swear eternal friendship.

"ABSOLUTE WASTE"

London Rector's Striking Comment on Harvest Festival Decorations

The Rector of St. Augustine's-with-Faith's, London, commenting on harvest festivals in his parish magazine, says that in these days of war economy it seems absolute waste. "What could be more incongruous," he asks, "than a harvest festival, with all the customary decorations of flowers and vegetables, in the centre of bricks and mortar?

"No one has seen the things grow, nor had the slightest personal interest in them, and the worshippers would not suffer if the harvest were good or bad. As long as these things were to be got, and they had the money, they would have them." The rector adds that it would have been of real value to have sent the cost of the fruit and flowers used in the decorations straight away to some charity.

Earl as a Collector

The Earl of Crawford, who is serving as a private in the R.A.M.C., is a collector of walking sticks. The latest addition to his collection is a heavy rosewood, ivory-headed one, which Lord Crawford found in a captured German trench.

For being in possession of a forged passport Alexander Figgles, commercial traveller, who tried to get a berth in a ship, was ordered six months' imprisonment at Thames Police Court.

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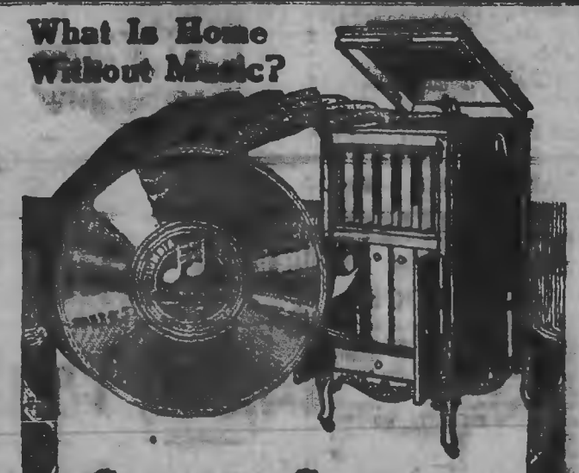

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OUR DAILY SHORT STORY

The Horse Thief's Girl

By DONALD CHAMBERLIN

The human heart beats much the same among the good and the evil. This is a story of a girl, rough, uncouth, but an outlaw among outlaws, who made a sacrifice which, though in a bad cause, should entitle her to the name of heroine.

When the state of Colorado was a wild country, filled with wild people, a man there was who, starting under the title of road agent, degenerated to the condition of common horse thief. Human laws may be inherited, but they do not originate by accident. In a new country a horse or a mule is an absolute essential. Consequently one who steals a horse is given the greatest of all punishments. While a man may deliberately shoot down another in the street or over a card table and not be called to an account, the man who steals a horse is strung up to a tree by the neck.

Ryan was the only name known for this person who had slid down so far in the scale of crime. He had become such a thorn in the side of the settlers of the region he worked that they decided to drop everything else to run him down. It was a long chase, but at last they got him in a gulch the sides of which were unscalable. The mouth of the gulch was guarded by the committee. If there was any egress they did not know it. There was an outlet for a good climber near the upper end of the gulch, but in order to escape by that route the fugitive would have to expose his body to the fire of any one in the center of the gulch.

While the settlers were laying their plans for the capture they were approached by the girl who has been mentioned above.

"Air y' lookin' for Ryan?" she asked.

Since she might be interested in Ryan's safety, she received no positive reply.

"Cos if y' air I reckon I can help y' locate him. Look a-here!"

She pulled up the sleeve of her calico dress and showed some shocking marks on her arm; then she lowered it at the back of the neck and showed more of them.

"Ryan give me these," she said in a bitter tone.

"Are you his wife?"

"I'm his gal. He came to our house onct when a posse was chasin' him. I hid him, and when he went away I went with him. And these scars air what I got fer what I done fer him. Do y' wonder I want to turn him in?"

The men of the committee looked at one another. This might be a case of a girl who had saved a desperado from death, had trusted herself to him and had received the reward that might have been expected from a hardened criminal. That she should desire revenge was not remarkable.

"Well, what do you propose?" said the leader of the committee.

"See that rock up there?"

"The one next the big tree?"

"Yes. He's goin' to hide till after dark and then climb up there and git away. He's hidin' up near the head of the gulch. I'll go and tell him that y're comin' up to take him. That'll scare him so that he'll try to git over the rock by day. Y' kin shoot him when he's between y' and the skyline."

The committee held a consultation. Some declined to trust the girl; some did not like giving up hanging the man instead of shooting him. But they all wished to be through with the job and get back home. So they told the girl she might go ahead and tell Ryan the story. They would be ready to pick him off as soon as they got a clear view of him.

She went off up the gulch muttering maledictions on the man who had returned evil for good. The men took position where they could get a good view of the rock and any one who attempted to climb it. There they waited, some one of their number keeping watch and his gun cocked ready for the execution.

About an hour after the girl had left them they saw the figure of a man slowly climbing the rock. But it was indistinct and the man on guard preferred to wait till it passed over the upper edge of the rock when it would be between him and the light. Just as it landed on the summit it turned, looked down into the gulch and threw a kiss at some one there. The man of the committee who held his rifle to his shoulder fired, but the weapon was knocked up by one of the committee and the shot went skyward.

"It's the gal!" exclaimed the man who had interfered.

"You got durned fool, you've let the rascal escape. What makes you think it was the gal?"

"He'd never throw her a kiss like that even though he believed she'd saved him again, and it's just what she'd do if she was going to die for him. Spread yourselves over the mouth of the gulch. We'll get him yet."

And they did. His girl had intended to die that he might live, supposing that after she had been killed for him the committee would go home believing that they had killed the man they were after. Then the horse thief could walk out of the canyon in perfect safety. She had betrayed herself and him by a feminine act.

Before they hanged him they asked him to tell them about the girl who would have died for him without effect. He told the story, but did not seem to be especially impressed with the sacrifice she had made.

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SIMPLIFIED SPELLING.

The One Thing Needed to Make English the World Language.

Having been for years a teacher of English to foreigners and to high school pupils as well as a student of modern languages, the subject of an international language interests me greatly.

Certainly of the four important modern tongues English is the easiest and simplest in grammar, having no awful genders such as German and no dreadful verbs such as French and Italian. It has no baffling depths and subtleties as the last two mentioned nor any impossible pronunciation as the first. Yet, in spite of its simplicity, it is a very hard language for foreigners to master. This is due, I feel, solely to its antiquated method (or lack of method) of spelling. The difficulties arising from the difference between the spelling of English words and their pronunciation are almost insurmountable, fatal to its universal diffusion. How many natively English speaking people do we know, educated, nay, intellectual, who simply cannot spell, who have given up trying?

All over the continent one hears reiterated with boring monotony: "I like to read the English, but not to speak it. It is too difficult to pronounce. I can never tell how a new word should be said." In French and German certain letter combinations invariably represent certain sounds, while Italian is absolutely phonetic. In Italian schools there is no such thing as a spelling lesson. Think what a saving of time, temper and grey (or is it gray) matter this is to the growing child!

It is all very well to insist upon the classic origin of our orthography, but compare it for one moment with the near and aristocratic parent of the Italian. Yet Italian does not hesitate to discard all artificiality.

I feel sure that only one thing will make English, which stands today as the easiest and most concise of languages—only one thing will make it the universal language, and that is simplified spelling.—J. H. Harris

GROWTH OF THE BODY.

It Comes In Alternate Periods of Filling and Stretching.

That men and women grow in height and weight from birth until maturity, if they live the ordinary term of years, and that, as a rule, men are taller than women are facts of common knowledge. How this growth is accomplished is not so generally known, nor is it commonly understood that the difference in length of the male and female of the species is apparent even at birth. Carefully kept records show that the average boy baby is about two-fifths of an inch longer at birth than is the average baby girl.

Another curious feature of this growth discovered by patient research is the fact that it is not a gradual and regular increase. There are periods in which the youthful body expands rapidly in length, while it seems to become thin and lean.

Then comes a time where there is little increase in height, but the body becomes plump. While there is a slight difference of opinion as to the exact number of years and ages when these alternate growths are in evidence, the general proposition is conceded by the most thorough of the investigators.

Professor Stratz tabulates this growth of the body as follows: Period of the first fullness of body, two to five years; period of first stretching, six to eight years; period of second fullness, nine to eleven years; period of second stretching, twelve to sixteen years; period of maturing, seventeen to twenty-five years.

Professor Weissenberg, however, divides the time of growth somewhat differently and makes allowance for a difference between the periods of change in girls and boys.

His tabulation is as follows: Period of first fullness, two to four years; period of first stretching, five to six years; period of retarded growth, boys eight to twelve years, girls eight to ten years; period of second stretching, boys thirteen to eighteen years, girls eleven to fifteen years; periods of retarded growth, boys nineteen to twenty-six years, girls sixteen to nineteen years; period of standing still and of the second fullness, twenty-six or twenty-nine to fifty-one years; period of decline, fifty-two to seventy-six years.

Among other interesting features of this growth, it is noted that the changes are not constant within the limits of a year, but appear to depend upon the season.

It has been found that increases in height and girth of chest are greater in summer than in winter. It would seem that the greatest gains in weight are made from August to January, the weight remaining almost constant from February to May.

Of course there are many special causes which in individual cases make exceptions to these rules, but under normal conditions this is the way our bodies grow from babyhood to maturity.

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Religious.

"Is he a religious man?"

"I guess so."

"Does he go to church?"

"I don't think he ever goes himself, but he never kicks on his wife going when she wants to."—Detroit Free Press.

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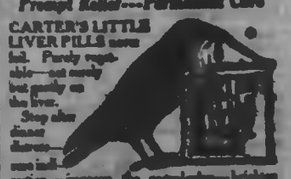

LINCOLN UNDER FIRE.

A Salute That Might Have Carried Death In Its Train.

In "Reminiscences of a Wartime Statesman and Diplomat," by Frederick W. Seward, is the story of a visit to a French frigate, "I think the Garonne," on which the author accompanied Mr. Lincoln early in 1861. The visit over the party was leaving the frigate and the parting salute was about to be fired.

"As Mr. Lincoln took his seat in the stern he said: 'Suppose we row around her bows. I should like to look at her build and rig from that direction.' Captain Dahlgren, of course, shifted his helm accordingly. The French officers doubtless had not heard or understood the president's remark and supposed we were pulling off astern in the ordinary way.

"We had hardly reached her bow when on looking up I saw the officer of the deck pacing the bridge, watch in hand and counting off the seconds—'un, deux, trois'—and then immediately followed the flash and deafening roar of a cannon apparently just over our heads. Another followed, then another and another in rapid succession. We were enveloped in smoke and literally 'under fire' from the frigate's broadside. Captain Dahlgren sprang to his feet, his face aflame with indignation as he shouted: 'Pull like the ——, boys! Pull like ——!'

"They obeyed with a will, and a few sturdy strokes took us out of danger. After he had resumed his seat and calmed down I said in a low voice, 'Of course those guns were not shotted, and we were below their range?'

"He answered, gritting his teeth, 'Yes, but to think of exposing the president to the danger of having his head taken off by a wad!'

"I did not know until he explained that the wadding blown to pieces by the explosion sometimes commences dropping fragments soon after leaving the gun. Whether Mr. Lincoln realised the danger or not I never knew. He sat impassively through it and made no reference to it afterward."

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LIBELED THE KING.

Then He Turned Informer and Won a Substantial Reward.

A colonel in the Prussian army, who had been discharged at the close of the Seven Years' war, importuned Frederick the Great to be reinstated. Weary of the incessant solicitations of his troublesome visitor, Frederick at length gave orders that he should never be admitted to his presence. Some weeks later a most bitter libel against his majesty appeared. Frederick seldom gave himself any concern about such attacks, but the present one exasperated him so much that he offered a reward of 50 friedrichs of gold for the discovery of the author. The day following the disgraced colonel demanded and obtained an audience.

"Sire," he began, on being admitted, "your majesty has just promised 50 friedrichs for the discovery of the author of a recent publication. I am come to claim that recompense. Behold in me the unfortunate libeler! My life I forfeit freely, but remember your royal pledge, and while you punish me, send to my poor wife and children the reward due to the informer."

The king, although struck with the sad extremity and self sacrifice of the officer, said sternly:

"Go instantly to the fortress of Spandau and there await my judgment!"

"I obey," said the culprit. "But the money?"

"Within two hours your wife shall receive it," said the king. "Take this letter and give it to the commandant, but be must not open it until after dinner."

The colonel arrived at Spandau and gave himself up as a prisoner. At the prescribed moment the commandant opened the royal mandate. It ran:

To the bearer I give the command of Spandau. The present governor is to take the command of Berlin as a reward for past services. FREDERICK.

Musical Bruises.

"That's a peculiar looking bruise you have on the back of your neck," observed the doctor.

"Yes," said the patient. "I am subject to those. You see, I'm a clarinet player in an orchestra."

"I don't see how that can produce bruises on the back of your neck."

"It doesn't produce them exactly, but it places me in a position where I am very liable to get them."

"How is that?"

"I sit directly in front of the man who plays the slide trombone."

The Soft Answer.

A certain politician seeking office was very much incensed at certain remarks which had been made about him by the leading paper of the town. He burst into the editorial room like a dynamite bomb and exclaimed:

"You are telling lies about me in your paper, and you know it!"

"You have no cause for complaint," said the editor coolly. "What in the world would you do if we told the truth about you?"—New York Globe.

Bound to Have Change.

In the absence of her husband the fascinating young married woman went boating with an old admirer.

"Ah," sighed the old admirer, "if only you had married me instead of Wilkinson."

"Then I should have been with Mr. Wilkinson at this moment instead of you," said the fascinating woman. "How strangely things turn out!"

Where there is much light the shadows are deepest.—Goethe.

LIGHT WAVES.

Some Too Tiny to Be Seen, Yet Science Can Measure Them.

The very smallest thing on earth which has been actually measured is a light wave.

Light waves, of course, are of different lengths. In the spectrum the red waves are longest, orange next, yellow next, and so on to the violet, which are shortest of the visible waves. So if we were to give the measurement of the very smallest thing we would have to take one of the light waves in the violet end of the spectrum or, better still, one of the waves of the ultraviolet portion which is invisible.

The shortest of these that has been determined is 120 millionths of a millimeter. Changing this to fractions of an inch, we can comprehend the smallness of the wave better. If these waves were placed one on top of the other there would be more than 200,000 of them in a line one inch long. The negative corpuscle which is a constituent part of the atom is known to be smaller than this, but its exact size has not been determined.

That these light waves can be measured is due to the fact that as light waves are refracted it is only a matter of determining the angle of refraction and by triangulation finding the length.

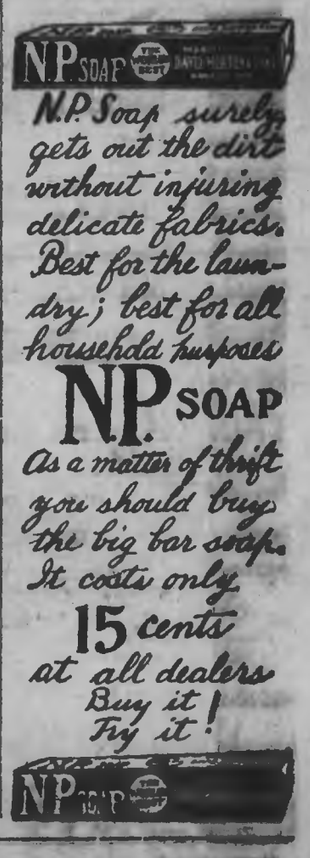
A Puzzler's Problem.

Marie hit upon a problem the other day more perplexing than George H.'s apple dumpling. She peered between the uncut leaves of a magazine and said:

"Mother, how did they ever get the printing in there?"

Have Good Teeth.

Nearly all savages have sound teeth. Imperfect teeth are a sign of civilization.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Everywhere—Why?

Bandits Kill, Mutilate, And Rob In Mexico

MONTEREY, Mexico, Jan. 27.—Bandit conditions have become so bad in all the territory between here and the City of Mexico that railroad traffic is not only being constantly interrupted and even abandoned for days at a time, but any one who ventures to make the trip takes his life in his hands.

Nearly every train arriving here from the south reports one or more holdups en route and in many instances some of the passengers are killed or brutally maimed.

A notable instance of this kind occurred a few days ago when the through passenger train from the City of Mexico was held up at a point between Catorce and Saltillo by a band of about 100 robbers and cut-throats.

Rob Cars and Passengers.

They claimed to be aligned with the cause of Villa although they were operating some two hundred or three hundred miles away from the recognized Villa territory.

The first thing they did after the train came to a stop was to loot the baggage and express cars. They then lined up all the passengers and proceeded to rob them in true highwayman style.

Some of the passengers were wealthy Mexicans, who were making their way as refugees to the United States, and they carried large sums of money, which fell into the hands of the freebooters.

Each passenger was questioned and his papers examined to discover, if possible, any revolutionary allegiance that he might have.

Colonel's Ears Cut Off.

By this means a colonel of the Carranza army, Luis Tanzar, was found and the chief of the bandits ordered him out in front of the other passengers, and in their presence deliberately cut off both his ears.

Sam A. Robertson, of San Bentino, Tex., who has been in Guano Jnato looking after large mining interests that he owns there, was among the passengers robbed. When the Carranza officer's ears were cut off, Robertson boldly walked to the spot and ordered the chief of the bandits to desist.

For a moment it seemed Robertson would pay the penalty of death for his daring, but he talked so vigorously in his best Spanish that he was not molested.

The train was delayed for several hours and finally reached here, where Robertson told his story to Carranza officers and proceeded to San Antonio.

Along the line of the railroad which runs between Monterey and Tampico, several bands of brigands are also operating and they have committed such terrible outrages upon innocent people that great numbers of non-combatants of the smaller towns have fled into Monterey and Tampico to avoid falling into the hands of the fiends.

Railroad traffic all over the republic is so badly disorganized by reason of the revival of brigandage and the increase of the revolutionary operations of the Villistas and the Profirocistis (the latter being followers of Felix Diaz and taking their name from the late President Porfirio Diaz), that merchants are not risking the risk, except in few instances, of attempting to move shipments of foodstuffs or other articles. In nine cases out of ten they fall into the hands of robbers or revolutionists.

MARRIAGE AND CHARACTER

Man and Woman Are the Same Before and After Marriage

"The only way to be happy, though married, is to look before you leap, instead of crying, when it's too late, over the bump you got."

A man writes, apropos of that opinion, that he will give a large, handsome chromo to anybody who can furnish any practical diagram for looking a man or a woman over on the safe side of the altar so as to avoid bumping the matrimonial bumps.

That's easy. Of course nobody is wise enough to be able to tell absolutely what sort of a husband or wife a man or woman will make, because matrimony is the acid test of character, and until it is applied to an individual we never know for certain what is pinchbeck and what is pure gold.

Matrimony doesn't change the character of men and women. It merely brings out what is strongest in them. It turns good men and women into angels, and it converts bad men and women into devils, and this being the case it doesn't take any Sherlock Holmes to give a pretty good guess at the kind of a husband or wife any particular maid or bachelor will make. You have to observe his or her most predominant traits and multiply them by the common happenings of life.

Take, for instance, the youth who is a lounger and a bar-room loafer, who hangs about poolrooms and saloons and who has never done an honest day's work in his life, and who sponges on his old parents for a living. Can any girl look him the once over without perceiving that he will make the sort of a husband who will always be too tired to work, and whose wife will have to take in boarders to support him?

Take the man who is stingy. A girl with eyes in her head ought to be able to see whether a man has a Yale lock on his pocketbook just as well before she is married to him as afterward. The man who is always haggling over pennies, who invariably buys the cheapest seats in the theatre and takes a girl to the least expensive restaurant and whose whole talk is of money, gives her ample warning that he is going to make a tight-wad husband.

And the man who looks upon women with contempt, who sneers at them, and who believes that a woman should be nothing but a household slave. Can any woman be fool enough to marry a man like that and not know that she will get a husband who will be a grinding tyrant to boot?

And the tests to apply to women are equally obvious. Take the little silly, fluffy-haired girl who babbles like an infant. Can any man listen to her for five minutes and not know that he who marries her will get a fool for a wife, and she who will bore him stiff when her girlish charms vanish?

SHOPPING WITH BABIES

Warning to Mothers from Congress to Infants

Taking baby on a shopping tour is one of the practices against which Dr. Harte makes a protest in addition on the care of infants under the age of one year. "It is not enough," he says, "to find another interval in which our housewife's shopping tours, this same mother may stop long enough at a counter to take from her handbag a bottle of milk and complete the feeding of the baby. Especially during the hot weather, when the baby requires food that must be given at frequent intervals, it is almost impossible for the shopping mother to keep to the proper schedule in feeding. Many times the baby is taken from its carriage and carried from one store to another, thus exposing it to the dangers of infection from the many persons with whom it comes in contact. Many times the baby is kept in the stuffy, overheated atmosphere of the shops for hours in succession, thus subjecting it to the danger of suffocation. Many times the baby is exposed to the cold air while the mother is waiting for a car, thus subjecting it to the common cause of infantile ailments, namely, exposure."

The Royal Kitchens

The kitchens at Windsor Castle are perfect in all their arrangements. The kitchen itself, in the form of a huge square, is surrounded with the offices, consisting of a larder, well-lighted, roomy pantry that is kept from the dimensions of a cupboard down to that of a tiny breakfast-cup. Another feature is the huge roasting table used for serving. It is brilliantly polished, and has hollow legs through which the steam passes upwards, heating the whole table. Another apartment is called the "Cream Room," though what this room has to do with the stage but to set apart for the cooking of vegetables. Yet another is the fruit-and-silver-cleaning room, and the "Confectionery" where the "table delicacies" which are made daily are attended to. Hot-closets, common to all large establishments, are also provided, and the whole arrangement is perfect.

FRENCH AIRMAN FELL 9,000 FEET AND LIVED

Miracle Befell Guynemer—Stunned For 24 Hours—His Own Thrilling Story

The Paris Matin describes how Lieut. Guynemer, the widely known airman, after having brought down three enemy machines, had a fall which nearly cost him his life. The journal says: He was up more than 9,000 feet when a shell burst full in one of the wings of his aeroplane, and the frail bird seemed mortally wounded. The whole left wing was completely cut to bits and the canvas fluttered in the wind, making the rent still worse. In a few seconds there was nothing left of the frame but a piece of canvas the size of a pocket handkerchief. The machine fell with a crash through space; it would not support its pilot any longer. Guynemer gave himself up for lost; the only thing he asked Providence for was that he would not fall in enemy territory.

Machine Balked

"At 4,800 feet," he says, "I determined to make a fight for it, all the same. The wind had brought me back into our own lines. I was almost happy. I was already thinking of my funeral, with sorrowing friends walking behind my last remains. I had nothing more to fear from the Pickelhauben.

"However, I felt that it was death, and the thought is not a very pleasant one. My fall continued. In spite of all my efforts I could not do what I wanted with my machine. I tried to turn it first to the right and then to the left. I pushed and pulled, but all to no purpose. I could do nothing.

At 120 Miles Per Hour

"Down I fell, faster and faster. I shut my eyes, then I opened them again and looked down. At something like 120 miles an hour I crashed into a pillar. There was a terrific crackling sound and a deep thud. I looked round and found that nothing was left of my machine. How is it I am still alive? I wondered myself. I think it was the straps which held me in my seat that saved my life. They had eaten right into my shoulders, anyhow, but if it had not been for them I should be dead at this moment.

"For 24 hours," he added, "I was absolutely stunned."

LEARN DANCES AT FRONT

Officers of Highland Regiments Complete Their Education

A young officer in one of the Scottish battalions at the front tells that his men, during their time in the rest billets, are learning to dance the Scottish reel. "It is quite good fun," he says, "though it seems strange to be out here to fight, and yet being taught to dance. You would have laughed if you had seen the subs. in our room hanging on to the back of a chair, trying to do the correct steps, and then being hauled before the C.O.—who was teaching us—so that he could see how we were progressing." Many of these young officers, though possessing Scottish associations, have never been in the Highlands, and by the fortune of war they have gone to France to learn the Scottish reel.

CANADA WILL NOT WAVER

Sir Robert Borden's Message—General Praises Canada

Addressing the Lawyers' Club of New York, the Prime Minister of Canada said in part: "I have some just claim to know the spirit of my countrymen and I most solemnly affirm that among us there is absolutely no thought of aggression or attack on any nation. In this the spirit of our Dominion exemplified that of the whole empire. We in Canada were entirely masters of our own destiny but just as in the motherland when the hour struck there was no wavering and no waiting, so in Canada the decision was never for a moment in doubt. Our resolve is as fixed and unshaken to-day as at the first and whatever loss or sacrifice we may still have to bear we will not waver or falter."

The peace which the Entente allies seek, Sir Robert Borden added, departing from his prepared speech, is an abiding one and not an inconclusive one. The club elected the Premier as an honorary life member. Major-General Leonard Wood, one of the speakers complimented Canada for her "splendid conduct."

"Without discussing the merits of the war in Europe we all can admire the splendid conduct of Canada and her people," he said, "and we can take unto ourselves, if we are not entirely dead, a lesson from her free and splendid performance of duty."

WIDOW: TRUE PATRIOT

Soldier-Husband Left Ten Orphans—She is Proud

"It is a hard blow, but I must try my best to bear it, and when these little ones grow up they will have the satisfaction of remembering that their father fell fighting for his country. I am better satisfied with a dead husband that was brave and manly than I would have been with a living one who was cowardly," said Mrs. Pecor of Kingston, Ontario, as she gathered her family of ten around her and discussed the cable which reached her announcing the death in action of her husband who enlisted with the 34th battery. Mrs. Pecor was aged 24 years and her eldest child is barely fifteen years and the youngest was on her lap as she uttered the above patriotic sentiment.

Desborough Swam Niagara

Lord Desborough, K.C.V.O., chairman of the Thames Conservancy Board, High Steward of Bucks, and formerly M.P. successively for Salisbury, Hereford, and Wycombe, has stroked an eight across the English Channel, thrice climbed the Matterhorn, shot in the Rockies, and twice swam Niagara.

"In Germany you would be shot for this," said an Isle of White magistrate fining Lilian Mallard £5 for photographing in a prohibited area.

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CORONER OF PALACES

Dark Doings of Cumberlands of Hanover When in England

The King's grant of York House to Sir William Robertson as Chief of Staff naturally recalled the rather grimy story of the Duke of Cumberland, the fifth son of George III., who, afterwards became King of Hanover. In 1810 he was found in bed in this house with a bad wound in his throat. His valet was lying in another room with his throat cut. The Duke's extreme unpopularity lent vogue to the story that he had murdered the valet; and it is possible enough, considering the evidence, that he would have been convicted by an ordinary jury of murder. But the case came before the Coroner of the Palaces and a packed jury, and the scandal was more or less hushed up.

The Coroner of the Palaces is an officer of the Royal Household, appointed and paid by the Sovereign. In 1888, when Mr. Harcourt was Home Secretary, he suggested to the Queen that this special coroner was a useless luxury, and that it would be better to save his salary and put the Palaces under the public coroner. But the Queen rejected the suggestion. "Certainly not," she replied; "there have been occasions when it would have been extremely inconvenient to have the public coroner in the Palace."

Had Violent Coughing Fits

Looked Like Consumptive

Mrs. Mary Whelen, North Forks, N.S., writes: "Having taken five bottles of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, during the past few weeks, to relieve a chronic cough and general throat trouble, allow me to express my unbounded satisfaction and thanks as to its sterling qualities. A short time ago I became subject to violent coughing fits at night and directly after rising in the morning. I began losing weight, and all my friends cheerfully informed me that I was going into consumption.

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A Costly Fan

Queen Alexandra has a wonderful collection of fans, one of the most interesting of which is that lately given to her by the German Empress. Of exquisite lace, it once belonged to Marie Antoinette. Among the Queen Mother's possessions are painted landscape and figure fans, these usually a la Watteau carried out in soft lovely colors, and adorned with pearls, diamonds, corals, and turquoises. The clear golden tortoiseshell sticks are favorites with her Majesty, and she has some amber sticks, mounted with jade, turquoise, pink topazes, and clouded crystals. Her beautiful collection the Queen keeps in electric-lighted glass cabinets in a room at Marlborough House.

Flattering to the Original

But Imitations Only Disappoint

There are many imitations of this great treatment for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis and whooping cough. They usually have some sale on the merits of the original, but it should be remembered that they are like it in name only.

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Four More 93rd Men Are Dead

Casualties In The Peterborough Battalion

Enemy Attempt in Roumania Checked With Great Losses

General Situation is a Stale-mate and Germans Are Withdrawing Part of Their Forces---German Attack at Hill 304 is Repulsed--Austrian Destroyer Put Out of Action.

A SUMMARY OF TO-DAY'S WAR CABLES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 30.—The Times says the general situation on the Roumanian front is stalemate for the present. All enemy efforts during the last two weeks have been checked with great losses by the Russo-Roumanian armies. The enemy appears to have decided to withdraw part of the forces from this front, where only four or five German divisions remain.

The German forces have been relieved by Turkish and Austrian troops.

French Repulse An Attack By Enemy

Examiner Special:

PARIS, Jan. 30.—(French Official).—Infantry fire stopped a German attack on a French trench in the region of Hill 304 to-day, the official statement declared. The War Office reported intermittent cannonading on the remainder of the front, and three enemy airplanes brought down in air combats.

Official Statement Regarding Fight on Roumanian Front

Examiner Special:

PETROGRAD, Jan. 30.—To-day's official statement says regarding the Saturday fight on the Roumanian front: "In the battle north-east of Jacobeni, our detachments took as prisoners thirty-two officers and one thousand one hundred and twenty-six men and captured twelve machine guns and four trench mortars."

Austrian Destroyer is Out of Action

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

ROME, via Paris, Jan. 30.—The Austrian destroyer Huscar was put out of action in a naval engagement in a fearful tempest in the Adriatic a few days ago, according to the Tribuna. She was towed into a neighbouring port by torpedo boats. The Italians suffered no loss.

Toronto Aviator Is Killed in Texas

Special to The Examiner:

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Jan. 30.—David E. McQueen, aged 24, was killed yesterday while training at a school of aviation here. He is a son of Major G. L. McQueen, in the Canadian Records Office, London.

German Raider Off the Atlantic Coast

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—British warships are prowling off the coast beyond New York to-day. Their vigil is due to the rumoured presence of a German raider, perhaps one of the recent South American privateers, about 700 miles off this port.

All shipping was warned to be on the watch for the raider and likewise to guard against wirelessing the position to any unidentified enquirer. Shippers feared that the German raider may be planning a spectacular coup along the regular Atlantic lane beyond Nantucket Light.

Are Waiting For Kaiser's Next Move

Special to The Examiner:

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—The Kaiser's next move toward international peace, considered one of the critical steps in peace movements, was anxiously awaited to-day. Unofficial reports which have reached this country daily during the last week have led those close to the President to believe Wilson's "Peace Without Victory" suggestion offers Germany's ruling power a big opening to come through with the most "lenient" terms and still not appear to humble itself before the world. "A Peace Without Victory" will enable Germany, it is believed, to offer terms squaring in many ways with those laid down by the Entente.

Advance information indicates that Germany will support the President's peace arrangements as regards freedom of the seas, an autonomous Poland, the yielding of Belgium, Serbia, Montenegro, Roumania and Northern France.

SPEEDY NOBEL TEAM WILL PLAY SOLDIERS HERE ON FRIDAY

The 247th Battalion intermediates, champions of No. 1 group, have arranged a big game for Friday night when the speedy Nobel team will visit Peterborough. The Nobel team is the only outfit that has beat the Soldiers this season and the 247th are very anxious to wipe out the defeat by beating the fast Northerners, who represent the explosive plant at Nobel, near Parry Sound, and who beat the Sounders right on their own ice by 7 to 1 last week. The team from the north are a crack bunch of hockeyists from different sections and would cut a wide swath in the O.H.A. They are engaged in war work, however, and cannot spare the time for O.H.A. hockey.

It was with great difficulty that the Soldiers were able to arrange Friday night's game and it is hoped that their enterprise in doing so will be rewarded by a big crowd. The 247th Band will be in attendance, and it looks like a big treat.

12,000 SOLDIERS RETURNING IN THE NEXT FEW MONTHS

Disabled or Medically Unfit Men Will Arrive in Ontario at the Rate of 3000 or 4000 a Month in Near Future

WILL BE BIG PROBLEM

Special to The Examiner:

TORONTO, Jan. 30.—Within the next few months twelve thousand disabled or medically unfit soldiers will return to the Province of Ontario alone, and a Soldiers' Aid Commission of Ontario is fact to face with a heavy problem in regard to their disposition. It is expected they will come at the rate of between three thousand and four thousand per month. The highest number of month ly arrivals to date has been about seven hundred. The commission has agencies in each large town and city to carry on its work. Every facility will be given to disabled or partially disabled men to learn new trades.

Canada's Fighting Forces At the Grand

Thursday, Friday and Saturday of This Week. Matinee and Evening

More than any war film coming out of Europe "Canada's Fighting Forces, Series Two," which is being shown at The Grand Theatre for three days beginning Thursday, February 1st, matinee and evening, makes a strong personal appeal to Canadians. Dealing almost exclusively as it does with the overseas activities of the lads from the Dominion it cannot fail to be of interest to the hundreds of thousands whose sons and brothers and husbands are over there. The numerous intimate pictures of groups of Flying officers, Motor Boat Patrol Officers, Medical Staff and Hospital patients are also of great personal interest to most Canadians, for few there are who see the film and fail to recognize several friends on the screen.

At the private view given to the Vice-Regal party and the staff officers from the Department of Militia congratulations were showered upon the young officer who took the pictures under circumstances fraught with extreme difficulty and danger to himself. Of special interest to these staff officers were the magnificent views of the various Canadian divisions on the parade ground being reviewed by King George, Field Marshall Lord French, and Major-General Sir Sam Hughes. No war films shown in Canada previously have shown such wonderful views of thousands of Canadian troops at once, while it will be a surprise to most Canadians to know how remarkably well they march. No continental army could do better.

LINDSAY SOLDIER TOOK POISON

LINDSAY, Jan. 30.—A young private named Harrison, whose home is at Severn Bridge, took a dose of laudanum at the armouries on Saturday afternoon. It is stated that Harrison had been an insubordinate and was to be taken to jail by the military police. Before reaching the house of detention he appeared very drowsy and the young soldier was not long in the castle when he went into a profound sleep. Later on it was disturbed through the use of a stomach pump which the jail surgeon operated with effect. For two hours the man of medicine worked upon him assisted by a couple of soldiers, and when sufficiently relieved of the stupifying drug he was taken in the ambulance to the Ross Hospital, where he remained until yesterday morning.

He was returned to the jail yesterday to serve a five-days' sentence and is apparently all right again.

THE 500 CLUB AND ITS WORK IN RECRUITING

The fleet of Great Britain has been doing duty in the North Sea every minute and every second of the time since war was declared in August of 1914. What would have been the result of a momentary relaxation of their vigilance? Had the vigilance of the Navy been relaxed to the same extent as the recruiting activity of —say, Peterborough—would it not have been disastrous? Then why should we, if we are true British subjects, allow ourselves to let this, the most valuable time in the history of Great Britain, to to go by without exciting ourselves to the very fullest extent by violating the conventionalities of medieval days by speaking to men on the streets who may appear to be eligible?. Surely they, if they are imbued with the proper spirit of patriotism, will not take offence. Our Mother Country, to whom we have always looked for protection in times of trouble, have adopted this scheme, so why should we not emulate them? The 500 Club is going to prevent the task of approaching men of uncertain eligibility by possessing lists of names of men who themselves admit have no reason for not serving their country.

Three More Members Of 93rd Battalion Killed in Action

Ptes. H. N. McArthur, W. J. Grist and E. J. Grout, Former Members of the 93rd Battalion Are Killed and Pte. Wm. Johnston Dies of Wounds--Pte. H. J. Weir Wounded --To-day's Orders and General Military News.

KILLED IN ACTION

Pte. H. N. McArthur, late of the 93rd Battalion, Campbellford.

Pte. W. J. Grist, late of the 93rd Battalion, Peterborough.

Pte. E. J. Grout, late of the 93rd Battalion, Peterborough.

DIED OF WOUNDS.

Pte. Wm. Johnston, late of the 93rd Battalion, Peterborough.

WOUNDED.

Pte. Harry J. Weir, late of the 93rd Battalion, 241 Stewart Street, Peterborough.

The casualty list of the 93rd Battalion continues to grow. To-day three more members of the Peterborough Battalion are reported killed in action, another one died of wounds, and one wounded.

Pte. H. N. McArthur.

Pte. H. N. McArthur, who came to Peterborough from Campbellford to enlist in the 93rd Battalion in the early autumn of 1915 and who went overseas with Col.. Johnston's unit as a member of A Company, is officially reported killed in action. Pte. McArthur's relatives live in Campbellford, but he was well known in Peterborough.

Pte. Will Grist.

Pte. Will Grist, who enlisted in Peterborough in August, 1915, with the 93rd Battalion, and went overseas as a member of A Company, is officially reported killed in action. Pte. Grist was born in England, but had lived in Canada for a number of years. He was a cousin of Mrs. Robert Mitchell, Water street, Mrs. T. E. Park, McDonnel street, and Mrs. J. Sandbach, Peterborough, and a brother of Pte. Geo. Grist, who enlisted here with the 30th Battalion early in 1915. He had been employed near Fraserville before enlisting.

Pte. E. J. Grout.

Pte. E. J. Grout, officially reported killed in action, enlisted in Peterborough with the 93rd Battalion in October of 1915 and was a member of A Company of the battalion. When the 93rd reached England Pte. Grout was transferred to another Canadian battalion at the front. His relatives live in England.

Pte. Wm. Johnston.

Pte. Wm. Johnston, formerly of the 93rd Battalion, is officially reported to-day as having died of wounds. Pte. Johnston enlisted in Peterborough early in the winter of 1915-16 and was a member of A Company. Pte. Johnston was born in England and had a brother on H. M. S. Hindustan.

Pte. Weir Wounded.

Mrs. Marie Weir, 241 Stewart street, received news from Ottawa this morning that her husband, Pte. Harry J. Weir, Canadian Infantry, formerly of the 93rd Battalion, is officially reported admitted to No. 20 General Hospital, Camiers, on Jan. 21st, suffering from gun shot wounds in the left arm and face. Pte. Weir, who was a South African veteran, was employed as a baggage man by the Grand Trunk Railway before enlisting. He went overseas as a corporal with the 93rd and was transferred to another Canadian battalion at the front.

TO-DAY'S ORDERS.

Regimental Orders, Part 1, No. 25. Peterborough, Ont., Jan. 29th, 1917.

Daily Orders by Lieut.-Col. C. H. Ackerman, Commanding 247th Bn., C.E.F.

Orders for Tuesday, Jan. 30th, 1917

DUTIES.—

Orderly Officer for Tuesday, January 30th, 1917—Lieut. H. M. Latimer

Next for Duty, Wednesday, Jan. 31st, 1917—Lieut. J. F. Strickland.

A. E. BRITTAIN, Lieut. Adj., 247th O. S. Bn., C.E.F.

Lt.-Col. Ackerman, of the 247th Battalion, went to Ottawa last night on official business in connection with the battalion.

All the returned soldiers in the city are reminded of the Returned Soldiers' Club meeting in Victoria Hall to-night. All members are asked to be present, as business of importance will be taken up.

Mrs. Kent, 276 Thomas street, this city has received the following card from Dominic Dolga, 1st Canadian Infantry Brigade. Dolga is now a prisoner of war in Germany:

Dear Mrs. Kent,—Just a line to thank you for your esteemed kindness for sending me the most welcome parcel which I received safety. My best respects to the Soldiers' Wives and Mothers' Club. My chum is from Peterborough. His name is Hutchinson and he resides at 163 Wescott street. I must close now. Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Yours truly,
DOMINIC DOLGA.

MOTORISTS HONK! HONK!

The annual meeting of the Peterborough branch of the Ontario Motor League will be held to-night at 8 o'clock in the Bank of Montreal Chambers. A number of most important matters will be up for discussion and it is expected that there will be a large attendance of members. The election of officers will also take place to-night.

PLUNGER MADE $470,000 ON PEACE HUNCHES

Special to The Examiner.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23. — Bernard Baruch, Wall street plunger, cleared $476,000 playing peace hunches during thirteen days in December, he told the "leak" probers to-day. If he had known what was coming from Washington, he said, he would have sold all day December 20 instead of covering part of his short selling by buying U. S. Steel, and his profits would have been larger.

No Packages For Prisoners of War

MRS. FRICK GETS $300 DAMAGES FOR CITY'S NEGLIGENCE

Was Seriously Injured Last June, In Fall on Ware St. —Costs also Allowed

BARRET CLAIM DISMISSED

Judge Huycke disposed of the following civil cases this morning:

Frick vs. Peterborough.

Barrett vs. Heard.

Humphries vs. Bampson.

Ferguson vs. Low.

FRICK VS PETERBORO.

Mrs. Adam H. Frick, Jackson Avenue, secured judgment for $300 and costs against the city for injuries received in a fall on Ware Street last summer. She had claimed $1,000 damages. Mrs. Frick fell over a scantling that had been left by city employees projecting over what had been a crossing. Several of her ribs were fractured; she was confined to bed for a considerable time, and at the hearing, two weeks ago, it was stated that she still suffered from the effects of the fall. Judge Huycke found that the city had been negligent in allowing the scantling to remain in the path of pedestrians. His Honour disallowed other claims such as doctor's bills. Mr. F. D. Kerr appeared for the plaintiff and Mr. G. N. Gordon for the city.

BARRETT VS. HEARD.

An important case that of Barrett vs. Heard in which Geo. Barrett of Ottawa claimed $499 from Bert Heard of Peterborough, covering the balance of the cost of two lots in Tuxedo Park, Saskatoon, Mr. Heard had purchased from Barrett. Judge Huycke dismissed the claim with costs.

Mr. Heard had a counter claim for the return of $200 he had paid for the lots, which he contended at the hearing on the December sittings of the County Court, had been grossly misrepresented. The counter action was dismissed without costs.

Mr. Gordon acted for Mr. Heard, and Mr. Daniel O'Connell represented Mr. Barrett.

NO HOCKEY TO-NIGHT SKATING AT THE RINK

Ice is in Good Shape

The Ottawa Junior Hockey Club defaulted their game scheduled for to-night and as a consequence the Rink will be open for skating. Ice is in good shape.

THE WEATHER

We are having some remarkable changes in weather conditions these days. Yesterday we had rain, and two days previously 21 below. To-day it is up to 37 degrees. A year ago to-day, conditions were almost similar to what they are to-day—very slippery roads. Two years ago to-day (1915) we had it 28 degrees below zero.—W.P.

WE CAN

Fit you with glasses for every purpose, and every pair will be becoming to you. If you need the invisible double-vision lenses, we have them. If you find the snow glare too much for your eyes, wear a pair of our protection glasses. See Dr. Lacey and See Better; 410 George street.

Sun-Kist Oranges for Salads. Cheapest Food Diet at Present. 6d-25

Feather Beds made into Feather mattresses. Pillows cleaned and recovered. Prices Very reasonable. We buy used feather beds. Peterboro feather Co., 215 Charlotte St. 7d-23

Post Offices in Canada Will Not Accept Parcels For Germany After Feb. 1st—Money, However May Be Forwarded to the Red Cross

CHANGE IS NECESSARY

OTTAWA, Jan 29.—An official memorandum issued to-night states that after February 1 no parcels of foodstuffs or clothing may be sent from Canada for prisoners of war in Germany. The Government has received a communication from the Imperial authorities to this effect.

Some months ago the British Government announced that war conditions made it necessary that all parcels passing from Great Britain to Germany should be forwarded under the supervision of a Central Prisoners-of-War Committee. It is only under arrangement with the German Government that parcels can be forwarded.

All parcels despatched by mail or otherwise from Canada addressed to prisoners of war in Germany must pass through the hands of that committee or some body deputed by it for that purpose. It has deputed the Canadian Red Cross Society at London as the body authorized to supervise the packing and forwarding of parcels to Canadian soldiers who are prisoners of war in Germany. Under the regulations recently issued by the British authorities all such parcels received from Canada by parcel post and otherwise are turned over to the Canadian Red Cross Society in London, where they are censored, repacked and forwarded to Germany. Articles which cannot be censored, without being destroyed or damaged, such as tinned meats, cakes, etc., cannot be sent on to their destination. The director of the Central Prisoners-of-War Committee reports that great congestion is being caused by this method, and that while such congestion is being coped with provisionally, it cannot be permitted to continue. He states that no more parcels containing foodstuffs or articles of clothing can be received from Canada. Money for the purpose of purchasing supplies may be sent and such purchases will be made and all the necessary arrangements carried out by the Canadian Red Cross Society at London.

Tried to Obtain Modification.

The director asks that notice be given to the public at once that no parcels containing foodstuffs or clothing can be accepted for transmission. Sir George Perley endeavoured to obtain a modification of this decision, but the director insists that war conditions make the new method absolutely necessary. It appears that the Australian Red Cross have concurred in the proposed arrangement.

The officers of the Canadian Red Cross Society point out that every Canadian military and civilian prisoner of war receives from the society at London irrespective of parcels sent from Canada the following supplies: First, "a capture" parcel, then seven shillings' worth of food and supplies one week and twelve shillings' worth the following week and so on alternately each week. In addition six pounds of bread each week is sent from Holland and elsewhere. The authorities are satisfied that 96 per cent. of such parcels are received by the prisoners. The weight that may be sent each week to any prisoner is limited to thirty-five pounds.

In consequence of the situation which is herin set forth the Postmaster-General has announced that on and after February 1st no parcels containing foodstuffs or clothing can be received at any post office in Canada to be despatched to the address of a Canadian soldier who is a prisoner of war in Germany.

Detailed regulations concerning all communications with prisoners of war will be issued by the Post-office Department immediately.

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(TUESDAY, JAN. 30, 1917

HIGHLY IMPROBABLE.

The ghost story published by the Review on Saturday in regard to the alleged intrigues of Mr. Gordon in political matters, is a tribute to the constructive genius of the inventor, since it is evolved entirely from the operation of an active imagination. It does not need the specific denial of Mr. Gordon to stamp the story with an improbability that is fatal to its truth. Mr. Gillespie is the recognized candidate for West Peterborough. He has established a claim to it by the value of his representative services. He has made an excellent representative and shown an earnest interest, both legislative and personal, in the faithful discharge of his duties. He has the honour of having "redeemed" the riding; and it would be highly improbable that any Liberal would intrigue to replace him. If there were one it would not be Mr. Gordon. He is too open and outspoken, as he has shown in various capacities, to take any other than the open and manly way to reach what he desires. It is the exaggeration of petty politics to seek to advance party interests by peddling gossip through the press. This serious time, when the demands for national courage and candour press upon us all, is not the time for exploiting ward politics through the medium of a village style of journalism.

PREPAREDNESS— GENERAL AND CIVIC.

We are having rather brisk prosperity—plenty of money widely distributed—as a result of war conditions; and there is a general feeling that when the war is over and no more munitions are required there may be something like a slump. There, is, however, reason to believe that the demand from Europe for manufactured products will not cease abruptly. The president of the United States Steel Corporation in a recent speech at a Foreign Trade Convention, stated that many orders for munitions from Europe are placed in the United States on the condition that, should their fulfilment be interrupted by the end of the war, delivery will be accepted for an equal amount of material for construction purposes. By the ravages of war in Europe, billions of dollars worth of constructed property, buildings, bridges, railways, factories, etc., have been destroyed. These will have to be rebuilt after the war, and there will necessarily be brisk demand for all sorts of building materials, and for many manufactured articles, that cannot be made in Europe for some time after the war ends. This makes it important that we in Canada should be prepared, as far as possible, to do a large share in meeting the inevitably increased European demand for iron and steel products, and other building materials, as well as certain articles of manufacture. This war has done a great great deal for Canada industrially and commercially, by stimulating enlargemand of our productive resources, with the accompaniment of large profits. It will have done more for us if it stimulates us to larger and more permanent or continuous development of our productive capacity, industrial and agricultural. It is feared that the end of the war will be followed by depression; but the effects of that will be largely neutralised if we make adequate preparation to meet every demand that peace will create; the provision of destructive forces in the shape of munitions will be followed by demands for means of remedying the destruction they have created.

The preparedness for after-war conditions and demands applies not only generally, but with especial force to Peterborough. Is it not true to some extent, that we are leading surface lives, content with giving attention to the demands for action that thrust themselves upon us, to the exclusion of outlook? Is there not need in Peterborough for higher and more comprehensive organization of our well-known energy and enterprise? It is remarked with regret, both as a deplorable fact and an indication of a fatal self-satisfaction with our civic progress and civic activities, that we are lacking in that most important agency—a live Board of Trade. The blame for this lack cannot be placed upon any one or two pairs of shoulders. It must be borne by the general body of business citizens. In everything—national and civic—leadership is the essential. Here is an opportunity for some enterprising citizen to constitute himself a rallying point for other enterprising citizens, with a view of having Peterborough's needs in various directions looked after by some civic body or bodies organised for the purpose. Of course the Mayor is indicated as the natural local leader in public enterprises, but it is plain that he and his council have many things to look after—a big programme of civic administration to provide for; but His Worship might find time to take the initiative and get together a few of the leading business men of the city to discuss the needs of the city. We need that something should be done. As things go now, with the demands for munitions monopolising attention, the industrial interests of the city will run themselves. These, however, are not all. The war will end; new conditions, difficult and complicated, wil confront us, and we need to take serious counsel together as a city, as an industrial and commercial community, and make preparations for the future.

THE CURSE OF PATRONAGE.

There can be no doubt that the patronage system in governments is the cause of more waste, more inefficiency of service, and more injury to national and provincial interests than any one evil associated with our political system of administration. The patronage system prefers the party hack to the efficient office holder and the principle, extended, gives contracts and makes purchases from partisans, not with a view of getting the best work or the best value but with a view of pleasing some party "worker," or hanger-on. It needs no great thought or consideration to show how the patronage system applied throughout the whole Dominion, in all the ramifications of service and affecting tens of thousands of officials charged with the expenditure of millions, results in poor service and immense waste. This system, applied in private enterprises, applied to our industrial activities, would wipe out all the industrial establishments of the country in a short time, and wreck the most stable commercial enterprises.

Applied to the administration of national or provincial, or even municipal affairs, it has the same evil tendencies. Under ordinary conditions the practice of the patronage system is treason to public interests. What word or words then can characterise it as applied to the administration of national affairs in this time of war? We have evidence that the patronage system is employed in connection with government discharge of the duties presented by Canada's participation in this war. From the many cases brought out, one can judge of the extent to which business among the whole government administration must be affected prejudicially to national interests. A recent instance in Toronto serves to show that party patronage is adopted as a principle whose application is aided on understood principles by the municipality of the City of Toronto. A returned soldier applied at the City Hall for a position, under the impression created by an announcement that a returned soldier would have the preference. What was the condition of preference—he must become a member of a Conservative ward association before he could even consider himself "in line for a job." There seems to be no doubt that the patronage system prevails and has prevailed in respect of appointments and promotions in connection with military services in this war. This means, as a sample, that the services of prominent men in one community that we all know of—men who from local connection and local influence, might have helped recruiting, have been set aside, because they had not the indispensable party qualification, though they had every other qualification that counts. If, as seems to be the case, the government is animated by the spirit of patronage; dominated by it, as an adopted policy; that it makes the expenditure of the money, liberally and indeed, lavishly, voted by the people through their representatives in Parliament, spent in connection with the war, a matter of party patronage, is there not need, for change of system—of placing national interests ahead of party interests?

One of the greatest steps of reform in national administration and its realisation of the fullest benefits from national expenditure, would be the abolition of the patronage system. A non-political body like the Canadian Forestry Association, demands that Forestry service should be placed on a merit, instead of a patronage, basis. In response to its appeal, in response to the demands of public duty, the new Liberal Premier of British Columbia, Mr. Brewstor, has pledged himself to the elimination of the patronage system from Civil Service appointments—"to abolish the evils of the patronage system wherever they have been in evidence."

If all our governments could and would rise to this height—if all the millions of money expended were expended with a single eye to securing adequate value, instead of for rewards for party service, millions would be saved. If the millions spent upon war service in Canada were spent on business principles; if appointments to military service were based on merit, instead of party considerations; if party interests were forgotten in regard to all our government management in this war, Canada would not have to confine the boast of her share in the war to the gallant soldiers in the trenches.

THE NEED FOR A NATIONAL WAR-TIME GOVERNMENT IN CANADA

The Toronto Star, in advocating the formation of a national government for Canada, declares that there is no other way by which the people can be united, and and no other way by which a Dominion election can be avoided. It continues:

There is no other way by which we can avoid having a government representing but half the people, and any party government will be a half government, afraid to do this and that because of the future outlook of the party. A special government created to do special work, a non-partizan war administration, could take hold of issues with both hands, that any party government would hesitate even to touch.

The country would not be going back on the party system any more than it has gone back on it already. If we are to have no party opposition, we should have no party government. The government that asks both parties, in parliament and in the country to support it and voluntarily place it in office, and stretch the constitution to keep it there ought to be a non-partizan government. This is so evident that the stated facts ought to be sufficient argument of the case.

The impression The Star is trying to create in Ontario is that the widespread public opinion favourable to non-partizan war administration at Ottawa ought to declare itself in an unmistakable manner, or the smaller politicians in both parties will have their way and involve the country in a violent and disastrous political campaign.

The speeches which have already been delivered in Parliament, dealing with the conduct of the war by the present government, afford sufficient reason in themselves why a national government is desirable. They indicate that gross blunders have been committed which might easily have been avoided, and that there has been throughout a want of firmness and capacity in grappling with an unusual and most trying situation. In Great Britain it was found impossible to continue to conduct war measures with party government, and practically all the allied countries have had the same experience. Canada is an out standing exception, Premier Borden and his colleagues affirming that they are quite sufficient in themselves for every possible emergency, and that the party system, with its patronage caudal appendage, should go on as usual. If the members of the government and their journalistic cinquers are satisfied that men like Rhoudin, Patenaude, Sevigny, etc., etc., also Robert Rogers, are of the superman type, and the best Canada can produce to give this country a patriotic and business-like administration of affairs, we are satisfied a majority of the people do not think so, and that a general election would disabuse their minds.—Brantford Expositor.

Though Sevigny Won Cabinet Isn't Happy

Success For Him in Dorchester, Discredits Campaign Cries For Elsewhere

OTTAWA, Jan. 29.—Now that the Dorchester election is over, it is admitted that the advantage was all with Mr. Sevigny. He was in a position to make promises, and he made them lavishly. He promised an experimental farm for every parish. He promised a munition plant in the county. He promised bridges across every stream. And, turning toward Mr. Cannon, his opponent, he asked the electorate what they expected to get from him, who, even if he were elected, would have no Federal patronage control.

But the powers that be did not confine the campaign to promises, if the story be true that two of the campaign workers, taking advantage of the hint made by Mr. Blondin to anti-conscriptionists that the boundary was near at hand, quietly slipped across, taking with them $11,000 of the campaign funds.

In fact so sure were they, that John Best, M.P., for Dufferin, speaking before the Carleton County Conservative Association on Saturday, and while the ballots in Dorchester were pouring in, expressed the fervent hope that Mr. Cannon would be elected, so that once and for all the other Provinces would know where they stood with Quebec. Now that Mr. Cannon has been defeated, the House awaits with interest the interpretation which Mr. Best will have to place upon the incident.

If the Government claims sincerity for the utterances of Mr. Sevigny (apart from the side campaign carried on by Mr. Blondin and his paper), then they must relinquish once and for all the claim that Quebec is disloyal. The cry of a solid Quebec behind Sir Wilfrid must also be abandoned. For these reasons the victory of Mr. Sevigny was received by the Government with mixed feelings, and the only satisfaction which they are now taking out of it is the thought that it involves a loss of prestige to Sir Wilfrid in his own Province.

An element of the Cabinet had been urging Sir Robert Borden to dissolve the House in the event of Mr. Sevigny's defeat, and seek the mandate from the people, which the defeat of a minister in Quebec might seem to have indicated they did not possess. They contended that Sir Robert could not attend the Imperial conference unless he and his Ministry had the united support of the country. The plans of the schemers have now been entirely spoiled.

LOST

LOST—WHILE SHOPPING ON WEDNESday on George Street, small dark red purse containing $9.00 ($5 and 4 $1 bills) Reward at Examiner Office. 3d-129

LOST—ON SATURDAY, AN "I C.M.R." pin, between London and George and Opera House. Finder please leave at Examiner. Reward.

LOST—ON SUNDAY BETWEEN ST. PETER'S Cathedral and Bonacord street, a $2 dollar bill and silver in pocket case. Please leave at Examiner. 2d-25-1196

LOST—WHITE IVORY-BACK PRAYER book on Aylmer street, between King and Princess. Finder please phone 736. 1d-25-1194

LOST—FRIDAY AFTERNOON, PARCEL of Red Cross grey knitting, wool and needles on Hunter street, west. Please leave at Examiner. 3d-23116

LOST — ON DOLLAR DAY ON Charlotte between Bethune and Stewart, a white woollen shawl with tassels. Leave at Examiner Office. 2d-24-1189

TO RENT

GOOD STORAGE TO RENT. APPLY 183 Water street, 'phone 125. 3d-23-1182

GOOD OFFICE OR STORE WITH WATER connection and heated, possession at once. Apply 163 Charlotte St. dtf-16-1799

FOR RENT — NO. 357 WATER STREET, suitable for store or office, immediate possession. Apply 437 George Street. dtf-26

FOR RENT—STORE No. 1734 SIMCOE ST. Immediate possession. Apply 437 George Street. dtf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A STEEL RANGE, IN GOOD condition. Apply 264 Murray. 3d-25-1205

UNDERWOOD NO. 6 LATEST MODEL, two color ribbon, back spacer. For sale cheap to a quick buyer Apply to Box 4661 Examiner. 2nd-109-4661

CHEAP LOTS—IN BLOCK N, ASHBURNham, on Dufferin, Roger, Elgin streets. $6 per foot, $10 down, $10 per quarter till paid for. Interest only 6 per cent. Land dry, sightly, healthy; also on McDonnel St., Peterborough. Apply to Dunsford & Johnston. 6mnrt-21-977

FARM FOR SALE OR TO RENT—CONCESsion 9, Lot 5, North Monaghan four and one half miles from city One hundred square acres, good warm brick house, sheds, stable under barn of stone and concrete, water in stable, 2 wells, large tree house, brooding house, ice house. Three hundred apple trees, plum trees, strawberries, raspberries, and a quantity of firewood, claimed to be one of the best properties in North Monaghan. Sale of stock of the late owner will take place February 8, 1917. Right terms to the right man. Apply 394 George street 4d-23-1w6-1143

FOR SALE BY TENDER

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the undersigned until Saturday the 10th day of February, 1917, until the hour of Twelve o'clock noon for the purchase of Part of Lot "A" North of Charlotte street and West of George street in the City of Peterborough being the residence and lands connected therewith of the late MRS. ISABELLA WHYTE and known as Number 336 Charlotte street, Peterborough. Immediate possession can be given to the purchaser. Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Further particulars can be obtained from the undersigned to whom all tenders should be addressed.

W. G. MORROW and A. E. THOMPSON Executors of the Estate of ISABELLA WHYTE, 437 George St., Peterborough Ontario.

DATED this 27th day of January A.D., 1917. 5d-27-30-1-3-F

Notice to Creditors

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN C. ANDERSON, LATE OF THE CITY OF PETERBOROUGH, ACCOUNTANT, DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to Chapter 121 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914, that all creditors and other persons having claims against the above named JOHN C. ANDERSON, who died on or about the 23rd day of September, A.D. 1916, at the said City of Peterborough, are required to send by post prepaid, or deliver to the undersigned Solicitors, before the 15th day of February, 1917, full particulars of their claims, their names and addresses duly verified by Statutory Declaration, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by each of them, and that after the said 15th day of February 1917, the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only, to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and they will not be liable for any part of the said assets to any person of whose claims they shall not then have had notice.

DATED at Peterborough this 9th day of January 1917

GORDON & WIDDIFIELD, PETERBOROUGH, ONTARIO, Solicitors for the Executors. 4d-7-952

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FOUND—ON GEORGE STREET MONDAY night, small black wallet, containing sum of money. Owner may have same by applying at this office, proving property and paying for advertisement. 1d-25-1197

MONUMENTAL WORK

WE RESPECTFULLY SOLICIT YOUR ORder for Cemetery Work of any kind. Latest equipments; first class Scotch granite cutters. Considine's Monumental Works, 251 Hunter Street. Phone 1262. dtf-16-1610

WANTED

WANTED—GOOSE DOWN ABOUT 60 TO 100 pounds. Apply R. Wheeler, 57 Hunter Street East. 3d-25-1162

WANTED—POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPer. Apply 311 George street. 3d-25-1195

WANTED—OFFICES TO TAKE CARE OF, good references. Apply Examiner for address. 3d-24-1180

WANTED TO RENT—SMALL HOUSE OR rooms, unfurnished preferred, suitable for housekeeping. Apply Box 1175 Examiner. 3d-24-1176

WANTED TO RENT—FURNISHED or unfurnished modern house for family of three only. Wanted by March. Apply Box 1189. 6d-24-1189

TEACHER WANTED

TEACHER WANTED—FOR JUNIOR ROOM Mayo school, North Monaghan. Duties to start as soon as possible. Address N. M. Denoon, R. R. No. 5 Peterborough. 5d-23

HELP WANTED—MALE

MEN WANTED; ALSO A HANDY MAN. Apply T. Cavanagh and Son, 389 Queen street. 3d-25-1163

ROUTE BOY FOR EAST CITY ROUTE. Apply Examiner Office.

HELP WANTED—Female

MAID WANTED—GOOD WAGES. APPLY Mrs. Pentland, 296 Stewart Street. 3d-23-1156

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST IN general housework and care of children. Apply 457 Stewart. 3d-23-1190

WANTED—WOMAN TO DO FAMILY washing, one day week. Apply 457 Stewart. 1d-25-1191

GOOD GENERAL SERVANT WANTED. Apply 334 Downie. 6d-25-1204

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A Touch of Ring Hardened In This Letter From the Front

The following letter to the Montreal Star portrays some of the lighter phases of soldiering:

Dear Bill:—

I bet you did the same as me, Bill, and made it a 6 instead of a 7, the first letter you wrote this year. Isn't it funny how long it takes to remember, even though you do your best to make New Year's Day something that you won't forget. Well, Bill, nothing much happened this New Years that I want to remember. It was different, from Christmas, eh, Bill. Gee, I've sure got a home from home in that place what I told you about where I had Christmas dinner. They are real folks, Bill, and I would have gone there on New Years, but they were all away. But I got a steady bid to come back any time now.

The other night though I met an old friend of ours who wanted to be remembered to you. Gee, Bill, I was glad to see him. I'll bet he's about the most popular guy in the Canadian army just now. He's the original cheer-up kid all right.

I was just out for a stroll one night passing the Soldiers' Home when I heard the piano going as though about six experts were hitting it. So thinking there was a good show on with London talent, I butts in. Butts in is good for it was a fight to get by the door. I never seen such a crowd, not even in the canteen on pay night.

"What's up?" says I to a guy.

"It's either Paderooski or Irving Berlin," says he; "I don't know the first guy, but he sounded like a alley, and if it was the second he was worth waiting around to hear, even if he is a neutral. So I edges my way through the mob, and tries to get close.

LAMENT BEGINS.

Then the piano stops and I hears someone saying: "Now boys, here's a little chorus that the boys out at the front used to like. It's called the "Lament of the Conssientious Objector. If you like it, we'll learn it."

Well, I knew that I had heard that voice before somewhere, but I could not figure out where it was. Then the guy started to twiddle the piano, and then he sang. Gee, I wish a lot of those fellows at home could hear it." I guess some of them might join up. We made him sing it over and over, and this is the chorus:

"Call up the Army and the Navy,
Call up the rank and file,
Call up the brave Territorials,
They'll face the danger with a smile;
Call up the boys of the Old Brigade,
Who made Old England free;
Call up my mother, my sister and my brother,
But for God's sake, don't call me!"

It dont' sound much on paper, Bill but you should have heard the bunch sing it. It went big. And when he told a poem about a soldier whose putty was torn by a bullet, limping along the road and saying something in a voice forlorn. That part of it was awful sad, Bill until he started to sing the chorus. It goes like this to the music of "Here we are, here we are, here we are again."

"Hit me there, hit me there, hit me there again,
That little scratch ain't good enough for me.
The Allemand that shot me,
The son of a gun that got me,
Was far too easy, say, send another one,
To hit me there, hit me there, hit me there again,
I'll never get home with a bit of a wound like that,
A Blighty there would suit me,
Will somebody kindly shoot me,
Frits, Frits, hit me there again."

Well, Bill, he had all the bunch singing like they would burst. I was trying to get in close and find out who he was and sing all at the same time. Then he stood up and played with his left hand, and kept the bunch together beating time with his right. Then I see who it was. I guess you know the only fellow who could play like that, eh, Bill?

HIM! GITZ RICE!

Well, it was him. Gitz Rice. Gee I was glad to see him. So as soon as he stopped I yelled, "Hello, Gitz," and he turned and yelled, "Hello, old scout," and everybody opened up to let me go by. I reminded him who I was, and told him about seeing him often at Valois, and after it was all over I walked back with him to the links.

He's getting his commission. I guess he has got it by now, and he is going back to France to take charge of all the entertainments on the Canadian part of the line. He's just the fellow for the job, too, Bill, because he knows how to make everybody feel right at home, and start the bunch off singing. And I guess the boys would rather listen to him play than hear lots of these London people with a big name, but without any pep.

He told me all about the songs he's written, and some of them are certainly great, Bill. He is getting them published and everybody in Montreal who has got anything from a jew's harp to a gramaphone ought to buy them. Most of them were written when the Battery was under fire.

He wanted to know, too, if I ever heard of a guy called Scanlon, who used to be a newspaper reporter or something in Montreal. He used to help him a lot in the entertainments, and about a month ago he won his commission and a military cross, or something like that on the field. I didn't know him, did you Bill?

But I wish you could have heard him play, Bill. He's a wonder. Why he made us forget where we were and there was a war on and we had to get up at Revelly. And I guess anyone who can do that isn't worth a whole lot when you get out to the front, eh Bill? He's the only fellow I met since I joined who hasn't a grouse in his system somewhere.

I wish I could remember all his songs, Bill. They was all fine. Maybe you know that one "They didn't believe me." He had a parody on that that ended:

A GOOD SONG.

"And when I told them,
And I'm certainly going to tell them,
That I am going to win a big V.C.,
They'll never believe me,
They'll never believe me,
They'll say, "Not while you're in the A.S.C."

There was a lot of Army Service Corps follows there, too, but they did not mind. You know the first V.C. in the war was won by a guy in the A.S.C.

We had good time, Bill, and I wish Gitz was going to be here for a long time.

But maybe I'll see him on the other side, because it looks as though we would be going across soon. They can't send me too soon. You can't get leave here now, and things are getting more war like every day.

Lots of the fellows seem to think the war is going to be over soon just because there's a lot about peace in the papers. But none of us wants peace unless the Kaiser and all that crowd is smashed proper and the Allies can get whatever they want. I haven't got much use for the newspapers anyhow, not since they spelled my name wrong once about five years ago in the line up of the old Northern Stars team. They probably get most everything wrong, eh, Bill?

We'd all be crazy glad if peace was declared to-morrow and we could all get back home and start in again on the old jobs, but not if in a few years we'd have to come back and start all over again. All the fellows here say it's a dirty job, but it's got to be done right, and some of them think it's going to take a long time yet.

So don't get out the flags, Bill, or begin buying throat lozenges to be able to cheer properly; just keep on turning out the shells as fast as you can, and remember if you was over here you'd probably be wishing you was a cripple instead of cursing because you are as you seem to be now.

Well, Bill, I've got a date for tonight, because those people, you know, who are back, so I must close. Don't forget to write to your friend.

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C. P. R. OFFICIAL TO RUSSIA.

Rumour That Mr. Bury Will Take Charge of Czar's Railways.

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 29.—It is reported here that E. C. Bury, first vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, has been appointed to go to Russia and take charge of the entire railway system supplying the Czar's troops with food and munitions.

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New Senator Is Bit Of A Genius

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"I regard Frederic Nicholls as nothing short of a finincial organizing and industrial genius."

In such words one who knows him well gave his opinion of the new Senator and his capacity of The Star Weekly:

It was in 1874, when he was eighteen years old, that Nicholls came to Canada, having been born in England and educated at Stuttgart in Germany. He is entirely a self-made man, for he was as poor as a church mouse when he first set out to make his fortune. He started in to achieve this feat as a reporter, and later, for seven years occupied the post of secretary of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association. He was one of the early pioneers and promoters of the idea of manufacturing everything possible in Canada, and took a prominent part in the establishment of the "National Policy." He founded, and for some time edited the Canadian Manufacturer, formerly the organ of the manufacturing interests of the country.

Senator Nicholls was one of the few men to realize early that electricity was the coming power of the future. In fact, he may not unfitly be called the pioneer of electric development in this Province. In this domain others have, to a large extent, reaped where he sowed, but it is due to the Senator to recognise that it was he who early saw the possibilities latent in electricity. He organised the first company in Canada the Toronto Incandescent Electric Light Co., which adopted the underground system of electric distribution.

To all applications of electricity he devoted his attention, and he was able to attract the interest of capitalists to his undertakings. To-day he is president and general manager of the Canadian General Electric Co., and of the Canada Foundry Co., Ltd. He is also either president, vice-president or director of close on thirty other concerns, some of them vastly important ones. He has the reputation of being the largest iron-master in Canada, and probably one of the largest in the world.

A GENEROUS GIVER.

The Senator is a generous supporter of almost every worthy philanthropic movement in Toronto. Since the war he has thrown his whole heart into patriotic work of all kinds particularly Red Cross work. Off his own bat he was successful in raising a very large sum for the British Sailors' Relief Fund. But generous as he is known to be, the public does not know of all his benefactions. Many of them are known only to the recipients.

He has for long been much interested in the education of boys in secondary schools. He was one of the earliest supporters of Ridley College, St. Catharines, to which he sent all his four sons, of whom two, Capt. Walter and Lieut Fred, are overseas with the C.E.F. To Ridley College, in 1902, he presented a new Convocation Hall and a magnificent skating and hockey rink, which will form a lasting monument to him. In 1904 he gave $25,000 to the funds of Trinity University, Toronto.

Senator Nicholls is a man of culture and taste. He appreciates good literature and is discriminating in his reading. He is the possessor of numerous pictures of great value, one of the most beautiful being one of the Countess of Derby. For some time he had an enormously big country place on Lake Simcoe, known as 'Parklands' and he still has an interest in it. At that time, too, he was the owner of one of the finest steam yachts that have ever been seen in Canadian waters.

A GOOD STORY.

Like many other men whose inches are fewer than their brains, Senator Nicholls has quite a sufficient "guid conceit" of himself. It is possibly to that circumstance that the following yarn, which may or may not be apocryphal, owes its origin. One night, it is said, the Senator, at that time the proud occupant of the office of vice-commodore of the Royal Canadian Yacht Club, was landing at the wharf after crossing from the Club. Down at the wharf, too, were omnibuses from the various hotels drawn up.

"King Edward! King Edward!" exclaimed the driver of the K.E.H. bus, meaning to indicate his vehicle and the fact that he was plying for hire.

However, the exclamation was purposely misunderstood. It was taken as the acclaim of the populace at beholding their sovereign.

"No not King Edward—Mr. Nicholls," came from the Senator.

That is how the story runs. But it may be but a story.

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STUDYING THE STARS WITH MIRRORS

(1) Dominion Observatory at Victoria, B.C.
(2) Reflecting Telescope.
(3) Observatory open.
(4) Official opening of Observatory.

IT is with the reflecting telescope that many of the most brilliant discoveries about stars are made. Its construction, however, is not so generally understood as that of the refracting telescope, the form of instrument which is so often seen in the parks or on the streets of our cities and through which the passerby can get a peep at the moon for the trifling sum of five or ten cents.

The lens at the upper end of a refracting telescope is called the objective glass. It collects the rays of light and brings them together at a focus to form an image, which is viewed with a magnifying eyepiece. The largest refracting telescope is the well-known Yerkes instrument. It has an object glass forty inches in diameter.

But the biggest reflecting telescope in the world belongs to Canada. This has been erected at Victoria, B.C., which is only a short journey from Vancouver by C. P. R. steamers. In a reflecting telescope the light is collected by reflection from the surface of a concave mirror. If this surface is ground to a parabolic shape, the rays will all come to gether at a single point to form an image. Just as with the refracting telescope; but this point will be situated on the same side of the mirror as the object, and hence the observer who tries to look at a star will find his head in his own line of vision. In order to overcome this difficulty a second reflection is made to take place so as to deflect the beam of light and form the image at one side of the tube, where it may easily be examined with an eyepiece. This second reflection is accomplished by means of a plane mirror or "flat" inserted in the upper end of the tube and set at an angle of 45°. This flat will necessarily cut off some of the light falling upon the principal mirror, but since it is not large and since its supports are made as slender as possible, there is no serious loss.

The building of the seventy-two inch Canadian instrument may be taken as an illustration of some of the mechanical difficulties to be surmounted. One shows the mounting. The ends of the polar axis are supported on steel castings which are bolted to the heads of concrete piers. The permanent pier erected at Victoria is shown also. The polar axis must be set parallel to the axis of rotation of the earth. In the latitude of Victoria it makes an angle of more than 45° with the horizon. To the uprights of the framework of the walls are attached horizontal ribs which are for the purpose of supporting the steel metal walls. The sheathing is attached to both sets, forming thus a double wall, with an intermediate air space of at least six inches. This structure must be made extremely stout in order to bear the enormous weight of the dome. One of the pictures shows the building complete. This is furnished with a system of shutters which with the double wall permit the interior of the building to maintain an even and moderate temperature. Electric motors are used in moving the telescope and dome. These are controlled by push buttons. An important part of the gearing is the clockwork, which carries the telescope with the rotation of the heavens, so that a star can be kept in the field of view as long as it is desired. This must be made so that the telescope moves with absolute steadiness.

The optical parts of the instrument are being made by Brashear at Allegheny. The large mirror is twelve inches thick at the edges and will weigh over four thousand pounds.

The reflecting telescope is used for direct photography, both for recording very faint objects and for getting fine details of brighter objects, such as nebulae. We can also get photographic images of very faint stars, the twentieth magnitude having already been captured. It is also extremely valuable for spectroscopic work. A long exposure is required even with the great forty-inch Yerkes refractor to obtain the spectrogram of a star of the fourth magnitude.

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McNamara Was No Good in Prison Laundry and Didn't Like Jute Mill.

SAN QUENTIN, Cal., Jan. 30. — After spending 24 days in the dungeon of the state prison here, J. B. McNamara agreed to obey orders and Saturday began work in the jute mill. McNamara who is serving a life term for his confessed part in the dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times' building in 1910 has been working in the prison laundry, but his work was quite unsatisfactory and he was ordered to the jute mill. On his refusal to go there he was placed in the dunegon. Every day he was taken out and asked if he were ready to obey orders and until Saturday he regularly refused.

Dangerous Criminal Or a Colossal Liar

Police Are Divided In Their Opinion of Prisoner Held at Windsor.

WINDSOR, Ont., Jan. 30.— In the person of Clarence E. Pangburn, held in jail here pending his transportation to Kingston penitentiary to begin serving a two-year sentence for securing fraudulent attestation papers, and for perjury the authorities have been decided they have captured an exceedingly dangerous criminal. He is either that they contend, or the most colossal liar living.

Since Pangburn was handed over to the police at Windsor by the United States authorities, he has been reeling off "confessions" which is true stamp him as an all-round "bad man." From the wide range of his yarns the police are divided in their opinions as to whether he is a crook a lunatic or just plain liar, seeking to gain more notoriety.

Pangburn claims to have been associated with many of the barn burnings in Lambton county, but asserts that his purpose was to gain information in order to frustrate the plots and thereby aid the Empire to which he declared he was strictly loyal.

His arrest in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, which resulted in his deportation to Canada was on a charge of impersonating an American civil service officer.

While posing as an officer of the American navy Pangburn was wined and dined by American officers at the Ponchartrian Hotel in Detroit, according to his story.

Leg She Showed To Jury Wins $3,500

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 30.—Having seen what a floating log did to one of the young woman's legs while she was bathing in the surf at Deal, the jurors in the United States court here awarded to Miss Beatrice Forsythe, an actress, $3500 in her action against the borough.

Miss Forsythe insisted that the log hit her right leg, fracturing it, and resulting in it being bowed and an inch shorter than the left leg.

The actress had raised her skirts to her knees in the court room and the verdict followed a grave viewing of the injured member.

Steamer Blown Up

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 30.—The steamer Argo has been blown up, with a loss of nine men, according to announcement to-day. Nine of her crew were safely landed.

The Argo was an 1,261-ton iron steamer, owned by H. M. Wrangell & Co., and of Norwegian registry, her home port being Haugesad.

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Artist's "Dual Model" Would Not Give Him Up, Wife Says

NEW YORK, January 29. — "The Baroness is my model, it is true. But she is my dual model. I use her in my art and in my life. She is my intellectual and spiritual companion, and our love and sweetness are something that no one from the outer world should destroy. Renee will give me up. There is nothing else to do."

And just because Douglass Gilbert Dixon, futurist artist, is said to have so spoken about the Boroness Else von Freytag Loringhoven Mrs. Renee Lois Dixon pressed an undefended divorce action. Justice Giegerich in the Supreme Court, reserved decision.

Mrs. Dixon testified the Baroness had been parted from her own husband by the war and came to this country to pose for artists. When she began to pose for Mr. Dixon, the wife said, she made such an impression he forgot that he was married. Milton Ives Levy, the attorney for the wife, said:

"I had a talk with this beautiful adventuress, the Baroness, and she told me that if she were to be robbed of her 'post lover,' as she called Mr. Dixon, she would die as good Germans before her had died. She was adamant on this point, so I advised Mrs. Dixon to sue for divorce." He quoted Mr. Dixon as telling him that the Baroness was his "dual model."

"Mr. Dixon raved like a madman," said he. "He admitted all the wrong doing, but said that was as nothing compared to the great loss he would suffer if the Baroness were taken from him."

Mrs. Dixon said that she herself went to see the Baroness at the Lincoln apartments, and the Baroness said:

"Why, my dear young woman, you are not capable of loving this soulful husband of yours. You are too material. He is my post lover, and were I to give him up I would die. It is all very well for you. You can live. But I would die to-night if I were to know that he would leave me. Please do not be cruel."

Mrs. Dixon said she agreed with her lawyer then and decided that the simplest way to end her romance was by way of the divorce court, and so she began the present action. Not long after, she said, she received a letter from her husband, which said:

"Let us be—to live on and achieve. You are a nice little woman, Renee, but you are practical and material, while the Baroness, bless her soul, has seen all that there is in this life, and is a living book of philosophy. Goodby, Renee, goodby."

Mrs. Dixon, her attorney, Mr. Levy, and an elevator boy, together with Maurice Du Champ, were the only witnesses. The elevator boy said he had once taken rolls and coffee to Mr. Dixon and the Baroness. Mr. Du Champ said that he had found the Baroness in a kimono in Mr. Dixon's studio when he had called there in May, 1916.

Mr. Dixon is said to be in India at present. The adress of the Baroness was not disclosed.

DOG BROKE A PLATE GLASS WINDOW COSTING SIXTY DOLLARS

Car Was being Chased by a Number of Others—Havelock Items of Interest—Collar Bone Broken

COAL CONFISCATED

HAVELOCK, Jan. 30.—Mr. J. V. A. Coon had the plate glass window of his store broken by dogs last week when a spaniel, which was being chased by several other dogs, ran headfirst into the glass. The cost will be about $60.00

COLLAR BONE FRACTURED

Little Miss Doris White of Round Lake had her collar bone fractured on the 14th inst. when she fell down stairs.

ATTENDED FUNERAL

Mr. Wesley Stillman and Mr. Thos. Stillman of town and Mrs. David Burgess of Belmont attended the funeral of the late Jas Stillman of Campbellford last week.

SUCCESSFUL FOX HUNT.

Mr. Frank Spinks, while on a two weeks' fox hunt, had splendid luck, having secured eight fine skins, which he disposed of to good advantage. He reports the animals were plentiful.

OBITUARY

Mrs. William Burgess of Belmont, passed away at the residence of her son, Mr. Wellington Burgess, on Wednesday, January 17th, at the age of 76 years. The funeral took place on Saturday following to the Norwood cemetery.

SERIOUSLY ILL.

Mr. Harry Andrews was called to Norwood last week to attend the bedside of his mother, Mrs. Jas. Andrews who is seriously ill from pneumonia.

TRANSFERRED

Ross Pollock and Harry Mann of the C.P.R. have been transferred from Havelock to Smith Falls.

COAL CONFISCATED

Coal dealer, Thos. Wood who has been expecting two cars of coal to arrive any day, received a notice from his dealer, stating that the coal had been confiscated by the railroad. This will surely mean a coal famine in Havelock, as Mr. Wood does not expect that he can purchase any more.

PERSONALS.

Miss Mabel Beatty left last week to visit friends in Toronto.

Mr. Ward Patterson of Peterborough was in town last week on business for the Metropolitan Insurance Company.

Mrs. Howe and Pearl are visiting friends in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Covert spent Wednesday in Peterborough.

The Women's Auxiliary of St. John's church met last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Miss E. Williams at 2.30 o'clock. The Girl's Guild met on Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Rhoda Falkner at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon.

Special services of prayer were held in St. John's church on Wednesday and Friday evenings of last week.

Mr. Ray Coon of London, was in town for a few days last week.

Mr. Spry of Stirling was a recent guest of Mr. John Barlow.

Mrs. M. Ralston of Toronto, President of the Rebekah Assembly of Ontario, and Mrs. S. Swartman of Waubashene, Vice President, visited Dereas Rebekah Lodge in Havelock last week, while in town they were the guests of Mrs. J. Burnett.

Mr. and Mrs. McMillan of West Toronto are the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson.

Mr. Jas. Campney and family have moved to Trenton, where Mr. Campney is employed in the yards of the C.P.R.

Mrs. Geeorge Frost, Mrs. A. E. Caskey, Mr. Beatty and Cecil Frost of Frankford visited friends in town last week.

Mrs. James Toms left last week for Parry Sound, where she will visit friends before leaving for her home in Coquitlam, B.C. Mrs. Toms has been in Havelock and vicinity since July visiting with friends and relatives.

Mr. J. A. Sexsmith, M.P., is in Ottawa attending Parliament, which opened Friday, January 19th.

Miss Blanche Lewis, Miss Gladys, Silcox and Mr. Wm. Lewis, have returned home from Rossmore, where they were the guests of Mrs. Bentley Symonds.

Mr. and Mrs. Kellar of Rush Lake Sask., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Aran Hubble.

Mr. W. J. Spencer of Frankford, spent a few days in this vicinity with friends last week.

The Annual Congregational meeting of the Presbyterian church was held on Friday night last at 7.30 in the basement of the church.

Mr. Lea, B.A., of Wycliffe College, Toronto, preached in St. John's church Sunday morning in the interests of the Dominion Alliance. While in town he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Covert.

Rev. Ben H. Spence, General Secretary of the Dominion Alliance preached in the Presbyterian church on Sunday morning last in the interest of the alliance.

Chairman Isaac Barlow and Secretary J. V. A. Coon were re-appointed at the inaugural meeting of the School Board on the 17th inst.

A Patriotic Concert under the auspices of the Anti-cigarette fraternity will be held in the Town Hall on Wednesday night, January 31st. The programme will include a three act drama, "The Unconscious Burglary" selections by a male quartette and a pugilistic encounter representing European campaign, illustrated by John Bull and Frita, the Teuton.

Pte. Archie Delbert Hubbell of South Lake is the latest recruit in the local platoon, passing his medical examination on Monday last.

Mrs. Dafoe has been visiting her brother, Mr. S. Doupe at Trent River the past week.

Miss Mary Wight of Trent River was a recent guest of Miss Katie Bannon.

Mrs. Ward Patterson and children of Peterborough were recent guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Scott, Trent River.

Mr. Jack Roche, of Toronto, is the guest of his brother, Mr. B. W. Roche.

Mrs. Wilde and children of Medicine Hat, is home on a visit to her brother, Mr. W. J. Holcombe and Mrs. Walter Wilde of town, after an absence of eighteen years.

Mr. Dan Barnett, of Toronto, spent the week end with his parents here.

Miss Taye McCleary, of Norwood, was in town Monday.

Mr. Esart, who has been in town relieving Mr. Laing, teller in the Bank of Toronto, has returned to Cobourg again.

Miss Adah Williams spent Saturday in Peterborough.

Mrs. W. J. Andrews, of Toronto, spent the week end in town.

Mr. Percy Innis of Toronto, was in town Saturday, wearing the British navy uniform. He expects to go overseas shortly.

Mr. T. P. Lancaster, spent Thursday last in Ottawa on business.

Mrs. George Scott, of Trent River, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ward Patterson of Peterborough.

LAKEFIELD PERSONALS

LAKEFIELD, Jan. 29. — Mrs. Thomas Watson is at present in Port Hope, visiting her son, Mr. T. J. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McIlmoyle, of Smith, were in the village to-day.

Mr. S. A. Northey of Smith, spent Saturday in the village.

Mr. Victor Young of Young's Point was in the village to-day.

Reeve Fitzgerald has returned to the village after spending the week in Peterboro, attending the county council.

The ice harvest is now on here. Mr. W. Webster is busily engaged again this year cutting ice and delivering it to his many customers.

Mrs. C. S. Carter spent Thursday in Peterboro.

Mr. Lorne Lonsburg of Warminster was in the village on Friday.

BALD HEADED LION DIES DESPITE TONIC

NEW YORK, Jan. 30. — Jack O'Brien, the head keeper of the animal enclosure at Prospect Park, and his attendants, are mourning the loss of an unnamed lion cub which contracted pneumonia on the way to Brooklyn from the Hippodrome, and died last Monday.

The cub was one of twins born at sea, and presented to Mrs. Charles B. Dillingham by the owner of the mother. Mrs. Dillingham housed the cubs as pets until they became so big that draperies and stuffed chairs began to fall before their playful caprices. The survivor, known as Dewey, is a very fine specimen of a lion and promises great development.

"In the few days that we knew the cub we grew to like her immensely," said Mr. O'Brien yesterday. "But at the outset we saw that she had not a chance to live, for she was dying when she came to us. If proper care had been taken I believe that she would have been saved. Her mate, Dewey, is one of the best cubs that I have ever seen and I expect that he will develop into a first rate lion.

A few days before the cub died Mr. O'Brien tried an experiment of rubbing a hair growing preparation on her scalp. Her head was quite bald at birth, and had she lived the head keeper believes he could have brought forth a fine shock of hair.

Give the Children Oranges and Save the Doctors' Bills. Sun-Kist 6d-25

Was the U-27

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

CHRISTIANIA, Jan. 30. — The German submarine recently reported sunk near Hammerfest, was the U-27, commanded by Captain Benber, according to information received here to-day.

"SILENT SENTINELS" DEFY ICY BLASTS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.— With cold feet and red noses due to a sharp wind from the north a delegation of 24 women from New York City, representing the Congresional Union for Women Suffrage, picketed the White House as part of the organization's appeal to President Wilson for a votes for women amendment to the constitution. This was "New York's Day" on a programme arranged so that women from all the larger cities may do their part in serving as "silent sentinels."

Because of the cold the women, who were headed by Miss Alice Carpenter, took turns serving as sentinels throughout the day, until half-past four o'clock, when they all appeared together in a line extending all along the sidewalk in front of the White House. Up to that time only four of the women were on duty at once. The full number was out for an hour.

President Wilson passed through the line once in an automobile, but went so fast that some of the suffragists did not recognise him. Several of the Cabinet members on their way to the Cabinet meeting bowed and smiled to the pickets.

"This is fine," said Miss Florence Harmon, one of the sentinels, as she stood on a hot brick holding a banner that read, "Mr. Wilson, what do you intend to do about woman suffrage?"

Principal Food in Hamburg Is Vegetable Soup

All Except the Wealthy Feel the Pinch of Hunger.

LONDON, Jan. 30. — The Times publishes the following special despatch from Milan:

"An Italian who has lived in Hamburg fifteen years has just arrived here from that city, which he left a week ago. He states that the food crisis has become an obsession, and that all, except persons of the wealthy classes are feeling the pinch of hunger. So far as Hamburg is concerned, he says, the British block ade already has won the war. The principal food now is vegetable soup. Marmalade and jams helped until recently, when the Government ordered the sequestration of all fruits, both fresh and preserved, for the army.

Many food riots have taken place in Hamburg. One especially serious occurred on Christmas Day when shops offering fowl and game—geese were priced at £5 ($25) each—were rifled and the police were unable to suppress the outbreaks.

"The Italian says that men of every sort and condition are now being accepted for the army. The last straw was the disillusionment over the peace proposals. Hamburg, which had been deflagged and hopeful, sank into grim melancholy.

"I, who watched the change throughout the thirty months of the war," he said, "maintain that there is no comparison beween the resistance to-day and that three months ago. Hunger is doing it."

PRESIDENT TO DIET— PERHAPS—FOR A DAY

TWENTY-FIVE CENT MENUS ARE SENT TO MRS. WILSON SUCH AS POLICE SQUAD GETS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29. — When Mrs. Eula Clary, one of the managers of the police "diet squad" in this city called on President Wilson recently, he was quoted as saying that he would try the twenty-five cents a day diet for one day if Mrs. Wilson, being the head of such things in the White House, consented to serve it. It was said that Mrs. Wilson was willing, and therefore Mrs. Clary sent to her the following menus for one day at the White House:

Breakfast—Oatmeal and milk, toast and butter, coffee; cost, seven cents.

Luncheon—Salmon croquettes with peas, one date, bread and butter, tea, cost, eight cents.

Dinner—Baked split peas, stuffed green peppers, whole wheat bread and butter, sliced oranges and bananas, tea; cost, ten cents.

Reading the menu many a patriotic boy will abandon his ambition to become the President of the United States, although Mr. Wilson had expressed his willingness to try it for only one day. The fact is, Mr. Wilson may have established a deplorable precedent for future Presidents.

Aside from having free board for nearly three weeks, with nothing to do, the twelve probationary policemen on the "diet squad" have gained a total of nineteen and a quarter pounds since adopting the diet at 25 cents a day, which is intended to prolong life and appease the uneasiness of the workingman over the increased cost of living.

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587th Bargain Annex Event — **Wednesday, Jan. 31st, 1917**

Bargain Annex

Ladies' White Flannelette Gowns, Exceptional Value 79c

Two lines that regularly sold at old price for $1.00 and $1.15. Splendid quality flannelette with self-embroidery trimmings—generously made sizes. Wednesday Leader. **79c**

18c White Indian Head Suiting 14½c yard

The quality is excellent and would be good buying at 18c yard— 32 inches wide. Suitable for ladies' skirts, suits, middies, etc. Wednesday Annex price will be yard **14½c**

Leader, 15c 27 inch White Flannelette 11½c yard

A flannelette with a heavy nap and easily worth 15c yard—27 inches wide. This is an item well worth your attention on Wednesday. Remember the former price was 15c yard. Wednesday Annex Leader price will be, yard **11½c**

Leader, Ladies' $10 and $12 Long Coats $1.95

One rack of ladies' long coats; colours are black, grey and navy, but mostly blacks—good range of sizes in the lot. Former selling prices were $10.00 and $12.00. For a Rush Clear-Away Sale in the Annex, each **1.95**

50c, 59c and 65c Dress Goods 39c yard

The selection is good—new lines—plain and fancy weaves—good range of colours. Regular stock values 65c and 60c, and a few at 50c and 55c. Annex price will be, yard **39c**

Leader, Early Morning Hour Sale 8.15 to 9.15 a. m.
10c Yard Wide Factory Cotton, 7½c yard

On sale only for the first hour's selling in the Annex on Wednesday morning—six hundred yards, full yard wide. Cut any length from 5 to 15 yards. No 'phone orders. Leader, yard..... **7½c**

27 inch Corduroy Velvets 49c yard

This Annex price is actually less than to-day's cost of production; full 27-inch width, in colours of navy, brown and Copenhagen. Annex, yard **49c**

Leader, New Annex Shipment Percale House Dresses 89c

Two hundred "Percale" house dresses the Annex buyer secured before the recent heavy price advances in all lines of cotton goods. A brand new style dress with medium high waist—semi-Dutch collar and button-ed front. Excellent selection of medium and dark colours—neat figured and striped patterns. Sizes 36 to 44. The Big Wednesday Annex Leader price **89c**

Women's Winter Weight Grey Underwear 24c garment

Women's splendid winter weight underwear—vests and drawers in light and natural colours. Next season they will sell for 40c a garment. Wednesday Annex, ea **24c**

Ladies' 65c Overall Aprons 46c

They are belted at the waist and pockets are bound with tape. Sizes 36 to 42; misses 14 to 16—mostly greys and blues. The regular value is 65c. Annex sale price will be **46c**

Leader, $1.55 Edgewood Flannelette Blankets $1.29 pair

"Edgewood" quality blankets—white only with blue or pink borders—size 60 x 76. To-day's regular price is $1.55, and will be much higher next season. One Wednesday Sale only at this low price. Leader, pair **1.29**

Leader, 30c and 35c 8-4 Bleached and Unbleached Sheeting 25c

Two great values in cotton sheeting. The unbleached regularly sells for 30c—the bleached at 35c. Both lines are 8/4 width. One Annex Sale only, yard..... **25c**

Leader, A New Lot of Coating, Skirting and Dress Goods Mill Ends $1.95

Many new ends in this lot of heavy wool coatings and tweed skirtings, 56 inches wide, also splendid selection of dress fabric ends in 4 and 5-yard lengths. Values in the lot run easily up to $4.00. Wednesday Annex Leader, end.... **1.95**

Leader, Excellent Quality Bleached Steamloom 8½c yard

"Monarch" cotton, full bleach. Soft longcloth finish. Bought nine months ago. The Annex price at which we are offering it is less than to-day's mill cost. This is an outstanding bargain on the Annex list. Annex Leader, yard..... **8½c**

Odd Lines of Children's Rubbers 25c pair

"Lion and Shefford Brands"—children's rubbers, odd lines and broken sizes from our regular stock. To clear Wednesday, pair **25c**

Sample Towels

A big selection of white and coloured bath towels, also of huckabacks. They are samples and each pair is marked much less than the regular price. Annex prices will make it well worth your while.

17c, 40 inch Factory Cotton 12½c yard

A firm clean factory cotton—40 inches wide—remarkably free from specks or other imperfections—will bleach perfectly. To-day's regular selling price is 17c. Wednesday Annex price, yard..... **12½c**

40c Bleached Table Linen 33c yard

We advise you to buy liberally of this line. Sold regularly at 40c; 52 inches wide. Wednesday Annex price will be, yard **33c**

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ANNUAL MEETING OF THE CENTRAL CHARITY BOARD

Annual Report Submitted—New Member Welcomed to the Board—List of Accounts Passed—Statement For the Month

The annual meeting of the Central Charity Board was held last evening. Mr. James Garside was welcomed as a new member, representing Park Street Baptist Church.

The following annual report was submitted:

RECEIPTS.

From City of Peterborough, general account	$ 2,600 00
From City of Peterborough, Protestant Home account	1,116.53
From City of Peterborough, House of Prov. account	279.36
Interest, Bank of Montreal	31.20
Balance at Credit Jan. 1, 1916	415.11
	$ 4,442.20

PAYMENTS.

Payments, general, during the year	$ 1,741.65
Payments, Protestant Home	1,555.57
Payments, House of Prov.	279.35
Balance at Credit	865.63
	$ 4,442.20
Balance at Bank of Montreal December 31, 1916	$ 1,237.98
Less Outstanding cheques	372.35
Balance	$ 865.63

ACCOUNTS PAID.

The following accounts were passed, Allison's $4; P. Counal and Son, $5; C. S. Curran, $6; A. Comstock, $30; M. J. Dunsford, $6; A. Fife, $15; J. M. Fleming, $6; House of Providence, London, $78; B. Heard, $18; R. Hicks Co., $42.50; T. R. Kennedy $4; F. J. Lynch $2; Peterborough Examiner $3.50; Protestant Home, $203.90; J. Speer, $6.43; J. J. Cocks, $8.00.

Following is the statement for the month:

	Since Last Meet.	Dur. 1917
Groceries	$91.63	$91.63
Fuel	93.85	93.85
Tickets	.....	.....
Home and Sundries	453.27	453.27
	$638.75	$638.75

DURING 1916

Groceries	$1,078.27
Fuel	520.25
Tickets	17.20
Home and Sundries	1,909.05
Total	$3,525.27

Canadian Cereal Mills Purchased By Quaker Oats Company

Peterboro' Company Will Establish a Branch in London

LONDON, Jan. 30.—It is stated on the best authority that the Quaker Oats Co., Peterborough, had purchased the Canadian Cereal Mills on Talbot street, and would make it one of the branch factories at once, with the probability that in the future it would be made the centre of the company's trade.

The Quaker Oats Company recently lost its big mill at Peterborough by fire, several people being burned to death.

As it would take some months to reestablish itself there, the directors looked about for premises that could be utilized in a very short time. The plant of the Canadian Cereals Company here could be purchased at a reasonable price, and it is understood that they went at once, and secured terms. No information as to the closing of the deal could be obtained from the local concern, but it is known definitely that the machinery is being changed, and that it will be used for other purposes than at present in a very short time.

The Cereals plant is most favourably located. It is on the main line of the Grand Trunk, with sidings, etc., and most admirably situated for business of this character. Manager J. A. Barnard stated to the Advertiser that he had no definite information that the deal had been closed, that any information of this nature must come from the headquarters of the firm at Toronto.

However, it is known definitely that the Quaker Oats Company had taken possession of it, and would start at once in manufacturing its product in London.

Former Peterboro' Man Returns To His First Love

Robert Smeaton White Has Rejoined Staff of Montreal Gazette

Montreal, which has been providing many thrills and surprises in the newspaper field of late, has furnished the public another this week. Robert Smeaton White, for the past twenty-one years collector of customs at the port of Montreal, has resigned that position and returns to the Montreal Gazette as its chief editorial writer, a position he occupied a generation ago.

Mr. White is one of the best known journalists in the Dominion, and his return to his first love will be pleasant news to his newspaper friends throughout the country. He was born at Peterborough, Ontario, in 1856, and educated at McGill University, Montreal. As a young man he joined the Gazette, of which his father, the late Hon. Thomas White, was editor-in-chief.

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Damages For News "Leak"

Western Union Appeals From Verdict Given to Wisconsin Editor

Wisconsin editors are much interested in the final outcome of a damage suit in their State, which is likely to be cited elsewhere as a precedent.

Walter T. Marlatt, editor of the Kenoska (Wis.) News, recently sued the Western Union Telegraph Company for alleged breach of confidence relative to news telegrams.

Circuit Judge E. B. Belden, of Racine, awarded Mr. Marlatt $3,000 punitory damages and $350 compensatory damages. The telegraph company has announced it will appeal to the Supreme Court.

Another Attempt To Kill Alfonso

Obstacle Placed on Railway Track Discovered in Good Time.

MADRID, via Paris, Jan. 30.—An attempt was made to wreck a train on which King Alfonso was a passenger. The royal train was preceeded by a freight train the engineer of which saw an obstacle on the track and removed it. Neither the royal train nor the freight suffered any damage.

The spot selected for the derailment was a particularly favourable one. The police have arrested two men, on one of whom was found code letters from Barcelona.

This is the second attempt on the life of the Spanish monarch reported within the past month. Both attempts were of the same nature. In the previous case the train in which King Alfonso was riding passed over ties that had been placed across the rails, and cut them to pieces without leaving the track.

Music & Drama

ALADDIN.

"Aladdin and His Wonderful Lamp," the English pantomime, presented by F. Stuart White's company at the Grand Opera House, last night, delighted the largest audience of the season with its tuneful music, bright humour and pretty girls. Every moment proved enjoyable, and one of the best things in the programme was the announcement that "Aladdin" is coming back to the Grand for a return engagement. Many in the audience who had enjoyed the visit of the Versatiles, the clever company of English entertainers who visited the Grand shortly before the outbreak of the war, were delighted to recognise Zara Clinto, Billy Oswald, Harry Hoyland and a number of other favourite versatiles in last night's cast. Miss Clinto was altogether delightful as "Aladdin," her pleasing personality and splendid voice admirably fitting her for the part of "principal boy." Billy Oswald, as "General Sam Fuse," was responsible for gales of laughter on his every appearance and he was given every assistance by a corps of fun-makers, including Harry Hoyland as the Widow Twankie, Marc Stone as the Grand Vizier, and J. V. Barrett-Lennard as the Mad Magician. A wonderful troupe of Japanese acrobats was a big feature. The musical numbers were all enjoyable; some of the hits were "The Silver from the Silvery Moon," "Little Miss Lancashire," "The Light that Leads Me Home," and "When Love Creeps in Your Heart," and while the comedy successes were "Jennie, My Own True Love," "What a Life," and "Shirts." Miss Clinto's singing of "Somewhere in France" was very effective. The whole performance was a delight and the return engagement will be eagerly awaited.

Yankee Captain Bumps Into British Fleet Off U. S. Coast

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Great Britain has stretched a cordon of battleships off the Virginia capes, in the hope of catching any hostile raiders or submarines putting into Norfolk or Newport News, was the information brought here by Captain Charles Beveridge, commander of the American freighter Moormack, arriving from South American ports.

"Last Monday night it was dark as pitch, and we were steaming under a full head steam for New York," he said. "The Moormack was off the Virginia capes about thirty miles S.S.E. of Cape Charles. I was in the wheel-house, when, shortly after ten o'clock struck, the flickity-flickity flash of a Morse light showed dead ahead. I thought at first I must be 'seeing things' as there were no lights of a vessel of other indications that we were near anything that might signal.

NARROWLY MISSED CRUISER

"I ordered the wheelman to put the helm hard over, and by doing so we narrowly missed running into a large British cruiser. She was standing stock still, and the only sign of life aboard, besides her Morse light were great clouds of black smoke that belched from her funnels.

"After narrowly averting a collision we passed on, and I ordered my wireless operator to call her, and try and establish her identity.

SEES LOTS OF THEM.

"Ten minutes later we encountered another fast cruiser, answering the first one with the Morse light. Their messages were in code and without the aid of a key were intelligible. Although my wireless operator called repeatedly, he received no reply.

"A little farther on three more cruisers were seen a short distance away. They, like the other two, were motionless, and flashed repeated signals to one another. No answer could be obtained by wireless from these either."

THINKCAP ORTEGAL IS HUN RAIDER NOW

RIVER PLATE LINER BELIEVED TO HAVE SLIPPED THROUGH THE BRITISH CORDON.

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, Jan. 30.—It is reported here that the German raider that has been operating off the Brazilian coast is neither the Moewe nor the Vineta, but the Cap Ortegal, a Hamburg South American liner. The Cap Ortegal is said to have evaded the British fleet after leaving Hamburg in disguise. According to this story the converted liner captured two British steamers which had sailed from the river Plate, took them to a port on the west coast of Africa, where they were armed and manned and then started them out to raid the South Atlantic shipping routes.

The Cap Ortegal is a vessel of 7,819 tons. She was built in Hamburg in 1904, and prior to the war, plied regularly between Hamburg and South American ports.

DEATH OF ADDISON J. WELL-KNOWN CAVAN RESIDENT

MILLBROOK, Jan. 30.—The death of John Mckaren took place at Cavanville on Wednesday, January 24th at the age of 85 years.

Deceased was born at Oxford, Quebec. He moved to Peterborough, nearly sixty years ago and five years ago he came to Cavan, where he has since resided. He was a member of the Church of England and a Conservative. He was united in marriage to Elisabeth Widdis, of Cavan township about 53 years ago, who predeceased her husband by seven years. To this union, nine children were born, six sons and three daughters, all of whom survive their parents. The sons are John, George, of the United States, William, Fred and Sidney, of Cavan, Alex. of Saskatchewan, and Thomas of Toronto. The daughters are Mrs. Charles Hard of Cavan, Miss Elisabeth McLaren and Mrs. R. Hard of Sask.

The funeral to St. John's cemetery, Cavan, on Friday, January 26, was largely attended. Rev. Canon Allen conducted the services at the house and grave.

The pallbearers were: Jas. Douglas, E. Keegan, Jas. Keegan, W. Tinney, W. Pritchard, and Joshua Swain.

WOMEN FORCED GOV'T TO HAND OVER COAL

PARIS, Jan. 30.—Three hundred and fifty women employed in a Paris factory which was forced to shut down recently for lack of coal, have forced an interpellation of the Government upon the coal situation in France.

The factory proprietors advised the women employes to confer with M. Herriot, Minister of Ravataillement.

Immediately they formed a procession and marched to the Ministry where they demanded coal for the factory in order that they might continue their work.

After the demonstration by the women, the proprietor was informed that he would receive at once a month's supply of coal.

MINISTER RETURNS.

Six Days to Elapse Before Mr. Sevigny Enters House.

OTTAWA, Jan. 29.— Hon. Albert Sevigny will arrive in Ottawa to-day and will be given an enthusiastic reception by his friends. There are certain formalities which have to be followed before he can take his seat in the House. Following the official declaration to-morrow a delay of six days is required by the law before the returning officer can make his return of the election to the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery. Mr Sevigny can then take his seat.

TRAGIC EVENTS IN CONNECTION WITH THE DEATH OF COL. GORRELL

LONDON, Jan. 30.—Further inquiry concerning the manner in which Colonel Charles W. Gorrell of Ottawa, formerly commandant of the Canadian Red Cross Hospital at Taplow met death through poison reveals a series of events tragic in every particular. A druggist had just previously warned his landlady that Dr. Gorrell had purchased an unusually large quantity of prussic acid. He was found in front of a grate fire with his clothes burned.

THE "GRAVE IRREGULARITIES

It is now common knowledge that grave irregularities were discovered at Taplow some time back and Col. Gorrell was suspended pending the inquiry. This led to the court-martial of the hospital Sergeant-Major, who received a term of penal servitude.

Another inquiry was recently conducted at the request of the Canadian Red Cross with the result that having been considered by the Canadian Military authorities, they decided to put the conclusions before the Red Cross for them, as a civil body, to take whatever action they might choose for themselves.

We are authoritatively informed that the military authorities had no intention of bringing their code of law to bear upon Colonel Gorrell.

DAILY VISITED HEADQUARTERS

Meanwhile, he had resumed civilian clothes living in London and visiting Canadian headquarters every few days to learn, if possible, what the future held for him. He spent four months under this suspense and the strain upon his was plain to those who chanced to see him. The formerly big hearty man became bent and thin.

The most pitiful thing was the manner in which he endeavored to avoid all his old acquaintances passing along narrow byways in his melancholy journeys, constantly nervous at the possibility of confronting those who had known him as head of one of the largest Canadian hospitals.

The events were dramatic. Dr. Gorrell was living on Portedown Road, Maida Vale, at the house of Mrs. McBonagh of Regina, who had known him well in Canada and who keeps a private convalescent home.

He left there in the morning and went to Victoria street to see Sir George Perley and he afterwards called at the Red Cross offices in Cockspur street. He returned home at lunch time.

"I have a most awful headache," he remarked to his hostess, but declined to order anything special.

WARNING BY DRUGGIST.

A short time later he was heard to go out, and it was remarked that he banged the door behind him, quite an unusual thing for him. Meanwhile, the lady of the house received a visit from a neighboring druggist who told her his assistant had served Colonel Gorrell with an unusually large quantity of prussic acid a few days previously. He would not have been supplied with so much if it had not been known that he was a doctor. Nevertheless the druggist was uneasy at the amount served by his assistant.

Some time later Mrs. McBonagh went to Colonel Gorrell's rooms and found his dead body in the arm-chair by the fire. The feet were in the grate and the greater part of his clothing had been burned away.

A curious thing was that no bottle or glass was found near the body, and it is supposed, therefore, that he took the poison outside of the house, then rushed in and collapsed on reaching the room where he fell towards the fire.

A sealed letter addressed to the Judge Advocate General was found on the table, which remains for the time being with the coroner.

Col. Gorrell assumed command of Taplow Hospital when it was first opened in the early months of the war. The hospital was then merely a compromise, a covered tennis court on the Astor estate. Since then additions have been made, until it has become one of the largest hospitals in England.

Prussic or hydrocyanic acid is one of the deadliest of poisons. The only acid sold is two per cent. strength. It is intensely poisonous, even if only absorbed through the skin or if its vapor is inhaled, "while" according to the encyclopedia, "a single drop of the anhydrous acid, if swallowed, causes instantaneous death by paralysis of the heart, smaller doses causing paralysis of respiration, and of the spinal cord and deep insensibility."

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180 only, fancy Ladies' Waists. Voiles and fancy stripes. All sizes. Wednesday Specials 98c

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Special sale of several lines of well-known brands of Underskirts. All neatly finished. Wednesday Special 1.00

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Three Specials in Women's Suits. These are all new style and made of best materials:—
All Suits up to $17.50. Wednesday $10.00
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All Suits up to $25.00. Wednesday $15.00

$6.00 TO $6.50 GIRLS' COATS, $2.98
Girls' Warm Winter Coats, made of Cheviots and Mixed Tweeds, fit 4 to 8 years. Were $5.00 to $6.50. Wednesday Special 2.98

DRESSING SACQUES, 75c
Fancy Cashmerette Dressing Sacques in large floral designs. Sizes 36 to 42. Wednesday Special 75c

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WINDOW SHADES, 29c
Window shades, cream colour; slightly soiled. Wednesday Special 29c

FLOOR OILCLOTH, 45c
Good serviceable quality in one and two-yard widths. Block and floral designs. Wednesday Special..... 45c

LINOLEUM, 69c
Four-yard wide Linoleum in red, floral or green block design. Wednesday Special 69c

CARPET REMNANTS, $1.59
75 odd lengths of Brussel Carpet, manufacturers' samples and short ends. Mostly 1¾-yard lengths, with fringe complete. Wednesday Special 1.59

WHITE ENAMEL BEDS, $3.95, $4.95 and $5.95
30 only, White Enamel Beds, some with brass trimmings. 4 sizes. Wednesday Special $3.95, $4.95 and 5.95

CHINTZ CURTAINS COMPLETE, $1.95
Chintz Curtains complete with overdrape. Suitable for living room or bedroom. Wednesday Special 1.95

BRUSSELS STAIR CARPET, $1.25
Brussels Stair Carpet, 27 inches wide, in three good designs, in green or fawn, with bright cheerful borders. Worth to-day $1.75. Wednesday Special, yard..... 1.25

MATTRESSES, $3.45
Mattress, all sizes, sanitary filling, well stitched, covered with best quality of ticking. Wednesday Special 3.45

FACTORY YARNS, 95c
Best quality Canadian Factory Yarns, in 2 and 3 ply. In black, light and mid gray, gray and black and all white. Wednesday Special, per lb. 95c

BABY DRESSING SACQUES, 15c
To clean up odd lines of Baby Sacques, trimmed with pink or blue. Wednesday Special..... 15c

MAIN FLOOR SPECIALS

VAL. LACE, 3 YARDS 10c
Val Lace up to one inch wide. Various patterns. Wednesday Special ..... 3 yards 10c

ENVELOPES, 4 PACKAGES 10c
Montrose Linen Envelopes, 1 dozen to package. Wednesday Special ..... 4 packages 10c

COLLAR BAGS, 35c
Gents' Collar Bags, with pull cord, in red, green, or brown. Regular 50c. Wednesday Special..... 35c

NEW MODE COMBINATIONS, $1.25
Women's Combinations in new mode style, with Dutch neck, elbow sleeves, ankle length. Sizes 36 to 42. Wednesday Special 1.25

WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR SUIT, 50c
Women's Winter Weight Underwear high neck, long sleeves, drawers either style. Regular 78c suit. Wednesday Special, suit 50c

WOOL NAP BLANKETS, $2.98
Pink or blue border. Size 64 x 76. Regular $3.50. Wednesday Special 2.98

COMFORTERS, $1.98
These were purchased by us previous to the advance in price. Are covered with best quality washing turkey red chintz, and filled with pure white batting. Size 60 x 72. Wednesday Special 1.98

TAYLOR'S FAMOUS "BLUE BIRD" TOILET PREPARATIONS
"Blue Bird" Toilet Soaps; fine French Milled Soaps, beautifully perfumed, 3 cakes in a box. Special price 25c

Taylor's Medicated Antiseptic Soap, specially prepared as a standard brand for nurses and hospital use. 3 cakes in a box. Special price..... 25c

TOWELS, 4 PAIR $1.00
An extra special in serviceable quality Huckaback Towels. Hemmed. Regular 35c pair. Wednesday Special, ... 4 pair 1.00

BED SPREADS, $1.23
Honeycomb Bed Spreads, fit double size bed. Wednesday Special 1.23

SECONDS IN CASHMERE HOSE, 49c
Seconds means a drop stitch or some slight inperfection, but does not affect the wearing qualities, and this is one of the best lots we have ever received. Are full fashioned high grade lines. Wednesday Special..... 49c

PETER PAN HOSE, 25c
Made of best hard twisted cotton yarns, with reinforced feet, heel and toe. Sizes 6½ to 10. All one price. Wednesday Special 25c

SOUVENIR FLAG HANDKERCHIEFS, 15c
A handsome novelty handkerchief with Canadian flag or Lion Emblem. Regular 25c. Wednesday Special 15c

SCRIBBLING BOOKS, 2 FOR 5c
Children's School Scribbling Books. Wednesday Special ..... 2 for 5c

A PARTIAL LIST OF SPECIALS FROM OUR TOILET DEPARTMENT
Vaseline, 2 bottles for 9c
Pears' Soap, 3 cakes for 25c
Bath Mits, 2 for 7c
Tooth Brushes, 3c, 2 for 15c
Castile Soap, 2 cakes 9c
Hair Brushes 19c
Bath Hand Scrubs, 2 for..... 5c

BASEMENT SPECIALS

ELECTRIC IRONS, $3.45
One of the newest and most reliable models. Guaranteed for all time. Wednesday Special..... 3.45

STEEL ASH SIFTERS, 25c
The thrifty housewife's most economical utensil. Sift your ashes and you will be surprised at the saving. Wednesday Special 25c

97-PIECE DINNER SET, $10.00
A complete set for 12 people in the neat blue and green pattern. Made of English Semi Porcelain. Worth to-day $15.00. Wednesday Special..... 10.00

Guernsey Ramikins—Also Custard Cups, brown outside and white lined. Guaranteed to stand all fire heat in cooking. Wednesday Special, each 10c

TOILET SETS, $1.97
Plain white English Semi-Porcelain Toilet Set. An exceptional basement special. Wednesday Special 1.97

BERRY SETS, 89c
Consisting of bowl and six nappies. Several patterns to choose from. Some are a beautiful floral design. Worth up to $1.50. Wednesday Special 89c

WHITE ENAMEL WATER PAILS, 69c
Water Pails, enamelled both on the inside and outside. Regular 98c. Wednesday Special..... 69c

GRANITE DISH PANS, 50c
14-quart Granite Dish Pans. Wednesday Special 50c

STERNO STOVES, 75c
Just the article for the boys at the front. Quick to heat. Wednesday Special 75c

Taylor's "Blue Bird" Talcum, beautiful fine powder, in large 6-oz. glass jars with a very convenient sprinkler top. Special price 25c

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Taylor's Tooth Paste, recommended by leading dentists, per bottle 25c

Purchase of Two Hundred Million Acres in Western Canada is Suggested

British Government Would Supply Purchase Money on Condition That Canada Spends the Whole Capital in Immediate Development of the Lands Empire Resources Committee Suggest the Scheme Which is Heartily Approved by Lord Milner.

LONDON, Jan. 30.—Is Canada willing to see 200 million acres of Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba and British Columbia lands developed forthwith by British state money to provide means of paying off the Empire's war debt? This stupendous proposition is to-day put before the public by the newly formed Empire Resources Committee of which Earl Grey, Lord Desborough, Lord Plymouth, Lord Selborne, Rudyard Kipling, Horace Plunkett, Sir Starr Jameson, Colonel Grant Morton Frewen are members.

Lord Milner gives the scheme his blessing and but for his membership of the War Cabinet would be the president of the committee. A memorandum of the committee suggests that an Imperial Development Board be formed to arrange with the Dominion of Canada for the purchase of two million acres of arable land in Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba and British Columbia for say forty millions sterling paid by England at the rate of ten millions yearly, on condition that the Dominion Government spends the whole of the capital in the immediate development of the lands.

It is believed the value of these lands in such an Empire farm would speedily reach twenty pounds per acre, or altogether the Empire would receive in cash four thousand millions sterling, which is the value of its debt for the war. The committee realise the possibilities of this and similar plans affecting the other Dominions which they say are sending. Meanwhile the committee is proceeding with suggestions affecting the resources of the Crown colonies and protectorates and of India.

WILL THERE BE SOME FIREWORKS?

Sir Sam Hughes will Speak in the House To-day

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 23.—Somewhat limited gallery space in the present temporary parliament building promises to be overtaxed this afternoon judging by the number of tickets of admission which have been issued to people anxious to hear Sir Sam Hughes speak. There is much speculation as to what the ex-Minister will say. Some are inclined to think that he will start some "fireworks."

LIVE STOCK MARKET

Examiner Special:

TORONTO, Jan. 30.—Live stock receipts, fair; trade quiet. Heavy steers, $10.50 to $10.75. Hogs $14 to $14.10. Others, unchanged.

Heavy G. T. R. Engines On Local Division

The new heavy 1204 compound engines began their regular traffic over the local division of the G.T.R. on Sunday. The line from Midland to Belleville has been completely relaid with heavy rails and the result of the improvement is found in the extra work the larger engines are doing. An engine of the 1204 type easily accepts the work performed by a double-header of the lighter variety that has had this division as a sort of a happy and noisy preserve. The big engines pick up these loads easily and find little difficulty in negotiating the grades. One of them went through the city this afternoon.

VALENTINE TEA WILL BE HELD

The Business Girls' Club are planning to have a "Valentine Tea" on Saturday, February 17th, both afternoon and evening, the proceeds of which will be used for providing comforts for the soldiers. Please keep this date in mind. The Business Girls' Club are now working once a week for the Red Cross. They have use of the room over Lysch's Drug Store for this purpose and it is hoped that every member of the Club will keep aside Monday night every week so that much may be accomplished.

MISS M. FERGUSON GETS $100 FROM A. LOW FOR TRESPASS ON PROPERTY

In the Ferguson vs. Low case, judgment was given in favour of the plaintiff by Judge Huycke, this morning. Miss Margaret Ferguson owns a lot on Simcoe street, adjoining Mr. Abraham Low's property. It was shown that the dividing fence enclosed a small triangular portion of the property designated in Mr. Low's deed. It was from 2 1-2 to 3 feet wide and extended back to a point where the exact dividing line existed. Miss Ferguson had owned the lot for thirty years. Mr. Low built a garage which encroached on this piece of land and the plaintiff claimed trespass damages. Judge Huycke decided that the plaintiff owned the strip of land by adverse possession for the past ten years. He awarded Miss Ferguson $30, being the cost to remove the concrete foundation of the garage; $20 for lilac and cherry trees the defendant had cut down, and $50 for trespass; a total of $100 damages. His Honour confirmed Miss Ferguson's possession of the strip of land, and suggested that if she should sell it to Mr. Low that he pay $175 for it.

Mr. G. N. Gordon appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. J. E. L. Goodwill for the defendant.

A Message TO Thin, Weak, Scrawny Folks

An Easy Way to Gain 10 to 20 Pounds Of Solid, Healthy Permanent Flesh.

Thin, nervous, undeveloped men and women everywhere are heard to say, "I can't understand why I do not get fat. I eat plenty of good nourishing food." The reason is just this: You cannot get fat, no matter how much you eat, unless your digestive organs assimilate the fat making elements of your food instead of passing them out through the body as waste.

What is needed is a means of gently urging the assimilative functions of the stomach and intestines to absorb the oils and fats and hand them over to the blood, where they may reach the starved, shrunken, run-down tissues and build them up. The thin persons body is like a dry sponge—eager and hungry for the fatty materials of which it is being deprived by the failure of the alimentary canal to take them from the food. A splendid way of working to overcome this sinful waste of flesh building elements and to stop the leakage of fats is to try Sargol, the famous flesh building agent that has been so widely sold in America in recent years. Take a little Sargol tablet with every meal and see if your cheeks don't quickly fill out and rolls of firm, healthy flesh form over your body, covering each bony angle and projecting point. All good druggists have Sargol or can get it from their wholesaler, and will refund your money if you are not satisfied with the gain in weight it produces as stated on the guarantee in each large package. It is inexpensive, easy to take and highly efficient.

If you find a druggist who is unable to supply you with Sargol send $1.00 money order or registered letter to the Nationa Laboratories, 74 St. Antoine St., Montreal and a complete ten days' treatment will be sent you postpaid in plain wrapper.

MR. GILLESPIE AT FENELON FALLS

North County Liberals Manifest Great Enthusiasm

FENELON FALLS, Jan. 29. — The Liberals of North Victoria and Haliburton, who were organized only a year ago under the able Presidency of Dr. H. H. Graham, had a large and enthusiastic gathering at their annual meeting here.

George A. Gillespie, M.P.P. for Peterborough, who is very popular with the north country Liberals, delivered a practical and lucid address, defining the policy of the Liberal party in provincial affairs. He congratulated the association upon the improvement in the development of their organization since he had had the pleasure of meeting them a year ago.

W. Newman, Lorneville, prospective Liberal candidate at the next election also addressed the meeting, having a rousing reception. Mr. Newman declared that every Liberal's first duty was to do everything possible to win the war; that Prussianism must be destroyed, root and branch, no matter what the cost.

Other speakers were: Dr. H. H. Graham, Dr. Johnson, James Dickson, J. Laking, D. Doherty, Alex. McGhee and Mr. Nevison, all prominent Liberals in the riding.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Honorary President, James Dickson, Fenelon Falls; President Dr. H. H. Graham, Fenelon Falls; Vice-Presidents, J. Laking, Haliburton D. Doherty, Kinmount; John Welsh, Minden; Wm. McClune, Fenelon Falls; W. Tait, Highland Grove; R. C. Short, Tory Hill; Secretary Treasurer, J. B. MacKay, Fenelon Falls.

A special financial committee was also appointed, consisting of Mr. Nevison Mr. George Martin and Mr. Alex. McGhee.

RECITAL AT THE CONSERVATORY ON SATURDAY

On Saturday afternoon a recital was held in the Conservatory of Music by the elementary pupils of Mr. R. Gliddon, Miss Elcome, Miss McLaren, Miss Johnston, Miss Logan and Miss Sullivan.

This was the first appearance of these small tots at the popular Studio Teas. The programme was as follows:

Leonard Rambo — (a) Krogman, Christmas; (b) Lang, Harvest Home.

Margaret Johnston — Spanish Dance; Ocilian Chimes.

Tom Darcy—(a) Zilcher Waltz, (b) Clementi Allegro.

Howard Young — Violin solo; Queen of Drowsy Land.

Mary Mulholland—Home, Sweet Home.

Kenneth French—Sartoria Waltz.

Annie Downs—Senatina.

Gladys Greene — Dennie, Petite Valse.

Ted Connors—Violin solo; Thome Simple Aven.

Gwendolin Donnly—Sartoria, "By the Mill."

Geo. Huffman—(a) Schafer, Minuet Elegante, Op. 57; (b) Bucher; Military March.

Y. M. C. A. NEWS

Major O'Flynn of the 247th Battalion will be the speaker at the regular mid-week meeting of the Canadian Standard Efficiency Tests groups, Wednesday evening, January 31st.

Major O'Flynn will tell the story of the first Canadians in France, also the method of trench warfare and fighting on the western front in general.

Major O'Flynn has kindly consented to place on exhibition a collection of souvenirs from the battle fields of France. This is a good chance for the boys to get first hand information of what the Canadian soldier is required to go through in France. The lecture will be free to all members of the Y.M.C.A.

THOMAS MOTT DIED IN MANITOBA

Special to The Examiner.

HAMILTON, Jan. 30.—Thomas Mott, age seventy-five years, father of William Mott, Peterborough, died last night at his home, 86 Baresdale Avenue, Hamilton. He was born and resided his entire life in Hamilton. He leaves a wife and another son, Roy of New Haven, Indiana, and one daughter. Interment will take place Wednesday afternoon in Hamilton.

The Folly of Taking Digestive Pills

A Warning to Dyspeptics.

The habit of taking digestive pills after meals makes chronic dyspeptics of many thousands of men and women because artificial digestants, drugs and medicines have practically no influence upon the excessively acid condition of the stomach contents which is the cause of most forms of indigestion and dyspepsia.

The after dinner pill merely lessens the sensitiveness of the stomach nerves and thus gives a false sense of freedom from pain. If those who are subject to indigestion, gas, flatulence, belching, bloating, heartburn, etc., after eating would get about as ounce of pure bisurated magnesia from their druggist and take a teaspoonful in a little water after meals, there would be no further necessity for drugs or medicines because bisurated magnesia instantly neutralizes stomach acidity, stops food fermentation and thus insures normal, painless digestion by enabling the stomach to do its work without hindrance.

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Board of Works This Evening

The Board of Works of the City Council will meet this evening at 8 o'clock. With the entire City Council on the Board a good long session may be looked for.

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THE WORLD OF SPORT

PETERBORO' JUNIORS GROUP CHAMPIONS

Oshawa Club Have Defaulted and There Will Be No Game To-night---Fast Kingston Frontenacs Will Meet Petes Here in a Second Round Game on Monday Night Next.

There will be no hockey game at Brock street rink to-night. The Oshawa Club has decided to default the series and the Peterborough juniors are therefore group champions, and go into the second round, where they will meet the fast Kingston juniors, champions of Group No. 1. Kingston will play here next Monday night, February 5th, and the return game will be played in Kingston on Friday, February 9th, it is expected.

There will be general disappointment at the calling off of to-night's game. The Peterborough youngsters are disappointed because they wanted a chance to win the group honours on the ice, and the fans will be disappointed because they were looking forward to seeing another red hot battle against Oshawa.

The Oshawa management notified the local club late last night that they would hardly be able to get a team together and would have to drop out, and Manager Bradley confirmed this news this morning. The disqualification of Osborne, and the promotion of Rowden to the intermediate ranks, left the Brailleyites two men short, and although they tried this morning to fill the gaps with two soldier players, they were unable to do so, owing to the fact that the 182nd Battalion is receiving its final innoculation to-day

Although the fans will be disappointed they will have the satisfaction of knowing that there is a treat in store for them next Monday in the visit of the Kingston Frontenacs, who cleaned up No. 1 District without a defeat. This is the first time since 1912 that the Peterborough juniors have reached the second round, and the game with Kingston on Monday should be the feature event of the season with the biggest crowd of the year on hand.

WITH THE CURLERS

Opportunity For Scratch Games.

It was the intention of the rink management this season to provide sufficient spare ice for nightly scratch games. Last night for instance there were only three scheduled games and one scratch, leaving three ices unoccupied. At no time this winter have there been more than five rinks of scheduled games. This means that the new men especially, may take advantage of the opportunity of making up rinks for scratches. If this is kept in mind it will give the new players all the curling they desire if they get around and arrange for it.

Skips For Trophy Games.

The following skips have been selected for the Lindsay, Orillia and Toronto games:

Neill-Shephard Trophy; Orillia Vs. Peterborough.

At Orillia—G. W. Morrow, W. H. Taylor, G. H. Giroux and J. W. McDermid.

At Peterborough —W. M. Lang, R. M. Waddell, W. D. Campbell and Alex. Kay.

Peterborough-Lindsay Games.

At Lindsay— W. M. Lang, R. M. Waddell, W. D. Campbell and A. Kay.

At Peterborough—W. G. Morrow, W. H. Taylor, G. H. Giroux, J. W. McDermid.

Fitzgerald-Bottom Trophy; Peterborough Vs. Bobcaygeon.

At Bobcaygeon — Dr. Wightman T. Brightman T. F. Matthews, and J. E. A. Fitzgerald.

At Peterborough—Sam Ray, John A. Cameron, W. G. Ferguson, R. G. Sturgeon.

Peterborough Vs. Toronto Victorias.

At Toronto—R. M. Waddell, W. G. Morrow, T. F. Matthews, D. Davidson and R. Hicks.

At Peterborough—H. F. Foote, W. H. Taylor, R. G. Sturgeon ,Dr. Greer and T. Brightman.

Peterborough Vs. Toronto Granites.

At Toronto—J. H. Ferguson, W. G. Ferguson, F. M. Dela Fosse W. H. Denham.

At Peterborough—H. R. H. Kenner, Sam Ray, R. P. Best and G. H. Giroux.

SCHEDULED GAMES ARE DRAWING TO A CLOSE.

Monday next is the concluding date of the inter-rink games, but owing to the many postponements early in the month due to the adverse weather conditions. The games should be wound up by February 5th, but a week or more of grace will doubtless be allowed to complete the games.

In group one R. M. Waddell has the highest standing to-day with four wins, one loss and six games to play. In group two Alex. Kay and Dr. Wightman are tied with five wins each, and Dickson Davidson and R. G. Sturgeon with four each.

Last Night's Scores.

Last night's games resulted as follows:

Dr. Weldon	J. K. Costain
W. J. Henry	G. Benor
P. D. Fitzgerald	E. L. Bowes
A. C. Kay,	C. Seymour,
Skip.....12	Skip..... 7
H. Johnston	F. H. McGarrell
R. Grant	J. F. Linton
G. H. Logie	M. C. Tooley
D. Davidson,	A. Archibald,
Skip.....11	Skip..... 6
S. G. Graham	G. Canning
C. S. Brown	L. A. Turner
J. Wiley	W. J. Thompson
Dr. Wightman,	W. G. Morrow,
Skip.....11	Skip.....13

HOCKEY GOSSIP

THE "C. P. R. WHITEWASHED"
Time—10.00 to 11.00 p.m.
Place—Brock Street Rink.
Whitewashers—Quaker Oats.

Brock Street Rink was the scene of the most exciting game of hockey of the year last night, when the Quaker Oats whitewashed the C.P.R., in superb style. The C.P.R. arrived with about half a team but managed to collect enough pro's around the rink to make seven men, but this did not at all baffle the Quaker Oats bunch who were full of "pep" from the first sound of the gong. The game started with a combination play by Malane and the lively little rover, Sheehan, the latter scoring the first goal in about one half minute of play. It might be said that Sheehan was the star man, he was always working and his shooting counted most every time. Perry and Malane were also feature players for the Quaker Oats team. The Quaker Oats did all their scoring in the first half and in the second half they decided to give the C.P.R. a chance so allowed them to use eight men. The new man who is not unpopular in hockey circles saved the C.P.R. from being whitewashed the second time, our good naturedness forces us to refrain from exposing the name of this pro.

It was indeed a sad affair and if any man glorified in the defeat of the C.P.R. team it was the Quaker Oats defence man Brooks, who for a number of years captained the C.P.R hockey teams, although he admits that in those days he had a real team behind him which were never known to be whitewashed. Hoping the C.P.R. are not entirely discouraged, we extend our deepest sympathy and wish them more luck with their future opponents. While we ourselves hope to meet and defeat a few more teams, while the ice is in good shape.

The game was refereed in a most satisfactory manner to both teams.

SCORE

Quaker Oats	7
C. P. R.	0

QUAKER OATS LINE-UP

Goal—H. G. Pidgeon; defence A. M. Pidgeon, Brooks; left wing Perry; right wing, Payne; rover, Sheehan; centre, Malane. Trainer, Fred Franks

(This report came over the Examiner's leased wire.)

The Peterborough juniors will practice to-morrow night at 7 o'clock at Brock street rink. In view of next Monday's semi-final game with Kingston, every player is expected out at all the practices this week.

OPEN BONSPIEL HERE FROM FEB. 20TH TO 22

The open bonspiel at the curling rink will be held on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, February 20th to 22nd. It is expected that there will be a large attendance of clubs from this district and to that end the announcement is being sent out to the clubs of this district. The bonspiel committee has already begun work with Mr. R. Hicks as chairman and Mr. W. G. Morrow secretary. In the past the committee has left nothing unprovided for a successful bspiel, and it is expected that there will be a big draw this year.

BOWLING.

Business Men and Wholesale Grocers play Wednesday night in a League game.

CLEANING, PRESSING AND REPAIRING.

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Greeks Endorse Venizelos Gov't

Large Body of Influential Greeks in Boston Seek United States Recognition of Provisional Government

In the city of Boston two thousand, six hundred and fifty-six Greeks, representing a majority of the more prominent Greek business men of the city, have made representations to President Wilson for recognition of the Venizelos government. This goes to show that the sympathies of this particular body of Greeks are with the Allies. Their request was made in the following form:

To the President of the United States, Washington, D. C.:

The undersigned respectfully request the President of the United States that in consideration of the fact that three quarters of he Kingdom of Greece abandoning the antinational and arbitrary Government of Athens, constituted a liberal government for themselves, a Government inspired by the eternal principles, emanating from the American Proclamation of Independence, known as the Provisional Government of Greece in Salonica, in consideration also of the fact that this Provisional Government has decided to recognize none of the official acts and documents issued by the Consular authorities depending from the Government of Athens, a measure, which is of vital interest to Americans, foreigners and subjects of the territories under the Provisional Government of Salonica, the Government of the United States do recognize de jure said Provisional Government of Salonica, and the official representatives of same, as they have been already recognized by the Governments of the Entente Powers.

OFFERED HIRED MAN BOARD AND TOBACCO

Judge Roger of Cobourg, in a recent Division Court case at Port Hope awarded Samuel Gilchrist $20 and costs against Thos. Matthews for whom he had worked as farm hand from June 5th, 1916 to Nov. 5th. The defendants stated that they had not agreed to pay Gilchrist anything for his services except his board and tobacco. Gilchrist denied the agreement. He had received tobacco, a chew at a time, and $1.60. The Port Hope Times comments as follows.

It is no wonder that our country cousins find it difficult to secure help during the season of harvest when they are willing to pay a mere pittance, and this at a time when all farm products are sold at extremely high prices such rural gentry (?) appear to have forgotten that slavery was abolished on this continent many years ago. Think of a farmer in this Canada of ours wishing a man to labour for him during the hottest July and August on record for only board and tobacco!

HAS NO ARMS, BUT IS SUCCESS AT FARMING

Although without arms Perry Dunmire, a farmer residing twenty miles north of Bloomington, Illinois, ranks with the most successful agriculturists of central Illinois. He lost both arms at the shoulder in a railway accident ten years ago.

Although the misfortune would have completely disheartened most men, Dunmire decided to make the best of it. After sizing up various fields of usefulness he decided that farming was the most inviting and he has been a student of crop rotation and soil fertility ever since the accident.

In addition he has been learning not only to do his work without arms but also to do it better than most men who are possessed of these useful limbs. What he cannot do with the combined assitance of his shoulders and teeth, he can accomplish with his feet, with which he is as dexterous as most people are with their hands.

WRITES WITH HIS FOOT.

Here are some of the things that Dunmire has learned to do successfully. Drive a five horse team to a gang plough; plant corn as well as anyone, drive a cultivator; drive an automobile; fire the furnace; open any door of the house; dress himself with the exception of attaching his collar; and write.

About the only things that he cannot do are harnessing the horses and milking the cows. He employs a hired man the year around to do such work. In driving his automobile he uses his shoulders to control the steering wheel.

He has learned to write with his feet, holding the pen between his toes—he has grown so expert that few will believe that his chirography was not produced by a trained hand and fingers.

Dunmire occupies a farm of 120 acres and it ranks as one of the best kept in the country. He pays special attention to the condition of the buildings and the grounds, has a well kept flower and vegetable garden, and his fences are always in good condition. The house is a model of convenience, electricity being utilized in many ways to promote comfort and save labor.

The barn and other outer buildings are carefull designed and marked by modern ideas. All details were carefully planned by the owner and the results have been most successful.

Dunmire is married.

W. J. BURNS FINED $100 FOR MUNITION "LEAK" ACTIVITY

Morgan Employes Acquitted in Case Involving Searc of Seymour and Seymour Office.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Wm. J. Burns, head of the detective agency bearing his name, was convicted in Special Sessions of having 'published' the contents of letters and other private papers taken, without the consent of their owners, from the office of Seymour and Seymour, lawyers, in the Equitable Building.

Mr. Burns had been accused jointly with Martin Egan, publicity director of J. P. Morgan and Co. Justices Freschi, Collins and Garvin decided, however, that there was no evidence to show Mr. Egan had divulged the contents of the correspondence to any one and he was acquitted.

Although Mr. Burns was absolved from any improper motives in doing what he did, a fine of $100 was imposed by Justice Freschi. The fine was paid under protest. De Lancey Nicoll, of counsel for the accused man, announcing that the conviction would be appealed. The extreme penalty is $500 fine or one year imprisonment.

The case was the direct outgrowth of the public protest about a year ago against polict 'tapping' of telephone wires into the homes of officials of individuals. While the controversy was at its height the members of the firm of Seymour and Seymour announced that they had reason to believe their telephone wires had been "tapped."

Investigation of this charge brought the startling revelation that here had been a "leak" from the Morgan offices. It clearly was intimated in briefs submitted at the trial of Messrs. Burns and Egan that Count von Bernstorff was in a position to obtain the information that "leaked" out of the Morgan offices.

Morgan Employees Get Copies.

Mr. Burns was employed by Mr. Egan as soon as the "leak" was discovered. Testimony showed that, with the permission of the landlord of the building in which the Seymour and Seymour offices were, Mr. Burns installed dictaphones and copied letters found on desks in the place. Copies of those letters were taken by Mr. Burns to the Morgan offices, the testimony showed, and turned over to Mr. Egan and Mr. Prindell, also a Morgan firm employee.

The conviction of Mr. Burns was based upon the single act of having divulged the contents of the letters to the J. P. Morgan and Co. employees. The charge against Mr. Egan was based upon the contention that he had divulged the information which Mr. Burns gave to him either to Mr. Prindell or other persons connected with the banking house. The testimony produced at the trial indicated that Mr. Prindell was in the room at the time Mr. Egan received the copies of the letters from Mr. Burns, and that Mr. Egan had not told any one what was in the letters.

"This is the first case of this kind under this statute," said Justice Freschi in imposing the fine on Mr. Burns. "We feel that your activity in this matter was actuated by good motives, the motives which your counsel have so ably set out. The court by its verdict indicates that you were doing what you believed it was your right to do."

Find Motives Were Good.

"We believe that you did not disseminate this information and make it known to the whole world, and that you acted cautiously and without intent to give these matters publicity, but rather, on the contrary, to keep them secret. It may be taken into account, however, that we feel that no detective—no private detective—has any right to enter a place of business in order to get information for purposes of his own. If your conduct was malicious we would not hesitate to vote a prison sentence. We are satisfied that you did this from the very best of motives."

Justice Freschi, after the fine had been imposed, stated he wanted it clearly understood that the leniency shown by the court was not to be accepted as a precedent in future cases. He and the other justices also made clear from the Bench's their belief in the fact that "a man's home is his castle," and that a man's office, particularly the office of a lawyer, must be free from invasions by detectives.

Out of court, John Clifton, a Washington lawyer, whose name frequently was mentioned by the defendants' counsel as a friend of Count von Bernstorff and as having been in communication with Samuel Paul, the employee of the Morgan firm, who, it is asserted, divulged the secrets of the firm, issued a statement denying any improper connections with Paul or with representatives of the German Government.

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ALL-WOOL KNITTED BLACK TIGHTS — That sell at $1.75. Two-hour sale price, per pair..... **1.25**

PURE WHITE SHEETING —2 yards wide. A splendid make, heavy quality. Regular value 35c. Sale price, per yard..... **29c**

LADIES' COTTON AND WOOL DRAWERS — White only. Knee length, sent to us by mistake. Sells at 40c. Two-hour Bargain, per pair **25c**

YARD WIDE WHITE FLANNELETTE—As wide white flannelettes are scarce, you will find this an extra good bargain. Worth 25c yard, for .....7 yards for **1.25**

UNBLEACHED PLAIN SHEETING—2¼ yards wide. A good heavy weave free from dressing. Sells at 50c. Two hours only, ... 2½ yards for **1.00**

Flannelettes, Cottons, Ginghams

36-INCH FACTORY COTTON AND WHITE COTTON—Both qualities worth 12½c. To-morrow they will be one sale for ..... 10 yards for **1.00**

AN EXCELLENT HEAVY FACTORY COTTON — That is suitable for making up sheets, pillow cases and general use. 36 inches wide. Regular 15c. Sale price, ... 8 yards for **1.00**

40-INCH BLUE CHECK APRON GINGHAM — Real indigo blue check, extra good quality. Worth 25c. One-day price, per yard.. **18c**

PURE WHITE HEAVY FLANNELETTE — 27 inches wide, and a good quality that sells at 16c. Sale price.....7 yards for **1.00**

MEN'S HEAVY KNIT GREY SOCKS—Only 19 pair. Extra good value at 35c, to go on sale to-morrow at, per pair **25c**

MEN'S HEAVY WOOL MITTS—Just 14 pair to clear out. Regular price 35c. This price will sell them to-morrow, for, per yair.... **25c**

Staple Department

SEMI-BLEACHED TABLE LINEN — Almost white, heavy make, floral design. Our best at 50c. One-day price, ... 2½ yards for **1.00**

FLANNELETTE BLANKETS — In white or grey, very best quality at $1.75. Regular bed size. One-day price, per yair **1.59**

GREY BLANKETS — A few pairs that we can offer to-morrow at less than market value, heavy 6-lb. size, light grey with border. Worth $4.25. Sale price, per pair **3.75**

A FEW OF THOSE GREY SWEATERS LEFT—That have the high roll collar, and all are good and heavy. (Just see this big bargain to-morrow). Worth $1.25. Sale price **75c**

HEMMED NAPKINS — Size 18 x 18. A good fair quality that is worth 15c. To-morrow you can get 10 napkins for **1.00**

GOOD QUALITY HUCK TOWELS—Hemmed ends, size 36 x 18 inches. This is extra good value at the regular price of 50c. Sale price, per pair..... **39c**

WHITE LONGCLOTH COTTON—A special for underwear and general use. 36 inches wide. A beautiful cotton. Sells at 15c. To-morrow for, ... 8 yards for **1.00**

Dress Goods Counter

BLACK PAILETTE SILK—Full yard wide. You can save just 27c a yard on this silk to-morrow. Why not do so? Regular value $1.25. Sale price, per yard **98c**

BLACK DUCHESS SILK — Another value that should interest many that are thinking of buying a black silk dress. 36 inches wide. Regular $1.75. One-day price, per yard..... **1.50**

PLAIN BLACK SEALETTE — 50 inches wide. Here is a remarkable price for a high grade quality of sealette. Regular value $6.50. One-day special price, per yard..... **5.00**

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CHILDREN'S KNITTED WOOL SUITS—In cardinal, copen, etc., that sells at $3.50 and $4.00. To clear at, per suit **2.98**

TWO ONLY QUILTED SILK DRESSING GOWNS—Navy with cardinal silk, and navy with sky silk lining, collar, cuffs and pockets are embroidered in colours. Regular price $10. One-day special price, each **5.98**

Staple Department

FINE LONSDALE CAMBRIC — 36 inches wide, has special finish that makes it more suitable as an underwear fabric. Worth 18c for,.....7 yards for **1.00**

36-INCH CHINTZ FOR COVERING COMFORTERS—Two handsome Paisley and floral designs in navy and light blue, no dressing. Worth 25c. Sale price, per yard **18c**

3-PLY FACTORY YARN—For less than the maker's price, light and dark grey. Regular $1.10 lb. One-day price, per lb.. **88c**

OVERALL APRONS—Made from a special heavy stripe print. Will launder perfectly. Worth 75c. Sale price..... **50c**

FLEECE-LINED HOSE—Just 48 pairs to go on sale of the regular 25c per pair. At the special price of....3 pairs for **50c**

CHILDREN'S ALL-WOOL STOCKINGS—In 2/1 and 1/1 rib. Sizes 4 to 6 only. Too many small sizes the reason for this big bargain. Regular 40c, 45c, 50c pair for, per pair **29c**

LADIES' CASHMERINO HOSE — Extra full fashioned, perfect black. Worth 35c. One-day price, per pair..... **25c**

CHILDREN'S INITIALED HANDKERCHIEFS—Why not secure a lot of these for school use. Regular 10c. Sale price, each **6c**

READY-TO-WEAR DEPT. HAVE MANY BARGAINS FOR YOU TO-MORROW

A SALE OF SWEATER COATS—Practically the last sale of good coats at a cheap price on account of the big advance of wool. Grey with cardinal, fawn with cardinal and khaki, cadet with copen, etc. Regular $2.25. Sale price..... **1.75**

HEAVY RIB-KNIT WOOL UNDERSKIRTS—In grey only. Just five of them left that sell at $1.25. One-day price, each **98c**

LADIES' STRIPE FLANNELETTE DRAWERS—Good quality material used, in fact the same material as used in the 50c make. Sale price, per pair **35c**

LADIES' WHITE FLANNELETTE GOWNS—Best of material. H.S. frill. Tucked yokes. Self ruffle. High neck. Sells at $1.35. One-day price **1.00**

LADIES' CORSET COVERS—A few odd lines that have become soiled in showing that sold at 75c to $1.00. To clear at, each **50c**
Also a few that sold at 50c, for..... 25c

LADIES' COTTON DRAWERS—At prices you could not buy the material for. All odd lines that sold up to 85c and 40c. Bargain price, ...5 pair for **1.00**
Also a few pairs that sold up to $1.00, for 50c

LADIES' WHITE UNDERSKIRTS — These prices surely denote bargains. Skirts that were 75c and $1.00. Bargain Sale price, each..... **50c**
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Social and Personal

Mr. Harry J. Kearney, who has been employed at the Canadian General for the past six months, has so far recovered from his recent operation as to be able to leave the hospital. He will spend a few weeks at his home recuperating.

Mr. Chas. R. Nixon, Stewart street, is not improving as rapidly as his friends would wish.

Mr. J. E. Sullivan, Weller street, who has been confined to St. Joseph's Hospital, with a bad attack of la grippe, expects to be home again in a day or two.

Mr. Frank Dawson has been elected to the position of Secretary of the Conservative Association of this Riding. Mr. Dawson is a young man of activity and ability and should be an acquisition to the ranks of active politician in the city. He succeeded in this office His Honour Judge Ruddy.

(Mrs. (Dr.) King went to Toronto this afternoon for a fortnight's visit to relatives in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. F. McCrea of Hanna, Alberta, is visiting in the city, with Mr. McCrea's parents, 793 Waler street. Mr. McCrea is publisher of the Hanna Herald and speaks well of business in his Northwest field.

Mayor Duffus and Ald. Dobbin are in Toronto to-day.

Mr. Michael O'Brien, recently returned from Rome, is in the city today, a guest at St. Peter's Rectory. In his studies, which the condition of his health forced him to temporarily relinquish, he has attained a deaconship.

Miss Helen Denne returned this week to Chicago.

Dr. Buchanan, Water street is in Toronto to-day on business.

Mr. Loftus Amys, who has been the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Amys, 580 Gilmour street returned yesterday to Toronto.

Mr. Earnest Clagkson was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Lundy en route from Montreal to Toronto.

Mrs. Court King, Gilmour street, went to Toronto, where she will spend two weeks.

Mr. W. Haslam returned last night from a business trip to New York.

The many friends of Mrs. J. W. Lucas, Baileyboro, will regret to learn that she is seriously ill.

Mrs. Earnest Clarkson returned yesterday to Toronto after a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Lundy, Aylmer street.

Mr. T. Choate, Woodville, Ont., has been called to the city by the death of Mr. J. Wasson, of whom he was a life-long friend.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Finnie of 750 George street, have removed to St. Catharines, where Mr. Finnie has accepted a position with the Canadian Crocker Wheeler Co.

Miss Ruth Robertson has been the guest of Mrs. Reginald Lockhart, Toronto, returned home yesterday.

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

New York, Jan. 30.—Atchison 105 7-8, 106 3-4; B. and O. 80 7-8, 81; C.P.R. 160, 161; N.Y.C., 100 1-2, 100 7-8; Erie, 31 1-8, 31; Erie Pfd. 46, 45 3-4; Penna., 57 1-8, 57 1-4; Reading, 100 5-8, 100 1-8; St. Paul, 89 1-2, 89 1-4; Union Pacific, 143 1-4, 143 1-8; Beth Steel, 435, 435; Rep. Steel 78 1-4, 77 7-8; U. S. Steel, 112 5-8, 113; Inter. Nickel 42 5-8, 43; Anaconda, 89 5-8, 89 3-4; Amn. Loco. 75 1-4, 75 3-4.

Chicago grain, closing—May wheat 175, July, 149 1-4, may corn 100 1-2.

Toronto stocks—Gen. Elec. 112, bid; Quebec Power 24 1-2, 27; Cement 62 7-8; Dom. Steel, 64 1-4, 63 3-4; Steamship Pfd. 93 3-8; N. S. Steel, 110; 108 3-4; Steel Can. 65 3-4, N. S. Car, 16; War Loan, 1925, 98, 98 1-2. War Loan 1931, 973.4.

PROHIBITION EMPTIES JAIL FOR THREE MONTHS

BERKELEY SPRINGS, W. Va. —Jan. 29.—The Morgan county jail here has been empty over three months. Prohibition is credited by county authorities.

Diamond Rings

Unequalled values—$20, $25, $35, $50, $100 & up

Pearl Rings

Fine Pearls securely set in 14 karat gold—$2.50, $5, $10, $15, $20 up.

Scarf Pins

Gold Scarf Pins set with one Pearl—$1.75, $2.50, $3.50, $4 up.

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Warsaw Factory's Busy Season

Following is the report of the Warsaw Cheese and Butter factory for the season of 1916:

Lbs. milk received	1,605,406
Lbs. But. Fat	57,899.61
Lbs. cheese manufactured	141,831
Avg. lbs. of milk per lb of cheese	10.31
Average price per lb. cheese	18,500
Av. price per lb. of butter fat	41.855
Expense of manufacturing	$2,255.73
Total value	$26,377.56
Lbs. butter manufactured	17,884
Expense of manufacturing	2537.15
Total value	$6,170.08

City and General

Sun-Kist Oranges, Good Quality, Never so Low in Price. 6d-25

Broken auto cylinders, machinery and stoves welded, by the new Oxo Acetelyne Process. Anything in iron, steel or aluminum made as good as new, not patched up. Millard's Bicycle Shop, Hunter street, near Aylmer.

PROBABILITIES.

Fresh to strong northerly winds; fair and becoming colder. Wednesday, much colder.

REHEARSAL TO-NIGHT

Peterborough Operatic and Dramatic Society practice to-night at 265 Park Street. Ladies at 8.00; gentlemen at 9.00. Opera for practice "A Greek Slave."

PIANO TUNING.

'Phone 595, The Greene Music Co., Charlotte Street, when your piano requires tuning or regulating. All work guaranteed dtf

SERVICE AT 8 O'CLOCK.

The service to be held at the Parsonage, 378 Mark Street, East City, in connection with the death of the late Mrs. Whattam, will be held at 8 o'clock this evening, not nine, as formerly announced.

THERE'S NOTHING SUCCEEDS LIKE SUCCESS.

Sit for your picture at the "Vincent Studio" and be convinced. Cabinet size portraits from $3 to $10. and upwards, per doz. We give you a true likeness together with a supreme finish.

LETTERS PICKED UP.

Two letters addressed to soldiers overseas were picked up at the G. T. R. station to-day and the finder mailed them after drying the envelopes. This notice is inserted merely to relieve the writer of the letters of any anxiety.

PIANO, ORGAN, VOICE.

Mr. J. H. Renwick, organist and choirmaster, George Street Methodist Church, has resumed teaching. Pupils prepared for examinations. Many present and former pupils holding good positions. Studio, 567 Aylmer street. 'Phone 1098. 28d-2

AUTO TOPS AND CUSHIONS

Don't wait until Spring before ordering your new Auto Tops and Cushions. See me now before work gets brisk. Tops and cushions made to order and repaired in a satisfactory manner. Geo. R. McCrae, 460 George Street. A few doors north of Brock Street. 28d-25

DENTAL.

Dr. McKenty, Dentist, 370 George Street, on the ground floor first door north of Peterborough Hardware Co. Nitrous oxide and oxygen administered for painless operations.

JUDGMENT FOR MR. HUMPHRIES.

Judge Huycke gave a judgment this morning in favour of Mr. I. A. Humphries of Campbellford against Mrs. Sampson, mother of Clarence Sampson of Dummer.

E. B. CLEGG & CO.
Great January Furniture Sale.

10 to 25 per cent. reduction on all furniture; bedroom furniture in delightful design at surprisingly low prices. See our show window, 427 George street, for dining-room, furniture and pictures. E. B. CLEGG & Co., 427 George street. dtf

CANADIAN KITCHENER LEAGUE

The Canadian Kitchener League will hold their weekly tea on Wednesday afternoon, January 31, from 3 to 6 o'clock, in the Oriental Tea Room, Hunter Street. The ladies of the city are asked to drop in and enjoy a cup of tea and a very special invitation is extended to the gentlemen to accompany them.

PETERBORO SHOW CASE CO.

Will take orders for the next fifteen days for Silent Salesman Show Cases at the old price, $5.00 to $10.00 per foot. Patronize home industry.—W. Theobald, Manager, 709 Water Street. 'Phone 1153. 28d-24

AUCTION SALE.

Charlie McDonnell's sale of 32 head of Dairy Cattle and 6 Horses, Farm Implements and Furniture, will be held on Wednesday, Feb. 7th, just south of Kincade farm, N. Monaghan. No reserve. See posters. Everybody come. W. J. Hancock, Auctioneer. 3d-30-3-5

THINGS TO REMEMBER.

The present life demands action. Time and Action in business means a credit balance for you. The office equipment of any business is a very essential addition. Good stenographers are worthy of the BEST typewriters and supplies. NELSON sells the VERY BEST OF ALL MAKES OF TYPEWRITERS AND SUPPLIES. Our prices are reasonable. Call 'PHONE 239. Office 172 1-2 Hunter. Office hours, 9 a.m.-5.30 p.m. NELSON'S TYPEWRITER COMPANY.

Death of Former Peterboro' Man

Special to The Examiner

BUFFALO Jan. 30—Frank Cleary, formerly of Peterborough died early Monday following a brief illness at him home here 614 Humboldt Parkway. He leaves a wife and four sons, Victor J, Alfred J, Paul J, and Francis D. Cleary, and three daughters, Mary, Eloretta J, and Grace A. Cleary all of Buffalo. Deceased removed to Buffalo seventeen years ago from Peterborough. Interment will take place Thursday morning in Buffalo.

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OBITUARY

NEDRA MANLEY.

Nedra Manley, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Manley, Rutherford avenue, died to-day. The funeral will take place to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock.

MRS. BRUCE SPAFFORD.

Mrs. Bruce Spafford died in Trenton on Sunday, aged 24, after an attack of pneumonia. Mrs. Spafford was the youngest daughter of Mr. Wm. Hamilton, No. 2 Concession Street. She was a faithful member of the Anglican Church. She is survived by her husband and two small children.

JOHN WASSON.

John Wasson died last night at the residence of Mrs. J. Jones, corner London and George streets.

Mr. Wasson was born in Dummer eighty-one years ago. He entered Albert College with a view to becoming a minister, later however, deciding to enter the mercantile world, where he was prominently identified in the lumber and flour business, being the owner of the Warsaw mills. He retired from business, coming to Peterborough to reside about thirteen years ago, where he made his home. He was predeceased by his wife, Susan McBurney, eight years ago.

He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. W. A. Sanderson, Brock street, and two sons, Mr. E. Wasson, George street, and Dr. Wasson, specialist in Medicine in Victoria, B.C., two brothers, William of Warsaw and James of Saskatchewan, one sister, Mrs. Joseph Edwards of Warsaw, four grandchildren, the three daughters of Mrs. Sanderson and the son of Mr. Wasson.

A service conducted by Rev. Mr. Mitchell, will be held to-night at 8.30 p.m. at the residence of Mr. Wasson, George street. The remains will be taken to-morrow morning to Warsaw at nine o'clock, where interment will take place.

ELLEN PRESTON ROBINSON.

A long, interesting, and useful career was closed yesterday afternoon, when Ellen Preston, relict of the late Thomas Robinson, died at the family residence, 262 Aylmer street.

Mrs. Robinson, who was born in Port Hope, 82 years ago, was one of the earliest settlers of Peterborough coming to this city before the railroad was built fifty-two years ago She was a faithful and consistent member of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, where her influence will be much missed. She is survived by seven daughters, Margaret and Catherine residing at home, Lily of Heepeler, Elisa of Buffalo, Mrs. H. R. Saunders Cobourg, Mrs. George Grange and Mrs. Milburn of this city. Her only son, Thomas died in March. One sister, Mrs. Martin, 443 King street, and one brother, John Preston of Midland also survive.

The funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock to the Little Lake Cemetery. The Rev. Mr. Mitchell officiating.

GIRL CHARGED WITH THEFT OF ARTICLES

A girl employed as a housemaid appeared in police court this morning charged with the theft of a bundle of small articles which were stored at the place of her employment. Pieces of cloth and odds and ends of household goods, including dolls, cups, etc., none of them of apparent value, cumbered the court room table. The girl and woman, who is also implicated, were remanded until Wednesday morning.

PLOT AGAINST ALFONSO.

A Deserter Arrested on Suspicion of Attempt to Wreck Train.

MADRID, via Paris, Jan. 29.— A man arrested for the alleged attempt to wreck King Alfonso's train has been identified as Rafael Dura Florlot, a deserter from a regiment stationed at Malaga. According to some reports the bars of lead found on the tracks had fallen or were stolen from a freight train returning from the mines at Linares and their presence in the path of the royal train was purely accidental.

BIRTH.

OLDHAM.—At Detroit, Michigan, on Wednesday, January 10th, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Oldham, at 719 Cameron avenue, Detroit, Mich., a daughter, Mary Eleanor.

DIED.

CUNNINGHAM.— Suddenly, on Saturday, January 27th, 1917, at Vancouver, B.C., Geo. Cunningham, only son of the late Geo. Cunningham, of Peterborough.

MATHERS.—Mrs. H. Mathers, 491 Gilmour Street, on Tuesday morning, Jan. 30th, 1917. Funeral service at the house at 8 o'clock, Wednesday evening, (private). Interment at Creemore, Ont. rental at the

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German Attacks On the Belgian Trenches Are Repulsed

Canadians Participate in Big Raid On German Trenches

GOLD HOARDED IN GREAT BRITAIN

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 31.—One hundred million dollars in gold is reported secreted in Great Britain.

Serious Soft Coal Famine

Examiner Special:

TORONTO, Jan. 31.—There is a serious soft coal famine in Toronto at present.

Raids On The German Trenches

Special to The Examiner.

PARIS, Jan. 31.—British and French made several raids into German trenches, returning with prisoners and booty.

LONDON, Jan. 31.—In a big raid the Canadians captured one hundred Germans with two machine guns.

MORE SALARY BOOSTS BY CARLETON COUNCIL

MAGISTRATE AND CAR TAKER OF COURT HOUSE NOT OVERLOOKED.

County Police Magistrate Smith and Caretaker Wilson, of the Court House, had their salaries increased $200 each by a supplementary report of the finance report of the Carleton County Council at the Court House on Saturday.

The County Police Magistrate formerly received $600 per year and the caretaker of the Court House $1,000. According to the new system of payment, the Magistrate will receive $800 annually and the caretaker $1,200.

These figures bring the total expended in county officials' salaries to thirteen hundred dollars over last year's figures.

DOCTORS ADVISE IRON FOR THE BLOOD

Anaemia, pale faces, nervousness, stomach troubles, watery blood, etc., are sure signs of thin blood. Dr. Malmprise says he can take any of these cases and cure any one of them in ten days by giving Iron for the blood, and Phosphorus for the nerves, "called Bonised Phosphorus with Iron." I have found that 90 per cent. of all stomach, liver, kidney, bowel, nerve, etc., troubles are traced right back to the blood. Just as soon as Bonised Phosphorus with Iron is given it is almost immediately absorbed by the system the blood taking the iron while the nerves are soothed by the phosphorus, making you eat better, feel better, look better, digest better, and finally you will be made 100 per cent. stronger. Do not be taking all sorts of patent medicines and laxatives which only ruin your system; go to the root of the trouble and start taking Iron and strengthen your blood, restore your nerves, and your digestion and will recharge your whole system with new life. Bonised Phosphorus with Iron is dispensed by one druggist in each city. F. C. Wyder dispenses it for Peterboro.

Shams Take Place Of Food and Clothes Among the Huns

Substitutes For Food Are Common in Germany—Glycerine From Fruit Stores—Cotton is a Scarce Commodity and is Affecting Manufacture of Propulsive Ammunition.

DISHONEST DEALERS PUNISHED

(D. Thomas Curtin, in the London Times.)

The only food substitute which meets the casual eye of the American visitor to England in war time is margarine for butter. It is more than probable that as time passes and shipping gets less you will need certain other substitutes, and I propose therefore to write on what I saw in Germany of these important commodities.

Since the war food exhibitions in various cities, but more especially in Berlin, have had as one of their most prominent feature booths where you could sample substitutes for coffee, yeast, eggs, butter, olive oil, and the like. Even before the war substitutes like Kathreiner's malt coffee were household words, whilst our roasting of acorns for admixture with coffee was not only a usual practice on the part of some families in the lower middle class, but was even so generally recognized a custom among the humbler folk that the children of poor families were given special printed permissions by the police to gather acorns for the purpose on the sacred grass of the public parks.

To deal with meat which in other countries would be regarded as unfit for human consumption there have long been special appliances in regular use in Germany in peace time. The so-called Freibank was a State or municipal butcher's shop attached to the extensive municipal abattoirs in Berlin, Munich, Cologne, and elsewhere. Here tainted meat, or meat from animals locally affected by disease, is specially treated by a steam process and other methods, so as to free it from all danger to health. Meat so treated does not, of course, have the nutritive value of ordinary fresh meat, but the Germans acted on the principle that anything was better than nothing. Such meat was described as bedingt Taughich, (that is, fit for consumption under reserve). It was sold before the war at very low rates to the poorer population, who in times of scarcity came great distances and kept long vigils outside the Freibank, to be near the head of the queue when the sale began. Thus we see that many Germans long ago acquired the habit of standing in line for food, which is such a characteristic of German city life to-day.

HORSEFLESH.

Horseflesh was consumed before the war in Germany, as in Belgium. Its sale was carefully controlled by the police, and severe punishment fell upon anyone who tried to disguise its character. An ordinary butcher might not sell horse meat at all. He had to be specially licensed, and to maintain a special establishment or a special branch of it for the purpose. Thus, when wider circles of the population were driven to resort to substitutes, there was already in existence a State organized system prepared to control the sale of horseflesh in most of the large cities. It is not an unpleasant food.

Since the war began sausage has served as a German stand-by from the time that beef and pork became difficult to obtain in Germany. In the late spring, however, the increased demand for sausage made that also more difficult to procure, and we often got a substitute full of bread crumbs, which, when watered, made the food value of this particular Wurst considerably less than its size would indicate. It was often so soft that it was practically impossible to cut, and we had to spread it on our bread like butter.

The substitute of which you have read the most in England is war bread. This, as I have already said, differs in various localities, but it consists chiefly of a mixture of rye and potato with a little wheat flour. In Hungary, which is a great maize-growing country, maize is substituted for rye.

PETROL SUBSTITUTES.

To turn to substitutes other than food, it will be recalled that Germany very early began to popularize the use of benzol as an alternative to petrol for motor engines. This was a natural outgrowth of her marvellously developed coal-tar industry, of which benzol is a product. Prizes for the most effective benzol-consuming engine, for benzol carburettors, etc., have been offered by various official departments in recent years, and I am told that during the war ingenious inventions for the more satisfactory employment of benzol have been adopted. Owing to the increased use of potatoes as food, the alcoholic extract from them, always a great German and Austro-Hungarian industry, has had to be restricted.

It is an ill wind that blows nobody good, as I learned from the owner of a little general shop in a Brandenburg village. He told me that about twenty-five years ago, when kerosine paraffin became widely used in the village for illuminating purposes, he was left with a tremendous supply of candles which he could never sell. The oil famine has caused the substitution of candle light for lamp light during the war, and has enabled him to sell out the whole stock. All oils are at a premium. The price of castor-oil has risen five-fold in Germany, chiefly owing to the fact that it is being successfully used for aeroplane lubrication purposes.

Imitation tea is made of plum and other leaves boiled in real tea and dried.

GLYCERINE FROM FRUIT STONES.

But it is oil from which explosives are derived that chiefly interests Germany. Almost any kind of fruit stone contains glycerine. That is why notices have been put on all trains which run through fruit districts, such as Werder, near Berlin, and Baden, advising the people to save their fruit stones and bring them to special depots for collection.

Five pounds of fat treated with caustic soda can be made to yield one pound of glycerine. This is one reason, in addition to the British blockade, which causes the great fat shortage among the civil population.

Glycerine united with ammonium nitrate is used in the manufacture of explosives. Deprived of nitrogenous material from South America, Germany has since the outbreak of war greatly developed the process for the manufacture of artificial nitrates. Germany spent £25,000,000 after the

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3 Teaspoonsful of Red Rose Tea go as far as 5 Teaspoonsful of ordinary tea

Cheap Tea Not Economical!

Many people complain about the poor flavor of the cheap tea they are using, but are trying to put up with it because they think they are saving money.

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WASHINGTON MORE FAVOURABLE TO ARMING OF MERCHANTMEN FOR PURPOSES OF DEFENCE

Intent or Mission of Vessel Must Determine its Defensive or Offensive Character, According to View Now Held by Administration Officials Regarding Clearance—Armed Ships May Be Cleared.

VESSELS ARMED FOR DEFENCE

WASHINGTON, D.C., January 31.—The question of increased armament for merchant vessels was discussed by officials in connection with predictions from European sources foreshadowing action by the Entente governments in arming their ships both fore and aft and increasing the calibre of guns aboard.

In view of the many indications that Germany purposes to press anew the armed ship issue as a cover for increased submarine activities, this statement from official sources here is regarded as very significant. It was said that the United States may make some further declaration clarifying its position in this matter. The statement made strongly suggested that the administration has no more inclination than formerly to increase the scope or effectiveness of submarine operations against merchantmen.

TO TEMPER PRACTICE.

Notice was taken of the fact that while the administration takes, in theory, an advanced position upon the rights of armed merchantmen, it belies that attitude when the necessity arises to make an issue with Germany over cases where the wrong of Germany is far more flagrant—as, for instance, the Marina and Arabic cases, where Americans were killed on ships admittedly bound on peaceful missions. The judgment upon the administration's policy is, in many quarters, that it will take strictly correct and advanced positions under the law, but will temper its practice regarding the past.

According to the official view expressed it is the intent or mission of the vessel which must determine its defensive or offensive character.

Guns may be mounted forward as well as aft on a merchantman without destroying her peaceful status, provided it is the intention to use those guns defensively, and they are used defensively.

The armament of a vessel is only one of several things that must be taken into consideration in determining whether she is bent upon a peaceful or a warlike mission. Thus a vessel might mount guns both forward and

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Sir Sam Hughes In the Commons

Former Minister of Militia Says Canadian Officers Hob-nob Too Much with Imperials

Special to The Examiner:

OTTAWA, Jan. 31.—Sir Sam Hughes, in the House of Commons, yesterday, criticized voluntary aid hospitals for Canada's wounded in England and said that Canadian officers hob-nobbed too much with Imperials. He said he would only stand by his party if duty to the war is done. He advocated putting the Militia Act into force immediately.

3 BOXES CURED PSORIASIS

Mrs. Nettie Massey, Cameron, Ont., writes: "Three doctors described my trouble as psoriasis, and one said could never be cured. The disease spread all over me, even on my face and head, and the itching and burning was hard to bear. I used eight boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment and am entirely cured—not a sore to be seen. I can hardly praise this Ointment enough."

Closing Wheat Prices Higher

Manitoba flours were reduced 40c per barrel yesterday following the recent easing down in the wheat markets, and dullness in the flour market. A sudden rush for short covering near the close of the market yesterday sent wheat prices up a fraction over 4c with a jump. Cash prices were promptly advanced 3c at bay ports.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, $1.95, track, bay ports; No. 2 $1.92; No. 3, $1.87; No. 4 $1.75; old crop, 4c above new crop.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W. 68 1-4c; No. 3 66 1-4c; extra No. 1 feed, 66 1-4c; No. 1 feed, 65 1-4c; all rail delivered.

American corn—No. 3, $1.12; subject to embargo.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 63c to 65c; No. 3 white, 62c to 64c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, per car lot, $1.73 to $1.75; No. 3 $1.71 to $1.73.

Peas—No. 2 nominal, car lots $2.35.

Barley—Good malting $1.18 to $1.20; feed barley, nominal.

Buckwheat—Nominal, $1.28 to $1.30.

Rye—No. 1 commercial, nominal; No. 2 new, $1.40 to $1.42

Manitoba flour—First patents in jute bags, $9.50; second patents in jute $9; strong bakers, in jute $8.60 Toronto.

Ontario flour—New winter, $7 to $7.20, in bags, track, Toronto, prompt shipment, $7, bulk, seaboard export grade.

Millfeed—Car lots delivered Montreal; shorts $30; bran $34; feed flour per bag $2.60.

Hay—Baled, No. 1 track, Toronto, best grade new hay, car lots, $13; No. 2, $12 to $12.50; mixed $10 to $11.50; straw $9.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Union Stock Yards—Receipts yesterday—64 cars with 790 cattle, 187 calves, 1,785 hogs, and 237 sheep and lambs.

There was a light run of fresh cattle in yesterday, and business was necessarily quieter than Monday. Some of the best loads of cattle in were not offered at all, but held over for the mid-week market. Prices were practically steady and unchanged.

Sheep and lambs steady.

Hogs steady.

Latest quotations:

Heavy steers	$10 50	to 10 75
Choice Butcher	10 00	10 50
do good	8 75	9 25
do medium	8 00	8 50
do common	6 50	7 50
Heifers, good to choice	9 50	10 00
do medium	7 00	7 50
Butcher cows, choice	7 50	8 25
do medium	5 75	6 25
Butcher bulls, choice	7 50	8 50
do good	7 00	7 25
do medium	6 00	6 50
Feeders 900 to 1,000 lbs.	7 50	8 00
do bulls	6 25	6 50
Stockers 700 to 800 lbs	7 50	7 75
do med. 650 to 750 lbs	6 25	6 75
do light 600 to 650 lbs		6 50
Canners	5 00	5 25
Cutters	5 50	5 75
Sheep, light	8 50	10 00
do heavy	7 50	8 50
Spring lambs	10 75	15 00
Calves	8 00	14 00
Hogs fed and watered	18 75	
do weighed off cars	14 00	14 10

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SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

OTTAWA, Jan. 31.—Many millions will be spent on Avviation plants in Canada.

German Attacks Were Repulsed

Special to The Examiner.

LONDON, Jan. 31.—German attacks on the Belgian trenches in North Flanders were repulsed with heavy losses to the Germans.

Heavy Loss of Life When Vessel Sank

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, Jan. 31.—It is announced that two hundred and sixty officers and men were lost when the Laurentic was sunk by a mine.

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Severe Winter In Germany

Special to The Examiner:

PARIS, Jan. 31.—Severe winter has seriously affected food supplies in Germany. Many people are starving.

Russians Advance In the East

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, Jan. 31.—Russians continue successes on the eastern front.

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Railway Time Tables

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
Corrected Jan. 15th, 1917.

7.00 a.m.—For Lakefield.
8.55 a.m.—For Port Hope, Cobourg, and points east, connecting at Port Hope for Toronto, arriving at Toronto at 12.25 p.m.
9.35 a.m.—For Hastings, Campbellford, Sterling, Madoc, Belleville, Deseronto, Napanee, Kingston and Brockville.
9.35 p.m.—For Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, North Bay, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
5.40 p.m.—For Lakefield.
2.30 p.m.—Local for Lindsay.
9.05 p.m.—For Millbrook, Port Hope, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal and Boston.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
Corrected January 16, 1917.

GOING EAST:
**8.40 p.m.—Indian River, Norwood, Havelock and Vreed.
**12.12 a.m.—Hampton, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N. B., Boston and New York.
*1.20 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Vreed, Perth, Smith's Falls, and Ottawa.
**11.27 a.m.—Norwood, Havelock, Vreed, Perth, Smith's Falls, Ottawa, Montreal and Intermediate points, and all points east of Montreal.

GOING WEST:
*4.55 a.m.—Toronto, Owen Sound, Guelph, Goderich, Hamilton, Buffalo, New York, Oak, Woodstock, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Detroit and Chicago.
*8.54 a.m.—Bypile and North Toronto.
**7.35 a.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Buffalo, Rochester and New York. Intermediate points between Peterborough and Toronto.
**9.15 a.m.—Lindsay, Orillia, Port Mc Nichol and Intermediate points.
**3.45 p.m.—Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, Buffalo, New York, Guelph, Galt, Woodstock, London, Detroit and Chicago.
**6.45 p.m.—North Toronto and West Toronto and Intermediate points.

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"HUMANIZE WAR NOW" AUSTRIAN TO KAISER

Exiled Member of Parliament Declares War Must be Fought to Finish, But How?

Professor T. G. Masaryk, an exiled member of the Austrian Parliament, writes from London, Eng., as follows: The poison gas attack on the Canadians at St. Julien has burned itself too deeply into the memory of the Canadian people ever to be blotted out by any eleventh-hour contrition. The sea will never yield up its Lusitania dead. The horror of Louvain will go shuddering through the centuries. And yet, knowing the world had irrevocably condemned him, were I the Kaiser I should still deem it not too late to humanize the war.

He Can Change It

With the German Emperor on his throne, for all his immersion in the machine, the power of initiative for good or for evil yet resides with him. Cleansing his soul of evil, he could say to himself and so allying determined "This colossal thing, this war of fifteen nations, must work itself out; it must be a war to the finish. Fate wills it. But let me try and win it of some of its horrors and a moiety of its greatness. If we win, let the world say we won because we were strong and brave, not because we were brutally efficient. If we lose, let the world say we fought well, and in the end, for all our sins at the beginning, not dishonorably."

Kaiser Created Hate

To the Kaiser alone it is due that so much hate has been imported into the war that the enemies of Germany loathe her with an intensity of loathing that must be appalling to any thinking German. For the Turk, in spite of Armenia, no such hatred is discovered. Indeed, the allies are never tired of paying tribute to the good qualities of the Turk as a foe. Had the war been humanized, statesmanship might have had an easier task at the end of the conflict.

There are some good-hearted people in England as elsewhere who talk lightly of the possibility of peace and the chance of a compromise. To them I, a stranger in their midst, say: How can there be peace until the war has reached a decision, when already four million men lie dead in the rough graves by the battlefield and another million men wearily drag on their days as hopeless cripples until death shall bring them merciful release? Dare Europe sully the memory of its millions of slain and its hundreds of thousands of cripples by making peace before the issue has been finally resolved?

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TRIBUNALS THAT KEPT MEN OUT OF THE ARMY

How Exemptions Boards Worked in Rural England—A Gloomy View of the Method

After a fortnight's tour of the exemptions tribunals of Northern England, a London Daily Mail representative writes: A stumbling-block is the agricultural representative appointed by the Local Government Board to sit—but not to vote—on all the tribunals where mainly agricultural cases are dealt with. Nearly every agricultural representative I have met strives with might and main to keep every man he can get on the land and out of the army. He envisages his claims from the point of view of the Norfolk farms, where highly technical and really skilled work is needed, drawing no distinction between them and the rough, happy-go-lucky little farms, say, of Dartmoor and the dales and the moors of Yorkshire. He is armed with a circular from the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, packed with the most perplexing details which nobody attempts to understand. As a matter of fact he is the fifth wheel in this lumbering wagon of national administration.

The Haunted Man

Sitting between the chairman of the rural district council and the labor man—almost invariably his bitter enemy—is the military representative. Amid the byways where I have been he is not, as a rule, a soldier. He is not clothed in khaki and strapped together with a Sam Browne belt, and it has been difficult to pick him out from the ruck—at first. It has been difficult, indeed, to identify him from his parts of speech or the trend of his arguments. But I speedily found that all I had to do when I entered the sanctum sanctorum was to search among the plump, ruddy, self-satisfied faces for a countenance haggard and woebegone, a head prematurely gray or bald, an eye bloodshot, and a mouth sagging at the corners—the Haunted Man!

"Who is that man?" I would whisper to the nearest somebody at hand. And invariably I got the same reply:

"Oh, him!—he's the military representative!"

More Cases; More Fees

Another serious blot on the tribunal system is the scale of pay for tribunal clerks, which was surely invented for the purpose of temptation. The clerk of a local tribunal gets 5s. a head for the first 25 cases listed in any one month, and only 2s. 6. a head for the next 75 cases in any one month. The pay of an appeal tribunal clerk is 2s. 6d. a head for the first 25 and 1s. for the remainder. In glancing over the lists prepared it is significant to note that it is unusual to see more than 25 cases listed in a month. These cases can go on and on and backwards and forwards from exemption to exemption, from first court to appeal, and then back again, like recurring decimals. The oftener any one of the 25 cases is repeated the more wowns are due to the clerk.

BRITISH TEST WITH GAS AND GAS HELMETS

How Officers Are Trained to Instruct Men in Precautionary Measures —The Awful Test

An artillery officer of the British army subjected to be "O.C. Frightfulness," or gas expert for his unit, writes of his tuition as follows: There was an atmosphere of chemistry about the Gas School—both literally and metaphorically. Frightfulness stories were in the air. There was the story of the team of mules which was fitted with gas-proof nose bags, as an experiment. The mules promptly ate the nose bags, with apparent relish, and seemed to thrive on their novel diet.

His First Experience

It was on a beautiful sunshiny morning that I stood outside the sinister looking shed wherein I, together with a dozen or so other officers and N.C.O.'s, was to undergo the ordeal by gas. "Put on your helmets," commanded the instructor. I took what I tried to make myself believe was not a final look at the smiling fields of France, and put on my gas helmet. Adjusting the goggles, I peered at my fellow-victims. We looked rather as if we had been conjured up by the shade of Edgar Allan Poe. Not even our khaki served to bring us within the realms of the real. We were a materialized nightmare. "Mm-mm-mm-mm!" I said to my neighbor.

"Mmm-mm-mm-m," he replied fervently. But in an incredibly short while we found we could breathe, talk, and see with practically no discomfort. It was just a matter of getting used to the how of it. Then we filed into the shed, the door was closed, and we looked through our goggles at each other, and pretended we were indifferent. I tried to whistle jauntily, but nearly swallowed a part of my apparatus, and so I gave up the attempt.

Nothing Happened!

And then, hissing like an impatient steam engine, the gas came pouring out of the cylinders. Round our legs it curled, round our waists, up to our noses, and over our heads. We were being gassed! And nothing happened! We breathed, we looked at each other reassuringly—and then we got bored with the whole business.

Out into the open air again we went, removed our helmets, blinked once or twice; and then—looked at our buttons. They had shone like the noonday sun when we went into that shed; now they were a dull brownish-green. Someone pulled a few coins from his pocket—they were even as were our buttons. Knives, the pins, everything had changed color completely. But we had gained complete confidence in our gas equipment. We could go back to our batteries and platoons and explain what our scientists had achieved; we could impart our confidence to our men; it was our duty to see that our units were fully protected against this particular form of frightfulness.

WELFARE AND MUNITIONS

How Britain Speeds Without Strain on Women Workers

P. A. Best writes: Here is a factory at the Welfare Department of the Ministry of Munitions has made it. It is one of those I had an opportunity of seeing during some visits of inspection for the Ministry. Before the war this factory was making simple metal articles. Under the Ministry of Munitions it was turned into an armament plant. The right type of Women Welfare Supervisor was appointed; she works in perfect harmony with the shop's foreman or manager. The enthusiasm of the girls has been so wrought up by inter-shop competition on output that the efficiency has been almost incredibly increased, without any strain whatever having been experienced by the workers.

Friendly rivalry has been stirred up, and shop competes with shop. In the mess room during meal times good natured banter is thrown from one table to another, occasioned by rivalry in the shops as to how one can beat the other. This sort of competitive spirit is not only good from the material point of view, but from the mental, as it creates a healthy interest in the individual work. Instead of a job being done simply for the agreed upon wage, the work becomes what it always should be—a splendid game.

SPORTSMEN—SOLDIERS

Games Mystify and Interest the French Soldiers

It is only when the locals happens to be a base camp that the onlookers behind the British lines at a race meeting, gymkhana, or football match, and the like, are likely to include any civilians. Even then the proportion is very small. Everywhere else the spectators are entirely military, and if any ladies grace the assemblage they are certain to belong to the Army Nursing Service. But, for all that, the "gate" is not necessarily British throughout, since it is sure to include a number of French and Belgian officers and men.

Our gallant allies take the greatest possible interest in any sporting fixture arranged by their British comrades, and turn up by the hundred to watch it. This lends additional picturesqueness to the scene, since it brings out every variety of uniform. Mingling with the universal khaki on such occasions are light blue frogged tunics, Zouave jackets, crimson overalls, laced képis, plumed helmets, and turbans and fezzes belonging to white faces, brown faces, yellow faces, and black faces.

The peasants and villagers from the district are immensely interested in the proceedings, and shout "Eyp-peep cerap" with all the strength of their lungs. Judging from their private comments, it is a never-ceasing wonder to them that our troops should have the energy to run races and otherwise exercise themselves when not actually compelled to do so. But there are a great many things about the British soldier in France that—despite his long sojourn among them—the French villagers do not understand. "Qu'ils sont drôles, ces Anglais!" they declare admiringly.

GUNFIRE DEMORALIZES

Best German Regiment Lost Spirit Under Physical Strain

W. Beach Thomas wrote on one occasion from France: Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday—each hour of each of these days and nights our artillery has not ceased to drum. The sound is as constant as the touch of the atmosphere. Near the front it kills all sleep, and ten, even twenty, miles behind most wake to wonder what giant event the tumult portends. What is life like where the shells burst Prisoners give us some idea. One rather attractive German of good physique and lively spirit apologised to his captors for his easy surrender. "What were we to do?" he said in effect. "The barrage came down like a storm in the mountains. You could not see or hear, and then while we were blind and deaf the English bombs began to burst in the ravine through the mud and dust and smoke."

I have tried by observation and inquiry at every part of the line to test without prejudice the question whether or not these German garrisons surrendered with the readiness of a demoralised force. I am inclined to judge that the victory was due wholly to the violence of the attack. Instances there are, of course, of despair and cowardice. If men are not relieved often enough and for a long enough time the best regiments become the worst if artillery fire is constant.

COUNTESS CURZON

Wedded to Earl Curson of Kedleston, shortly after he became Lord President of the British War Council in the Lloyd-George "Win-the-War" Cabinet, the Countess became immediately famous. She was formerly the widow of Alfred Duggan, a wealthy former Tennessean and resident of Buenos Ayres, Argentina. She was the eldest daughter of the late J. Monro Hinds, once United States Ambassador to Brazil.

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Everyone, whether sick or well, should drink each morning before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten yards of bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour fermentations and poisons, thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

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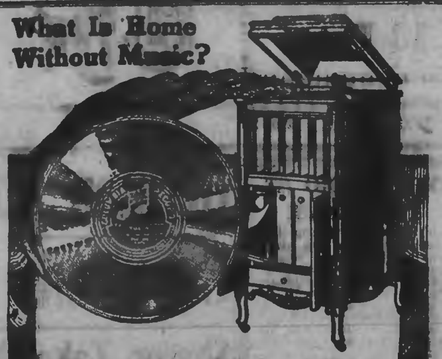

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OUR DAILY SHORT STORY

A Fish Story

By ALAN HINSDALE

In 1863 Bob Atherton, a soldier in the civil war, was discharged from the service and set about trying to make a living for which three years of soldiering had not prepared him. Yet one kind of preparation he had gained from his campaigning. He was not afraid to strike out in any path. Many of the boys of 1861 to 1863, finding it difficult after the war to settle down to a humdrum life, sought untried fields. Bob Atherton was one of these. He went to Australia to begin life in what was then a new country.

Bob wouldn't have gone had he not believed there was no chance for him at home, for he had a sweetheart whom it pained him to leave. But Elsie Rathbone promised to wait till he had made enough to send for her, when she would go to him. This comforted him.

Australia was then, as it is now, a wool growing country, and Bob on reaching Melbourne, where men were wanted, found a position in the counting room of a wool broker. He learned a lot about the business, but somehow he did not find promotion rapid. Perhaps soldiering had taken out of him that contentment necessary to one working in a treadmill. At any rate, he was not interested in his business, and it is probable that he was not as up and doing as his employers expected him to be.

He went on to a sheep ranch, where he found more congenial occupation riding about in the open air herding sheep. But here, too, he was paid so much money for so much work, and since the work was not skilled he failed to gather in more funds than he needed for his personal wants. Besides one who had spent much of his time in the army playing poker with the dollar bill greenbacks of the period was not likely to look after the pence.

Atherton drifted from one thing to another for five years. He kept up a correspondence with Elsie for four of them, then, considering the status unjust to her, ceased to write. He gradually ran down till he was shabby enough to be mistaken for a larrikin, which means the descendant of a Botany bay convict. From this condition he drifted to the coast, where he tried to pick up a scant living as a fisherman.

One day Bob caught a big fish and in endeavoring to extricate his hook saw something that looked like paper in the gullet. Curious to know what it was, he cut the fish open and found that it had swallowed a newspaper. The journal had been inclosed in a wrapper, and it is not impossible that the fish had mistaken it for another fish. Bob unfolded it very carefully. The outside had been saturated, but the inner sheets were comparatively dry. It proved to be a London paper of a then recent date. On one of the pages Bob saw a notice that the Emperor Napoleon III. had left Paris to place himself at the head of the French army to fight the Prussians.

That meant that war had been declared between France and Prussia, news that had not yet reached Melbourne, for that was before a cable had been laid between Europe and Australia. Another item that Bob noticed was a quotation for wool. The price in the English market was very much higher than in Australia.

That set Bob to thinking. If he had the money he could buy wool for one price, and as soon as a ship came in bringing the news of the war and recent quotations he might sell it for a profit. But he hadn't sixpence to his name. He sat on the sand thinking how he could utilize his information.

He was sufficiently familiar with the wool business to know the names of the principal dealers, all of whom had bought through the commission firm by whom he had been employed. Selecting several firms to whom he was known, he sent an order from each to his former employers to buy a large quantity of wool for each one of them, then went to the firms whose names he had used and told them what he had done, offering to produce proof that the price would rise on condition his order be confirmed and that he be paid a quarter of the profits arising from the deal. Nearly all acquiesced in writing.

The contracts had not been signed long when a ship came in bringing news that war had been declared between France and Prussia, with a new quotation for wool. The firms in whose names Bob had given his orders made enormous profits. Bob's aggregate proceeds were as large as any one of the buyers.

As soon as the money was paid over to him Bob took the next ship for America, hoping that he would find his sweetheart unmarried. He not only found her a spinster, but hoping that she might again hear from him. When he told her that he had made a fortune she rejoiced, but when he told her how he had done it she thought he was chaffing her. However, he confirmed his story by producing the newspaper he had taken from the fish's belly and an item cut from a Melbourne paper describing his coup.

As to how the fish carried the English paper to Melbourne ahead of the mails, that is a matter of conjecture. It can only be accounted for on the theory that the paper was thrown overboard from some ship not bound to Melbourne, picked up by the fish and carried to the spot where Bob Atherton was fishing.

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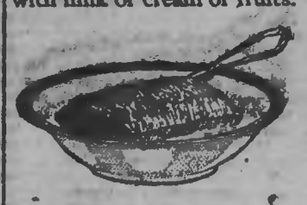

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Wounded to the very quick of his pride, the Spaniard shouted, "The bull is slain!" and, throwing aside his sword, sank on one knee with folded arms in the middle of the ring.

He was right, but he had not allowed for the margin of accident. The wounded beast charged full upon him, but the matador, splendid to the last, knelt motionless as a statue, while the spectators held their breath in horrified suspense.

Reaching his victim, the bull literally bounded at him, and as he sprang he sank in death, with his last effort giving one fearful lunge of the head that drove a horn into the thigh of the kneeling man and laid bare the bone from the knee to the joint.

Still Reverte never flinched, but remained kneeling, exultant in victory, but calmly contemptuous of applause, till he was carried away to heal him of his grievous wound.

Indian "Moons."

Time is calculated among the Red Indians by moons instead of months. January is called the "hard moon," February "the raccoon moon," March "sore eye moon," April "the moon in which geese lay eggs," May "the planting moon," June "the moon when the strawberries are red," July "the moon when choke cherries are ripe," August "the harvest moon," September "the moon when rice is laid up to dry," October "the rice drying moon," November "the deer killing moon" and December "the deer moon."

Dodging Mother Meng.

Infant prodigies are not unknown in China, and Chinese Buddhists find it easy to account for them. According to the doctrine of the transmigration of souls, persons passing through Hades on their way to the wheel of life (which relaunches souls into the bodies of babies or animals just being born) have to cross a bridge. Before mounting the bridge they are stopped by an old hag called Meng, who, ladle in hand, compels each soul to drink a mouthful of the waters of forgetfulness, for which the popular name is Mother Meng's soup. Those who drink of this forget all that they had passed through or had known in their former life and thus on being reborn into the world are entirely ignorant. Some, however, manage to dodge Mother Meng and enter the world full of knowledge, which they display as soon as they can articulate.

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MARK TWAIN'S LAST DAYS.

"Sorry, but I Can't Hurry This Dying Business," He Told a Friend.

Mark Twain's last days, it will be remembered, were spent in Bermuda, at the home of Vice Consul Allen, where he had gone following the shock of his daughter Jean's death. The great humorist, suffering from heart attacks which began to recur with increasing frequency, knew that he was a dying man. Yet his whimsical humor never failed him. His biographer, Albert Bigelow Paine, writing in St. Nicholas, recalls how Mr. Clemens at this time referred to the hypodermic injection, which had become necessary to him, as "hypnotic injunctions."

"As long as I remember anything," writes Mr. Paine in describing the trip from Bermuda, "I shall remember the forty-eight hours of that homeward voyage. He was comfortable at first, and then we ran into the humid, oppressive air of the gulf stream, and he could not breathe. It seemed to me that the end might come at any moment, and this thought was in his own mind, but he had no dread, and his sense of humor did not fail. Once, when the ship rolled and his hat fell from the hook and made the circuit of the cabin floor, he said, 'The ship is passing the hat.'

"I had been instructed in the use of the hypodermic needle and from time to time gave him the 'hypnotic injunction,' as he called it. But it did not afford him entire relief. He could remain in any position but a little while. Yet he never complained and thought only of the trouble he might be making. Once he said:

"'I am sorry for you, Paine, but I can't help it—I can't hurry this dying business.'

"And a little later:

"'Oh, it's such a mystery, and it takes so long!'"

EVOLUTION OF A SENATOR.

His Career Briefly Sketched From Baby Holding to Congress.

Prior to election a future United States senator is meek and lowly. He is not averse to holding babies or four aces, as the environment may demand, while campaigning for votes. One may safely slap him on the back without fear of rebuff. Before the last precinct is counted he seems to know his success, for the senatorial candidate stiffens, dons his black clothes and a fresh collar and begins to practice a dignified stride for future use on Pennsylvania avenue. Babies and jackpots have lost their alluring possibilities; no longer does he tolerate familiarity. He is as patronizing as a rooster who scratches worms for the hens and then eats them before his invited guests arrive.

Seated in a niche of the hall of congress the new senator feels as though he should peer through a microscope to make sure he is there, but confidential letters sent to the editor of the Jumpoff Breeze tell how he is preparing a bill advocating the irrigation of Sagebrush valley; also how he is worked to death by other senators asking favors of him. As a school for fiction writers the United States senate has all other correspondence schools lashed to the mast.

Many senators fail to receive just reward at the conclusion of their maiden voyage through the troubled congressional waters probably because the law is so strictly enforced against murder.—Harper's Weekly.

Ancient Abyssinia.

The Abyssinians are a race renowned for their courage and good looks. Of a deep brown in color, they are well formed and handsome, intelligent and fond of gayety, too, but their needs are very simple, and they live in primitive fashion in rough circular stone huts thatched with grass. The history of Abyssinia dates very far back. Before Christ the country formed part of the ancient country of Ethiopia. The queen of Sheba was an Abyssinian queen, and the kings of Abyssinia claim descent from her.—London Spectator.

Sick Herrings.

"Why," said a youngster to his elder brother, "do herrings have so many more illnesses than other fish?"

"Who says they do?" asked the youth addressed.

"Why, this book says that thousands upon thousands of them are cured every year."

VIRGINIA FARMER

Restored to Health by Vinol.

Atlee, Va.—I was weak, run-down, no appetite, my blood was poor, I could not sleep nights and was rapidly losing flesh, but I am a farmer and had to work. Medicines had failed to help me until I took Vinol. After taking three bottles my appetite is fine, I sleep well, my blood is good and I am well again." — Orlando W. Borkey.

Vinol, which contains beef and cod liver peptones, iron, manganese peptonates and glycerophosphates, is guaranteed to overcome weak, run-down conditions, chronic coughs, colds and bronchitis.

McDermid and Jury, and E. L. Payne, druggists, Peterborough; also at the best druggists in all Ontario towns.

Saxol Salve
CURES SKIN AFFECTIONS
Ode package proves it. Sold and guaranteed by above Vinol druggist.

FIRST ADVERTISING

It Was Done in Egypt, on Papyrus, Thirty Centuries Ago.

ANCIENT PUBLICITY DEVICES.

The Greeks Used Town Criers and Music, and Then Came Symbols and Signboards—The Revolution That Accompanied the Art of Printing.

The Egyptian gentleman who sought a runaway slave 3,000 years ago and advertised on a bit of papyrus for his recovery turned out the first piece of advertising copy.

Whoever he was, he was a genius in more than a small way. His copy still lives, preserved in the British museum as an exhibit of considerable archaeological importance and as an example of what our advertising experts of today would do if they, like the Egyptian, did not have the benefit of up to date information.

The Egyptians knew nothing about the topography of advertising nor the effect of different colors. He didn't know, for instance, that red is the most effective eye catching color and that green is second and black third.

Of these and a thousand other things that influence the character of present day advertisements he was totally in ignorance. But he gets full credit for making the first attempt at a written advertisement.

The Greeks, with a fine regard for art, usually made music a part of the advertising program. They gave us the idea of employing bands to attract attention, undoubtedly one of the most successful methods of drawing a crowd at any place and time.

At first a town crier, accompanied by a musician playing a lyre or a harp, mingled among the Greek peoples and used only the best and choicest Greek in his extravagant praises of the product he was exploiting. Later, however, private advertisements in writing began to be introduced, particularly on the whitened walls of the homes, giving some information regarding the social standing and the age of the residents, their financial rating and the family lineage.

The Romans advertised in many ways. They named their streets, advertised shows, exhibitions and sales on the terra cotta walls of public baths, acquainted the public with sales of estates and absconded debtors and began the practice of notifying the Romans of articles lost and found and houses for sale or rent.

The Romans are commonly credited with the origin of the sign board. Today we have the bulletin board, which corresponds to the Roman tabella found in the ruins of Pompeii and Herculaneum, where public announcements were made.

Advertising met the same fate as the Romans did when the Huns came sweeping down from the north. Until the middle ages very little of it is seen. But with the appearance again of the town crier, supplied with the customary long winded declarations and a choice supply of adjectives, advertising began to make itself felt in the conduct of business affairs. The public criers began to organize themselves both in France and in England, and they were persons with considerable prestige.

From crying out the superior qualities of merchandise and all kinds of goods and wares the crier soon began to make announcement of things lost and found, of sales, weddings, christenings and other interesting events.

Gradually as time went on inns began to use distinctive signs and symbols to mark their hostelries, just as individuals had employed coats of arms. All kinds of devices were used and are still used by inns to the present day. All such signs as the blue anchor, the black dragon, the three tuns, the boar's head, the red lion, and so on, made definite representations and implications.

Of course with the development of the printing press advertising took a great spurt. The use of posters came into vogue, and all kinds of pamphlets were printed and distributed. Printing gradually began to supersede the handwritten manuscript. William Caxton set up his press in Westminster abbey in 1471, and two centuries later, in 1622, a newspaper, believed to be the first real newspaper, was printed. It was called the Weekly News and purported to contain news of doings in Germany, France, Hungary and Bohemia.

From then on newspapers, mostly weekly publications, began to appear from time to time in increasing numbers. Advertisements of medicines began to be inserted in the newspapers at an early date. The insertion of the first real newspaper advertisements, however, is credited to Nathaniel Butler, who advertised books.

The first two magazines to carry advertisements were Godey's Lady Book and Peterson's, but it was not until 1864 that magazine advertising really began, and it was not until 1880 that a general use was made of magazines for advertising purposes.

Literal Promise.

"Uncle Bill promises me a rousing time on his farm."

"He'll give you a rousing time, don't fear. It will be somewhere about 5 in the morning."—Baltimore American.

Fame can never make us lie down contentedly on a deathbed.—Pope.

Mrs. Henrietta King, who is past 80 years of age, operates and manages a 1,200,000 acre ranch in Texas. Mrs. King is reputed to be worth over $50,000,000.

Then shall the King say unto them on his right hand.....

"I was an hungered, and ye gave me meat; I was thirsty, and ye gave me drink..... naked, and ye clothed me....."

Then shall they answer him, saying—"Lord, when saw we thee an hungered, and fed thee? or thirsty, and gave thee drink? ....or naked, and clothed thee?"

And the King shall answer.....
"Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me".

Overseas, in ravaged Belgium, more than 3,000,000 of "the least of these" are hungry, thirsty, thinly clad—looking to us! Have you done what you could for any of them?

Whatever you can give, send your subscription weekly, monthly or in one lump sum to Local or Provincial Committees or

SEND CHEQUES PAYABLE TO TREASURER

Belgian Relief Fund

59 St. Peter Street, Montreal

The Greatest Relief Work in History.

THREE YEARS' HUNT FOR MURDERERS

Police Inspector Failed to Locate Guilty Eskimos.

REGINA, Jan. 30.—Inspector Beyts, who left Regina about three years ago on a trip to the north in search of the Eskimo murderers of Radford and Street, the two American explorers, returned to the city Friday.

During their long journey they located several isolated bands of Eskimos, but nowhere were the murderers of Radford and Street to be found.

Inspector Beyts and his men returned to the Hudson Bay coast and worked their way southward to Port Nelson from where the Inspector made the overland trip by dog sled to Prince Albert.

NEW WARDEN ENLISTS.

Frontenac County Leader Signs With Forestry Unit.

KINGSTON, Ont., Jan. 29.—At the close of the session of the Frontenac County Council, the newly elected Warden, C. C. McKnight, announced that he had enlisted with a Forestry Battalion and would soon don the khaki. Warden McKnight is a prominent farmer and his large interests in the north of the county and his example will have a good effect on recruiting in that district. He will enter the battalion with the rank of lieutenant.

QUEEN'S STUDENTS UNFIT FOR SERVICE.

KINGSTON, Jan. 29.—That 75 per cent of the first-year students at Queen's University are medically unfit for war service, and that quite a large number are under age is the result of an examination made at Queen's University.

THE FORD TOURING CAR

$495 00 F.O.B. Ford, Ontario

You might pay more, but you wouldn't get any more pleasure or work, to say nothing of service.

The Ford Car is superior from every standpoint. It has grown into the hearts of the Canadian people.

You will find the light, strong, economical, serviceable $495.00 Ford Touring Car all that you have been wishing and waiting for.

You can have your wish now. So don't wait longer.

Come in and leave your order now. No others are better, although all others cost more. Why not leave the difference in the bank?

GARAGES—Peterboro, Norwood & Millbrook

JOS. J. DUFFUS, Dealer
195 Simcoe Street Peterboro Telephone 1788

UNION BANK OF CANADA

Bank by Mail, and Save Long Drives

Mail us the cheques as each you receive, with your Pass-book, which we will return with the Deposit credited. Then you can pay your bills by cheques, which we will honor, or if you want the cash yourself send us a cheque in your own favor and we will forward the money by return mail.

Drop in and talk to the Manager about it.

PETERBOROUGH BRANCH C. H. PENNEFATHER, Manager
NORWOOD BRANCH . . . D. B. CUTCLIFFE, Manager
HASTINGS BRANCH . . . J. M. THOMSON, Manager
STIRLING BRANCH . . . W. S. MARTIN, Manager

NEARLY CRAZY WITH ITCHING AND PAIN

Healed by Cuticura Trial Free

"I noticed a few pimples on my arm and in scratching a rash formed. The itching and pain nearly drove me crazy and my arm was sore and inflamed. I could not do my work. I could not bear to put my hands in water.

"I used about two cakes of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment when I was healed." (Signed) Mrs. Dorothy Winchester, 40 Victoria Ave., Niagara Falls, Ont., October 6, '15.

Sample Each Free by Mail

With 32-p. Skin Book. Address postcard: "Cuticura, Dept. J, Boston, U.S.A." Sold throughout the world.

WILL BUY PAPER JOINTLY.

Southern California Journals Decide Also to Raise Prices.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 29.—A plan for the purchase of news-print paper for distribution among members of a committee was indorsed recently by the Southern California Editorial Association. Harlan G. Palmer, President, was authorized to appoint a committee to receive orders, purchase the total amount of paper required and arrange for distribution.

Other resolutions pledged the fifty weekly and daily newspapers represented to increase subscription rates 50 cents a year for weeklies and $1 a year for dailies, and advertising rates 20 per cent. The members pledged their support to bills before Congress providing for a Government-owned paper mill an for a zone system of rates for second-class mail.

PIMPLES and BOILS

ALL OVER FACE AND BODY

When the blood becomes impure you will find that pimples and boils will break out all over the body, and although they are not dangerous trouble, they make you appear unsightly both to your friends and yourself.

Burdock Blood Bitters will cleanse the blood of all the impurities and poisons which cause the skin to break out in these eruptions.

Miss Sylvia Swanson, Theodore, Sask., writes: "I am letting you know what great value your B.B.B. has been to me. A year ago I started to grow pale and weak, the cause being bad blood. I got so many pimples and boils all over my face and body that I would not let strangers see me, and I used to avoid company. I tried many remedies but all seemed a failure. I read about how good your B.B.B. had been to thousands of people so I got a bottle and after I had finished the second one my pimples and boils had all disappeared. People thought it a miracle how well I looked.

"Your grand old remedy sure has been as good as gold and better, to me".

Burdock Blood bitters has been manufactured for the past forty years by The T. Milburn Company, Limited, Toronto, Ont. See that our name appears on the wrapper

A Welsh Flag Day will be held in London on March 1, St. David's Day.

Smocks will again be worn for outdoor sports this summer, says New York.

"Should part of soldiers' wives' allowances be paid in rations" is a question now being asked in London.

SMITH FAMILY IS THE LARGEST IN THE WORLD

There is no truth in the legends that Smith draws his name and blood from Shem, son of Noah, whose descendants wrote their patronymic successively — Shemit, Shmit, Smith; or from the mythical Pharaoh Smithosis of the Theban line of kings.

The name has its root in remote Saxon times, in the word "smitan" (to smite), when it was borne by every man who earned an honest living by his arm muscles, whether as blacksmith, wheelsmith, carpenter or mason.

Every Smith is a member of the greatest clan in all the world; for almost every civilized land has its army of fellow Smiths in as many different guises —from the Russian Smittowski to the Spanish Smithas, and from the Icelandic Smithson to the Mexican Smithl.

In our own little islands the Smiths stand alone at the head of the clan lists; even Jones, Brown and Robinson must pay homage to them. In England of every 72 persons you meet one writes his name, "Smith"; in Scotland the proportion is still greater strange to say—one in every 70; while in Ireland, Smith takes fifth place on the list, beaten only by the Murphys, Kellys, Sullivans and Walshes.

In England and Wales there are more Smiths than there are people of all names in any one of 30 counties; they outnumbered the entire population of Oxfordshire by more than two to one. In Scotland there are Smiths enough to repeople the four counties, Bute, Kinross, Nairn and Sutherland, with a few thousand to spare.

In England and Wales there are approximately 800 bearers of any one surname, on an average. The Smiths alone number more than 400,000, or 500 times as many.

This great family can boast of more men of distinction who have helped to make our Empire what it is than the bearers of any other name.

There is one Smith who wears a viscount's coronet; another was Baron Strathcona and Mount Royal, one of the most famous pioneers of the Empire. Five Smiths and one Smyth help to make our laws in the House of Commons.

In the roll of our baronets there are half a dozen Smiths to say nothing of one Smythe and one Smith; and no fewer than 31 of the name are entitled to the knightly prefix "sir." In the gallant roll of D. S. O.'s 18 Smiths figure, and half a dozen have won the Cross for Valor, in addition to one Smyth and one Smythe, V.C.'s.

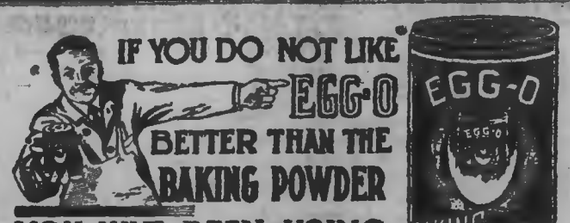
The lady Smiths are no less notable than their menfolk, although their achievements are less known; but there is scarcely a walk in life in which they have not acquitted themselves at least as well as those of any other surname. And to-day it may interest those who wish to ally themselves with this wonderful family, there are over 60,000 spinsters of the name, all between the ages of 20 and 34, and most of them highly desirable as life partners.—Pearson's Weekly.

"BILLY" SUNDAY HAS NO LOVE FOR SOCIETY GIRLS

BUFFALO, N.Y., Jan. 30.—Buffalonians attending Billy Sunday's services Sunday, dropped $10,181 in coin, bills and checks into the shiny new tin pans by the ushers in taking collections.

The revivalist denounced what he branded as "sins of society" in the most terrific outburst of ministerial tongue, lashing a Buffalo audience has ever heard.

"The daughter of a society woman is a pencil-browed, frizzled haired, painted nothing" he declared. "She chews gum, plays ragtime, flirts and if you kiss her you are in danger of dying with painters' colic."



SHAMS TAKE PLACE OF FOOD AND CLOTHES

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outbreak of war to enable her chemists and engineers to turn out a sufficient amount of nitric acid.

Toluol, a very important ingredient of explosives, is obtained from coal-tar, which Germany is naturally able to manufacture at present better than any other country in the world, since she had practically a monopoly in coal-tar products before hostilities commenced.

Evidently, however, substitutes to reinforce goods smuggled through the blockade have not sufficed to meet the chemical demands of the German Government, for great flaming pracards were posted up all over the Empire announcing the commandeering of such commodities as sulphur, sulphuric acid, tuluol, saltpetre, and the like.

COTTON AND THE BLOCKADE.

Germany long ago claimed, though falsely I believe, to have perfected wood-pulp as a substitute for cotton in propulsive ammunition. She made this claim for the purpose of hoodwinking your blockade advocates. Her great need eventually led her to take steps, somewhat less than a year ago, to induce the United States to insist on the Entente Powers raising the blockade on cotton. She went to great trouble and expense to send samples by special means to her agents in the United States.

The cotton shortage began to be seriously felt early this year in the manufacturing districts of Saxony, where so many operatives were suddenly thrown out of work that the Government had to set aside a special fund for their temporary relief, until they could be transferred to other war industries.

The success which Germany claimed for a cotton-cloth substitute has been greatly exaggerated. When the Germans realized that Great Britain really meant business on the question of cotton they cultivated more nettle and willow fibre, and made a cloth consisting for the most part of nettle or willow fibre, with a small proportion of cotton or wool.

It was boasted in many quarters that the exclusion of cotton would make but little difference so far as clothing was concerned. Not only does the universal introduction of clothing tickets falsify this boast, but the cloth is found to be a more makeshift when tested. Blouses and stockings wear out with discouraging rapidity when made of this substitute..

My personal investigations still lead me to believe in the motto of my own Sunny South that "Cotton is King."

Paper, although running short in Germany, is the substitute for cloth in many cases. Sacking formerly used for making bags in which to ship potatoes and other vegetables, has given way to paper. Paper-string is a good substitute widely used, although "no string" was the verbal substitute I often got when buying various articles, and it was necessary for me to hold the paper on to the parcel with my hands.

DISHONEST DEALERS.

The craze for substitute has spread so extensively that there have been some unpleasant results both for the purchaser and the producer, as was the case with several bakers, who were finally detected and convicted of a liberal use of sawdust in their cakes.

Germany has worked especially hard to find a substitute for india-rubber, though with only moderate success. I know that the Kaiser's Government is still sending men into contiguous neutral countries to buy up every scrap of rubber obtainable. In no other commodity has there been more relentless commandeering. When bicycle tires were commandeered—the authorities deciding that three marks was the proper price to pay for a new pair of tires which had cost 310—there was a great deal of complaining. Nevertheless, without an excellent reason, no German could secure the police pass necessary to allow him to ride a bicycle. Those who did obtain permission to ride to and from their work had to select the shortest route, and "joy-riding" was forbidden.

"Substitute rubber" heels for boots could be readily obtained until the late summer, but after that only with difficulty. They were practically worthless, as I know from personal experience, and were as hard as leather after one or two days' use.

Despite the rubber shortage, the Lower Saxon Rubber Company, of Hildersheim does a thriving business in raincoats made from rubber substitutes. The factory is running almost full blast, all the work being done by women, and the finished product is a tribute to the skill of those in charge.

It is impossible to buy a real tennis ball in the German Empire to-day. A most hopeless makeshift tennis ball has been put on the market, but after a few minutes' play it no longer keeps its shape or resiliency.

COPPER AND OTHER METALS.

Germany has been very successful in the substitution of a sort of enamelled iron for aluminum, brass and copper. Some of the Rhenish-Westphalian iron industries have made enormous war profits, supplying iron chandeliers, stove doors, pots and pans, and other articles formerly made of brass to take the place of those commandeered for the purpose of supplying the army with much-needed metals.

For copper used in electrical and other industries Germany claims to have devised substitutes before the war, and her experts now assert that a two-years' supply of copper and brass has been gathered from the kitchens and roofs of Germany.

Of course Germans never boast of the priceless ornaments they have stolen from Belgium and Northern France. They joyfully claim that every pound of copper made available at home diminishes the amount which Germany must import from abroad, and pay for with her cherished gold.

The German authorities delight in boasting to the neutral visitors that they have found adequate substitutes for nickel, chromium, and vanadium for the hardening of steel. If that is really so, why does the Deutschland's cargo consist mainly of these three commodities?

WASHINGTON MORE FAVOURABLE TO ARMING OF MERCHANTMEN

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aft and remain a merchant ship, possessing immunity from attack. On the other hand she might leave a neutral port without a gun aboard her and be bent upon an offensive mission.

THE ALABAMA CASE.

The Alabama left British waters without any guns aboard, yet the United States held Britain responsible for a breach of neutrality because it proved that the Alabama was especially fitted up in British waters to receive guns and left British waters for the express purpose of picking up guns at another port, mounting them and preying on Union commerce.

As a reverse to the Alabama case, it is said that a British ship might leave an American port heavily armed fore and aft and yet carry a cargo, a list of passengers and a crew which would give conclusive evidence that she was bent upon a peaceful mission. Such a vessel might act offensively at sea, in which case, it was said, she would lose her merchant status and her immunity from attack without warning. But, it is added, a vessel with only one gun mounted astern might likewise act offensively or even a vessel without any guns at all on board, which deliberately pursued a submarine with the purpose to ram and sink her.

ARMED SHIPS MAY BE CLEARED.

This statement from a high official source indicates that if the Entente governments decide to increase the armament on their merchant ships they may still be able to clear them from American ports.

With regard to the project to have such ships leave American ports without guns and pick the guns up en route at Halifax it is said that this would serve no purpose, inasmuch as the United States would have to refuse clearance to any vessel which it knew was to arm offensively at Halifax, bent upon a warlike mission, just the same as thought it armed in New York. It is the duty of the United States, as a neutral, to prevent ships leaving American ports which intend to engage in the pursuit of an enemy, and that duty holds whether the ship arms for that work at the neutral port or at some intermediate belligerent port.

In September, 1914, the United States issued instructions to port officials describing a defensively armed merchant ship as one which, among other things, had her guns mounted aft. To-day it is explained that those instructions did not state that a vessel mounting a gun forward was necessarily offensively armed, but only that a vessel mounting guns aft only was unquestionably defensively armed. No ship would leave on an offensive mission, to hunt down and sink enemy vessels, with guns mounted aft only. A vessel with guns mounted forward might be bent either upon an offensive or defensive mission. Other circumstances would have to determine her status—for instance, her cargo or her passenger list. No ship, even though armed forward, would leave on an offensive mission with a lot of women on board.

With regard to armed merchantmen sunk on the high seas, it was said, evidence in each particular case would have to determine whether the ship possessed a merchant status and whether she had so behaved as to retain that merchant status.

APPEAL MADE TO PREMIER

Proprietors Urge the Necessity of Big Journals for the Public in War Time.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—On the principle that misery loves company, the suffering publishers in America may draw considerable comfort from the plight of their brethren in England. If white paper conditions are bad in the United States, they are almost impossible on this side. Up to last November newspapers were permitted to use 65 per cent. of the quantity currently used by them in 1914. Publishers thought these conditions were pretty bad, but they were struggling along, doing the best they could, when the Government notified them that their paper allowance would be cut down to five-sixths of the 1915 quantity, which is equivalent to about 50 per cent. of the 1914 quantity. Recently there has been strong talk of making a still further cut to to a 40 per cent. basis, as compared with 1914. The proposed drastic action led to-day to a visit in force to the Prime Minister, when about forty newspaper proprietors, headed by Lord Burnham of The Daily Telegraph, were received at 10 Downing Street. They made vigorous representation as to the necessity of newspapers to the public in war time and the necessity of white paper to the newspapers. They will receive the same consderaton from the Government that would be accorded to any other industry.

Even if the Government consents to preserving the present status the newspapers are faced with almost intolerable conditions. The Government restrictions on paper and raw materials arise from the need of shipping tonnage for food and munitions, and the growing scarcity of labour and other factors that make for high prices. Leading paper dealers tell me the market price of paper for customers today is $150 per ton, but that, as a matter of fact, a new paper starting would be unable to obtain news print at any price. I am told by newspaper managers that they are actually paying the equivalent of six cents a pound for current supplies, and that they expect the situation to get worse before it gets better.

Thanks to the reserve stocks held by some of the papers, the newspapers have not yet fully accommodated themselves to the scarcity of news print and high prices. The Times has gone from two cents to three cents, and given notice of a probable further increase to four cents. All one-cent papers have made drastic cuts in size and are prepared to carry the condensation still further. They do not find that the cut in size has hurt them with their readers. There has been gossip of The Daily Mail's raising its price to two cents, but it is doubtful whether that will be done in face of the certainty that the Daily Telegraph and Morning Post will stay at their old price of two cents. When the war broke out there was a perpendicular drop in advertising revenue. There has been a gradual recovery, although conditions ar not yet entirely normal. The advertising outlook is encouraging, as the shops almost universally report good trade. London streets were never so crowded as at present. Visitors from the country and the continent compete with London housewives in hunting bargains regardless of the war time.

AVIATORS GET MORE PAY.

Flight Sub-Lieutenants Now Receive $6.50 a Day.

LONDON, Jan. 29.— All Canadian officers attached to the Royal Flying Corps are receiving flying pay from the Canadian Government in addition to regular pay. The pay of a flight sub-lieutenant totals $6.50 per day. The pay dates back.

HOW THE EUROPEANS MAKE STHAW GOOD ANIMAL FOOD

WASHINGTON, D.C., Jan. 29.—In effect, a recent bulletin of the United States department of agriculture asks why the American farmer cannot put straw to the same use as it is put by the European farmer.

In Europe the farmer knows as well as the American farmer that straw is not liked by stock, but instead of burning it or otherwise wasting it the European farmer chops it up, mixes it with beets, mangels, silage, or other feeds, and makes it so palatable that it can be fed to good advantage.

HAD AWFUL ATTACKS OF HEART TROUBLE

For 5 or 6 Years

Diseases and disorders of the heart and nervous system have become frightfully prevalent of late years.

One can scarcely pick up a paper but he will find recorded instances of sudden deaths through heart failure, or of prominent men and women unable to prosecute their ordinary business or profession on account of a breaking down of the nervous system.

We do not desire to unnecessarily alarm anyone, but to sound a word of warning.

When the heart begins to beat irregularly, palpitates and throbs, has shooting pains through it, it is time to stop and think.

To all sufferers from heart and nerve troubles Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills can give prompt and permanent relief.

Mrs. Frank Arseneau, Newcastle, N. B., writes: "I had awful attacks of heart trouble for the past five or six years, and as I had tried many kinds of medicine without getting any better I decided to give Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills a trial, and to my surprise I found ease from the second dose. I continued taking them until I had used six boxes, and now I feel as well as can be.

"At the present time my sister is using them for nervousness and finds great comfort by their use."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50c or three boxes for $1.25 at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

BISURATED MAGNESIA

For Dyspepsia, Indigestion

Heartburn, Belching, Sour Stomach, Gas in Stomach, etc., take a teaspoonful of Bisurated Magnesia in a half glass of hot water after eating. Is safe, pleasant, and harmless to use and gives instant relief from all forms of stomach disorder. Sold by all druggists everywhere.

In order to save money for their church several women members of a church in Atlanta donned overalls and painted the church both inside and outside.

Many women surgeons are now connected with the British army.

Mrs. E. E. Starcher was recently elected mayor of Umatilla, Oregon.

Don't Persecute your Bowels

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The Evening Examiner

PETERBOROUGH WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31, 1917

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THE FRENCH PENETRATE GERMAN FRONT AND SECOND LINE TRENCHES AT LINTREY

Brought Back as Prisoners or Killed All the Defenders of These Positions it Was Announced in To-day's Official Statement From Paris--Holland Satisfied With New British Mine Blockade---British Lost 12,314 Officers and Men in December.

A SUMMARY OF TO-DAY'S WAR CABLES

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, January 31.—French forces penetrated first and second German lines south of Lintrey, bringing back all the German defenders of those positions as prisoners or killing them in the fighting, it was announced in to-day's official statement.

LONDON, January 31.—England lost 12,314 officers and men killed in December.

Home Defence Force To Be Enrolled

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

LONDON, January 31.—King George has sent a letter to the Lords Lieutenant of Counties throughout the country appealing to men over military age to enroll in a volunteer force for home defence under the Duke of Connaught. The letter recalls the territorial force which was originally intended for home service, but has since gone to the front.

Russians Score a Gain at Jacobeni

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PETROGRAD, January 31.—Advancing waist deep in snow, Russian troops have stormed and captured at the point of the bayonet German positions on the heights east of Jacobeni, according to to-day's official statement.

Holland Satisfied With New Blockade

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

ROTTERDAM, January 31.—Newspapers and shippers generally are unperturbed over the new British mine blockade. Some consider it advantageous as likely to render more difficult the patrol of the Dutch coast by German submarines and torpedo boats. The Courant to-day declared Britain is absolutely right in attempting to protect herself against submarines. If she succeeds in reducing the peril many neutrals will be thankful.

The above despatch which passed through London and the British censors is the first definite reference to the new danger zone as a "mine blockade."

French Transport is Sunk By Torpedo

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

PARIS, January 31.—Official announcement made to-day that a French transport was torpedoed near Malta January 25th and 900 soldiers were lost.

CHRISTIANA, January 31.—Submarines are prohibited entry into Norwegian waters except under stress of the weather or damages incurred at sea, according to a royal proclamation issued to-day.

BERLIN, via Sayville, January 31.—During the month of December 152 hostile merchant ships totalling 329,000 gross tons were lost by the Entente Powers through "war measures," a statement issued by the Official Press Bureau to-day declared.

WOULD MAKE A DISTINCTION

Graduate Nurses Association Object to Graduates of Correspondence "Schools" Being Designated as Registered or Trained Nurses

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Jan. 31.—That the Nurse Graduates of Correspondence Schools should not be permitted to come under designation of "Registered" or "Trained" nurse was the contention of Miss Dixon representing the "Graduate Nurses Association" of Ontario at the medical commission sitting under direction of Mr. Justice Hodgins in the Parliament buildings today. The principal question before the Commission was, are the terms "registered", "Graduate", "Trained" and "certified" as applied to nurses, intended to indicate only those educated in medical training schools for nurses attached to public hospitals. On the question of Fees, Miss Nixon said that they were fixed by private registrars. Mr. Justice Hodgins asked if it would not be better to have public registrars and fees fixed by public authorities. He asked that this be brought before the Nurses Association.

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Albert A. Taggart Found Dead On Stairs At Home

Albert Allan Taggart, a well-known citizen of Peterborough, was found dead at his home, 1035 Water street, this morning.

Mr. Taggart, who since the sudden death of his brother, on Nov. 26th, last, has resided alone, has been in good health and a familiar figure on the streets until yesterday, when he became ill. Mr. Grant, a neighbour called at the house last night, at 10.30, and found him to be evidently better. This morning, on calling, he found Mr. Taggart sitting on the stairway, dead. He had evidently been on his way upstairs and, pausing for breath, his heart had given out. Dr. Greer was summoned and found that death was due to heart failure.

Mr. Taggart, who is 60 years of age, is survived by his mother, who resides in the city, two sisters in the States, and one brother, Frank, in the West.

The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2.30 from Bellegham's to the Little Lake cemetery.

POET-SCOUT DYING.

CHICAGO, Jan. 31. — John Wallace (Captain Jack) Crawford, the "poet scout," was reported dying at Woodhaven, N. Y., in a telegram received here.

Captain Crawford was chief of the scouts with General Custer at the time of the massacre, but was on his way to headquarters with despatches, and was active in organizing the pursuit of Sitting Bull. Crawford was born in Ireland in 1847, learned to read and write late in life, and afterwards wrote a number of plays, stories and poems.

93RD BATTALION MEN TOOK PART IN SUCCESSFUL RAID

Canadian War Records Office Issues Report of Recent Operations in Which a Number of Peterboro' Men Made the Supreme Sacrifice

TOOK 100 PRISONERS

Undoubtedly the heavy casualties among the former members of the 93rd Battalion reported recently are accounted for by the fact that a draft from the Peterborough Battalion was with one of the battalions mentioned in the following official Canadian communique.

LONDON, Jan. 31.—The following communique was issued to-day by the Canadian War Records Office, and covers the operations of the Canadian corps from January 17 to January 23.

Two very successful raids form the outstanding features of last week's operations. It had been intended to undertake them as a simultaneous operation, but conditions rendered a change advisable.

The first raid was made at 4.30 p.m. by a New Brunswick battalion. A mine was successfully exploded close to the German trenches, and the attacking parties advanced under cover of an intense barrage and a screen of smoke. The flanks of our men penetrated the support line, meeting with no resistance. A party of about thirty Germans were met in a communication trench and chased to their d---outs, from which they refused to emerge. In a raid there is no time for persuasion, and the dugouts were destroyed by explosives.

The enemy's trenches were found in a much damaged condition as a result of the mine explosion and our artillery fire, and there were many evidences of the accuracy of our shooting. No prisoners were brought back. A party of four Germans taken by our men were killed by a shell while being escorted across 'No Man's Land.' The raiding party returned to our lines at 5 p.m.

The second raid took place at 7.45 a.m. the following day, and was carried out by troops of two battalions from Ontario. The operation was similar in most respects to the previous day's, although on a somewhat larger scale. The enemy's trenches were penetrated on a front of 800 yards to a depth of 300 yards. The conditions were by no means ideal. The enemy's wire entanglements were exceedingly strong, and the wind was not in the most favourable quarter for the use of a smoke screen. On the flanks lastly, the ground was snow-covered, and the khaki uniforms of our men stood out in clear relief on the white background.

DID THEIR WORK WELL.

As the attacking party left our trenches a machine gun opened fire from the ruins of a high building in the enemy's lines. It had scarcely fired a dozen rounds when a heavy shell silenced it for the rest of the day. The wire presented no difficulties, so well had our gunners done their work that only a few strands remained.

Once in the German trenches our men were complete masters of the situation. In the support line a small party of Germans showed some resistance, but a short and sharp duel with bombs ended in their defeat. Our artillery had played havoc with the enemy's trenches and our engineers completed the work of destruction with explosives, blowing up all the remaining deep dugouts and machine-gun emplacements.

At 8.45 a.m. the raiders were back in our own trenches, having in the space of an hour captured 100 prisoners, two machine guns and a bomb thrower. The number of prisoners taken in this brilliant operation constitutes a record on this front.

These two raids, although carried out 15 hours apart, form one operation. They cannot be considered separately nor judged by the relative number of prisoners captured in each. The first raid distracted attention from the second and was an essential factor to its success.

CASUALTIES NOT HEAVY

Our casualties were not heavy in proportion to the extent and success of the operations and there is no doubt the German losses far exceeded them, to say nothing of the demoralising effects of the raids.

The officers and men who took part tell many interesting stories. A German company commander who was taken prisoner, when ordered to sur-

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THE PLEDGE TO BE MADE BY 500 CLUB

Are we at this stage of the war, after we have raised, equipped, trained and dispatched a whole Canadian army of the finest men —some 370,000 of them—are we at this stage going to abandon them or are we going to bring such pressure to bear upon the remaining eligible men who may be spared and see them enlist so that their efforts will tend to relieve the pressure on those men who have been over there for so long? We cannot, nor will not abandon these men, and we will render every assistance to the 500 Club in their efforts to secure recruits.

Enlisted With 247th Because His Brother Has Been Wounded

William Drain, Mark St., Dons the Khaki to Get Revenge ---Has Another Brother in the Same Battalion and is Going Out After More Recruits---Fourteen Peterboro' Men For the 256th Battalion---To-day's Orders and General Military News.

Because his brother, Pte. Tom Drain, formerly of the 93rd Battalion, has been reported wounded, William Drain, Mark Street, East City, a former employee of the Quaker Oats Company, walked into the Armouries this morning and enlisted with the 247th Battalion. Another brother of Mr. Drain, Pte. James Drain, is also a member of the 247th. "I am going to get the fellow that got my brother,' remarked the new recruit as he was being outfitted. Pte. Drain came to Peterborough from Dummer Township, near Crowe's Landing, Stoney Lake, and is going back there on a recruiting trip, expecting to bring a number of his former neighbours back with him.

There was another case of a second brother joining the 247th this morning, when P. Flannagan of Fort William, a brother of Pte. Alf. Flannagan of the 247th hockey team, became a member of the Peterborough unit.

256TH BATTALION.

Sergt. Stanley has fourteen recruits for the 256th Railway Construction Battalion lined up. The latest additions to the unit are:

W. O. Edwards, 255 Cady street.
David Edwards, 255 Cady street.
James Foster, 359 Rogers street.
Jas. Marshall, Peterborough.
John Broadway.
W. J. Maudsley, 710 Bethune street.
John Wesley Thompson, 137 Lake street.
William Pollard, 2 Grand Central Apartments.

WAS IN BUGLE BAND.

Pte. Wm. Johnston, officially reported died of wounds, yesterday, went overseas as a member of the 93rd Bugle Band, and is the first bugler of the Peterborough Battalion to appear in the casualty list. His relatives live in England. He had a brother in the 93rd Battalion, and another in the Royal navy.

Mr. Dick Knox of Peterborough has enlisted with the 253rd Queen's Highlanders, Kingston.

TO-DAY'S ORDERS.

Daily orders by Lieutenant Colonel C. H. Ackerman, Comamnding 247th Battalion, C. E. F.:

Orders for Wednesday, January 31, 1917:

Duties.—Orderly Officer for Wednesday, January 31st, 1917, Lieut. J. F. Strickland.

Next for duty, Thursday, February 1st, 1917: Lieut. H. M. Latimer.

A. E. BRITTAIN,
Lieut., Adjutant,
247th Overseas Battalion, C.E.F.

A telegram has been received by Mrs. J. H. Watson, that her husband, Sergeant Watson, former member of the 93rd Battalion is on his way home.

Sergt. J. C. Gamey of the 247th Battalion has returned from Kingston, where he has been attending the School of Bayonet Fighting and Physical Training.

Bandmaster J. W. Chadwick of the 247th Battalion, has been transferred to the 255th Battalion, Toronto.

Sergt. R. H. Leach of the 247th Battalion, has been promoted to Lieutenant in the Peterborough Battalion.

Woman Fined $50 For Theft From House

The housemaid who was charged yesterday with stealing clothing and other articles from the place of her employment, was let go on suspended sentence in the Police Court to-day, but the married woman who was also implicated, was fined $50 and her husband barely escaped the finding of the court. The woman had been previously employed at the residence and had helped store the goods some of which were stolen. She told the young girl of their location, prompted the theft and helped carry away some of the bundles herself.

Phones For All Kansas Homes; Autos In Third

TOPEKA, Kas., Jan. 30.—There is a telephone for every home and a motor car for every third house in Kansas. That is a record not equalled in this country, and it is doubtful if any similar area or population in the world can come up to this remarkable statement showing the conveniences of modern life playing such an important part in the every day life of the citizens of one commonwealth.

The Kansas public utilities commission has just completed the tabulation of the reports of all the telephone companies operating in the State. The reports are required annually at the close of the fiscal year —June 30. There are 928 separate exchanges in the State, operated by slightly over 600 different firms, individuals, and corporations.

These companies have a total of 137,276 miles of wire within the state and there are 281,548 separate subscriber. There is a telephone for each 5.94 persons within the state, almost a telephone for every average sized family in Kansas, counting five as the average family. There are considerably more telephones than actual residences.

About one-half the telephones are in the cities and the rest in the rural districts. The city telephones are operated chiefly by three companies —the Bell and its allied corporations and the companies allied with the independent telephone organization.

In the rural districts the telephones are operated chiefly by mutual telephone companies, organized by the farmers and townspeople for their own benefit and connected with the exchanges of the Bell or Independent companies.

In this way the farmer many miles from town is able to talk with his neighbours, grocer, or banker, and on some lines is able to talk to any point where the big telephone companies have connections. Some of these rural telephone lines are fearfully and wonderfully mad of 'junk' from city lines, old instruments, old wires, and old exchanges being purchased by farm mutuals. In some cases the wires are strung along the fence posts and used as part of the fence.

The 928 telephone exchanges in the state have a total investment of $14,408,751. The gross revenues for the year were $3,050,236 and the expense of operation were $2,192,110.

16,384 AUTOS IN STATE.

In the office of the secretary of State there has been registered 116,-.4 motor cars in the State since July 1. Kansas requires the annual registration of motor cars and all cars must get new tags July 1. On this registration there is a motor car for every fifteen persons in the state, one car for every third family.

While exact figures are not available as there is no segregation of city and rural car licenses, a test applied to two central Kansas counties showed more cars owned by farmers than by city residents.

RUMMAGE SALE.

The ladies of Murray street Baptist church intend holding a rummage sale of winter and summer clothing and other useful articles on Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 13th and 14th, at 174 Hunter street, premises formerly occupied by the Hickey Shoe Store. Articles may be left at the church on Murray street or if unable to leave them there, 'phone 1365 or leave at the above store on Monday, Feb. 12th. 31-2-10

Bandmaster Hughes Honoured By His Men

ARE CHARGED WITH CONSPIRACY TO KILL LLOYD GEORGE

Four Persons Arrested in England, Charged with Attempting to Poison the Premier—After Rt. Hon. Arthur Henderson as Well

THREE ARE WOMEN

Examiner Special:

LONDON, Jan. 31.—The arrest of four persons charged with conspiracy to poison Premier Lloyd George, became known to-day through the arraignment of this quartet at Derby. The defendants called to the bar to-day were Mrs. Alice Wheddon, her daughter, Harriet, and another daughter, Mrs. Winnifred Mason, with Albert Mason, husband of the last named daughter. Mason is an expert chemist, and has been known as a "C. O." (conscientious objector) to war and war service, as they are known in England. The women are supposed to be all suffragettes. The conspiracy was reported to Scotland Yards Saturday and was followed up by the Secret Service with characteristic efficiency and thoroughness. Chief Inspector Parker, himself, assuming charge. Mrs. Mason was arrested at Southampton; the other three alleged conspirators were taken in custody at Derby.

The cable dispatch telling of the Police Court hearing of the four alleged conspirators is the first intimation to reach this country of an attempt on the Premier's life. Whether dissatisfaction with the war or suffrage issues prompted the alleged plot, was not made apparent by the first despatches passed by the censor. Lloyd George has been a friend of the suffrage movement. However, another agency says these people are also held on a charge of attempting to murder Right Hon. Arthur Henderson, representative of Labour in Lloyd George's Cabinet.

After formal evidence of the plot had been outlined at the hearing in Derby, the four prisoners were remanded until Saturday. The only evidence which the Crown gave against the defendants was the formal statement of charges on which they had been taken into custody. It is understood that the Crown has thirty witnesses to support a charge of "Conspiracy to Murder" Premier Lloyd George and Right Hon. Arthur Henderson.

Mrs. H. Fuller Won the Clock

Oak Hall Time Piece Stopped at 4 Minutes to 11 O'clock Last Night

The clock contest conducted by Oak Hall Clothiers on Dollar Day created considerable interest until the clock itself settled all speculation by stopping at four minutes to eleven last night, Thursday, January 30th. The winner, Mrs. H. Fuller, 518 Gilmour street, who won it twice, with two of her estimates reading 11.10 p.m. and the other 11.30 p.m. The next closest estimate was Miss Ethel Stevens, 554 Rogers street, with 11.50 p.m., followed by Mr. Fred Cann, R. R. No. 2, 10 p.m., and Miss Jessie Cameron, 708 Stewart street, 9.15 p.m.

The first person to personally notify Mr. Maher of the fact that the clock had stopped was Sergt. Kidd of the police force, who got Mr. Maher out of bed at three o'clock this morning. However, on coming to the store this morning a notice signed by M. Pakenham, Downs street, East City, and dated 11 o'clock, was found. Both men will get a prize and are asked to call into Oak Hall.

The following is the certificate of the judge in connection with the contest:

I, R. M. Glover, wish to state that I have checked over the estimates in the Oak Hall contest and find that Mrs. H. Fuller, 518 Gilmour street, is the winner of the clock for the nearest correct estimate. I have also checked over the Oak Hall sales for the period in which the contest was conducted, with the number of tickets issued, and find the tickets issued to be well within the sales for the period.

R. M. GLOVER
Peterborough, January 31st, 1917.

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Popular Leader of 247th Band is Guest of Honour at Banquet at Which He is Presented With a Beautiful Silver Tea and Coffee Set.

HIS SERVICES RECOGNIZED

If Bandmaster Walter Hughes had any doubts of the warm spot he occupies in the hearts of his men in the band of the old 93rd Battalion, now the band of the 247th Battalion, they were removed last night when the popular leader was the guest of honour at a banquet tendered him by the bandsmen at Hooper's. The esteem and regard in which Bandmaster Hughes is held was the keynote of every speech and the climax came in the presentation to him of a beautiful silver tea and coffee set, suitably engraved and accompanied by an illuminated address.

All the members of the band were present and the evening was a most enjoyable one throughout. Bandsman Tom Blunt, chairman of the committee which had the affair in charge, was the chairman of the evening and he kept things on the move all the way. All the old favourite choruses, "The Long, Long Trail," "Pack All Your Troubles," "I Want to Go Back," "Farewell Isabelle," and other hits were sung by the gathering during the evening, while Bandsman Harry Worral sang "Harrigan" in his own inimitable way, and Bandsman John French contributed "Killarney" with the help of the chorus.

After the enjoyable repast had been done full justice to, the chairman called the gathering to order, and the second part of the programme opened with the hearty singing of the National Anthem.

In his opening address Bandsman Blunt explained the objects of the meeting and paid a warm tribute to Bandmaster Hughes. 'It is an easy thing to say pleasant things about such a leader,' remarked the chairman, who went on to remind the gathering of the many kindnesses Bandmaster Hughes had done the members of his band, not only from a musical standpoint, but in other ways.

Bandsman "Dad" Dyer who was introduced as the father of the band, added his tribute. "I have had a lot to do with bands in my day," remarked the veteran, 'a'nd you would have to go a long, long way to find a better bandmaster than Sergt. Hughes. And I might add that I have never been associated with a better lot of fellows than the 93rd Band.

Bandsman Will Dyer said that no men could have been treated better than had the 93rd Band by Bandmaster Hughes. He recalled the dark days at West Sandling when things were going wrong, when the guest of the evening had carried the whole burden of the band's troubles on his shoulders.

Presentation Made.

The feature of the evening, the presentation to Bandmaster Hughes, followed. The presentation was made by Bandsman H. Miles while Bandsman Fred Wolno read the following address:

To Bandmaster Walter Hughes,
93rd Battalion Band, C.E.F.,
Peterborough, Ontario, Canada

We, the members of your band meet to-day under exceptionally happy auspices, since our object is to pay

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EQUAL FRANCHISE.

The question of equal suffrage — votes for women on a parity with men — is still engaging public attention, though responsible bodies, like governments, fight shy of it. It is urged that, with all the bungle men are making in waging war, the harrassment that they are subjected to, women can wait till after the war for her rights. It is not to be forgotten that in waging this war—in doing equally effective, and in some ays, more, effective, service than men, women are earning the right to have their rights considered. It is only simple justice to claim that, if women are doing so much to help win the war, by making and helping make men fit for for active service, they should have some voice in the readjustment that must come when peace brings its new conditions and its new problems.

Said public opinion is crystallising gradually in the direction of equal franchise. The city council of Hamilton have endorsed the petition of the Equal Franchise Association of that city to the Ontario government, for the extension of the voting franchise to women on equal terms with men. In due time the petition will be presented to Premier Hearst, and very probably he will receive it and take refuge in the war plea—a ready refuge for weak-kneed politicians—it is not desirable to deal with so momentous a question while the war is on. Of course this is only an excuse for delay. The government dealt with prohibition as a war measure, and there is nothing to prevent dealing in a similar manner with the franchise matter. Equal franchise could be regarded as a war measure; if its concession could in any possible way make women more efficient, more willing to do their part in the war. It can't, however, do that, for the women of the country are doing their utmost. But if women get the franchise they will have more power to keep men up to the mark.

SENATE REFORM.

There are heard from time to time, demands for the reform of the Senate, but they come to little. There is a popular idea that the drastic way is the only way—on the principle of the proper way of "docking" an undesirable dog—cutting off his tail just behind the ears. Now, however, that the Conservatives have a majority in the Red Chamber, we don't hear anything more, especially from that source, of the abolition of the Senate by the radical way of reform, in a double sense.

But there is now hope for Senate reform—from within, where all true reform begins. The Senate has taken an important step in reforming itself. On Friday the Standing Committee of the Senate on Divorce made its first report. So important was it that the report should be immediately adopted that "rule 24a and h" were suspended and the report adopted. This action shows the anxiety of the august body to reform itself. The report recommended and so adopted, provides that the quorum be reduced to three members for the taking of evidence in applications for divorce. The self-denial exhibited in adopting this reform is better understood when it is remembered that erstwhile the sporty old senators took eager delight in hearing all the frisky details that develop in taking divorce case evidence. Cutting down the number to be thus delighted to three, is heroic, indeed.

And the senators are to be credited with still higher motives, altruistic motives. They evidently desire to protect the morals of the infant senators, the new batch of seven recently appointed, leaving the danger of contamination from the story of the lurid lapses into domestic infidelity to the fewest possible number, presumably the hardest heads of the morgue members.

If the bill for the establishment of a divorce court, of which notice has been given in the Senate, Senate reform will take on a new life. If the hearing of evidence in divorce applications is taken away from the Senate a large part of its raison d'etre and of its attractiveness will be removed, and there will be less allurement to living interment.

RELATIVE LEADERSHIP.

Party journals are prone to give credit to their party leaders, not for doing well so much as for doing better than their opponents under given conditions. The Ottawa Journal-Press speaks in glowing terms of the readiness with which the Borden government pledged Canada's help to the Empire in this war, and contrasts it with the alleged slowness of the Laurier government in responding to the Imperial government's appeal for Canadian contingents in the Boer war. The Brantford Expositor points out that the conditions were different. The Empire's needs in the Boer war were not so great as they are today, and, besides, Sir Wilfred Laurier was creating a precedent. The declared policy of Canada previously, as expressed and applied by Sir John McDonald, was that Canadian troops should not be sent overseas, even in Britain's wars; and they were not sent; the request of Lord Salisbury for Canadian troops was refused. Before and since the Boer war imperial sentiment has grown immensely. Before Sir Wilfred Laurier's regime there was hardly anything like imperial sentiment as we know it now. It was Sir Wilfrid who gave it a fillip by gratuitously granting a tariff preference to Great Britain; and it is adding to his action his attitude in imperial relations brought the imperial sentiment of oneness and co-operation into a more lively being. The imperial spirit that prompted and justified the Borden government's action in 1914, was largely due to the influence of Sir Wilfred Laurier, who, if he had been in power in 1914, would have probably done the same in effect, only in a different way. One thing he would have done: he would have led Canada in an efficient way in contributing war service. He wouldn't have kept three Nationalist ministers in his cabinet, who were opposed to the government's policy; opposed to recruiting, and a positive deterrent to recruiting, especially in Quebec. Sir Wilfred would have been the head of his cabinet, and not been controlled—and "bossed"—by a minister or ministers. He would have made short work of recalcitrants, as the Conservatives now regard Sir Sam Hughes. He would have showed him the way out, as he did to the late Sir Israel Tarte, when he tried to take the bit in his teeth.

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SUPREME INTEREST AND DUTY OF CANADA IN THE PRESENT PERILOUS TIMES

There may be some advantages in the adjournment of Parliament just now. It will be an advantage alike to the nation and to the Empire, if Canadians, all Canadians, turn away from the squabbles of party politics and, with high and earnest purpose, set themselves resolutely to the real and serious business of the hour. That first and most urgent business is the winning of this world war in the interest of freedom and of law and of a just and noble peace. Till that is made sure nothing else supremely matters, either for Canada or for the world.

The ins and outs of party politics do not matter. What mattered in Britain was not Asquith or Bonar Law, or Balfour or Lloyd George. What matters in Canada is not Borden or Laurier or any other man or group of men. Nothing matters just now but the leadership of the people—strong, straight, forward leadership.

The people will follow, eagerly follow, into the hardest service and through the sorest sacrifice, if only the lead is strong and straight on. Toronto, with its voluntary campaign for service through giving, proved that last week, proved it to the last letter. How keen it was! keen uncomplaining, glad!

Why can't we have the same spirit in the leadership of the whole country as in the leadership of the whole city? The people are the same. Their interests are the same. Differences among the provinces between the Atlantic and the Pacific, and differences between the races in the Provinces — all these petty differences would be swallowed up into the unity of one commanding service, as happened among the wards of the city and between Jews and Gentiles last week, if only the right spirit dominated and the right lead were given.

Is it not possible for the government, or for some strong and high-minded members of the Government, to strike a new note, and to strike it strongly and continuously, until it find the response of true patriotism in the soul of the people? Is it not possible for Parliament, even before it adjourns, to find its real voice, the voice of the people's freedom, and rising above the bickerings of partisanship, to act the part of a real Parliament speaking in the name of a free people? And it is not possible for the Press, the free spirited and undominated Press, the clearest and most potent voice Democracy ever hears these days—is it not possible for the Press to shut off the noisy chatterboxes, and to give the people the master note, the note of honour and service, and a great lead?

Surely we have all had enough, and very much more than enough, of babble merely for babble, of the jockeying for party advantage; and of the calculated service of the public that in reality means treason.

The adjournment of Parliament will be a relief and a great chance if only the recess gives birth to a new spirit, if only the machine is broken, and if only the soul of the people is set free.—The Toronto Globe.

Letters—Lady Mary Montague.
Poet at the Breakfast Table—Holmes.
Essays in Literature—Froude.

Murderer Steward Making Ready For Death on Gallows

Send down if not used to-day.

PRISONER SAYS HE NEVER INTENDED TO SLAY OFFICER.

WINDSOR, Jan. 31.—Resigned to the death penalty, which he admits is due him for his crime of slaying Marshal Jackson of Winnipeg Canadian deportation officer, James Steward, who was captured Saturday morning after a two days' hunt, wrote to officials of the Salvation Army on Monday asking that officers be sent to assist him in making ready for the end.

"There is no use denying it, or making any attempt to defend myself," Steward told his guards, who will patrol the narrow corridor in front of the murderer's cell, night and day, until the trial in March. "I will do all I can to make myself right with God."

"As I said soon after my arrest in the Windsor hotel, I never intended to kill Jackson, who was kind to me, and told me of the presents that he intended to take back to his family in Winnipeg; but I did want to regain my liberty, and this is the result—under arrest on the charge of murder."

Steward's appetite has not been affected by the vision of the gallows, which, he says, haunted him Saturday night and all day Sunday, to such an extent that sleep came to his tired frame at infrequent intervals.

Without food or drink from the time he walked from his seat beside Officer Jackson in the railroad coach to take a drink of water, just previous to the shooting, Steward had been provided with an unlimited amount of food. Since being taken to Sandwich jail he has done nothing else, and expresses sorrow for Jackson's family.

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THE WORLD OF SPORT

SOLDIERS ANXIOUS TO WIPE OUT THE DEFEAT

Nobel the Only Team That Has Beaten 247th and Local Squad Hope to Get Revenge on Friday Night When Northerners Will Play at Brock Street Rink.

The Nobel hockey team, which will meet the 247th squad at Brock street rink on Friday night will give the Soldiers the hardest opposition they have had here yet, according to the 247th men themselves, who haven't forgotten the game with the Nobel team at Parry Sound at the beginning of the season. Nobel won by 4 goals to 2, and are therefore the only team that has taken a fall out of the Soldiers this season. The 247th are anxious to wipe out that defeat and will be out to do their prettiest. The Northerners have a world of speed and good combination as well and the clash on Friday night should be about the prettiest of the season. The game will put the 247th in the best of shape for their second round fixtures with the Depot Battery, Kingston, which will be played next week. The band of the 247th Battalion will be in attendance at Friday night's game.

GREAT INTEREST IN KINGSTON-PETES GAME

There is great interest being shown in the visit of the Kingston juniors here on Monday night in the O. H. A. semi-final. Not only is it the first time for five seasons that Peterborough juniors have reached the second round, but it is also the first appearance of the Kingston youngsters here in a number of years, and the game will be doubly interesting on that account. The biggest crowd in several seasons will be on hand for the big junior battle, the first game of the series that will decide the championship of Eastern Ontario and give the winners a chance to meet the Toronto section in the third round.

WITH THE CURLERS

Tankard Practice.

Last night the two tankard rinks skipped by R. M. Waddell and W. M. Lang played a practice game in preparation for the Toronto games. An opportunity is being provided for these workouts and the District Cup players will share the same provision. Some one suggested that the Tankard rinks should take on practice games with the District "cuppers" to vary the form.

The Lindsay Engagement.

When the Lindsay-Peterborough cup games are played in the near future there should be a real clash. The tankard and district cup rinks will be the contenders for either side in the Lindsay end of the contest. When the District cup rinks were in Lindsay a few weeks ago they noticed posted on the board of the rink that the Tankard and District cup rinks were even then chosen to play Peterborough in the inter-town games. Peterborough curlers are not exactly gloating over defeating Lindsay twice this season, but it tickles them considerably. Now, if they can capture the Peterborough-Lindsay annual honours, the men of Flavelle can have both ends of the bonspiel here or anything else they can carry away. Of course it is fully recognized here that Lindsay will put up their usual strong game, and will make an extra effort to turn the tables on Rollie Waddell, who was particularly responsible for the Tankard win.

Players Who Are Missed.

There are quite a few players of last year whose absence is felt this season at the Curling Rink. Almost the first person recalled in that regard is Mr. Robert Neill, who is only now recovering from a very serious illness. He was always an enthusiastic curler, and a leader in the activities of the club. His resounding advice to his rink is conspicuously missing. Herb. Martin is another absentee, and while J. E. A. Fitzgerald is unattached he has played but few games thus far. Fred Cressman, one of the younger players, who had been progressing rapidly, is overseas in the air service. W. H. Denham is again a member but the duties of his position with the Quaker Oats Co. has allowed very little time at the rink. His vice-skip, W. M. Bradburn, has been in charge of his rink for most of the scheduled games. Another absentee is Mr. A. Mowat, and Mr. John Crane, unattached this year, has been an infrequent curler.

LAST NIGHT'S SCORES.

The results of last night's games are as follows:

J. H. Parsons	J. K. Parking
C. C. Abbott	A. M. Laidlaw
A. Archibald	A. C. Kay
C. H. Pennefather, Skip.....12	R. Eason, Skip.....21
J. D. Moore	H. Derle
H. Cooke	C. G. Graham
R. Dobbin	P. D. Fitzgerald
W. D. Campbell, Skip.....13	R. P. Best, Skip..... 8
T. O. Donaldson	G. Copping
A. H. Webb	G. Benor
W. J. Thompson	W. J. Oke
W. P. Adamson, Skip.....14	G. H. Giroux, Skip..... 9
W. B. Warne	T. Mulholland
G. R. Munroe	L. A. Potvin
G. Boucher	E. H .D. Hall
F. M. Dela Fosse, Skip..... 7	T. Brightman, Skip.....17
J. F. Coulson	G. Gladman
F. Brownscombe	A. Macnab
J. H. Metheral	W. C. Read
J. W. McDermid, Skip.....15	J. H. Ferguson, Skip..... 5

TO-NIGHT'S GAMES.

To-night's slate of games is as follows:

Hicks vs. W. G. Ferguson.
Denham vs. Kay.
Sturgeon vs. Davidson.
Archibald vs. Wightman.
Morrow vs. Dr. Greer.

HOCKEY GOSSIP

The Peterborough juniors will practise at Brock street rink to-night, and every player is expected out sharp at 7 o'clock. The Kingston team will be here Monday night and the local youngsters will have to be in the best of shape.

It will be Kingston-Peterborough week in hockey circles next week. The Kingston Hockey Club, champions of Group No. 1 in the junior series, are scheduled to play the Peterborough juniors in the second round, while the Depot Battery team of Kingston and the 247th intermediate will clash in the intermediate second round. It will be the biggest week of the season in hockey circles.

Buffalo Bill's Last $150.000 Sunk In A Mine

TUCSON, Ariz., January 30. — Not generally known is the fact that "Buffalo Bill" lost his last stake in the mountains north of Tucson, where he sunk $150,000 he and close friends had raised.

About seven years ago he was brought to Arizona by Captain J. D. Burgess, who had a group of mining claims near Oracle, at Camp Bonito. Cody with little knowledge of mines or mining, saw much more in the property than did any Arizonan, and plunged in its development, though caution constantly was advised by the local manager, N. H. Getchell.

Additions were made till 150 claims stood in the name of the Cody interests. Thirty five thousand dollars were spent in buying and refitting an old mill, for which there was little ore of worth, and a narrow gauge railway was built to the mill from a couple of mine workings.

HOLIDAY IN CAMP.

Cody took keen delight in visiting the mines, where something of a holiday prevailed on his arrival, always gift laden for the miners' families and where his genial presence really was a trial for the management, for strict discipline could not be enforced as long as the great plainsman lingered.

He insisted on taking the lead in planning. A tunnel 1100 feet long was driven to no profit, and then another was started only 100 feet below.

DIED ALMOST PENNILESS.

The gold claims were of little promise and gave but slight returns for the sums wasted upon them. On one smal group was tungsten ore, sheelite, of some value, and was worked with profit during the late tungsten boom.

After three years the truth dawned upon Cody when his manager made his final protest, and he had gone. Then it was that the "Pretty camp" was abandoned and the great scout entered upon his last trail almost penniless.

COLDEST WINTER OF YEARS IN THE BALKANS.

VIENNA, January 30. — Heavy snows and intense cold have resulted in a slackening and here and there a total cessation of the military operations on all the fronts where the Austro-Hungarian troops are engaged. Blizzards prevail in East Galicia, Bukowina, the wooded Carpathians and Roumania, the snow being several feet deep. The temperature is the lowest in years, which is true also of the northern sectors of the Italian front, and the Balkans.

Voice of The People

Correspondence under this heading, containing or involving attacks on individuals or violent or extreme statements, must to secure insertion, be signed with writer's real name, the owner of which thus assumes the responsibility.

Editor of the Examiner:

Sir,—Will you kindly allow me a little space in your paper to ask the woman that was at the Red Cross meeting and pulled a soldier's widow all to pieces if she isn't down-right ashamed of herself, if she isn't, she hasn't got shame. Fancy she says it's no wonder that woman's husband was killed; the woman went out and spent his money and had a good time. It would have suited her better if she had saved his money and got herself a home. Well let me tell that gossiper of a woman, that she don't know what she is talking about. I very much doubt if she knows the one she pulled to pieces because the things she said about this widow, are not true and I can prove them and will do it if that woman will come out and say so to me. This soldier's wife does keep her house clean and also her children and she does own her home and never spent her money anyway only the way her husband wished her to. I suppose this gossiper has no one at the war. It's about time the gossiper did more work and stopped pulling soldiers' wives and widows all to pieces. Do they expect a soldier's wife to never go out, or do they think she should sit in the house, day after day, and look for the sad news of her husband being killed or wounded? God alone knows what these women go through from day to day; the misery they have. They don't need to go around looking sad and long-faced, they must keep up for their children's sake. Don't you think the best thing this woman can do is to go and beg this widow's pardon for the cruel things she has said about her? I do. I think it's time there was a little consideration given to a soldier's widow. I say all honour to them for the great sacrifice they made. Thanking you I am.—One Who Knows These Facts to be True.

Peterborough, Jan. 29.

Editor Examiner:

Dear Sir,—Just a few lines with regard to the garbage collection. How is it the ashes were not collected from Aylmer street yesterday? They never collected any ashes yesterday at all. They are very quick in enforcing what receptacles to use in gathering the ashes, and also in having them placed in a certain place, but why don't they demand the same rigid enforcement on the collector's part? They don't care whether they are collected or not. The garbage men handle the utensils about as rough as they know how; you would think they were handling hay. The ratepayers pay for the taking away of the ashes and the ashes should be removed. Why don't the Mayor see that they are taken away regularly? If it was some rich dude it would be attended to at once, but since he is a poor, ordinary man, make nothing out of it. I guess the Mayor don't remain in the city long enough to know how things are being run. Too bad they don't give him an aeroplane so he can see all the city simultaneously.

Sincerely.

Editor of the Examiner:

Dear Sir,—I note with pleasure that the Examiner is a staunch supporter and advocate of School Savings' Banks, and hope your efforts on this line of public service may create an interest that will impel our school Board to make this matter a real educational cause.

Penny savings in its formative influence on the public school scholar is as truly an educational factor as mathematics, and should be regarded by our School Board from an educational as well as an economic standpoint.

Its introduction adds no mental burden to the overtaxed student, as its effect is inspirational and stimulative, begetting and encouroging sense of accomplishment and worth, and a consciousness of ability to achieve, that will incidentally inspire effort in more difficult tasks.

Its benefits are almost immediately appreciable (a great factor of success) and its possibilities in counteracting the spendthrift tendencies of the times are well worth trial.

Economic conditions of the present and future demand that the subject be no longer treated as optional or as a mere good idea. Efficiency, thrift, economy must be our practice if we are to hold our place as a nation, for these are to be our real competitors. It was the peasants' stocking that saved France from the economic consequences of 1870 and it is rendering the same service to-day.

For years to come we shall not be able to borrow abroad, the people of our own land must keep the wheels of industry turning and development active.

The hard school of pioneer privations furnished most of us and our fathers with an economic education. Children of the present day have no such experience and therefore, education in thrift is a national necessity. Many young men of to-day have wasted the equivalent of a modest home before the time of marriage arrives, and education is the only means of counteracting this loss.

The man with a financial reserve is the balance wheel in a dull period or financial crisis and conservation of resources is both an individual benefit and national advantage.

The school is the most effective place to operate; 100 scholars will participate by reason of the natural effect of example where a few would go down town to a penny bank if one existed, and many a careless spendthrift career turned to the pathway of constructive citizenship.

Local difficulties of operation are said to have prevented the School Board from giving this matter a test. We are either melting difficulties or mounting them in every other line, and no doubt it can be done in this; "necessity is the mother of invention." Surely the new needs of the times is sufficient incentive and if our School Board measures up to these imperative requirements, it will serve the present, safeguard the future, and do more towards giving the working man a "full dinner pail" than any policy of the politician.

Respectfully yours,
A. B. CUNNINGHAM.

Ends Life With Razor on Fast Central Train

Buffalo Bank Clerk Boards the Empire State Express After Acting Strangely.

SYRACUSE, N.Y., Jan. 31. — A well-dressed man with papers in his pockets bearing the name and address "Nathan MacDonald, Buffalo, committed suicide on the eastbound Empire State Express just before the train reached Syracuse late Monday.

The man was about thirty years of age. He had more than $500 in currency in pockets.

Letters indicated he was a member of the Buffalo Chapter, American Institute of Banking, with offices in the Marine Bank Building.

Fellow travellers noticed nothing unusual in the traveller's conduct when he arose from his seat and went into the wash room of the car, where he immediately gashed his throat with a razor.

Sunday Lid Law Is Laughed At

Buenos Aires, January 30.—People who have not lived in Buenos Aires make queer mistakes as a result of assuming that things are done here exactly as the law prescribes. Every little while Argentines are astonished to read in a North American or European publication of some system or institution, supposedly existent in their capital, of which they themselves have never heard. Investigation usually develops the fact that the thing really is provided for by law—only that the law has practically been forgotten.

For instance there is the law against the sale of certain drinks on Sunday. When an attempt was made to enforce this regulation a few weeks ago the people were perfectly outraged; thinking generally that the police were attempting to exercise purely arbitrary authority.

Finally a few old inhabitants remembered that away back in the dim past such a law really was passed and that on one or two Sundays eight or ten years ago, the police made a previous ineffective effort to put it into effect.

When the authorities recalled the statute to the public's attention on this latest occasion, it is barely possible that as many as five per cent. of the drinking places in Buenos Aires noticed the police order at all. These establishments complied with the regulations to the extent of serving ardent drinks in coffee cups instead of glasses.

Some half a dozen exceptionally law abiding cafes still do so. There is no reason why they should, for the police capitulated on the second Sunday, admitting that they had undertaken too large a contract.

WILL BOTTLE UP HUN SHIPS MORE CLOSELY

BRITAIN HAS MADE CONSIDERABLE EXTENSION OF DANGER ZONE IN THE NORTH SEA.

LONDON, January 31. — Nothing has been officially announced here in regard to the extension of the "dangerous-to-shipping" zone in the North Sea, but the censor has permitted the publication of Scandinavian despatches referring to the new naval measures. According to telegrams from Copenhagen, Scandinavian traffic with Holland hereafter will be very difficult and the Danish fishing industry will be considerably hampered.

A warning that Great Britain had made a considerable extension to the danger zone in the North Sea was received by the State department in Washington on Saturday from the American embassy at London. The new line cuts off the entire German North Sea coast and its purpose is presumed to be to bottle up more closely the German warships at Heligoland and lessen the possibility of the escape of raiders.

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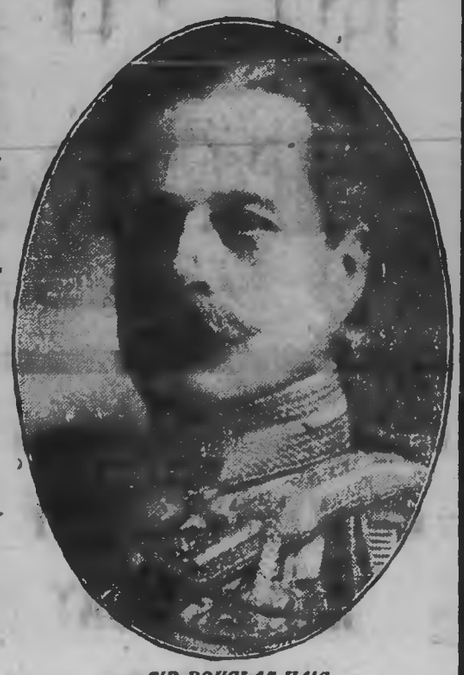

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VIVID PICTURES of BATTLEFIELD SCENES

Mayor's Inaugural Address Was Unearthed By Board Of Works Committee

Committee Held a Post Mortem Over the Documents and After Preserving a Few Extracts for Posterity Gave the Remains a Decent Burial—City Engineer Parsons Asked to Prepare Plans and Specifications For a New Bridge Over Hunter Street.

Inaugural addresses are something to be forgotten. Not so with Mayor Duffus, who rather than see his inaugural address swallowed up in the dusty archives of the City Hall causes it to be dissected and placed on the and Canals would not agree to such the Board of Works Committee held last evening several extracts from the Mayor's inaugural address were shovelled out of the heap and summarily dealt with. Those that proved too much for the Committee were given a decent burial. page

GOOD ROADS.

The matter of securing an adequate supply of road making material will be made the subject of a report to the next meeting of the Board.

City Engineer Parsons was instructed to prepare an estimate of the quantity of sewer pipe and cement required by the city for the ensuing year, and order it in accordance with the existing contract, which does not expire until the middle of March .By doing this the city will avoid on the increase in price of about thirty per cent.

THE FOOTBRIDGE.

Ald. Langford reported the receipt of a letter saying that the city would have to make a deposit of $1,800 before work would be commenced on the footbridge to be attached to the C.P.R. bridge crossing the Otonabee River. This sum has been deposited and the C.P.R. is expected to commence work at an early date.

Ald. Weir informed the committee that the services of Mr. Pretty could not be secured for the purpose of examining the present Hunter Street bridge as the department of Railways and Canals would not agree eto such an arrangement. An attempt will be made to secure the services of Mr. Caddy of Campbellford.

Ald. Smith recommended a six months' hoist for the sewerage disposal scheme, which was one of the items referred to in the Mayor's inaugural address.

HUNTER STREET BRIDGE

City Engineer Parsons was instructed to prepare plans and specifications for a concrete and steel overhead bridge to replace the present bridge on Hunter Street. Ald. Smith favoured the Board with a dissertation on bridge construction.

ROAD OIL

A circular letter was received from a couple of Oil Companies, setting forth the advantages of road oil. It was generally agreed by the Board that road oil should be purchased in time for the opening of the season. City Engineer Parsons and the Chairman of the Board were instructed to secure prices, also estimates of the cost of a storage tank. Last year the city paid demurrage charges on cars that were held on the track until the oil could be applied. Demurrage charges did not exceed thirty-five dollars. About forty-three thousand gallons of road oil were used last year.

Ald. McIntyre was of the opinion that another oil distributor was required. Ald. Weir was in favour of getting a storage tank in preference to the distributor. Prices will be secured on a distributor.

STREET SCRAPER.

The City Engineer was instructed to write to Ottawa for plans of a sidewalk scraper, to be used in icy weather. The scraper is used to roughen up the icy sidewalks and is cheaper than using sand. It will cost in the neighborhood of sixty or seventy dollars.

On motion of Alderman Smith and McIntyre the Board will recommend that the City Council handle the proposed sanitary plumbing scheme in preference to the Utilities Commission. Ald. Smith referred to the Police Commission as a horrible example of Commission form of administration. "They do what they like and we pay the bill" declared the East City representative.

SMOKE NUISANCE.

Mr. G. O. Cameron addressed a letter to the Board asking the city to take action regarding the smoke nuisance in Peterborough. The writer suggested that a by-law be passed compelling the owners of factories to instal smoke consumers ,thereby "making this a better and cleaner city to live in."

Ald. Smith moved that the matter be received. Ald. Duncan was of the opinion that the matter should be looked into as complaints were numerous. Ald. Smith contended that there was nothing on the market today to mitigate the nuisance sufficient to make it worth while incurring any expense.

Ald. Duncan moved that information be secured from other towns and cities.

Ald. Smith seconded Ald. Duncan's resolution.

SUMMARY ACTION.

Peterborough Utilities Commission was granted permission to erect eleven poles on Elm street, as the poles are already in place, the necessary permission was granted. Similar action was taken in connection with three poles on Water street.

A number of guard rails needed in various parts of the city were reported on by City Engineer Parsons. The entire list was adopted by the Board.

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FALSE STEERING GEAR RIDES GUN

PERNAMBUCO, Jan. 31.—From information gleaned from survivors of steamers recently sunk in the South Atlantic by the German raider, it has been learned that the raider was a vessel of the merchant type, about 300 feet long, and with parts of her sides movable. She had two telescope masts, two telescope funnels, a false hand steering gear on the poop deck, which concealed her largest gun, and four concealed torpedo tubes.

The steamer, it is said, mounts four six-inch and two four-inch guns, also smaller guns, including several of the machine type.

The captain of the raider, according to some of the men brought here, informed a captured British officer that he was not interested in passenger boats. He sought only cargo boats, he said, as he had not accommodations for women and children. The raider frequently was repainted and had on board sufficient material to completely change her appearance.

There is disagreement among the men landed here as to whether the raider is armored. All of them agree however, that the raider is thoroughly equipped and that no detail in this respect has been overlooked. As an example, they say, each prisoner on boarding the raider is furnished with a kit, hammock and blanket.

Quoting a captured British captain, the raider is a dangerous boat in the hands of a clever man.

STRANGE VESSEL OFF N. Y.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Officials of the British Government in New York admitted to-day that wireless messages have been sent out warning Allied shipping that an unidentified vessel of a suspicious character is cruising off the entrance to New York harbor.

There is no intimation in the warning despatches that the vessel is a German cruiser, but commanders of ships leaving New York or bound for this port are advised by the British authorities to refuse to answer wireless messages when an answer would possibly betray their whereabouts, and to cut and run and send out S.O.S. calls should they sight a suspicious vessel on the high seas.

LEAVES A BRIDE OF TWO MONTHS

But Missing Barber is Located in the States.

BROCKVILLE, Ont., Jan. 31.— A barber going under the name of Thomas Ensby, an American, disappeared from here a few days ago, leaving a bride of two months, the daughter of a Brockville resident. Investigation by the police showed that Ensby had a wife and three children living across the line, and steps were taken to bring about his arrest on a charge of bigamy. The man was located at Stella Mines, N. Y., and upon being brought to Prescott by a U. S. officer he was promptly arrested by the Canadian authorities and brought here. The prisoner is on remand.

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AUTOMOBILE ASSOCIATION'S ANNUAL MEETING FULL OF PROMISE FOR 1917 PROGRESS

Mr. Geo. A. Gillespie Elected President and Major N. H. Sutton, M. D. Hon. President—Financial Statement Shows Balance of $35.88—Fee $3, Same as 1916

The large attendance at the annual meeting of the Peterborough branch of the Ontario Motor League in the Bank of Montreal chambers, last night, left the impression that the Association had been recently revived, if not re-born. Perhaps the members and other automobile owners of this vicinity had undergone something of a baptism of fire from the trenches, disguised as ruts, that appear with disheartening succession on almost every road, or in sections of them, radiating from the city. And this doesn't exclude the city's horrible examples.

Probably many of the autoists who have heretofore held aloof from the Association, have concluded that there is some merit in organizing to secure a measure of smoothness in roadways which, as individuals, they have realised is beyond their uncombined resources and influence. This may account for the fact that last night's meeting was apparently the most successful in the history of the Peterborough Motor League, but at that it should be remembered that good roads are not built in a day, and the present year is not likely to bring about the improvement in this district for which the hearts of automobile owners yearn.

MAJOR SUTTON, M.D., REMEMBERED.

Mr. G. A. Gillespie, M.P.P., acting chairman for the past year, presided. When Major Sutton, M.D., enlisted for overseas service, Mr. Gillespie, as Vice-President last year, fulfilled the duties of the position. Last night, when the business of electing new officers was reached, Dr. Amys proposed that Major Sutton be elected Honorary President for 1917. This was unanimously carried, and Mr. Gillespie was elected president.

The officers for this year were chosen as follows:

Hon. Pres.—Major N. H. Sutton, M.D.

President — George A. Gillespie, M.P.P.

Vice-Pres.—Reg. H. Turner.

Sec.-Treas.—C. E. Canfield.

Directors—H. O. Fiske, J. E. A. Fitzgerald, R. Lees, Mark Burnham, and Robt. Dobie.

Good Roads Committee—G. Walter Green, chairman; G. A. Gillespie, Mayor Duffus, C. H. Amys, M.D., R. B. Rogers and Richard Lees.

Entertainment Committee — Fred L. Roy, chairman; W. Howard Warham, Dickson Hall, E. W. Borbridge, Roland Danne, and Dr. M. A. Morrison.

Membership Committee — R. S. Cotton, C. R. Banks, Bert Manning, Andrew Brown, R. J. Munro, T. C. Elliott, R. G. Sturgeon, R. Dobie, M. Burnham, Alex. Anderson, of Keene; Dr. Turner of Millbrook, Noble Kelly of Bridgenorth, W. Blewett of Hall's Bridge, H. G. Fitzgerald of Lakefield, Hal Choate of Warsaw.

FEE SAME AS LAST YEAR.

Moved by Mr. Fiske, seconded by Mr. Roy, that the membership fee remain unchanged at $3.—Carried.

As Chairman elect of the Good Roads Committee, ex-Ald. Green, following his usual directness of method, asked for an outline of the scope of that committee. He pointed out that the League could not improve roads without money and a three-dollar fee was insufficient to permit any expenditure in that direction.

Dr. Amys reviewed the limited efforts that had been put forward in the past. The most promising work had been that of inviting the Township roadmasters to an annual drive at which an expert on good roads gave an address.

scheme recently revived by Mr. Geo. nised that the Motor League could not accomplish any direct results, but the Committee should devote its attention to maintaining city and county interest in the good roads scheme recenly revived by Mr. Geo. Hogarth at a meeting of the County Council. Other speakers on this subject were Messrs. Fiske, Rogers, Morrison, Banks, Canfield and Lees.

GOVERNMENT PATRONAGE STEPS IN.

The question of appointing a member to issue automobile licenses this year was next introduced. Some of the members were discussing it without the knowledge of a recent innovation when Mr. Banks stated that apparently the Association had no longer a voice in the appointment. He understood that the Government had taken it over this year, and Capt. R. J. Soden, as dispenser of local patronage, had selected Mr., Wm. Lytle, Dr. Amys and Mr. Canfield added that they had learned from Mr. S. J. Keyes something to that effect. Mr. Keyes was Secretary of the local Motor League until his removal to Toronto. Several years ago, it was stated, the licenses were issued at Toronto, and through the efforts of the Peterborough Automobile Association, permission was obtained to issue licenses in this city. The appointment was left to the Association. Two years ago twenty-five cents was the fee for each license issued, and last year the Association paid a lump sum of $25 to the person who issued them.

DISAPPROVED OF THE CHANGE

Dr. Amys stated that Mr. Lytle was entirely satisfactory, but he disapproved of the change without even notifying the Association, who had been instrumental in securing the local facility of issuance. He moved a resolution that the Association disapprove of placing the automobile licenses under the Government patronage system and that a copy of the resolution be sent to the Hon. Mr. McDermid, and also to the Secretary of the Ontario Motor League. Mr. Canfield seconded the motion, which was carried.

At that stage of the proceedings the attendance had melted to about one-third of the number present during the evening.

Mr. Green suggested that nothing be done that would cause friction. He was satisfied to have Mr. Lytle as issuer of the licenses.

Dr. Amys replied that he had no criticism of Mr. Lytle, but the principle seemed unfair to the Association.

THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Mr. Canfield's report showed receipts during the year of $286.52, which, with the 1915 balance of $19.76, made a total of $306.28. The expenditures amounted to $270.40, with a present balance of $35.88. There were ninety-one members enrolled during the year.

THOSE PRESENT.

Among those present were G. A. Gillespie, R. S. Cotton, T. C. Elliott, M. A. Morrison, H. O. Fiske, R. B. Rogers, W. J. Hancock ,R. J. Munro, R. Dobie, W. H. Lytle, R. Lees, Dr. Amys, Dickson Hall, R. H. Turner, C. E. Canfield, G. W. Green, R. Sturgeon, A. Brown, F. L. Roy, Bert Manning, Mark Burnham, Dr. Carmichael C. A. White, C. R. Banks, P. Westbye, E. W. Borbridge E. G. Hiland, W. H. Waram and W. Blewett.

MR. G. WALTER GREEN

Chairman of the Good Roads Committee of the Peterborough Branch of the Ontario Motor League.

MAJOR N. H. SUTTON, M.D.

Elected Honorary President of the Peterborough Branch of the Ontario Motor League—Major Sutton is on Overseas Service.

Silver Fox Sells for $500

"Sir Roger" Pedigreed Animal, To Be Presented to Zoo.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 31.—"Sir Roger," a pedigreed silver fox, was sold for $500 to-day at the opening of the fur auction. The three hundred buyers represented about 95 per cent of the fur buying capital in the world.

The purchaser of the live silver fox announced that the animal will be presented to the St. Louis Zoological Park.

In the first thirty minutes of the auction more than 2,000 silver fox skins were sold for the United States Government. This lot brought about $80,000. Wart T. Bower, chief agent for the Alaska Fisheries Service, said the price paid for the silver fox skins were twenty per cent. higher than the prices paid at the auction here last September.

Among the buyers were representatives of eight English firms, one Dutch firm, one Russian, five German and two Austrians. It is estimated that the pelts offered at auction this week will bring more than $3,000,000.

Hit Twice In Heart

Marcil Belliveau, N. H. A. Hockey Player, Invalided Home—Has Iron Cross.

ST. JOHN, N.B., Jan. 31. — After being twice wounded in the heart —onle by a bullet and again by Cupid—and the proud possessor of an Iron Cross, Marcil Belliveau, a a Moncton and N.H.A hockey player, has been invalided home. Belliveau got his bullet wound in his heart at Courcellette during the attack on the famous Sugar refinery there. He was operated on and his heart has now moved over to the right side. He got the Iron Cross after a hand-to-hand fight with a German colonel, who was wearing it.

Belliveau married the nursing sister who looked after him in hospital. He exhibited the Iron Cross to friends here and also a prayer book through which the bullet that entered his heart had bored.

Returned men who had won the Military Cross were Lieutenant Simmille, Wiarton, Ontario, and Lieut. F. J. Behan, Toronto. The former did good work on the Somme. He went into action with 48 men and came out of the fighting with but five injured. His work with the grenade section was considered most valuable.

Lieut. Behan went overseas as a private.

Ordered Gin and Cheese Into Sea

NEW YORK, Jan. 31. — Thirty tons of merchandise consisting of Holland gin and Dutch cheese, part of a 300-ton cargo on the Dutch steamship Vulcanus, were thrown into the sea by orders of a German submarine commander, when the ship was held up by a U-boat, December 27, 94 miles off Start Point light on the English coast, according to officers of the Vulcan, on arrival here.

The vessel was on her way from Rotterdam to Lisbon, Portugal, the officers said, when the submarine appeared. An officer came aboard, made a careful examination of the ship's manifests and carefully checked each item. He passed everything that to his mind would be of no use to the enemy, but drew a sharp line on the gin and cheese, declaring them to be "contraband foodstuffs," and ordered them thrown overboard. The submersible stood by three hours while the orders were being carried out.

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Granulated sugar, 12 pound	$1.00
Brown sugar, 13 pound	$1.00
Swift's shortening, pound	20c.
Swift's Premium bacon, pound	37c.
Red Cross tomato catsup (2 tins)	25c.
Canned peas, 2 cans	25c.
Seeded raisins, in bulk, 2 pound	25c.
Cooking figs, per pound	10c.
Corn flakes, 3 for	25c.
Mixed sweet pickles, quart	25c.
Mixed sour pickles, quart	25c.
Canned pumpkin, per can	10c.
Macaroni and spaghetti in bulk, pound	15c.
Lima beans, very choice, 2 pound	25c.
Small white beans, 2 pound	25c.
Lombard plums, in thick syrup, 2 cans	25c.
Wagstaff's choice marmalade, 5 pound pails	90c.
Delight and Monarch flour, 24 lb. sacks	$1.15
Vanilla extracts, 3 bottles	25c.

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FEBRUARY FURNITURE SALE

$2.19 Kindergarten Sets $1.69

Oval table and two chairs —red or brown colour. Regular price $2.19. February Furniture Sale, set 1.69

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EVERY SALE must have a motive---we are prompted to these offering by lack of space (new stock is arriving); we have therefore chosen pieces that at one time were part of a set, but their companions have been sold--lessening their value to us, but it in no way impairing their usefulness to you. You have read the reason why, for the reductions---it is an honest motive and the values are just as stated.

$2.50 Arm Chair 99c each

Comfortable arm chair—hardwood — golden oak finish — double rungs all round. Regular price $2.50. February Furniture Sale, each..... 99c

45c Kitchen Mirror 25c

Light ash frame. Regular price 45c. February Furniture Sale, each..... 25c

$3.00 Parlor Table $2.49

Empire oak finish, square top. Regular $3.00. February Furniture Sale..... 2.49

$6.75 Grass Rocker $3.99

Oriental grass bedroom rocker. Regular price $6.75. February Furniture Sale..... 3.99

$3.50 Grass Chair 2.99

Suitable for a bedroom. Regular price $3.50. February Furniture Sale..... 2.99

$62.00, 3 Piece Rattan Suite $49.95

Consisting of round table — settee — arm chair and arm rocker. Regular price $62.00. February Furniture Sale..... 49.95

$22.50 Oak Rocking Chair $15.95

Large comfortable oak rocking chair- Early English finish — upholstered in seal leather — tufted back. Regular $22.50. February Furniture Sale 15.95

$15.00 Oak Table $9.95

Thirty-six-inch round top—solid oak Early English finish — art leather covered top. Regular price is $15.00. February Furniture Sale 9.95

$77.00 DINING-ROOM SUITE $59.00

Solid ¼ oak dining-room suite, consists of buffet with leaded glass doors and large bevel mirror—pedestal extension table, will extend to six feet—five dining-room and one arm chair, all upholstered in real leather. Regular $77.00 for the eight pieces. Sale price... 59.00

$35.00 Arm Chair $22.95

Large wire back arm chair—upholstered in a very good quality of tapestry—tufted back and arms. Regular price $35.00. February Furniture Sale..... 22.95

$1.50 Pillows $1.24 pair

One pair of goose feather pillows—size 18 x 26, fancy art ticking, several colours to choose from. Regular price $1.50. Sale Price, pair 1.24

$11.50 Bed Outfit Complete 8.90

White enamel bed with brass caps and vases—size 4 ft. 6 inches, reinforced spring; good mattress filled with sea grass and centre cotton tufted. Regular $11.50. Sale price... 8.90

$15.00 Arm Chair 8.95

Ladies' high back rocking chair—rich golden oak finish—upholstered in silk. Regular $15.00. February Furniture Sale..... 8.95

$7.00 Fumed Oak Smoker 5.95

Fumed oak smoker—close fitting door with lock and key—neat brush brass pull. Regular price $7.00. Furniture Sale..... 5.95

$65.00 4 Piece Bedroom Suite $52.75

Consists of Princess Dresser—chiffonier—dressing table and wash stand. Shaped tops, bevel plate mirrors in dresser, chiffonier and dressing table. Regular $65.00. Sale price. 52.75

$5.00 Oak Rocking Chair $3.49

Roll seat—golden oak polish finish. Regular $5.00. February Furniture Sale 3.49

SEE FRONT WINDOW

The GRESSMAN Company Limited

$18 Rattan Rocking Chair $14.95

Tapestry upholstered back and seat. Regular price $18.00. February Sale price will be 14.95

FRENCH SOLDIER WITH TWO WAR MEDALS IS A PETERBORO' VISITOR

Pte. Ernest L. R. Grosvalet Who Won the Croix de Guerre and the Medaille Militaire is Here to Lecture in Connection With the Canadian War Pictures.

SHOWN AT THE GRAND

Pte. Ernest Louis Raoul Grosvalet, a soldier of France, the breast of whose tunic is decorated with two medals for conspicuous braver and gallantry in the service of his country, epitomises the spirit of intense patriotism and loyalty of his countrymen, which has won for France in the European war undying fame and the admiration of the whole world.

Pte. Grosvalet will lectur at the Grand Opera House in connection with the Canadian Government war pictures which will be shown here on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Garbed in the blue uniform and blue cap with short vigor of the French infantry, and wearing his medals of honour, he attracts attention whenever he appears on the streets. With his legs encased in black leggins, Pte. Grosvalet walks with an almost imperceptible limp. That he is lame would be unnoticed in a casual glance.

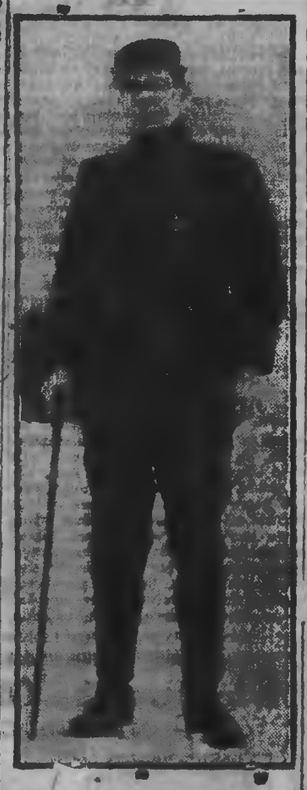
Pte. Grosvalet was born in the French Colony of St. Pierre Miquelon. His father is a French official. Grosvalet, 18 years old at the time, was in Montreal, in the employ of the C. P. R. when France declared war on Germany. He immediately joined the company in which he was trained, the Regiment d'Infanterie Coloniale du Marco, and went to the trenches. He was in Belgium for ten months and in France for two months.

RESCUED HIS CAPTAIN

He received his first medal, the Croix de Guerre, May 9, 1915, for rescuing the captain of his company from death at the risk of his life. After a brilliant charge by the French troops, Grosvalet says, his company was standing in its trenches and peering over the top of the parapet, he saw his captain lying under the German barbed wire in close proximity to the German trenches. The captain was waving his handkerchief and making other signs in calling for help. Grosvalet volunteered to go to his aid. Under the direct fire of a machine gun the soldier, crawling slowly and in a zigzag fashion to avoid being hit, reached his superior's side. The captain had been wounded in the thigh and was unable to walk. Grosvalet placed him on his shoulder and carried him safely back to the French lines. The medal was pinned on Grosvalet by Gen. de Castelneau, one of the chief French commanders.

WINS SECOND MEDAL.

He received the Medaille Militaire, the highest decoration which a French private can receive, under even more trying circumstances. It was in the fighting at Loos, and Grosvalet had been employed in carrying despatches. Three of his company had been killed in carrying out a certain mission which involved the delivery of despatches from a captain to a major



PTE. E. L. R. GROSVALET

The distance between the two points was approximately a thousand yards.

After the death of the third runner, and realizing that the undertaking was extremely hazardous, Grosvalet volunteered. The ground over which the journey lay was under constant German fire. The soldier was given the document, and after much difficulty reached the major. The latter in turn gave him an important order to the captain. In his return Grosvalet had covered half the distance when a shell burst near him and he was wounded in seven places, including that which afterward necessitated the amputation of his right leg near the knee. He fell to the ground, and in trying to regain his feet first realized that the use of one leg was gone. He crawled despite his pain the remainder of the distance, finally reaching his captain's side. That officer, after expressing his astonishment that Grosvalet had managed to return considering his wounds, asked, "But where is the order?" "You'll find it in the barrel of my gun. I had it there so the Germans wouldn't find it." Grosvalet then lost conscious ness.

The captain recommended the medal and when Gen. Joffre next inspected the trenches in that vicinity his attention was called to the act. Joffre visited the hospital Oct. 3, 1915, where Grosvalet was recovering from his wounds, and pinned on him the decoration which the soldier prizes far more than all his other earthly belongings.

For ten months he lay in a French hospital, and was then brought to Montreal, Canada.

WOULD BE AN AVIATOR.

But these honours which have been conferred upon him do not suffice. His ambition has been fired. Despite the handicap of an artificial leg and the fact that he has been rendered unfit for trench fighting, Grosvalet is trying by all the means in his power to join Britain's Royal Flying Corps. His application for appointment as an aviator has been filed in London, England, and Ottawa. It will be considered by Lieut. Orr, who is on his way to Ottawa from England. Grosvalet is hoping that he will be accepted. He does not know of any regulation which should prevent his entrance to this service.

Grosvalet has often seen Canadian battalions going into action, and paid a tribute to the courage and initiative of the men of Canada when he declared, "The Canadians always fight like hell!" He added that the men invariably show bravery and resourcefulness while fighting the Germans.

The other day Grosvalet was strolling along and a Canadian recruiting sergeant, failing to recognize the blue uniform of France, exclaimed, "Hey, what are you doing on this side of the border?" The Frenchman laughed and explained to the officer that he was not an American National Guardsman who had wandered across the line.

SOME EXPERIENCES.

The French soldier also tells interesting stories concerning experiences in which he was mistaken for a "slacker." He was riding on a Montreal street car dressed in civilian clothes, he says, when a young woman boarded it. He offered her his seat, but she drew back and declared, "I wouldn't accept the seat of a slacker."

"Have you any relatives in service?" he asked. "Yes," she replied, "my brother is in France." Grosvalet replied dryly, "ask your brother if he found my leg,' and he showed her his artificial limb. The young woman reddened and profuse apologies followed.

On another occasion a young woman stepped up to him when he was wearing "civies" and pinned a white feather on the lapel of his coat. "Ah, that's nice," said Grosvalet. "That makes three medals I've got." He then showed her the two decorations hidden from view on his vest. As in the first instance, embarrassment and apologies ensued.

FARMER HANGS HIMSELF IN BARN

OTTAWA, Jan. 31.—When the mail man went into the barn of William Tomlinson, a prosperous farmer, living near Ashton, on Saturday night, to look for the owner, who had not been seen for some days, he stumbled against the body of a man swinging in the barn floor. The body was that of Tomlinson, who had hanged himself.

JUMPED 15 FEET.

From what the authorities could learn the unfortunate man had laid a fence rail over the two centre "breast" beams of the barn and to this rail he attached one end of a rope and the other he fastened around his neck. Apparently, he jumped some 15 feet for the shock had completely broken the neck.

As the mail man passed the house of the unfortunate man every day, he discovered on Saturday that Tomlinson had not taken in any mail since Thursday. On Wednesday he noticed a light in Tomlinson's house, but he had not been seen for some days previous. He was a very well-to-do, but lived alone.

Accordingly, the mail man thought it was his duty to investigate so tying his horse, he made a survey of the stables and barns.

STOCK NOT FED.

He found the stock of horses sheep and cattle, without food and indications pointed to the fact that they had not been fed for a couple of days. It was about eight o'clock when the postman made the find, the darkness preventing him from seeing Tomlinson's body when he first opened the barn door. Coroner Shannonhouse, from Richmond, was called, but decided that an inquest was unnecessary. As Tomlinson lived alone, it is supposed that his death was due to melancholia.

BANDMASTER HUGHES HONOURED BY HIS MEN

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tc you our respects and in some tangible form to show our affection for you and to tender you our sincere thanks.

We know something of the hard work you put in to raise the membership of our band and we much appreciate the patience you have had with us, and your untiring efforts to make us a band worthy of such a battalion. Your kindly interest in us personally has made us better soldiers and bandsmen. Your just and unselfish disposition has endeared you to the heart of every man.

We also remember during our stay in England, how much thought, time and effort you gave to us and for us, to improve the position of every man when you might have been improving yourown position. Such a display of generosity, unselfishness and kindly consideration makes it impossible for us to render adequate redress. We do do not expect to do that. We therefore respectfully ask you to kindly accept the accompanying as being our way of showing in some measure the appreciation we feel.

In January, 1916, we met you under similar conditions to which we do to-day. At that time we pledged to you our loyalty and support which we have honestly tried to give you. Now as we are no longer to be known as the 93rd Band but as the 247th Battalion Band(we again do so with much enthusiasm for the future.

Under your able leadership we hope to be able to give improved service and we renew and confirm our pledge of January 1916.

We wish you and yours for 1917 and the following years health, happiness and usefulness.

Signed for and on behalf of the membership of the 247th Band in Peterborough.

Horace Miles,
Fred J. Wolno,
Members of the Committee.
Thos. R. Blunt,
Chairman.

The presentation consisted of four beautiful pieces of silver engraved, with Bandmaster Hughes' initials, while one piece bore the inscription: "Presented to Bandmaster W. Hughes, in affectionate remembrance by the 93rd Band."

The guest of the evening was greeted with "He's a Jolly Good Fellow" when he arose to reply. He was visibly surprised and affected, but expressed his thanks neatly. He did not want to take any credit, he said, for what he had done in the past. At a similar gathering last year he had played himself to see that every man got a square deal and he had merely tried to carry out that pledge. It was a great pleasure to know that he had the good will of every man in the band and he wished to thank every member for the hearty support they had given him ,sometimes under very trying circumstances. Col. Johnston had done a great deal for the band in England and had worked hard for them.

"I am looking forward to the time of meeting not only Col. Johnston but the other members of the 93rd Battalion," said Bandmaster Hughes. "We are loyal to the new battalion, but I don't think one of you can forget the 93rd and what a fine battalion it was." (Cheers.)

The band would continue to improve. They were the kind of men who took an interest in their work.

Such gatherings as last night's would be long remembered and the bandsmen would not soon forget the good times they had together. "We are only in this business while the war is on," said the speaker, "but long afterwards in civilian life we will continue to meet as brothers."

When the Bandmaster concluded, he was given three hearty cheers and a tiger and Bandsman Dyer called for a similar salutation for Lt.-Col. Johnston which were given with a will that left no doubt as to the feeling of the bandsmen for their old commanding officer. It was decided to send greetings to Lt.-Col. Johnston on behalf of the band.

Speeches expressing the warmest affection for Bandmaster Hughes were given by Sergt. J. Miller and Bandsman Alan Clarke, Hector Loader and H. Wood. The latter who just rejoined the band yesterday, was greeted with hearty cheers.

On motion of Bandsman R. A. Browne and Tom Smith, a hearty vote of thanks was tendered Bandsmen Blunt, Miles and Wolno ,the committee in charge of the banquet, for the manner in which they had made the arrangements. Bandsmen Blunt and Wolno replied briefly, and the evening was brought to a close with the singing of the National Anthem.

93rd Battalion Men Took Part

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reader, came up from his dugout, calmly saluted, and enquired where he was to go. His Sergeant-Major followed, and knowing well the propensities of our men, held his helmet in front of him ready to offer an emerging from his dugout. Another N.C.O. came from his dugout with peace-offering of cigars, which he distributed freely.

LOCAL AGENTS GET DAMAGES FOR $952.22 WITH INTEREST AND COSTS

Judgement in Favour of Canadian Hood Haggie Ltd., of Peterboro, Against F. V. Samwell of Kingston

Judgment was given at Osgoode Hall, yesterday, by Mr. Justice Kelly in the case of the Canadian Hood Haggie Co. vs. F. V. Samwell of the Dominion Supply Co., Kingston, which was heard here on Wednesday, November 22nd. Mr. E. B. Fowler and Mr. Torrance Jack have the partnership agency of R. Hood Haggie and Sons, Ltd., of Newcastle-on-Tyne, Eng., rope manufacturers. The local warehouse is at the corner of Bethune and Wolfe streets. The plaintiffs brought action to recover $1,056.30 damages, alleged to have been suffered by them by reason of the defendant's default in delivering nails the plaintiffs had contracted to sell to their customers. Mr. Samwell had agreed to supply whatever the Canadian Hood-Haggie travellers might sell. But when orders were taken from firms in Hamilton and other cities Mr. Samwell failed to deliver the nails and the Canadian Hood-Haggie, Ltd., were forced to purchase them in the open market, at a price materially higher than that quoted to their customers.

Mr. Justice Kelly's judgment was entirely in favour of the Peterborough Agency, as follows:

"I find that plaintiff's claim, except $100 for travelling expenses, etc., on account of which I allow $75, is well founded and must be upheld, less a deduction of 36 cents per keg for the 1,163 kegs charged for a discount of that amount having been allowed on the purchases which were made to take the place of those contracted for by the defendant. Judgment for plaintiff for $952.22 and interest from July 1, 1916, and costs and dismissing defendant's counter-claim with costs.

Mr. J. E. L. Goodwill and Lieut. J. F. Strickland with Mr. J. A. Macintosh of Toronto conducted the plaintiff's case, while Mr. W. F. Nickle, K.C., M.P., and Mr. J. M. Farrell, of Kingston, appeared for Mr. Samwell.

Hon. Robert Rogers May Not Accompany Premier Borden

Report of the Colt Commission is Considered in Ottawa to be Convincing Evidence of Hon. Robert Rogers' Implication in the Manitoba Scandal

Special to The Examiner:

OTTAWA, Jan. 31.—The semi-official announcement that the Prime Minister intended taking with him to England on his Imperial visit, Hon. Robert Rogers, and Hon. J. D. Hazen, was published simultaneously this morning with the report of Judge Dysart's condemnation of the former Minister in connection with his Provincial ministry in Manitoba. There are indications that the later event may effect the former decision. It is not thought likely here that the Premier will associate with himself as his chosen colleague on an Imperial mission the minister who is accused by a commission of implication in provincial price boosting for campaign fund purposes. The judge's findings backed as they are by evidence, are considered here to be convincing, and Mr. Rogers' statement in reply has given the opposite impression.

SLOW AT UNDESIRABLES.

LONDON, Jan. 29.— According to the Mail the Home Secretary will submit to Parliament a bill authorizing the forfeiture of the citizenship of undesirable naturalized British subjects. The Mail says that during the war scores of naturalized citizens have been deported in acts unfriendly to Great Britain. Some of these persons were formerly Germans and Austrians, other were Dutch, Belgian, American and Scandinavian

BAD FIRE IN OPS TOWNSHIP

40 Head of Cattle, Pigs, Sheep, Hens, Hay, Grain, etc., Destroyed When Mr. Wm. Reed's Barn Caught Fire

The barn and contents of Mr. Wm. Reeds, Lot 9, Con. 7, Ops, was totally consumed by fire yesterday. The only animals saved were the horses.

For two days Messrs. McConnell and Traynor had been threshing alsike clover for Mr. Reed and it is presumed that a spark from the engine is responsible for the fire, which started on the barn floor in the south end of the building.

The loss is a serious one as all the season's grain, hay and straw went up in smoke, together with 40 head of cattle amongst which were some the owner had received an offer of 8c a pound by the butcher; also 27 sheep, 10 pigs and a flock of hens. The horses in the north end of the building were gotten out safely.

The fire swept with such rapidity that it was utterly impossible to get the cattle out. The fire started at ten minutes to twelve and in 30 minutes afterward nothing but the ashes of the building and the charred remains of the cattle could be seen.

Messrs. McConnell and Traynor ate heavy losers also, their clover mill being consumed before the men could remove it from the barn. The only parties around at the time were the threshers and Mr. Reed's three sons, who were powerless to stay the progress of the flames, or do more than they did.

The barn was 100 feet long by 80 feet wide on a stone foundation and a very fine structure. This with the contents was partly covered by insurance, but will in no way compensate the owner for the loss sustained.

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SOLDIER'S ROMANCE SHATTERED BY SPECIAL DELIVERY MESSAGE

Disappointed in his romance, Ezra B. Naylor, Jr., private in Company E., Seventh Regiment, arrayed himself in his uniform, which he had worn in his five months' service on the Mexican border, and then laid down to die. He was found lifeless on Sunday morning with gas escaping from a jet. Beside him lay a special delivery letter, which had been mailed from New York the day before. It read:

"I have married John. We are going away."

Neither the authorities nor the young man's parents could shed any light on the identity of the'John' named in the note; nor did they have any knowledge of a marriage that might have caused their son to end his life. The name of the young woman who sent the letter was withheld.

The young man lived at 251 Fremont street. He was employed by the New York Central Railroad at its terminal building in Manhattan. In the same office worked Miss Mildred Barger, of 312 Walnut street, daughter of Mr. Adolphus Barger, a contractor. She is about 22 years old and it was commonly reported around the town that the two were engaged to be married. The young man went away with the Seventh Regiment the end of June to do duty on the border. His regiment was stationed at McAllen, Texas, and from there the young soldier wrote of his life in the mesquite and the burning sun of 115 and 120 degrees. Their correspondence was as regular as it could be in the circumstances.

Private Naylor returned to Peekskill on Thanksgiving Day and found that the affections of the girl had waned somewhat, according to the story told by his parents. But he did not believe that they were on the point of a break.

Miss Barger went to New York about a week ago and was staying with friends in Brooklyn. The young soldier seemed somewhat depressed after he had received the special delivery letter, although his relatives would not say that Miss Barger had sent it or even that any information had come that she had been married at all.

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Voice of the People

To the Editor of The Examiner.

Dear Sir—In your issue of Saturday last I noticed an article signed "Zero," complaining of the temperature of the Market Hall on Saturday morning. Now, "Zero" should understand that Saturday was an extremely cold day, and considering the space to be heated with ceiling about 35 feet high, I doubt if he, with all his hot air, could have heated it as well. Fires were started in the three stoves at 6 o'clock, and were well attended to with good hard wood, not with "wet, mixed wood," as Zero stated, and any sane person can well understand, with two large doors swinging back and forth by persons coming in and going out, continually, you may know how utterly impossible it is to retain the heat satisfactorily. "Zero" speaks about the pokers not being up to the standard quality. Well, some people find fault with everything in sight, and perhaps he may denote us something better as regards those "noble women" suffering so much from the cold, I am very sorry as they never complained to us, but on the contrary, remarked how comfortable and clean the Market was kept.

Hoping "Zero" may not have any serious results after his visit to the Market Hall on Saturday. Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for space in your valuable paper.

MARKET CLERK.

New York Stock Market

Summary of To-day's Activities on the New York Stock Exchange

Chicago Grain—

May wheat, 171 1-4; July wheat, 146 1-2; May corn, 98 3-8.

Bethlehem Steel Common Class B stock selling "when issued" broke 6 1-4 points this afternoon to 123. The general list was quiet in the afternoon.

New York Stocks—

Atchison, 105 3-8, 105 1-4; B. and O., 81, 80 7-8; St. Paul, 88 3-4, 88 1-2; Erie, 37 3-8, 36 3-4; C.P.R., 161, 160 1-8; U.P. 143, 142 7-8. Reading, 100, 99 1-2; Penna., 57 3-4, 57 1-2; Anaconda, 89 1-8, 88; Rep. Steel, 77 3-4, 77 1-2; U.S. Steel, 113 1-4, 113 1-2; Amer. Loco., 76 1-8, 75 3-4.

Toronto Stocks—

N. S. Steel 109, 109 1-4; Gen. Electric 112; Dominion Steel 63 1-2, 61 3-4; Cement, 69 3-4, 69 5-8, Steel of Can., Cement, 62 3-4, 62 5-8; Steel of Can., 83 1-2, 82 3-4; war loan 1931, 97 5-8, 98 1-2; war loan 1925, 97 7-8; Canada Car, 29 1-2 bid.

City and General

Sun-Kist Oranges, Good Quality, Never so Low in Price. 6d-25

Broken auto cylinders, machinery and stoves welded, by the new Oxo Acetelyne Process. Anything in iron, steel or aluminum made as good as new, not patched up. Millard's Bicycle Shop, Hunter street, near Aylmer.

PROBABILITIES.

High northerly and northeast winds, snow to-night. Thursday, north winds and colder.

SEWING MEETING.

There will be a sewing meeting at the Children's Shelter to-morrow.

EGGS YOU CAN ENJOY.

Nice, strictly fresh eggs—do you at Porter S. White's Grocery, George Street.

PIANO TUNING.

'Phone 505, The Greene Music Co., Charlotte Street, when your piano requires tuning or regulating. All work guaranteed. dtf

CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. Withers, 262 Dalhousie street, wishes to thank the person who so kindly posted the letters they found at the G.T.R. station yesterday.

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'Phone 1416 for Cleaning, Pressing and Repairing. Goods called for and delivered promptly Mrs. Read, 159 Rubidge Street. dtf

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Sit for your picture at the "Vincent Studio" and be convinced. Cabinet size portraits from $3 to $10, and upwards, per doz. We give you a true likeness together with a supreme finish.

SERVICE HELD.

The service last evening at the Methodist Parsonage for the late Mrs. Whattam was conducted by Rev. Mr. Greatrix, Rev. Mr. Peever, and Rev. Mr. Webb. The body was taken this morning, by the Grand Trunk to Picton for interment.

PIANO, ORGAN, VOICE.

Mr. J. H. Renwick, organist and choirmaster, George Street Methodist Church, has resumed teaching. Pupils prepared for examinations. Many present and former pupils holding good positions. Studio, 567 Aylmer street. 'Phone 1098. 26d-2

FOR SALE.

Silent Salesman Show Cases, sizes 4, 5, 6 and 8 ft. lengths, at old prices, for fifteen days, from $7 to $11 per ft. Apply McIntyre Show Case Co., Peterborough. 2d-26

AUTO TOPS AND CUSHIONS

Don't wait until Spring before ordering your new Auto Tops and Cushions. See me now before work gets brisk. Tops and cushions made to order and repaired in a satisfactory manner. Geo. R. McCrae, 460 George Street. A few doors north of Brock Street. 28d-25

OYSTER SUPPER.

The Pathfinders of St. Andrew's Sunday school will hold a skating party and oyster supper on Friday night. All members will meet at the Sunday school at 7.30 sharp and will then go to Jackson Park to skate and returning to the Sunday school, where an oyster supper will be served. 3d-26

VILLIERS PATRIOTIC SOCIETY.

The Villiers Patriotic Society are having a concert in the school house at Villiers on Friday evening, Feb. 2, 1917, consisting of songs, readings, speeches by returned soldiers, etc. Admission twenty-five cents.

DENTAL.

Dr. McKenty, Dentist, 370 George Street, on the ground floor first door north of Peterborough Hardware Co. Nitrous oxide and oxygen administered for painless operations.

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Great January Furniture Sale.

10 to 25 per cent. reduction on all furniture; bedroom furniture in delightful design at surprisingly low prices. See our show window, 427 George street, for dining-room, furniture and pictures. E. B. CLEGG & Co., 427 George street. dtf.

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REPORTED CHANGES IN LOCAL HOTELS

The White House on Charlotte street is undergoing a thorough renovation and will be opened shortly by Mr. Gus White as a standard licensed hotel. A new tile floor is being laid in the dining room and other alterations are under way. It is understood that Mr. White will operate his farm, dividing his interests between it and the White House. It was also rumoured among hotelmen that Mr. B. Larocque is likely to take over the Grand Hotel, recently conducted by Mr. Carl Schmuck.

If a pessimist happens to be born with a silver spoon in his mouth, he naturally expects it to choke him sooner or later.

Diamond Rings

Unequalled values—$20, $25, $35, $50, $100 & up

Pearl Rings

Fine Pearls securely set in 14 karat gold—$2.50, $5, $10, $15, $20 up.

Scarf Pins

Gold Scarf Pins set with one Pearl—$1.75, $2.50, $3.50, $4 up.

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Social and Personal

Miss Phyllis Cumbeland has gone to Toronto, where she will take a course at S. P. S. as Inspector of Munitions.

Mr. W. H. Hill returned on Monday from a business trip to Montreal.

Rev. Mr. Whattam is in Picton to attend the funeral of his mother, which takes place to-day.

The members of the Peter Robinson Chapter, I.O.D.E., are reminded of the annual meeting to be held on Friday, February 2nd, for the election of officers.

Miss Grace Cox, who has been very ill at her home, 163 Lock Street, city, is somewhat improved to-day.

Mrs. J. H. Eastwood and Mrs. W. H. Hill will be the hostesses at the 57th Chapter I.O.D.E. afternoon tea in the Masonic Dining Hall to-morrow.

Rev. S. J. Shorey, Port Hope, was in the city to-day meeting and greeting the large circle of his friends in Peterborough.

Mrs. John Dwyer, Water street, and Miss Irene Dorris will be the hostesses at the Thursday afternoon tea given weekly by St. Peter's Patriotic Club. All are invited to tea.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Kingan, Aylmer street, returned this morning from New York, where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Kingan's sister, the late Mrs. Howland.

Word has been received that Mrs. Cyril Wardale King (nee Miss Dela Fosse), will sail shortly to return to Canada.

Mr. Alex. Spence is in Bobcaygeon on business for a few days.

Mr. Colson of the Oriental Hotel, has most kindly and generously thrown open the doors of that splendid, commodious hotel to the Canadian Kitchener League for the afternoon and evening of February 14th. The League intend to take full advantage of Mr. Colson's generosity and will hold a St. Valantine's Tea in the afternoon and a patriotic dance in the evening. The citizens of Peterborough will be given a splendid opportunity of assisting the Canadian Kitchener League in their great work of making the boys in the trenches a little more comfortable. Watch for further notice.

SAYS LANSING WAS RESPONSIBLE

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.— Secretary Lansing's "Verge of War" interpretation of President Wilson's peace message, and not the leak to Wall street, "was what killed the market," E. F. Hutton, stock broker, told the House Committee probers to-day. He held that the tip organizing in the House of J. A. Connolly and Co., of which President Wilson's brother-in-law is a member, was not responsible for the break in the market.

Peterboro' Debtor To George Ball

Mr. Ball Will Endeavour to Collect $4.00 From the City For Seeding a Boulevard

City of Peterborough debtor to George Ball — four dollars—reads a bill that made the Board of Works Committee of the City Council sit up and take notice at a meeting that was held last evening. The bill is for work entailed in seeding a boulevard in front of property at 272-274 and 276 Hunter street. City Engineer Parsons was invited to look into the matter and report to the Committee. Alderman Smith said: "It was no job at all." He did not favour paying the account, claiming that such action would tend to establish a precedent. The East City Representative said he did his own boulevard for nothing.

Mr. Emmerson, Mr. Brown and Plumbing Inspector Thompson will be invited to meet the Committee with a view of fixing responsibility for an improperly constructed sewer connection opposite the property of Mr. Emmerson at 207 Park street.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

Examiner Special:

TORONTO, Jan. 31.—Live stock receipts fair, trade steady. Light sheep $9.75 to $10.25; spring lambs, $10.75 to $14.75; hogs, fed and watered, $13.75 to $13.90; off cars, $14.25.

CANADA FOUNDRY AND C. G. E. ON SHORT SIDE OF SOFT COAL

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Jan. 31.—Ontario is up against it hard in the matter of soft coal. The executive heads of large industrial concerns are at their witts' ends and many are faced with the possibility of having to shut down. The Canada Foundry Company here and in Peterborough is perhaps the largest concern in Toronto that is up against the wall. Senator Frederic Nicholls informed The Examiner to-day that they are just living from hand to mouth, using the coal as fast as it was delivered, the deliveries being made in small quantities. They have men out in the railroads trying to chase the cars in. "What would happen if no coal were delivered to you in the next two days," asked The Examiner. "We would have to close down," was Senator Nicholls' reply.

WAITED ON GOVERNMENT

SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER:

TORONTO, Jan. 31.—The Ontario Government heard to-day proposals made by the Canadian Manufacturers' Association with regard to medical aid under the Workmen's Compensation Act. All the members of the Government holding portfolios were present as well as the members of the Workmen's Compensations' Board, and many representatives of manufacturing industries, medical men and representatives of labour. Mr. I. A. Thomas, in presenting the proposals of the C. M. A. said that they were willing to supply medical attendance subject to the approval of the board, subject to a time limit. He thought it would be fair to make the limit of expense $50, and a time limit of 30 days. This extra expense to the manufactures would be very great indeed.

Dr. E. E. King saw objections to the scheme of the C. M. A. He thought each case should be dealt with through the commission. He expressed the opinion that the doctors should send their bills to the commission and that these should be paid through this body. He objected to the doctors having to collect their bills from the manufacturers.

"The workman has tried to take this matter from the hands of private employer and vest it in the State. I think it is inconceivable that the C. M. A. should try to get the control of the medical aid," said Fred Bancroft, representing the workmen.

WEDDING BELLS

HEARN—COULTER.

At the George Street Methodist parsonage, last evening, Melville Hearn of Verulam, was united in marriage to Minnie Coulter of the same township. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. G. Peever, B. D. Mr. and Mrs. Hearn will reside in Verulam.

OBITUARY

WHILOMENE CULLEN.

Whilomene Cullen, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Cullen, 514 Aylmer street, died this morning aged 13 months.

The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon in Bridgenorth.

MRS. RICHARD SKUCE.

At the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Shaw, Sherbrooke street, the death occurred this morning of Mrs. Richard Skuce, in her 76th year. The deceased had resided at Mount Horeb, Ops Township, Victoria County, until fifteen years ago, when she moved to Peterborough. Mrs. Skuce was predeceased by her husband 33 years ago. She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Wm. Shaw, and five sons, W. J., of Peterborough, Thos. E., of Reaboro; Sydney of Drumheller, Alta., Matthew of Redlands, Cal., and Charles of Fresno, Cal.

The funeral will take place from Mrs. Shaw's residence, 275 Sherbrooke street, on Friday morning, at 8 o'clock to the G.T.R. station, from which the body will be removed to Norwood, where the funeral will be held from the station to Mt. Horeb cemetery for interement. The funeral service will be held in Mt. Horeb Methodist Church.

How British Army Slept As It Marched

In an article, "Sleep for the Sleepless," in the current World's Work, the author quotes an eminent French surgeon, who made a study of sleep in the French army, as follows:

"In the retreat from Mons to the Marne we have an extraordinary human experience, in which several hundred thousand men secured little sleep during nine days, and in addition made forced marches, and fought one of the greatest battles in history.

"How then did these men survive nine days apparently without opportunity for sleep? They did an extraordinary thing—they slept while they marched! Sheer fatigue slowed down their pace to a rate that would permit them to sleep while walking. When they halted they fell they fell asleep. They slept in water and on the rough ground, when suffering the pange of hunger and thirst, and even when severely wounded. They cared not for capture, not even for death, if only they could sleep.

"The unvaried testimony of the soldiers was that everyone at times slept on the march. They passed through villages asleep. When sleep deepened and they began to reel thy were awakened by their comrades. They slept in water, on stones, in brush or in the middle of the road, as if they had suddenly fallen in death. With the ever oncoming lines of the enemy no man was safe who dropped out of the ranks, for no matter on what pretext he fell out sleep conquered him. Asleep many of them were captured. That the artillery slept on horseback was evidenced by the fact that every man lost his cap."

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COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE LITERARY SOCIETY

A regular meeting of the Peterborough Collegiate Literary Society was held on Tuesday, Jan. 30th. The President occupied the chair. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted. A short programme was given:

Piano solo—Miss Reid.
Business report—S. Bogue.
Reading—G. McClennand.
Piano solo—O. Gliddon.
Speech—Miss Perrin.
Mandolin duet—Misses Hauna and Rountree.
Criticism—Mr. Jamieson.
God Save the King.

H. Skuce, Secretary.

REVERSED SKATING IN SCUGOGVILLE

LINDSAY, Jan. 31. — Beginning last evening a new rule for skaters on the Lindsay Street rink was introduced by Manager Coombs. Each evening at 9 o'clock the skaters will reverse on the rink and skate in the opposite direction. The reason is given that the ice will be kept more even in this way. By continually skating in one direction the ice becomes worn in some places more than others, making the sheet uneven. It also benefits the skaters in being able to skate around the corners the opposite way.

LONGEST BAR IS WIPED OUT BY PROHIBITION

"The longest bar in the world," located at Manning in Carroll county, Iowa, is being dismantled and will soon become a thing of the past. It is or was more than 150 feet long, and for years was the sole solace of the oftsens of Manning in the days when Iowa was in the wet column. Since prohibition was adopted it has served as a dispensary for "near beer" and other soft drinks, but the proprietor finding this unprofitable, has decided to go out of business and the building will be occupied as a general store.

The bar was built in the shape of a horseshoe, being contained in a building about 100 feet long.

In the old days Manning had many saloons and a bar such as this was not a necessity. But with the passage of the Moon bill, limiting the number of saloons to one for each thousand of the population, it became necessary to close all but two of Manning's thirst parlours. The City Council decided to go the lawmakers one better and cut down the number to one, charging the proprietor $6,000 per year for the exclusive license to sell liquor in Manning. And notwithstanding the excessively high license, the business was very profitable, for Manning was an extremely wet town. However, to care for his trade the proprietor was compelled to extend the length of the bar which ran alongside one wall of his building, and the horseshoe bar, said to be the longest in the world, was the result.

The dismantling of the bar and its fixtures, rendering the building hereafter unfit for a saloon, is taken by many to mean that the wets have given up all hope of a return of the saloon to Iowa.

WHAT NO LIQUOR DOES FOR RUSSIA.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 31. — Russia, after fourteen months of prohibition, reports:

Crime (all kinds) has decreased 62 per cent.; absenteeism in factories has fallen 60 per cent.; suicide rate has dropped enormously; hospitals formerly overcrowded are not filled; efficiency in faoories increased 10 to 15 per cent; practically every inhabitant is at work; savings deposits have increased 8 per cent.; fire damage has fallen off 38 per cent.; wages in some districts raised 500 per cent; people are eating better and costlier food; better clothing is worn by the poorer classes; agricultural implement sales are 60 per cent. larger; imprisonment decreased 72 per cent.

Some men talk more religion in ten minutes than they practice in ten years.

Don't think that because you owe your doctor for saving your life he will take it in settlement for the bill.

It's easy for a millionaire philosopher to tell a young man how to live on $6 a week and put money in the bank.

It is an easy matter for a girl to fall in love with a shiftless man but when she has to support him there's the rub.

It is remarkable how children out-grow their smocks and frocks, their playthings, their childish ways, and—most of all—their photographs. Only photographs will keep them as they are.

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